

THE
GOODNER FAMILY



A GENEALOGICAL HISTORY



With a Brief History of the Family of Jacob Daniel Scherrer
and Notes on Other Allied Families

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DEDICATION

To Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit, whose generous and unselfish help in the preparation of this genealogy has been immensurable and indispensable, and whose kind words of encouragement when interest tended to lag were sorely needed, this volume is respectfully and lovingly dedicated.

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ABBREVIATIONS

abt.	about
b.	born
ch:	children
circa	around about
d.	died
dau.	daughter
D.A.R.	Daughters of the American Revolution
i.e.	that is
inf.	infantry; infancy
m:	married
M.R.	Meridian Line
nee	born
P.O.	postoffice
q.v.	which see
Res.	Residence; resided
S.	Section
S.A.R.	Sons of the American Revolution
Twp.	Township
U.C.V.	United Confederate Veterans
V.P.	Vice-President
W.W.I.	World War I
W.W.II	World War II

SYSTEM OF NUMBERING

This genealogy is set up on the so-called Clan system, in which the family is broken down into "Heads of Families".

In a genealogy of this size, the Clan system lends itself very well to a clear and concise understanding of family relationships. It is because of this, and because it is easy to follow, that it has been used. By using charts on each family head a clear picture can be had of the children and grandchildren of these heads of families.

The family is thus broken down into four main branches, namely, those of John Goodner, Jr., Peter (Mary) Goodner, Conrad Goodner, and Catherine Goodner, who married William Jackson, all children, as is conjectured, of the immigrant John Goodner, Senior.

The system of numbering is simplicity itself. Starting with the immigrant John Goodner, Senior, the first generation in America so far as is known, the letter "a" is assigned. The second generation is assigned the letter "b", the third generation the letter "c", and so on. Thus all names bearing the letter "c" for instance are in the third generation, those bearing the letter "d" are in the fourth generation.

The numeral preceding these letters refer to the position of that person in relation to date of birth in his or her respective family. Thus the designation "3d" means that the person is the third child of that family, and is in the fourth generation from the immigrant Goodner. The names of Goodner descendants are underscored for ready identification.

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FOREWORD

As long as I can remember, and that goes back to about the age of five, I can remember my father's cousin, Hugh C. Goodner. We called him "Uncle Hugh", although at that tender age I had no idea what "uncle" meant, except that it meant he was some kind of a relation.

Uncle Hugh was at our house a great deal in my early childhood, - he generally came out on week ends, and acted as a sort of a "youngster sitter" with us and that really kept him busy, for there were seven of us, six boys and one girl; we were an obstreperous lot, I guess, as a bunch of kids usually are, each trying to out bedevil the other in daring and mischievousness. He often had to crack down on us, and when I say "crack down" I mean that literally, for he always carried a cane, generally one that he made himself, and works of art they were. He used these canes many a time to whack us on that part of the anatomy nearest to his reach. In such a manner he broke one of his prize canes in striking my older brother across the shins, when he would not desist from teasing me.

Being a barber by trade, it was Uncle Hugh's task - I would not call it pleasure - every so often to trim our hair, or I should more properly say cut it, for it seemed to always be past the trimming stage. He would put a board across the arms of a chair, prop us up there one by one, and proceed in production fashion to do the job. A sharp crack across the skull was our reward for not sitting still, and as this was done with his shears we usually tried to remain quiet. An old sheet thrown over us, tucked around our chins, kept the hair off of us. I recall that we used to balk strenuously at this hair cutting operation, not because of the actual cutting of the hair but because it was just that much time lost from play.

I remember another time when we were somewhat older but still below the age of ten that the craze of lassoing was prevalent among the youngsters. Each of us had lassoes and we practiced on everything in sight, -fence posts, clothes poles, dogs and cats, and each other. One summer day Uncle Hugh was out in the back yard sitting in a chair, contentedly smoking his pipe, at the same time keeping a wary eye on us. He presented quite a temptation to us with our lassoes. Finally, my brother, Elmer, could stand the suspense no longer and he cried out "Uncle Hugh, I'm going to lasso you", and he replied "You'd better not". Hardly were these words out of his mouth when the lasso descended over his head, knocking his hat off and sending his pipe a-sailing. Up Uncle Hugh jumped, grabbed the lasso, and swinging it wildly over his head started after Elmer who was high-tailing it away as fast as he could run. Down through the chicken yard they went. Uncle Hugh was gaining, when suddenly the lasso, still being swung in great loops by Uncle Hugh, wrapped itself around a clothes pole, throwing him head first into an open refuse can, partially filled with ashes and tin cans. Mouth agape, I gazed in amazement, not knowing whether to guffaw or to run like the devil, - so indecision froze me to the spot. Uncle Hugh's reaction was different than I had expected. He picked himself and the lasso up, walked back to the chair, gathered up his hat and pipe, filled the pipe with fresh tobacco, sat down in the chair and resumed smoking as calmly as if nothing had happened. Of course we knew that things might be brewing under that calm atmosphere, and we kept a respectful distance from him. However, never again did any of us try that trick on Uncle Hugh.

Uncle Hugh was not married, - in fact, it seems that he never gave that institution much consideration. Why I do not know, for he was a handsome man. Probably the resultant responsibility of married life was abhorrent to his carefree ways. He was of an "easy-come and easy go" personality, not caring too much about the tomorrow. He liked to own and breed fancy chickens in his younger days, and would bring out pictures of fancy roosters and show them to us. He was extremely skillful in pocket knife carving. He once carved a team of oxen hitched to a cart out of a single block of wood, which took first prize at the St. Louis World Fair. It was really a most remarkable piece of art. He made numerous horse shoes, canes, and deer heads to which he attached antlers, sets of which ornamented our home for many years.

We grew to love Uncle Hugh. In our early formative years he was with us more than our own father, who was busy making a livelihood for his large family, while making a living did not seem to bother Uncle Hugh too much. When we moved away from St. Louis to Springfield, Missouri, our contact with him was lost. The first two weeks or so of our separation did not bother me too much, what with new things to see and new friends to make, and fresh accidents to happen. But one day the loss of Uncle Hugh's presence smote me with full force, and I had one of the worst cases of homesickness ever to strike a small lad. I remember I sobbed and sobbed as if my heart was breaking, and I actually thought it was doing just that. Mother could not console me, - she could not understand my utter and deep feeling of loss. But I finally had my cry out, and soon resumed the activities of a youngster. It was many years before I saw Uncle Hugh again, although we carried on quite a correspondence. I often wished I had kept the letters I received from him.

Now, all these reminiscences are a prelude by way of explanation of how I became interested in writing a history of the Goodner family. Because of my boyish love, or idolatry, of Uncle Hugh, the very name of "Goodner" became a sort of a fascination. It brought to my mind the image of Uncle Hugh, and thus with it the fond and nostalgic memories of childhood, ever sweet to one who had a wonderful life as a child, as was my good fortune. With that sentimental background it did not take much to spark into life a great interest and curiosity in the family itself.

I do not remember when I first heard of another of my father's Goodner cousins, Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit (Mrs. Frank H.), then a resident of Chicago, but in one of my visits to that city I called upon her, and then and there my deep interest seemed to come to life in the Goodner family tree. This embryonic interest developed into a desire to know more about the early family, and to add what I could to the Goodner chart which I secured from Cousin Lenna, which chart became the foundation and nucleus of what later was to become the actual family history.

It was not my intention at that early date to write a history. I merely wanted to add more information for my own satisfaction, to learn something of the Goodner pioneers and what part they had played in developing this great country. It was a hobby, and as hobbies go I only worked at it at various times as the spirit moved me and as business would permit. However, in the ensuing thirty years following the date of my initial interest, such a mass of material had accumulated, that encouraged by others, I conceived the idea of working it all into a history, and if possible to publish it at some future time when I had retired from business. So since my retirement in the fall of 1956, I have devoted my full time to completing the various lines and branches, bringing them down-to-date, and trying to solve the mystery and origin of the first Goodners to come to this country. Neither have met with full success. A few of the branches have become lost, apparently irrevocably; some of the kin to whom I have written, some repeatedly, have not been interested sufficiently to reply.

As to the origin of the family, I have twice made trips to North Carolina, where the family first settled, searching records in Orange and Guilford Counties and those in the Hall of Records in Raleigh. I have also checked the early records in the so-called German counties of Pennsylvania - Adams, York, Lancaster, and Berks - since it was thought that the Goodners may have resided in Pennsylvania before they migrated to North Carolina. I have searched through all publications available to me which might throw some light on the matter or to give me a lead. All of this has been to no avail as to learning anything of the seat of the family in the old country, although much valuable information was secured. Other trips were made to Indiana, Illinois, and Tennessee.

In the task of creating this family history I have had the assistance of several members, to whom I am greatly indebted.

My deepest obligation and sincere thanks go to Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit, formerly of Chicago and St. Petersburg, Florida, but now a resident of Sarasota, Florida. It was the basic outline of the Conrad Goodner line given to me by her that has made possible the completeness of that branch. Back at the turn of the century, her father, George Washington Goodner, first to take an interest in the family genealogy, had by considerable correspondence gathered from the old timers then living, a great deal of information which but for him would have been lost. This data was all made available to me, including data that Mrs. Goit herself had gathered, - all of which has made me deeply grateful to her. I am also indebted to her for permission to have photostatic copies made of several old letters in her possession, which are being reproduced in the history. Mrs. Goit is, I believe, the oldest living member of the Conrad Goodner line.

I wish also to express my sincere thanks to Mrs. Hester O. Pape of La Jolla, California, who so willingly sent me the old German letter of Recommendation of Jacob Daniel Scherrer and the old letter of his brother in Germany, George Theobold Scherrer, both dated back in the middle of the 18th century, that they might be photostated and reproduced in the history, as well as the family record in the Bible of Rev. Benjamin Goodner.

Mr. Milton Perry Goodner of Seattle, Washington, quite a few years ago gathered together much data on the family, working with Mrs. Goit in constructing the family chart on the Goodner line. All of this data he generously turned over to me, and so to him I render my sincere appreciation and grateful thanks.

Others who have been of great help to me and to whom I am very grateful are:-

Mrs. Hulda Finley	4387 S. Genesee Rd., Grand Blanc, Mich.
Mrs. Wenzola Kiger	117 E. 10th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Mrs. Arthur J. Hitchcock	601 Airport Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Mrs. David K. Tudor	1232 Lausanne, Dallas, Texas
Mrs. Margaret Wendler Bond	1500 Oak St., San Mateo, Calif.
Everett A. Boyd	318 N. Garfield, Monterey Park, Calif.
Mrs. Raymond Allen	680 Montgomery Ave., Cleveland, Tenn.
Mrs. Berta Goodner Hawk	Harmoor Apts. A., Cleveland, Tenn.
Carl Curtis Goodner, Dec'd.	Needles, Calif.
Miss Allie Roden	Pisgah, Alabama

I wish also to express my thanks and appreciation to all those who sent in their family records, and to those who in any degree helped to make this publication possible. And to those who offered words of encouragement when the going became burdensome and discouragement rode high, may I say simply, "Thank you".

In a compilation of names and dates such as this is, in spite of the utmost care and diligence, errors are bound to creep in. I ask the kind indulgence of any who may find errors in their record. The family data that has

been given to me has been assumed to be correct.

Unfortunately time has not permitted me to bring down-to-date all of the various lines of all branches. The gathering of data is a slow and tedious one. Replies come in slowly for the most part, and some not at all. Sometimes this meant the termination of a line that I was loathe to omit, but regretfully had to do so. It is my earnest hope that some younger member of the family will carry on and complete what is missing, and to continue the search for the definite identity and original home place of the immigrant Goodner family.

In closing, I wish to emphasize that it has given me a great deal of pleasure to write the Goodner history. Assuredly it has taken a great amount of time, much patience, and a substantial sum of money. The pleasure that I have derived comes from several sources, not the least of which are the many warm friendships that have developed with members of the family, - and these I treasure. The fact that there is being put into print as a permanent record the history and genealogy of a wonderful family, of which I am proud of being a member, and the knowledge that the history will be a source of pride and pleasure to others is compensation enough.

From a realistic standpoint, such a history as this may prove it's worthiness as being to some a proof of citizenship, and of age, should certain situations arise demanding such proof.

I invite all those of Goodner descent, whose names fail to appear in this genealogy to write me, as it is very important that "lost" families be located and that unfinished lines be completed. It is my hope that with this publication interest in the family history does not lag but on the contrary, that it may be more intensified.

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TO THOSE HONORED DEAD
 WHO
 HAVE GIVEN THEIR LIVES IN THE SERVICE OF THE COUNTRY
 (A partial list, beginning with the Spanish-American War.)

Edgar Walton Goodner	Spanish-American War
Meredith Bryant Wood	W. W. I Overseas
Capt. Don B. M. Wood	Pilot. Mediterrean. 7-8-1943
Capt. Daniel Wesley Stookey	Died in Prison, Japan. Was in Corrigedor and in the infamous Bataan March.
David Morgan Randle	European Theatre, 11-5-1943
Capt. James Fox Goodner, Jr.	Bombadier, 4-11-1944. European Theatre.
Donald A. Roden	Saipan, W.W.II 7-12-1944
George William Ford	Paratrooper. Luzon. 2-3-1945
Howard Goodner	Air Force. 4-21-1945, in B-24 Bombing Mission over Regensburg, Germany
Horace E. Hawk, Jr.	Marines, Pacific Theatre. 5-11-1945
Terence Bishop Shields	England. 7-4-1948
Jack Earl Hughes	Air Force. France.
Gerald Wayne Goodner	Korean Campaign
Lt. Robert Kerry Jones	United States. 5-17-1956. Flyer

What is the meaning of the name "Goodner", and what was its spelling in German, since the name is of German extraction?

Attached to the pension papers of Conrad Goodner, filed in 1835, now on file in the War Department Archives in Washington, there are some leaves, torn from Conrad's old Bible, giving the names and birth dates of certain of the older members of his family and written in German. From what is stated in these pension papers, this writing, or that which was done in German, was evidently done by Conrad's father-in-law, Jacob Daniel Scherrer. The date of the last name written in German is that of Maria Saloma, "Sally", on May 21st, 1786, which fact by the way may determine the approximate time that Conrad and Elizabeth left Guilford County, since the date of the next child, David, on Oct. 26, 1788, is in English. Jacob Daniel, remaining in Guilford County, was thus not available to carry on the record in German.

Here the name is written "Güttener". This is the only known record of the Goodner name in German, and because it was written at the time that Conrad was living, and by his father-in-law who had a good German education, it would appear that we should accept it as correct. Not only did Jacob Daniel know Conrad, but he would also have known Conrad's parents and would have conversed with them in German. Thus we can be assured that he was familiar with the proper spelling of the name. Facsimiles of these papers appear with the balance of the facsimiles of Conrad's pension papers. Incidentally, here is recorded the only known writing of Jacob Daniel.

Now that the name in German is established, what is its meaning? In the year 1931, Mrs. Lenna Goit met a Professor Shearer in St. Petersburg, Florida, - a very learned man and a professor of languages, formerly of Cincinnati. Prof. Shearer was born in Wurzburg, Germany, and came to this country when 15 years of age. On question from Mrs. Goit as to the translation of the name Goodner into German and explanation of its meaning, Prof. Shearer said that the true translation would be "Gütner", - that the first part of the name, "Gut", means estate, and that the name meant "an owner of an estate".

Coinciding with this opinion of Prof. Shearer is one of a recently arrived German of apparently good education, who upon being asked the same question as propounded to Prof. Shearer, stated that the meaning of the name meant the owner of an estate, but not the owner of a farm, or of a small estate, but a very large estate, more in the nature of a domain.

Thus if the name does have that interpretation, then such a meaning might convey significance to the tradition in the family of a landed estate having belonged to our Goodner forebears. And since it was in the 13th century that all Germans were ordered to adopt a family name, indications are that they were owners of a landed estate at that time.

The name "Güttener" and "Gütner" differ slightly. Whether in the course of 200 years the "Güttener" could have been shortened to "Gütner" is something not known, but since such changes are common in the English language, it is logical to assume that similar changes would occur in other languages.

In "Rupp's Thirty Thousand Immigrants", there appears the name of a Michael Goodner, who arrived in this country on Oct. 20th, 1752, on the Ship Duke of Wirtemberg, Daniel Montpelier, Commander, which came from Rotterdam but which was last from port of Cowes on the Isle of Wight. A perusal of the names of the other immigrants on this ship does not reveal any of the known German families that settled in the counties of Orange and Guilford in North Carolina. No known descendants of this Michael have ever to our knowledge been found. In the publication, "Pioneers of Massachusetts", by C. H. Pope, published in 1900, there appears the name of an Edmund Goodner, a resident of Ipswich, Mass. He is listed as one of a group appointed by the General Court of Sept. 27th, 1642 to look after the manufacture of saltpetre. The finding of a Goodner in the New England colonies posed a certain problem and some conjecture, since these colonies were settled by the English, and the thought naturally occurred as to whether there was an English branch of the family from whom this Edmund might have come. However, searching more deeply into the matter, it was found that Pope was in error in giving the name as "Goodner", the name actually being Goodnow, but sometime written as Goodnor, which might have been the cause of the error. The recognized authority on these early settlers in Massachusetts is "Banks Typographical Dictionary of 2885 Emigrants to New England 1620 to 1650". He gives the name as Goodnow, and states that Edmund Goodnow came over in the Ship "Confidence", that he came from the Parish of Donhead, Wiltshire, England, and landed in Sudbury, Mass. On this same ship came John and Thomas Goodnow, who came from the Parish of Shaftsbury, Dorsetshire, England. And from "Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the War of Revolution", page 585, published by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, it was found that the name of Goodnow, in addition to the variation Goodnor, was also spelled Goodnew, Goodenough, Goodenow, etc.

Still trying to learn more of the Güttener name and family, I wrote in 1958 to a Herr Hans Gütner in Hamburg, Germany, whose name was found in the Hamburg telephone directory. The letter reads as follows:- *

* See Appendix.

" June 2nd, 1958
Dayton, Ohio

Herr Hans G^uttner
Handels-Verti
Gflottb von Th^unen Str. 14
Hamburg, Germany.

Dear Herr G^uttner:-

I am writing you about a matter on which I hope you can, and will, give me some information. It is a problem on which I have studied for years and on which I have done much research, but which I have been unable to solve. In searching through your Hamburg telephone directory, a copy of which is in our City Library, I came across your name, which is the only G^uttner in the book.

Briefly, my problem is this. Sometime between the years 1755 and 1770 a German family came to America and settled in what is now the State of North Carolina. The name of this family as spelled in English is "Goodner". On the leaves of a very old Bible, there is a notation of some births in which the name is spelled as "G^uttener". I have never been able to find out the meaning of this name, or where in Germany the seat of the family was. I am inclined to think that the name "G^uttener" and "G^uttner" is one and the same. And this is my reason for writing you.

Would you be so kind as to write me and tell me if in your opinion the names represent the same family, that if in the course of years the name could have been shortened by the dropping of the "e"? Also, will you write me the meaning of the name, if it has one, and if possible where the seat of the family might have been 200 years or so ago. Any additional information you can give me regarding the name of your family, and of the one on which I am seeking some knowledge, will be sincerely appreciated.

I am writing a genealogical history of the family, of which I am a descendant, and such information will be highly interesting and valuable. I shall look forward to a reply from you with considerable interest and anticipation.

Very truly yours,

Hubert W. Lacey "

This letter was translated into German through the kindness of a friend, and posted. In due time I received the following reply:-

" Hamburg-Gr. Flottbek, den 27-7-1958.

Herrn
Hubert W. Lacey
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Sehr geehrter Herr Lacey:

Durch die Urlaubszeit und den anschliessenden grösseren Arbeitsanfall komme ich erst heute zur Beantwortung Ihrer freundlichen Zeilen vom 6.6.1958.

Ihr Unternehmen ist sicher ein sehr schwieriges und ich befürchte leider, dass ich zu dessen Erfolg nicht viel beitragen kann. Aber zur Sache:

Eine Bedeutung für den Namen G^uttner kann ich nicht geben. Wahrscheinlich ist der Name im Laufe der Jahre vielfach abgewandelt. Ich bin auch nicht sicher, dass die Namen "G^uttener" und "G^uttner" übereinstimmen. Es gibt in Deutschland viele ähnliche Familiennamen, z.B. Büttner, Jüttner, Grüttner, und ähnliche.

Nach einer schriftlich mich vorliegenden Überlieferung soll ein schwedischer Oberst oder Oberstleutnant "von G^uttner nach Deutschland gekommen sein, wahrscheinlich im Laufe des 30-jährigen Krieges mit König Gustav-Adolf, der sich in Sachsen sesshaft gemacht hat. Von den Söhnen dieses von G^uttner soll einer nach Mecklenburg und einer nach Schlesien ausgewandert sein. Das Adelsprädikat sollen die Söhne wegfallen lassen haben.

Wenn die Überlieferung stimmt, so kann ich Ihnen nicht einmal sagen, zu welcher Linie meine Familie gehört. Von meiner direkten Linie kann ich nur folgende Angaben machen:

Urgrossvater Carl Friedrich geb. 28.3.1800 in Lissa, Kries Posen

Grossvater Carl Louis, geb. 3.12.1834 in Danzig

Vater Adolf Robert, geb. 6.3.1875 in Danzig

Ich selbst bin such in Danzig geboren und dort gross geworden. Im Jahre 1925 ging ich nach Hamburg. Ich habe noch einer Bruder, der nach dem Kriege auch in Hamburg eine neue Heimat gefundet hat. Meine Familie ist evangelisch.

Aus diesen Angaben ist keine Ableitung oder für Sie nützlicher Hinweis zu entnehmen.

Meine verstorbene Mutter hat sich in den letzten Jahren vor dem Kriege etwas mit der Ahnenforschung befasst und dabei Verbindung mit der oben erwähnten ursprünglichen Linie aus Mecklenburg gehabt. Aus den hinterlassenen Unterlagen konnte ich folgende Angaben entnehmen:

Johann Andreas Güttner, geb. 1689. gest. 21.2.1769, Küster zu Carlow in Mecklenburg.

Johann Andreas Güttner hatte 5 Töchter und einen Sohn. Nachfolgend gebe ich nur die Söhne an.

Martin Jürgen Christoph, geb. 8.7.1727 - gest? Küster u. Schneidermeister in Carlow.

Dessen Söhne:

1. Hans Jacob Friedrich Wilhelm, geb. 22.4.1762 - gest. 30.6.1831. Küster u. Schullehrer in Carlow.
2. Andreas Wilhelm Christoph, geb. 22.1.1765 - gest. 31.8.1766
3. Hartwig Christoffer, geb. 6.9.1769 - gest. ? Es fehlen weitere Angaben.
4. Joachim Martin, geb. 5.10.1771 - gest. 6.8.1814. Rademacher u. Kirchenjurat in Carlow.
5. Johann Andreas, geb. 1775 - gest ? - Schuhmachermeister
7. Johann Friderich Bonaventura, geb. 5.12.1776 - gest ?

Die Aufzählung der weiteren Nachkommenschaft ist für den vorliegenden Fall wohl ohne Bedeutung. Ich kann sie mir daher ersparen. Auffällig ist vielleicht, dass für den Vater Martin Jürgen Christoph und seine beiden Hartwig Christoffer (Nr. 3) und Johann Friedrich Bonaventura (7) die Todesdaten fehlen, sowie jeder Hinweis bei den Söhnen, was aus ihnen geworden ist. Bei dem beiden Sohn Johann Andreas (Nr. 5) kann ich zwar das Todesdatum auch nicht finden, wohl aber das Datum seiner Hochzeit am 12.6.1813 mit Thrin Marie Dierk aus Stove.

Es würde mich freuen, wenn Sie mit Ihrer gewiss mühevollen Arbeit Erfolg haben und ich bin auch weiterhin gern bereit. Sie hierbei zu unterstützen, sofern Sie glauben, dass es für Sie nützlich sein kann und Sie mir dabei etwas Zeit lassen können.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen

"Hans Guttner"

Translated, the letter reads:-

" Hamburg-Gr., July 27th, 1958
Von-Thünen Street No. 14

Hans Guttner.

Dear Mr. Lacey:-

Because of vacation and the accumulation of work I have not been able to answer sooner your friendly letter dated June 6, 1958.

Your task is surely very difficult, and I am afraid that I cannot contribute much to its' success. But to proceed:

I cannot give you the meaning of the name Güttner. Probably the name has been changed often during the past years. I am not sure that the names "Güttener" and "Güttner" are the same. In Germany there are many similar family names, for instance, Büttner, Jüttner, Grüttner, and similar ones.

According to written data which I do not have on hand, it is said that a Swedish Colonel had come to Germany during the 30 Year War with Gustavus Adolphus and had settled in Saxony. One of the sons of this von Güttner had emigrated to Mecklenburg, and another son to Silesia. Supposedly, the sons had dropped the term of nobility.

If this information is correct, I cannot tell you to which line my family belongs. Of my direct line I can give you the following information:

Great-grandfather Carl Friedrich was born March 28th, 1800, in Lissa, district of Posen.
 Grandfather Carl Louis was born Dec. 3rd, 1834, in Danzig.
 Father Adolph Robert was born March 6th, 1875 in Danzig.
 I was born in Danzig also and raised there. In 1925 I moved to Hamburg. I have yet one brother who found a new home in Hamburg after the war. My family is Evangelistic.

From this information you cannot derive much useful data.

My deceased mother was engaged in the search of ancestors in the last years before the war, and had formed connections with the original line from Mecklenberg, mentioned above. From the documents left behind I was able to learn the following information:

Johann Andreas G^uttner, born 1689, died Feb. 21st, 1769, a sacristan in Carlow in Mecklenburg.
 Johann Andreas G^uttner had five daughters and one son. The following information is only about the son.

Martin Juergen (J^urgen) Christoph, born July 8, 1727. Died -?. Sacristan and tailor in Carlow.

His sons:

1. Hans Jacob Friedrich Wilhelm, born April 22nd, 1762. Died June 30th, 1831. Sacristan and teacher in Carlow.
2. Andreas Wilhelm Christoph, born Jan. 22nd, 1765. Died Aug. 31st, 1766.
3. Hartwig Christoffer, born Sept. 6th, 1769. Died -? Additional information is missing.
4. Joachim Martin, born Oct. 5th, 1771. Died Aug. 6th, 1814. Wheelmaker and member of church committee in Carlow.
5. Johann Andreas, born 1775. Died -? Shoemaker.
7. Johann Fredrich Bonaventura, born Dec. 5th, 1776. Died -?

In this case it is not necessary to name the other descendants. Perhaps it is strange that the dates of death of the father, Martin J^urgin Christoph and his two sons, Hartwig Christoffer (No. 3) and Johann Friedrich Bonaventura (No. 7) are missing, as well as any indications of the career of the two sons. I could not find the date of death of the son Johann Andreas (No. 5), but I found the date of his wedding to Thrin Marie Dierk from Stove, June 12th, 1813.

I will be glad if you are successful in your hard work and I will be willing to help you at any time, if you think I can be useful to you and if you will give me some time for it.

With best regards,

Hans G^uttner "

There is a G^uttner living in Sarasota, Florida, at present writing, born in Cleveland, Ohio, but whose father, living in Cleveland, Ohio, was born in Silesia. He is evidently a descendant of the one son of the Colonel G^uttner who settled in Silesia shortly after the ending of the 30 Year War. They could tell me nothing about the family.

The 30 Year War was principally a religious one, and the army of Gustavus Adolphus while largely composed of Swedes did contain many soldiers from the other lands sympathetic to his cause, so it cannot be determined with any degree of certainty if the Colonel von Guttner was of Swedish blood or whether he might have been of German nationality. The term "von" was used in both countries, and was confined to the use of nobility.

There has been speculation from time to time as to whether the Goodners, or G^uttners, had a crest, and some search has been made in Germany. To Mrs. David Tudor of Dallas, Texas, we are indebted for a statement made by the eminent authority, Dr. Ottofried Neubecker, Curator of the High State Office of the National Fine Arts Division, West Berlin, under date of May 28th, 1949, that "It is positively ascertained that there is no family by the name of G^uttner, G^udtner, Goodner, or anything similar, that had a crest."

If the Goodner, or G^uttner, family originally came from Sweden, or Switzerland, settled in Germany for some generations before coming to America, then there could be a possibility of a crest in those countries. Those who are interested in such matters might make a check of the crests in Switzerland and Sweden.

EUROPEAN ORIGIN

It is known of course that the first Goodner family, the descendants of whom are being traced in this genealogy, came from Germany, but we do not know from what part, although it is the prevailing tradition that they came from the Palatinate, which is a province in the kingdom of Bavaria, lying west of the Rhine river. It is bounded on the north by the Prussian Rhine province and the Hessian province of Rhein-Hessen; on the east by Baden, from which it

is separated by the Rhine river; on the south by Alsace-Lorraine, and on the west by the districts of Trier and Coblenz. It includes that rich area known as the Saar. This is the province from which came the so-called "Palatinates", the Germans who settled large areas in Pennsylvania and who settled in Orange and Rowan counties in North Carolina. It is the area from which came the Scherrers, their residence having been in the village of Ober-bets-bach in the Saar, which village lay close to the town of Ottweiler, and within a short distance of Zweibrucken.

Hugh C. Goodner, a great grandson of Conrad Goodner, is said to have been told by his father that the Goodners came from Homburg, near Frankfort-on-Main. This is the only known instance where any definite locale was given as the seat of the family in the old country, and while we have no assurance that it is correct, still we must give it consideration. There is no other evidence, written or verbal, shedding any light on this matter, nor is there any information on any members of the family who remained in Germany. Why this is so we do not know, -but we can all say with a great deal of finality that this omission is most frustrating.

There are two Homburgs within a relative short distance of Frankfort-on-Main, the nearest being about twelve miles away. This is the town formerly known as "Homburg-Vor-Der-Höhe", but which is more recently known as Bad Homburg, it being a great watering place. It is in the Prussian province of Hesse-Nassau, and lies at the foot of the Taunus Mountains. Industries around the turn of the century were iron works, leather and hats. In the neighborhood of Bad Homburg is the ancient Roman castle of Saalburg.

The second Homburg, located about twenty to twenty-five miles from Frankfort-on-Main, lies within that portion of the Palatinate known as the Saar, and is but a short distance, possibly five miles, from Ober-bets-bach, the home of the Scherrer family, into which Conrad Goodner later married. The towns of Ottweiler and Zweibrucken are close by. In the immediate neighborhood of this Homburg lie the ruins of the castles Karlsberg and Hohenburg, and these may be situated on the Rhine which at its nearest point is only about a mile and a half away. Mention is made of the castles in both places because of a statement Conrad Goodner is said to have made to his grandson, George Washington Goodner, who while a very young lad, was sitting in front of his grandfather on a stool, that "when he was a boy of his age, he was living in a castle on the Rhine."

In later years it was thought by Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit, daughter of George Washington Goodner, that Conrad may have said "Main", that name in German being pronounced much the same as "Rhine", and thus sounding alike to the ears of a small boy. However, it would seem logical to believe that the second Homburg mentioned above was the home of the Goodners, since it ties in more closely to the statement of Conrad, and since the Palatinate in which it is located furnished the great mass of Germans who settled in Pennsylvania, and in Orange & Rowan counties, North Carolina, some of whom were neighbors and friends to the Goodners in the latter place. It is most unfortunate that the Ship's List, which included the emigrant Goodners, is not in existence.

Of what class of society were the Goodners? Were they of the lesser nobility, as tradition among some branches of the family indicate, were they of peasant stock, or were they of the so-called "middle class", composed of merchants, tradesmen, land owners, and the professions? No one knows. The first two generations of the family in America were farmers, which was the one avenue of livelihood open to all. In the third generation, at least in the case of some of the sons of Conrad, the tanning of leather was the source of livelihood in addition to farming. One wonders where they served their apprenticeship and learned that trade. Some of the sons of Conrad also became preachers in the Methodist Church, showing a religious inclination.

A tradition in one branch of the family is to the effect that the Goodners were connected with the royal house of Hohenzollern, the family to which Kaiser Wilhelm belonged. It is hard to imagine where and how such a tradition originated. The tradition that the original Goodner - "Von Guttener" as he would have been known - was a Baron is quite general, but there appears no evidence to substantiate it, - there is not even a crest for the family.

Since all sources of information in this country have been exhausted, it is evident that if we are to secure answers to the above questions that research will have to be made in Germany, with church records in the two Homburgs the most likely ones to produce results, - providing such records are still intact.

THE IMMIGRANT FAMILY

Unfortunately we do not know definitely the head of the immigrant family and of whom the family consisted, except for Conrad, his sister, Catherine, and the husband of Mary, whom it is believed was Peter. Conrad was born in Germany on Nov. 29th, 1756, and according to his own statement he was still living in Germany at the age of about six, which then would have been November 1762. Since the Revolutionary War started in 1776, which terminated all immigration until it ended on Nov. 30th, 1782, since all ports were blockaded by the British, and since the Goodners were living in North Carolina during the Revolutionary War period, then it is evident that their time of arrival in this country was between the years 1763 and 1776, an interval of 13 years. If the eldest son and child of Mary Goodner was born in North Carolina in 1775, as evidence indicates - Walter was born in that year - it would mean that the family was residing there by then. Conrad states that his mother was living when he was twelve years

of age, which would have been 1768, but he did not state where she was living.

Having established the approximate time of arrival of the family in America, the next question is whom did the family consist of, no record of which exists. But from records found in Orange and Guilford Counties in North Carolina, and from information gathered from family papers, it has been possible to create the structure of the family which appears logical, and it is to be hoped correct.

We find among the records in Guilford County and in Orange County, North Carolina, two John Goodners, a Peter Goodner, Mary Goodner, two Walters, Jacob, Henry and Conrad.

One of the John Goodners was deceased by 1784. We have but one reference to him, but this one reference sheds a great deal of light on the possible family structure and thus aids tremendously in creating a hypothetical chart of the immigrant family. In the Minute Books for the August 1784 Term, Page 12, in Guilford County, there appears the following:-

"Ordered that a bill of sale given by John Goodner, dec'd, to Daniel Gillespie remain in the hands of the clerk, as it is suggested the same was extorted in an unlawful manner."

The use of the expression "extorted in an unlawful manner" suggests that John Goodner may have been quite elderly and senile and not in full possession of his faculties, - that his lack of reasoning was imposed upon by Daniel Gillespie. Possibly due to the complaint of his children, the above mentioned action was taken; it appears that the action of the Court was permanent, since further search of the Minute Books reveal no other reference to it. No earlier references to the family exist. The Court records prior to the Battle of Guilford Court House in 1781 were destroyed, which is to be regretted since they may have revealed valuable data on the family.

The implication of old age and senility, and the fact that he was deceased by 1784, lends great support to the supposition that this John Goodner was the head of the immigrant family, and the father of John, Jr., Peter, Conrad and Catherine. In order to distinguish between the two Johns we will call him "senior".

The John Goodner whose name appears on the 1779 Tax List of Orange County, North Carolina, may have been John, Senior, and most likely was. These tax lists are on file in the Hall of Records of the State of North Carolina in Raleigh. They are very incomplete, both in the annual returns and in the record of the individual property owners. The history of the county reveals that as early as 1768, and perhaps earlier, many of the inhabitants refused to make tax returns, and absented themselves from home when the tax assessor made his rounds. There was strong objections to paying taxes because of the feeling that they were unjustly high and that some of the County officers were collecting them unlawfully. In 1771 Edmund Fanning was Register of Deeds and he was widely hated. Out of all this grew the "Regulator" movement, which culminated in a pitched battle between the Regulators and the troops of Gov. Tryon on May 16, 1771, along the Great Alamance Creek, in which the Regulators were defeated. Some of them were tried and hanged. We do not know if any of the Goodners were involved in this movement or not, or even if they were in sympathy with them. One of the leaders in this battle and who was afterwards hanged was Peter Goertner. His family is not to be confused with the Goodners.

There are two deeds on file in Guilford County, copies of which will be produced later, which show a "second" John Goodner, with wife Annie, and whose "son and heir" was Walter Goodner. Both John and Annie were deceased by 1796, the year in which Walter sold what apparently was the home place to a Peter Tickle, whose son, John, was witness to the deed. John and Annie were still living in 1787 when they sold a 400 acre tract of land to Andrew Smith, two of whose daughters by the way marrying sons of Jacob Daniel Scherrer, thus becoming sisters-in-law to the wife of Conrad Goodner, whose wife was Elizabeth Scherrer. This John, whom we shall term "junior", died then sometime between the years 1787 and 1796, and since his name does not appear in the 1790 census it would appear that he was deceased prior to the time the census was taken. It is felt he was the eldest son of John, Sr., it being the usual custom of the times to name the first born son, John.

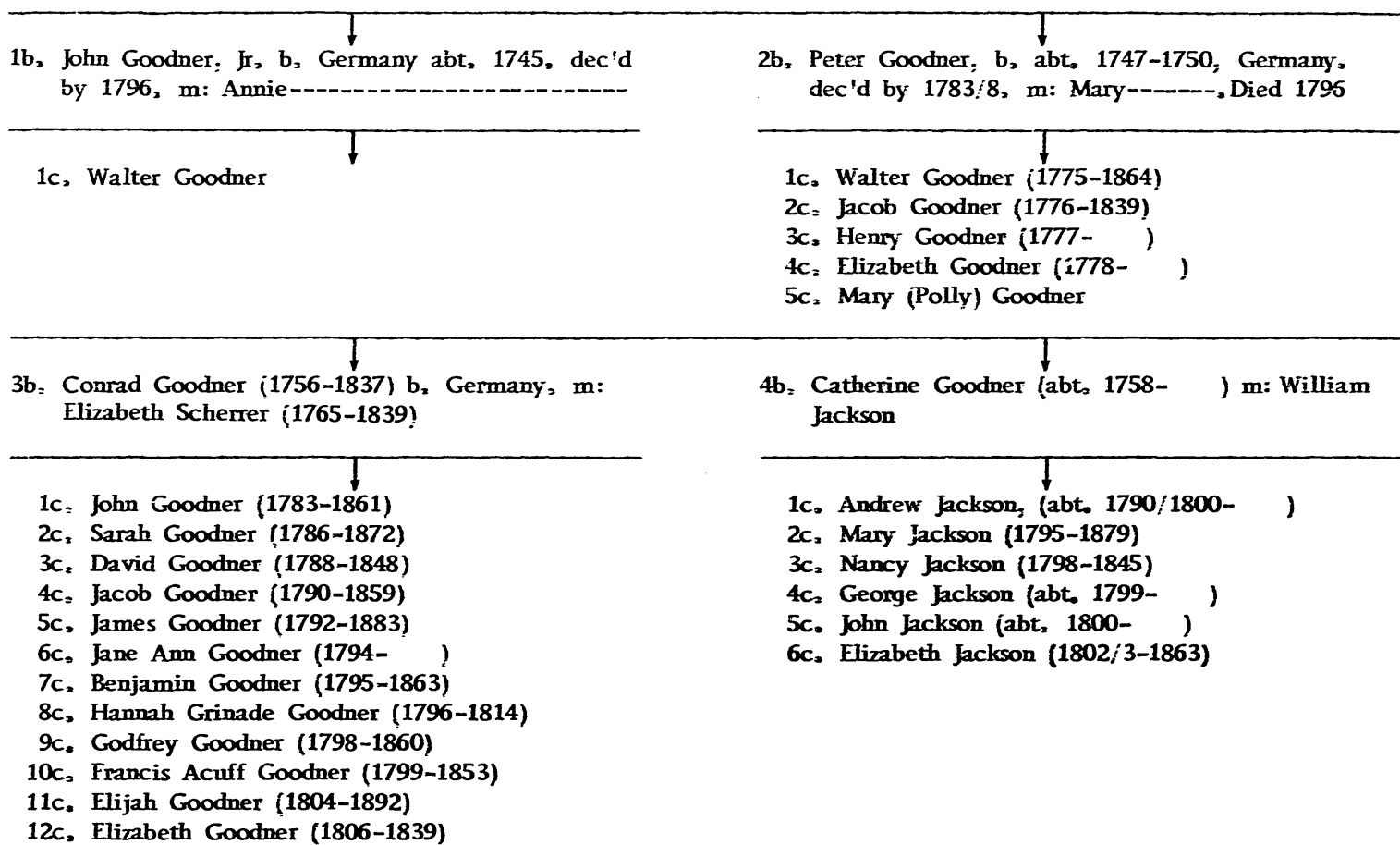
Peter Goodner, whose name appears on the scene but once and that in the Revolutionary War records of North Carolina and who was deceased by 1788, and perhaps as early as 1783 or 1784, was apparently the husband of Mary Goodner, whose name appears as head of a household in the 1790 census. Since it is known that the children of Mary were first cousins to those of Conrad, it then follows that the husband of Mary, whom we assume to have been Peter, were brothers. Judging from the fact that the sons of Peter and Mary were born quite early, - Walter being born in 1775 - it is evident that Peter was some years older than Conrad. It is felt therefore that he was the second son of John, Senior.

Conrad Goodner, born Nov. 29th, 1756, apparently came next in line, with Catherine, the only known daughter, coming next.

Based on the above suppositions - and it is well to remember that they are strictly suppositions, since no proof

exists - the following hypothetical chart has been developed of what the family structure appears to have been.

1a. John Goodner, Sr. (Johann Guttener), b. Germany abt. 1720, d. Guilford Co., N.C. abt. 1783/4. - Wife, (Living at least as late as 1768) From Germany to America 1762-1774, and to North Carolina by 1774.



Each of the above branches will be taken up under their separate headings, but before proceeding to that, it will be of interest to the reader to know something of the causes of the great German emigration from Germany to America, to have some knowledge of the terrible hardships and suffering incidental to their journey, and of the conditions as they found them on their arrival in America.

As far as Germany was concerned, the causes of the emigration were several, some of which applied to the Palatinate in greater degree than to other sections in the country. Probably the most compelling of all was economic. The great majority of those who left the Palatinate were farmers. Most of the farms were small, taxes extremely high, and enforced labor was demanded by the reigning princes, as much as two days a week, for such purposes as aiding in the chase or in the hunt. Thus it was most difficult to make a living, and in fact many were reduced to the point of almost serfdom. In this connection, please read the letter of George Theobald Scherrer in Ober-betsbach, Germany, written in the year 1764, to his brother, Jacob Daniel Scherrer, in America, shown in the Appendix under the heading of the Scherrer family.

Another cause of primary importance was distaste of military duty, which apparently was the lot of all in their youth, later being subject to call at any time as long as they were able bodied. The Palatinate, being in the natural pathway between France and Germany, was for a thousand years the scene of strife, pillage, and devastation, the latest period of devastation prior to the great emigration to America, was in 1680-1690 by the French King, Louis, who claimed the territory. In 1697 for a sum of money he abandoned his claim, and for a period of years the Palatinate was to see peace, and there was peace except for religious trouble.

The great majority of the inhabitants of the Palatinate were Protestants, but the governing family in 1685 were Roman Catholics. The ruler, Philip William, gave equal rights to all, but under his son and successor, John William, the Protestants were oppressed and deprived of many of their civil rights. It was only by the intervention of Prussia and Brunswick later that they received redress. In 1742 the ruling prince was Charles Theodore, Count palatine of Sulzbach, a cadet of the house of Zweibrücken-Newburg. He was considered a man of culture and educated tastes, and under his reign the country again became prosperous. But the seed of discontent had been sown, and the harvest was the great desire for the religious freedom that the new world offered.

So the causes of the emigration from Germany to America can be summed up in one large package, -the great hunger to improve one's lot in the world economically, physically, mentally and in freedom to worship God without

hindrance.

Interest in the new world became so intense and the emigration so heavy that the ruling princes became alarmed and instituted measures to reduce it as much as possible, in many cases threatening to confiscate the property of all who left, leaving them destitute. Land in the new country could almost be had for the asking, and for land starved people that appeal was tremendous.

Earlier, in the latter part of the 17th century and the early part of the 18th century, Penn's agents were active in Germany, telling the people of the cheap lands across the sea. They were told that 500 Pounds would buy 5000 acres in "Penn's Sylvania" subject to only an annual quit rent of one shilling per acre, and that smaller tracts of 200 acres were available, and that land could be rented also.

The first Germans to go to America was a group led by Francis Daniel Pastorius in 1683. They landed in Philadelphia that year. Later came German Quakers, Mennonites, German Baptist Brethern, called Dunkers, and other sects as New Mooners, Members of the Society of the Women of the Wilderness, the Mountain Men, River Brethern, etc. In the early 18th century there arrived members of the German Reformed Church, Lutherans, often called "Church People", these it is said to have been mostly of peasant stock. Some who did not have passage came over as "Redemptioners", and indentured servants. The Moravians under Count Zinzendorf arrived in 1740.

Practically all of these Germans arrived at the port of Philadelphia, which by the way was the only port of entry where the immigrants were required to take the Oath of Allegiance, after first submitting to a medical examination. From the years 1727 to 1775 inclusive, there arrived in Philadelphia a total of 324 ships bringing immigrants. Of these the Captain's lists of only 138 are in existence, leaving the lists of 186 ships missing. The most complete record of the 138 ships is in Diffenberger's "German Immigration", in List C. In many cases this list shows the signature of the immigrant.

After taking the Oath of Allegiance or Oath of Abjuration, the immigrants moved on to the so-called German counties in Pennsylvania, - Lancaster, Berks, York, and Adams. Some probably stayed in Philadelphia briefly, some stayed in Chester Co., and probably some moved to the State of Delaware. Those who moved to Pennsylvania after 1750 found all the better land taken, some of which could be bought at a high price. These people were not one to try and eke out an existence on hilly lands, - they wanted good bottom land with its rich soil. That being already taken and not having the money to purchase what to them was high priced land, with the Allegheny Mountains preventing travel westward, that being excluded anyway by the constant danger of Indian warfare, they looked south for their future home and there went many thousands of German families, through Virginia, where some remained, and on to northern North Carolina, many settling in the counties of Orange and Rowan, which at that time included a considerably greater territory than at present. Travel was by wagons and oxen.

It is thought that the Goodners were among these Germans, or Pennsylvania Dutch, but we are not sure. There were other ports of entry besides Philadelphia, and many Germans landed in New York, possibly Boston, also Baltimore, Charleston and Savannah. There are some in the family who feel that the Goodners landed at Charleston. At any rate we find them in Orange County, North Carolina, prior to the Revolutionary War, among those of German birth who did migrate there from Pennsylvania.

As an additional matter of interest and information, the reader might like to know something of the terrible hardships, suffering, disease, and death that accompanied the voyage to America from the home place in Germany. A good description of this is contained in Gottlieb Mittleberger's "Journey to Pennsylvania in the Year 1750", translated from the German by Carl Theo. Eben. (Philadelphia, John James McVey, 1888). The following excerpts and quotations are from Vol. 1.

"The journey to Pennsylvania fell naturally into three parts. The first part, and by no means the easiest, was the journey down the Rhine to Rotterdam, or to some other port. This journey lasts from the beginning of May to the end of October, fully half a year, amid such hardships as no one is able to describe adequately with their misery. (Note: The time required - six months - covers the complete journey to America. Author.) The cause is because the Rhine boats from Heilbronn to Holland have to pass by 26 custom houses, at all of which the ships are examined, which is done when it suits the convenience of the custom-house officials. In the meantime the ships with their people are detained long, so that the passengers have to spend much money. The trip down the Rhine lasts therefore, four, five or even six weeks. Because things are very dear there, the poor people have to spend nearly all they have during that time.

The second stage of the journey was from Rotterdam to one of the English ports. Most of the ships called at Cowes on the Isle of Wight. In England, there was a delay of one or two weeks, when the ships were waiting either to be passed or for favorable winds. When the ships for the last time had weighed their anchors at Cowes or some other port in England, then writes Mittleberger, the real misery begins with the long voyage. For from there the ships, unless they have good winds, must often sail eight, nine, ten to twelve weeks before they

reach Philadelphia. But even with the best winds the voyage lasts seven weeks.

The third stage of the journey, or the ocean voyage proper, was marked by much suffering and hardships. The passengers, being packed densely like herrings, as Mittleberger describes it, without proper food or water, were soon subject to all sorts of disease, such as dysentery, scurvy, typhoid, and small pox. Children were the first to be attacked and died in great numbers. Mittleberger reports the deaths of 32 children on his ship; of the heartless cruelty practiced he gives the following example: 'One day, just as we had a heavy gale, a woman in our ship, who was to give birth and could not under the circumstances of the storm, was pushed through the porthole and dropped into the sea, because she was far in the rear of the ship and could not be brought forward.'

Rupp, in his "History of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania", page 273 states:

"About this year (1738), many immigrants from the Palatinate settled in Brecknock Township. In the Pennsylvania Gazette of Oct. 26, 1738, this item appeared: 'Last Saturday arrived here the ship Davy from Holland with Palatinates. The Captain with both mates and 160 passengers died on the passage, and the Carpenter brought in the vessel. Most of the ships which bring Dutch passengers this year have been visited with a sickness that has carried away a great number of Swiss'. Turning to Vo. 17, 2nd Series of the Pennsylvania Archives, page 169 we find that this ship, Davy, was not Dutch but German, and that it came from Amsterdam. The number of passengers was given as 94, indicating that two-thirds of the passengers died en route.

It is difficult, if not impossible, for us of this age to comprehend and appreciate the suffering and misery these people endured in making the voyage to America. Great indeed must have been their desire, and determination, to go to this new land to surmount the fears of illness and doubtful chances of survival of which they must have been fully aware. Their hearts must have been stout, their will great, and their belief in God supreme. Such were our forebears.

In the publication "The Colonial and State Records of North Carolina", a copy of which was found in the Court House in Hillsboro, North Carolina, appeared the following, which was copied by Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit, and to whom I am greatly indebted for it:-

"In the civil and political history of North Carolina, the Germans have not been prominent in the past, and are only now, 1769-1771, looking up in this respect, as the entire German population have outgrown the use of the German tongue, - in their pulpits no longer is it heard, nor have they German schools. With their use of the English language they are taking a more important part in the affairs of the State. Nothing better shows the character and patriotism of the Germans of the Reformed Church than their conduct when the rally to arms was made by the Continental Congress. In all the colonies a full proportion of this people swelled the ranks of the patriot army. This spirit of liberty was characteristic with the Germans, who in Switzerland, the Palatinate or in France, had suffered for conscience sake, wherever they settled in the new world. The instinct of freedom was an inheritance with them.....a people that had forsaken all and fled to the wilderness, with the hope to enjoy freedom to worship God, could not be made the creatures of tyrannical government such as that of George III of England. At this day the descendants of these men are asserting themselves in all wakes of life in their native state; thousands of this race are today scattered South and West over this great country, and whenever they go their honesty, industry, and law abiding character tell on the character of the community. It has been mentioned that the Reformed (German) churches in North Carolina are, owing to their number, weakness and the paucity of ministers, divided into several post-charges, and of these we propose to gather what we can of their ventures and history.

GUILFORD CHARGE

The immigrants to this region - now making parts of Alamance, Guilford and Randolph Counties - came in wagons by the emigrant route of those days from Philadelphia, through Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Virginia, bringing their household furniture and farming tools - accompanied by young men coming to seek their fortunes in this new country. These came mostly from the counties of Berks, Lancaster, and Schuylkill and a few from Maryland from 1745 to 1760 perhaps. This was then Orange and Rowan, and these German settlements were made on the waters of the Haw River and its tributaries, Alamance, Reedy Fork, Beaver Creek, Stinking Quarter, Sandy Creek, etc. These were the Albrights, Clapps, Fauts, Holts, Sharps (Scherbs), Laws, Graves (Greff), Summers, Cobbs (Kaubs), Cobles, Swings (Schwenks), Cortners (Goertners), Ingolds, Browers, Keims, Staleys, Mays, Amicks (Emigs), Smiths, Stacks, Neases, Ingles, Leinbergers, Straders, Wyricks, Anthonys, Schaeffers (Shepherds), Weitzells, Trollingers, Longs, Isleys, Shaffners, Fogelmans, Sthars, Brauns, Reitzells, with others.

Their first place of worship was in a log cabin near where Laws Church now stands, on the old road from Hillsborough to Salisbury, now in southwest corner of Guilford county. It was a Union Reformed and Lutheran Church.

This union was brought to an end by the divergent sentiments growing out of the sentiments and feelings that culminated in the Regulation movement and the rebellion of the Colonies. Rev. Sam'l Suther, who had recently come from the County of Mecklenberg, an advanced patriot, was the Reformed pastor, and under his inspired guidance the Albrights, Goertners, Clapps, Fausts, Scheaffers, Ingolds, Schwencks and Leinbergers, who were of the Reformed stock, at once moved to a school house near where the Brick Church now stands, and there, undisturbed by factional differences, erected an altar where to serve God. Suther was pastor until the close of the war, and was the animating spirit of the community. Soon this small log house gave way to a larger and more comfortable place to worship, whose corner stones a few years since could still be seen. In these years Clapp and Christian Faust were Elders, and Ingold and Leinberger deacons, and even in these dark years the Church grew and was prosperous.

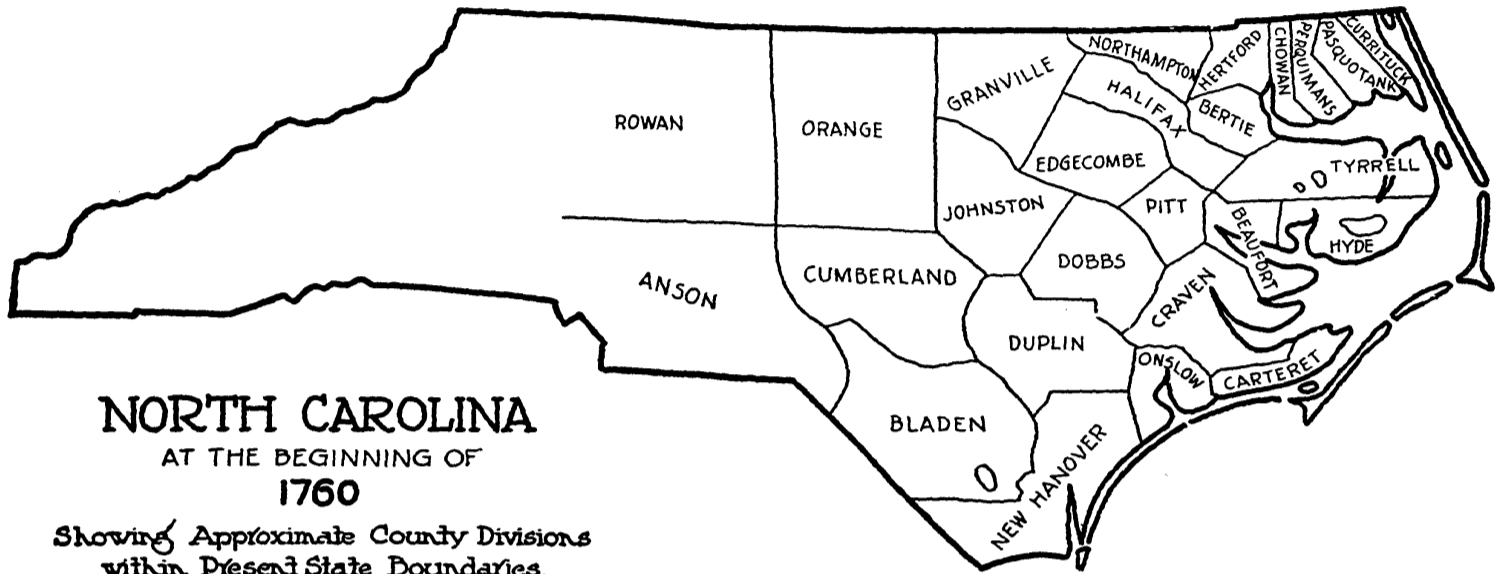
In 1828 the pulpit service was heard in the English language for the first time. For the welfare of the church this was none too soon. In 1841, Rev. G. Wm. Walker took charge. It is a large congregation, mostly composed of the descendants of those early emigrants from Pennsylvania. In the grave yard hard by the church rest in unmarked graves Tobias Clapp and Peter Goertner, who were in the Regulation battle; and there also sleeps Capt. Wm. Albright, Barney Clapp, and Matthew Schwenck and others, who were soldiers in the War of Revolution, and the passerby who stops to read may find other humble graves of noble men, and that of George Goertner (Cortner), who was the civil leader of the community of Germans."

The church which the Scherrers (Scherer, Shearer) attended, and which the Goodners must have also, was the Frieden Church, located some two miles north of the present village of Gibsonville, in the eastern part of present Guilford County. It is now a Lutheran Church and has been for many years, but in its early days it was also used by the German Reformed people. This church was organized in 1745, although there were some German settlements in the neighborhood as early as 1740. The early records of the church were lost. In 1771 it was re-organized and a second church building was erected. To this church went Jacob Daniel Scherrer and his family, and Jacob Daniel lies buried in the churchyard, with a marker put on his grave by his grandson, Rev. Simeon Scherer.

This part of the county is a beautiful rolling countryside. In this area lived the Wyricks (Wiricks), Tickle, Summers, Tades, Smiths, Goodners and others. It is pleasing to think, and logical to suppose, that in this church Conrad Goodner and Elizabeth Scherer met and were married in the year 1782. Here also marriages of the other Goodners may have been consummated. The old log building has long since disappeared, and a new modern church now stands across the road from the churchyard, the whole kept in a very good condition.

Frieden means peace in English, and in naming their church Frieden Church, or Friedens Church, we have a good idea of what was in the minds of those early Germans. It was sometimes called "Shoemaker's Church", and it received that name by the following incident. A man by the name of Shoemaker was living within a few hundred yards of the church during the American Revolution. "He was a tory. He passed over the battle ground at Guilford Court House just after the battle, when General Greene had fallen back, and finding the British in possession, was going home. As he passed along a wounded soldier asked him for a drink of water but he refused to give it. A squad of soldiers followed him, took him from his house, made him stand on the door step at the north door, and there shot him to death".

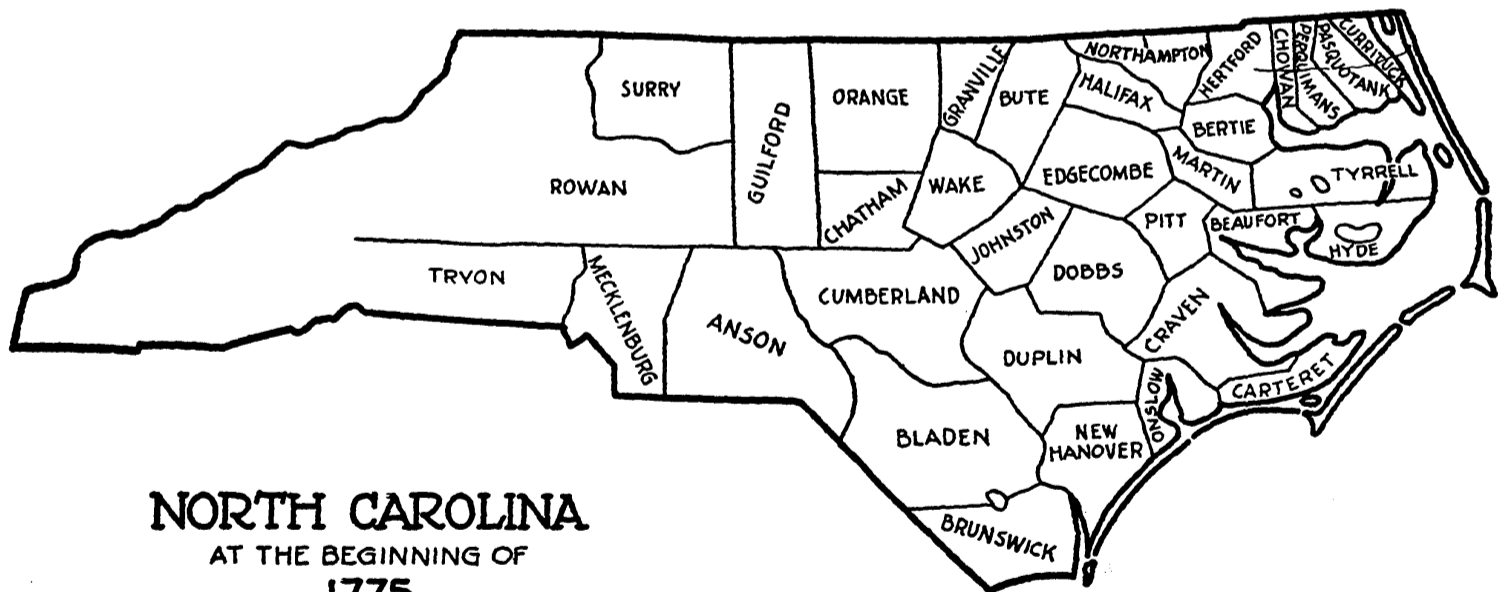
The earliest settlers around Greensboro, North Carolina, were English and Welsh Quakers, German Calvinists & Lutherans, and Ulster Scot Presbyterians. They were small freeholders. The city of Greensboro occupies part of the original grant of 1749 from John Carteret, Earl of Granville, to the Nottinham Company for settlement of a colony of Ulster Scot Presbyterians on the waters of North Buffalo and Reedy Creek. To the east on Stinking Quarter Creek, a German colony settled at the same time. Guilford County was also known as Unity Parish, and was formed in 1770 but the act did not become effective until April 1st, 1771.



NORTH CAROLINA
AT THE BEGINNING OF
1760

Showing Approximate County Divisions
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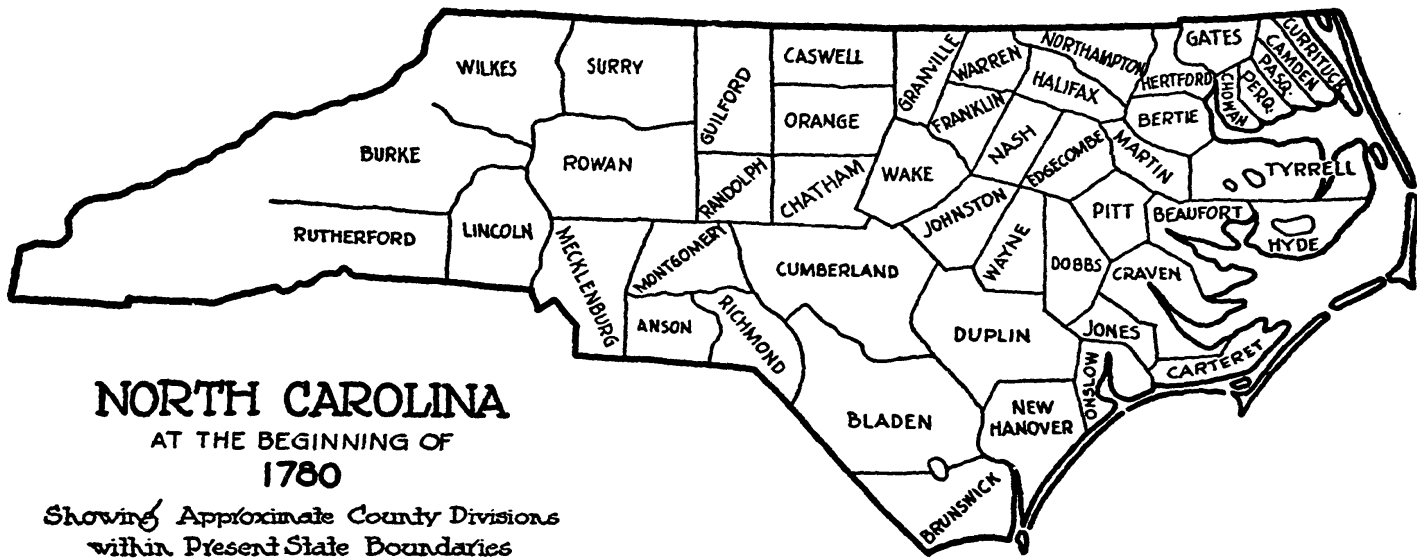
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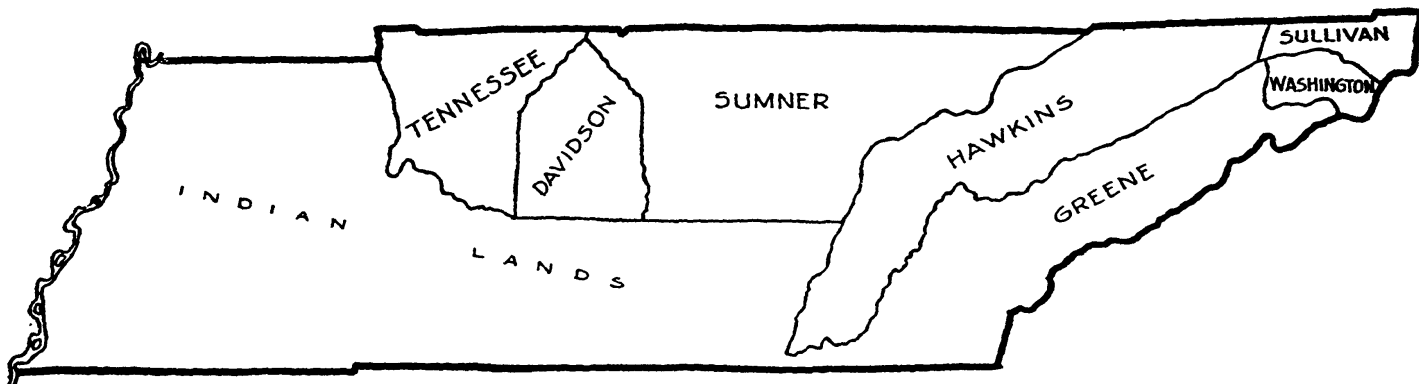
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NORTH CAROLINA
AT THE BEGINNING OF
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TENNESSEE
AT THE BEGINNING OF
1790

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1a. John Goodner, or Johannes Guttener, as the name would have been spelled in German based on the best information available, was apparently the head of the immigrant family. I wish to emphasize the word "apparent" for no proof exists of this Goodner's exact relationship. Our deduction as to his apparent position as head of the family is entirely circumstantial.

It was not known that such a man existed until a reference to him was found in the Guilford Co., North Carolina, Minute Book for the August Term, 1784, page 112. This reference was most revealing and enlightening, since it proved that there had been two John Goodners living in Guilford County. The reference is as follows:-

"Ordered that a bill of sale given by John Goodner, dec'd, to Daniel Gillispie remain in the hands of the clerk, as it is suggested the same was extorted in an unlawful manner."

From this we learn that he was deceased in 1784, that at the time of sale he was apparently elderly and senile, since it was the view of the Court that he was unable to rightly handle the sale in question, not being in full possession of his faculties. In setting aside the sale one can surmise that the action of the Court was instigated by the complaint of a child or his children. The action of the Court was evidently permanent, as no further reference to it could be found in subsequent Court records.

He was born in Germany about the year 1720, probably in the Palatinate, and perhaps as previously mentioned in the town of Homburg in the Saar, which town is situated within a mile and a half of the Rhine. The seat of the Goodner family was discussed under the subject of "The Immigrant Family", to which the reader is referred. John, or Johannes, was married in Germany, and all of his children were born in Germany, these being, John, Jr., Peter, Conrad, and Catherine.

There may have been other children, particularly daughters. The absence of complete marriage records in Orange and Guilford counties in North Carolina preclude any possibility of ever finding out from such sources. Neither do we know whether John left any parents, or brothers and sisters, in Germany or not. It would be logical to assume that he did, and there is also the possibility that a brother may have preceded him to America. There was a Michael Goodner who arrived in America in 1752. (Rupps' "Thirty Thousand Immigrants", page 289) No descendant of this Michael had ever been found to our knowledge. His name does not appear in the census returns of any of the original states for the year 1790, and no other reference to him has been unearthed. He may have been deceased by 1790, leaving only daughters to survive him, or sons, if he had any, may have been living in areas not subject to census in 1790. There is a tradition in the family that originally two Goodner brothers came to this country. These two may have been Michael and John, but if so, Michael came over several years before John.

Since John was deceased by 1784, since indications are that he was elderly and senile, and since in that day people of 60 years of age were old, if we should estimate his age at death as 60, then his year of birth would have been around 1720, and his age at the time of coming to America between 38 and 54 years, the more logical conclusion tending toward the lower figure.

In the 1779 Tax List of Orange County, North Carolina, a John Goodner is shown as having taxable property in the value of \$1,001.00 While there were two "Johns", this record is undoubtedly that of Senior, as the younger John would hardly have been able to accumulate such an amount of taxables by that year, his estimated age then being 29 to 34 years. No record could be found showing a grant of land to John, nor was there any record of a purchase. The list of land grants by Lord Granville is not at all complete, so we cannot say for a certainty that John did not receive one.

Walter Goodner, son of John, Jr., sold a farm in Orange Co., North Carolina, March 28, 1796 located on Travis Creek and consisting of 292 acres, to one Peter Tickle. In the deed it states that the tract of land is the same as John Goodner received from the State. This would indicate that it was a grant from the State of North Carolina, and as the State did not achieve statehood until 1776, then the grant would have had to have been after that date. A record of this grant fails to appear among the usual records covering State grants. This grant could have been to either Senior or Junior.

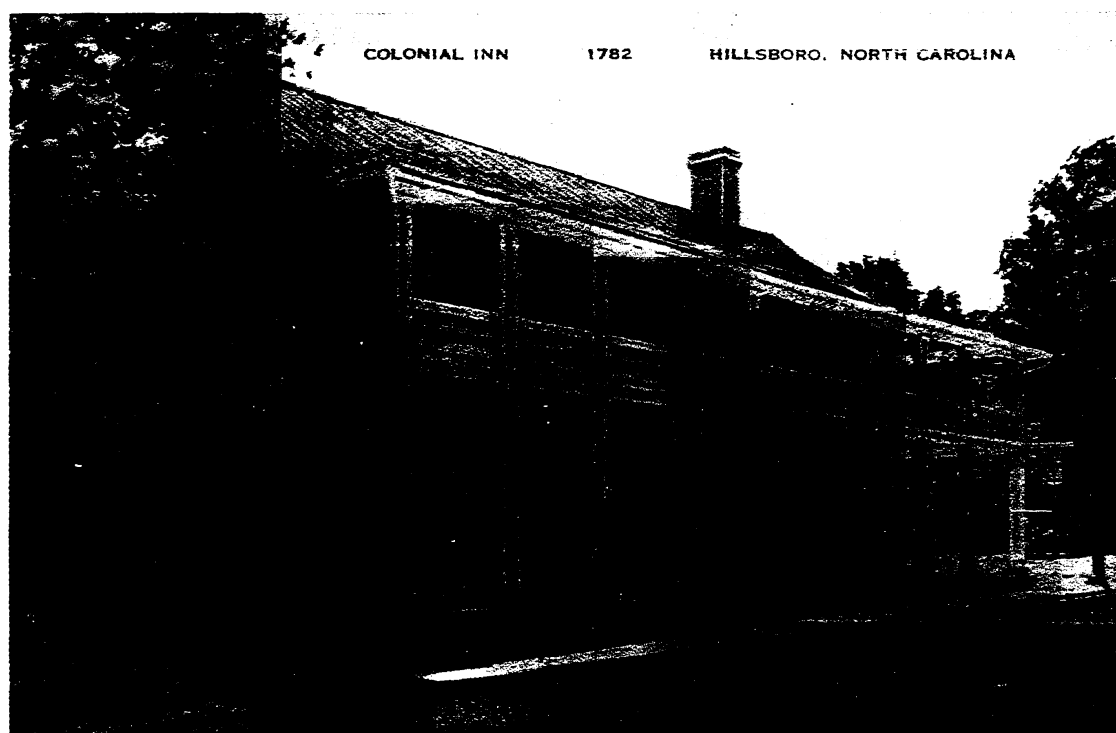
We know that Conrad was living in Orange County in 1778, the year in which he was drafted or enlisted in the Continental Army, so it is logical to assume, being single, that he was living with his parents. As John Goodner is the only one shown on the Tax List, and thus being the head of a household of some substance, it would be logical to suppose also that John was the parent.

At the time of his death, shortly before August of 1784, John, Senior, was living in Guilford County, probably either with son, John, or son, Peter, both living in Reedy Fork community. Conrad must also have been living there for he in 1782 married into the family of the Scherrers, residents of that community, their farm being a couple of miles north and east of the Friedens Church, where probably all attended. The Scherrers did for a certainty. It is

pleasing to think, and logical to suppose, that Conrad Goodner and Elizabeth Scherer were married in the old church.

We do not know where John, Senior, is buried, except that it was in Guilford County. The most logical place because of his residence would have been the burial ground at the Friedens Church.

Of the supposed children of this John, namely, John, Jr., Peter, Conrad, and Catherine, each will be handled in this genealogy under separate headings.



Colonial Inn, Hillsboro, North Carolina. Formerly called "Corbin Inn". Built 1782.

1b. John Goodner, Jr., whom it is believed was the eldest son of John Goodner, immigrant, and head of the family in America, was without doubt born in Germany. His birth date is unknown, but an estimation has been made that it was between the years 1745 and 1750. Extremely little is known about him, and his relationship with Conrad and Catherine cannot be proved. However, there seems to be little question that he was an elder brother, and he is so shown in the hypothetical family chart. What evidence there is lends considerable weight to that supposition.

Certain old deeds on file in Guilford County, North Carolina, reveal that the name of his wife was Annie, that neither of them could sign their own names, - therefore they were unlettered. An "X" was used for their signatures. We also know from these deeds that both were deceased by 1796, - that their deaths occurred between 1787 and that year, and that in 1796, they had but one heir, a son, whose name was Walter. In disposing of what may have been the old home place of John and Annie in 1796, a copy of the deed being here reproduced, he stated that he was "the son and heir of John Goodner, deceased". This deed also stated that John had been just prior to his death a resident of Guilford County, and that the property sold was located in Orange County on the waters of Travis Creek. At that time Guilford and Orange counties were contiguous, as Alamance County was not formed until 1849. This tract of land had been obtained from the State of North Carolina and it consisted of 292 acres. Since it had been obtained from the State, and since North Carolina did not achieve statehood until 1776, it shows that the grant was obtained after that date. The record of the grant appears to be missing from the State Archives, which is unfortunate, since it might have given us official proof of residence in Orange prior to 1779, the year in which the name of John Goodner appears as a taxable.

There is uncertainty as to whether this grant was made to John, Senior, or to John, Junior, as it could have been made to either. Under the laws of North Carolina then, as well as now, land falls directly to the heirs; it does not move through Probate Court unless there are insufficient assets in the personal estate to cover what debts there may be. Thus the land could have fallen to the heirs of John, Sr., who could have assigned their interest to John, Jr., in consideration of him taking care of his parents to their maturity, or even for a cash consideration. This is being mentioned as a possibility.

This farm may have been the one on which Conrad was living at the time he sold oats and fodder to the Continental Army and at the time he was drafted into the North Carolina Line in 1788, since he had no farm of his own, - unless he rented one.

In addition to this grant, John Goodner obtained two others from the State, both in November of 1784, and we can be quite sure that these grants were made to John, Junior, since the "Senior" was deceased by then. One of these grants was for a tract of land situated on the waters of Reedy Creek in Guilford County, and consisting of 400 acres. This he sold to Andrew Smith on May 7th, 1787, both parties being residents of Guilford County. The location of this farm was in the same neighborhood in which Mary Goodner lived. It is interesting to note also that two daughters of this Andrew Smith married sons of Jacob Daniel Scherrer, and thus became sister-in-law to Conrad Goodner's wife, the former Elizabeth Scherrer.

The other land grant was in Surry County, North Carolina, for 450 acres, situated on the Middle Fork of Blews Creek, dated Nov. 3rd, 1784. A search of later records in the Surry County Court Records revealed nothing further on this tract of land; no record of sale was found. It is not therefore known whether John defaulted on the contract of purchase and lost it, or whether it fell by law to heirs on the death of John, which in this event would have been to his son, Walter.

Walter's name does not show as head of a household in either Guilford or Orange County for the years 1790, 1810, and later, but apparently does show in the Guilford Co. census returns for the year 1810. The name of his father fails to appear likewise in the 1790 census, and he may have been deceased by then, or perhaps living in the household of another person. A discussion of Walter's situation will be gone into later.

Since John Goodner and his wife, Annie, both died in Guilford County, it is evident that both were interred there. The site of their burial is not known. It may have been the graveyard at Friedens Church, since that was one of the earliest burial sites in the county, and since the possibility is good that this was the church they attended. There are now many unmarked graves in this cemetery, the old stones having long since weathered away. Possibly there were many that were never marked.

1c. Walter Goodner.

Walter Goodner, only son and heir of John and Annie Goodner, was born about the years 1765 to 1775, most likely between 1770 and 1775. The place of birth is thought to have been in America, in either Pennsylvania or in Orange County, North Carolina, based upon the best judgement exercised on the few facts known. The early period of boyhood was probably spent on his fathers' farm in Orange County. In 1796, we find him living in Guilford Co., the sole heir of his father, at which time he sold to Peter Tickle of Orange County a tract of land inherited from his father.

His name does not appear in the 1790 census, but does show in the 1800 census, indicating marriage shortly after 1790. The micro-film record of the 1800 census returns for Guilford, located in the North Carolina State Library in Raleigh, shows a Walter Goodner and wife in the 26-45 age bracket, with one male and three females, all under age 10, and with 8 slaves of all ages. Shown in the 1800 Guilford census, in the micro-film record in Washington, is the name of another Walter and wife, both in the 16-26 age bracket, with one male under 10. This would be the son of Mary and "Peter". For some reason unexplainable, the name of the first Walter above fails to appear in the Washington film, according to the researcher. This son of John and Annie apparently moved away after 1800, for his name fails to appear in the 1810 census of Guilford County.

We find in certain census returns of Vermilion Co., Illinois, where Walter, the son of Mary and Peter, finally settled permanently, two Goodners who were not the sons of that Walter, or his brother, Jacob, and who must therefore have had to be sons of Walter, son of John and Annie. There is no other known parent to whom they can be attributed. These two Goodners were a Henry and a Walter.

In the 1850 census a Henry Goodner is shown, age 60 years, and born in North Carolina. The name of his wife was Nancy, age 50 years, birth place, Pennsylvania. No others are shown in his household. At his age of 60, any children would have been old enough to marry and have their own households, and in the census returns of Vermilion County, we do find Goodners of a generation later than Henry who could have been his sons.

In the 1840 census of Vermilion County, we find a "second" Walter Goodner, born between 1790 and 1800. His household is given as follows:-

<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
1 5-10 years of age	2 under 5 years of age
1 15-20 years of age	1 5-10 years of age
1 20-30 years of age	3 15-20 years of age
1 40-50 years of age	1 30-40 years of age

This Walters' name fails to appear in the 1850 census, and neither was it shown in the 1830 census of Vermilion, indicating that he arrived in that county after the census was taken in 1830 and either moved away, or died before the 1850 census was taken. Since no widow Goodner is shown in the 1850 census, the deduction that they moved from the county seems to be more logical. We do not know where. As in the case of Henry, there are Goodners shown in the generation later who were not sons of the other Walter, or his brother, Jacob, and who may therefore have been sons of this Walter. The census returns showing these "unknown" Goodners will appear later in the book under the Appendix.

Henry Goodners' name first appears in the Vermilion County, Illinois, census in 1850, and that of this Walter in 1840. The thought immediately arises, where were they living before they appeared in Vermilion County. Some of the Goodners referred to as possible sons gave Ohio as their place of birth. Now the only county in Ohio where we know Goodners definitely lived was Preble County, the home for some seventeen years of Walter Goodner, born 1775, son of Mary and of Peter. A search was made in that county, as well as adjoining counties of Warren, Butler, and Hamilton. Nothing was found. There are 88 counties in the State of Ohio and it is impractical to make census search in all of them, so apparently this matter will have to rest until some lead develops which will permit a somewhat concentrated search.

We have not been able to locate any descendants of these "unknown" Goodners, who probably would be able to clarify the relationships. It is surprising that none of them have turned up, considering the thousands of letters written to Goodners all over the United States. There is no question but that somewhere some are living.

 Copy of Land Grant from State of North Carolina to John Goodner.
 Taken from Book C, Page 212, Recorder's Office, Dobson, Surry Co., N.C. by author, April 1st, 1957.

"John Goodner.

State of North Carolina To All to Whom these presents shall come, Greetings. Know ye that we for & in consideration of the Sum of fifty Shillings for every hundred acres hereby granted paid into our Treasurer by John Goodner have given and granted and by these presents so give and grant unto the said John Goodner a Tract of Land containing four-hundred and fifty acres and lying and being in our County of Surry on the Middle Fork of Blews Creek beginning at a Chestnut in John Cummin's line, runs north forty chains to Pointers, thence links made with G. Read, runs North fifty-five degrees West fourteen chains to a black Jack, North thirteen degrees West twenty-five to a B. Oak in James Gamil's line, thence West on s^d line to Coffin's line forty chains to a Stake & thence North to the Beginning as by the plat hereunto annexed doth appear: together with all woods, waters, mines, minerals, hereditaments & appurtenances to the said land belonging or appertaining To hold to the said John Goodner, his heirs and assigns forever; Yielding and paying to us such sums of money yearly or otherwise as our General Assembly from time to time may direct. Provided always that the said John Goodner shall cause this Grant to be registered in the Register's Office of our said County of Surry within twelve months from the date hereof, otherwise the same shall be void & of no effect. In Testamony whereof we have caused these our Letters to be made patent and our great Seal to be hereunto affixed.

Witness. Alexander Martin, Esg., our Governor Captain General and Commander in Chief at Newbern the third day of November in the Ninth Year of our Independance and in the Year of our Lord one-thousand seven-hundred and eighty-four.

Seal) A. Pearce, P. Sec. "

GRANT FROM STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA TO JOHN GOODNER - 1784
 (Copied by Mrs. Lennie Goodner Goit and Forwarded to Hubert W. Lacey)

 From "RECORDS OF DEEDS", Guilford County, North Carolina.
 (Greensboro, N.C.)
 (Book 5 Page 171)

This land was entered by John Goodner Nov. 30th,
1778; certificate was granted Nov. 8th, 1784.

Grant No. 1128.

A GRANT FROM THE STATE TO JOHN GOODNER.

To All to Whom these presents shall come Greeting:

KNOW YE that we for & in consideration of the Sum of Fifty Shilling for every hundred acres

hereby Granted paid into our treasury by John Goodner have Given and Granted by these presents do give and Grant unto the said John Goodner a tract of land containing Four-hundred acres lying & being in one County of Guilford on the waters of Reedy Fork Beginning at a Black Oak on Samuel Fulton's line running thence South Forty-Eight Chains to a Post Oak near a small branch thence East eighty-three chains crossing a branch to a hickory grub near a marked Black Oak on the East side of a hill thence North fifty-one chains to black Jack Saplin thence South Eighty-Eight Degrees West to the Beginning as by the plat hereunto annexed Doth appear together with all woods, waters, mines, minerals, hereditaments and appurtenances to the Said John Goodner his Heirs, and assigns for ever yielding and paying to us such sums of Money yearly or otherwise as our General Assembly from time to time May Direct provided alway that the said John Goodner shall cause this Grant to be registered at the Registers' office of our Said County of Guilford within twelve months from the Date hereof otherwise the same shall be void and of no effect.

In Testimony whereof we have caused these letters to be made patent and our Great Seal to be hereunto affixed. Witness Alexander Martin, Esquire our Governor Captain General & Com. in Chief at Newbern the Eighth Day of November, the Ninth Year of our Independence & in the Year of our Lord one-thousand seven-hundred & eighty-four.

By His Excell'y. Com-) Alex. Martin
T. Glasgow, Secretary)

Recorded in the
Secretary's office
Weared P. Soy

(NOTE: John Goodner sold this tract of land of 400 acres May 7, 1787 to Andrew Smith for 20 Pounds Specie, the deed for which was signed by John and Anney Goodner.)

RECORD OF DEED FROM JOHN AND ANNEY GOODNER TO ANDREW SMITH
IN GUILFORD COUNTY, N.C. MAY COURT 1787

(Copied by Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit and Sent to H.W. Lacey)

FROM RECORD OF DEEDS, GUILFORD COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
AT GREENSBORO, N.C. COURTHOUSE. BOOK 4, PAGE 244.

JOHN GOODNER TO ANDREW SMITH:

THIS INDENTURE the Seventh day of May in the Year of our Lord One-thousand seven-hundred and eighty-seven and in the twelfth year of our Independence, between JOHN GOODNER of the one part and Andrew Smith of the other part, both living in Guilford County & State of North Carolina,

WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of the sum of twenty pound specie by the said Andrew Smith to the said John Goodner in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby fully acknowledged, he the said John Goodner for himself & his heirs hath Granted, Bargained, sold, alined, enfeoffed, & set over & by these presents doth Grant, Bargain, sell, alien, enfeoff and set over unto the said Andrew Smith, his heirs, & assigns all that piece, Parcel of tract of Land lying and being in Guilford County aforesaid on the waters or Reedy Fork beginning at a black oak on Samuel Fulton's line, running thence South forty-eight Chains to a post Oak near a small branch, thence East eighty-three Chains crossing a branch to a hickory Grub near a marked black oak on the East side of a Hill, thence fifty-one Chains to a Black Oak saplin thence South eighty-eight degrees west to the Beginning, containing in the whole four hundred acres of land To Have and To Hold the aforesaid four-hundred acres of land with the appurtainces and all rights, Privileges & Improvements thereunto belonging to him the said Andrew Smith, his heirs and assigns forever, he only yielding and paying such sums of money yearly or otherwise as our General Assembly from time to time may direct, and the said John Goodner doth oblige himself his Heirs, Executors & Administrators to warrant and Defend the aforesaid land & premises or any part or Parcel thereof to him the said Andrew Smith, his Heirs and assigns forever from and against him the said John Goodner, his Heirs and assigns and all persons lawfully claiming or to claim by, from or under him or them or any of them.

In Witness Whereof the said John Goodner hath hereunto set his Hand and Seal the Day & Year first above written.

Signed sealed and Delivered in the
presence of
Andrew Flack)
Jacob Lorres)

His mark
John X Goodner
Her mark
Anney X Goodner

The execution of the within Deed was proven in open court by the oath of Andrew Flack and was ordered to be registered.

Test. Tos Searey C C

COPY OF DEED FROM WALTER GOODNER TO PETER TICKEL
Deed Record Book No. 5, Page 441. March 28, 1796
Orange Co., N.C. Hillsboro, - County Seat

This indenture made this 28th Day of March in the Year of our Lord one-thousand seven-hundred and ninety-six, between Walter Goodner, son and heir of John Goodner, deceased, of Guilford County and the State of North Carolina, of the one part, and Peter Tickel of Orange County and State aforesaid of the other part.

Witnesseth, that the said Walter Goodner in consideration of the sum of two-hundred and fifty pounds to him in hand paid by the said Peter Tickel, at or before the sealing and delivering of these presents the receipt whereof he the said Walter Goodner doth hereby acknowledge hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened, released and confirm and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, release and confirm from him and his heirs unto him the said Peter Tickel, his heirs and assigns forever all that part, tract or parcel of land and premises situated lying and being in the County of Orange and State of North Carolina on the waters of Travis Creek

BEGINNING at a white oak running west fifty-four chains to a post oak South nineteen chains to a white oak thence east eight chains to a red oak south forty-four chains to a white oak east forty-four chns. to a stake north 20 chains to a black jack east two chains to a white oak north forty-one chains to the first station containing two-hundred and ninety-two acres, more or less, being a tract of land obtained from the State by John Goodner and registered in the County office for that purpose reference being thereunto had will more fully appear and the reversion and reversions remainder and remainders, rents, traveses thereof and also all the estate, right, title, interest, property, claims and demand whatever as well in equity as in law of him the said Walter Goodner and his heirs of in and unto the said seat, tract or parcel of land and premises of, in and unto every part and parcel thereof.

To have and to hold the tract or tenor of land above mentioned and singular other than the premises thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said Peter Tickel, his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Peter Tickel, his heirs and assigns and the said Walter Goodner for himself, his heirs and assigns doth covenant grant to and with the said Peter Tickel, his heirs and assigns forever by these presents that he the said Walter Goodner and his heirs the said seat, tract or parcel of land and premises hereby bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof against him the said Walter Goodner, his heirs and assigns to the said Peter Tickel, his heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents.

In witness whereof the said Walter Goodner hath set his hand and seal the day above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered (Seal) Walter Goodner
in the presence of us,

his
George X Strader (Jurat)
mark John Stove

John Tickel, son of Peter

Orange County, May Term, 1796

The execution of the within Deed was duly proved in the open Court by the oath of George Strader one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be registered.

Abner B. Bruce, CSC.

RECORD OF DEED FROM WILLIAM ASTON DOWNEY TO WALTER GOODNER, DATED
AUGUST 5TH, 1795. BOOK 6, PAGE 179, DEED BOOK, GUILFORD COUNTY, N. C.

WILLIAM DOWNEY TO WALTER GOODNER:

" This indenture made this 5th Day of August 1795 between William Downey of Guilford County and State of North Carolina, planter, and Walter Goodner, planter, of the same place County and State, Witnesseth that whereas the s^d William Downey for his part and value consideration to him in hand paid by the foresaid Walter Goodner doth bargain and sell for and by these presents both bargain and sell unto the s^d Walter Goodner, 200 acres of land formerly granted to Wm. Aston Downey whereon the said Wm. Aston Downey now lives, together with improvements houses and with houses and with all other conveyances thereunto belong-

ing. Now this indenture further witnesseth that the sd. Wm. Aston Downey and have in consideration of 138 pounds to him in hand paid by the affs. Walter Goodner at or before the ensealing and delivering hereof the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge for divers and other good causes and considerations, him hereunto moving, hath given granted bargained and sold, alined, conveyed and confirmed to by these presents doth freely and fully and absolutely give, grant, bargain, sell, alinate, convey and confirm unto the affs. Walter Goodner, his heirs and assigns forever all his rights or title or demand un and to the affs. premises and appurtenances unto the affs. Walter Goodner, his heirs or assigns forever with all and singular other privileges and appurtenances unto the affs. Walter Goodner or his heirs forever to the only proper use and benefit of the sd. Walter Goodner, his heirs or assigns forever and to and for no other interest or purpose whatever and the sd. Walter Goodner doth covenant and agree with the sd. Wm. Aston Downey that the land and premises affs. with their appurtenances against himself and heirs will forever defend the above mentioned land.

In witness whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal in the presence of us all.

Test: Watson Wharton
John Swisher
Elam Wharton

(Seal) Wm. Aston Downey

State of North Carolina, Guilford County.
February Court 1797.

John Swisher proved the execution of the written deed in open court and on motion let it be registered.

Test: John Hamter, C.C. "

(NOTE: It is not known which of the two Walter Goodners was involved in the above transaction, since as far as we know both of them were living in Guilford County at the time. However, since there is no deed on file transferring the property to others by the year 1810, and since Walter, the son of Peter (?) and Mary, had left Guilford by then, it is fairly well assured that the grantee above was Walter, son of John and Annie.)

MARY GOODNER

Since Mary Goodner is the definitely known head of the household she represents and the only definitely known parent of Walter, Jacob, Henry, Elizabeth, and Mary (Polly) Goodner, it is proper that this chapter should carry her name, instead of the name of one we believe to have been her husband, or who might have been her husband.

Mary's maiden name is unknown. No record of her marriage exists so far as we have been able to find. All records in Orange and Guilford Counties, North Carolina, have been searched several times and by different persons. It is of course possible that they may have resided elsewhere at the time of the marriage, which would have been approximately in 1773 or 1774, but we have no knowledge of the Goodners residing in any other locality save that of Orange and Guilford Counties, up to the period of the Revolutionary War, or to be exact the year 1779 when the name of John Goodner first appears on the tax records of Orange County, which at that time included the present county of Alamance. Very likely the Goodners resided in Orange County for a few years at least prior to the year 1778. Tax records for the earlier period were very incomplete, and some missing. It appears too that there was an organized movement at the time to avoid declaring one's personal estate and of paying taxes. It is known that many refused to make returns, and went into hiding when the tax man was expected to arrive.

In view of the fact that it was an expensive procedure to obtain a marriage license, which generally cost anywhere from \$15.00 to \$60.00, and such hard money was hard to come by, many people did not bother to obtain them. They were usually married by a local preacher, and no record made. In the back woods of North Carolina, and similar conditions prevailed in other outlying areas where there were no preachers, the young people often "married" themselves. Then later when some preacher would pass through, they would have him perform the marriage ceremony, making the marriage legal before God and man. I do not believe such a situation existed in Orange and Guilford Counties as late as 1770.

There has been much speculation as to Mary's maiden name, but whoever she might have been it can be assumed that she was of German parentage, since the children as far as we can determine were all brought up in a German, or "Pennsylvania Dutch" atmosphere, strangers to a large extent to the English language. It has been reported by descendants that John Cunningham Goodner, grandson of Mary, had stated that his father, Henry was a "full blooded Black Dutch and could hardly speak English". Had Mary been of Scotch-Irish or English stock, such a condition would not have existed. What was meant by "Black Dutch" is not known. No reference to such a term for that early period can be found. The term was used many years later in the South, during the period leading up to and during the Civil War, in referring to those of German blood whose sympathies lay with the North.

It is thought that the Goodners may have landed in Philadelphia along with the great mass of Palatinate Germans, and that they lived in Pennsylvania for awhile before migrating with other Germans and Scotch-Irish to North Carolina, which movement started as early as 1755 and continued up to the early period of the Revolutionary War, before military action became too hazardous to make the journey, when all migrations of people ceased until the termination of the war again made it safe to make extended journeys with household goods and cattle. Records in all four of the so-called "German" counties of Adams, York, Lancaster, and Berks were searched without a single reference to a Goodner being found.

Among some of the descendants of Henry Goodner there is a belief that he was foreign born, which in this case would have meant Germany. This belief is based on a statement reported to have been made by John Cunningham Goodner to his nephew, James Monroe Goodner, to that effect. If this was true, and since Henry was born to the best of our belief about 1777 or 1778, it would indicate that this family group could not have arrived in this country until after the end of the Revolutionary War, since it would have been impossible for them to arrive when the war was in progress when all the ports were blockaded by the British. The war was officially ended Jan. 14, 1784, when Congress ratified the preliminary peace treaty drawn up in Paris the previous November. The first known reference to Mary is the record of a purchase of 111 acres of land from Martin Wirick on August 18, 1788. The family therefore would have had to arrive in this country between the years 1784 or 1783, and 1788 or 1787, which is of course possible, but to me in the light of other data not plausible.

Contradictory to this traditionary belief is that in the census returns for Vermilion County, Illinois for the yrs. 1850 and 1860, where Walter Goodner was living and who is considered to be the eldest male of the family, it shows in both returns that his birthplace was in North Carolina. The descendants of Jacob Goodner, the other brother, adhere to the belief that he was born in North Carolina, and Jacob is believed to have been older than Henry. Also it has been said by some of the older members in the Conrad Goodner line that all the Goodner brothers came over together.

A Peter Goodner lived in Orange and/or Guilford County, North Carolina, who was paid for services of some kind in the Revolutionary War, either for military supplies or for military service, in November of 1783. From the records in the official custody of the North Carolina Historical Commission come the following:-

"An account of Specie Certificates paid into the Comptl.^s Office by John Armstrong, Entry Taker, for Land in N.^o Carolina.

<u>N.^o</u>	<u>By Whom Granted</u>	<u>To Whom Granted</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Sum</u>
5356	Wilson & Cathey	Peter Goodner	Nov. ^r '83	L 9. 4. 0.

<u>Interest</u>	<u>To What Time</u>	<u>Total Amount Principle & Interest</u>
L O. 5. 4.	25th May, 1784	L 9. 9. 4

From North Carolina Revolutionary Army Accounts
Vol. XII, Page 80. Folio 2. "

The 1790 census returns for North Carolina do not show this Peter, and neither is his name found in the census returns of any of the other states where the census was taken for that year. It is of course possible that he may have been living in one of the outlying areas where the census was not taken, as was Conrad who at that time was residing in Sullivan County, Tennessee. But Mary was the widow of some Goodner, and as all of the other Goodner males have been accounted for, it is my reasoned and considered belief that Peter was the husband of Mary, the father of her children, and was deceased by 1790. We know definitely that Mary was a widow, since papers among her administration papers so state. Peter, at the time of his death, was a young man, being approximately in his low thirties, having been born in 1752 or 1754, as closely as we can estimate.

It is thought by some that if Peter had been the father then some of the children or grandchildren in the male line would have been named after him. This would seem likely, it is true, but we do not have to look far to find another exception to this custom, or procedure, for Conrad Goodner although much beloved by his children failed to have a son named after him, nor a grandson either, except as a middle name.

Now if Peter was the husband of Mary and the father of her children, which seems to me in the face of known facts to be the logical conclusion, and since he was living in North Carolina during the Revolutionary War, then it

would definitely prove that all of the children were born in this country,

Mary Goodner purchased from Martin Wirick, Aug, 18, 1788; a tract of land of 111 acres situated on the waters of Reedy Fork in Guilford County, Martin Wirick, German, was probably the son of Jacob Wirick who arrived in this country August of 1750, It is interesting to note that John and Annie Goodner also owned acreage on the waters of Reedy Fork, undoubtedly their home place and which they sold to Andrew Smith in 1787, John was probably a brother-in-law to Mary and a brother to Peter, deceased, The deed reads as follows:

RECORD OF DEEDS, GUILFORD COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
At Greensboro, N, Carolina Courthouse
Book 5, Page 18

MARTIN WIRICK TO MARY GOODNER

THIS INDENTURE made this Eighteenth of August in the Year of our Lord One-Thousand Seven-Hundred & Eighty-Eight between MARTIN WIRICK & MARY GOODNER both of the County of Guilford & State of North Carolina WITNESSETH that the Sd, Martin Wirick for & in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty pounds good lawfull Money to him in hand paid by the Sd, Mary Goodner the receipt whereof the Sd, Martin Wirick Doth hereby acknowledge hath Granted, Bargained & Sold alined & Confirmed & by these presents Doth give Grant, Bargain, Sell, alien & Confirm Unto the Sd, Mary Goodner, her Heirs and Assigns forever all & Piece or parcel of land Situate lying & being in the County of Guilford on the Waters of the Reedy Fork of Haw River Being part of tract of land Granted by the Sd, State to Jacob Wirick beginning at a black Oak Saplin on the West side of Sd, Tract of land running South Twenty-Eight Chains to a post Oak Saplin thence East Forty-three Chains to a Post Oak tree thence North Twenty-Two Chains & one pole to a Black Oak Saplin thence to first Station Fifty-Three Chains Containing One-Hundred & Eleven acres of Land to have & to Hold the afores^d one-hundred & eleven acres of land with the appurtenances Woods, Underwoods, Waters, Mines, Minerals & hereditaments To the S^d Land belonging or appurtaining to Hold To the S^d Mary Goodner her Heirs forever the Sum or Sums of money or otherwise as our General Assembly from year or time to time may Direct only excepted & the Sd, Martin Wirick Doth Oblige himself his Heirs & Every of them to Warrant & forever Defend the fores^d One-Hundred & Eleven acres of Land & every part or parcel thereof to her the S^d Mary Goodner her heirs or assigns forever from & against him the S^d Martin Wirick his Heirs & assigns & all & every person or persons lawfully claiming or to claim by from or under him or them or any of them & from & against all & all manner of persons who now Lawfully may Claim or hereafter may Lawfully Claim the S^d lands & premises or any part or parcel thereof,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand & to affix my Seal the Day and Year above written.

Signed sealed and Delivered)
in the presence of Us,)
)
Jacob Christman) Guilford County August
John Christman) Court 1788,

The Execution of the Within Deed was proven in open Court by the oath of Jacob Christman & was ordered to be Registered,

Teste T, Searey

(Copied from Court House records by Mrs, Lenna Goodner Goit)

This tract of land became the family homestead and the family were still living on it at the time of Mary's death in the latter part of 1796 and no doubt the children, or some of them, continued to live there until it was sold in 1801. The cause of Mary's death is unknown, but some of the medical men in the family might be able to diagnose her illness from the detailed bill rendered by Dr, John Von Storre, which paper was among those on record in the administration of her estate. These administration papers were located in the records in the Court House in Greensboro, North Carolina, and because of their great interest and value I had photostatic copies made of them. They are herewith reproduced in fac-simile.

January 13th the 1797th Widdow Goodner D^d
 to Doctor John: von: Storre in Currency
 to Judging Water - - - - - 0 - 1 - 3
 to 8 Doses of Bowders; 1/3 B. D^r - 0 - 10 - 0
 to powdering Fountanel; in his legs - 0 - 10 - 0
 to Bernician Bark; and other Vitriol - 10 - 0
 to spirits of Hartshorn - - - 0 - 9 - 0
 to Crem of tartar - - - - - 0 - 2 - 0

Total: 1 - 16 - 3

May 14th the 1798

Received the above Account, Agent the Estate
 of the Widdow Goodner Discharge of Walter Goodner
 in full.

John: von: Storre
 M. D.

Gulfport County August the first - 1800 then Leon^d John Constancy
 Stealer of s. s. h. and in a writ that the above account against the Estate
 Carolina may find that the above account is just and true sworn
 before me M. D. *[Signature]*
[Signature] M. D.

May the 25th 1797 Received of Walter Goodner the Sum
 of Six Shillings and three pence in full for main the
 Coffin of Mary Goodner Deceased
 M. D. *[Signature]*

Guilford County May 1st 1898
 Ordered that John Barrett & Thomas Sibley
 Esqrs be appointed to settle the estate of Mary Goodner
 dec'd with the Com^r & make report to next Court
 John Hamilton Clk

May 1st 1898
 Paid ten dollars
 Mary Goodner

Mary Goodner M^r to John Searshen in the year 1898
 to Cash Three Dollars
 July 1st 1900 then to John Searshen before the subscription
 of Mary Goodner's estate. The above account against the estate
 of Mary Goodner dec'd, before me John Searshen
 Test Myself
 John Searshen

A List of Vouchers for payments made by the Administrator of the Estate of Mary Goodner Deceased in Behalf of said Estate

	£	s	d
No 1 paid for making coffin	-	6	3
No 2 John Swisher proven account	1-	10-	-
No 3 Dr VanStories proven account	1	16	3
amount of Vouchers ..	3	12	6
Cost of Administration to be allowed to the Administrator including costs of Sale clerks fees &c	13-	00	00
Whole amount of claims against the Estate	16	12	6
the whole amount of the Estate	146	9	3
claims to be deducted	16	12	6
Which Leaves a Net Balance in the Hands of the Administrator of	129	16	9

£ 129-16-9- to be Divided between five Legatees is £25-19-4 to each

Which is the sum we conceive the Administrator to be accountable for all which is humbly submitted to the Worshipful Court & agreeable to their order of May Court 1800 given under our hands the 9th Day of August 1800

John Herriot
The Depts.

Real estate in North Carolina in the event of the death of the owner does not necessarily move through the Probate Court but devolves directly to the heirs, providing there are sufficient monies, or assets, in the personal estate with which to meet all debts, funeral expenses, and costs of administration. This was true in those days as it is today, so I have been informed. In Mary's personal estate you will note from the fac-similes shown that there were sufficient funds to meet all expenses, and that after these were met there was left a sum of 129 pounds 16 shillings and 9 pence to be divided equally among the five legatees, giving each 25 pounds 19 shillings and 4 pence. The whole value of the personal estate was slightly over 146 pounds. No paper existed giving an account of what these assets were. These papers also show that Martin Wirick, the grantor of the 111 acre tract which Mary bought, also was the maker of her coffin, receiving for so doing the sum of six shillings and three pence. Apparently he was a carpenter by trade. The estate was finally closed by John Starrat and Thomas Dick, who were appointed by the County Clerk, John Hamilton, almost four years after Mary's death. Why such a long delay is not known. However, Walter Goodner, who handled all of the debts incidental to her estate, had paid all of them with the exception of the costs of administration.

Mary was born approximately in the year 1755, if her age is based at 20 years at the time of the birth of her first child, Walter. Her death occurred in the latter part of 1796, which would have made her age at time of death approximately 41 years. She was undoubtedly interred in Guilford County, but where is not known. The Reedy Ford on which her land was located is a small tributary of the Haw River, and thus Mary's plantation lay in the same general area as that of the Scherers and the other Goodners, probably not far from the village of Gibsonville. She may have been buried on her home place, or in the cemetery adjoining the old Friedens Church, which in those days was used jointly by the German Reformed and Lutheran denominations.

The Whitsett Institute at Whitsett in Guilford County is located on one of the old Scherer places, which is near Gibsonville. John Goodner and wife Annie had their home place also on the Reedy Fork. They sold it to Andrew Smith in 1787.

The tract of land consisting of 111 acres which Mary bought from Martin Wirick in 1788 was sold by her sons in 1801 to Jacob Swisher, but the sale was not proven in Court and thus not recorded until the February Court in 1805. Witnesses to the signing of the deed were David Pryor, John Swisher, and Daniel Shoemaker, with the deed being proven in Court by Daniel Shoemaker. Why the names of the two daughters did not also appear on the deed is not explainable, since they too were lawful heirs to the land. Copy of the deed is given herewith:-

The youngest child of Mary and Peter (?), was Polly (Mary). She undoubtedly came after Elizabeth, and as Elizabeth was born in 1778, as indicated by the 1850 census returns of Vermilion Co., Illinois, then Polly was born about 1779 to 1780 or 1781. It is therefore reasonable to suppose that since no more children were born to Mary, that Peter, her supposed husband, died between the years 1780 and 1782. The certificate for specie payment allowable to Peter as the result of army service or for supplies furnished to the army - it is not known which - which evidently was for the purchase of land, and which was approved for payment in November of 1783 but not actually paid until May 25th, 1784, was evidently never consummated as far as land purchase was concerned, as no record of a land grant to Peter can be found. It is therefore additional evidence that Peter was deceased previous to 1784, or before any action could be taken in the securing of a land grant after May of 1784. It was four years later in 1788, that Mary, the widow, purchased land from Martin Wirick.

 Copied From RECORDS OF DEEDS, GUILFORD CO., N.C.
Greensboro, North Carolina, Courthouse,
Book 8 Page 273.

WALTER GOODNER, JACOB AND HENRY GOODNER TO JACOB SWISHER.

THIS INDENTURE made this Twelfth of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & One between Walter Goodner, Jacob Goodner & Henry Goodner of the County of Guilford & State of North Carolina of the one part & Jacob Swisher of the other part & of the County & State afs,

WITNESSETH that the s^d Walter Goodner, Jacob Goodner & Henry Goodner for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred pounds good & Lawfull money to them in hand paid by the s^d Jacob Swisher the Receipt whereof the s^d Walter Goodner, Jacob Goodner, Henry Goodner Doth hereby Acknowledge hath given Granted Bargained & Seled alined & Confermed & by these presents Doth give grant Bargain Sell Alien & Conferm Unto the s^d Jacob Swisher his Heirs & assigns for ever all & piece or parcel of Land Situate Lying & being in County of Guilford on the waters of the Reedy Fork beginning at a Black Oak Saplin on the west side of s^d Tract of Land Running South Twenty Eight Chains to a Post Oak Saplin thence East forty three chains to a Post Oak Tree thence North Twenty Two Chains & one pole to a Black Oak Saplin thence to the first Station Fifty three Chains Containing one hundred & eleven acres of Land to have & to hold the afsd one

hundred & eleven acres of Land with the appurtenances Woods Underwoods Waters Mines Minerals & hereditements to the s- Land belonging or ppertaining to hold to the said Jacob Swisher his Heirs for ever the sum or sums of Money or otherwise as our General Assembly from year or Time to Time May Direct only Excepted & the s- Walter Goodner, Jacob Goodner and Henry Goodner Doth Obligate himself, their Heirs & every of them to Warrant & for ever Defend the Afs. one hundred & eleven acres of Land & every part or parcel thereof to him the said Jacob Swisher his Heirs or Assigns for Ever from & against them the s- Walter Goodner, Jacob Goodner & Henry Goodner their Heirs & assigns & all & every person or persons Lawfully Claiming or to Claim by from or Under him or them or any of them & from & against all and all manner of Persons who now Lawfully May Claim or hereafter May Lawfully Claim the said Lands & premises or any part or parcel thereof.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and to affix My Seal the day & year above written.

Walter Goodner (Seal)

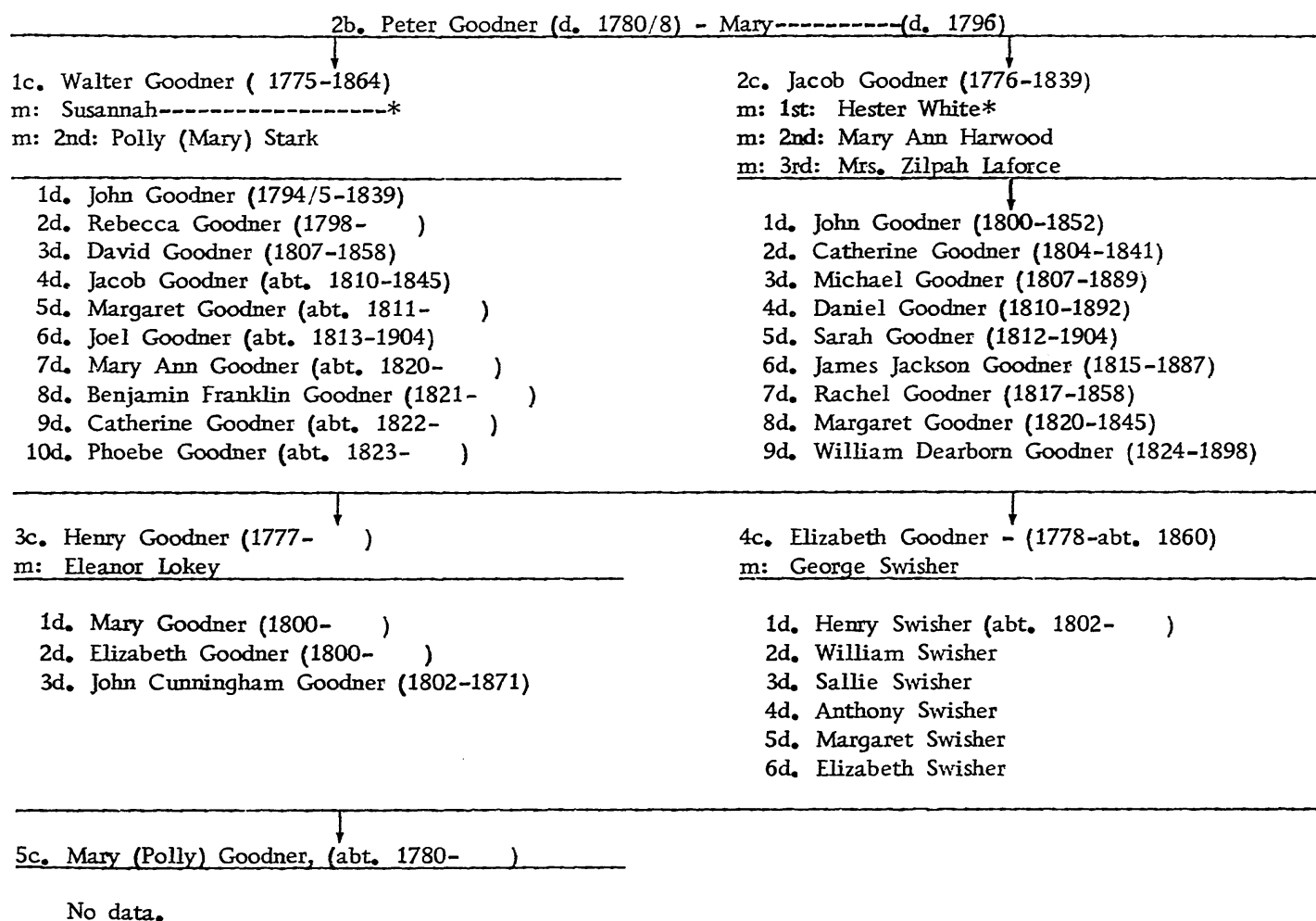
Jacob Goodner (Seal)

Henry Goodner (Seal)

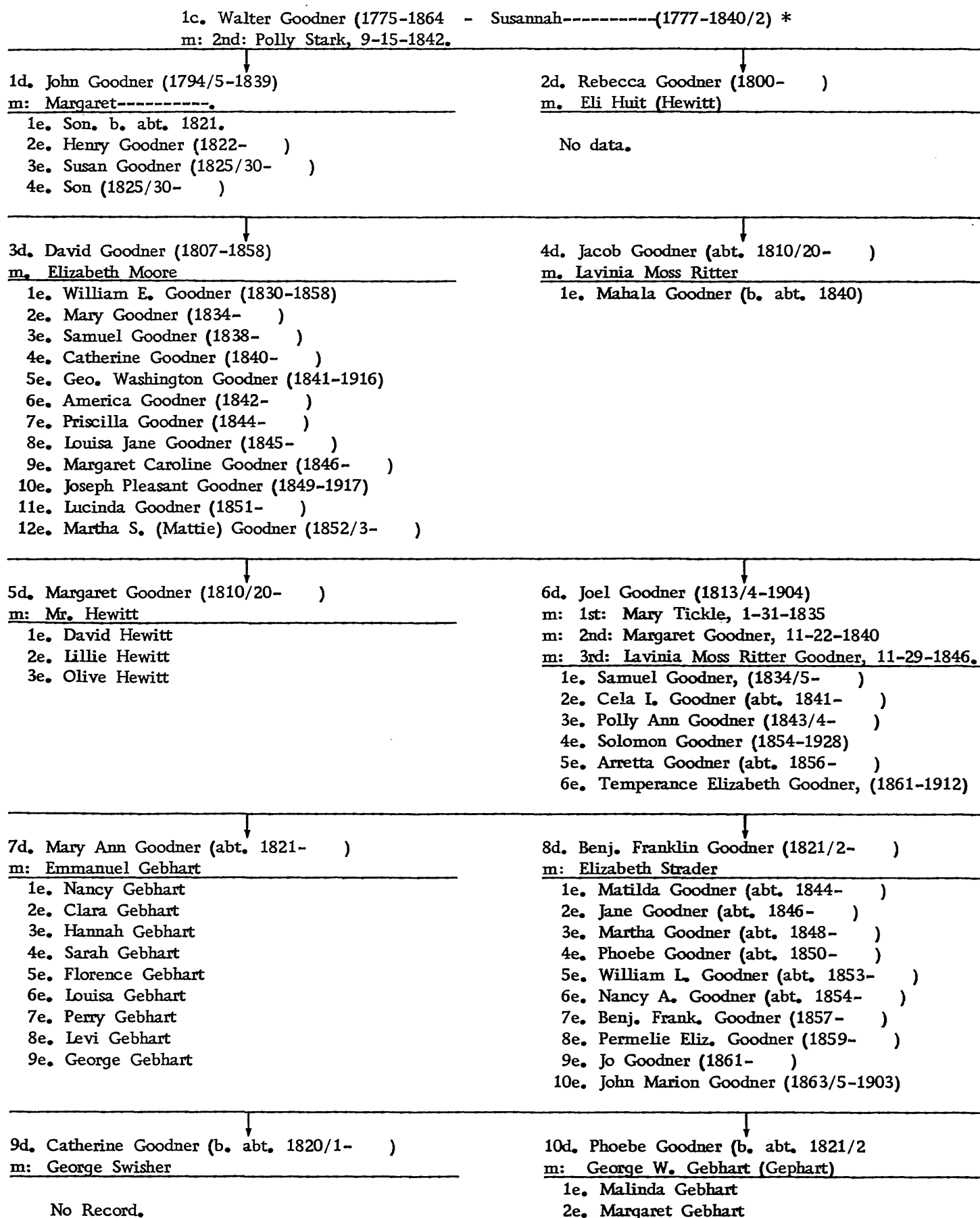
Daniel Shomaker)
 David Pryor)
 John Swisher) St. N. Carolina
 February Court 1805.

Daniel Shomaker proved the Execution of the Within Deed in open Court & on Motion Ordered to be Registered.

Test: J. Hamilton, Clk.



* All children by their first wives.



* All children by Susannah.

1c. Walter Goodner, born supposedly in Orange County, North Carolina, was the eldest son and child of Mary Goodner, and her husband, believed to have been Peter Goodner. He grew to manhood on the farm. His father died when he was in his teens, and his mother died in the latter part of 1796, just at the time that Walter arrived at his maturity. Walter continued the avocation of farming all his life.

While he was not appointed Administrator of his mother's estate, he did settle the outstanding debts, as is witnessed by the Administration papers, (q.v.). He was the only one of the children to have reached the age of 21 at the time of the death of the mother.

About 1792 or 1793, he married in either Orange or Guilford County, N.C. a Miss Susannah. Her family name is not known; no record of the marriage is in existence. Susannah was born about 1777. In the 1800 census return of Guilford County, Walter is shown as the head of a household with one child, a son, under 10 years of age, which was John.

Shortly after the sale of the home farm which the sons had inherited from their mother, which sale occurred Dec. 12, 1801 but which was not recorded until the February Court of 1805, this being the same tract of land that the mother had purchased Aug. 18, 1788 from Martin Wirick, and which lay on the waters of Reedy Fork Creek in northeastern Guilford County, Walter moved away to some point in Kentucky. There he remained, so far as we know, until about the year 1811 or 1812. We next find him in Preble County, Ohio, where on Aug. 29th, 1812 he purchased a tract of land consisting of 155 acres from Daniel Christman, being a part of the west half of Section 4, Township 5, Range 3. This land lies immediately west of the present town of West Alexandria in Lanier Township on the south side of Route #35. For this land he paid the sum of \$400.00. Here he remained until the latter part of 1829, a period of about 17 years. On Sept. 29th, 1829, he sold this land, - 30 acres to Michael Wolf (b. 1771, Pennsylvania, d. 1856), and 95 acres to Daniel Wolf, apparently brothers. Ten years previous, on Aug. 21st, 1819, he had sold 30 acres to Henry Strader for \$300.00. After the sale he moved on west to Vermilion Co., Illinois, and it seems that all his married children accompanied him.

Two of his children were married in Preble County, Ohio, - Rebecca to Eli Huit (Hewitt) on Sept. 28th, 1826, and David to Elizabeth Moore, Aug. 11, 1829. It is thought that John may also have married in Preble County, but if so his marriage record is not on file. John does not appear to have married early, for in the 1820 census of Preble County, a son is shown as living with Walter at the age John was at the time. This census shows that Walter had eight children, - four boys and four girls.

Walter was probably motivated in moving to Preble County by the fact that many other families from Guilford and Orange Counties, North Carolina, had gone there or were in the process of moving there, among whom were the Scherers (Shearers), -the sister of Christian Scherer having married Walter's uncle, Conrad Goodner-, the Hewitts, Swishers, Straders, Tades, Tickles, and others. The sale of his farm in Preble County netted him a substantial profit; he then moved on to the newly created county of Vermilion in Illinois. He purchased property there on Sept. 19th, 1831, recorded Feb. 27, 1832, from Othniel Preston, in Section 36, Township 20, Range 12. On Jan. 21, 1833, he purchased another piece of property from a William Peters, in Section 1, Township 17, Range 12, and on Feb. 15, 1834 a piece of land from an Elisha Chambers. One of these tracts he later sold to son, Daniel, the deed being dated Jan. 1st, 1844 but which was not recorded until nine years later, on June 1, 1853.

Susannah, his wife, died between the years 1840 and the summer of 1842. She is shown as living in the 1840 census of Vermilion Co., a fact determined by the age shown and by his marriage to Polly (Mary) Stark, Sept. 15, 1842, in Vermilion County. Polly's age at the time of the marriage was given as 47. All of Walter's children were by Susannah. The 1840 census of Vermilion shows him as having three small children in his household, one between the ages of five and ten and the other two under five years of age. These must have been grandchildren. One of these, apparently, was Sarah Goodner, shown as still living with him in the 1850 census, at which time her age was given as thirteen.

Walter died Sept. 10th, 1864, at the ripe old age of 89 years, and was interred in the Concord Cemetery located three miles west of Georgetown, Ill. Polly also must have died between the years 1860 and 1870, since her name does not appear in the 1870 census. Her age at death thus was between 65 and 75 years.

There is some uncertainty as to the complete number of children born to Walter and Susannah Goodner as no one in the family kept a complete record. From partial information supplied by members of the family and from what could be obtained from the census returns, the following list is believed to be accurate, if not complete. There are Goodners shown in the 1860 and 1870 census returns whom we have not been able to place. The names of these will be given in the Census Returns shown in the back of the volume, (q.v.)

- 1d. John Goodner, b. abt. 1794/5, Guilford Co., N.C. d. abt. 1838/9, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. m: Margaret-----, abt. 1818/20. (b. bwt. 1794-1804). Both interred in Vermilion Co., Ill. (After death of John, it is believed that she married, Joel Goodner, brother of John, and had by him two

children, Cela I., and Polly Ann.)

- Ch: 1e. Son. b. abt. 1821. This may have been Jackson Goodner, a record of whose family appears in the Census Reports in the back of this book.
- 2e. Henry Goodner, b. abt. 1822/4, Vermilion Co., Ill. Died in Vermilion Co., but date not known. Farmer. m: Susan Gritton, 2-11-1845, Vermilion Co., Ill., by M. Sayre, Minister. Susan born Kentucky, 1827. Resided in Blount Township.
- Ch: 1f. John Goodner, b. 12-31-1847, Vermilion Co., Ill., in Blount Twp. d. 3-11-1903. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co. Farmer. m: Rachael E. Riggle, 2-24-1870, Vermilion Co., Ill. (d. 1880. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.)
- Ch: 1g. Mary Ellen Goodner, b. 12-30-1870, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 3-3-1922. m: Lee Sherman Meeker, 4-4-1888, Georgetown, Vermilion Co. (b. 4-4-1866, d. 7-27-1953, son of Edward and Malinda C. Meeker. Interment in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.)
- Ch. 1h. Elsie Meeker, b. 7-16-1889, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: John Swisher, 6-4-1919, Danville, Ill. Truck Driver. Retired. Members Lincoln Methodist Church. Res: 404 N. Bowman, Danville, Ill. (Mr. Swisher, b. 6-15-1892, son of Andrew)
- Ch: None.
- 2h. Flossie Meeker, b. 2-4-1891, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 8-13-1958, Vermilion Co. m: 1st: Benjamin H. Calhoun, March 1908. (d. 2-6-1954). Flossie m: 2nd: Forrest Phillips, 1925
- Ch: 1i. Blanche Calhoun, b. 1-31-1910, Danville, Ill. m: Oscar Fred Linne, 2-4-1928, Urbana, Ill. (b. 11-1-1903, son of Henry William Linne of Danville, Ill.) Res: 1000 May St., Danville, Ill. Mechanical Engineer. Served in Air Force. Members Pentecostal Church of God.
- Ch: 1j. Barbara Jean Linne, b. 4-1-1932, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Dawless. Res: 308 Ridgeview Rd., Danville, Ill.
- 2j. James Hubert Linne, b. 5-14-1936
- 3j. Carolyn Sue Linne, b. 1-8-1943
- 2i. Lowell Calhoun, b. 4-11-1912, Henning, Ill. Construction Worker. Baptist. Res. 1622 Clymen Lane, Danville, Ill. m: 1st: Ethel May Howery, 4-23-1935, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 5-27-1914, dau. Robert Howery of Alvin, Ill.)
- Ch: 1j. Ronald Dean Calhoun, b. 9-2-1937. Res: 316 N. Gilbert, Danville, Ill.
- 2j. Donald Eugene Calhoun, b. 7-31-1939. Res: 4158 W. Gladys St., Chicago, Ill.
- 3j. Melvin Leroy Calhoun, b. abt. 1941. In Armed Forces. Sp. 4, RA16516637, Goepingen Sub. Sect. 3807-04, A.P.O. 281, New York, N. Y.
- m: 2nd: Thelma Maxine Pate, 6-26-1947, Urbana, Ill. (b. 10-11-1918, dau. of Lee S. Pate of Danville, Ill.) A cousin.
- Ch: 4j. Ellen Kay Calhoun, b. 12-13-1949
- 5j. Beverly Jean Calhoun, b. 5-5-1953.
- 6j. Lowell David Calhoun, b. 6-10-1955.
- 3i. Infant Daughter. Died at 4 months.
- 3h. Roy Meeker, b. 10-31-1892, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill. Blount Twp. m: Ethel Thorns-brough, 12-24-1913, Danville, Ill. (b. 8-11-1895, dau. John and Martha Thorns-brough)
- Ch: 1i. Louis Dale Meeker, b. 6-10-1917, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill. m: Dorothy Katherin Chapman, 4-30-1938, Fairmount, Ill. (b. 11-20-1918, dau. Joseph Chapman of Fairmount, Ill.)
- Ch: 1j. Gerald Gene Meeker, b. 1-11-1940,

- Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 2j. Lena Carol Meeker, b. 3-29-1943.
- 3j. Robert Dean Meeker, b. 3-13-1944
- 4j. Mary Ann Meeker, b. 8-5-1950.
- 2i. Ruth Ilene Meeker, b. 2-12-1927, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Henry Franklin Stump, 12-24-1947, Danville, Ill. (b. 5-30-1923, son of Charles Stump of Rossville, Ill.) Res: Rt. #3, Williamsport, Ind. Farmer. Members Christian Church.
Ch: 1j. Linda Lou Stump, b. 7-21-1948.
- 4h. Maggie Meeker, b. -----d. 5-24-1928.
m: Alfred Thornsborough.
Ch: 1i. Louise Thornsborough, m: Mr. Sand. Res: Alvin, Ill.
- 5h. Earl Meeker, b. 11-19-1898, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. m: Loraine Dubre, 1-5-1924, Covington, Ind. (b. 10-13-1897, dau. Albert and Marian Dubre of Danville, Ill. Earl twin of Pearl.
Ch: None.
- 6h. Pearl Meeker, b. 11-19-1898, Vermilion Co., Ill. Twin of Earl. m: Orval E. Gritten, 5-17-1916, Bismarck, Ill. (b. 5-7-1898, son of Thomas and Martha Gritten of Danville, Ill.) Carpenter. m: 2nd: Russell Scaggs, 11-28-1951, Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 1414 Oakwood Ave., Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1i. Ralph Le Roy Gritten, b. 10-13-1918, Bismarck, Ill. W.W.II, 8 mo. I.R.T.C., 1945. Chauff. Div. Methodist. Operating Engineer. m: Mildred Alberta Gravat, 5-27-1939, Danville, Ill. (b. 8-16-1921, dau. Clyde H. Gravat of Rt. #1, Danville, Ill.) Res: 3724 Tuttle, Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1j. Donald Le Roy Gritten, b. 6-27-1938, Vermilion Co. Ill.
2j. Janet Kay Gritten, b. 8-19-1940.
- 2i. Thomas Lee Gritten, b. 12-17-1919, Bismarck, Ill. Laborer. Member Christian Church. W.W.II-Army, 6-15-1942; assigned Signal Corp. 3 years European Theatre. Res: 1414 Oakwood Ave., Danville, Ill.
- 3i. Harlan Gritten, b. 7-11-1922, Bismarck, Ill. Operating Engineer. Member Church of Christ. W.W.II, Marines, 10-2-1942 to 12-13-1945. m: Frances Urith Parry, 10-19-1946, Danville, Ill. (b. 7-9-1924, dau. Frank D. Parry of Danville, Ill., whose father emigrated to Illinois from North Carolina abt. time of Civil War.) Res: R.R. #2, Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1j. Patricia Anne Gritten, b. 3-3-1950. Adopted.
2j. Ronald Gene Gritten, b. 2-2-1951. Adopted.
- 7h. Ethel Meeker, b. 9-12-1903, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Robert Elias Brown, 7-21-1920, Danville, Ill. (b. 3-6-1898, son of Frank of Bismarck, Ill.) Farmer. Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1i. Verlon L. Brown, b. 8-4-1922, Newell Twp., Bismarck, Ill. W.W.II, 2nd Div. Marines. Welder. Member Pentacostal Church. m: Marie Arlene Branham, 11-22-1945, Danville, Ill. (b. 3-13-1922, dau. Fred Branham of Danville, Ill.) Res: Potomac, Ill.
Ch: 1j. Darlene Louise Brown, b. 12-4-1946.
2j. Karen Sue Brown, b. 2-27-1948
3j. James Lewis Brown, b. 8-4-1953
4j. Judith Ann Brown, b. 7-22-1956
- 2i. Leland E. Brown, b. 1-19-1924, Vermilion Co.,

- Ill. Construction Worker. Member Old Union Church of Christ. W.W.II, Marines, 8-1-1944 to 5-7-1946. m: Dorothy Lynn White, 12-4-1943, Bismarck, Ill. (b. 1-13-1927, dau. Noah White of Vermilion Co., Ill.) Res: 410 W. Lake Terrace St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. Merril Gene Brown, b. 6-13-1944,
2j. Lauren Duane Brown, b. 4-25-1947
3j. Sandra Lee Brown, b. 1-23-1951
4j. Lorie Lynn Brown, b. 7-5-1956
- 3i. Corbelle Brown, b. 8-14-1926, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Perry Edward Todd, 5-26-1946, Danville, Ill. (b. 8-31-1925 son of Harry Greenwood Todd, dec'd. An adopted name). Crane Operator. Members of Pentecostal Church. Res: Rt. #1, Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. Marlena Marie Todd, b. 12-12-1946
2j. Connie Jean Todd, b. 8-10-1948
3j. Dianna Ellen Todd, b. 6-3-1950
4j. Robert Edgar Todd, b. 7-22-1952
- 4i. Luella Brown, b. 9-9-1928, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Jack Dale Edwards, 12-26-1946, Henderson, Ky. (b. 3-19-1929, son Leslie Edwards of Danville, Ill.) Parts Man. Members Old Union Church of Christ. Res: Rt. #1, Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. Nancy Jo Edwards, b. 3-20-1948
2j. Michael Gene Edwards, b. 6-25-1950, Vermilion Co., Ill.
3j. Gregory Scott Edwards, b. 8-24-1956, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 5i. James C. Brown, b. 8-10-1934, Vermilion Co., Ill. Single. Rt. #2, Danville, Ill.
- 6i. Darrell D. Brown, b. 3-17-1941. Single. Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill.
- 8h. Edith Meeker, b. 5-6-1905, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Clarence William Drollinger, 2-4-1920, at Kalamazoo, Mich. (b. Henning, Ill., son of William of Danville, Ill.) Foundry Worker. Members of Christian Church. Mr. Drollinger deceased. Res: 212 1/2 N. Gilbert St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. Pauline Drollinger, b. 8-19-1920, Kalamazoo, Mich. m: Leo Edgar Hines, 3-20-1939, Covington, Ind. (b. 7-1-1902) Carman Mechanic. Presbyterians. Res: 2606 Cannon St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. Peggy Alice Hines, b. 12-6-1939
2j. Edith Mae Hines, b. 7-15-1941
3j. Robert Lee Hines, b. 9-27-1945
4j. Richard Ray Hines, b. 9-6-1947
5j. Betty Ann Hines, b. 8-17-1950
6j. Timothy Alan Hines, b. 5-31-1958
- 2i. Harold Drollinger, b. 2-20-1925, Bismarck, Ill. Farmer. An Elder in the Church of Christ. Served in Army. m: Rosemary Beckelhymer, 2-29-1948, near Silverwood, Ind. (b. 8-26-1929, dau. Joe and Gladys Beckelhymer of Kingman, Ind.) Res: Rt. #2, Kingman, Ind.
- Ch: 1j. Russell Lee Drollinger, b. 12-22-1949
2j. Latricia Ann Drollinger, b. 2-1-1952
3j. Kenneth Wayne Drollinger, b. 12-8-1955
- 3i. Beverly Drollinger, b. 9-20-1926, Bismarck, Ill. m: Carl Philip Butts, 8-19-1943, Veedersburg, Ind. (b. 7-6-1919, son of James Philip Butts of Veedersburg, Ind.) Operator of Gasoline Service Station. W.W.II, Navy. Members United Brethern Church. Res: Rt. #2, Veedersburg, Ind.

- Ch: 1j. James Philip Butts, b. 6-11-1944
 2j. Edith Ellen Butts, b. 12-14-1945
 3j. David William Butts, b. 12-23-1949
- 4i. Margaret Drollinger, b. 12-10-1934, Bismarck, Ill. m: Lester Owen Woodard, 10-10-1954, Catlin, Ill. (b. 12-19-1932, son of Fred Woodard of Fairmount, Ill.) Farmer. Methodists. Res: Rt. #1, Westville, Ill.
 Ch: 1j. Kathlie Jean Woodard, b. 5-11-1955
 2j. Julie Ann Woodard, b. 6-24-1956
 3j. Pamela Sue Woodard, b. 7-25-1957
 4j. Terry Lee Woodard, b. 10-15-1958
- 5i. Mary Lou Drollinger b. 10-27-1936, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Dane William Darr, 1-7-1956, Westville, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1-10-1931, son of George B. Darr of Fairmount, Ill.) Farmer. Members of Church of Christ. Army, Res: Rt. #2, Fairmount, Ill.
 Ch: None.
- 6i. Lavonne Drollinger, b. 3-24-1939, Bismarck, Ill. m: Robert Ollie Clawson, 3-13-1959, Sterling, Ill. (B. 1930, son Ollie Clawson of Veedersburg, Ind.) Employed by The Olin Co., and farms on side. Served in Air Force. Members Christian Church. Res: Rt. #4, Veedersburg, Ind.
 Ch: None.
- 9h. Marjorie Meeker, b. 5-1-1907, Danville, Ill. m: 1st: Theodore Misner, 7-19-1924, Danville, Ill. (b. 4-28-1904, son of John Misner of Vermilion Co., Ill.) Farm Hand. Members of Christian Church.
 Ch: 1i. Helen Lucille Misner, b. 1-17-1925. d. 5-24-1952. m: Mr. Mansfield. They adopted 3 children. Whereabouts unknown.
 m: 2nd: David Schultz, Coal Miner. Res: Box 54 Indianola, Ill.
 Ch: None.
- 10h. Opal Meeker, b. 2-17-1908, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Ernest Norman Holycross, 8-8-1925, Covington, Ill. (b. 11-26-1901, son of Santford Holycross of Vermilion Co.) Truck Driver. Res: Box 89, Alvin, Ill.
 Ch: 1i. Wayne Holycross, b. 3-26-1936 Res: 3526 Ferndale Ave., Danville, Ill.
 2i. Beulah Holycross, b. 7-14-1927, ditto. m: Mr. Denison. Res: Rt. #3, Danville, Ill.
 3i. Floyd Holycross, b. 2-5-1929. Res: 424 Chestnut St., Bridgeport, Ill.
 4i. Paul Holycross, b. 6-27-1933 Res: 837 Madison St., Danville, Ill.
 5i. Robert Holycross, b. 5-1-1936 Res: Rt. #3, Danville, Ill.
 6i. Dean Holycross, b. 6-6-1946. At Home.
- 11h. Orville C. Meeker, b. abt. 1910. Res. Rt. #2, Blount Twp., Danville, Ill.
- 2g. Milo Goodner, b. 1874. Date of death not known. Farmer. Resided in or near Veedersburg, Ind. m: Edith Pearl Dearing, 7-28-1901, Fountain Co., Ind. (b. 1880, dau. H.C. and E.J. Minor.)
 Ch. None.
- 3g. Charles Porter Goodner, b. 4-5-1876, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 11-20-1939, near State Line, Ind. Farmer, m: Mary Jane Seyfert. (b. 1-10-1872. d. 2-3-1951). Resided Bismarck, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Mary E. Goodner, b. 1897. d. 1-31-1919. m: Edward S. Bosum, 9-24-1919, Danville, Ill. (b. 1886, son of Frank and Susan J. Fenton Bosum of Indiana.) His 2nd marriage. Resided in Lafayette, Ind. Block Setter. Ch: None

- 2h. Josie Deane Goodner, b. 12-21-1900, m: Raymond A. Francis, 11-21-1920, Danville, Ill. (b. 1900, Illinois, son of Albert G. Francis and Ida Vastine.) Resided in Bismarck, Ill. At time of marriage was listed as chauffeur; later became Superintendent of the The Robert Holmes Co. of Danville, Ill. Members of Christian Church, Res: 1626 1/2 No. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. Son, Died Infancy.
 2i. Son, Died Infancy.
 3i. Paul Francis, b. 8-23-1921, Single.
 4i. Ruth Francis, b. 4-24-1923, m: Bernard Kelly, 10-12-1946, Pattern Maker, Served in Navy 6 years, Res: 1302 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. James Kelly, b. 4-17-1950
 2j. Denny Kelly, b. 6-20-1953
- 5i. Herbert Francis, b. 8-7-1924, Vermilion Co., Ill. Maintenance Foreman at Robert Holmes Co., Danville, Ill. W.W.II, Medical Corp; 20 months overseas, m: Virginia Lee Thomas, Res: 1639 No. Gilbert, Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1j. Ann Lee Francis, b. 3-12-1947
- 6i. Lois Francis, b. 7-21-1931, Single.
- 3h. Fred Austin Goodner, b. 1-11-1903, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. Employed by Holmes Structural Steel Co. of Danville, Ill. m: Dorothy Hazel Redman, 1-6-1927, Covington, Fountain Co., Ind. (b. 3-3-1908, Newton, Ill., dau. Arthur R. Redman and Clara Etta Cundiff) Res: Rt. #1, Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. Gerald Wayne Goodner, b. 12-4-1927, in Vermilion Co., Ill. Killed in Korean Campaign. m: Lorena Kyger, 3-31-1951, Vermilion Co. (b. 1933) (After death of Gerald, Lorena married Philip K. Bryant, 4-26-1953.)
 2i. Arnold Keith Goodner, b. 8-10-1930, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Doris Arlene McCarley, 7-12-1953, Vermilion Co. (b. 1935). Res: Rt. #1, Blount Twp., Danville, Ill.
 Ch: 1j. Carol Jo Goodner, b. abt. 1955
 3i. Louis Gene Goodner, b. 2-20-1932, Vermilion Co., Ill. Employed by Western Brick Co. m: Genevieve Holden, 3-24-1951, Vermilion Co. (b. 1931). Res: Rt. #2, Potomac, Ill.
 Ch: 1j. Ricky Gene Goodner, b. abt. 1952
 2j. Sheryl Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1954
 4i. Wendell Dale Goodner, b. 7-26-1936, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Dorothy Peck, Res: Rt. #1, Danville, Ill.
 Ch: None.
 5i. Sharon Dianne Goodner, b. 1948
 6i. Terry Lynn Goodner, b. 1951
- 4h. Cora E. Goodner, b. 4-14-1899, d. 1-7-1903. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 5h. Wilber Goodner, Died age 6 weeks. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 6h. Elmer Goodner, b. 6-27-1902, d. Sept. 1927
 Never married.
- 7h. Arthur Goodner, Died at birth.
- 8h. Olive Alberta Goodner, b. 7-6-1905, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Frances L. Johnson, 3-8-1927, Danville, Ill. (b. 1901, Penfield, Ill. Son of Otis and Jessie Dick Johnson). Witnesses to wedding were Elmer Goodner and Doris Nash. Res: Kingman, Ind.
- Ch: 1i. Donald Johnson, b. 11-25-1931. Shipping Clerk.

- m: Bonnie Bostwick, 11-4-1955. Res: Newton, Ind.
Ch: 1j. Donald Anthony Johnson, b. 10-19-1956.
- 2i. Sue Ann Johnson, b. 7-19-1939. Single.
- 3i. Bonnie Johnson, b. 6-12-1943. Single
- 4i. Harlan Johnson, b. 3-24-1945. Single
- 9h. Jessie Edna Goodner, b. 3-10-1905, Vermilion Co.
- 4g. Fred Goodner, b. abt. 1877. d. Dec. 1949. Will filed in Vermilion Co., Ill., 1-7-1950; dated 4-1-1947. m: Ivy D. Meeker, 7-31-1912, Bismarck, Ill. (b. 1891, dau. of Isaac and Lulu Meeker). Witnesses to wedding, Roy and Maggie Meeker. Ivy Preceded Fred in death. Resided in Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer.
Ch: 1h. Laura Bell Goodner, b. 6-17-1913, Vermillion Co., Ill. m: 1st: Lee Davis. No issue. m: 2nd: Mr. Keller.
Ch: 1i. Phyllis Keller.
- 2h. John Isaac Goodner, b. 11-8-1915, Vermilion Co., Ill. Executor of father's estate. m: Pauline R. Cleary, 10-23-1942, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1922). Res: Rt. #3, Bismarck, Ill. No record of issue.
- 3h. Lola Marie Goodner, b. abt. 1917, Vermilion Co. Ill. m: Lorenzo J. Farnsworth, 8-8-1946, Vermilion Co.
Ch. None.
- 5g. William H. Goodner, b. abt. 1878, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Gertie E. Smith, abt. 1900. (d. 11-29-1907, from tuberculosis. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill. Age 36 years.) Resided in Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1h. Esta Cleo Goodner, b. 3-19-1902, Danville, Ill. m: Claude Ray Bannon, or Bannon, Fountain Co., Ind. (b. 11-23-1895, Wingate, Ind., son of Joseph Edward and Clara Belle Livingston Bannon, residents of Williamsport, Ind.)
Ch: 1i. Doris Bannon, m: Gene Curley. b. 6-12-1926
Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1j. Stephan Eugene Curley, b. 1956
2j. Terry Lee Curley, b. 1958
- 2i. Vera Bannon, m: Robert Epperson.
Ch: 1j. Donna Epperson
- 6g. Emma Jane Goodner, B. 11-18-1879, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 12-1-1932, Vermilion Co., Ill. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: John Meeker, 10-7-1896, Vermilion Co. (b. 3-6-1859. d. 2-6-1946. Interred in Johnson Cemetery.) Brother of Lee Sherman Meeker, and son of Edward and Malinda C. Meeker. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: 1h. Alta Meeker, b. 12-25-1897, Henning, Vermilion Co., Ill., m: Clarence Thornbrough, 2-15-1916, Danville, Ill., son of John and Martha Lee Thornbrough. Farmer. Protestant. Res: Rt. #4, Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1i. Ralph Le Roy Thornbrough, b. 2-22-1917; d. 7-10-1933.
- 2i. Dorothy Marie Thornbrough, b. 10-11-1918. m: Roy Clark McDonald. Divorced. Dorothy living with parents.
Ch: 1j. Jack Lee McDonald, b. 11-4-1941.
- 3i. Harold Eugene Thornbrough, b. 6-18-1920. m: Dorothy Ellis. Res: 1515 Lincoln Ave., Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1j. Joyce Christine Thornbrough, b. 9-21-1942, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 2j. Linda Sue Thornbrough, b. 8-15-1947.
- 3j. Elaine Rae Thornbrough, b. 11-7-1948.
Twin of Eileen.
- 4j. Eileen Kae Thornbrough, b. 11-7-1948.
Twin of Elaine.

John Goodner, after death of Rachael, m: 2nd: Dora Jane Gritton, 3-31-1882, Vermilion Co., Ill., Daughter of Laban and Sarah (Potter) Gritton of Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill.

- Ch: None, m: 3rd: Eliza A, Lenover, 2-15-1888, in Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill., her second marriage. She was born in 1848 in Clay Co., Ill., a daughter of William Parnell and Catherine Goodner. (Who is this Catherine Goodner?)
- 2f. Amos Goodner, b, abt, 1849, (Twin of Elizabeth), Vermilion Co., Ill, Farmer, m: Mary E, Blagg, 10-19-1871, Vermilion Co., Ill, Adam Albert, J.P., performing ceremony, No further data,
- 3f. Elizabeth Goodner, b, abt, 1849 (Twin of Amos), Vermilion Co., Ill, m: Richeson White, 3-30-1871, Vermilion Co., Adam Albert, J.P., officiating, Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill,
- Ch: 1g. Henry White, b, abt, 1873, Resided in Danville, Ill,
 2g. Thomas White, b, abt, 1875,
 3g. Harvey White, b, abt, 1877,
 4g. Addie White, b, abt, 1880, m: Mr, Claypool,
 5g. Della White, b, abt, 1882, m: Mr, Potter,
- 4f. Leonard Goodner, b, abt, 1851. Not shown in the 1870 census report, so must have been deceased,
- 5f. Susan A. Goodner, b, abt, 1854, Vermilion Co., Ill, m: Daniel Clapp, 3-24-1878, Vermilion Co., Ill., John J. Cosatt, Minister,
 Ch: 1g. Alfred Clapp, b, abt, 1880,
 2g. Artie Clapp, b, abt, 1882/3,
- 6f. Margaret Goodner, b, abt, 1857, Vermilion Co., Ill, Known as "Maggie", m: Theodore Hackleman, 4-26-1876, Vermilion Co., Ill.; John J. Cosatt, Minister, He was born 1853, Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill,
 Ch: 1g. Fred Hackleman, b, abt, 1878, Vermilion Co., Ill,
 2g. Myrtle Hackleman, b, abt, 1880, Vermilion Co., Ill,
- 7f. Lewis Goodner, b, Sept. 1868, d, 1-8-1890, from typhoid, Interred in Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Farmer, Single,
- 3e. Susan Goodner, b, abt, 1828/30, in either Preble Co., Ohio, or in Vermilion Co., Ill, m: John Johnson, 12-27-1848, Vermilion Co., Ill., Jacob Swisher, Minister, Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill, Both are interred in the Johnson Cemetery, Vermilion Co, Date of deaths unknown,
 Ch: 1f. Ed. Johnson, b, abt, 1851, Resided in Danville, Ill,
 2f. Joe Johnson, b, abt, 1853, Resided in Danville, Ill,
 3f. James Johnson, b, abt, 1860, d, 12-4-1935, Danville, Ill, Resided at one time in Perryville, Ind, m: Laura-----,
 Ch: 1g. Nellie Johnson, m: Mr, Prather,
 2g. Wilber Johnson,
 3g. Delbert Johnson,
 4g. Clarence Johnson,
- 4f. Charles Johnson, Died prior to 1930, Name of wife not known,
 Ch: 1g. Charles Johnson, Jr, Resided in Indianapolis, Ind,
 2g. Blanche Johnson, m: 1st: Mr, Mack, After his death, m: 2nd: Harry Nesbit,
 3g. Leslie Johnson
 4g. Wallie Johnson
 5g. Helen Johnson, m: Ray Dodd, Res: Indianapolis, Ind,
- 5f. Ike Johnson, Died prior to 1930, Name of wife not known,
 Ch: 1g. Frank Johnson, Dec'd, by 1933,
 2g. Edith Johnson, m: Albert Husselbec, Res: Stanton, Calif,
 3g. J. Dee Johnson, d, 1955,
 4g. Bree C. Johnson, b, 7-17-1885, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill, Painter and Decorator, m: Ethel Huffman, Res: 1208 Harmon, Danville, Ill,
 Ch: 1h. Robert James Johnson, Married, and resides at 111 2nd St., Tilton, Ill,
 Ch: 1i. Martin James Johnson,
 5g. Howard Johnson, Res: 416 Van Buren, Danville, Ill,
 6g. Hughie Johnson, Res: Hoopeston, Ill,
 7g. Herbie Johnson, d, 1955,
- 6f. John Johnson, Name of wife not known,
 Ch: 1g. Roy Johnson, Dec'd,
 2g. Ross Johnson, Dec'd,
 3g. Carl Johnson
- 7f. Marjorie Johnson, b, Aug, 1861, d, Sept. 1922, Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill,

m: Everett Van Vickle. (b. 3-3-1848. d. Oct. 1928)

Ch: 1g. Coy Van Vickle, b. 6-3-1880. Name of wife not known. Res: 3103 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill.

Ch: 1h. Ralph Van Vickle

2h. Roland Gerome Van Vickle

2g. Ray Van Vickle, Dec'd.

3g. Charles Van Vickle, Dec'd.

4g. Mack Van Vickle, Res: Washta, Iowa.

5g. Jude Van Vickle, Dec'd.

5g. Bart Van Vickle, b. 3-30-1890, Blount Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill.

Farmer. Member of Church of Christ. Res: Rt. #2, Danville, Ill. m: 1st Ethel Claypool. She died. m: 2nd Mary Clugalobe. She died. m: 3rd: Geneva Agnes Miller, 9-5-1953, Danville, Ill., dau. of Joseph and Christina Miller of Danville, Ill. Has no issue of own, but has a step-son, Leon Eugene Curley who married Doris Bannon, a daughter of Esta Cleo Goodner Bannon.

4e. Son. b. abt. 1830. Name not known, but data shows on census returns.

- 2d. Rebecca Goodner, b. abt. 1800, in Kentucky. Her birth occurred after the date the census was taken in Guilford Co., N.C., as her name does not appear. m: Eli Huit (Hewitt); 9-26-1826, Preble Co., Ohio, by Jacob Bowman, J.P. Eli Hewitt is believed to have been a son of Philip Hewitt, who emigrated from North Carolina to Preble County, Ohio, in 1807, settling on Banta Creek, in a location where some five years later Walter Goodner settled. The Hewitts were of Scotch-Irish ancestry. The district in which both families settled was laid out into Lanier Township.

We have no further data on Rebecca and Eli, but in the census returns of 1850, 1860, and 1870 of Vermilion Co., Ill., to which place the Goodners moved, there is shown an Eli Hewitt, age 44, born in North Carolina, with wife, Mary, age 52, naming children as follows:-

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| 1. David Hewitt. b. 1837 | 4. Nancy Hewitt. b. 1837 |
| 2. James Hewitt. b. 1834 | 5. Isaac Hewitt. b. 1842 |
| 3. Mary Hewitt. b. 1836 | 6. Reuben Hewitt. b. 1848 |

Whether this was the same Eli, with a second wife, is not now known, but if so, some of the children, especially David, could have been by Rebecca. This Mary is shown as having been born in Kentucky in 1798 in the 1850 census. In the 1860 census her birthplace was given as North Carolina, and corrected again to Kentucky in the 1870 census returns. Living with Eli, in the 1850 census returns, was an aged female, Eleanor Prather, age 84, which may have been the mother of Mary. Please note the Hewitt families shown in the Census Returns which appear in the rear of this book.

- 3d. David Goodner, b. 2-23-1807, Kentucky. d. 11-8-1858, Vermilion Co., Ill. One report is to the effect that he was buried in the Mt. Pisgah Cemetery near Georgetown, Ill., and another to the effect that he was buried in the Concord Cemetery. David accompanied his parents from Kentucky to Preble Co., Ohio, about the year 1812, when he was just a mere lad. He grew to manhood on his father's farm in Lanier Township in Preble County. Married Elizabeth Moore, 8-11-1829, in Preble Co., Ohio, N. Benjamin, J.P., officiating. Elizabeth was born in Virginia in 1810, and died in Vermilion Co., Ill., 12-15-1856, age 46 years 10 months, and 4 days.
- Ch. 1e. William E. Goodner, b. 1830, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 11-24-1853. Interred in Mt. Pisgah Cemetery near Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill. It is told that he died of the measles, having ventured out of doors too soon. He was not married. Believed to be the same as "Eli", shown in the 1850 census returns.

2e. Mary Goodner, b. abt. 1834, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: David B. Weir, Jr., 1-13-1859, Vermilion Co., Ill., W.M. Kidd, Minister of M. P. Church officiating.

Ch: 1f. P. A. Weir, b. abt. 1861. Resided in Villa Grove, Ill.

2f. Malinda Weir, b. abt. 1863. m: Mr. Sizler. No further data.

3f. Viola Weir, b. abt. 1865. m: Mr. Bales. Res: Oakwood, Ill.

Ch: 1g. William Bales.

(Donald Bales, E. Water St., Oakwood, Ill., is of this line.)

3e. Samuel Goodner, b. abt. 1838. No data. May have died young.

4e. Catherine Goodner, b. abt. 1840. Known as "Kathy Ann". m: John T. Smith, 4-3-1864, Vermilion Co., Ill. R. M. Martin, Pastor of Church of Christ officiating. At time of marriage, Catherine was living with her brother, George Washington Goodner.

Ch: 1f. Emberson Smith, b. abt. 1865. Res: 1930, Hammond, Ind.

2f. Mattie Smith, b. abt. 1867. m: Mr. Cook. Res: Georgetown, Ill.

3f. Samuel Smith, b. abt. 1868/9. Resided in Danville, Ill.

4f. Belle Smith, b. abt. 1870, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Stevens

Ch: 1g. Clarence Stevens, Res: Swifton, Ark.

- 2g. Ira Stevens, Res: Mammouth, Ark.
- 3g. Edna Stevens, Res: Noble, Ill.
- 5e. George Washington Goodner, b. 5-7-1841, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 1-11-1916, Breckenridge, Mo., where he was interred. Farmer. Resided after marriage for some time in Vermilion Co., later moving to Breckenridge, Mo. m: 1st: Sarah E. Gebhart, 3-25-1858, Vermilion Co., Ill. Rev. W. N. Kidd of Methodist Episcopal Church officiating. Sarah was born in 1844, and died prior to 1870.
- Ch: 1f. Rose Belle Goodner, b. 2-17-1859, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 11-13-1938, Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Samuel A. Atwood, 1-28-1876, in Vermilion Co., Ill., Rev. Thomas Snyder, officiating. Consent to marriage given by father. Mr. Atwood was a farmer, and resided in Vermilion Co. He retired in 1904 and moved to Oklahoma City, with his family accompanying him. He was born 1-4-1855 and died 5-18-1948. Both he and wife interred in Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. George Atwood, b. 6-8-1877, Vermillion Co., Ill. d. 1933. m: Ivy Irene Sandfort. (b. 6-27-1888. d. 1931) Daughter of H. J. Sandfort. Moved to Oklahoma City with father, and interred there.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Louise Atwood, b. 3-30-1922, at Oklahoma City, Okla. Only child. m: Dr. Bill J. Simon, M.D., 9-22-1945, at Medicine Lodge, Kansas. (b. 1-1-1925, son of Clyde Simon of Alva, Okla.) Army 2 years. Methodist. Res: Perry, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. Michael Richard Simon, b. 3-1-1942
- 2i. Andrea Simon, b. 7-3-1946
- 3i. Bill J. Simon, Jr., b. 2-2-1949
- 2g. Maud Atwood, b. 3-23-1879, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Edward L. Craig, 10-4-1899, Danville, Ill. (b. 10-24-1875). Farmed while in Illinois. After removal to Oklahoma City, became an inspector for a Loan Company. Presbyterians. Res: 725 N.E. 39th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Robert Lester Craig, b. 7-29-1908. Res: 1005 N.W. 49th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 2h. Frieda Lucile Craig, b. 8-17-1910. m: Mr. Hill. Res: 725 N.E. 39th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 3g. Robert E. Atwood, b. 6-16-1881, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. Now retired. Moved to Oklahoma with father. m: Grace Van Allen, 10-14-1903, Danville, Ill. (b. 7-28-1878, dau. of John Van Allen of Danville, Ill.) Res: 2435 N.W. 12th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
- Ch. None.
- 4g. Walter Atwood, b. Vermilion Co., Ill. abt. 1883. Moved to Oklahoma City, Okla., with father, and still resides there. Married, and father of two children.
- George Washington Goodner m: 2nd: Hulda Jane Noble ("Jennie"), 7-9-1884, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 5-6-1863, near Muncie, Ind., dau. of Anthony Wayne Noble and Harriett Steen). Date of marriage given by daughter, Georgia, is 1-10-1884, which is no doubt the correct date. Moved to Chillicothe, Mo., in 1886 or 1887.
- Ch: 2f. Georgia Goodner, b. 1-31-1885, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Columbus Beryle Vans Coy, 4-9-1905, at Chillicothe, Mo. (b. 5-14-1885, son of John and Harriett Vans Coy of Chillicothe) He died 8-2-1953. Interred in Seattle, Wash. Farmer and Dairyman. Baptists. Georgia resides 607 Reed St., Sedro Wooley, Wash.
- 1g. Dean Kathleen Vans Coy, b. 1-23-1906, Chillicothe, Mo. m: John Henry Davis, 7-20-1925, Tipton, Iowa. (b. 8-28-1899, son of Effie Davis of Tipton, Iowa.) Army, - W.W.I Farmer. Res: Clarence, Iowa.
- Ch: 1h. Ruth Kathleen Davis, b. 7-11-1926, Tipton, Iowa. m: Anton Wiskus of Clarence, Iowa, 11-23-1943. (b. 3-13-1918, Carroll, Iowa.) Res: Mechanicsville, Iowa
- Ch: 1i. Martha Ann Wiskus, b. 4-2-1945
- 2i. Kenneth Joqn Wiskus, b. 3-10-1947
- 3i. David Anton Wiskus, b. 4-3-1951
- 4i. Pat Wiskus, b. 1951.) Both
- 5i. Steve Wiskus, b. 1954) adopted.
- 2h. James Henry Davis, b. 8-2-1928, Tipton, Iowa. m: Lorraine Behrens of Milwaukee, Wisc., 7-24-1954. (b. 11-5-1934, Milwaukee.) T/Sgt. Air Force. Res: St. Paul 17, Minn.
- Ch: 1i. Glenn Allen Davis, b. 4-27-1955, at Milwaukee,

Wisc.

- 3h. William John Davis, b. 5-21-1934, Tipton, Iowa. m: Mary Lou Tipton of Anamosa, Iowa, 1-19-1957. Employed at Iowa Mfg. Co., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Ch: 1i. Theresa Jo Lane Davis, b. 7-4-1958, at Anamosa, Iowa.
- 2g. Robert Lee Vans Coy, b. 3-18-1908, Chillicothe, Mo. Farmer. Served 3 years in Air Corp. Baptist. m: Margaret Matilda Buckwalter, 9-20-1941, Chillicothe, Mo. (b. 5-30-1920, dau. Charles Buckwalter of Genesco, Ill.) Res: Rt. #1, Mechanicsville, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Marlene Jean Vans Coy, b. 1-20-1942
2h. Rosetta Vans Coy, b. 5-6-1943. d. aged 5 mo.
3h. Marvin Robert Vans Coy, b. 10-17-1950
4h. Marie Kathleen Vans Coy, b. 4-9-1952
5h. Rosemary Darlene Vans Coy, b. 12-5-1953
- 3g. Dorothy Grace Vans Coy, b. 7-20-1917, Chillicothe, Mo. m: Kenneth Spaulding Bechtel, 4-8-1938, Seattle, Wash. (b. Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Son of Charles Oliver Bechtel) Served Marine Corp., 1934-1938. Methodist. Display and Advertising Man. Res: Mt. Vernon, Wash.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Charles Bechtel, b. 9-26-1939, at Mechanicsville, Iowa.
2h. Ov. Eugene Bechtel, b. 8-21-1941, Anamosa, Iowa.
3h. Shawn Kay Bechtel, b. 12-13-1942, Seattle, Wash.
4h. Sandra Mae Bechtel, b. 5-22-1948, Seattle, Wash.
5h. Edward Allen Bechtel, b. 10-22-1951, Seattle, Wash.
6h. James Dean Bechtel, b. 6-25-1954, Seattle, Wash.
- 3f. Charles Grover Goodner, b. 1888, near Chillicothe, Mo. d. 2-14-1959, Colorado Springs, Colo., from cancer. Barber. m: Phyllis Chloe Loner, 6-14-1914. (b. 7-19-1891). Widow resides at 614 E. St. Elmo St., Colorado Springs, Colo.
Ch: 1g. Charles Grover Goodner, Jr., b. 10-15-1917, Chillicothe, Mo. Grad. Univ. of Colorado, with Degree in Chemical Engineering, 1958. Employed in Bureau of Standards, and stationed in Boulder, Colo. Veteran of W.W.II and Korean Campaign. m: Geane Maori Hinkley, 9-26-1943, Colorado Springs, Colo. (b. 12-3-1919, dau. C. J. Hinkley of Colorado Springs). Members of Presbyterian Church. Res: 365 S. 39th St., Colorado Springs, Colo.
Ch: 1h. Ronald Lee Goodner, b. 8-2-1947
2h. Donna Geane Goodner, b. 12-19-1955
- 2g. Roberta Goodner, b. 1920. d. 1921.
- 3g. William Francis Goodner, b. 3-12-1924, Colorado Springs, Colo., Grad. Univ. of Colorado. Captain in U.S. Air Force. Was stationed at Wright-Patterson AFB, Dayton, Ohio. Transferred in 1958 to Colorado Springs, Colo., as Asst. Professor of Biology at the Air Force Academy; established the Life Science Division for the Academy; at present, 1959, devoted to Physiology and Space Physiology. m: Carol Brooks, Colorado Springs, Colo. (b. 6-17-1924, Colorado Springs, Colo.) Res: Quarters 4411 J, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs.
Ch: 1h. Gretchen Gay Goodner, b. 10-4-1951, Colo. Springs.
2h. Jeffrey Goodner, b. 8-28-1953, Colorado Springs.
3h. Barbara Goodner, b. 12-24-1954, San Mateo, Calif.
4h. Child. b. June, 1958. Colorado Springs, Colo.
- 4f. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 3-10-1890. d. 5 days.
- 6e. America ("Meck") Goodner, b. 1842, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: 1st: Samuel Hay, 8-2-1868, Vermilion Co., Ill., Rev. R. M. Martin, officiating. m: 2nd: Tom Salisbury of Danville, Ill. Resided in Danville. No issue by either marriage.
- 7e. Priscilla Goodner, b. 1844, Vermilion Co., Ill. No record.
- 8e. Louisa Jane Goodner, b. 1845. m: Isaac N. White, 6-16-1865, Vermilion Co., Ill., Allen Whitlock, Minister.
Ch: 1f. Anna White, b. abt. 1867. m: Mr. Knight. Res: Bryant, Ind.
- 9e. Margaret Caroline Goodner, b. abt. 1846, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Aaron Glick, 9-8-1870, Vermilion Co., Ill., D. Brewer, Minister. Resided in Perrysville, Ind.
Ch: 1f. Jennie Glick, Dec'd.
2f. George Glick, Resided in Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill.
3f. Floy Glick, Dec'd.

- 4f. Frances Glick, Dec'd.
- 10e. Joseph Pleasant Goodner, b. 1849, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 6-23-1917, near Rochester, Ind., and interred near there. Farmer. Moved to Rochester, Ind. vicinity in March 1903, after living for awhile in Missouri. m: Catherine Glick, 11-4-1869, Vermilion Co., Ill. (d. 4-30-1931; interred near Rochester, Ind.)
Ch: 1f. Clara Goodner, b. abt. 1870. d. April 1953. Interred in Springfield, Ill. m: Mr. Whitlock.
Ch: 1g. Gladys Whitlock. m: Mr. Stansberry. Res: 4155 Pillsberry Ave., Minneapolis 9, Minn.
2g. Donna Whitlock. m: Mr. Jones. Res: 615 W. 23rd, Pueblo, Colo.
3g. Chester Whitlock. Res: 712 W. Illinois St., Springfield, Ill.
4g. Lawrence Whitlock. Res: Pueblo, Colo.
- 2f. Melissa Goodner, b. 1874, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. Jan. 1947. Interred in Chrisman, Ill. m: Jesse A. Chandler, 9-30-1900, at Ridge Farm, Ill. (b. 1875, son or James S. and wife, who was a Miss Bennett). Resided in Ridge Farm and Chrisman, Ill.
Ch: 1g. Bernice Chandler, m: Mr. Matthews. Res: Chrisman, Ill.
2g. Esther Chandler, m: Mr. Morris. Res: Chrisman, Ill.
- 3f. Lucinda (Lou Cinda) Goodner, b. 9-26-1875, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Edward S. Whitlock (b. 6-22-1874. d. March 1922. From Illinois) Building Contractor. Res: Pueblo, Colo.
Ch: 1g. Dwight Whitlock, b. abt. 1912. Res: 6931 4th St., Albuquerque, N.M.
2g. Catherine Whitlock, b. 5-23-1914, Pueblo, Colo. Single. Government Accountant Methodist. Res: 739 Oakland St., Apt. 6, Arlington, Va.
- 4f. Joseph Aaron Goodner, b. 7-24-1879, Vermilion Co., Ill. Resided in Danville, Ill., and Indianapolis, Ind. d. July 1938. Interred in Indianapolis, Ind. m:-----, 8-7-1902.
Ch: 1g. Lester L. Goodner, b. 4-8-1904. m: Martha Elizabeth Hankins, abt. 1933. Res: 1229 N. Oxford, Indianapolis, Ind.
Ch: 1h. Jerry Martin Goodner, b. 7-1-1934. d. at birth.
2h. Gail Gertrude Goodner, b. 7-21-1936. m: Harry F. Pitts, 6-10-1956, a Minister in the Christian Church. Res: Rt. #3, Madisonville, Ky.
Ch. 1i. Scott Franklin Pitts, b. 4-7-1957
2i. Mark Pitts, b. 1958
- 5f. Claudia Elizabeth Goodner, b. 3-14-1882, Elwood Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Omer Rouch. Farmer. Res: Rochester, Ind. At one time resided near Fulton, Ind.
Ch: None.
- 6f. Noble O. Goodner, b. 2-14-1891, Missouri. Farmer. Baptist. Moved to Rochester, Ind., with parents, m: Vernie Cleo Fry, 2-23-1916. (b. 9-30-1891, dau. Samuel and Sarah Fry) Res: Rt. #6, Rochester, Ind.
Ch: 1g. Mary Louise Goodner, b. 2-25-1917, Fulton, Ind. Single, Residing with parents.
2g. Walter Goodner, b. 8-4-1919, Fulton, Ind. Farmer and School Custodian. m: Mary Alice Hendee, 12-17-1941, Royal Center, Ind. (b. 11-29-1919, dau. of Earl and Elsie Hendee of Royal Center, Ind.) Res: Fulton, Ind. R.R.
Ch: 1h. Jean Ann Goodner, b. 6-21-1944
2h. Linda Lou Goodner, b. 1-24-1949
- 3g. Dorothy Goodner, b. 9-14-1921, Fulton, Ind. m: Donald A. Burton, 4-19-1941, Fulton, Ind. (b. 6-27-1920, son of Fred A. Burton of Fulton, Ind.) W.W.II, 2 years; stationed in Japan. Machinist. Members Bethany Bible Church. Res: 3139 E. Elm St., Phoenix, Ariz.
Ch: 1h. Donald Raymond Burton, b. 6-15-1943
2h. Joe Allen Burton, b. 2-9-1948
3h. William Goodner Burton, b. 10-2-1950
- 4g. Vera Goodner, b. 9-14-1925, Fulton, Ind. d. 6-14-1946. Interred in Fulton, Ind.
- 5g. Esther Goodner, b. 3-23-1928, Fulton, Ind. m: Wayne Miller. Res: Rochester, Ind.
- 11e. Lucinda Goodner, b. abt. 1851. m: Mr. Roland.
Ch: 1f. Belle Roland
2f. May Roland
- 12e. Martha S. ("Mattie") Goodner, b. abt. 1852/2, Vermilion Co., Ill. In 1870, resided with

Charles Knowland and wife, Lucinda, Vance Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Charles Mitchell, 8-16-1872, Vermilion Co., Ill. Jacob Yapp, Minister. Moved to vicinity of Portland, Oregon.

Ch: 1f. D. P. Mitchell, b. abt. 1874. Res: Dayton, Wash.
 2f. Fred Mitchell, b. abt. 1875. Res: San Francisco, Calif.
 3f. Donna Mitchell, b. abt. 1877. m: Mr. Berry. Res: Portland, Ore.
 4f. Phebe Mitchell, b. abt. 1879. m: Mr. Vanderkelen. Resided in Milwaukee, Ore.
 Ch: 1g. Charles J. Vanderkelen. No data.

5f. George Mitchell, b. abt. 1880.

4d. Jacob Goodner, b. abt. 1810/2, Preble Co., Ohio, or in Kentucky. Farmer. Moved to Vermilion Co., Ill., with father. d. abt. 1845, in Vermilion Co. Interred there. m: Lovinia Ritter, nee Moss, a widow, 8-18-1839, Vermilion Co. Ceremony performed by Rev. John C. Ashby of the C.C. Church. Lovinia had a son by her marriage to Mr. Ritter; his name was John H. Ritter, b. abt. 1834. Lavinia, after the death of Jacob, married Joel Goodner, a brother to Jacob.

Ch: 1e. Mahala Goodner, b. abt. 1839/40, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 1-30-1921, Crescent, Iowa. m: Jacob Moss. (b. 1834/5, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 4-10-1897, Crescent, Iowa.

Ch: 1f. William Leroy Moss, b. 6-13-1860, Decatur Co., Iowa. d. 12-21-1922. Never married.

2f. Cynthia Ann Moss, b. 8-18-1861. d. 8-15-1868. Decatur Co., Iowa.

3f. Mary Moss, b. 3-6-1865. d. 6-30-1865. Decatur Co., Iowa

4f. Leslie Moss, b. 10-29-1871. d. Aug. 1879. Decatur Co., Iowa.

5f. Marion Moss, b. abt. 1873/4. d. 3-16-1919. Single.

6f. Frank Moss, b. Decatur Co., Iowa. Dec'd. Single.

7f. George Moss, Dec'd. Single.

8f. Millie Moss, b. Decatur Co., Iowa. m: Mr. Peterson.

Ch: 1g. Fred Peterson

2g. Edna Peterson

3g. Rose Peterson

4g. Dora Peterson

5d. Margaret Goodner, b. 1810/20, in either Kentucky or Preble Co., Ohio. m: Mr. Hewitt. No record of marriage is on file in either Preble County or Vermilion Co., Ill., as Margaret. The following record of issue was given to me by Mrs. Hulda Finley of Grand Blanc, Mich.

Ch: 1e. David Hewitt. Name of wife not known. (Only one David Hewitt appears in the 1850 census return of Vermilion Co., Ill., and he was a son of an Eli Hewitt)

Ch: 1f. Armanda Hewitt. m: Mr. Bennett. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

2f. Armintha Hewitt. m: Mr. Martin. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

3f. Anna Hewitt. m: Mr. Dunnihoo. Resided in Shattuck, Okla.

4f. Abbie Hewitt. m: Mr. Finley. Resided in Fairmount, Ill.

5f. James Hewitt. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

6f. John Hewitt. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

7f. William Hewitt. Resided in Danville, Ill.

8f. Harmon Hewitt. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

9f. Lemon Hewitt. Resided in Perryville, Ind.

2e. Lillie Hewitt. m: Mr. Barr.

Ch: 1f. Curtis Barr. Resided in Detroit, Mich.

2f. Carrie Barr. m: Mr. Sprouls. Resided in Danville, Ill.

3f. Opal Barr. m: Mr. Morgan. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

4f. Charles Barr. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

5f. Claudia Barr. m: Mr. Clifton. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

6f. Celesta Barr. m: Mr. Winsette. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

7f. Edna Barr. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

3e. Olive Hewitt. m: Mr. Ashby

Ch: 1f. Albert Ashby. Resided in Los Angeles, Calif.

2f. Warren Ashby. Resided in Los Angeles, Calif.

3f. John Ashby. Resided in Homer, Ill.

4f. David Ashby. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

5f. Ernest Ashby. Resided in Danville, Ill.

6f. Myrtle Ashby. m: Mr. Dunnihoo.

7f. Mildred Ashby. m: Mr. Henthorn. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.

4e. Abline Hewitt, b. Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Strader

Ch: 1f. Sansbury Strader

2f. David Strader

3f. Almina Strader. m: Mr. Branam

Ch: 1g. Minnie Branam. m: Mr. Bantz

- Ch: 1h. Frances Bantz, m: Mr. Miller
- 6d. Joel Goodner, b. abt. 1813/4, Preble Co., Ohio, d. 3-14-1904, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Farmer. m: 1st: Mary Tickle, 1-31-1835, Vermilion Co., Ill. Ceremony performed by Henry Martin, J.P. Residence at this time, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1e. Samuel Goodner, b. abt. 1835. At age 16, about the time his father moved to Iowa, he is reported to have left home and joined the Army. He was never heard from again. Dept. of Archives, General Services Adm., Washington, D. C., has no record of army service. After death of Mary, Joel m: 2nd: Margaret Goodner, 11-22-1840, Vermilion Co., Ill., the widow of his brother, John. Ceremony was performed by Hezekiah Rogers, Minister of the Baptist Church. Resided in Vermilion County.
- Ch: 2e. Cela I. Goodner, b. abt. 1841, Vermilion Co., Ill. No data.
- 3e. Polly Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1843/4, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 1877, Iowa. m: Isham Hoskins. (b. 6-10-1835. d. 9-11-1909, son of Elza Hoskins and Mary (Polly) Hall.) Resided in Cresent, Iowa.
- Ch: 1f. Ranson Hoskins, b. 1860, Cresent, Iowa. d. 11-19-1916, Omaha, Neb. m: Mary Elizabeth Page, 3-25-1885. (b. abt. 1862, Boomer Twp., Pottawattamie Co., Iowa; dau. of Thomas Page and Margaret Metcap. Interred in Honeycreek, Pottawattamie Co., Iowa.
- Ch: 1g. Gordon Hoskins, b. 1895/6. Adopted.
- 2f. Mahala Jane Hoskins, b. 7-6-1862, Honeycreek, Iowa. m: Neasbert Allen Boyd, 12-16-1877, Cresent, Iowa. (b. 1-7-1852, Honeycreek, Iowa. Son of William Alfred Boyd and Barbara Eleanor Baclard) Neasbert d. 6-21-1907, Kansas City, Kansas. Interred Hill City, Kansas.
- Ch: 1g. Arthur Columbus Boyd, b. 10-24-1879, Cresent, Iowa. d. 4-10-1915, Hill City, Kansas. m: 1st: Carrie M. Lewis, 4-15-1901, Hill City, Kansas. (b. 3-4-1878, Esbon, Kansas. d. 9-24-1910, Hill City, Kansas. Daughter of Nathaniel Zebulon Lewis and Phoebe T. Westbrook)
- Ch: None. m: 2nd: Mary Blanche Hamilton, 11-27-1913, at Gatcheville, Pa. (b. 3-8-1890, Gatcheville, Pa., dau. William Henry Hamilton and Sarah Jane Kerr)
- Ch: 1h. Anna Melissa Boyd, b. 1-25-1915, Hill City, Kan. m: Arthur Theodore Sloan, 9-16-1935, Canon City, Colo. (b. 11-9-1900, Norton, Kansas, son of Levi Adam Sloan and Alventine Kine) Res: 509 N. Jones St., Norton, Kansas.
- Ch: 1i. Iris Marie Sloan, b. 8-12-1936.
- 2i. Dorothy Sloan, b. 5-17-1946.
- 3i. Howard Ralph Sloan, b. 9-16-1948.
- 4i. Arthur Lee Sloan, b. 7-25-1950
- (All born in Norton, Kansas)
- 2g. Charles Herman Boyd, b. 5-12-1881, Cresent, Iowa. d. 12-13-1942, Pasadena, Calif. Interred in Glendale, Calif. m: Osie Vida Chilcoat, 9-2-1908, Hill City, Kansas. (b. 10-22-1887, Howells, Neb., dau. Joel Thrapps Chilcoat and Alice Cornelia Whittier)
- Ch: 1h. Ethel Shirley Boyd, b. 11-27-1909, Hill City, Kansas. d. 11-29-1908.
- 2h. Everett Allen Boyd, b. 12-17-1910, Hill City, Kansas. Member of Church of Jesus Christ and Latter Day Saints. m: Lera Le Vona Lockett, 9-20-1929. (b. 4-28-1913, Henley, Mo., dau. of Emmett Bausch Lockett and Lucy Marie Richardson.) Res: 14845 Calpella Ave., La Mirada, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Dolores La Jean Boyd, b. 7-6-1930, Grand Island, Neb. m: Harry Carlton Pace, 9-7-1947, Las Vegas, Nev. (b. 2-15-1929, at Altadena, Calif., son of James Henry Pace and Thelma June Mayberry)
- Ch: 1j. Gregory Carlton Pace, b. 4-16-1948
- 2j. Roxannie Jean Pace, b. 9-30-1950
- 3j. Geoffrey Gent Pace, b. 4-23-1953
- (All born in Pasadena, Calif.)
- m: 2nd: Harry Walter Weger, 8-19-1959, Bellflower, Calif. (b. 7-1-1923, at Whittier, Calif., son of Harry Lee Weger and Carmelita Pearl Rainger)
- Res: 1626 S. Vallecito Dr., La Puente, Calif.
- Ch: None.
- 2i. Roxanne Lee Boyd, b. 2-12-1936, Grand Island,

- Neb. m: Gaylord Warren Newton, 6-23-1956, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 7-22-1933, Pasadena, Calif., son of Sherman Gaylord Newton and Bertha Marie Bleick). Res: 4822 Rio Hondo, Temple City, Calif.
Ch: None.
- Everett Allen Boyd divorced. m: 2nd: Helen Gudmundsen, 12-27-1944, Las Vegas, Nevada. (b. 1-4-1914, Magna, Utah, dau. Abel Gudman Gudmundsen and Mary Jane Wall). Her 2nd marriage, her first marriage being to Heber Chase Smith, which led to divorce.
Ch: 3i. Richard Allen Boyd, b. 7-29-1949, Alhambra, Calif.
4i. David Charles Boyd, b. 7-10-1951, Alhambra, Calif.
- 3h. Lois Winifred Boyd, b. 4-2-1915, Hill City, Kan. m: 1st: Elmo Arnold Cothorn, 1-5-1929, Sterling, Colo. (b. 12-10-1908, son of George Francis Cothorn and Mary Elizabeth Arnold). Divorced.
Ch: 1i. Betty Lavonne Cothorn, b. 9-30-1929, Grand Island, Neb. m: Richard Wayne Huffman, 10-11-1947, Los Angeles, Calif. (b. 12-8-1926, Englewood, Colo., son of Frank Wayland Huffman and Beulah May Mohn.)
Ch: 1j. Rebecca Lavonne Huffman, b. 8-11-1948, Hollister, Calif.
2j. Kathleen Jean Huffman, b. 7-25-1950, Hollister, Calif.
3j. Janet Marie Huffman, b. 10-4-1951, Hollister, Calif.
4j. Frank Richard Huffman, b. 7-26-1953, Hollister, Calif.
2i. Teddy George Cothorn, b. 6-14-1932, Grand Island, Neb. m: Geraldine Faye Woods, 11-2-1953. (b. 2-4-1936, dau. of Estill Bryan Woods and Minnie Leota Hall.)
Ch: 1j. Deborah Jean Cothorn, b. 8-19-1954, Brawley, Calif.
2j. Michael Eugene Cothorn, b. 12-21-1955, Brawley, Calif.
3j. Rolanda Lois Cothorn, b. 7-23-1958, Brawley, Calif.
3i. Ronald Lee Cothorn, b. 1-18-1943, South Pasadena, Calif.
- Lois m: 2nd: Harold Dewey Gardner, 1-23-1948. (b. 11-13-1895, son of Gene Milton Gardner and Mary Dewey). Res: 3465 Cabrillo, Santa Clara, Calif.
Ch: None.
- 4h. Arthur Erdly Boyd, b. 8-6-1915, Hill City, Kan. m: Mary Blanche Holmes, 6-15-1935. (b. 10-21-1910, Bodie Mono, Calif., dau. of John Alexander Holmes and Mary Ann Gray). Divorced. Res: P. O. Box 893, Prescott, Ariz.
Ch: None. m: 2nd: Joyce Melzora Copeland, 8-5-1944, Las Vegas, Nev. (b. 3-9-1921, Phoenix, Ariz., dau. James Alfred Copeland and Lola Parker Smith.)
Ch: 1i. John Arthur Boyd, b. 5-28-1950, at Prescott, Ariz.
2i. Michael Brian Boyd, b. 6-28-1953, Prescott, Ariz.
3i. Terry Elaine Boyd, b. 11-20-1958, Albuquerque, N.M.
- 5h. Vera Jean Boyd, b. 11-25-1917, Hill City, Kansas. m: Gunnar Oliver Sondeno, 4-2-1942, South Pasadena, Calif. (b. 12-7-1915, Stanwood, Wash., son of John Sondeno and Esther Matilda Rodman) Res: 743 South St., Hollister, Calif.
Ch: 1i. John Rodman Sondeno, b. 11-27-1944, Ottumwa, Iowa.

- 2i. Christine Yvonne Sondeno, b. 4-29-1946, San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- 3i. Randolph Gunnar Sondeno, b. 10-23-1949, Hollister, Calif.
- 3g. Mary Ellen Boyd, b. 5-7-1883, Crescent, Iowa. m: William Virgil Teeter, 12-25-1905, Centerville, Iowa. (b. 9-21-1875, son of Eli Burton Teeter and Mary Elizabeth Snell). Res: Grinnell, Kansas.
- Ch: 1h. Joseph Virgil Teeter, b. 5-22-1912, Grinnell, Kansas. d. 6-19-1937. Single.
- 2h. Mary Zelma Teeter, b. 9-1-1914, Grinnell, Kan. m: Dorman Giddings, 8-7-1940, Sandusky, Mich. (b. 12-27-1906, Corona, Calif., son of Silas Reed Giddings and Maud Rosaltha Mansfield).
- Ch: 1i. Mary Rozellen Giddings, b. 5-10-1941, Blythe, Calif.
2i. Virgil Reed Giddings, b. 12-21-1944, Riverside Calif.
3i. Woodrow Dorman Giddings, b. 11-29-1948, Grand Island, Neb.
- 3h. Leslie Woodrow Teeter, b. 8-22-1916, Grinnell, Kan. Twin. m: Bernice Emily Wilcox, 10-11-1954, Jennings, Kan. (b. 10-12-1914, dau. Robert Leroy Wilcox and Nettie Matilda Swendener) Res: Grinnell, Kansas.
Ch: None.
- 4h. Wesley Monroe Teeter, b. 8-22-1916, Grinnell, Kan. m: Doris Frances Schoenfeld, 10-22-1942, Wakeeney, Kan. (b. 7-31-1922, Park, Kan., dau. Martin Schoenfeld and Mary Marie Ploger) Res: Grinnell, Kansas.
Ch: 1i. Donald Ray Teeter, b. 1-22-1947.
2i. Mary Jane Teeter, b. 12-5-1949.
(Both born in Grinnell, Kansas)
- 5h. Ammon Moroni Teeter, b. 10-13-1921, Grinnell, Kan. m: Mary Magdaline Seat, 12-27-1951, Mangum, Okla. (b. 11-8-1929, dau. Clarence Toral Seat and Elizabeth Omev Brown, b. Mangum, Okla.) Res: Grinnell, Kansas.
Ch: 1i. Victoria Elizabeth Teeter, b. 10-24-1952, Oakley, Kansas
2i. Virginia Lee Teeter, b. 11-1-1953, Oakley, Kansas.
3i. Anita Kay Teeter, b. 12-4-1954.
4i. Sherrie Renee Teeter, b. 11-4-1955.
(All born in Oakley, Kansas)
(This was Mary Magdaline's 2nd. marriage. First was to Beecher Moscow Davis. Divorced.)
- 4g. Ira Boyd, b. 7-18-1887, Hill City, Kan. d. 11-21-1918, Hill City, Kan. m: Edith Elizabeth Biles, 12-25-1909, Hill City. (b. 11-6-1891, Haddam, Kan., dau. William James Biles and Amanda Elizabeth Iley. d. 9-4-1951, Hays, Kan.)
- Ch: 1h. Ethel Mary Boyd, b. 12-11-1910, Hill City, Kan. m: Charles Dutton, 7-16-1930, Wakeeney, Kan. (b. 7-16-1904, son Guy Dutton and Anna Rempster), Res: 3235 S, Clarkson, Denver, Colo.
Ch: 1i. Arlene Mae Dutton, b. 5-5-1931, Lenora, Kan. m: Harold Dean Waufle, 11-26-1949, Clayton, N. M. (b. 8-7-1928, Norton, Kan., son Bernard Owen Waufle and Gladys Attrice Manners).
Ch: 1j. Ginger Lea Waufle, b. 8-29-1950, Norton, Kansas.
2i. Leonard Robert Dutton, b. 12-2-1933, Lenora, Kan.
3i. Edith Alice Dutton, b. 1-21-1936, Lenora, Kansas.
4i. Judy Ann Dutton, b. 11-20-1946, Norton, Kansas.
- 2h. Ivan William Boyd, b. 7-2-1913, Hill City, Kan. m: Mary Louvetta Wallace, 11-5-1938, Colby, Kan. (b. 8-2-1918, Hill City, Kan., dau. Robert Henry Wallace and Floy Dell Cochran). Res: Densmore, Kansas.
Ch: 1i. Beverly Ann Boyd, b. 4-24-1941.

- 2i. Barbara Jean Boyd, b. 12-22-1942.
(Above born in Densmore, Kansas)
- 3i. Cheryl Renee Boyd, b. 2-3-1956, Logan, Kansas.
- 3f. Commodore Hoskins, b. 8-10-1865, Pottawattami Co., Iowa d. 10-10-1887.
- 4f. Josephine Mary Hoskins, b. 8-14-1867, Cresent, Pottawattamie Co., Iowa. d. 8-19-1904, m: Ambrose Bolio, 11-26-1885, Cresent, Iowa. (b. 8-1-1859, Carson, Iowa, d. 5-30-1914, Carson, Iowa. Son Ambrose Bolio and Mary Tatro.) One of the following sons was adopted. Do not know which one.
Ch: 1g. William Bolio, b. 10-29-1886. m: 1st: Cora May Richardson. (b. 7-16-1892, in a covered wagon somewhere between Michigan and Nebraska, d. 10-30-1918. Dau. Charles H. Richardson and Elizabeth Courtwright).
Ch: 1h. Beatrice Rosella Bolio, b. 6-27-1913, Omaha, Neb, m: Edward Herman Stelljas, 12-3-1931. Son of Claus Stelljas and Hannah First. Res: Arlington, Wash.
Ch: 1i. Elizabeth Joyce Stelljas, b. 3-12-1933, Omaha, Neb. m: Glen Kenney, 6-27-1953, Everett, Wash. His 2nd marriage.
Ch: No record.
- William Bolio m: 2nd: Ethel Louise Richardson, sister to Cora May. (b. 3-20-1895. d. 11-8-1936)
Ch: 2h. Cora Madeline Bolio, b. 6-24-1922, St. Francis, Cheyenne Co., Kan. m: Karl Alfred Lambert, 4-13-1939. (b. 3-12-1918, Omaha, Neb., son of Alfred John Lambert and Hertha Irene Langheine.) Res: Marysville, Wash.
Ch: 1i. Karl Michael Lambert, b. 6-16-1945, Omaha, Neb.
2i. David William Lambert, b. 5-25-1948, Everett, Wash. Twin.
3i. Dana Alfred Lambert, b. 5-25-1948. Twin. Everett, Wash.
- William Bolio m: 3rd: Grace Ethel Cumings, 3-11-1943. (b. 10-28-1892, Alexandria, Hanson Co., S. D., dau. of Robert K. Cumings and Alice Waller. Her 2nd marriage. She was divorced wife of Martin E. Julian.) Married in Hiawatha, Brown Co., Kansas.
Ch: None.
- 2g. Minnie M. Bolio, b. 8-11-1888, Carson, Kan. d. 1915. m: Neasbert Allen Boyd, 1910. (b. 9-17-1877, Honeycreek, Iowa, son John Newton Boyd and Mary Frances Cox. d. 11-27-1948, Salem, Ore.)
Ch: 1h. Mildred Gladys Boyd, b. 10-2-1911, Carson, Iowa. m: Daniel Webster Casey, 10-1-1938, Norton, Kan. (b. 3-22-1906, Webb City, Mo. Son of Cloud Colonel Casey and Jo Ella Clark) Res: Box 311, Rt. #6, Salem, Ore. (Mildred had a son, Allan Jay Bruce, b. 5-9-1935, before her marriage to Mr. Casey)
Ch: 1i. Janice Lee Casey, b. 12-1-1939, at Mulberry, Ark.
2i. Lynda Joyce Casey, b. 6-28-1948, Salem, Ore.
- 2h. Dorothy Lavera Boyd, b. 7-25-1913, Carson, Iowa. m: John William Hagan, 7-11-1936, Holyoke, Colo. (b. 3-21-1911, Clayton, Kan., son John Walter Hagan and Lucy Marie Blackwell) Res: 3115 N. E. 85th, Portland, Ore.
Ch: 1i. Beverly Jo Hagan, b. 8-24-1939, Evergreen, Colo.
2i. Sharon Kay Hagan, b. 5-1-1945, Salem, Ore.
- 3g. Ambrose Bolio, Jr., b. 1889. d. 1930. St. Francis, Cheyenne, Kan. Interred in Carson, Iowa. m: 1st----- Dec'd. m: 2nd Myrtle -----,
Ch: 1h. Eileen Bolio
- 4g. Grace Jane Bolio, b. 8-18-1891, Carson, Iowa. d. 10-9-1941. m: Amos Leroy Schwinderman, 8-18-1909, Carson, Iowa. (b. 6-20-1882, Amherst, Ohio, son Jacob Schwinderman and Alice May Meeks)
Ch: 1h. Vera Alice Schwinderman, b. 5-25-1913, Crofton, Neb. m: Frank William Maassen,
Ch: 1i. Barbara Lee Maassen, m: Fred Martin.
2i. Vanita Mae Maassen.

- 3i. Betty Ann Maassen
 4i. Frank William Maassen, Jr.
- 2h. Velma Grace Schwinderman, b. 2-23-1915, Carson, Iowa.
 m: Lloyd Robert Welch, 5-7-1942. (b. 4-5-1899, Willow Lake, S. D., son of Benjamin Silas Welch and Phoebe McCullem) Res: 210 Casey Ave., Richland, Wash.
 Ch: 1i. Patricia Lee Welch, b. 2-15-1948., Pasch, Wash.
- 3h. Ransom Leroy Schwinderman, b. 10-17-1917, Carson, Iowa.
 m: Velma Lucille Tibbles, dau. Floyd Tibbles). Res: Macedonia, Iowa.
 Ch: 1i. Marcia Jeanne Schwinderman, b. 10-11-1942 San Diego, Calif.
 2i. Mauna Lea Schwinderman, b. 2-29-1948, Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- 4h. Veva Elane Schwinderman, b. 8-22-1922, at Macedonia, Iowa. m: Gene Collins, abt. 1942. Okla.
 Ch: 1i. Bruce Collins, b. 12-24-1947
 2i. Daughter. b. Cloeridge, Neb.
- 5g. Ransom Bolio, b. 5-6-1894. d. 8-25-1915. Single.
- 6g. Marion Bolio, b. 7-25-1900, Carson, Iowa. d. 8-22-1942, Ft. Warren, Wyo. m: Mary Lulu Neyer, 11-11-1924, Lamar, Colo. (b. 1-14-1904, Lecti, Kan., dau. Joseph Balthasar Neyer and Sarntha Waters. Formerly married to Glen S. Hawler; divorced).
 Ch: 1h. Leland Augustus Bolio, b. 7-28-1926, Lecti, Kan.
- 7g. Frank Bolio, b. 6-25-1904, Carson, Iowa. m: Louise Lena Warning, 10-26-1928, Atwood, Kan. (b. 10-19-1921, Rawlings Co., Kan., dau. William Albert Warning and Myrtle Virginia Ray). Res: St. Francis, Kansas.
 Ch: 1h. Eileen Le May Bolio, b. 9-15-1939, Bird City, Kansas. d. 1943.
 2h. Joyce Darlene Bolio, b. 11-24-1940, Benkleman, Neb. d. 1941.
 3h. Marian Irene Bolio, b. 12-12-1942, Rawlings Co., Kansas. d. 1943.
 4h. Franklin William Bolio, b. 6-23-1944, Rawlings Co., Kansas.
 5h. John Ransom Bolio, b. 2-7-1946, St. Francis, Kansas.
 6h. Hazel Christine Bolio, B. 1-19-1951, St. Francis, Kansas.
- 5f. Charles Hoskins, b. 3-28-1869, Crescent, Iowa. d. 8-15-1880.
- 6f. Cornelius Hoskins, b. 4-27-1872, Crescent, Pottawattomie Co., Iowa. d. 7-11-1934, Downs, Osborne Co., Kan. m: Effie Myrtle Coop, 5-10-1911. (b. abt. 1874).
 Ch: 1g. Clarence Cornelius Hoskins, b. 2-17-1913, Downs, Osborne Co., Kan. d. 9-10-1917.
 2g. Etta Frances Hoskins, b. 11-8-1914, Downs, Osborne Co., Kan. m: John Rippen, Osborne, Kan. (b. abt. 1877. d. Feb. 1950, Bend, Ore.)
 Ch: 1h. Betty Rippen, b. April 1934, Osborne, Kansas.
 3g. Esther Mellsenia Hoskins, b. 10-7-1919, Downs, Kansas. m: Mr. Bell.
 Ch: Daughter.
- 7f. Etta Hoskins, b. 12-3-1875, Crescent, Iowa. d. 10-18-1930, Ft. Calhoun, Neb.
 m: David Miller.
 Ch: No record.
- Joel Goodner m: 3rd Lovinia (Moss) Goodner, 11-29-1846, Vermilion Co., Ill., ceremony performed by John Newlin, J. P. Lovinia was married twice before, first to a Mr. Ritter, by whom she had one child, and second to Jacob Goodner, a brother of Joel. He died.
 Ch: 4e. Solomon Goodner, b. 5-8-1854, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 2-28-1928, Halsey, Neb. Farmer.
 m: Nancy Jane Jones, 2-14-1874. (b. 9-12-1856, Iowa. d. 11-28-1929, Omaha, Neb., dau. Andrew Jones and Mary -----). Both interred in Purdum, Neb. Resided in Iowa and Nebraska.
 Ch: 1f. Arthur Addison Goodner, b. 7-22-1875, Crescent, Iowa. d. Dec. 1948, Hastings, Neb. m: Ada Charlotte McClure, 12-10-1902, Crescent, Iowa. (B. 9-13-1886, Crescent, Iowa., dau. Elijah McClure and Elnary Boren. d. 9-6-1927, Kearney, Neb.
 Ch: 1g. Daughter. b. 5-10-1903. d. 5-11-1903.
 2g. Bernice Irene Goodner, b. 6-8-1905, Crescent, Iowa. d. 7-14-1925,

- Council Bluffs, Iowa. m: Tom Parker, 10-22-1921, Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- Ch: 1h. Clifford Dale Parker, b. April 1922, Council Bluffs, Iowa. d. 2-28-1924.
- 2h. Ida Parker, b. abt. 1923, Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- 3h. Edgar Gene Parker, b. 5-6-1925, Council Bluffs, Iowa. d. 8-21-1925.
- 3g. Elsie Mildred Goodner, b. 12-10-1907. d. 5-23-1910.
- 4g. Edna Iona Goodner, b. 1-1-1909, Weissert, Neb. d. Dec. 1932. m: Joe Reynolds, 11-16-1925, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Son of Joe Reynolds, Sr.
- Ch: 1h. Eugene Reynolds, b. abt. 1927.
- 2h. Melvin Leroy Reynolds, b. abt. 1929
- 5g. Leonard Arthur Goodner, b. 7-30-1913, Weissert, Neb. d. 7-26-1949, Omaha, Neb. Interred in Broken Bow, Neb. m: Naomi Frances Buchanan, 1943. (b. 12-13-1918, dau. Jesse Howard Buchanan and Josephine Lucinda Gray.)
- Ch: None.
- 6g. Everett Addison Goodner, b. 6-28-1918, Nebraska. m: Lloraine -----, Dec. 1941. (b. abt. 1920)
- Ch: 1h. Daughter. b. 1945, Colorado
- 2h. Arthur Everett Goodner, b. 7-3-1946, Colorado
- 7g. Forrest Wayne Goodner, b. 9-20-1920, Council Bluffs, Iowa. m: Bertie Virginia Ruth Buchanan, 2-27-1946, Broken Bow, Custer Co., Neb. (b. 3-10-1929, Fayville, Ill., dau. Jesse Howard Buchanan and Josephine Lucinda Gray, and sister to Naomi Frances who married brother, Leonard. Res: Milburn, Neb.
- Ch: 1h. Donna Louise Goodner, b. 11-27-1946, Broken Bow, Custer Co., Neb.
- 2h. Darrell Wayne Goodner, b. 12-23-1949, Broken Bow, Custer Co., Neb.
- 8g. Harold Leroy Goodner, b. 6-7-1923. m: Carol Rae Jensen, 7-22-1950, Purdum, Blaine Co., Neb. (b. 4-22-1931, Neb., dau. Raymond Chris Jensen and Nellie Constance Baird.) Res: Broken Bow, Neb.
- Ch: No record
- Arthur Addison Goodner m: 2nd: Emma Mary Stretz, 1927. (b. 4-21-1908, Boonville, Mo. d. 6-1-1930. Dau. Otto Stretz and Carrie Ellen Hilton. Died in Council Bluffs and interred in Cresent, Iowa.
- Ch: 9g. Charles Frank Goodner, b. 5-1930, Council Bluffs, Iowa. d. abt. 1934. Arthur Addison Goodner m: 3rd: Sarah Ann Bey. (b. 2-4-1867, Honeycreek, Iowa. d. abt. 1950, Cresent, Iowa. Dau. John Bey and Sarah Points.)
- Ch: None
- 2f. Albert Madison Goodner, b. 5-4-1878, Cresent, Iowa. d. 6-11-1879.
- 3f. Anna Goodner, b. 8-25-1880, Cresent, Iowa. d. same day.
- 4f. Willis Leon Goodner, b. 1-27-1882, Cresent, Iowa. d. 10-5-1951, Modesto, Calif. Interred in Escalon, Calif. m: Rozella Viola Smith, 9-6-1903, Cresent, Iowa. (b. 8-3-1884/5, Hamburg, Iowa, dau. George Smith and Rachael Ann Campbell)
- Ch: 1g. Dora May Goodner, b. 5-26-1903, Cresent, Iowa. m: 1st: Paul Harris, 6-10-1922, Broken Bow, Neb. Marriage was annuled.
- No issue. m: 2nd: Lloyd Oren Poland, 5-26-1923, Casper, Wyoming. (b. 5-27-1900, son Willis Poland and Emma Todd) Res: 11512 Shoemaker Ave., Norwalk, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Lawrence Lloyd Poland, b. 11-7-1924, Midwest, Wyo. m: Anita Mary La Plac Salcido. Salcido was the name of her foster parents. (b. 5-3-1928, dau. John La Plac and wife, Anette) Res: 6045 3/4 Allston, Montebello, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Toni Dee Poland, b. 5-7-1948, Los Angeles, Calif.
- 2h. Bertha Clarene Poland, b. 11-16-1927, m: 1st: D.B. Bell, 11-3-1945, Los Angeles, Calif. Divorced 8-25-1947. (b. 12-8-1923, Wheeler, Tex. d. 8-21-1951, San Francisco, Calif. Son Elmer Amos Bell and Ida Mae Denney)
- Ch: None. m: 2nd: Billy Jerome Orbach, 8-15-1948, at Las Vegas, Nev. Divorced. Bertha resides: 813 A Garrett

- Ave., Chula Vista, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Gary Jerome Orbach, b. 8-2-1949,
2i. Nancy Irene Orbach, b. 12-22-1950.
(Both born in Los Angeles, Calif.)
- 3h. Betty Irene Poland, b. 12-24-1929, Los Angeles. m: Howard R. Turbeville, 12-1-1946, Los Angeles. (b. 7-29-1927, Alhambra, Calif., son of Richard Wilson Turbeville and Grace Elizabeth Pancoast) Res: 11862 Hercules St., Norwalk, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Shirley May Turbeville, b. 12-20-1949.
2i. Jay Lloyd Turbeville, b. 10-6-1952.
(Both born in Los Angeles, Calif.)
- 4h. Lewis Oren Poland, b. 7-1-1932, Los Angeles.
5h. Donald Ray Poland, b. 5-30-1938, Los Angeles.
- 2g. Merle Wesley Goodner, b. 5-26-1903, Okla., while parents were on a visit there. Lived in Crescent, Ia., until 1931, when moved to Calif.; lived for years near Oakdale, located 15 mi. from Modesto. In winter of 1958/9 moved to Tahoe Valley, Calif. Contractor and Builder, Members of Christian Science Church. m: Marion Isabel Powell, 8-27-1933, San Leandro, Calif. (b. 2-23-1909, Reed Sprgs., Mo., dau. Glendale Powell & Clarice Eva Mason) Mrs. Goodner writes for the Christian Science Sentinel, Res: 402 Kimble St., Modesto, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Evelyn Gretell Goodner, b. 11-16-1934, Escalon, Calif. m: Harold Dean Lillie, 9-8-1951, Reno, Nev. (b. 11-24-1932, Okla., son Herbert Lillie and Wilma Burrow) Res: Oakdale, Calif. No issue.
2h. Clair Dale Goodner, b. 8-26-1936, Modesto, Calif.
3h. John Wayne Goodner, b. 5-4-1947, Modesto, Calif.
- 5f. Rose May Goodner, b. 2-25-1884, d. 2-15-1891, Crescent, Iowa.
- 6f. Charles Herman Goodner, b. 9-22-1885, Weissert, Neb. d. 9-13-1953, Merna, Neb. Interred in Broken Bow, Neb. m: 1st: Stella Watson, 3-28-1906, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Divorced. She was dau. of Lou Watson and wife, Nettie. d. Free-water, Umatilla Co., Ore.
Ch: 1g. Leo Herman Goodner, b. 10-27-1906, Council Bluffs, Iowa. m: 1st: Ethel Nelson. Divorced.
Ch: None. m: 2nd: Mary May Chase, Omaha, Neb. Res: 4614 Izard St., Omaha, Neb.
2g. Raymond Solomon Goodner, b. 7-17-1908, Weissert, Neb. d. abt. 1931. Single.
3g. Estella Bessie Goodner, b. 7-11-1911, Anselmo, Neb. m: 1st: Clifford -----, m: 2nd: Axel Carlson. Res: 3207 South Elm St., Spokane, Wash.
4g. Virgil Leroy Goodner, b. 6-26-1913, Council Bluffs, Iowa. Laborer. Lutheran. m: Etta Franzen, 4-26-1934. (b. 12-14-1909, dau. Cobus Franzen). Res: Four Lakes, Wash.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Virgil Goodner, b. 12-6-1934
2h. Donna Mae Goodner, b. 5-11-1937
3h. Phyllis Goodner, b. 1-28-1945
- Charles Herman Goodner m: 2nd: Josephine Mary Stretz, 1-8-1929, Council Bluffs, Iowa. (b. 8-11-1911, Boonville, Mo., dau. Otto Stretz and Carrie Ellen Hilton.) Res: Merna, Neb.
Ch: 5g. Charles William Goodner, b. 5-1-1930, Omaha, Neb.
6g. Henry Edward Goodner, b. 1-13-1932, Omaha, Neb.
7g. Iona Mae Goodner, b. 7-6-1935, Omaha, Neb. m: Marvin Lynne Nelson, 8-15-1954, Broken Bos, Neb. (b. 3-29-1934, Westerville, Neb., son Edward B. Nelson and Beulah Louise Glover). Res: 1031 No. B St., Broken Bow, Neb.
8g. Robert Lester Goodner, b. 9-28-1937, Omaha, Neb.
9g. Melvin Leonard Goodner, b. 5-16-1943, Omaha, Neb.
- 7f. Son) b. abt. 1887, Still born.
8f. Son)
- 9f. Elmer Franklin Goodner, b. 10-28-1889, Weissert, Neb. d. abt. 1947, Des Moines, Iowa. m: 1st: Stella Watson, abt. 1917, divorced wife of his brother, Charles. Divorced.
Ch: None. m: 2nd: June -----, Jan. 1926. d. abt. 1946, Des Moines,

- Iowa.
Ch: None.
- 10f. Harley Edward Goodner, b. 7-7-1891, Custer, Thomas Co., Neb. m: Inez Cecil Coffman, 7-30-1915. (b. 1-13-1893, dau. William Jefferson Coffman and Meumthy Jane -----). Retired. Formerly resided in Nebraska, then Denver for 8 years, and now lives at 11845 W. 12th St., Golden, Colo.
Ch: 1g. Mildred Goodner, b. abt. 1917/9. m: Mr. Jones
Ch: 1h. Inez Marie Jones
2h. Eddy Jones
3h. Eunice Jones
- 2g. Edna Frances Goodner, b. abt. 1921. d. 5-25-1949 m: Paul A. Templeton. No further data.
- 3g. Harley William Goodner, b. 10-24-1923, Thedford, Neb. m: Dorothy Marie Mackey, 10-8-1949, Daniels, Colo. (b. 12-30-1930, Benkelman, Neb., dau. Elmer Avery Mackey and Nellie Irene Cary)
Ch: 1h. Margaret Ann Goodner, b. 9-11-1951, Broken Bow, Neb.
- 4g. John V. Goodner, b. 1-8-1928, Halsey, Neb. m: Della Marie Heath, Gardnersville, Nev., 9-8-1953. (b. 10-8-1934, dau. Rebecca Heath), Protestant. Mechanic. Served in Sea Bees W. W. II. Res: 1349 Kenton St., Aurora 8, Colo.
Ch: 1h. Vernon John Goodner, b. 11-1-1955.
2h. Alan Ray Goodner, b. 7-3-1957.
- 5g. Franklin Goodner, b. April 1931. m: Patricia Taylor. No further record.
- 6g. Grace Elizabeth Goodner, b. 2-28-1933.
- 11f. Gertrude Leona Goodner, b. 6-22-1894, Honeycreek, Iowa. m: Elza Alvin Speer, 2-25-1913, Broken Bow, Neb. (b. 12-13-1888, Alhaby, Wisc., son Wilber Marvin Speer and Caroline Mahala Owens.) Res: Holly, Colo.
Ch: 1g. Aletha Viola Speer, b. 12-25-1913, Comstock, Neb. m: Edward F. Duvall, July 1935, Lamar, Colo. Divorced.
Ch: None. m: 2nd: Lawrence F. Riche, 7-31-1948, abt. (b. Pueblo, Colo.) Res: 2617 Court St., Pueblo, Colo.
Ch: 1h. Donald Larry Riche, b. 2-27-1950, Pueblo, Colo.
- 2g. Wilber Robert Speer, b. 2-16-1916, Thedford, Neb. m: Irma Phillips, dau. Ray and Myrtle Phillips.
Ch: 1h. Wilber Robert Speer, b. 11-6-1940, Tecumseh, Neb.
2h. Gerald Albert Speer, b. 8-16-1947, Republican City, Neb.
- 3g. Herbert Alvin Speer, b. 10-2-1920, Holly, Colo. d. 10-16-1943. Single.
- 12f. Lucinda Eudora Goodner, b. 10-14-1898, Honeycreek, Iowa. m: Ernest Howland, 5-8-1916, Friend, Saline Co., Neb. (d. 1948, Omaha, Neb.) Res: Grand Island, Neb.
Ch: 1g. Herman Harvey Howland, b. abt. 1918.
2g. Anna Howland, b. abt. 1920.
3g. Gertrude Howland, b. abt. 1922.
4g. Vivian Howland, b. abt. 1924.
5g. Richard Howland, b. abt. 1926.
6g. Jack Howland, b. abt. 1927.
7g. Shirley Howland, b. abt. 1928.
8g. Larry Howland, b. abt. 1930.
9g. Johnny Howland, b. abt. 1931.
- 5e. Arretha Goodner, b. 3-28-1856. d. abt. 1937, Iowa. b. Illinois. m: John Jethro McIntosh, abt. Sept. 1885, Iowa. (d. abt. 1912, Cresent, Iowa.)
Ch: 1f. Anna Louisa McIntosh, b. 6-11-1887, Iowa. m: Millard Winfield Boren, 2-8-1908, Council Bluffs, Iowa. (b. 6-20-1884, Cresent, Iowa, son Louis Scott Boren and Mary Ellen Underhill). Resided in Iowa.
Ch: No record.
- 2f. Wilma Hazel McIntosh, m: Russell Shipley. No further record.
- 3f. Frances Opal McIntosh, b. 5-11-abt. 1891, Cresent, Iowa. m: Elmer Everett Phillips. (b. 9-7-1895, son Arthur Phillips and Ella Mae Van Scoy) Res: 1521 3rd Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Walter Phillips
2g. Elmer Phillips
3g. Gale Phillips
4g. Betty Phillips

- 4f. Melvin Howard McIntosh, d. abt. 1940. m: Stella -----
 5f. Joseph Ardqus McIntosh, No further record
 6f. Ardella McIntosh, m: George Sarrat. No further record.
 7f. Mary McIntosh, m: Ed. Hughes. (d. Toledo, Ohio). No data.
 Ch: 1g. Alice Hughes
 2g. Anna Hughes
 3g. Son
- 8f. Jess McIntosh, No data.
 9f. Bertha McIntosh, m: Jack, or John, Bentley. No further data.
 Arretha m: 2nd: Zeth Hughes, Dec'd. No record of any issue.
- 6e. Temperance Elizabeth Goodner, b. 5-15-1861. d. 5-14-1912, Cresent, Iowa. m: John H. Hathaway (d. 3-4-191-, Cresent, Iowa.)
 Ch: 1f. Ira Hathaway
 2f. Harley Hathaway
 3f. Roy Hathaway
 4f. William Hathaway
 5f. Charles Hathaway, b. 12-25-1877. d. 7-2-1878.
 6f. Mamie Hathaway. Died young.
- 7d. Mary Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1820, Preble Co., Ohio. m: Emmanuel Gebhart, 12-8-1841, Vermilion Co., Ill., ceremony performed by Parish N. Jones, J. P. Place of residence after marriage not definitely known but apparently they made their home in Vermilion Co., Ill. The following list of descendants contributed by Mrs. Hulda Finley of Grand Blanc, Mich.
 Ch: 1e. Nancy Gebhart, m: Mr. Richardson. Resided in Cayuga, Ind.
 2e. Clara Gebhart, Resided in Montezuma, Ind. Marital status unknown.
 3e. Hannah Gebhart, m: Mr. Sollars.
 Ch: 1f. Mary Sollars, m: Mr. Ellis. Resided in Perrysville, Ind.
 2f. Hattie Sollars, m: Mr. Trospen. Resided in Clinton, Ind.
 3f. Lulu Sollars, m: Mr. Pietroski. Resided in Chicago, Ill.
 4f. Melissa Sollars, m: Mr. Price. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.
 5f. Edward Sollars, Resided in Alvin, Ill.
 6f. James Sollars, Resided in Arcola, Ill.
 7f. Oliver Sollars, Resided in Terra Haute, Ind.
 8f. Richard Sollars, Resided in New Goshen, Ind.
 9f. Kinderman Sollars, Resided in Perrysville, Ind.
 10f. Erma Sollars, m: Mr. Kester. Resided in Danville, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Daughter, m: H. J. Benninger. Resided at 28 S. Griffin, Danville, Ill.
 11f. Bert Sollars, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1g. Oscar Sollars, Resided in Rockville, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Buella Sollars
- 4e. Sarah Gebhart, m: Mr. Duff. Thought to have lived in Danville, Ill.
 Ch: 1f. Rebecca Duff, m: Mr. Porter. Resided in Danville, Ill.
 2f. Chester Duff, Resided in Georgetown, Ill.
 3f. Essau Duff, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1g. Rose Duff, m: Mr. Emery. Res: Georgetown, Ill.
 4f. Perry Duff, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1g. Nettie Duff, m: Mr. Lawrence. Res: Ridge Farm, Ill.
 5f. Jim Duff, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1g. Stephen Duff, Resided in Asheville, N. C.
 2g. Thelma Duff, m: Mr. Jenkins. Res: Asheville, N. C.
 6f. Lottie Duff, m: Mr. Tremble.
- 5e. Florence Gebhart, m: Mr. Johnson.
 Ch: 1f. Anda Johnson, Resided in Catlin, Ill.
 2f. Dan Johnson, Resided in Catlin, Ill.
 3f. Erma Johnson, Resided in Catlin, Ill.
- 6e. Louisa Gebhart, m: Mr. Boo
 Ch: 1f. Cutler Boo, Resided in Salina, or Galina, Kansas.
 2f. Lee Boo
 3f. Anna Boo, m: Mr. Langly
- 7e. Perry Gebhart, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1f. Minnie Gebhart, Resided in Newport, Ind.
 2f. Levi Gebhart, Resided in Newport, Ind.
- 8e. Levi Gebhart, Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1f. Cloyd Gebhart, Resided in Ridge Farm, Ill.
 2f. Gertie Gebhart, Resided in Ridge Farm, Ill.

- 3f. Laura Gebhart. Resided in Ridge Farm, Ill.
- 9e. George Gebhart. Name of wife not known.
Ch: 1f. Letha Gebhart. Resided in Danville, Ill.
- 8d. Benjamin Franklin Goodner, b. 1820/2, Preble Co., Ohio. d. after 1870, in Vermilion Co., Ill. Chair Maker and Farmer. Resided in Elwood Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Elizabeth Strader, 11-27-1842, Vermilion Co., Ill., Rev. Samuel Huffman of M. E. Church, Minister. The Strader family is apparently the same as resided in Preble Co., Ohio, and who settled there in 1807, migrating from North Carolina. The original settlers were Daniel and Elizabeth Strader. A Mary Jane Strader, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth, married in Preble County, Jesse Sherer, Jesse being a descendant of Jacob Daniel Scherrer of Guilford Co., North Carolina. Benjamin interred in Concord Cemetery, Vermilion County, Ill.
Ch: 1e. Matilda Goodner, b. abt. 1844, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Calvin B. Miller, 2-16-1869, Vermilion Co., Ill., Jacob Yapp, J. P., performing the ceremony. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: 1f. Lee Miller
2f. Maggie Miller. m: Mr. Howlet. Resided in Westville, Ill.
3f. Sylvester Miller. Resided in Georgetown, Ill.
4f. Jennie Miller. m: Mr. Hallet.
Ch: None.
5f. May Miller. m: Mr. Hensley
6f. Charles Miller
7f. Theodore Miller
8f. Elza Miller
- 2e. Jane Goodner, b. abt. 1846, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: E. Guard Finley, 3-26-1863, Vermilion Co., Ill. Rev. Patrick Cowan, Minister. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: 1f. Oliver Finley. Resided in Catlin, Vermilion Co., Ill.
2f. John Finley. Resided in Fairmount, Vermilion Co., Ill.
3f. Oziah Finley. Resided in Catlin, Vermilion Co., Ill.
4f. Armild Finley. m: Mr. Witherspoon. Resided in Fairmount, Ill.
5f. Fanny Finley
6f. Jack Finley
- 3e. Martha Goodner, b. abt. 1848. No data. May have died young. Not shown in either the 1860 or 1870 census returns.
- 4e. Phoebe E. Goodner, b. abt. 1850/2, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: James H. Arnett, 10-29-1874, Vermilion Co., Ill. Jacob Yapp, J. P., performing the ceremony. Mr. Arnett born abt. 1846. No further data.
- 5e. William L. Goodner, b. abt. 1853, Vermilion Co., Ill. Blacksmith. m: Lucretia E. Doop or (Duke), 10-2-1873, Vermilion Co., Ill., J. W. Stansbury, J. P., performing the ceremony. Resided in Vermilion Co.
Ch: 1f. Bert Goodner. Moved to Kansas. No further data.
2f. Benjamin Goodner. No data.
3f. William Harvey Goodner, b. 10-10-1881, Georgetown Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. No further data.
4f. Joseph Alvin Goodner, b. 10-18-1879, Georgetown Twp., Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. m: Anna B. Barden.
Ch: 1g. Son. b. 4-8-1904
5f. Katie Goodner, b. abt. 1883. m: Mr. Brock
- 6e. Nancy A. Goodner, b. abt. 1854, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: John W. Adams, 3-13-1890, Danville, Ill. (b. 1839, son Samuel and Nancy Martin Adams. His third marriage.) No further data.
- 7e. Benjamin Franklin ("Frank") Goodner, Jr., b. 1857, Vermilion Co., Ill. Day laborer at time of marriage; later became a railroader. Resided in Ridge Farm, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: 1st: Mary Belle ("Mollie") Sanders, 7-3-1878, Vermilion Co., Ill., Rev. George B. Miley, Minister. Mollie was born in 1858, and was a sister to Mrs. John Goodner and a daughter of George W. and Nancy Gregson Sanders from Kentucky)
Ch: 1f. Virgil Anderson Goodner, b. 7-14-1881, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 3-8-1943, Vermilion Co. Resided in Ridge Farm, Ill. m: Anna C. Harper, 6-29-1902, at Ridge Farm, Ill. Rev. L. V. Barbre officiating. (b. 1881: d. 1-4-1959, dau. Alfred and Francis Harper, and born in Indiana.)
Ch: 1g. Mary Marquerite Goodner, b. 1-17-1904, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Frank Leon Simone, 8-28-1946, Peekskill, N. Y. (b. 7-21-1910, son of Frank L. Simone, Sr., of Croton-on-Hudson, N. Y.). Steam Crane Operator for New York Central Railroad. Served in Armed Forces 1943 to 1946. T/Sgt. in 750th Railway Division. Members of the

- Christian Church. Res: Station Road, Crugers, N. Y.
Ch: None.
- 2g. Doris V. Goodner, b. 2-16-1907, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: George Harrison Roberts Brand, 1-22-1949, Chicago, Ill. (b. 7-18-1909, son of Everett Brand of Gibbsboro, N. J.) Doris is a member of the Christian Science Church, George of the Episcopal Church. Occupation of George, Buyer, with Radio Corp. of America, doing Government work in Akron, Ohio. Res: 1864 Bailey Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.
Ch: None.
- 3g. Alfred F. Goodner, b. 5-31-1909, Ridge Farm, Ill. Listed as a butter molder at time of marriage, now a truck driver for a lumber company. Former member of National Guard, Presbyterian. m: Alice Lyon, 1-15-1931, Danville, Ill. (b. 6-25-1908, dau. Noah and Vinnie Banta Lyon). Res: Ridge Farm, Ill.
Ch: 1h. Gene Nelson Goodner, b. 9-1-1931. Stillborn.
2h. Joe Franklin Goodner, b. 6-21-1942, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 4g. Stella J. Goodner, b. 5-9-1917, Vermilion Co., Ill. Worked as a telephone operator, drug store manager, bookkeeper for Sinclair Refining Co., dental assistant for 10 years, and is now secretary to an insurance executive in Ridge Farm, Ill.
- 2f. Nancy Edna Goodner, b. 11-9-1883, near Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 8-9-1922, Bloomington, Ind., from effects of childbirth. Interred in Crown Hill Cemetery in Ridge Farm, Ill. m: William E. Reinbolt, 12-16-1918, Chicago, Ill. (b. 1870. Deceased. Interred in Crown Hill Cemetery in Ridge Farm, Ill.)
Ch: 1g. Mary Elizabeth Reinbolt, b. Aug. 1922. Twin of Martha. Graduate of a Catholic Hospital in Terra Haute, Ind. Marital status and address not known. Catholic.
2g. Martha Louise Reinbolt, b. Aug. 1922. Twin of Mary. Grad. of Catholic Hosp. in Terra Haute, Ind. Marital status and address not known.
(Both girls reared by aunt on father's side.)
- 8e. Permelia (Elizabeth) Goodner, b. abt. 1859. no data.
- 9e. Jo Goodner, b. abt. 1861. no data.
- 10e. John Marion Goodner, b. abt. 1863/5, Vermillion Co., Ill. d. abt. 1903, from a heart attack. Interred in Pleasant Mound Cemetery at Georgetown, Ill. m: Linea Eliz. Sanders, 12-13-1887, Vermillion Co., Ill. (b. 10-1-1866, Jasper, Ill., dau. George W. Sanders & Nancy Gregson, formerly of Ken. George died in 1875 & Nancy in 1885.) Linea had 4 sisters, -Mrs. Vanette M. McCorkle, Mrs. Rebecca Foster of Danville, Ill., Mrs. Mary Goodner of Ridge Farm, Ill., Mrs. Maggie Carson also of Ridge Farm.
Ch: 1f. Charles Wesley Goodner, b. 6-3-1891, Vermilion Co., Ill. Telegraph Operator. m: 1st: Blanche Duncan, 3-22-1913, Danville, Ill. (b. 1891, at West Lebanon, Ind., dau. William J. and Martha J. Duncan, nee Craig). Blanche died of tuberculosis, 6-7-1915, and was interred in Spring Hill Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: None. m: 2nd: Anna Lee Kilgore (her second marriage), 7-17-1916, Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill., Rev. W. L. Campbell, Minister. Anna was born in 1889 in Salt Lick, Kentucky, near Owensboro, dau. of Newt. Lansaw and Ida Lansaw, nee Griggs. Newt. Lansaw later resided in Middletown, Ohio. Anna by her first marriage, had a daughter, Grace J., who was adopted by Mr. Goodner. Grace married Carl Harold Johnson, 3-24-1927, Vermilion Co., Ill. Charles W. Goodner and Anna were divorced, but remarried 9-29-1925, in Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 400 Garfield, Georgetown, Ill. m: 3rd: Maude L. Drummond, 5-10-1947, Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: 1g. Boy. b. 1918. Died at birth. Interred in Spring Hill Cemetery, Vermilion Co., Ill.
2g. Charles E. Goodner, b. 10-4-1919, Danville, Ill. Was Civilian Instructor in Navy. Now owner and proprietor of the Institutional Supply Co., 1111 N. E. 23rd St., Oklahoma City, Okla., suppliers to schools, churches, and public institutions. m: Mildred Dell Kerr. (b. 4-24-1920, dau. John Willie and Alma Dee Kerr, nee Powell, of Normal, Ill. Res: 5525 N. Barns, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Gregg Edward Goodner, b. 2-8-1947
2h. Guy Kerr Goodner, b. 6-28-1952
- 2f. Cassius (Cashius) M. Goodner, b. 7-16-1895, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. Sept. 1954, Vermilion Co., Ill. Telegraph Operator. m: 1st: Josephine Lipscomb, 11-17-1913,

Danville, Ill. (b. 1892, dau. Edward Lipscomb and Ordo Van Camp of Grape Creek, Ill., birthplace of Josephine.) Divorced; Josephine then married Thos. L. Wakeland in Fountain Co., Ind., a coal miner.

Ch: 1g. William W. Goodner, b. 12-27-1914, Vermilion Co., Ind. No data.
2g. Wilma Goodner, b. 12-27-1914, Vermilion Co., Ind. Twin of William. d. 12-31-1914.

Cassius m: 2nd: Emily R. Sanders, 8-30-1921, Vermilion Co., Ill., ceremony performed by Probate Judge W. J. Bookwalter. (b. 1902, dau. William Sanders and Blanche Buchanan of Catlin, Ill.)

Ch: None. m: 3rd: La Verne Flaherty, 8-31-1932, in Fountain Co., Ind. (b. 4-26-1908, Altamont, Ill., dau. Henry Flaherty and Rosanna Cunningham.)

Ch: None.

11e. Arminta (Marta) Goodner, b. abt. 1866, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Smith. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.

Ch: 1f. Charles Smith. Resided in Danville, Ill.
2f. Clarence Smith. Resided in Danville, Ill.
3f. Raymond Smith. Moved to and resided in Chicago, Ill.
4f. Emma Smith. m: Mr. Kenney. Resided in Bismarck, Ill.
5f. Mildred Smith

12e. Charles Edgar Goodner, b. 4-12-1870, on farm northwest of Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill. Building Contractor. m: Cora Goth, 3-30-1893, Danville, Ill. (b. 1872, dau. Jacob and Josephine Goth). Had six children in all, but three died very young.

Ch: 1f. Kenneth Eugene Goodner, b. 5-2-1896, Vermilion Co., Ill. Carpenter and Contractor. m: Hazel E. Swisher, 1920. (b. 1-22-1893, dau. Milo Swisher). Divorced. Hazel m: Burley Hazelbaker, 7-29-1947. Mr. Goodner resides at 731 Meade, Danville, Ill.

Ch: 1g. Eugene E. Goodner, b. 12-5-1921, Vermilion Co., Ill. Employee of Bell Telephone Co. m: Mary E. Clearwater, 5-19-1946, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1924) Res: 3618 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill.
Ch: None.

2g. Melvin D. Goodner, b. 8-24-1923, Vermilion Co., Ill. Printer. m: Betty Wood. Res: 1322 Harmon Ave., Danville, Ill.
Ch: None.

3g. Mary Goodner, b. 1-19-1931, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Harry Shepherd, Jr., 8-13-1950, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1929) Printer. Res: 1308 Harmon Ave., Danville, Ill.

Ch: No record.

2f. Marie Goodner, b. abt. 1899. Deceased. Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Harry Suddoth. They had no issue, but adopted two children, Jodie Buntin and Margaret Atterbury, the latter marrying a Mr. Chalfant.

3f. Leo E. Goodner, b. 5-25-1903, Opalika, Ala. Traveling Salesman. m: Frances Mary Stimac, 7-6-1929, Danville, Ill., Ralph B. Hindman, Minister. (b. 1909, West Mineral, Kan., dau. William Rosevet and Dora Stimac, nee Piraro, of Catlin, Ill.) Frances is proprietor of a beauty parlor. Members of First United Brethern Church. Res: 402 Robinson St., Danville, Ill.

Ch: 1g. Patricia Delores Goodner, b. 1933, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Richard Allen Cheney, 5-12-1951, Danville, Ill., Harold J. Gruenther, Minister. (b. 1932). Res: 402 Robinson St., Danville, Ill.

2g. Richard E. Goodner, b. 1937, Vermilion Co., Ill. Draftsman. m: Irene E. David, 3-30-1957, Danville, Ill. (b. 1932) Res: 402 Robinson St., Danville, Ill.

9d. Catherine Goodner, b. abt. 1820, Preble Co., Ohio. m: George Swisher, 10-6-1841, Vermilion Co., Ill. Ceremony performed by Justice of the Peace, Parish N. Jones. No further record.

10d. Phoebe Goodner, b. abt. 1822/3, Preble Co., Ohio. m: George W. Gebhart, 10-18-1840, Vermilion Co., Ill., Samuel Huffman, Minister. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill. (Data supplied by Mrs. Hulda Finley, in part)

1e. Malinda Gephart, b. 12-28-1840, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: George Holdaway, 10-4-1858, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 6-18-1836, son of Samuel A. and Elizabeth Holdaway.) Had brother, Stanberry, and a sister, Amelia. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill. Malinda died 12-10-1880; George died 11-12-1894.

Ch: 1f. Ellen Holdaway. m: Mr. Dowers. Resided in Cayuga, Ind.
2f. Lizzie Holdaway. m: Mr. Gilkerson. Resided in Cayuga, Ind.
3f. Minnie Holdaway. m: Mr. Ward. Resided in Danville, Ill.
4f. Frank Holdaway. Resided in Indianapolis, Ind.

- 5f. Samuel Holdaway, b. Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Lacy C. Vandevender. Resided in Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Georgia Holdaway, b. 6-12-1896, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Brant. Res: 1017 Liberty St., Covington, Ind.
- 2g. Ralph V. Holdaway, b. 11-29-1905, Vermilion Co., Ill. Railroader and Painter. m: Geraldine G. Johnson, 8-29-1926, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1-20-1910, dau. Roy Johnson of Danville, Ill.) Members First Congregational Church. Res: 116 Adams St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Ralph V. Holdaway, Jr., b. 9-13-1927, Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 1005 N. Gilbert St., Danville, Ill.
- 3g. Dorothy Holdaway, b. 6-25-1909, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Diaz. Res: Chicago, Ill.
- 4g. Son
- 5g. Daughter
- 6f. Charles Holdaway. Resided in Indianapolis, Ind.
- 7f. Adline Holdaway. d. young.
- 8f. Harry Holdaway. d. young.
- 9f. Fred Holdaway. d. young.
- 10f. Willie Holdaway. d. young.
- 2e. Marqaret Gephart, b. abt. 1842/4, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Swisher.
- Ch: 1f. Nancy Swisher. m: Mr. Chester. Resided in Homer, Ill.
- 2f. John Swisher. Resided in Schneider, Ind.
- 3f. Tillman Swisher. Resided in Philadelphia, Pa.
- 4f. George Swisher. Resided in Schneider, Ind.
- 5f. Millie Swisher. m: Mr. Anderson. Resided in Colton, Calif.
- 6f. Melvina Swisher. m: Mr. Days. Resided in Washington.

2c. Jacob Goodner (1776-1839) - Hester White (1769-1834) m: 2nd: Mary Ann
Harwood, 8-30-1835. m: 3rd: Mrs. Zilpah Laforce 7-1-1838.

1d. John Goodner (1800-1852) m: Jane Latta

- 1e. Sarah Goodner (abt. 1830-)
- 2e. William Goodner (abt. 1832-)
- 3e. Melissa Goodner (1833-)
- 4e. Andrew Jackson Goodner (1834-1900)
- 5e. Julia Ann Goodner (1836-)

2d. Catherine Goodner (1804-1841) m: William
Simpson Pate

- 1e. George Washington Pate (1831-1902)
- 2e. Rosanna Pate (abt. 1833-)
- 3e. Mary Ann (Polly) Pate
- 4e. Rhoda Pate
- 5e. Rachel Pate

3d. Michael Goodner (1807-1889) m: 1st: Catherine
Comner (1808-1859)* m: 2nd: Rachel -----

- 1e. Daniel Goodner (1829-1864)
- 2e. Jacob Goodner (1831-1911)
- 3e. William Goodner (1832-1842)
- 4e. Mary Goodner (1833-1842)
- 5e. Jackson Goodner (1838-1912)
- 6e. Margaret A. Goodner (1840-1919)
- 7e. Thomas Goodner (1842-1847)
- 8e. David Goodner (1844-1917)
- 9e. John Henry Goodner (1847-)
- 10e. Nancy Goodner (1849-1910)

4d. Daniel Goodner (1810-1892) m: Charlotte

- 1e. Mary Jane Goodner (abt. 1836-1856/60)
- 2e. Rev. Jacob J. Goodner (1839-)
- 3e. Elizabeth Ann Goodner (1842-)
- 4e. William Sylvester Goodner (1845-1873)
- 5e. Hester Ann Goodner (1845-)
- 6e. Emmaline L. Goodner (1843?-)
- 7e. Isaac M. Goodner (1855-)
- 8e. Andrew Piatt Goodner (1856-1939)

5d. Sarah Ann Goodner (1812-1902) m: John Conner

- 1e. William Riley Conner (b. abt. 1830)
- 2e. Benjamin Conner (b. abt. 1832/3)
- 3e. Jacob Conner (b. abt. 1834/5)
- 4e. Franklin Conner (b. abt. 1835/6)
- 5e. Margaret Conner (b. abt. 1838/40)

6d. James Jackson Goodner (1815-1887) m: Sarah
Myers

- 1e. Mary Goodner (1838-1935)
- 2e. Jane Goodner (1840-abt. 1910)
- 3e. James Goodner (1841-)
- 4e. William Washington Goodner (1845-)
- 5e. Robert Henry Goodner (1846-1930)
- 6e. Pamela Goodner (1847-)
- 7e. John Piatt Goodner (1849-1938)
- 8e. Lucinda Goodner (abt. 1852-1930)
- 9e. Jackson Goodner (1854-1925)
- 10e. Ida Belle Goodner (1856-)
- 11e. Flora Goodner (1858-1937)
- 12e. Joseph Goodner (1864-1937)

7d. Rachel Goodner (1817-1858) m: Jacob Conner

- 1e. Elizabeth Conner (b. abt. 1837)
- 2e. David Clinton Conner (b. abt. 1839)
- 3e. William Conner (b. abt. 1841)

8d. Margaret Goodner (1820-1845) m: Moses Conner

- 1e. Helen Conner (b. abt. 1840)
- 2e. William Wallace Conner (b. abt. 1842)
- 3e. Nancy Conner

9d. William Dearborn Goodner (1824-1898) m: Edith
J. Griswold

- 1e. Anna Belle Goodner (1848-1927)
- 2e. Mary Isabelle Goodner (1850-1924)
- 3e. Benjamin Delos Goodner (1852-1917)
- 4e. John Wesley Goodner (abt. 1854-)
- 5e. Charles Everett Goodner (1857-1919)
- 6e. Clara Jane Goodner (abt. 1860-)
- 7e. William Grant Goodner (1864-1934)
- 8e. Edith Ella Goodner (1866-1938)

*All children by their first wives.

2c. Jacob Goodner, the second son and child of Mary and, I believe, Peter Goodner, was born apparently in Orange or Guilford County, North Carolina, in 1776. I have used the word "apparently" since there are some who believe he was born elsewhere. However in the Census Returns for the County of Ohio, State of Indiana, year 1850, his birth place is given as North Carolina. It is my personal belief, as has been explained previously under the heading of Mary Goodner, that all of her children were born in that state. Jacob was one of five children, namely besides himself, Walter, who settled permanently in Vermilion Co., Illinois, Henry who lived in Tennessee, Elizabeth, who married George Swisher and followed Walter to Vermilion Co., Ill., and Mary, or Polly, of whom we know nothing.

After the death of Jacob's mother in the latter part of 1796, all the children, save Jacob, remained on the home place. Jacob married Hester White in November of 1798, and left Guilford County, apparently going to the State of Kentucky. Although he was the head of a household in 1800, his name does not so appear in the 1800 census of Guilford County, which is evidence of his absence. The marriage bond posted by Jacob, jointly with George Swisher, reads as follows:

"GUILFORD COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we, Jacob Goodner, and I, George Swisher, are held and firmly bound to his Excellency Governor Ash or his Successor in office in the peanel sum of faive hunder powns Good and Lawful money of the Steate of North Carolina to which payment well and trully to be mead and don we bind oursealves our heirs Executives & ad^m Jointly and firmly, Sealed with our seal and Dated this 25th Day of November 1798.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bondant Jacob Goodner & George Swisher hath the Day abov written maid application for marig Licanc to be Celebrated between Jacob Goodner and Ester Wite and Now if it shall appear in time hereafter that there is Nothing to Obstruct said marriag then the above obligation to be Void Els to Remean in full force and Effect. Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of us.

Test: Alex. Gray. Jacob Goodner (Seal)
George Swisher (Seal)

The original quaint spelling has been copied. A fac-simile of this interesting document is being reproduced, as it should be a subject of much interest to all of Jacob's descendants.

Where ever Jacob was in 1801, he returned to Guilford County in that year for he had to sign the deed covering the sale of the home place on Dec. 12, 1801 to Jacob Swisher, for the sum of One Hundred Pounds "good and lawful money". This was the same tract of land that Mary Goodner had bought from Martin Wirick on August 18th, 1788, for the sum of Fifty Pounds. It consisted of 111 acres of land on the Reedy Fork Creek in northeastern Guilford County. This deed was also signed by Walter and Henry Goodner.

Shortly after 1802 he journeyed back to Kentucky, for his next child, Catherine, was born there in November 1804. His next two children, Michael, in 1807, and Daniel, in 1810 were also born in Kentucky, although at the time the 1810 census was taken he was residing in Washington County, Virginia, which county is contiguous to Sullivan County, Tennessee, where Conrad resided for some years and where other families from Guilford County had settled. The census returns show the following:

Washington Co., Va. 1810. Page 133.

Jacob Goodner	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
	1 under 10	1 under 10
	1 10-16	1 10-16
	2 16-26	1 26-45
	1 26-45	

The male under ten years of age, shown in the census returns would be his son, Michael, and the male in the ten to sixteen bracket would be son, John. The female under ten years would be Catherine. The two males in the sixteen to twenty-six year bracket must have been either brothers to his wife, Hester, or possibly cousins, sons of the Walter Goodner who was the son of John and Annie. The female in the ten to sixteen bracket was evidently the wife of one of the males. Two Goodners are shown later to have resided in Vermilion County, Ill., who were not sons of either Jacob or his brother, Walter, and who were born in North Carolina between 1790 and 1800. These were a Henry Goodner and a Walter Goodner.

It is not known in what part of Kentucky Jacob lived, but the distance between the Kentucky State line and Washington County, Virginia, is not great. The nearby Cumberland Gap offered a natural and convenient passage between

Gulfport County, State of North Carolina

We now all were by this present that we Jacob Goodner & George Swisher are that are firmly bound to his Excellence ^{of} Samuel A. Fisher his Successor in office in the present sum of five hundred pounds good and lawful money of the State of North Carolina to which payment well and truly to be made and to have bind our Seal and our Seal vs Execution & to be jointly and firmly sealed with our seal and dated the 24 Day of November 1798

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bondant Jacob Goodner & George Swisher hath celebrated between Jacob Goodner & Ester Wite and Now if it shall appear in time hereafter that there is Nothing void or to be mean in full force and Effect Signed

Jacob Goodner
George Swisher

Fac-simile of the Marriage Bond of Jacob Goodner and Hester White.

The spelling in this document is convincing evidence of the Pennsylvania Dutch background of these people. You will note that the name of Hester is spelled "Ester Wite", which is exactly the way they would pronounce the name "Hester White". It is interesting, and meaningful, to note also that Jacob signed his name in English script and not in the German script, as did George Swisher as well, who at this time had married Elizabeth Goodner, and was thus Jacob's brother-in-law.

the two places.

About the year 1815, or 1816, Jacob moved to Switzerland County, Indiana, when the Cincinnati lands were thrown open for settlement. He took out grants for two tracts of land, one of which, entered March 13, 1815, was for the South West One Quarter of Section 19, Township 3 N, Range 1 W of 1st P. M. line. The second one, entered Dec. 31, 1817, was for the South East One Quarter of Section 25. On March 1, 1832, he relinquished the West one-half of the latter. The first grant was for land that lay in that part of Dearborn County which later was cut off and formed into Ohio County, and the second grant was for land in Switzerland County. The first grant read as follows:

"James Madison, President of the United States of America, to whom these presents shall come, Greeting: Know ye that Jacob Goodner of Kentucky Having deposited in the General Land Office a Certificate of the register of the Land Office at Cincinnati whereby it appears that full payment has been made for the Southwest Quarter of Section Nineteen of Township Three in Range One lying west of the Meridian line of the lands directed to be sold at Cincinnati by the Act of Congress entitled an act providing for the Sale of Lands of the United States in the Territory north west of the Ohio and above the mouth of the Kentucky River and of the acts amendatory of the Same, there is Granted by the United States unto the said Jacob Goodner the quarter lot or section of land above described To Have and To Hold the said quarter lot or Section of land with the appurtenances unto the said Jacob Goodner his heirs and assigns forever, in Testimony whereof I have caused these Letters to be made patent and the Seal of the General Land Office to be hereto affixed, given under my hand at the City of Washington the fourteenth day of August in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the forty first, by the President."

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James Madison
Josiah Meigs, Comm. of the General
Land Office.

Others who took out land grants at this time or a little later, some of which are undoubtedly of Orange and Guilford County, North Carolina, derivation, are:

Isaac Conner	Dearborn Co., Ind.	2-7-1815
John Conner	Dearborn Co., Ind.	8-10-1815
Daniel Conner	Switzerland Co., Ind.	4-22-1801
Jacob Smith	Dearborn Co., Ind.	8-10-1815
William Smith	Dearborn Co., Ind.	2-20-1813
Joseph White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	6-4-1817
Caleb White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	7-10-1818
John White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	12-13-1816
James White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	7-1-1813
William S. White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	2-20-1813
Alex. White	Dearborn Co., Ind.	2-2-1815
John Cunningham	Switzerland Co., Ind.	3-25-1817

Jacob continued to live and pass out his days in the counties of Ohio and Switzerland. According to a grandson, John Piatt Goodner, he at one time owned and operated an inn or tavern, called the "Black Horse Inn", or "Black Horse Tavern", located in Aberdeen in Ohio County.

Hester, born in 1769, according to information which seems reliable, and who was thus older than Jacob, and who was the mother of all his children, died in 1834. Jacob then married Mary Ann Harwood, Aug. 30, 1835, in Ohio County. She apparently died a few years later, for on July 1st, 1838, he married for the third time, his third wife being a widow, Mrs. Zilpah Laforce. Jacob did not survive but a few months after this marriage, for he passed away the latter part of 1839, in the 63rd year of his life.

Zilpah married the following Spring, April 30th, 1840, Dana Jacobs, in Switzerland County, L. S. Dalrymple, Pastor of the Church of Jesus Christ.

A genealogical chart of the issue and descendants of Jacob and Hester follow, so far as it has been possible to secure the data. I regret that it is not complete:

Ch: 1d. John Goodner, b. 1800, North Carolina, undoubtedly Guilford Co. d. 10-14-1852, reputedly from cholera while on a boat going down the Ohio River, and buried along the shore. As a boy, accompanied his parents to Kentucky, thence to Washington Co., Va., in 1810, then again back to Kentucky, and thence finally to Dearborn County, Indiana, when he was 15 years of age. Here John grew to manhood on the farm. On Nov. 9, 1826, he married Jane Latta, Dearborn County. Parentage of Jane

is not known. On Feb. 15th, 1832, he entered a tract of land in adjoining Ohio County - that is what is now Ohio County - which tract had been granted to one John Kemp, and then relinquished by him to John Goodner. This is probably the same tract of land disposed of by his heirs on April 18th, 1867.

In the 1850 census returns of Ohio Co., Ind., John is shown as head of a household, age 50, born in North Carolina, with wife, Jane, age 42, born in Pennsylvania, and children, William, age 18, Andrew, age 16, and Julia, age 14.

In the 1860 census, Jane is shown as head of the household, age 52, birth place Pennsylvania, with daughter, Julia, age 23, and with three small children, - namely Willie Goodner, age 5, Arthur Goodner, age 1, and Lenoria Myers, age 12, with place of residence Coopersville. The three small children were evidently grandchildren, Lenoria being a daughter of Melissa, and the boys being sons of her son, William, who must have been deceased at the time.

The deed disposing of the old home place reads as follows:-

OHIO COUNTY, INDIANA

We, Jane Goodner, Andrew J. Goodner and Virginia, his wife, Julia Ann Goodner, and Lenore Myers of Ohio County, Indiana, and Alexander James and Sarah James, his wife, of Gallatin Co., Kentucky, in consideration of the sum of Five Thousand Four Hundred and Forty Two dollars and fifty cents unto us paid by William I. Cooper of Ohio County, Indiana, convey and warrant to the said William I. Cooper the following real estate in the said County-of Ohio, to wit: the East one half of the South east quarter of Section 14, Township 3, Range 2 West, containing 84 acres. Also the South west Quarter of said South east Quarter, containing 44 acres, except 10 acres thereof set off to William Dorrell by proceedings in partition in the Common Pleas of said County at the April term 1860, the said two pieces of real estate with that set off to said Dorrell being the real estate owned by John Goodner, deceased, in his lifetime. Also part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 13, in the same township and range, bounded as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of said Quarter and running thence East 57.60 rods to a stone in the valley; thence South 9 1/2" W. 68 rods to a point from which a sycamore 20" in diameter "becors" S 28 1/4 E. 28 links distant, - etc. to the place of the beginning, containing 37 43/100 acres more or less, and being the same real estate conveyed to said Andrew J. Goodner by George W. Stewart by deed dated Feb. 7, 1863.

In Testimony whereof the grantors have hereunto set their hands the 18th day of April, 1867.

Deed acknowledge by
Jane Goodner, April 20, 1867.
A. C. Downey, N. P.
John B. Covington, Recorder
Ohio County, Indiana.

Signed: Alexander James
Sarah M. James
Andrew J. Goodner
Virginia Goodner
Juliana Goodner
Lenore Myers
her
Jane X Goodner
mark

After the sale of the home place, Jane took up residence with her son, Andrew. The 1870 census of Ohio County shows her still living with him, age 62. At this time they resided in Aberdeen, Cass Township. It is not known when she died or where buried.

Ch: 1e. Sarah M. Goodner, b. abt. 1830, Ohio Co., Ind. m: Alexander James, 9-18-1845, Ohio Co., Ind. Ceremony performed by Thomas Griswold, J. P. Resided in Gallatin Co., Ky., across the Ohio River from Ohio County, Ind.

Ch: 1f. Maud E. James, b. abt. 1846/7, Gallatin Co., Ky. m: Mr. Presser.

Ch: 1g. Glenn E. Presser. Resided in Birmingham, Ala.

2f. William James, b. abt. 1848/9, Gallatin Co., Ky. m: Sarah -----, Res: 2403 Warren St., Covington, Ky.

Ch: 1g. Bonnie Irene James

2g. Scott James

3g. Edna Lee James, m: Mr. Kroeger.

4g. Goldie Mae James

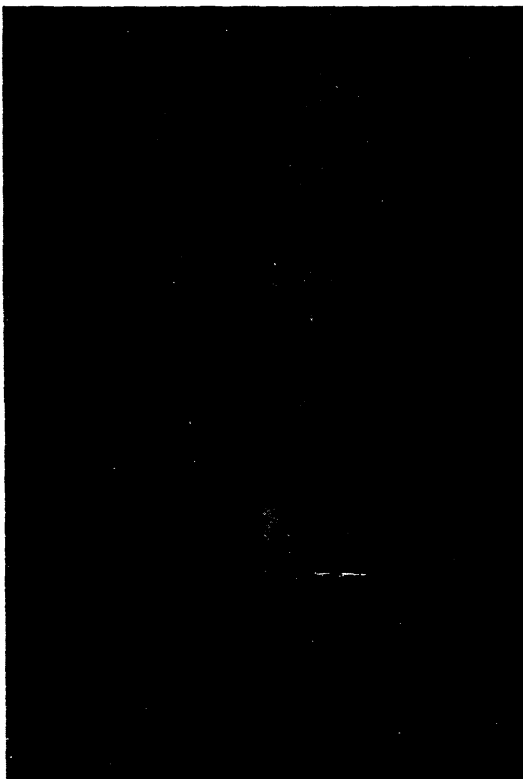
3f. Hulda James, b. abt. 1850/1. m: Mr. Hughes

Ch: 1g. Lulu Belle Hughes, m: Mr. Padgett.

2g. William Curtis Hughes

4f. Fannie James, b. abt. 1853/4. m: Mr. Brashear. Resided in Gretter Apts., Frankfort, Ky.

- 5f. Mack James, b. abt. 1856/7. m: Lucy -----. Resided in Independence, Mo.
- 2e. William Goodner, b. abt. 1832, Ohio Co., Ind. Must have died prior to 1867, when the father's land was sold, for his name does not appear as one of the grantors. Evidently he married and had issue. He is reported to have had a daughter, Cora, who married a Mr. Bennett, and who resided at 514 Sheridan St., Greensburg, Ind. Then, too, Jane Goodner, the mother, in 1860, had in her household two small children, Willie Goodner, or Wilea Goodner, age 5, and Arthur Goodner, age 1. It is possible that Willie, or Wilea, was a girl, maybe a nickname for Cora, and that Arthur died young, since we have no further record of him. Neither of these children were living with Andrew, as their names fail to appear in the 1870 census of his household.
- 3e. Andrew Jackson Goodner, b. 1834, Ohio Co., Ind. d. 1900, in San Luis Valley, Colorado, m: Virginia Mary Smith, 9-27-1866, Ohio Co., Ind., ceremony performed by F. J. Klein, a Catholic priest. Resided in Cass Township, in Aberdeen, in 1870, when his mother was living with him. He is reported to have been living in Brookston, White Co., Ind., in 1889, and that immediately after that year he moved with his family to Colorado. Virginia May was a daughter of James T. Smith of Ohio Co., Ind. Mary lies interred in a Catholic Cemetery in La Junta, Colorado. It is reported that he and his family moved to Colorado in the early 1890's, to join his son, James Andrew. Had gone to the California Gold Fields in 1854 via New York, boat to Panama, and over isthmus by coach. An Indian carried his heavy trunk on his back and arrived Pacific side first. Worked at Placerville for 2 years. To the union of Andrew Jackson and Virginia, four sons were born.
- Ch: 1f. James Andrew Goodner, b. 8-18-1867, Rising Sun, Ind. d. 1942, Rocky Ford, Colo. Interred in Rocky Ford. Removed from Indiana to the San Luis Valley in Colorado in 1885, where he took a contract to construct the bridges and head-gates for the San Luis Irrigation Canal, which contract he successfully completed, at which time he was 18 and 19 years of age. Later worked as a carpenter and became associated with James Monroe Chritton, a contractor and builder, and whose daughter, Gertrude, he married in 1891. She was born in Neringo, Iowa, in 1873, and died in Rocky Ford, Colo., in 1947, where she was interred. James Monroe Chritton (1842-1927) was born in Ohio, and his wife, Mary Hollowell (1845-1927), was born in Iowa.



James Andrew Goodner
Courtesy James Russell Goodner

In the early "nineties", James Andrew purchased a steam tractor and separator and did grain thrashing in the valley. About this time his folks moved west to the area, and he had his brother, William Henry ("Harry"), operate the machine while he built and operated a blacksmith shop in the small town of Mosca nearby. In 1898 he invented a rotary steam engine, which was exhibited at the Omaha Exhibition, and which earned a Gold Medal. At one time one of the engines was in the museum at the University of Colorado. Before it could be put on the market the steam turbine came out and made it obsolete. For a time he operated a shop in the Bessemer section of Pueblo, and in 1910 moved to Rocky Ford, Colo., to which place the Chrittons had already moved. There he built and operated a blacksmith and machine shop, which he called the "Eagle Shops", in which undertaking his brother, Clifford L., joined him, followed still later by another brother, William Henry. His brother, Rupert, joined him also but remained only briefly. Here they did considerable wagon and buggy wheel work. In 1905, he invented and patented the "Goodner Chain Pump", a continuous piston pump in which the piston or plunger did not work up and down but kept continuously in the one direction. It met with instant success - it was 95% efficient - and was used throughout the western states until as late as the "twenties", pumping irrigation water on farms. They were built with capacities as large as 1600 gallons per minute. In 1906, he invented a machine for seeding cantaloupes and cucumbers, which proved quite successful. Because of anticipated limited demand, it was not patented, and so after the Eagle Shops had built about 100 of them, it was widely copied and produced. The basic principles invented by Mr. Goodner are

still in use in present day seeders.

As the business grew, James Andrew built an iron and brass foundry near

the Sante Fe tracks, permitting raw materials to be purchased in carload quantities. He designed, and his brother, Clifford L., and he built the cupalo, the cranes, and the flasks. Pending the training of a molder, James Andrew himself melted the iron and brass and poured the castings. At this time a demand developed for a pump on farms that would stand the erosive action of the silt laden Arkansas river water, it being necessary to lift the water into the irrigation canals. An ordinary pump had only a life span of a couple of years. By 1910 he had invented and was manufacturing such a pump, a new type centrifugal one capable of withstanding the erosive action of the silt, some of them remaining in effecient operation after 20 years of service.

William Henry and Clifford L., never liking shop work, wanted to get out of the business, and so the company was sold to a Mr. H. E. Levers of Roswell, N. M., in exchange for farm and city property. James Andrew then moved on a 480 acre farm out of Roswell, but finding the productivity of the land unsatisfactory, he in 1915 rented the farm and city property and moved back to Rocky Ford, Colo. Later the Roswell property was traded for an equity in a manufacturing plant in Trinidad, Colo., where Diesel engines were manufactured. In accordance with arrangements James Andrew was to have a certain authority in the management of the shop, but conflict and differences early arose, so his equity was traded for two good farms north east of Rocky Ford and a good assortment of wood working tools used in the making of patterns for foundry castings.

For several years, James Andrew and some of his sons, including James Russell, had been working on a new type pump which he had sketched out on paper, and in the fall of 1916, after James Andrew had returned from Twin Falls, Idaho, where he had been in charge of building the forms for the concrete foundations, and later setting the machines, for a new sugar factory being built by The La Rue Const. Co., he and his son, Monroe Harry, set up a small machine shop in the old water works building in Rocky Ford. At the end of World War I, in which all the sons had seen service, James Andrew was joined by his three sons, Charles Roy, Monroe Harry, and James Russell. They did custom work of all kinds. In 1922, Monroe Harry expressed the wish to take over the shop, and so the others sold out their interests to him. Charles Roy and James Russell accepted positions with the Great Western Sugar Co. in 1923, while James Andrew took off for an extended trip to California. Because of poor business conditions the business was turned back to James Andrew in 1925, and Monroe Harry went to California where a few years later he invented the E and J Resusitator, which is still being manufactured in Glendale, Calif.

During the immediate years following, James Andrew designed and built coal conveyors, onion graders, and a variety of agricultural devices, and did more work on the pressure pump. He sold the patent rights and all the equipment on the pump to the California Oil Tool Co., and Charles Roy went with the company to superintend the manufacture, but because of financially bad times the pump was never put on the market. Charles Roy then went with the Connersville Blower Co. as engineer and draftsman in the shop and in the field.

In 1928, James Andrew was manufacturing a new type pump which he had designed and continued to do so until 1934, when Theodore Chritton, his youngest son, joined him in the business. They produced besides the pump, seeding equipment, and an automatic grain and produce scale which had no knife edges. Theodore had graduated from the Univ. of Minnesota with a degree in Electric Engineering, and had been associated with the Western Electric Co. in electronics. The business prospered, and Theodore induced his father to sell out to him, which James Andrew did, but he continued to go to the shop every day until the day of his death.

Theodore purchased the old buildings of the Goodner Pump and Machine Co. in Rocky Ford, and remodeled them. At the same time, through court action, he secured control of the old name. The business continued to grow, and in 1957, at the time of Theodore's death, he was marketing some of the new electric submerged pumps he had designed and patented. His wife and son continue to operate the business under the name of the Goodner Iron and Pump Works.

Physically, James Andrew was a handsome and powerfully built man, - almost six feet tall, blue-grey eyes, hair almost black-brown, trim, straight, slim waist, and with the muscular arms and chest of the blacksmith he was. His son, James Russell, states that his physique was "like the pictures in a Physical Culture" magazine. (The above is a condensation of an article by James Russell Goodner).

James Andrew and his wife, Gertrude Chritton, had five children:-

Ch: 1g. Charles Roy Goodner, b. 12-24-1891, Mosca, Colo. d. 2-4-1937, Huntington Park, Calif. m: Ruby Watson, 1917, Rocky Ford, Colo. (b. 8-7-1891, dau. Jason Lee Watson and Edith Keffer). Mr. Goodner served in W. W. I. See sketch under name of father. Presbyterians and later Methodists. Widow resides at 620 Plymouth Rd., Claremont, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Doris Goodner, b. 12-31-1919, Rocky Ford, Colo. m: George Andrew Hansen, 10-8-1938, at Santa Ana, Calif. (b. 8-4-1913, son of Carl Olaf Hansen, from Copenhagen, Denmark). Banker. Presbyterians. Enlisted in Navy at age 16. Res: 7219 Cully Ave., Whittier, Calif.

Ch: 1i. George Andrew Hansen, Jr., b. 5-20-1939

2i. Charles Roy Hansen, b. 4-6-1943.

2h. Charles Roy Goodner, Jr., b. 10-23-1927, Rocky Ford, Colo. Served in Marines. Presbyterian. Security Guard. m: Barbara Marie Mannagh. (b. 9-3-1928, Seattle, Wash., dau. of Robert Mannagh, born Missoula, Mont., and Marie Mannagh born Portland, Ore.) Res: 12282 Epsilon Ave., Garden Grove, Calif.

Ch: 1i. Janet Marie Goodner, b. 11-9-1951.

2i. Robert Charles Goodner, b. 9-18-1955.

2g. Dorothy Goodner, b. 11-9-1893, Mosca, Colo. d. 3-28-1953. Interred in Rocky Ford, Colo. m: William Carl Johnson, 1917, in Wazette, Minn. He died in Minneapolis, 1924, where they were residing. Dorothy was Personnel Director at the Univ. of Minnesota, but resigned this position in 1942 to return home to take care of her mother, after the death of her father. Graduate Univ. of Minnesota. Phi Beta Kappa, 1917.

Ch: None.

3g. Monroe Harry Goodner, b. 6-1-1897, Mosca, Colo. Inventor and manufacturer of Resusitator used by firemen and rescue squads throughout the world. See article under name of father. Graduate Public Schools in Rocky Ford, Colo. Presbyterian. Engineer with the Stephenson Corp., Red Bank, N. J. W. W. I. m: 1st: Genevieve Tetedoux, 1925. d. 1939. m: 2nd: Jessie Landes, 1942. d. 1948. m: 3rd: Helen Lorraine Hauenstein, 1-6-1951, Highlands, N. J. (b. 4-1-1910, dau. Conrad and Magdalena Hauenstein of Philadelphia, Pa.). Res: 137 North Sunnycrest Dr., Little Silver, N. J.

Ch: None.

4g. James Russell Goodner, b. 8-9-1898, Colorado. W. W. I. Worked with father - see article under name of James Andrew - until 1923, when he became associated with the Great Western Sugar Co. The following article appeared in the Company house organ on his retirement. "J. R. Goodner Retires at Windsor

J. R. (Pix) Goodner, master mechanic at Windsor, retired in September with 36 years of service on the mechanical staffs of five factories in Northern Colorado. A Mechanic with unusual inventiveness, Pix joined Great Western in 1923. He previously was graduated from Rocky Ford High School, attended the Univ. of Colorado, and was an Infantryman during World War I. His first GW service was at Eaton, from 1923 to 1928, where he was electrician, chief electrician and shop foreman. In 1934, he was transferred to Fort Morgan; in 1942, to Fort Collins; and in 1943 to Longmont. In 1946 he was appointed master mechanic at Windsor, where he served until retirement". Holds one patent under his own name, and other patents held under name of his employer. Methodist. m: Louise Hoffmeister, 8-8-1923. (dau. Louis Hoffmeister*, 1863-1942, and Lillie Miller* 1870-1942, of Rifle, Colo.) Res: 1216 W. Mountain Ave., Ft. Collins, Colo.

Ch: 1h. William Russell Goodner, 8-3-1924, Eaton, Colo. Only child. Served in Army 3 years. Mechanical Engineer with Stearns-Rogers Mfg. Co. of Denver, Colo. m: Phillis Berner, 6-23-1946, Arvada, Colo. Methodists. Res. 7495 West 61st Ave.,



Dorothy Goodner Johnson
Courtesy of James Russell Goodner

* See Appendix

Arvada, Colorado.

Ch: 1i. Nicole Annette Goodner, b. 3-15-1947, Ft. Collins, Colo.

2i. Karleen Sue Goodner, b. 4-4-1949, Ft. Collins, Colo.

3i. William Terrence Goodner, b. 8-11-1952, Denver, Colo.

5g. Theodore Chritton Goodner, b. 3-23-1905, Rocky Ford, Colo. d. 9-16-1957, Rocky Ford. Interred in Rocky Ford. Graduate Univ. of Univ. of Minnesota, Elec. Engineering, 1929. Was associated with Western Electric Co. in electronics for a few years, and then became associated with his father in the manufacturing of pumps and allied products, (See article under name of James Andrew Goodner) owner of the Goodner Iron and Pump Works of Rocky Ford, manufacturers of irrigation pumps and turbine pumps, irrigation pumping equipment, feed lot scales, ditch headgates, pelleting machines, onion conveyors, etc. Widow and son continue to operate the business. m: Gladys Margaret Jensen, 6-20-1929, Minneapolis, Minn. (b. 1-26-1904, dau. Andrew Peter and Margaret Jensen of Askov, Minn. Both dec'd.) Res: Rocky Ford, Colorado

Ch: 1h. Dorothy Jean Goodner, b. 5-24-1932, Rocky Ford, Colo. m: Dr. Robert Eason, Doctor of Psychology, 9-5-1952, San Diego, Calif. Res: 2840 Amulet St., San Diego 11, Calif.

Ch: 1i. Robert Gregory Eason, b. 7-18-1956, Columbia, Mo.

2i. Linda Joan Eason, b. 12-12-1958, San Diego, Calif.

2h. Theodore Chritton Goodner, Jr., b. 2-25-1935, Rocky Ford, Colo. Operates the business of the Goodner Iron and Pump Works, Rocky Ford. m: Shirley Jean Chappel, 8-7-1957, in Bermuda. (b. 10-19-1928, London, Ontario, dau. Leighton Joseph Chappel, dec'd, and Marguerite Chappel of Toronto, Ontario, Canada). Res: Rocky Ford, Colo.

Ch: 1i. Lorie Anne Goodner, b. 6-5-1958, Boulder, Colo.

2f. William Henry (Called "Harry") Goodner, b. 12-3-1868, Ohio Co., Ind. Moved west with father in the early 1890's to San Luis Valley, Colorado. d. 9-30-1929, and interred in Hagerman, N. M. Associated with brother, James Andrew, in business for awhile (See article under name of James Andrew Goodner), but moved to Artesia, N. M. in the 1900's and remained there the remainder of his life, farming. m: Miss Forest Starbuck, 6-22-1902, Rocky Ford, Colo. (b. 3-26-1879, dau. of Marion and Eliza Jane Starbuck). Widow lives with daughter, Constance.



William Henry Goodner



Forest Starbuck Goodner

Courtesy Mrs. Virginia Goodner Kurtz

- Ch: 1g. Constance Goodner, b. 3-27-1903, Rocky Ford, Colo. Graduate Univ. of Colorado 1927. m: James Frank Frost, 6-11-1927, Golden, Colo. (b. 4-14-1902, son of Frank Frost of Golden, Colo.) Mining Engineer. Methodist. Member of R.O.T.C. in college. Res: 3600 South 2210 East, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Ch: 1h. Eugene Dana Frost, b. 10-16-1928.
2h. Thomas Sherwood Frost, b. 3-27-1930.
- 2g. Vera Goodner, b. 9-22-1904, d. 12-12-1909. Interred Rocky Ford, Colo.
- 3g. Jewell Goodner, b. * m: Horace Elmer Gibson, Jr. Res: 1803 Garwood Ave., Pueblo, Colo.
- 4g. Leona Goodner, b. 1910, Rocky Ford, Colo. m: Herbert Thomas Taylor, 1927. Barber. Methodist. (b. 1903) Son of Robert Edward and Mary Bell Taylor. Res: 1005 King Dr., Roswell, N. M.
Ch: 1h. Herbert Thomas Taylor, Jr., b. 1928, Res: 1809 Illinois Ave., N. E., Albuquerque, N. M.
2h. Harry Robert Taylor. Res: 504 Val Verde, S. E., Albuquerque, N. M.
3h. Shirlene Rosetta Taylor. m: Jimmy R. Isler. Res: 908 Vest Dr., Warrensburg, Mo.
4h. Betty Joyce Taylor. Single. Res: 1515 N. Michigan, Roswell, N. M.
5h. William Raymond Taylor. Res: 712 Buena Vista S. E., Albuquerque, N. M.
6h. Janet Lee Taylor. m: Chas. A. Desrosiers, Res: 602 S. Kentucky, Roswell, N. M.
- 5g. Virginia Josephine Goodner, b. 7-23-1917 m: Morris Leighton Carpenter, 8-4-1940, Raton, N. M. (b. 7-7-1913, Chadron, N. M., son of Stephen and Kate Carpenter) Real Estate Salesman. Methodist. Res: 1514 S. Adams, Roswell, N. M.
Ch: 1h. Maurice Smith Carpenter, b. 7-20-1941
2h. Larry Forrest Carpenter, b. 6-30-1942
3h. Julie Shirlene Carpenter, b. 7-4-1948
4h. Sharon Leah Carpenter, b. 12-4-1952
- 3f. John Rupert Goodner, b. abt. 1870, Ohio Co., Ind. d. 1919, and interred in Catholic Cemetery in La Junta, Colo. Single.
- 4f. Clifford Ludwig Goodner, b. 2-3-1877, Ohio Co., Ind. d. 3-10-1954, age 77 years. Interred in Anderson, Calif. m: Mary Grace Morrow, 7-21-1908, Rocky Ford, Colo., at St. Peters Church, by Father Felix Dilly. (b. 4-19-1880. d. 8-2-1919. Dau. of David Morrow of Mission Valley, Iowa.) See article under name of his father for early activities. Moved to California shortly after 1912 and took up farming. Lost his wife in 1919 and reared himself his family of five children. Resided near Anderson, Calif. Catholic.
Ch: 1g. Catherine Grace Goodner, b. 4-16-1909, Rocky Ford, Colo. m: Joseph L. Morrison, 9-12-1944. (b. 11-8-1906, son of James H. Morrison of Fargo, N. D., and Long Prairie, Minn.) Married at Riverside, Calif. Radio and Television Technician, Catholic. Res: 4338 Glen St., Riverside, Calif.
Ch: 1h. James J. Morrison, b. 7-3-1945
2h. Leo P. Morrison, b. 9-19-1946
3h. Charles F. Morrison, b. 2-29-1948
4h. Kenneth R. Morrison, b. 2-21-1950
5h. Louis A. Morrison, b. 7-9-1951
6h. Edward J. Morrison, b. 3-16-1954
- 2g. David L. Goodner, b. 10-28-1910, Rocky Ford, Colo. Army, W. W. II. Serving in Phillipines when it fell to the Japanese. Captured and taken to Japan, and was made to work in a steel mill in Northern Japan for duration of war, and was severely ill of malnutrition at time of liberation. Farmer. Single. Res: P. O. Box 13, Millvill, Calif. Catholic.
- 3g. Rupert Joseph Goodner, b. 7-28-1912, Rocky Ford, Colo. Service in Navy, 1942-1947, stationed in Hawaiian Islands. Attended schools in Rocky Ford and La Junta, Colo. Farmer and Carpenter. Catholic. m: Rowena Louise Stevenson, 7-10-1948, Redding, Calif. (b. 12-13-1925,

* See Appendix.

- dau. Thaddeus and Edith Stevenson of Millvill, Calif. Res: Rt. #1, Box 1527, Anderson, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Michael Joseph Goodner, b. 12-12-1949
 2h. Patricia Ann Goodner, b. 12-24-1951
 3h. Gary Robert Goodner, b. 2-24-1953
 4h. Rodney Dale Goodner, b. 9-12-1954
 5h. Roy Steven Goodner, b. 8-24-1956
 6h. Joan Marie Goodner, b. 11-2-1958
- 4g. Virginia May Goodner, b. 12-28-1913, Rocky Ford, Colo. m: John O. Kurtz, 9-15-1933, Raton, N. M. (b. 4-2-1912, son of John Kurtz of Hungary.) Painter, Catholic. Res: 690 W. Grand, Pomona, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Elizabeth Catherine Kurtz, b. 11-1-1934, in Colo. m: Mr. Smith. Has 3 boys and 1 girl.
 2h. Joseph Robert Kurtz, b. 4-2-1936, Calif. In Armed Services, stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.
 3h. Alice Mary Kurtz, b. 8-22-1937, Calif. m: Mr. Smith. Has 2 boys and 1 girl.
 4h. Gregory Vincent Kurtz, b. 3-3-1948, Calif.
- 5g. Clifford Blaze Goodner, b. 2-3-1917, Roswell, N. M. Served in Air Force W. W. II. Carpenter. Catholic. m: Charlotte Bernice Rhoades, 8-1-1942, (b. 7-2-1923, dau. of Oney Rhoades of Burney, Calif.) Clifford attended Univ. of Illinois. Res: Rt. #1 Box 3607N, Redding, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Mary E. Goodner, b. 6-3-1944
 2h. Dwight B. Goodner, b. 8-25-1948
 3h. Emley Y. Goodner, b. 2-27-1952.
- 4e. Melissa Goodner, b. Ohio County, Ind. m: Peter Myers, 9-14-1818, Ohio Co., Ind. Samuel Records, Minister. Melissa died rather young, before 1860. Place of residence most likely Ohio County, Ind.
 Ch: 1f. Leonia Myers, b. abt. 1848. No further data.
- 5e. Julia Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1836, Ohio Co., Ind. Apparently went to Vermilion Co., Ill. to visit her relatives, for she married there, 7-30-1867, Jacob F. Illk. Officiating Minister was P. D. Hammond of the M. E. Church.
 Ch: 1f. Huldah Illk, b. abt. 1869. m: Mr. Phillips. Resided in National City, Calif. 814 C Avenue.
 2f. Arthur B. Illk. Married and had at least one son. Place of residence not known.
 3f. Lenora A. Illk. m: Mr. Conner. Had 2 sons.
 4f. Rupert A. Illk. Preacher. Resided in Windsor, Ill.
 5f. Ira L. Illk. Married and had issue. Resided in Oakwood, Ill.
- 2d. Catherine Goodner, b. 11-13-1804, possibly in Kentucky. d. 12-11-1841, in Illinois. Lived for a time in Ohio Co., Ind., and moved about 1826 to Vermilion Co., Illinois, where on 1-18-1827, she married William Simpson Pate, ceremony performed by Joel Decoursey, Justice of the Peace. Catherine was interred in the Oakwood Cemetery, Oakwood, Ill. After death of Catherine, Mr. Pate married Lidy Carpenter. He lies buried in the Pate Cemetery in Catlin, Ill.
- Ch: 1e. George Washington Pate, b. 3-9-1831, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 3-7-1902. Interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. Name of wife not available, but she was born in Dayton, Ohio, and moved to Vermilion Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Frank M. Pate, b. 2-3-1869, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 7-7-1948. Interred in Myrtle, Minn. m: Mary Neal. (b. 2-11-1874, dau. William Neal). Family resided in Illinois, and in Minnesota, at Dayton Bluff Station No. 4, St. Paul. Widow living in 1959, but in feeble health, in Albert Lea, Minn.
- Ch: 1g. Ernest W. Pate, b. 3-22-1893, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. Retired. Methodist. m: Pauline Vincent, 6-14-1916, at Hampton, Iowa. (b. 9-21-1893, dau. of John Vincent of Hampton, Iowa.) Res: Lane, S. D.
- Ch: 1h. Lossie Mary Pate, b. 11-28-1918, Stillwater, Minn. m: William Ammon, 6-8-1940, Hampton, Iowa. (b. 2-16-1906, son of Fred and Bertha Ammon of Woonsocket, S. D.) Methodists. Res: Alpena, South Dakota.
- Ch: 1i. Melvin William Ammon, b. 12-28-1942
 2i. Donald Lee Ammon, b. 11-10-1945
 3i. Frances Kay Ammon, b. 9-17-1948
 4i. Allan Ray Ammon, b. 12-15-1951
- 2h. Howard Pate, b. 7-1-1922. Res: 818 No. 28th Place, Phoenix, Ariz. No further data.

- 2g. Clarence Pate, b. 3-6-1895, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. Methodist. Served in Army. m: Hilda D. Balbach, 2-26-1919, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 11-4-1900, dau. of Otto Balbach of Waupun, Wisc.) Res: R.F.D. #3, Sullivan, Indiana.
Ch: 1h. Patsy Jane Pate, b. 6-7-1928, St. Paul, Minn. m: 1st: Mr. Smith
Ch: 1i. Paula Gertrude Smith, b. 3-5-1946
m: 2nd: Willis Lee Martin, 4-9-1948, at Dillon, S. C. (b. 10-24-1921, son of Rosa Alice Martin of Dycusburg, Ky.) Career man in Army; in service 17 years. Members of Mt. View Baptist Church. Res: 5701 Elkton Way, El Paso, Texas.
2i. Catherine Ann Martin, b. 10-8-1949
- 2h. Betty Jean Pate, b. 7-7-1935, Memphis, Tenn. m: 1st: Mr. Strevel, 5-21-1949, Memphis, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Rebecca Ann Strevel, b. 9-19-1950. Adopted by Betty Jean's second husband. Now carries the name of Powell.
m: 2nd: John Walter Powell, 10-21-1952. (b. 6-4-1920, son of James Allen Powell of Forest City, St. Francis Co., Ark.) Mechanic. Baptist. Mr. Powell had two children by a previous marriage, - Linda Faye, b. 12-27-1945, and John Walter, Jr., b. 11-25-1947. Res: 329 1/2 No. 12th St., Phoenix, Ariz.
- 3h. Mary Joyce Pate, b. 10-30-1940, Memphis, Tenn. m: Larry Dean Beverstock, 4-11-1959, at Switz City, Ind. (b. 9-25-1940, son of Bard Beverstock.) Navy Veteran. Methodists. Res: Rt. #3, Sullivan, Ind.
Ch: None.
- 4h. Franklin Scott Pate, b. 6-9-1945, Memphis, Tenn. Residing at home.
- 3g. George Herman Pate, b. 3-31-1900, Oakwood, Ill. Manager of an Appliance Dept. Methodist. m: Cora Jane Peak, 6-12-1923, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 1-17-1903, dau. of George Peak of Fithian, Ill.) Res: 3713 N. Osceola Ave., Chicago 34, Ill.
Ch: 1h. Theresa L. Pate, b. 11-9-1924, St. Paul, Minn. m: William Kester Sizelove, 10-4-1947, at Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 11-26-1928, son of Jesse E. and Ferne Dines Sizelove of Bismarck, Ill.) Res: Box 52, Bismarck, Ill. Proprietor of a Ditching Service. Members of First Church of Christ. Served as Sergeant in Korean Campaign.
Ch: None.
- 2f. Elizabeth Pate, b. 1862. d. 1884. Interred in a small cemetery in Vermilion Co., Ill. m: William Snyder. (d. Feb. 1935, San Francisco, Calif., and interred there.)
Ch: 1g. Ellen Snyder, b. 12-6-1880, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Robert Landree, 1-1-1910, Santa Cruz, Calif. (b. 11-24-1882, son of Charles Landree of Macon Co., Mo.) Upholsterer. Methodist. Res: 134 Solano St., Brisbane, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Hazel M. Landree, b. 11-20-1912. m: Leslie Gull, Railroad Engineer. Res: 4053 San Francisco Ave., Brisbane, Calif.
2h. Donald R. Landree, b. 3-19-1920. Pharmacist. m: Thelma -----, Res: 2114 Arthur Ave., Belmont, Calif.
- 2g. Lola Snyder, b. 8-14-1881. d. 5-9-1954. Interred in Salinas, Calif. m: William John Nicklas. (b. 7-10-1882. Son of John and Mary Nicklas.) Interred in Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill.
Ch: 1h. Ethel L. Nicklas, b. 2-16-1906, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Chester Otto Nail, 9-6-1927, San Francisco, Calif. (b. 1-11-1905, son of Charles and Alta Nail of Attica, Ind.) Carpenter. Presbyterians. Res: P. O. Box 182, Twain Harte, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Jack Russell Nail, b. 8-2-1937. Serving in Air Force, A/2c, at Mainstrom A.F.B., Montana. m: Patricia Ann Peterson, 1-6-1959. Res: Great Falls, Montana.

- 2h. Harry Nicklas, b. 10-14-1908, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. Government Supervisor. Presbyterian. m: Anita M. Case, 11-6-1932, Salinas, Calif. (b. 12-25-1911, Anaconda, Mont., dau. of George Case.) Res: P. O. Box 432, Marina, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. James Martin Nicklas, b. 7-29-1937, at Salinas, Calif. Employed by Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. m: Georgiana----- Res: 456 Watson, Monterey, Calif.
- 2i. Ronald Bruce Nicklas, b. 1-25-1941, Salinas, Calif. Student at Monterey Pininsular College. Res: Home.
- 3g. Fred Snyder, b. 1882, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. Cattle Man-Retired. m: Anna E. Curry, dau. J. Curry. Southern Baptists. Res: 1087 Iron Spring Rd., Prescott, Ariz.
- Ch: 1h. William J. Snyder, b. 5-9-1936
- 3f. Scott Pate, m: Hattie C. Stears (or Stearns). (b. 4-4-1868. d. 2-14-1918, dau. of Jonathan) Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Oscar Pate, b. 10-19-1890, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. Farmer. War Veteran. Never married. Res: Rt. #1, Fairmont, Vermilion Co., Ill.
- 2g. Lee S. Pate, b. 7-5-1893, Oakwood, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 4-22-1944. Interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Danville, Ill. Operated a trucking line in Danville. m: Miss Thrapp. (b. 3-19-1898, dau. James and Mary Thrapp)
- Ch: 1h. Vivian M. Pate, b. 1-14-1916, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Joseph Woodrow Cox, 7-31-1935. Truck Driver. (b. 10-3-1913, son of William Cox of Fountain City, Ind.) Members Calvary Baptist Church. Res: 112 E. 10th St., Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. Joseph Clarence Cox, b. 10-8-1936.
- 2i. Alfred Lee Cox, b. 8-13-1939
- 2h. Oscar Pate, b. 5-29-1917, Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 1636 Killen Pl., Compton, Calif.
- 3h. Maxine Pate, b. 10-10-1918, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Lowell Calhoun, a cousin, a descendant of Walter Goodner line of Vermilion Co., Ill. Mr. Calhoun was born 4-11-1912, son of Flossie Meeker Calhoun of Danville, Ill. His 2nd marriage. Res: 1622 Clymen Lane, Danville, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. Ellen Kay Calhoun, b. 12-13-1949
- 2i. Beverly Jean Calhoun, b. 5-5-1953
- 3i. Lowell David Calhoun, b. 6-10-1955
- 4h. William Pate, b. 9-14-1921, Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 116 E. 11th St., Danville, Ill.
- 5h. La Verne Pate, b. 10-25-1925, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Lindley. Res: 510 Willis St., Tilton, Ill.
- 6h. James Pate, b. 10-18-1931, Vermilion Co., Ill. Res: 55 Maplewood, Danville, Ill.
- 7h. Jvon Pate, b. 3-29-1935, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Pheifer. Res: 533 Webster St., Aurora, Ill.
- 4f. Hulda Pate, b. Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Mr. Finley, a farmer. He is deceased. Hulda resides at 4376 So. Genesee, Grand Blanc, Mich. Has two daughters, one of whom lives with her mother, and the other in Florida.
- 2e. Rosanna Pate, b. abt. 1833/5. d. near Rising Sun, Ind., Ohio County. m: Mr. Liggett. Resided in Ohio County, Ind.
- Ch: 1f. Harvey Liggett, Resided in Rising Sun, Ind. m: -----
- Ch: 1g. Denmore Liggett, Teacher. Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
- 2f. John Liggett, Dec'd. Resided in Dundee, Mich.
- 3f. Rhoda Liggett, m: Mr. Jackson. Res: Indianapolis, Ind.
- 4f. Marqaret Liggett, m: Mr. Carpenter. Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
- 5f. Marqie C. Liggett, Dec'd. Married Mr. Probst. Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
- 3e. Mary Ann (Polly) Pate, b. abt. 1835/7, Ohio Co., Ind. d. near Windom, Kansas. m: Mr. Cox.
- Ch: 1f. George W. Cox, Resided in Little River, Kansas.
- 2f. Ira Cox, Resided in Miltonvale, Kansas

- 3f. Sarah Cox, m: Mr. Cole. Res: Rt. #1, Box 1420, Burbank, Calif.
- 4f. Dora Cox, Dec'd, m: Mr. Rush.
Ch: 1g, Daughter, m: Clive Myers. Res: Windom, Kansas.
- 5f. Val Cox, Res: Rt. #1, Conway, Kansas
- 6f. Rosaline Cox, m: Mr. Deford
Ch: 1g, Ota Deford, m: Mr. Smith. Res: Little River, Kansas
2g, Cora Deford, m: Mr. Smith
3g, Edith Deford, m: Mr. Oswalt. Res: Little River, Kansas
4g, Fay Deford, m: Mr. Meyers. Res: Windom, Kansas
5g, Clarence L. Deford, Res: Dodge City, Kansas
6g, Dale D. Deford, Res: Marquette, Kansas
- 7f. Lucy Ann Cox, m: Mr. Nixon
Ch: 1g, Fanny Nixon, m: Mr. Evans. Res: Derby, Kansas
2g, Ona Nixon, m: Mr. Peterson. Res: Guymon, Okla.
3g, Harry Nixon, Res: Monte Vista, Colorado
4g, Arthur Nixon, Res: Salt Springs, Okla.
5g, Ernie Nixon, Res: Salt Springs, Okla.
6g, Ray Nixon, Res: Salt Springs, Okla.
- 4e. Rhoda Pate, b. abt. 1837/40, m: William Turner
Ch: 1f, Ira Turner, m: Lola Adams, Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
- 5e. Rachel Pate, b. abt. 1840/2. m: Mr. Walston.
Ch: 1f, Gilbert Walston
2f, Anna Bell Walston, m: Mr. Turner, Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
3f, Theodore Walston
4f, William Walston
5f, Chester Walston
6f, Perry Walston
7f, Ida Walston
8f, Maggie Walston, m: Mr. Anderson
9f, Frank Walston, m: -----
Ch: 1g, Catherine Walston, m: Mr. Pate
Ch: 1h, Rilla Pate, m: Mr. Dunseth
Ch: 1i, Cecil Dunseth
10f, Emma Walston, m: Mr. Pate
11f, Hattie Walston, m: Mr. Weathers
- 3d. Michael Goodner, b. 3-4-1807, Kentucky, d. 9-29-1889, Stearns Co., Minn. It is not known in what part of Kentucky the family lived, but while a small child his parents left Kentucky and moved to Switzerland Co., Ind., where Michael grew up on the farm, m: Catherine Conner, 12-24-1828, Dearborn Co., Ind. (b. 9-29-1808, d. 2-20-1859, in Vermilion Co., Ill.) He married 2nd: Rachael ----- (b. 6-23-1811, in Ohio). All his children were by Catherine. Michael moved from his home in Indiana to Vermilion Co., Ill., between the years 1831 and 1838. He is shown as head of a family in the Vermilion County census returns for the years 1840, 1850, and 1860. In 1863 he moved to Stearns Co., Minn., where he spent the remainder of his days. On file in Ohio Co., Ind., there is a record of a quit claim deed, dated 8-17-1869, from Michael Goodner, Jacob Goodner, and David Goodner, of Stearns Co., Minn., to Timothy Conner of Ohio Co., Ind., consideration being \$250.00. This covered one-eleventh part of the South-west 1/4 of Sec. 24, Twp. 3, Range 2, West of the Meridian Line, and also one-eleventh part of the South-east 1/4 of Sec. 24, Twp. 3, Range 2. Michael and Catherine had ten children.
Ch: 1e. Daniel Goodner, b. 12-25-1829, Switzerland Co., Ind, d. 12-12-1864, m: Mary A. Driskoll, 8-16-1849, Vermilion Co., Ill. Since Daniel's name fails to appear in the 1850 and 1860 census returns of Vermilion Co., Ill., it indicates residence elsewhere. It is reported that he did not accompany his father to Minnesota but remained in Illinois, location not known at present. We have record of only one child.
Ch: 1f, Sarah Elizabeth Goodner, b. 1863, m: Simon A. Swisher, 12-9-1885, Blount Township, Vermilion Co., Ill. Simon, born 1863, was a son of William H. and Mary F. (Martin) Swisher. No further data.
- 2e. Jacob Goodner, b. 8-30-1832, Switzerland Co., Ind, d. 10-27-1911, Iola, Kansas. Reported to have gone with parents from Switzerland Co., Ind., to Vermilion Co., Illinois, while a very small child. m: Maria Ann Clark, 2-1-1859, Vermilion Co., Ill., R. M. Martin, Minister. Mary Ann was born in 1842 and died in 1885, without issue. Jacob and Mary Ann remained in Vermilion County for about two years, and then removed to Stearns Co., Minn., apparently accompanying his parents. He lived in or near St. Cloud. After the death of his wife in 1885, he married in 1887 Catherine Bloom (d. 1954), and moved to Iola, Kansas. It is not known if his second marriage occurred in Minnesota or Kansas, but

presumably in the former state. His children, all by his second wife, who must have been considerably younger than he, follow. It is interesting to note that his first child was born when he was 59 years of age and his last child when he was 76 years of age.

Ch: 1f. Fern Goodner (son), b. 3-20-1891, Iola, Kansas. m: Laura Ellen Clark, 12-22-1917, Iola, Kansas. (b. 7-23-1896, in Maysville, Ark.) Resided in Iola, Kansas, until 1937 when they removed to Houston, Texas. Served in W. W. I. Res: 230 N. Hutchinson, Houston 3, Texas.

Ch: 1g. Dolen Floyd Goodner, b. 12-28-1922, Iola, Kansas. Attended school in Mildred, Kansas. Served in Marines for 3 years from 1941 to 1944. Met his future wife in Washington D. C., where she was a Wave. Res: 148 Buckingham, Mansfield, Ohio. Has two girls.

2g. Tholen Goodner, b. 9-20-1920, Iola, Kansas. Served 3 years in Army overseas. Met his future wife in Italy. Have three girls.

2f. Fay Goodner (son), b. 12-11-1892, Iola, Kansas. Employee of Missouri Pacific Railway. Members of E. U. B. Church. m: Etta M. Kile, 7-19-1915, Yates Center, Kansas. (d. 6-17-1946; dau. of William and Mattie Kile.) Res: 713 North 1st St., Iola, Kansas.

Ch: 1g. Dorothy Goodner, b. 6-14-1917, Kansas. m: George Cramer. Res: Augusta, Kan. c/o Werner Oil Co.

Ch: 1h. Donald Cramer, b. 9-10-1940

2h. Roger Cramer, b. 7-8-1943. Twin.

3h. Robert Cramer, b. 7-8-1943. Twin.

2g. William Goodner, b. 2-3-1919, m: Dorothy Grisham. Res: 1055 River St., Lebanon, Oregon.

Ch: 1h. Carol Goodner, b. June 1947

2h. David Allen Goodner, b. April 1957.

3g. Faye Louise Goodner, b. 2-19-1921. Single. Res: Rt. #1, Carlyle, Kansas.

4g. Howard Goodner, b. 6-11-1926, Kansas. m: Ernestine Barnes. Res: 410 N. Walnut St., Iola, Kansas.

Ch: 1h. Pamela Goodner, b. 6-9-1946

2h. Harold Goodner, b. 9-2-1948

3h. Raymond Goodner, b. 9-2-1949

4h. Robert Goodner, b. 12-8-1950

5h. Betty Goodner, b. 7-19-1954

6h. Christine Goodner, b. 7-29-1955

5g. Elsa Goodner, b. 11-27-1930. m: Frank Townsley. Res: 30 South Oak St., Augusta, Kansas

Ch: 1h. Ricky Townsley, b. 5-30-1951

2h. Rodney Townsley, b. 8-29-1952

3h. Donna Townsley, b. 11-28-1953

6g. James Goodner, b. 7-21-1932, Kansas. Single. Res: Renfro Hotel, Augusta, Kansas.

Fay Goodner m: 2nd: Bernice Marie Geer, 8-19-1948, Iola, Kansas, dau. Fred and Jesse Geer.

Ch: None. Res: 713 North 1st St., Iola, Kansas.

3f. Clarence Goodner, b. abt. 1892/3. Deceased as of 1957.

4f. Elmer Goodner, Res: 814 South St., Iola, Kansas

5f. George Goodner, b. abt. 1898. Res: 545 7th St., West Des Moines, Iowa.

6f. Barbara Goodner, b. 11-8-1900, Iola, Kansas. m: 1st: Alva Urich, 12-23-1918, Iola, Kansas; son of H. W. Urich. Served in W. W. I. Died prior to 1931. Members of Christian Church. Resided in Iola, Kansas.

Ch: 1g. Evelyn Barbara Urich, b. 2-26-1922, Iola Kansas. Served in Waves 4 years, Navy, and was stationed in Waves Sugar Camp, Dayton, Ohio. m: Robert B. Einfeldt, 1948, at Minneapolis, Minn. Res: 6137 Dupont Ave., South Minneapolis, Minn.

Ch: None.

2g. Alma Lee Urich, b. 7-26-1925, Iola, Kansas. m: Mr. French. Res: 100 S. W. 36th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Barbara m: 2nd: John Joseph Wiley, 8-17-1931. d. 10-25-1948.

Ch: 3g. Jay D. Wiley, b. 1-17-1933, El Paso, Texas. W. W. II. m: 1st:

Ch: 1h. Eunice Jean Wiley, b. 6-3-1950. m: 2nd: Sylvia Beville, 1956. Res: 314 N. 4th St., Canton, Mo.

- Ch: None.
- 4g. Eva Jean Wiley, b. 8-22-1934, El Paso, Texas. m: James French, May 1955. Res: 2716 S. W. 36th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Barbara Ellen French, b. 4-30-1956.
- 5g. Herbert Earl Wiley, b. 8-9-1935. Res: 910 E. Lee St., North Little Rock, Ark.
- 6g. Mary Ellen Wiley, b. 3-25-1940, Arkansas m: John Gerome Uekman, 11-12-1955. Res: 1008 E. Lee Ave., North Little Rock, Ark.
Ch: 1h. John Michael Uekman, b. 11-22-1957
- 7g. John Jacob Wiley, b. 1-11-1943, Arkansas. At home.
- 7f. "Billy" Goodner, daughter. No further data.
- 8f. Mary Goodner. m: Merl Ball. Res: 1034 N. E. Grand Ave., Portland 12, Oregon.
- 9f. Ellen Goodner, b. 6-7-1908, Iola, Kansas. m: C. H. Trevillyan, 6-28-1928, Iola, Kansas. (d. 11-6-1956, son of Charles and Emma Trevillyan). Electrician. Methodists. Res. of Ellen: 908 8th St., West Des Moines, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. H. Earle Trevillyan, b. 1-25-1935. At home
- 3e. Mary Goodner, b. 4-16-1833. d. 8-31-1842.
- 4e. William Goodner, b. 7-22-1832. d. 9-8-1842
- 5e. Jackson Goodner, b. 3-30-1838, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 3-18-1912 in Kimball, Minn. m: Elizabeth Swisher, 10-29-1860, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 12-13-1841, Danville, Ill. d. 2-20-1903, Kimball, Minn.) Moved to Minnesota from Vermilion Co., Ill., in 1865.
Ch: 1f. David Franklin Goodner, b. 5-23-1863, Danville, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Sara Jane Spaulding. Res: R. R. #3, Puyallup, Wash.
Ch: 1g. Earl Harry Goodner, b. abt. 1886. m: Elva Shaw. Res: 10819 Cedar Ave., Puyallup, Wash.
Ch: 1h. George Goodner, b. m: Florence Campbell
Ch: 2 sons.
2h. Franklin Goodner. Married.
Ch: None.
- 2g. Ray A. Goodner, b. 5-28-1888, Kimball, Minn. m: Mayme E. Homan (b. Linneus, Mo.) Proprietor of the "Old Antigue Shop"; 1419 E. Main St., Puyallup, Wash.
Ch: 1h. Ray A. Goodner, Jr., b. 4-28-1916, Puyallup, Wash. Served in Army 2 1/2 years. Pharmacist. Presbyterian. m: Sue Marie Henrickson, 8-9-1920, daughter of S. Henrickson; b. 2-12-1920, Deep Creek, Wash. Res: S-2104 Manito Blvd., Spokane, Wash.
Ch: 1i. Michael Goodner, b. 1-2-1943
2i. Steven Goodner, b. 3-22-1945
3i. Jeanne Ann Goodner, b. 6-15-1947
4i. Gloria Goodner, b. 3-23-1949
5i. Margaret Goodner, b. 1-30-1952
6i. Patricia Goodner, b. 6-31-1954
7i. Stanly Goodner, b. 3-17-1958
2h. Kenneth Goodner, b. 11-29-1913, Puyallup, Wash. m: Mary E. Hollow. Res: Puyallup, Wash.
Ch: 1i. Gary Goodner, b. 6-3-1945
- 3g. Vera Goodner, b. abt. 1890. Deceased. m: Lee Campbell. Deceased.
Ch: 1h. Marjorie Leona Campbell, b. 1-30-1909. m: 1st: Harold Lowell Long. (Deceased)
Ch: 1i. Duana Long
2i. Anna Long. m: Mr. Doyle.
Ch: 3
m: 2nd: Mr. Wallace. Res: 3523 E. 17th Ave., Spokane, Wash.
2h. Myrene Myrtle Campbell, b. 8-21-1911. m: Glen O. Gardner. Res: 4509 North I St., Spokane, Wash.
Ch: 1i. Eugene H. Gardner
2i. James Allen Gardner
3i. Janette Marjorie Gardner
4i. Gayle Doris Gardner
5i. Philip A. Gardner
6i. Donald G. Gardner
- 4g. Velma Goodner, b. abt. 1891. m: Edgar Fletcher. Res: Rt. #1, Box

- 259, Sumner, Wash.
 Ch: 1h. Connie Patricia Fletcher, m: Merlan Severs.
 Ch: 3
 2h. David Derle Fletcher, Married.
 Ch: 1
 3h. Ray E. Fletcher, m: Donna Lee Laurent.
 Ch: None.
- 2f. Margaret Ellen Goodner, b. 11-2-1856, Kimball, Minn. m: Mr. Lytle
 Ch: 1g. Mildred Lytle, b. 4-8-1890. m: Mr. Smith. Res: 724 Mariposa,
 Apt. 407, Los Angeles 5, Calif.
 Ch: None.
 2g. Maxie Lytle, b. 8-23-1897. m: Mr. Ames. Res: Box 84, Neal Bay,
 Wash.
 3g. Estella Lytle, b. 6-29-1899. m: Mr. Perschke. Res: 915 15th St.,
 Bismark, N. D.
 4g. Dorothy Lytle, b. 1-19-1904. m: Mr. Schoolcraft. Res: 951 Pleasant
 Ave., Bremeton, Wash.
 Ch: None.
- 3f. Laura Etta Goodner, b. 7-15-1871, Kimball, Minn. Deceased. m: Mr. Winslow.
 Believed to have resided in Washington.
 Ch: 1g. Hettie Jeanette Winslow, b. 3-19-1895. Deceased.
 2g. Conde Elwood Winslow, b. 4-20-1899. Res: Rt. #6, Box 425, Port
 Orchard, Wash.
 Ch: 11
 3g. Clara Verda Winslow, b. 4-15-1901. Single. Res: 502 3rd St.,
 Puyallup, Wash.
 4g. Lois Gayle Winslow, b. 12-4-1905. m: 1st: Mr. Gayle. m: 2nd: Mr.
 Stout. Res: 528 15th S. E., Puyallup, Wash.
 Ch: 3
 5g. Helen Lorena Winslow, b. 5-3-1908. m: Mr. Morgan. Res: 805 Thomp-
 son, Sumner, Wash.
- 4f. Charles Clarence Goodner, b. 3-11-1875, Kimball, Minn. d. 4-11-1879.
- 5f. Bernie Vander Goodner, b. 1-31-1878, Kimball, Minn. Married. Res: Lake Worth,
 Fla.
 Ch: None.
- 6f. Clara Effie Goodner, b. 5-28-1880, Kimball, Minn. m: Mr. Mason. In 1958
 Clara was in a sanitarium in Florida.
 Ch: 1g. Laurance R. Mason, b. 9-1-1899. Res: Box 633, Milaca, Minn.
 Married but has no issue.
 2g. Lowell E. Mason, b. 5-3-1906. Married. Res: 119 1/2 South D St.,
 Lake Worth, Fla.
- 7f. Maud Emma Goodner, b. 5-29-1883, Kimball, Minn. Deceased. m: Mr. Moss.
 Believed to have resided in Minnesota.
 Ch: 1g. Lester Moss, b. 5-12-1906. Res: 1717 Edgerton, St. Paul, Minn. Married
 Ch: 3
 2g. Beth Moss, b. 12-27-1909. m: Mr. Johnson. Res: Box 993, Merrill,
 Oregon.
 Ch: None.
 3g. Ethel Vercille Moss, b. 3-9-1918. m: Mr. Resch. Res: 2203 Burr St.,
 St. Paul, Minn.
 Ch: 2
 4g. Mary Faye Moss, b. 5-18-1921. m: Mr. Le Mire. Res: 326 15th Ave.,
 N. W., St. Paul, Minn.
 Ch: 6
- 8f. William Henry Goodner, b. 10-12-1888, Kimball, Minn. d. 2-16-1911
- 9f. Frederick Lemmel Goodner, b. 1-30-1889, Kimball, Minn. m: Blanche Lyons.
 Res: Mac Cloed, Canada, Alberta.
 Ch: 1g. Darrell Goodner
 2g. Dona (or Dana) Goodner
- 6e. Margaret A. Goodner, b. 3-6-1840, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 6-9-1919 in Stearns Co.,
 Minn. m: Eli Hoskins. Farmer. Owned farm adjoining that of Jackson Goodner in Stearns
 Co., Minn. Marriage occurred in Vermilion Co., Ill., 6-12-1860, by George Y. Stipp, J.
 P. Eli was a grandson of Elizabeth Goodner and George Swisher, she being a sister to Jacob.
 Ch: 1f. Anna Hoskins, b. abt. 1862. Also known as Jennie. m: Mr. Dwyer. Resided in

- Kimball, Minn. Mrs. Mellot of Puyallup, Wash., is a descendant of this union.
- 2f. Nancy Hoskins, b. abt. 1864. m: Mr. Lynn. Res: Hillman, Minn.
- 3f. Wilkin Hoskins, b. abt. 1865/6. m: -----
 Ch: 1g. Doris Hoskins, m: Mr. Rudd. Res: Faith, S. D.
- 4f. Waite A. Hoskins, b. abt. 1868. Res: Clearwater, Minn.
- 5f. Charles W. Hoskins, b. abt. 1870. Res: Kimball, Minn.
- 6f. David Henry Hoskins, b. abt. 1872. Resided Puyallup, Wash.
Chet Hoskins, 717 2nd, S. W., Puyallup, Wash. of this line.
- 7e. Thomas Goodner, b. 3-18-1842, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 3-13-1847.
- 8e. David Goodner, b. 10-23-1844, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 12-17-1917, in Kimball, Minn.
 Interred there. m: Emma Kale of Winterette, Iowa. She died after 1937 and interred in Kimball, Minn.
 Ch: 1f. Charles Verner Goodner, "Vernie", b. 10-30-1876, Kimball, Minn. d. 5-17-1930. m: Maud M. Whitney (b. 3-1-1878). They resided at 303 5th Ave.,
 Mimeoapolis, Minn. Mrs. Goodner is still living and residing at 1823 39th St.,
 Los Angeles, Calif. She was daughter of Judson Whitney of Kimball, Minn.
 Ch: 1g. Ruth Goodner, b. abt. 1901. Single. Graduate of Kimball, Minn.
 High School in 1917. Studied two years at State College of Minnesota;
 graduated Univ. of Minnesota, 1943, with a B. S. Degree, with major
 in Education, specializing in English and History. Taught school in
 Faith, S. D., from 1919 to 1926, and in Delano, Minn., from 1926
 to 1930; in Granite Falls, Minn., 1930 to 1943; in Anoka, Minn.,
 1943 to 1950. In 1950 became Senior High School Librarian, and re-
 turned to Univ. of Minnesota in that year and earned a minor in
 Librarianship. Is presently librarian in the Senior High School in
 Anoka, Minn., for past six years. Res: 518 Washington St., Anoka,
 Minn.
 2g. Grace Ella Goodner, b. 10-5-1903, Kimball, Minn. m: Carl Jacobson,
 11-27-1924. (b. 5-10-1895, son of Jacob C.) Car Inspector for the
 Soo Line. W. W. I., 2 1/2 years in Navy. Members of Church of
 Christ. Res: Kimball, Minn.
 Ch: 1h. Margaret Joyce Jacobson, b. 10-20-1932. m: Richard Webb,
 12-2-1950. (b. 12-3-1928) Farmer. Res: Waverly, Minn.
 Ch: 1i. Barbara Webb, b. 2-23-1952
 2i. Sandra Webb, b. 5-9-1953
 3i. Rickey Webb, b. 1-15-1955
 4i. Raymond Webb, b. 10-6-1956
 5i. Robert Webb, b. 5-1-1959
- 2f. Guy Brooklyn Goodner, b. 3-13-1884. Bachelor. Farmer. Res: Rt. #4, Kimball,
 Minn.
- 9e. John Henry Goodner, b. 8-1^c-1847, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Emily Wallace, Vermilion Co.,
 Ill., 7-27-1871, by Judge R. W. Hanford. Reported to have remained in Illinois. A Henry
 Goodner, single, same age as above, was residing in Edgar Co., Ill., in 1870, with family
 of Franklin and Leona M. Conner, Franklin's mother was Sarah Goodner, a daughter of
 Jacob of Ohio Co., Ind. On 11-15-1873, Henry and wife, Emily, gave a quit claim deed
 to Timothy Conner in Ohio Co., Ind., for \$100.00.
 Ch: 1f. Stella Goodner, b. abt. 1873. m: Mr. Nichols. Resided in 1937 in Paris, Ill.
 2f. Ethel Goodner, b. abt. 1875. m: McCoy Foster. Resided in 1937 in Sedalia, Mo.
- 10e. Nancy Goodner, b. 7-26-1849, Vermilion Co., Ill. d. 7-5-1910. m: Mr. Cossart. Resided
 in Minnesota and Oregon
 Ch: None.
- 4d. Daniel Goodner, b. 3-29-1810, Kentucky. d. 2-8-1892, near Georgetown, Floyd Co., Ind. Farmer.
 Purchased two tracts of land from the Government, both in Switzerland County, Indiana, one on June
 23, 1834 for the E 1/2 of the S.E. 1/4 of Section 29, and on April 25, 1836, for the West 1/2 of
 the S.E. 1/4 of Section 29. Resided in Switzerland County all his working life, - the 1870 census of
 that county shows him as head of a household, age 60, and wife, Charlotte, age 50. Living with them
 were their two sons, Isaac and Andrew and granddaughter, Melissa Hindman. It is reported that he
 died in or near Georgetown. His age at death was 82 years. His son, Andrew, was living near George-
 town, and undoubtedly Daniel was living with him at the time of his death. He is probably buried
 in Floyd County near Georgetown. He married Charlotte, whose maiden name we do not know, but
 who was born in Kentucky in 1820. They made their home in Pleasant Township.
 Ch: 1e. Mary Jane Goodner, b. abt. 1836, Switzerland Co., Ind. d. prior to 1860 but after 1856.
 m: Enoch Hindman (Hinman-Heinman), a carpenter, 12-21-1852, Rev. Jacob Shull, Minis-
 ter, in Switzerland County. Enoch was born in Indiana. We have record of one child.

- Ch: 1f. Melissa Hindman, b. 1856. Reared by Daniel and Charlotte. m: Mr. Osborn, and had two daughters. Reported went to Kansas.
- 2e. Rev. Jacob J. Goodner, b. 1839, Switzerland Co., Ind. Preacher in the E.U.B. Church in Georgetown, Floyd Co., Ind., but was living in Switzerland County as late as 1870, as indicated by census returns, in Bennington, Pleasant Township. m: 1st: Jane F. Cole, 12-12-1858, in Switzerland Co., Rev. S. Coblenz, Minister. Jane died shortly after 1860, and Jacob then married Elizabeth, who was born in 1847 in Kentucky. By first wife had one child, - none by his second.
Ch: 1f. Alvin P. Goodner, b. 1860. Died in early childhood.
- 3e. Elizabeth Ann Goodner, b. 1842, Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Lemuel Elwood Turner, 8-14-1859, Switzerland Co., Ind., Rev. Isaac Ball, Minister. Resided in Switzerland Co., Ind.
Ch: 1f. Laura Turner. m: Mr. Morrison.
2f. Doad Turner. m: Mr. Seymore.
3f. Hattie Turner. m: Mr. Griswold.
4f. Mort Turner
- 4e. William Sylvester Goodner, b. 1845, Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 11-5-1873 of consumption, in his home in Bascom, Ohio Co., Ind. Farmer. Was a Civil War Veteran, having served in Co. D, 45th Indiana Volunteers. m: Polly -----, born Indiana in 1837. They resided first in East Enterprise, Cotton Township, Switzerland Co.
Ch: 1f. Luella Goodner, b. 1869/70. m: Mr. Humphrey. Resided in Switzerland Co., Ind. Ch: 2 boys.
- 5e. Hester Ann Goodner, b. 1845, a twin of William Sylvester, in Switzerland Co., Ind. m: William Buchanan, 10-25-1860, Switzerland Co., Rev. Isaac Ball, Minister. They resided in Moores Hill, Dearborn County, Ind., and in Milan, Ripley Co., Ind.
Ch: 1f. Warren Buchanan, Dec'd.
2f. Mell Buchanan, Dec'd.
3f. Mort Buchanan, Dec'd.
4f. Omar Buchanan, Dec'd.
5f. Doad Buchanan, a daughter. Dec'd.
6f. Grace Buchanan, Living 1960.
7f. Eva Buchanan, Living 1960.
8f. Alma Buchanan, Dec'd.
- 6e. Emmaline L. Goodner, b. abt. 1843, Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Benjamin Frank Smoot, 10-14-1869, Switzerland Co., Ind., F. M. Demnubrum officiating. Resided in Fairview, Switzerland Co., Ind.
Ch: 1f. Billy Smoot, daughter, b. abt. 1871. Married. Ch: 3 girls.
2f. Pearl Smoot, m: Mr. Cole. Ch: 4 boys.
3f. Dill Smoot, daughter. m: Mr. Hinman, Ch: 2 boys and 2 girls.
- 7e. Isaac M. Goodner, b. abt. 1855, Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Minnie Cooper, 3-18-1875, Switzerland Co., Ind., Rev. Jacob M. White, Minister. Resided in Bennington, Switzerland Co., Ind.
Ch: 1f. Neal E. Goodner, b. abt. 1876/7, Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Maud H. Fish, 12-8-1901, Switzerland Co., Ind. Is reported to have moved to Illinois. Have record of one child.
Ch: 1g. Rollie Goodner, b. abt. 1903.
2f. Goldah Hazel Goodner, b. abt. 1880. Living in 1960. m: Mr. Love. Ch: None.
- 8e. Andrew Piatt Goodner, b. 10-7-1856, Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 8-19-1939. Interred in Wolf's Cemetery, Georgetown, Ind. m: 1st: Mary Cooper, 10-7-1875, Switzerland Co., Ind. by David Lee, J.P. No issue by this marriage. m: 2nd: Sarah Elizabeth Richards, 9-2-1883, Georgetown, Ind. (b. 11-8-1861. d. 12-21-1936) Both interred in Wolf Cemetery, Georgetown, Floyd Co., Ind.
Ch: 1f. Effie Gertrude Goodner, b. abt. 1884/5. d. 1951. m: Norton E. Vanosdol.
Ch: 1g. Cleo Gertrude Vanosdol, Res: Madison, Jefferson Co., Ind.
2g. Orval Andrew Vanosdol, Res: Kokomo, Howard Co., Ind.
3g. Neva Marie Vanosdol, m: Mr. Stites. Res: Madison, Ind.
2f. Carrie Elizabeth Goodner, b. 7-3-1892, near Georgetown, Floyd Co., Ind. m: Edward G. Kepley, 11-1-1911, Georgetown, Ind. (b. 11-7-1888, son of George W. Kepley. Res: R. R., Georgetown, Floyd Co., Ind.)
Ch: 1g. Coen Goodner Kepley, b. abt. 1913. Res: 1223 11th St., Tell City, Perry Co., Ind.
2g. Irene Gladys Kepley, b. abt. 1915. Res: 3520 South Geary, Albany, Ore.
- 5d. Sarah Ann Goodner, b. 9-1-1812, Kentucky. d. 3-29-1902, in Illinois (?). m: John Conner, 12-23-1828, Dearborn Co., Ind. Reported to have moved from Indiana to either Vermillion or Edgar Co., Illinois.

- Ch: 1e. William Riley Conner, b. abt. 1830. Married. Resided in Paris, Edgar Co., Illinois, at 403 Milton St.
- 2e. Benjamin Conner, b. abt. 1832/3. m: -----
 Ch: 1f. Ellie Conner, m: Mr. Hutson.
 Ch: 1g. Roy Hutson, Res: Paris, Edgar Co., Ill.
 2g. Noah Hutson, Res: Dana, Vermilion Co., Ind.
 2f. Samuel Conner, Resided in Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 3f. Olie Conner, Resided St. Bernice, Vermilion Co., Ind.
 4f. Millie Conner, m: Mr. Good
 5f. Clara Conner, m: Mr. Johnson. Res: Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 6f. Florence Conner, m: Mr. Nichols.
 Ch: 1g. Mae Nichols, m: Mr. Thornton
 Ch: 1h. Forest Thornton,
 2h. Iva Thornton, m: Mr. Fisher
 2g. Atha Nichols
- 7f. Janie Conner, m: Mr. Hutson.
 Ch: 1g. Floyd Hutson, Resided in Scotland, Edgar Co., Ill.
- 8f. Ida Lake Conner, Believed to have married 1st: Mr. Lake m: 2nd: Mr. Fox.
 Res: Vermilion Co., Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Foster Lake, Res: Dana, Vermilion Co., Ind.
- 9f. Jake Conner, Believed to have resided in Edgar Co., Ill. m: -----
 Ch: 1g. Charles Conner, Res: Chrisman, Ill., Edgar Co.
 2g. Bennie Conner, Res: St. Bernice, Ind.
- 10f. Christian Conner, m: Mr. Parker
 Ch: 1g. Viola Parker, m: Mr. Parrish. Res: Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 2g. Howard Parker, Res: Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 3g. Hannah Parker, m: Mr. Craft. Res: Scotland, Edgar Co., Ill.
 4g. Hattie Parker, m: Mr. Hutson. Res: Scotland, Ill.
- 11f. Jack Conner, m: -----
 Ch: 1g. Okley Conner, Res: Oklahoma City, Okla.
 2g. Sylvia Conner, m: Mr. Nichols. Res: Oklahoma City, Okla.
 3g. Millie Conner
 4g. Cleatie Conner, m: Mr. Albers. Res: Danville, Ill.
 5g. Beulah Conner, m: Mr. Rice
 6g. Edna Marie Conner, m: Mr. Ball. Res: Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 3e. Jacob Conner, b. abt. 1834. m: -----
 Ch: 1f. Nettie Conner, Res: Scotland, Edgar Co., Ill.
 2f. Franklin Conner, Resided at Rt.#3, Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 3f. Ellen Conner
- 4e. Franklin Conner, b. abt. 1835/6. m: Leona -----, Resided in Edgar Co., Ill., in 1870, at which time a Henry Goodner was living with him. Farmer.
 Ch: 1f. William Conner, Res: Martinsville, Clark Co., Ill.
 2f. Julia Conner, m: Mr. Thornton
 Ch: 1g. Grace Thornton, m: Mr. Smith. Res: Terra Haute, Ind.
 2g. Maud Thornton, m: Mr. Blythe. Res: Dana, Vermilion Co., Indiana
- 5e. Margaret Conner, b. abt. 1838/40. m: 1st. Mr. Parker.
 Ch: 1f. Charles Parker, Resided in Dana, Vermilion Co., Ind.
 2f. Ellie Parker, m: Mr. McBride. Res: St. Bernice, Vermilion Co., Indiana.
 3f. Dora Parker, m: Mr. Runyon. Res: Paris, Edgar Co., Ill.
 4f. Sarah Parker, m: Mr. Thornton. Res: Chrisman, Edgar Co., Ill.
 m: 2nd: Mr. Markwell.
 Ch: 5f. Plum Markwell, Res: St. Bernice, Vermilion Co., Ind.
 6f. Clara Markwell, m: Mr. Pritchard. Res: Scotland, Edgar Co., Ill.
- 6d. James Jackson Goodner, b. 3-19-1815, Kentucky. d. 11-18-1887, Ohio Co., Ind. Came to Ohio Co., or Switzerland Co., Indiana, with his parents as an infant. Grew to manhood on farm of parents, and remained a farmer all his life. m: Sarah Myers, 8-3-1837, Dearborn Co., Ind. Resided first in Dearborn County, in a portion that in 1844 was cut off into Ohio County.
- Ch: 1e. Mary Goodner, b. 8-17-1838, in what is now Ohio Co., Ind. d. 1935, in Ohio Co., Ind. m: Peter Dorrell, 2-3-1859, Ohio Co., Ind., William Gillespie, Minister of the Christian Church. Peter was a son of William Dorrell, Sr., and his wife, Polly, of Ohio County. Resided near Rising Sun, Ind., and later, after the death of her husband, with her brother, John Piatt Goodner, at Bear Branch, Ohio County. (I met her in 1933 when I called upon them, at which time she was 95 years old, seemingly physically good but mentally not so good.)

- Ch: 1f. John R. Dorrell, b. abt. 1860. d. 1953. m: Mattie Belle Burris (d. 1953). Res: Rising Sun, Ind.
 Ch: 1g. Russell Dorrell. Res: Versailles, Indiana.
- 2e. Jane Goodner, b. 11-11-1840, in what is now Ohio Co., Ind. d. abt. 1910. m: Mr. Schaeffer, and moved to Cowgill, Mo. No issue.
- 3e. James Goodner, b. 1841, in what is now Ohio County, Ind. m: Eliza A. Waldron, 3-11-1863 Ohio Co., Ind., William D. Spaulding, Minister, of Baptist Church. Resided in Ohio County for a time and then moved to Sheridan, Hamilton Co., Ind.
 Ch: 1f. Willard Goodner. Reported to have gone to Arkansas.
 2f. Nolan Goodner, b. abt. 1865. Railroader. Said to have been 6' 11" tall. Died rather early in life, and widow remarried, a Mr. Ulysses Grant Buhrman and resides at 3523 Woodbine, Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Goodner lived for some years in North Carolina. They had one child.
 Ch: 1g. Cecil Robert Goodner, b. 7-3-1902, Sheridan, Indiana. Warehouseman for Liberal Markets. m: Mrs. Ruth V. Luttrell, 4-8-1929, a widow. She had two children by her previous marriage. She is a daughter of Sylvester Luttrell of Bristol, Va. Res: 113 North Irwin St., Dayton, O. Served W.W.I, Submarine Service.
 Ch: 1h. Carl Raymond Goodner, b. 10-18-1940
 2h. Donald Lee Goodner, b. 4-13-1942
- 4e. William Washington Goodner, b. 11-17-1845, Ohio Co., Ind. Farmer. m: Harriet Bovard, 10-29-1868, Ohio Co., Ind., Rev. I. Stone, Minister. Harriet died in 1937. Both interred in Bovard Cemetery in Ohio County. A William W. Goodner is shown in the 1870 census as a resident of Switzerland Co., Ind., a retired merchant, living in the household of Andrew and Rosana E. Works. It was thought for a while that he was the same as William Washington, but later data disproved it, as William Washington was married and is shown to have been head of his own household in 1870, with a six months son, John.
 Ch: 1f. John Goodner, b. 1870. d. young.
 2f. Avarilla Goodner, b. 6-6-1872/3, Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Elmer Chandler. Res: Aberdeen, Ind.
 3f. Ema L. Goodner, b. 6-6-1875. (Twin of Eliza) Switzerland Co., Ind. m: Frank Lewis
 4f. Eliza Goodner, b. 6-6-1875, Switzerland Co., Ind. (Twin of Ema L.) m: Monta Richardson (b. 1875). Interred in Rising Sun, Ind. Res of Eliza: South Walnut St., Rising Sun, Indiana.
- 5e. Robert Henry Goodner, b. abt. 1846, Ohio Co., Ind. d. Spring of 1930. Served in Civil War in Union Army. His mother sent him out for firewood and he just kept on walking. He enlisted in the 146th Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, serving under a Capt. Pate, when he was just 16 years of age. On his return from the Army he married in 1869, Mary Jane Allen (1853-1900). Moved to Sheridan Indiana.
 Ch: 1f. Savannah Goodner, b. abt. 1870. m: Roy Kuhn. No issue.
 2f. Fletcher Goodner, b. abt. 1872. Reported to have no issue.
 3f. Lela Belle Goodner, b. 12-7-1877. d. 5-24-1928. Interred in Hamilton Co., Ind. m: Bert Thistlewaite. (b. 8-2-1875). Living in 1959. Res: Sheridan, Hamilton Co. Indiana.
 Ch: 1g. Lola E. Thistlewaite, b. 6-23-1896, Hamilton Co., Ind. m: Walter E. Foust, 5-21-1917, Hamilton Co., Ind. (b. 6-12-1895, son of J.E.Foust). W.W.I. Members of First Christian Church. Civil Service Employee. Res: 102 S. Main St., Sheridan, Ind.
 Ch: 1h. Everett Leon Foust, b. 9-6-1920, Sheridan, Ind. Office Manager at the C. A. Robert Co., Indianapolis, Ind. Presbyterian. m: E. Jane Manship, 12-20-1941, at Westfield, Ind. (b. 11-18-1922, dau. of O.N. Manship of Westfield, Ind.) Res: 2355 W. 58th St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Ch: 1i. Everett Alan Foust, b. 7-7-1945
 2i. Andrea Jan Foust, b. 7-3-1948
- 4f. Perry Goodner, b. 7-17-1879. Living in 1959 in Viewfield, South Dakota, m: Mary Jane Chance, 1898. (b. 2-2-1877, dau. Milton Chance). Members of Christian Church.
 Ch: 1g. Charlotte Goodner, b. 3-17-1892, Noblesville, Ind. m: Carl S. Cahill, 10-9-1936. He was son of Will and Anna Cahill of Noblesville, Ind. Second marriage. Res: 383 Washington St., Noblesville, Ind. Charlotte married first, Roy Price. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. Phil Price, b. 6-6-1910, at Rensselaer, Ind. Drive-In Owner.

- Methodist. m: Dea Clara Hathaway, 7-13-1934, in Michigan. (b. 7-31-1914, dau. Clair Hathaway of Michigan) Res: 1347 Schley Ave., San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Sharon Jane Price, b. 3-17-1935.
 2i. Dea Kathleen Price, b. 2-1-1937.
 3i. Joanne Noel Price, b. 12-7-1941.
 4i. Meri Sue Price, b. 10-20-1943.
 5i. Kristeen Lynn Price, b. 10-22-1945.
 6i. Phyllis Goldie Price, b. 1-31-1953.
- 2h. Ruth Price, b. 9-8-1911, Rensselaer, Ind. m: Charles Floyd Harrington, 11-5-1928, at Hastings, Mich. Members of Church of Nazarene. Mr. Harrington born 6-13-1906. Owner and manager of A & W Root Beer Stand. Res: 1527 S. St. Marys St., San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Floyd Le Roy Harrington, b. 9-17-1938.
 2i. Cheri Jewell Harrington, b. 4-7-1943.
 3i. Terry Lee Harrington, b. 10-5-1945.
- 2g. Everett Russell Goodner, b. 9-2-1898, Sheridan, Hamilton Co., Ind. Farmer. W.W.I, serving 22 months. m: Reva Jane Gipson, 6-4-1921, at Noblesville, Ind. (b. 2-11-1906, dau. Henry Clinton Gipson). Members of Christian Church. Res; Rt. #1, Box 153, Cordova, Rock Island Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Douise Louraine Goodner, b. 3-22-1922. m: Joseph Schaul. Res: 6155 N. Ravenwood, Chicago, Ill. Ch: 4 children.
 2h. Louise Ellen Goodner, b. 1-18-1924, Sheridan, Ind. m: Donald Massey, 8-29-1942, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 9-25-1915, son of John and Mary Massey of Prophetstown, Whitesides Co., Ill.) Methodists. Farmer. Res: R.F.D. #1, Amboy, Ill.
- Ch: 1i. James Russell Massey, b. 7-1-1943.
 2i. Tommy Gene Massey, b. 11-1-1947.
 3i. Michael Allen Massey, b. 11-5-1954.
 4i. Bonita Louise Massey, b. 1-9-1958.
- 3g. Leslie Sylvester Goodner, b. 9-28-1899, Sheridan, Ind. Killed in 1916 while working in a quarry.
- 4g. Orvill Goodner, (dau.) b. 3-12-1901, Deceased. m: Mr. Wilcot. No issue.
- 5g. Opal Goodner, b. 5-11-1904. Died infancy at Kniman, Jasper Co., Ind.
- 6g. Ovie Goodner, b. 1-10-1906, at Kniman, Jasper Co., Ind. m: William Lockridge. Res: 323 Washington St., Noblesville, Hamilton Co., Ind. No issue.
- 7g. Virgil Goodner, b. 9-9-1909, Rensselaer, Ind. Res: Davenport, Iowa. Salvation Army. Navy Veteran. Member of Christian Church. m: May Leroy, Sept. 1936, at Omaha, Neb., dau. of Henry Leroy of Omaha, Neb. Has four children, but names and whereabouts not available.
- 5f. Charles Goodner, b. abt. 1881, Deceased. m: Mary Gallagher (Deceased).
 Ch: 1g. Robert Goodner, Res: Indianapolis, Ind.
- 6f. Homer Goodner, b. abt. 1882. Single.
- 7f. Robert Goodner, b. abt. 1883, Living 1958, Sheridan, Ind.
- 8f. Orvill Goodner, b. abt. 1884. d. infancy.
- 9f. Henry Goodner, b. abt. 1886. d. infancy.
- 10f. Walter Goodner, b. abt. 1888. d. infancy.
- 11f. Child, d. infancy.
- 12f. Mary Goodner, b. abt. 1890. d. young.
- 13f. Harley Peat Goodner, b. 11-19-1892, Sheridan, Ind. m: Miss Deardoff, 11-19-1951 Daughter of James Deardoff. Res: 3526 W. Robinson, Orlando, Florida. No issue.
- 14f. John Quincy Goodner, b. 11-29-1896, Boone Co., Ind. Single. Farmer and House Painter. Served as an Indiana State Conservation Officer from 1944 to 1948, and also as Federal Deputy Warden for three years during that time. Served in W.W.I. 14 months. Res: R.F.D., Medaryville, Ind.
- 6e. Pamelia Goodner, b. 1847, Ohio Co., Ind. Also known as Amelia. m: Joseph Liggett.
 Ch: 1f. Columbus Liggett
 2f. Thomas Liggett
 3f. Clayton Liggett, m: -----
 Ch: 1g. Alethia Liggett

- 7e. John Piatt Goodner, b. 1849, Ohio Co., Ind. Farmer, and also did some auctioneering. Popularly known as "Dick". (I met John Piatt in 1933, and the resemblance in characteristics between he and Goodners of the Conrad line I had known was quite marked. He was then 83 years of age.) m: Isabelle Dennis, 12-2-1875, Ohio Co., Ind., services performed by Rev. Jacob J. Goodner, Isabelle was one of 14 children. John Piatt's will was dated June 10, 1938, and probated Jan. 28th, 1939. He lived all his life, so I am told, near Bear Branch in Ohio County. He did not have any children. In his will, he bequeathed all to his wife, Isabelle, unless she preceded him in death, in which case the following bequeaths were specified:
 To Polly Dorrell's heirs, - John Dorrell and Rosa Dorrell's heirs
 To Washington Goodner's heirs
 To Robert Goodner's heirs
 To Amelia Liggett's heirs
 To Jackson Goodner's heirs
 To Lucinda Lovell's daughter, Mrs. Nellie Fisher
 To Flora Meyer's daughter, Josie Hopper
 To Joseph Goodner's heirs
 To the Dennis heirs as follows, - namely, Rebecca Van Ordol's heirs, James Dennis' heirs, and Brown Dennis' heirs, Jacob Dennis' heirs, Warren Dennis, Foster Dennis, and Mae Nattier's heirs.
 To Mort Davis if living, and at his death to go to Arthur Dennis and Ida Hastings.
 To Louis Dennis' heirs, -Ernest Dennis and Lillie Dennis
 To Charles Dennis' heirs
 Appointed Russell Dorrell, Executor.
- 8e. Lucinda Goodner, b. abt. 1852. d. abt. 1930. m: John Lovell. Res: Indianapolis, Indiana.
 Ch: 1f. Harry Lovell
 2f. Leland Lovell
 3f. Guss Lovell
 4f. Nellie Lovell, m: Mr. Fisher. Res: Sheridan, Ind.
- 9e. Jackson Goodner, b. 8-12-1854. d. abt. 1925 (A Jackson Goodner married Elizabeth J. Works, 7-28-1874, Switzerland Co., Ind., R. S. Kinnear, Minister. It is presumed that this is the above Jackson). Resided in Indianapolis, Indiana.
 Ch: 1f. Lillie Goodner, Dec'd,
 2f. Ada Goodner, Dec'd.
 3f. Elma Goodner, m: Mr. Garden, Res: Indianapolis, Ind.
- 10e. Ida Belle Goodner, b. abt. 1856, Ohio Co., Ind. m: George Probst, 11-27-1879, Ohio Co., Ind., E. G. Seymour, Minister. No issue.
- 11e. Flora Goodner, b. 1-8-1858, Rising Sun, Ind. d. 3-28-1937, Interred Mt. Carmel Cemetery Ohio Co., Ind. m: Lewis Meier, (b. 11-5-1858. d. 2-20-1937. Son of Henry. Interred in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Ohio Co., Ind.)
 Ch: 1f. Josie Meier, b. 1-31-1888, Rising Sun, Ind. m: Rev. William Hopper, 8-18-1916, at Mt. Pleasant Church, Ohio Co., Ind. (b. 10-20-1891, son of Nicklas (Nicholas) Hopper of Scottsburg, Ind.) Now a retired Minister of the Christian Church of West Pullman, Chicago 28, Ind. Res: 32 W, 113th St., Chicago 28, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Wilber Hopper, b. 8-5-1917, Res: 5626 N, Oxford, Indianapolis, Ind.
- 12e. Joseph Goodner, b. 1864. d. 1937. Farmer. Resided near Vevay, Ind. m: Anna E. Elfers, 10-6-1887, Switzerland Co., Ind., J. C. White, Minister, of the M. E. Church. They had but one child.
 Ch: 1f. Oliver Goodner, b. abt. 1888, Farmer, m: Eva Gary, 1910, Oliver is in a nursing home -1959- mentally ill.
 Ch: 1g. Wilford Goodner, b. 7-6-1911, Farmer, m: Elberta Chase, Res: Rt. #2 Dillsboro, Ind.
 Ch: 1h. Donna Goodner, b. 1-11-1936
 2h. David Goodner, b. 1943
 3h. Rolland Goodner, b. 1952,
 2g. Marie Goodner, m: Adda Chase, Res: Rt. #2, Dillsboro, Ind.
 3g. Elizabeth Goodner, b. abt. 1915, m: Gabriel Waller. Res: Rt. #2, Vevay, Ind.
 4g. Kathleen Goodner, b. abt. 1917. m: George Lee. Res: Louisville, Ky.
 5g. Edith Goodner, b. abt. 1919, m: Robert Clayton, Res: Cincinnati, O.
 6g. Dorothy Goodner, b. abt. 1921, m: George Pfriem, Res: Cincinnati, O.
- 7d. Rachael Goodner, b. 8-1-1817, Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 12-20-1858, near Rising Sun, Ind. m: Jacob Conner, 10-20-1836, Dearborn Co., Ind., Louis Gould, Minister, Resided in Dearborn and Ohio Co. reportedly, all their lives.

- Ch: 1e. Elizabeth Conner, b. abt. 1837, in Indiana. m: Mr. McHenry.
- 2e. David Clinton Conner, b. abt. 1839, Indiana. m: -----
 Ch: 1f. Lewis M. Conner, Res: Switzerland Co., Ind.
- 3e. William Conner, b. abt. 1841, Indiana. m: ----- (A William Conner married Mary Dodd, 10-22-1861, in Dearborn Co., Ind., by F. Hargill, J.P. This may or may not have been the above William.)
 Ch: 1f. William P. Conner, b. abt. 1862/3. Res: Switzerland Co., Ind.
 2f. Rachel L. Conner, b. abt. 1863/4. (A Rachel Conner married Paul Lemmel in Dearborn Co., Ind., -license issued 3-9-1877).
- 8d. Margaret Goodner, b. 1820, in Dearborn or Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 10-22-1845. m: Moses Conner.
 Ch: 1e. Helen Conner, b. abt. 1840. m: Mr. Cossairt.
 Ch: 1f. Henry Cossairt, Resided in Naples, Idaho.
 2f. Simon B. Cossairt, Married and had issue. Res: Not known.
- 2e. William Wallace Conner, b. abt. 1842. m: ----- Res: Not known.
 Ch: 1f. Joseph Marion Conner, Res: 349 N. Olive, Orange, Calif. (1934).
 2f. Ida Ellen Conner, m: Mr. Day. Res: 127 W. 14th St., Los Angeles, Calif. (1934). Adopted a child- Chester Day.
 3f. Drucena Jane Conner, m: Mr. Adkins. Res: Noxon, Mont. (1934).
 4f. William Clark Conner, m: Eliza Jane (Jennie) ----- Resided at 416 Stevenson, Pasadena, Calif. (1934).
 Ch: 1g. Addie Conner, m: Mr. Hessel.
- 3e. Nancy Conner, b. abt. 1845. m: Mr. Johns.
- 9d. William Dearborn Goodner, b. 10-24-1824, Dearborn Co., Ind. d. 7-31-1898, Harlan, Iowa and interred there. Farmer. m: Edith J. Griswold, 12-2-1847, in Ohio Co., Ind., Milliades Miller, Minister. Edith J. was the daughter of Elisha Griswold, and was mentioned in his will, dated 5-17-1847, and probated 6-1-1847. Witnesses to the will were John Goodner and Thomas Griswold. Her full name was Edith Jemina. Remained in Switzerland Co., Ind., through 1850; in 1855 there were living in Rock Island Co., Ill. On 2-1-1855, while residents of Rock Island Co., Ill., he and his wife gave a deed to William Dorrell for a tract of land in Ohio County in Section 16, Township 3, Range 2 for 80 acres. In 1857, they were living in Mercer Co., Ill., and moved to Shelby County, Iowa, some-time later. To William and Edith 8 children were born.
 Ch: 1e. Anna Belle Goodner, b. 11-1-1848, in Ohio or Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 1-12-1927, in Gibson, Iowa. m: Beverly L. Harris, possibly in Shelby Co. Removed to Keokuk Co., Iowa. Farmer.
 Ch: 1f. Clarence L. Harris, b. 8-29-1868, Iowa. d. 4-9-1937. m: Bertha E. Stice, (b. 12-28-1872; d. 7-2-1930, daughter of William and Cintha Stice.) Both Clarence and Bertha interred in Boone, Boone County, Iowa.
 Ch: 1g. Velda Harris, b. 7-27-1895, in Nassau, now Gibson, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: Irving S. Green, 6-17-1917, in Boone, Iowa. (b. Nov. 1888 in Onslow, Iowa, son of O.E. and Ella J. Green of Onslow.) Printer. Methodists. Res: 1112-18th St., Des Moines, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Ruth E. Green, b. 4-19-1918, Ft. Dodge, Iowa. m: J. H. Wyman. Res: Richmond, Calif.
 Ch: 1i. James H. Wyman, b. 7-22-1947. Des Moines, Iowa.
 2i. Cindy Lou Wyman, b. 6-2-1951. Des Moines, Iowa.
- 2g. Helen Harris, b. 12-16-1902, Boone, Boone Co., Iowa. m: William Patrick Tieman, 11-5-1923, Des Moines, Iowa. (b. 9-21-1897, son of William and Kathyleen Tieman of Rolfe, Iowa.) Machinist. Methodist. Res: 122 12th Ave., S.W., Ft. Dodge, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Robert Eugene Tieman, b. 9-16-1927. m: Muriel Lavonne -- (b. 7-9-1936) Res: Empire, Nevada.
 Ch: 1i. William Royce Tieman, b. 7-31-1952.
 2h. John Dean Tieman, b. 2-25-1937. At Home.
 3h. Donald Lee Tieman, b. 9-18-1938. m: Beverly Francis ---- (b. 5-11-1939) Res: 1114-1/2 7th St. S.W., Ft. Dodge, Iowa.
 Ch: 1i. Cynthia Marie Tieman, b. 10-15-1957.
- 2f. Willis Beverly Harris, b. 6-16-1875, Iowa. d. 8-22-1942. m: Susan Ellen ----- (b. 8-11-1887) Resided in Libertyville, Jefferson Co., Iowa.
 Ch: 1g. Lloyd Harris, b. 1-16-1904, Iowa. Res: 1206-8th N.W., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
 2g. Freda Harris, b. 2-13-1906, Sigourney, Iowa. m: 1st: Raymond E. Garrett, 5-28-1924, of Sigourney.
 Ch: 1h. Paul R. Garrett, b. 7-12-1928, Sigourney, Iowa.
 m: 2nd: Samuel Long, 3-19-1950, at Ottumwa, Iowa. (b. 9-12-1910, son of Clell and Adda Long.) Methodist. Res: Albia, Iowa. No issue.
 3g. Avis Cathrine Harris, b. 7-13-1909, Libertyville, Iowa. m: Henry Clay

- Jacobs, 12-16-1929, at Oskaloosa, Iowa. (b. 8-19-1902, son of E. M. Jacobs) Jeweler, Methodist. Res: Delta, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Robert McClellan Jacobs, b. 1-1-1931.
 2h. Lawrence Perry Jacobs, b. 8-24-1932.
- 4g. Neva Harris, b. 7-16-1913, Sigourney, Iowa. m: 1st: Melvin Morris Wadsworth, 8-7-1929, Des Moines, Iowa. (b. 7-31-1910. d. 8-5-1943. Son of Henry Wadsworth of What Cheer, Iowa.) Truck Driver. Presby.
 Ch: 1h. Gladys Marie Wadsworth, b. 12-6-1929, at What Cheer, Iowa m: Mr. Ward.
 2h. Richard Melvin Wadsworth, b. 4-5-1931, at Deep River, Iowa.
 3h. Roger Willis Wadsworth, b. 2-21-1942, in What Cheer, Iowa.
 m: 2nd: Raymond Miller, 8-22-1953. (b. 7-27-1915, in Bunker Hill, West Va. Served in Army from 12-1-1921 to 10-27-1945. Presently, service manager. Res: 1137 Princeton, N.E., Albuquerque, N.M. No issue.
- 5g. James Harris, b. 10-17-1916, in Delta, Iowa. In Military, 2-19-1942 to 10-15-1945. Caterpillar Operator. m: Mabel Irene Chrisman, 12-24-1941, at Lancaster, Mo. Daughter of R. L. Chrisman of Martinsburgh, Iowa. Members of Christian Church. Res: Keota, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Janice Kay Harris, b. 7-11-1942
- 6g. George Harris, b. 6-21-1919, Delta, Iowa. Single. Laborer. Member of Christian Church. Res: Delta, Iowa.
- 7g. Lillian Harris, b. 8-19-1923, Rose Hill, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: John Cooley, 7-10-1943, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. (b. 6-25-1922, son of Floyd E. Cooley, dec'd, and Josephine Cooley of Knoxville, Iowa.) Radio Announcer. Methodist. Army 5 years, 11-27-1940 to 12-1-1945. Res: Wheaton Station, 3910 Adams Dr., Silver Springs, Md. No issue.
- 8g. Edna Harris, b. 9-21-1925, Delta, Iowa. m: William Oscar Sward, 9-20-1944, at Beaufort, S.C. (b. 5-16-1922, son of Oscar William Sward of Conesville, Iowa) Military service, 6 years Army. Methodists. Res: 14402 East San Ardo Dr., La Mirada, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Stephen Lee Sward, b. 11-19-1950.
- 9g. Floyd Harris, b. 3-6-1929, Amoret, Mo. With U.S. Air Force from 10-4-1946 to present. Methodist. m: Judith Ann Reed, 11-18-1955, at Dyer, Ind. (b. 12-14-1938, dau. of Gerald T. Reed of Delta, Iowa.) Res: 515 E. Normal, Apt. 103, Kirksville, Mo.
 Ch: 1h. Jacqueline Sue Harris, b. 6-20-1956.
- 10g. Willis Harris, b. abt. 1931. On duty with Army.
- 3f. Harry Harris, b. 7-11-1877, Iowa. m: Lena Etherton, (b. 7-13-1884, dau. Beverly and Anna Belle Etherton) Res: Palisade, Colorado.
 Ch: 1g. Dean Harris, b. 3-6-1909, Palisade, Colo. Manager of a Coal Company Methodist. m: Dorothy Christine Hartzler, 4-2-1942. (b. 2-7-1911, dau. of V.P. and Ida Hertzler.) Res: Palisade, Colo.
 Ch: 1h. Carolyn Ruth Harris, b. 6-9-1943.
 2h. Rebecca Sue Harris, b. 1-25-1946.
- 2g. Thelma Harris, b. abt. 1911. Deceased.
- 4f. Thomas Harris, b. 8-18-1877, Iowa. d. 6-11-1950. (Note the birth date of Thomas conflicts with that of his brother, Harry. One of them is in error.) Thomas interred in Stockton, Calif. m: Elizabeth Agnes Soultz. (b. 11-20-1878, dau. William and Sarah Soultz) Res: 7215 S.E. 22nd, Portland, Oregon.
 Ch: 1g. Avon Belle Harris, b. 8-11-1903, Portland, Oregon. m: Kenneth McRae Vert, 3-4-1922, Portland, Oregon. (b. 1-31-1900, son McRae Vert of Portland, Ore.) Letter Carrier. Navy 1918 and 1919. Presbyterian. Res: 7215 S.E. 22nd St., Portland, Ore. No issue.
 2g. Donald T. Harris, b. 6-20-1912. Res: 844 W. Mendocino Ave., Stockton, Calif.
- 5f. Jess Garfield Harris, b. 5-21-1881, near Gibson, Iowa. d. 1-19-1939. Interred in San Gabriel Cemetery, San Gabriel, Calif. Farmer. m: Margaret White (b. 2-5-1879. d. 3-9-1954; dau. Linsey White. Interred in San Gabriel Cemetery.)
 Ch: 1g. Ethel Margaret Harris, b. 10-10-1908, near What Cheer, Iowa. m: Emmett Beman, 4-28-1950, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 12-15-1902, son Edwin & Emily Beman of Pasadena, Calif.) Material Tester for the Water and Power Dept. of City of Los Angeles. Methodist. Served in Construction Battalion of Seabees in W.W.II. Res: 615 N. Holliston Ave., Pasadena, Calif. No issue.

- 2g. Herschel Jess Harris, b. 2-13-1910, What Cheer, Iowa. Warehouseman and Truck Driver. m: Tacy Lenora Mott, 11-26-1936, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 5-22-1912, dau. of Walter F. Mott of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.) Res: 932 "C" St., Eureka, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Walter Jess Harris, b. 9-10-1937.
2h. Edith Margaret Harris, b. 4-3-1939, m: Gary Dan Gale, 8-4-1956.
Ch: 1i. Cindy Lorraine Gale, b. 8-1-1957.
- 3g. Beulah Belle Harris, b. 11-25-1911, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: Clinton Mathew Barrick, 7-2-1939, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 10-2-1909, son Vincent P. Barrick of 283 Ventura St., Altadena, Calif.) Electronic Engineer. Methodist. Res: 6419 Apex Circle, Falls Church, Va.
Ch: 1h. Dale Curtis Barrick, b. 10-4-1943.
2h. Margaret Anne Barrick, b. 9-1-1946.
- 4g. Lucy May Harris, b. 4-12-1913, What Cheer, Iowa. m: Rich. Morgan Llywelyn, 6-4-1940, Hollywood, Calif. (b. 9-7-1915, son Moses Morgan Llywelyn of Kansas City, Mo.) Aircraft Engineer. Navy. Methodist. Res: 1653 West 122nd St., Los Angeles 47, Calif.
Ch: 1h. James Harris Llywelyn, b. 3-9-1943.
2h. Ann Elizabeth Llywelyn, b. 10-6-1946.
- 5g. Zelma Harris, b. 3-17-1917, Crookston, Minn. m: Ransford James Johnston, 5-17-1940, Hollywood, Calif. (b. 10-5-1914, son Perry Johnston of Eureka, Calif.) Electronic Engineer. Navy. Christian Scientist. Res: 854 S. Mary Ave., Sunnyvale, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Randy Lee Johnston, b. 3-4-1947
- 6g. Leonard Theodore Harris, b. 10-15-1919, Crookston, Minn. Mechanical Engineer. Methodist. m: Hannah Belle Nichols, 5-27-1949, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 12-27-1919, dau. Everett Nichols of Dunlap, Kansas.) Res: 2435 Thaddeus Dr., Mountain View, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Deborah Kay Harris, b. 9-30-1956.
- 6f. Ray Harris, Dec'd. Married and had issue. Res: Ottriruwa, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Vance Harris, Res: 844 Johnson, Beloit, Wisc.
- 7f. Edith Belle Harris, b. 11-24-1884, d. 8-19-1945, Interred in Indianapolis, Ind, m: Samuel Clark Lester, 11-24-1903, (b. 10-12-1878, Farmer, Resided near Gibson, Iowa.)
Ch: 1g. Letha Lester, b. 8-26-1904. m: Mr. Schultz, Res: 6715 Sunfish Lake Rd., Rockford, Mich.
2g. Lotus Lester, b. 1-17-1907, near Gibson, Iowa. m: Allen Eugene Veeder, 4-15-1944, Chicago, Ill., (b. 10-26-1900, son Frank and Hattie Veeder of Elgin, Ill.) In newspaper work, Presbyterian, Res: 498 Kensington Pl., Pasadena, Calif. No issue.
3g. Vera Lester, b. 9-6-1909. m: Mr. Brewer, Res: 275 S. Euclid, Pasadena, Calif.
- 8f. Della M. Harris, b. 1-19-1891, near Gibson, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: Clyde Robertson, 12-24-1912. (b. 2-10-1885, son of R. D. and Mary Robertson.) Farmer, Res: Rt. #2, What Cheer, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Eugene Harris Robertson, b. 2-2-1914, Mahaska Co., Iowa. Farmer. m: Bessie Irene Fisher, 10-12-1935, Keokuk Co., Iowa. (b. 1-7-1918, dau. George Fisher of Mahaska Co., Iowa.) Res: Deep River, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Leroy Robertson, b. 1-2-1937.
2h. Janice Eileen Robertson, b. 12-30-1938.
3h. Dale Eugene Robertson, b. 6-27-1943.
4h. Kay Pauline Robertson, b. 5-16-1945.
5h. James Clyde Robertson, b. 2-11-1947.
- 9f. Rena Harris, b. abt. 1893, Dec'd. m: Mr. Johnston.
Ch: 1g. Dale Johnston,
2g. Clyde Johnston, Res: 776 Del St., Gary, Indiana.
- 2e. Mary Isabelle Goodner, b. 8-7-1850, Switzerland Co., Ind. d. 4-28-1924, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: Thomas Johnston, (b. 11-16-1848, Preemption, Ill., son William and Margaret Johnston.) Farmer. Lived near Gibson, Iowa. Both interred in Sixteen Cemetery, north of What Cheer, Iowa.
Ch: 1f. Edward Walter Johnston, b. 5-8-1875. d. 8-7-1924. Interred in Sixteen Cemetery near What Cheer, Iowa. m: Charlotte Lester, (b. 11-7-1880, d. 10-14-1954, interred in Sixteen Cemetery, near Thornburg, Iowa.)

- Ch: 1g. Cecil Johnston, b. 10-21-1903, d. 7-9-1957. Interred in Mountain View Cemetery, Pasadena, Calif. Single. Resided in Whittier, Calif.
- 2g. Helen Johnston, b. 12-15-1905, What Cheer, Iowa. m: Clarence Almon Stanley, 3-31-1929, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 9-2-1904, son of Charles and Maura Stanley of What Cheer, Iowa.) Lumberman. Methodist. Res: 1954 Windover Rd., Pasadena, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Joanne Stanley, b. 8-23-1932.
- 3g. Marion Kenneth Johnston, b. 1-31-1915. In Quality Control. m: Shirley B. Dibble, 4-29-1939, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 1-23-1920, dau. Ronald and Inez Dibble of Gates, Ore.) Res: 1755 Wagner St., Pasadena, Calif. No issue.
- 2f. Ella Johnston, b. 2-26-1877, d. 1-13-1933 in Oskaloosa, Iowa. Interred in Sixteen Cemetery near What Cheer, Iowa. m: 1st: Frank C. Johnston. Res: Oskaloosa, Iowa.
- Ch: 1g. Zelma Johnston, b. 1-12-1905, Gibson, Iowa. m: Frank Edward Wood, 6-10-1934, Des Moines, Iowa. (b. Pueblo, Colo., son Harry and Minnie Wood of Ramah, Colo.) Grocer. Presbyterian. Zelma is a teacher. Res: 51 Cromwell St., Fairfield, Iowa.
- Ch: 1h. Marilyn Kay Wood, b. 12-25-1936.
2h. James Edward Wood, b. 5-21-1942.
- 3f. Margaret Johnston, b. abt. 1879. Dec'd. Interred in Elm Grove Cemetery, Washington, Iowa. m: Marion Wells, a brother to Roy, who married sister, Jessie. Marion died 3-9-1955. Margaret died 4-23-1951, Keota, Iowa. Resided at one time in West Chester, Iowa. Ch: One child, d. at birth. Adopted a girl.
- 4f. Augusta Johnston, b. abt. 1881, m: Mr. Lester. Resided in Washington, Iowa, on Madison St.
- Ch: 1g. Dorothy Lester, b. 5-21-1911. m: Burt Pringle, 1-20-1931. Res: Keswick, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Jean Pringle, b. 5-21-1932.
- 5f. Roy Johnston, b. abt. 1883 d. 1-21-1932. What Cheer, Iowa. Interred in Sixteen Cemetery, near What Cheer, Iowa.
- Ch: 1g. Evelyn Johnston, m: Ronald Gabraith. Res: Gibson, Iowa.
- 6f. Jessica Johnston, b. 2-16-1887, Reynolds, Ill. m: Roy Wells, 9-27-1911, Marion, Iowa. (b. 2-6-1883, son of Curtis and Missouri Wells. Roy died 2-6-1956.) Farmer. Members of United Presbyterian Church. Jessice resides: 112 N. 2nd St., Apt. 4, Washington, Iowa.
- Ch: 1g. Keith Wells, b. 12-13-1912, West Chester, Iowa. m: Alyce Grayne, 6-24-1936. Res: Keota, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Nancy Wells, b. 6-24-1938.
2h. Sue Ann Wells, b. 7-30-1950.
3h. Charles William Wells, b. 4-23-1952.
- 2g. Margaret Abigail Wells, b. 9-17-1916. m: Clifford M. Bosworth, 9-7-1942. Res: 5336 Westhall Ave., Louisville 14, Ky.
- Ch: 1h. Roberta Bosworth, b. 1-8-1945.
2h. Kathy Bosworth, b. 4-28-1949.
- 3g. Mary Elizabeth Wells, b. 9-28-1923. m: Robert Parker, 11-12-1944. Res: 504 West Aire Dr., West Burlington, Iowa.
- Ch: 1h. Terry Parker, b. 10-27-1945.
2h. Stephie Parker, b. 3-27-1952.
3h. Pattie Parker, b. 12-8-1954.
4h. Bradley Parker, b. 10-21-1958.
- 3e. Benjamin Delos Goodner, b. 6-29-1852, Rising Sun, Ind. d. 1-30-1917, near New Sharon, Mahaska Co., Iowa, and interred there. Farmer. Accompanied parents to Iowa when a small boy. m: 1st: Martha Lucretia James, abt. 1878. (b. 11-26-1851. d. 2-20-1895, dau. of David James.) Interred in New Sharon, Iowa. Resided near New Sharon, Iowa. m: 2nd: Emma Moffatt, No issue.
- Ch: 1f. Clifford Goodner, b. 2-15-1880, Iowa. d. 2-28-1917. m: -----
Ch: 1g. Walter Goodner, Resided for a time near New Sharon, Iowa; a letter addressed there in 1959 was returned.
2g. Dwight Goodner, Reported to be living in Florida.
- 2f. Walter James Goodner, b. 8-25-1882, Iowa. d. 9-30-1936. Interred in New Sharon, Iowa, Mahaska Co. m: Maude Eslee Kendig. (b. 8-19-1885). Mrs. Goodner is residing in New Sharon, Iowa.
- Ch: 1g. Lloyd Kendig Goodner, b. 4-2-1918, New Charon, Iowa. Farmer. Methodist. m: Clara Woodward, 10-6-1940. (b. 8-25-1920, dau. of Alfred Woodward.) Res: Osceola, Clarke Co., Iowa.

- Ch: 1h. Gary James Goodner, b. 10-22-1944.
2h. Jane Elaine Goodner, b. 7-11-1945.
- 3f. Omer Goodner, b. 8-2-1884, Iowa, d. 3-29-1946, m: -----
Ch: 1g. Homer E. Goodner, Res: Mason City, Iowa.
2g. Thomas B. Goodner, Res: Spencer, Iowa.
3g. Helen Martha Goodner, m: Mr. Struthers. Lives in Detroit, Mich.
- 4f. Lenna Goodner, b. 6-10-1887, Coal Creek, Keokuk Co., Iowa. m: Thomas Ryan, 11-24-1909, New Sharon, Mahaska Co., Iowa. (b. 10-14-1875, son of Absalom & Comfort Ryan.) Farmer. Methodists. Res: 429 N. 3rd St., Oskaloosa, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Floyd T. Ryan, b. 11-1-1912, m: -----, Res: 1299 Van Buren Ave., St. Paul, Minn.
Ch: 1h. Thomas R. Ryan, b. 9-14-1940.
2h. Phylis Jeanne Ryan, b. 7-27-1944.
2g. Raymond G. Ryan, b. 4-23-1919, m: -----, Res: R.R. #3, New Sharon, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Shirley Jean Ryan, b. 8-7-1943.
2h. Larry Dean Ryan, b. 6-29-1951.
- 4e. John Wesley Goodner, b. abt. 1854, m: Mary Dean.
Ch: 1f. Clem Goodner, b. abt. 1878.
2f. Wesley Goodner, b. abt. 1880/2.
- 5e. Charles Everett Goodner, b. 3-15-1857, Mercer Co., Ill. d. 3-22-1919, Iowa. Interred in Shenandoah, Page Co., Iowa. Farmer. m: Margaret ("Maggie") Dunlap, Oct. 1884, Shelby Co., Iowa. (b. 5-26-1864)
Ch: 1f. Clyde Everett Goodner, Sr., b. 7-10-1885, Irwin, Iowa, d. 9-22-1956. Farmer. m: Edna McMullen. (d. 1948), dau. Sam McMullen.
Ch: 1g. Clyde Everett Goodner, Jr., b. 10-9-1924, Limon, Colo. Sheet Metal Mechanic. Served Navy from 1-21-1943 to 2-4-1946. m: Mary Jean Scott, 6-26-1947, Glendale, Calif. (b. 4-5-1928, dau. Welzie L. and Cora M. Scott) Res: 10714-1/2 Riverside Dr., North Hollywood, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Melinda Jean Goodner, b. 11-28-1949.
2h. Rebecca Lucile Goodner, b. 9-24-1951.
(An interlocutory judgment of divorce between Clyde E. Goodner, Jr., and Mary Jean was granted 10-7-1955)
2g. Earl Edwin Goodner, b. 3-4-1909, Anderson, Iowa. Farmer. Presbyterian, m: Dorothy A. Sloan, 10-19-1935. (b. 9-12-1912, dau. John B. & Arminda Sloan.) Married at Johnstown, Colo. Res: R.R. 2, Box 338, La Salle, Colo.
Ch: 1h. Terry Lee Goodner, b. 7-19-1936.
2h. Joan Kay Goodner, b. 6-18-1940.
3g. Glen Ivan Goodner, b. 8-3-1910, near Sidney, Iowa. Farmer. Presbyterian. m: Emma Ulrich, 12-27-1941, at La Salle, Colo. (b. 6-25-1916, dau. of Pete Ulrich) Res: R.R. #1, Box 248, La Salle, Colo.
Ch: 1h. William Dean Goodner, b. 2-17-1949.
2h. Mary Ann Goodner, b. 2-22-1952.
4g. Lucile Goodner, b. 7-10-1912, d. 12-6-1936. Interred in Linn Grove, Greeley, Colo.
- 2f. Cora Goodner, b. 2-15-1888, Iowa, d. 4-28-1939, Iowa. Interred in Shenandoah, Iowa. (Date of death also given as 3-31-1939) m: Luther Albert Thomas. (b. 2-22-1882)
Ch: 1g. Kenneth Thomas, b. 8-27-1909, Logan, Iowa. Quality Control Supervisor at Waterloo, Iowa, plant of John Deere Plow Works, and also farms. m: Cornelia H. Riley, 12-25-1934. (b. 1-3-1914, dau. Charles and Sarah Riley, dec'd.) Res: Jesup, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Beatrice Marie Thomas, b. 12-17-1936, at Marion, Iowa. m: Mr. Merritt.
2h. John Charles Thomas, b. 7-27-1943.
3h. Beverly Anna Thomas, b. 4-21-1946.
2g. Harry Thomas, b. 3-1-1912, Sidney, Iowa. Sheet Metal Worker. Methodist. Served in Navy. m: Edith Young, 12-23-1931. (b. 11-8-1914, dau. of Alford Young) Res: 409 Division St., Cedar Falls, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Le Roy A. Thomas, b. 2-20-1933. Lather. Served in Navy 4 years. m: Mary Patricia Peacock, 10-17-1953. (b. 11-24-1935 dau. Wm. Peacock) Catholic. Res: 1424 Detroit Ave., Concord, Calif.

- Ch: 1i. Ellen Jane Thomas, b. 10-14-1954.
 2i. Patricia Ann Thomas, b. 12-10-1955.
 3i. Harry Robert Thomas, b. 1-3-1957.
 4i. Le Roy Annsom Thomas, b. 7-9-1958.
- 2h. Weston E. Thomas, b. 8-9-1934. Res: Colleen St., Evansdale, Iowa.
- 3h. Bonnie Thomas, b. 2-7-1936, m: 1st: Richard L. Smith, 7-1-1949. Divorced.
 Ch: 1i. Terrie Lee Smith, b. 11-20-1951.
 2i. Toni Lee Smith, b. 12-12-1952.
 (Both adopted by their grandfather, Harry Thomas)
 Bonnie m: 2nd; Milton Stanley Moltz. Jewish. Manager of a jewelry store. Res: 2500 Mayflower, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Ch: 3i. Micky Lee Moltz, b. 8-20-1957.
- 3g. Margaret Thomas, b. 12-17-1917, Randolph, Iowa. m: 1st: Herman Martin Culbert, 12-27-1944. d. 8-15-1953. Served in Armed Forces 1943 to 1945.
 Ch: 1h. Louis Lee Culbert, b. 2-8-1949.
 2h. Linda Kay Culbert, b. 4-12-1950.
 3h. Martin Lee Culbert, b. 4-16-1954.
 Margaret m: 2nd: Kenneth Melford Paulson, 6-20-1955. Res: 808 South St., Waterloo, Iowa.
 Ch: 4h. Kathleen Lovetta Paulson, b. 8-26-1955.
 (By her first marriage, Margaret had five stepchildren; names not available.)
- 3f. Mary Goodner, b. 2-26-1888, Irwin, Iowa. m: William Charles Ligget, 2-26-1938. (b. 12-21-1882, son of Robert.) Farm Manager. Res: Nashua, Iowa. No issue.
- 4f. Mina Jane Goodner, b. 9-30-1890, Irwin, Iowa. m: 1st: Robert Fredric Ligget, 2-28-1912. (b. 12-2-1884, son of Robert and Margaret Ligget.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: Nashua, Iowa.
 Ch: 1g. Robert Fredric Ligget, Jr., d. 6-23-1929. Death by drowning, near Nashua, Iowa.
 2g. Marion Della Ligget, b. 4-14-1913, Nashua, Iowa. d. 6-23-1929. Death by drowning, near Nashua, Iowa.
 3g. Edna Jane Ligget, b. 6-13-1915. d. 5-30-1916.
 4g. Lucile Anne Ligget, b. 6-27-1916, Nashua, Iowa. m: Donald George Duncan, 6-1-1937, Nashua, Iowa. Res: R.R. #2, Charles City, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Robert William Duncan, b. 7-19-1941, at Kansas City, Mo. Adopted.
 5g. Laura Ruth Ligget, b. 7-20-1918, Nashua, Iowa. m: Rexford Dale Longhorn, 5-14-1940, Nashua, Iowa. (Son of Charles Longhorn and Freeda Boeck.) Reside on old Ligget farm near Nashua, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Gregory Charles Longhorn, b. 7-31-1942, Charles City, Iowa.
 2h. Lynda Kay Longhorn, b. 10-10-1944, Leonardstown, Md.
 3h. Ann Elizabeth Longhorn, b. 12-12-1947, at West Union, Iowa.
 4h. Dennia Dale Longhorn, b. 1-27-1956, Nashua, Iowa.
 Mina Jane m: 2nd: William Edgar Bragg, 9-30-1941, Austin, Minn. Resided on a farm near Rudd, Iowa, for several years, later moving to Clear Lake, Iowa, where Mr. Bragg died 9-1-1950. He was born 11-15-1884, son of Sylvester and Ida Bragg. Mina Jane resided with daughter, Laura Ruth Longhorn, on the old Ligget farm, Nashua, Iowa.
- 5f. Della Goodner, b. 4-19-1892, Irwin, Iowa. m: Bird Oshea Rice, 2-16-1921. (b. 9-21-1893, son Bradford E. and Ida A. Rice.) Freight Clerk Foreman. Served in W. I., 9-23-1917 to 3-18-1919. Members Christian Church. Res: 106 W. Valley Ave., Shenandoah, Iowa.
 Ch: 1g. Dr. Ross Richard Rice, Ph.D., b. 1-13-1922. m: Marie Puzack, dau. of Peter and Helen Puzack. Res: 108 Palmcroft Dr., Temple, Arizona.
 Ch: 1h. Marilyn Rice, b. 5-2-1949.
 2h. Roxanne Rice, b. 7-20-1950.
 3h. Valerie Rice, b. 1-22-1952.
 4h. Laurie Rice, b. 8-16-1954.
- 2g. Rosemary Rice, b. 3-22-1926. m: Earl Marvin Carlson, son of Lawrence and Ruth Carlson. (b. 5-26-1926.) Farmer. Res: Essex, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Stephen Carlson, b. 7-20-1949.

- 2h. Michael Carlson, b. 9-14-1954.
- 3g. Phyllis Rice, b. 12-26-1928, m: Howard Le Roy Notson. (b. 6-16-1919, son Neal and Hazel Notson.) Salesman. Res: 309 W. Valley, Shenandoah, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Peggy Notson, b. 6-17-1948.
- 4g. Nancy Ann Rice, b. 9-15-1936, Single. Res: 112 Garcia Ave., Apt. 2-6, San Leandro, Calif.
- 6f. William D. Goodner, b. 3-16-1894, Irwin, Shelby Co., Iowa. Retired farmer, Presbyterian, m: Eva Gwynn, 10-10-1921. (b. 10-22-1900, dau. Thomas J. Gwynn.) Res: 308 Park Ave., Shenandoah, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Helen Janis Goodner, b. 6-19-1923, m: Kenneth J. Hawk. Res: 2504 48th St., Des Moines, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. William Delbert Hawk, b. 6-26-1946.
2h. Barbara Lynn Hawk, b. 7-14-1951.
- 2g. Thomas Charles Goodner, b. 5-12-1927, m: -----
Ch: 1h. John Evans Goodner, b. 8-5-1950.
2h. Martha Jeanne Goodner, b. 11-12-1951.
3h. Janis Leigh Goodner, b. 6-3-1954.
- 3g. Marqaret Jeanne Goodner, b. 2-2-1929, m: John C. Haldeman. Res: 3028 11th Ave., S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Jane Gwynn Haldeman, b. 9-8-1954.
2h. Anne Carter Haldeman, b. 3-19-1958.
- 7f. Julia M. Goodner, b. 5-1-1897, Shelby Co., Iowa. m: Charles F. Schaaf, 6-19-1918. (b. 9-27-1891, son of Daniel and Mary Schaaf.) Farmer, Methodist. Res: Box 101, Sidney, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Charles Goodner Schaaf, b. 7-15-1922, Sidney, Iowa. m: -----
Res: Sidney, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Larry Joe Schaaf, b. 4-20-1953, Adopted.
2h. Debra Kay Schaaf, b. 11-24-1955, Adopted.
- 2g. Joann Edith Schaaf, b. 4-1-1925, m: Mr. De Bolt. Res: 6504 N. 66th St. Omaha 12, Neb.
Ch: 1h. Garry Allen De Bolt, b. 2-1-1947.
2h. Roger Gail De Bolt, b. 2-5-1948.
3h. Diana Marie De Bolt, b. 12-31-1948
- 8f. Hattie L. Goodner, b. 2-6-1899, Irwin, Iowa. m: Edward Jacob Schaaf, 6-19-1918. (b. 11-15-1892, son Daniel and Mary Ansay Schaaf.) Experimental Engineer for F.M.C. Retired, Methodists, Res: 418 E. Seminary St., Hoopeston, Ill.
Ch: 1g. James Edward Schaaf, b. 7-22-1925, Stillborn.
2g. Harriett Jane Schaaf, b. 5-28-1931, m: Carroll L. Davis, Jr., 3-14-1957. (b. 4-9-1926, at Catlin, Ill.) Navy, W.W.II. Res: Danville, Ill.
Ch: 1h. Teresa Lynn Davis, b. 7-16-1958, Danville, Ill.
- 9f. Edith G. Goodner, b. abt. 1891, Dec'd, m: Mr. Wright,
Ch: 1g. Hannah Jane Wright, b. 11-1-1937. Resides with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Ligget in Nashua, Iowa.
- 10f. Ivan R. Goodner, b. 7-23-1902, Fremont Co., Iowa, Farmer, Methodist, m: Marie H. Janssen, 7-25-1923, (b. 12-5-1900, dau. Berend and Mary Janssen.) Res: Nashua, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Marie Evelyn Goodner, b. 5-13-1924, m: Wilbur G. Tracy, son of Guy and Mildred (Fisher) Tracy, Salesman for Holsom-Sunbeam Bakers, Res: 509 1st. St., S.W., Mason City, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Joan Marie Tracy, b. 12-27-1944.
2h. Nancy Lee Tracy, b. 7-5-1946.
3h. Jean Ann Tracy, b. 8-3-1948.
4h. Marlys Kay Tracy, b. 2-25-1940.
- 2g. Russell Edward Goodner, b. 12-9-1926, Iowa. m: Ida May Hoblet. (b. 8-21-1931, dau. Harvey and Leola Hoblet.) Res: Nashua, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Audrey Ann Goodner, b. 2-29-1952.
2h. Gary Russell Goodner, b. 11-6-1953.
- 3g. Charles Everett Goodner, b. 5-7-1928, Iowa. m: Bonnie Lou Erion (b. 1-15-1934, dau. Hiram J. and Frances Pierce Erion.) Res: R. R. #3, Charles City, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Karen Ann Goodner, b. 2-4-1957.
- 4g. Virginia Mae Goodner, b. 5-14-1931, m: Robert Charles Immel, son of George and Helen (Pfefferkorn) Immel. Salesman for National Biscuit Co.

Res: 901 6th Ave., Charles City, Iowa.

- 11f. Lester H. Goodner, b. 10-9-1904, Sidney, Iowa. Operating Engineer, Methodist, m: Sylvia Davis, 11-26-1938. (b. 10-17-1904, dau. of James and Zinzie Davis.) Res: Box 95, Randolph, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Evelyn L. Goodner, b. 1-7-1929. m: Mr. Calava. Res: 2118-1/2 S. 41st. St., Omaha, Neb. No. issue.
- 12f. John H. Goodner, b. 4-18-1907, near Sidney, Fremont Co., Iowa. Crane Operator. Protestant. m: Faye Martin, 8-8-1931. (b. 8-20-1906, dau. Fred Ruse Martin.) Res: Anderson Route, Sidney, Iowa. No issue.
- 6e. Clara Jane Goodner, b. abt. 1860, in Illinois or Iowa. m: Michael Miller.
Ch: 1f. Earl Cecil Miller, b. abt. 1885. m: Lola Watkinson.
Ch: 1g. Cletis Miller
2g. Lab Miller
3g. Glenn Miller
4g. Dale Miller
5g. Eugene Miller
6g. Evon Miller
- 2f. Zella Mary Miller, b. abt. 1886/7. m: Walter Hulbert, 12-28-1910.
Ch: 1g. Wayne Hulbert
2g. Leroy Hulbert
- 3f. Glenn David Miller, b. abt. 1888/9. Single. Resided at Delavan, Kansas.
- 4f. Ruth Edith Miller, b. abt. 1890/1. m: Russell Shelly, 9-13-1916. Res: Reddick, Ill. (1925)
- 7e. William Grant Goodner, b. 5-26-1864, Iowa. d. 5-6-1934. Interred in Harlan, Iowa. Farmer. Resided near Harlan, m: Fanny Tague. (b. 9-28-1865. d. 4-15-1928, dau. George Tague. Interred in Harlan, Iowa.)
Ch: 1f. Hazel Edith Goodner, b. 11-13-1888, Iowa. d. 4-26-1957, near Harlan, Iowa. m: James Carl White, (b. 7-22-1888. d. 12-19-1932) Farmer. Resided near Harlan, Ia.
Ch: 1g. Glee Owen White, b. 11-14-1910, Harlan, Iowa. Salesman, Methodist. m: Elva Jeanette Blair, (b. 9-27-1914, dau. of Milton E. and M. Myrtle Blair of Harlan, Iowa.) Res: 1113 Walnut St., Harlan, Iowa. No issue.
2g. Aldine Ruth White, b. 8-8-1917, Harlan, Iowa. m: Wallace D. Inman, 10-29-1941, Harlan, Iowa. (b. 3-17-1916, son Stephan W. Inman of Collins, Iowa.) In advertising business. Army Air Corp from Nov. 1942 to Feb. 1946. Presbyterians. Res: 5911 Sunrise Road, Lincoln 10, Neb.
Ch: 1h. Jennifer Jo Inman, b. 12-10-1945.
2h. Lynda Louise Inman, b. 3-21-1948.
- 2f. Dale Owen Goodner, b. 4-5-1890, Iowa. d. 8-30-1939. Interred in Shelby, Iowa. m: Hazel Ruth Shaffer, (b. 11-3-1897, dau. William Shaffer.) Res; of Mrs. Goodner: 1212 Baldwin St., Harlan, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Ronald Dale Goodner, b. 5-24-1918, Harlan, Iowa. In Appliance business. Served in Army 22-1/2 months - 17-1/2 months in Italy, France, and Germany. m: Margaret Marie Jensen. (b. 8-24-1919, dau. J. C. Jensen of Harlan, Iowa.) Conservative Baptists, Res: 600 S. Grant St., Colby, Kansas.
Ch: 1h. Dale James Goodner, b. 12-1-1948.
2h. Dorothy Jean Goodner, b. 9-11-1950.
3h. Mary Elen Goodner, b. 12-3-1952.
- 2g. Rex William Goodner, b. 6-20-1923, Harlan, Iowa. m: Betty Jean Sorensen of Harlan, Iowa.) Res: Rt. #1, Kirkman, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Rodney Owen Goodner, b. 10-27-1950.
2h. Laurel Ruth Goodner, b. 12-7-1958.
- 3g. Donnabell Ione Goodner, b. 11-14-1926, Harlan, Iowa. m: Rondo Roy Rossman, 3-16-1949, Walnut, Iowa. (b. 11-30-1924, son Henry Rossman) Farmer. Protestant. Res: Walnut, Iowa.
Ch: 1h. Ronald Ray Rossman, b. 2-22-1950.
2h. Ann Jonell Rossman, b. 7-30-1953.
- 3f. Clara Opal Goodner, b. 4-2-1892, Harlan, Iowa. m: Glen Custer, 12-11-1912. (b. 12-30-1888, son Benton C. Custer.) Farmer, -retired. Methodist. Res: Harlan, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Ival Benton Custer, b. 10-30-1918. Res: Harlan, Iowa. m: -----
Ch: 1h. Tommy Ray Custer, b. 8-7-1942. Harlan, Iowa.
2h. Joan Ann Custer, b. 12-24-1944. Harlan, Iowa.
3h. Lynn Renny Custer, b. 10-30-1948. Harlan, Iowa.
- 2g. Glade Goodner Custer, b. 7-4-1920, Harlan, Iowa. m: -----

- Res: 2584 S. Gaylord St., Denver 10, Colo.
 Ch: 1h. Shawn Kay Custer, b. 11-4-1942. Denver, Colo.
 2h. James Glenn Custer, b. 2-11-1944. Denver, Colo.
 3h. Connie Sue Custer, b. 1-26-1947. Denver, Colo.
- 3g. Verlee Fannie Custer, b. 7-25-1927, Harlan, Iowa. m: Mr. Muller. Res: Defiance, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Chari Lee Muller, b. 2-1-1949. Defiance, Iowa.
 2h. Bonnie Ann Muller, b. 2-3-1950. Defiance, Iowa.
 3h. Timothy Dean Muller, b. 4-22-1954. Defiance, Iowa.
 4h. Dennis Dale Muller, b. 5-12-1953. Defiance, Iowa.
- 4f. Gerald Glee Goodner, b. 3-2-1894, Harlan, Iowa. d. 2-24-1955. m: -----.
 Ch: 1g. Max Keith Goodner
 2g. Geraldine Beatrice Goodner, m: Mr. Lancaster. Last known address was 6328 Kenwick, Ft. Worth, Texas. A letter sent there in 1959 was ret'd.
- 5f. Lotus Goodner, b. 3-6-1896, Harlan, Iowa. m: Kenneth Martin Sells, 8-25-1919, Council Bluffs, Iowa. (b. 10-1-1898, son of Miles W. Sells of Randolph, Iowa.) Farmer. Methodist. Army. Res: Essex, Iowa.
 Ch: 1g. Marilyn Joy Sells, b. 11-9-1930, Iowa. m: Harold George Kauffman. Res: 3628 College Ave., San Diego, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Marmo Linn Kauffman, b. 4-16-1953, San Diego.
 2h. Pamela Marie Kauffman, b. 8-28-1956. San Diego.
- 8e. Edith Ella Goodner, b. 7-24-1866, Iowa. d. 3-5-1938. Interred in Randolph, Iowa. m: Henry Nieman, 9-9-1896. (b. 9-10-1869. d. 1-3-1928. Interred in Randolph, Iowa.) Merchant.
 Ch: 1f. Roy E. Nieman, b. 10-13-1897. d. 1951. Interred in Randolph, Iowa. Methodist. In Farm Implement Business. m: Gladys Osel Hayes, Sidney, Iowa, 6-4-1917. (b. 11-15-1899)
 Ch: 1g. Marceline Nieman, b. 2-19-1921, Randolph, Iowa. m: Lester Louis Pinter, 10-29-1943. Musician. Served in Army. Methodist. Res: 11607 Hortense, North Hollywood, Calif. No issue.
 2g. Velda Nieman, b. 9-20-1899, Harlan, Iowa. m: Henry Shrum, 5-28-1919, Randolph, Iowa. Merchant. Res: Randolph, Iowa.
 Ch: 1h. Arlene Shrum, b. 10-14-1921, m: Louis Murl Fichter, 8-9-1939. (b. 8-9-1919, son of Louis and Inez Fichter.) Res: Elsa, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Randall Lee Fichter, b. 9-30-1941.
 2i. Eugene Murl Fichter, b. 9-11-1943.
- 3g. Henry W. Nieman, b. 2-24-1902. Res: Eugene, Wash.
 4g. John F. Nieman, b. 2-21-1904, Harlan, Iowa. In Grocery business. Methodist. m: Eva P. Fichter, 1929. (b. 1-7-1909, dau. Harry J. and Margaret Fichter.) Res: 2314 Flushing Rd., Flint, Mich.
 Ch: 1h. Delores J. Nieman, b. 6-21-1930. m: Mr. Botham. Res: 3917 Donnelly St., Flint, Mich.
 2h. John F. Nieman, Jr., b. 10-5-1936. Single.
- 5g. Leslie G. Nieman, b. 8-8-1909, Harlan, Iowa. Tavern Operator. Methodist. Military service, -2 years. m: Hellis Dodd, June 1940. (b. Nov. 1914 dau. P.K. Dodd.) Res: Randolph, Iowa. No issue.

Henry Goodner, son of Mary and I believe Peter Goodner, was born about the year 1777 or 1778. He appears to have been the youngest of the sons. The place of his birth is in doubt. Evidence points to the place of birth in either Orange or Guilford County, North Carolina, but tradition among some of his descendants is to the effect that he was foreign born, which in his case would have been Germany. I lean toward the belief that he was born in North Carolina. The pros and cons of this has been discussed in detail in the article on his mother, Mary, and I refer the reader to that article.

Henry grew to manhood on the farm of his parents and later that of his mother, the latter being located on the waters of Reedy fork, a tributary of the Haw River, located in Guilford County, close to the Orange County line, Orange County at that time embracing the present county of Alamance. The location of this farm must have been near the village of Gibsonville and near the location of the old Friedens Church, where the Scherers and undoubtedly the Goodners attended. In those early days the church was used jointly by the Lutherans and the German Reformed Church. What schooling Henry had must have been meagre, for his son stated that "he could hardly speak English at all". This would also indicate that the community in which he lived was also German, or "Pennsylvania Dutch", and that his contact with English speaking people must have been slight. The way some of these German families have clung to their old German ways, even today, has been a source of wonderment to me. Two years ago I made a visit to St. Clair County, Illinois, and called on a German family whose grandparents had purchased my great-grandfather's farm about the time of the Civil War. One old fellow to whom I talked, or tried to, age about 70, born on the place where he lived, spoke such poor English that I was unable to understand him.

About the year 1798 or 1799 Henry married, presumably in Guilford County, North Carolina, Eleanor Lokey, most likely a daughter of William Lokey whose name appears in the 1800 census of Orange County as head of a household containing the following souls:-

<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
2 under 10 years of age	1 under 10 years of age
1 10-16	2 10-16
1 16-26	1 16-26
1 26-45	1 26-40
1 over 45	1 over 40

At the time of the marriage Eleanor already had a daughter, who later married Isaac Fryar. Henry and Eleanor made their home briefly in Guilford County, the 1800 census showing him as head of a household there with himself and wife and three females under the ages of 10. These would be Eleanor's daughter and the twin daughters born to her by Henry, Dec. 25th, 1800, whom he named Mary and Elizabeth after his twin sisters. Sometime during the year 1802 he moved to Bedford County, Tennessee, since his third child and son, John Cunningham, is supposed to have been born there Dec. 31st, 1802. In a letter to his cousin, Godfrey Goodner, reproduced later, Henry stated that his son was born on New Year's Day, and that he would be 15 years of age the coming year of 1818, which would make his date of birth Jan. 1st, 1803. No more children were born to them, which apparently was Henry's wish.

Some of John Cunningham Goodner's descendants have pondered over his father giving the name of Cunningham to his son. The name John can be easily accounted for, but the name of Cunningham is a "puzler". The question of Mary, the mother of Henry, having been a Cunningham was considered, but that possibility was discarded because of Henry being brought up in such a strictly German atmosphere that he could hardly speak English, a condition not likely to exist with a Scotch-Irish mother. More likely it was due to some feeling of obligation, or friendship to a John Cunningham, a son probably to the original settler by that name who received a grant of land of 620 acres in Guilford County and whose name is shown in the 1800 census as owner of nine slaves of all ages. Some of this Cunningham family may have accompanied, or followed, Jacob Goodner, brother of Henry, in his removal to Switzerland Co., Indiana, for a John Cunningham purchased two grants of land there from the Government on March 25th, 1817. Jacob Goodner had purchased two grants in the same county in March of 1815.

Henry was still residing in Bedford County, Tennessee, in July of 1817, where he resided on the Barron Fork of Duck River, near the town of Shelbyville, the county seat. In July of that year he sent a letter to his cousin, Godfrey Goodner, son of Conrad, who at the time was living in St. Clair County, Illinois Territory. This letter is very beautifully written according to Carl Curtis Goodner who had the opportunity of seeing the original. He stated that the penmanship was exquisite and the English very good, and that there was no question at all but that it was written by a professional letter writer, possibly by the Mr. Nelson who conveyed it to Illinois. These professional letter writers would write the letter for those not so gifted as to write their own, and then take it by horseback to their destination, collecting on delivery, usually charging \$1.50 as their fee. A copy of this letter follows:

Barron Fork of Duck, July 12, 1817

" I received your very friendly line of the 12th of June by the hand of Mr. Nelson, which gave me great satisfaction to hear from you all and of your content with your country. You seem to speak of your country in the high-

est terms. And it may be altogether deserving of the applause you give. You desire me to pay you a visit and see the country. I intend, if life lasts, and no unforeseen accident should happen, to visit you sometime shortly, but perhaps not before fall, come a year. You wrote me that uncle wanted particularly to know how many sons and daughters we have. I will give them, their names and ages; Our first were twins, two daughters, names Mary and Elizabeth, aged 17 next Christmas Day. The next was a son and the last, which is 15 on next New Year's Day. Him we call John. These three are all the children we have or expect to have. I will next give you a short detail of ourselves and our situation. As for my wife, she is very healthy, but as to my part, I am but poorly and have been so for about four years. My complaint is the gravel, and of late has become very troublesome. I have a very nice piece of land, not large, but sufficient for me to live my days on, and I am tolerably well pleased with the country I live in, but would not be displeased with a better. As to religion, there are a part of us professors and part are not. My wife and myself are striving to enter in at the straight gate, and hope to be able by the grace of God. Your brother James was at my house last fall, but neither of us was at home. We were on a visit to Georgia to see my wife's mother and sisters. The last account I had of my two sisters, Polly and Betsy, they were still living in North Carolina. I have just written a few lines to your brother Jacob, living in Maury County, to give him some little information of ourselves and also of receiving a letter from you. I should be more than happy to see you all and become acquainted with my strange friends. Give my best respects to uncle and aunt and all my cousins, and be pleased to accept my warmest love and friendship yourself, and believe me to be your ever affectionate cousin and friend

Henry Goodner.

P.S. My wife desires to be remembered to uncle and aunt and all the rest of the cousins, and I want you to write me every convenient opportunity and direct them to Bedford County, Shelbyville, which is our county town. "

Addressed to: Godfrey Goodner, Esq. Illinois Territory, St. Clair County. Forwarded by Mr. Nelson.

In January of 1819 he wrote another letter to the family in Illinois, this one to his Uncle Conrad Goodner. It was also forwarded by Mr. Nelson. Henry was still residing in Bedford County, Tennessee. Copy of letter follows:-

Barron Fork of Duck, January 16, 1819.

" Dear Friends:- It is with much satisfaction I embrace the present opportunity of dropping you a few lines to let you know how we all are at present. I am living at the same place I was when I wrote you before. My family are all in good health, myself excepted, but I am much better than I have been formerly. I have but one child living with me, my youngest, which is my son. All my daughters are married and left us. Polly married a Mr. Roads and Betsy married a Mr. Frier. Cousins David and Godfrey have been to see me and I have been to see them. My daughter Betsy lived with them for nearly four months, and I should be glad to see you, and it is my determination to pay you a visit as soon as I can make it convenient. Your sons talk of going to see you about the first of June, and if they do I may possibly go with them. I should take it as a familiar and singular mark of friendship of you to write me every opportunity, as I am always glad to hear from you. Nellie and all the family send their love and compliments to you and all your family. Be pleased to receive my best respects and sincere friendship yourself, etc.

Henry Goodner. "

Addressed to:
Conrade Goodner, Illinois Territory
Forwarded by Mr. Nelson.
Marked "Received Feb. 24, 1817"

These letters were very valuable in establishing the relationship between Henry and his family to the Conrad Goodner line, and many thanks should be given to all who helped to preserve them. From this time on we lose sight of Henry. His name does not appear in the 1820 census for Bedford County, Tennessee, and it is thought that he died between the early part of 1820 and 1830. Eleanor, his wife, is shown in the 1830 census of McNairy Co., Tennessee, as living with her son, John Cunningham, where he was residing at the time. She is not shown as living with John C. in 1840 in Wayne County, Tennessee, but in the 1850 census of Tippah County, Miss., she is shown as again living with him. Her age is given as 78 and place of birth as Maryland. If 78 were her true age, it would make her year of birth as 1772; she would have been then five or six years older than Henry. At his death, Henry must have been between 43 and 53 years of age. Place of burial would be Bedford County as first guess, and McNairy County as second guess. Eleanor died between 1850 and 1860 in Tippah County, Miss.

Eleanor's mother and sisters were residing in Georgia in 1817, as stated in one of the above letters. The father must have been deceased.

According to his son, Henry was a "full blooded Black Dutch", a "hard fisted tight old German," and a "hard shelled Baptist". What was meant by "Black Dutch" is not known. No reference to such a term for that early date

could be found, although during the Civil War period and the period leading up to it, the term was used to describe those of German birth whose sympathies lay with the North.

A partial list of Henry's descendants follow immediately after the family charts of Henry and John Cunningham Goodner.

3c. Henry Goodner - (Born abt. 1776-78) - Eleanor Lokey.

1d. Mary Goodner (1800-) m: Mr. Rhoads
(Rhodes)

2d. Elizabeth Goodner (1800-) m: Garrett Fryar

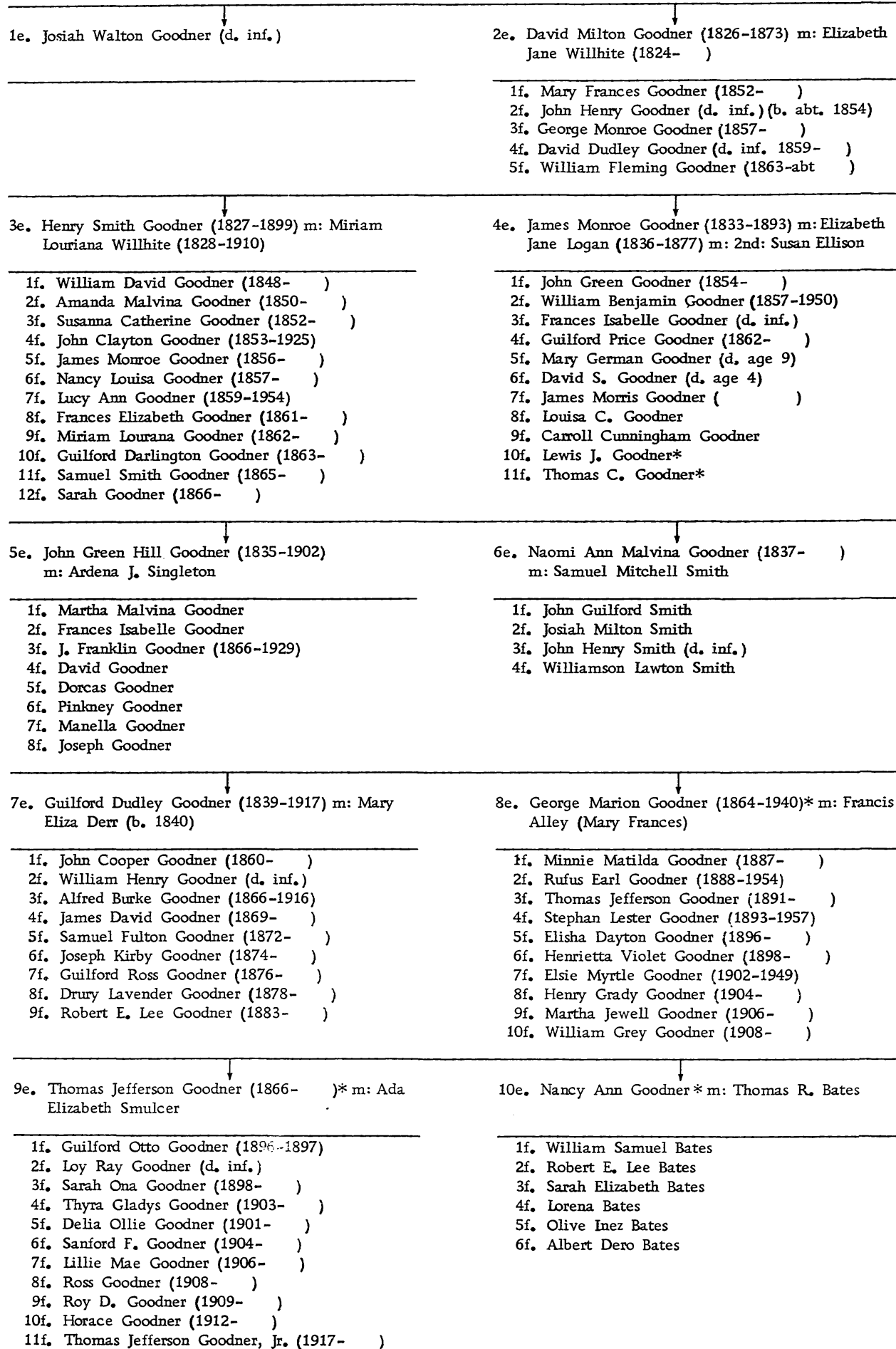
1e. Elizabeth Rhoads
(There may have been, and probably were
other children, but names are unavailable)

1e. Mary Fryar (1822-)
2e. Nancy Fryar (1824-)
3e. Eleanor Fryar (1825-)
4e. James S. Fryar (1830-)
5e. Susanna Fryar (1832-)
6e. Narcissus Fryar (1834-)
7e. Sarah Fryar (1836-)
8e. Catherine Fryar (1837-)
9e. William Fryar (1840-)
10e. David Fryar (1842-)

3d. John Cunningham Goodner (1802-1871) m: Susannah
Smith 1st: Mrs. Sarah Ann Christianberry 2nd.

1e. Josiah Walton Goodner (Died infancy)
2e. David Milton Goodner (1826-1873)
3e. Henry Smith Goodner (1827-1899)
4e. James Monroe Goodner (1833-1893)
5e. John Green Hill Goodner (1835-1902)
6e. Naomi Ann Malvina Goodner (1837-)
7e. Guilford Dudley Goodner (1839-1917)
8e. George Marion Goodner (1864-1940)
9e. Thomas Jefferson Goodner (1866-)
10e. Nancy Ann Goodner (1868 abt. -)

3d. John Cunningham Goodner (1802-1871) - Susannah Smith 1st.
- Mrs. Sarah Ann Christianberry 2nd.



* By 2nd Wife.

3c. Henry Goodner, b. abt. 1777, North Carolina, in either Orange or Guilford County. d. prior to . (See Biographical sketch.) m: Eleanor Lokey, abt. 1798/9, in North Carolina., probably dau. of John or William Lokey of Guilford Co., N.C. Dates of death and places of interment not known. Henry died abt. 1820 to 1830, and Eleanor r died after 1850.

Ch: 1d. Mary Goodner, b. 12-25-1800, North Carolina. Date of death unknown. m: Mr. Rhoads or Rhodes.

Ch: 1e. Elizabeth Rhoads, b. abt. 1882, Bedford Co., Tenn., possibly. m: Samuel Lamb. Resided in 1851 in McNairy or Hardin Co., Tenn. (There may have been other children, and probably were, but we have the name only of Elizabeth, with no further data.)

2d. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 12-25-1800, (Twin of Mary), in North Carolina, likely in Guilford Co. m: Garrett Fryar, b. abt. 1790, probable son of Isaac, Sr. Resided first in Bedford Co., Tenn., later in Tippah Co., Miss., as early as 1836. Isaac, Sr., b. abt. 1740-1745, shown in 1800 Census of Guilford Co., and also shown in 1790 census.

Ch: 1e. Mary Fryar, b. 1822, Bedford Co., Tenn. m: Julius Willhite, in Tippah Co., Miss. (b. 1818, Marion Co., Tenn.) No further data.

2e. Nancy Fryar, b. 1824, possibly in Bedford Co., Tenn. m: John Calvin Willhite, son of George and Nancy (Guinn) Willhite. (George Willhite was born 1790 in Green Co., Tenn., d. 1854/1856, Tippah Co., Miss. m: Nancy Guinn, 7-2-1822, Knox Co., Tenn., who was born 1799-1800 in North Carolina, died after 1860, Tippah Co., Miss.) Moved to Oden, Ark. No record of issue.

3e. Eleanor Fryar, b. 1825, Tennessee. m: George P. McKinney, Montgomery Co., Ark., where they made their home. Mr. McKinney, born 1832, died 1897, was one of the County's richest men. No record of issue.

4e. James S. Fryar, b. 1830, Tennessee. m: Margaret Pippin. Resided in Montgomery Co., Ark. No record of issue.

5e. Susanna Fryar, b. 1832, Tennessee. m: E.W. Baker in Montgomery Co., Ark. Probably continued to reside there. No further record.

6e. Narcissus Fryar, b. 1834. Died unmarried.

7e. Sarah Fryar, b. 1836, Tippah Co., Miss. m: Elijah Wood (or Woods) in Montgomery Co., Ark. Probably continued to reside there. No further record.

8e. Catherine Fryar, b. 1837, Tippah Co., Miss. m: Nicholas Gentry in Montgomery Co., Ark. Probably resided there. No further record.

9e. William Fryar, b. 1840, Tippah Co., Miss. Resided in Montgomery Co., Ark., and had the reputation of being a great story teller. Single.

10e. David Fryar, b. 1842, Tippah Co., Miss. Single.

3d. John Cunningham Goodner, b. 12-31-1802, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 9-26-1871, at Oden, Ark., Montgomery Co. m: 1st: Susanna Smith, 1-22-1822, in Tennessee. Susanna was born 8-26-1804. d. 2-10-1863, Oden, Ark., dau. of John C. Smith, who about 1820 moved to Bedford Co., Tenn., in 1835 to Wayne Co., Tenn., and in Feb. of 1842 to Tippah Co., Miss. On October of 1851, he moved to Montgomery Co., Ark., where he died Sept. 26, 1871. (From an article in the possession of Mrs. Wenzola Kiger of Chattanooga, Tenn.) m: 2nd: Mrs. Sarah Ann Christianberry nee Vandever, born 1830 in South Carolina, who survived him.

There has been some conjecture as to where his father got the name of "John Cunningham". It would be easy to explain the name John, since that was the apparent name of Henry's grandfather, but the name "Cunningham" has been a matter of interest. One of his descendants, Norman Goodner, of Waldon, Ark., has brought up the suggestion that he may have been named for the John Cunningham who was a prominent early settler in Guilford County and who received a grant of land in Guilford County from Lord Granville in the year 1753, the grant consisting of 640 acres. There is a very strong possibility that this was so, and the question arises then the reason of so doing. It might have been due to the fact that Henry was working for John Cunningham, and maybe had been befriended by him in some way as to receive his gratitude. Another possibility that must be considered is that of relationship. Henry's mother, Mary, could have been a Cunningham. An interesting point is that there was a John Cunningham who settled in Switzerland County, Ind., in 1817, two years after Jacob Goodner settled there, along with Whites and Smiths. They all could have come from Guilford County. Jacob married a Hester White, the Smiths were married into the Scherer family, and the Cunningham tied with Henry, at least so far as the name is concerned. In the nearby county of Union, Indiana, another of a familiar Guilford County name settled, one also allied with the Scherers, a John Jordan, antedating the arrival of Jacob Goodner by a couple of years. A short distance from Switzerland, Dearborn, and Ohio Counties in Indiana, lies Preble County, Ohio, where Christian Scherer and John Jacob Scherer, brothers of Elizabeth Goodner, and where Walter Goodner, Jacob's brother, settled. It appears that they may have all migrated to this section of the country together.

John C. accompanied his parents to Bedford Co., Tenn., where on Jan. 22nd, 1822, he married Susannah (Susanna) Smith, a daughter of John C. Smith, who moved to Bedford Co., in 1820. He probably lived in Bedford Co. for a while, but in 1830 we find him residing in McNairy County, Tenn., where the census returns for that year show him with three children, one girl between the ages of ten



John Cunningham Goodner
(Courtesy Mrs. David K. Tudor)

and fifteen and two sons under five. Besides his wife, there is shown a female in the 60 to 70 age bracket, which likely was his mother.

The two sons shown would have been David Milton and Henry Smith, born in 1826 and 1827 respectively, - but who was the young girl aged ten to fifteen? He had no children that age; she may have been a younger sister to his wife, living with them temporarily. In 1840 he was in the County of Wayne, Tennessee, the Census Returns for that year showing him with his five sons and one daughter. The aged female was not shown, and if she was his mother, where was she staying at the time; or could this woman have been his mother-in-law staying with him while the 1840 census was being taken? In the 1850 Census Returns, his name is shown as residing in Tippah County, Miss. In this report it shows his mother, Elinor, age 78, giving her place of birth as Maryland, and his wife's place of birth as Georgia. Later in the 1860 Census Returns, when they were residing in Montgomery County, Ark., her birth place is given as North Carolina.

Susannah, his wife, died Feb. 10th, 1863, in Oden, Montgomery Co., Ark. Within a few months he married a Mrs. Sarah Ann Christianberry, nee Vandever, by whom he had three children, making ten in all.

John C. was a tanner and farmer, having had his apprenticeship in tanning with David Goodner of Huntsville, Alabama, a first cousin of his father. This must have been prior to his marriage to Susanna. He followed farming principally, and lived out his days in Montgomery County, Ark., passing away Sept. 26th, 1871, at the age of 68 years and some months, interment being in or near Oden, Ark. His wife, Sarah, survived him, and she continued to reside in Montgomery Co.

From stories handed down by his children and grandchildren, John C. was a quaint character. He spoke with the typical "Dutch brogue", or Pennsylvania Dutch", which is the language the Germans used back in North Carolina. He had the reputation of being a "tight fisted old Dutchman", but he apparently came by this rightly, however, since his father, Henry, was notorious for his acquisitiveness and "stinginess". One story goes to the effect that when John C. was courting his future wife he was made to walk the five miles that separated their homes barefoot, winter and summer, and only put on his shoes, which he had to carry, as he approached her house. He was required to make a pair of shoes do a year. I have that story from Mrs. David K. Tudor, as well as others to go along with it.

He was what was known as a "hard shelled" Baptist. To go to his church he had to cross over a mountain on horseback, and at one place on the road he always met the same man going to Oden to the Methodist Church to worship. After they had greeted each other briefly - John C. talked little - and they started to resume their separate ways, John C. would always say, "Ever duck to his own puddle."

He was rather hard on his family, and drove them to work in the wee hours of the morning, telling them that the day was half spent. I quote below a letter written by J. G. Goodner in 1935 to his son, Carl Curtis Goodner, both deceased:-

"Tulia, Texas.
Jan. 26th, 1935.

Dear Carl:-

Yes, I knew my grandfather well, worked with him most of the time from the close of the Civil War until his death and lived with him the last two years - he was 68 and 69 - he was 5 feet 8 in. tall, weighed 160 and always walked fast whether in a hurry or not; had a thick under lip and it stuck out just a little so that he looked a little grouchy; fact is his boys called him old mullygrub behind his back, but it seems I was his pet grandson and he told me many things he had never told his own sons. He told me his father was a full blood Black Dutch and could not speak English good at all; he also told me his father thought more of his live stock than he did of his family. He made grandfather go bare foot winter and summer until nearly grown, and even then only allowed him one pair of shoes a year.

And even while sparking Grandmother (they lived 5 mi. apart) he carried his shoes in his hands until he got near her home in order to make them last all year for Sunday. Yes, we sprang from hard working, honest, stingy old Dutch forebears, not much to be proud of but nothing to be ashamed of, even Grandfather was called stingy by some of his neighbors. I think it was because he made

more money than they did and would not give it away.

Yes, I think you had better stop spending money on it, digging up these old records will not do us any good except the pleasure of knowing it and money is too hard to get to spend it for pleasure.

Your mama's toes are blistering again like they did last winter. She used her hot water bottle two nights, possibly that started it. All well otherwise.

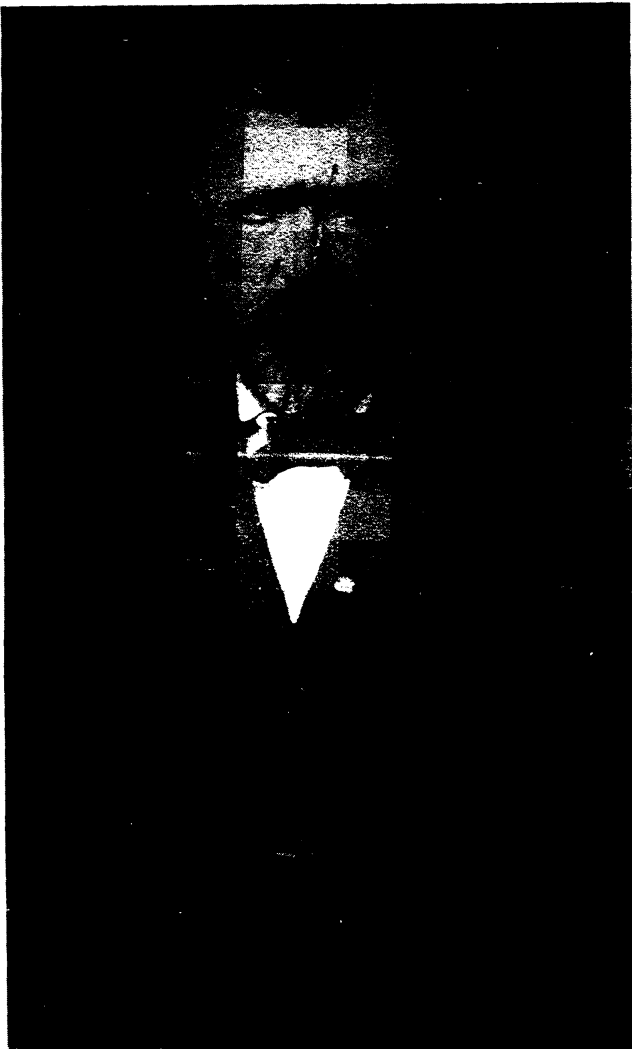
J. G. Goodner "

John Cunningham Goodner and Susanna Smith had seven children, six of whom lived to maturity.

- Ch: 1e. Josiah Walton Goodner, b. 1824, d. infancy.
- 2e. David Milton Goodner, b. 2-4-1826, Bedford Co., Tenn. d. 3-18-1873, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Elizabeth Jane Willhite*, 8-18-1851, Tippah Co., Miss. (b. 1824, dau. of George & Nancy Guinn Willhite of Tippah Co., Miss.) Resided in Montgomery Co., Ark. Farmer.
- Ch: 1f. Mary Francis Goodner, b. 4-3-1852, Date of death unknown, m: William H. Jackson, abt. 1870. Resided in Porum, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. David Goodner Jackson, b. 10-12-1872. m: Aurillee Grant, abt. 1892/3.
- Ch: 1h. James Henry Jackson, b. 2-25-1894.
- 2h. Frances Rosalie Jackson, b. 11-14-1896.
- 3h. Mattie Elizabeth Jackson, b. 2-14-1898.
- 4h. Robert Lee Jackson, b. 5-1-1901.
- 5h. Florence Jackson, b. 10-15-1903.
- 6h. Martin Wesley Jackson, b. 7-20-1905.
- 7h. Bessie Jackson, b. 6-23-1907.
- 2g. James Leonard Jackson, b. 3-13-1874, m: Beatrice Smith.
- Ch: 1h. Ada Lorene Jackson, b. 6-11-1897.
- 2h. Mary Eveline Jackson, b. 9-30-1906.
- 3g. George Thomas Jackson, b. 4-3-1876, m: 1st: Arkie Nation.
- Ch: 1h. Fannie Arkie Jackson, b. 6-1-1900.
- m: 2nd: Florence McCrary.
- Ch: 2h. Josey Jackson, b. 10-12-1905.
- 3h. Dora Jackson, b. 1-5-1907.
- 4h. William Jackson, b. 9-13-1908.
- 4g. Violet Allen Jackson, b. 5-14-1878, m: 1st: Wesley Pierce, abt. 1893.
- Ch: 1h. Lennie Mabel Pierce, b. 4-3-1895.
- 2h. Roy Wesley Pierce, b. 10-24-1897.
- m: 2nd: Joseph Noles.
- 3h. Dollie Irene Noles, b. 1-10-1907.
- 4h. Cleva Vivian Noles, b. 3-13-1909.
- 5g. William Martin Jackson, b. 2-23-1880, m: Grace Thompson, abt. 1905.
- Ch: 1h. Jack Thompson Jackson, b. 6-26-1907.
- 6g. John Walker Jackson, b. 1-15-1882, m: Vacey Hickman, abt. 1901.
- Ch: 1h. Mona Alice Jackson, b. 8-30-1903.
- 7g. Myra Frances Jackson, b. 8-3-1885, m: Odey Wayt, abt. 1901.
- Ch: 1h. Don Carlos Wayt, b. 11-11-1902.
- 2h. Ruby Wayt, b. 1-14-1904.
- 3h. Violet Wayt, b. 10-14-1906.
- 4h. Stella Wayt, b. 8-30-1908.
- 8g. Joseph Henry Jackson, d. infancy.
- 9g. Cleveland Sullivan Jackson, b. 4-9-1890.
- 10g. Mattie Beatrice Jackson, b. 8-11-1892.
- 2f. John Henry Goodner, b. abt. 1854, d. infancy.
- 3f. George Monroe Goodner, b. 4-15-1857, m: Myra Chester, Scott Co., Ark.
- Ch: 1g. John Wilburn Goodner, Deceased, m: Fronie Buchanan.
- Ch: 1h. L. Waymon Goodner, Res: 1551 Carroll, Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 2g. William Robert Goodner, b. 11-8-1879, m: Liza Walls (b. 6-20-1889.) Res: Boles, Scott County, Ark.
- Ch: 1h. Norman Goodner, b. 2-13-1908, Boles, Scott Co., Ark, County and Circuit Clerk for Scott Co. m: Dorothy Greene, 10-8-1938. (b. 7-23-1915, dau. George and Rose Greene.) Methodist. Res: Waldron, Ark.
- Ch: 1i. Donald Scott Goodner, b. 2-24-1942.
- 2i. Charles Eugene Goodner, b. 9-5-1944.

*See Appendix

- 2h. Orval K. Goodner, b. 6-19-1910, Scott Co., Ark. Res: Waldron, Ark.
- 3h. Irma Goodner, b. 9-12-1912, Scott Co., Ark. m: Mr. Holliman. Res: Boles, Scott Co., Ark.
- 4h. Hassie Goodner, b. 5-18-1918, Scott Co., Ark. m: Mr. Milner. Res: Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 3g. Etta Goodner, b. abt. 1881. m: Albert Smith. Res: Ft. Worth, Texas.
- 4g. Ross E. Goodner, b. abt. 1883. m: Nancy Walls. Res: Iowa Park, Texas.
- 5g. Fleming G. Goodner, b. abt. 1885, m: Julia Slagle. Res: Sasakwa, Okla.
- 5g. Guilford G. Goodner, Res: Mena, Ark. Dec'd.
- 7g. Georgia Goodner, m: Mr. Watson, Res: Antioch, Calif.
- 8g. Minnie Goodner, Deceased, m: Mr. Frost.
Ch: 1h. Letha Frost, m: Mr. Gilley. Lives in Oklahoma.
- 4f. David Dudley Goodner, b. 1859, d. in childhood.
- 5f. William Fleming Goodner, b. ab. 1863, m: Emma Jackson.
Ch: 1g. Marie Axie Goodner, b. 8-21-1886. m: William T. Daugherty, 1-1-1906.
Ch: 1h. Rose Iva Daugherty, b. 10-2-1906.
2h. John Fleming Daugherty, b. 9-13-1908.
- 2g. George David Goodner, b. 8-29-1888. d. 4-30-1910. No issue.
- 3g. Thomas Leonard Goodner, b. 11-17-1890.
- 4g. William Wesley Goodner, b. 11-30-1892.
- 5g. Charles Little Goodner, b. 1-18-1895, d. 9-8-1904.
- 6g. Francis Whitney Goodner, b. 5-31-1898.
- 7g. Albert Victor Goodner, b. 6-19-1902.
- 8g. Joseph Fleming Goodner, b. 9-14-1904.
- 9g. Maggie Magdalene Goodner, b. 12-22-1906.
- 10g. Beatrice Ruth Goodner, b. 4-24-1909.
- 3e. Henry Smith Goodner, b. 11-5-1827, Bedford Co., Tenn. d. 3-14-1899 in Oden, Ark. Fought with Union Forces in the Civil War, with four brothers on the Confederate side. Was Sheriff on Montgomery Co., Ark., from 1876 to 1882. m: Miriam Lorrana Willhite*, 2-10-1848, Tippah Co. Miss. (b. 6-22-1828, Alabama. d. 2-14-1910, Oden, Ark. Dau. of George and Nancy Guinn Willhite.) Res: Montgomery Co., Ark.
Ch: 1f. William David Goodner, b. 1848, in Tippah Co., Miss. m: Elizabeth Tannehill, abt. 1868. Resided in Ark.
Ch: 1g. Sarah Lorena Goodner, b. 8-2-1869, Ark. m: Andrew J. Plemmons. Merchant & Bank Pres. in Mena, Ark.
Ch: 1h. Leroy Plemmons, b. 12-17-1887.
2h. Mattie Evaline Plemmons, b. 11-14-1889
3h. Ovie Belle Plemmons, b. 6-22-1892.
4h. William Porter Plemmons, b. 2-10-1897.
5h. Ethel Leota Plemmons, b. 12-22-1900
6h. Andrew Jackson Plemmons, b. 11-20-1905.
7h. Robert Earl Plemmons, b. 3-15-1910
- 2g. Se Belle Goodner, b. 2-23-1871. m: C. A. Snider, 1893.
Ch: 1h. Arthur Snider, b. 2-12-1894.
2h. Eva Snider, b. 1-22-1896.
3h. Ovia Snider, b. 2-8-1898.
4h. Velmer Snider, b. 1-12-1900
5h. Elmer Snider, b. 1-12-1900)Twins
6h. Dora Snider, b. 11-16-1904.
7h. Ira Snider, b. 9-9-1907.
- 3g. Joseph Newton Goodner, b. 11-6-1872. m: Mary Mathuse, 1893. Res: Oden, Ark. Mr. Goodner living with daughter, Mrs. Matt Reed in Oden, Ark.



Henry Smith Goodner
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- Ch: 1h. Clara Goodner, b. 12-12-1893.
 2h. Eva Goodner, b. 7-14-1896.
 3h. Iva Goodner, b. 2-10-1904.
- 4g. David Goodner, b. 1-27-1875. m: Lou Ellison, 12-18-1895.
 Ch: 1h. Maudie Goodner, b. 1-1-1898.
- 5g. Mary E. Goodner, b. 4-12-1877. m: S. N. Brewer, Feb. 1904. No record.
- 6g. John Calvin Goodner, b. 1-27-1879. Deceased. m: Sallie Ellison, 1901.
 Mrs. Goodner resides in Snyder, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Clarence Goodner, b. 1-17-1902.
 2h. Milton Goodner, b. 1-12-1904.
 3h. Walter Goodner, b. 11-3-1906.
 4h. William D. Goodner, b. 11-18-1908.
 5h. Mike Goodner. Resides in Frederick, Okla.
- 7g. Henry S. Goodner, b. 1-12-1881. m: 1st: Artie McCall, 1900.
 Ch: 1h. Clinton Goodner, b. 8-25-1901.
 m: 2nd: Ida Brewer.
 Ch: 2h. Grace Alena Goodner, b. 12-10-1908.
- 8g. Helen Goodner, b. 3-6-1884. m: Joseph Price, 1908.
 Ch: 1h. Senator Joe Price, b. 3-1-1908.
- 2f. Amanda Malvina Goodner, b. 1850, Tippah Co., Miss. Place of residence not known, and dates of death not known. m: James L. Wilson, abt. 1870.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Elizabeth Wilson, b. 6-23-1872. No data.
 2g. Rhoda Susanna Wilson, b. 1-27-1874. No data.
 3g. Lillie May Wilson, b. 8-25-1876. No data.
 4g. Joseph Henry Wilson, b. 11-13-1877. No data.
 5g. Maud Louisa Wilson, b. 12-20-1879. m: J. H. Reagan, 5-3-1896.
 Ch: 1h. James Arthur Reagan, b. 3-17-1897.
 2h. Lourana Catherine Reagan, b. 9-21-1898. d. 8-6-1905.
 3h. Orphie Reagan, b. 9-26-1901. d. 10-16-1903.
 4h. Joseph Atha Reagan, b. 3-2-1903.
 5h. Walter Lee Reagan, b. 3-20-1905.
 6h. Jessie T. Reagan, b. 11-10-1907.
 7h. Marvin Edward Reagan, b. 12-12-1908.
- 6g. Miriam Lourana Wilson, b. 3-2-1881. m: J. H. Wilson, 1-19-1899. Res: in Strawn, Palo Pinto Co., Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Aaron Lafayette Wilson, b. 8-27-1900.
 2h. Iva Mae Wilson, b. 7-24-1902.
 3h. Guilford Donaldson Wilson, b. 3-17-1904.
 4h. Etna Mabeline Wilson, b. 3-26-1906.
 5h. William Ausbury Wilson, b. 3-21-1907.
 6h. Joseph Samuel Wilson, b. 10-14-1909.
- 7g. John Luther Wilson, b. 7-7-1883. m: Josie C. Stinnett, 3-9-1902.
 Ch: 1h. James Williams Wilson, b. 3-25-1903. d. 7-16-1903.
 2h. Lloyd Lafayette Wilson, b. 3-9-1905.
 3h. Earl Alexander Wilson, b. 11-6-1907.
 4h. Ishmael Wilson, b. 4-24-1909.
- 8g. Jones Morris Wilson, b. 7-4-1887.
- 3f. Susanna Catherine Goodner, b. abt. 1852, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Martin V. Jackson. Res: Oden, Montgomery Co., Ark.
 Ch: 1g. Amanda Emaline Jackson, b. 11-4-1873. m: Charles Hill, 8-27-1893.
 Ch: 1h. Pinkney Hill, b. 5-17-1897.
 2h. Alice Hill, b. 12-13-1901.
 3h. Martin Hill, b. 3-30-1905.
 4h. Albert Hill, b. 3-31-1908.
- 2g. Miriam Lorena Jackson, b. 2-2-1875. m: Thomas J. Leonard, 10-12-1893.
 Ch: 1h. Clair Benjamin Leonard, b. 11-17-1897.
 2h. Martin Melvin Leonard, b. 4-7-1900.
 3h. Mannie Luster Leonard, b. 9-16-1901.
 4h. Dee L. Leonard, b. 3-5-1903.
 5h. Minnie Lester Leonard, b. 8-28-1907.
 6h. John Bratcher Leonard, b. 3-9-1909.
- 3g. Thomas Guilford Jackson, b. 10-15-1876. m: Dora Singleton, 7-28-1901.
 Ch: 1h. Susan Annie Jackson, b. 8-29-1902.
 2h. Marvin Nestor Jackson, b. 12-17-1907.

- 3h. Ava Jackson, b. 12-12-1905.
- 4g. Mary Elizabeth Jackson, b. 10-15-1876. m: Pinkney E. Kelly, 12-25-1895.
Ch: 1h. James Herbert Kelly, b. 12-10-1896.
2h. Thomas Herman Kelly, b. 10-21-1898.
3h. Robert Hervey Kelly, b. 2-1-1900.
4h. Etna Inez Kelly, b. 7-14-1902.
5h. Phil Cannon Kelly, b. 9-27-1905.
6h. Edith Tupsey Kelly, b. 9-12-1907.
7h. Blake Kelly, b. 12-9-1909.
8h. Lake Kelly, b. 12-9-1909.
- 5g. Charles Pinkney Jackson, b. 5-27-1879. m: German Fryar. Deceased prior to 1905.
Ch: 1h. Willie Martin Jackson, b. 3-10-1901.
m: 2nd: Idella Creps, 12-10-1905
Ch: 2h. Rena May Jackson, b. 5-9-1907.
3h. Irvin Jackson, b. 12-7-1908.
- 6g. William Henry Jackson, b. 3-6-1881. Died prior to 1910.
- 7g. Martin Leonard Jackson, No data.
- 8g. Anna Ellen Jackson, b. 3-17-1883. m: Cleveland E. Kelly, 11-20-1904.
Ch: 1h. Earl Kelly, b. 12-18-1905.
2h. Ovie L. Kelly, b. 4-20-1907.
3h. Iva June Kelly, b. 6-27-1908.
- 9g. John Wayman Jackson, b. 6-10-1885. m: Maud Fair, 7-16-1905.
Ch: 1h. Darrell Glen Jackson, b. 3-14-1907.
2h. Edgar Floyd Jackson, b. 1-24-1909.
- 10g. Samuel Franklin Jackson, b. 3-3-1887. m: Annie McCoy, 12-30-1908.
Ch: 1h. Margie C. Jackson, b. 10-10-1909.
Probably other children, but do not have their names.
- 11g. Andrew B. Jackson, b. 12-22-1888. No data.
- 12g. Liddie Pearl Jackson, b. 2-14-1891. No data.
- 13g. Ida Louisa Jackson, b. 12-21-1892. No data.
- 4f. John Clayton Goodner, b. 12-22-1853, Montgomery Co., Ark. d. 1-16-1925, Montgomery Co., Ark., Waters. m: Louisa Crawford, 8-18-1872. Res: Mont. Co., Ark.
Ch: 1g. Robert Dee Goodner, b. 11-20-1873, Oden, Ark. d. 1925 in Oklahoma City, Okla. Farmer. m: Hattie Elizabeth Hilton, 4-7-1895. (b. 9-18-1877, d. August 1957, Oklahoma City, Okla.)
Ch: 1h. Arthur H. Goodner, b. 3-30-1896. Res: Albuquerque, N.M.
2h. James W. Goodner, b. 11-5-1897. No data.
3h. John Oliver Goodner, b. 12-6-1899, at Mena, Ark. Government Maintenance. Baptist. m: Vesa Viola Cloer, 10-10-1921. (b. 7-25-1904, dau. John C. Cloer) Res: 1171 N.E. 23rd St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
Ch: 1i. Ollie J. Goodner, b. 6-9-1923. Res: 633 S.W. 49th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
2i. Maziel L. Goodner, b. 3-17-1925. m: Mrs. Wilkens. Res: 1211 E. Willetta, Phoenix, Ariz.
3i. Robert Dee Goodner, b. 2-16-1927. Res: 4024 W. Park Pl., Oklahoma City, Okla.
4i. John Calvin Goodner, b. 2-1-1930. Res: 1171 N.E. 23rd St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
5i. Cleveland H. Goodner, b. 11-8-1931. Res: 3027 N.W. 19th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
6i. Billie D. Goodner b. 10-20-1933. Residing at home.
7i. Jerry D. Goodner, b. 12-4-1939. Residing at home.
8i. Anna Louise Goodner, b. 8-24-1941. Res. at home.
- 4h. Silleta L. Goodner, b. 9-17-1901. No data.
- 5h. Otis Hezekiah Goodner, b. 8-19-1904, Waters, Pine Ridge, Ark. Res: 1959 - Glorieta, N.M. m: Effie May Foster, 10-12-1922. (b. 8-6-1904, dau. James W. Foster.)
Ch: 1i. J. M. Goodner, b. 3-18-1925, Oklahoma City, Okla. Minister in Missionary Baptist Church. Army from 1945 to 1950. m: Helen S. Gardner, 1-27-1947, at Albuquerque, N.M. (b. 3-6-1924, dau. of Ross N. Gardner. Res: 1843 Key Pl., El Cerrito, Calif.

- Ch: 1j. Leah Ellen Goodner, b. 3-1-1953,
2j. Teresa Gayle Goodner, b. 2-8-1958.
- 2i. Jack W. Goodner, b. 5-13-1931, Oklahoma City, Okla., High School Counselor, Baptist, m: Frieda M. Flook, 9-1-1951, (b. 10-10-1931, dau. Lester P. and Helen Flook,) Res: 6118 Zimmerman, Albuq., M.M.
Ch: 1j. Jackie Wayne Goodner, b. 11-14-1953,
2j. Steven Carey Goodner, b. 3-26-1957.
- 6h. Eliza. Zab. Goodner, b. 5-4-1907, d. 6-29-1909.
- 7h. Walter Adolph Goodner, b. 6-24-1910, at Weatherford, Okla. m: Lucille Osborne. (b. 7-6-1913, dau. C. L. Osborne.) Res: 133 3/4 S. 4th St., Monte Bello, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Walter Adolph Goodner, Jr., b. 3-30-1931, Okla., City, Okla., Truck Driver, Baptist, m: Laura Wilkins (b. 7-11-1931, dau. of C. L. Wilkins,) Res: 2409 Knox Dr., Oklahoma City, 15, Okla.
Ch: 1j. Renie Goodner, b. 12-11-1949, Oklahoma City, Okla.
2i. Connie Sue Goodner, b. 3-12-1934, at Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Sherman Eugene Finchum, 11-21-1951, (b. 11-23-1929, son of Lawrence W.) Service Station Owner, Baptist, Res: Rt. #9, Box 578, Oklahoma City, Okla. Ch: None
- 8h. William Woodrow Goodner, b. 6-27-1917, Okarchee, Okla., Cook, Baptist, Res: 142-1/2 S. Berendo, L.A., Calif, m:-----
Ch: 1i. William Woodrow Goodner, Jr., b. 11-27-1939,
2i. Gerald Lee Goodner, b. 12-18-1941,)
3i. Geraldine Marie Goodner, b. 12-18-1941,) Twins
- 9h. Thomas Hampton Goodner, Residing in New Jersey.
- 10h. Rodger Eugene Goodner, Res: 4517 N.W. 11th St., Okla. City, Okla.
- 11h. Lyline Eliz. Goodner, Res: 101 N.E. 14th St., Okla. City, Okla.
- 2g. Amanda E. Goodner, b. 5-11-1876, m: M. E. Ratliff, 8-20-1893.
Ch: 1h. Walter Ratliff, b. 8-14-1894, d. childhood,
2h. John Ross Ratliff, b. 12-14-1896.
3h. C. D. Ratliff, b. 3-21-1899, d. childhood,
4h. Goldie Q. Ratliff, b. 9-5-1901,
5h. Elbert Otho Ratliff, b. 3-11-1903,
6h. Susie Opal Ratliff, b. 4-5-1907.
- 3g. Lucy I. Goodner, b. 10-22-1878. m: Thomas Shields, 4-14-1895.
Ch: 1h. Fannie Shields, b. 8-27-1897.
- 4g. Mary C. Goodner, b. 4-6-1881, m: N. F. Doyel, 9-25-1901.
Ch: 1h. Beatrice Irene Doyel, b. 10-13-1903,
2h. Nathan S. Doyel, b. 9-6-1905,
3h. Edith A. Doyel, b. 4-3-1907,
4h. Zula B. Doyel, b. 2-28-1909.
- 5g. Nancy L. Goodner, b. 8-29-1883, No data.
- 6g. Miriam Z. Goodner, b. 2-28-1886, m: R. F. Maddox, 7-7-1901.
Ch: 1h. Jewell Cleo Maddox, b. 10-14-1902,
2h. Delbert H. Maddox, b. 3-29-1904,
3h. Otis Maddox, b. 9-20-1905,
4h. Myrtle B. Maddox, b. 9-25-1906,
5h. Brice I. Maddox, b. 11-15-1909.
- 7g. Charity W. Goodner, b. 10-2-1889, m: Wiley Lawrence, 12-28-1908.
No further record.
- 8g. Susie S. Goodner, b. 12-10-1891, No data.
- 9g. Mattie A. Goodner, b. 10-9-1897, No data.
- 5f. James Monroe Goodner, b. abt. 1856, m: Charity A. Kinkaid, 10-30-1878. Evidently resided in Oklahoma.
Ch: 1g. Walter Alvin Goodner, b. abt. 1880, Was in the wholesale grocery business with brother, Finley, in Tulsa, Okla., in 1924, under the trade name of "Griffin-Goodner Grocery Co.", W.A. Goodner, V.P., J.F. Goodner, Secretary-Treas. Mailing address was P.O. Box 483. No record of issue.

- 2g. Zebede Goodner,
 3g. J. Finley Goodner,
 4g. Etna Goodner,
 5g. Bessie Goodner.
- 6f. Nancy Louisa Goodner, b. abt. 1857. m: Samuel S. Garrett.
 Ch: 1g. Lafayette Garrett, b. 10-4-1878.
 2g. Caleb Garrett, b. 2-10-1880.
 3g. Lucy Garrett, b. 2-3-1881. m: Alfred Maddox, 12-13-1902. No record of issue.
 4g. John Garrett, b. 11-26-1883.
 5g. Waymon Garrett, b. 11-25-1884. m: Effie Bates, 10-23-1905.
 Ch: 1h. Ray Garrett, b. 3-9-1906.
 2h. Ora Garrett, b. 3-19-1908.
 6g. Laura Garrett, b. 2-8-1886.
 7g. Clifford Garrett, b. 4-5-1887. m: Sarah Gilliam, 9-5-1906.
 8g. Thomas Garrett, b. 8-27-1888.
 9g. Kirby Garrett, b. 4-23-1891.
 10g. Hattie Garrett, b. 11-9-1889.
 11g. Wilburn Garrett, b. 10-11-1896.
 12g. Martha Garrett, b. 11-20-1892.
- 7f. Lucy Ann Goodner, b. 10-11-1859, Oden, Ark. d. 2-29-1954, Dallas, Texas, m: Dr. William Benjamin Goodner, M.D. (b. 8-3-1857, Montgomery Co., Ark. d. 2-26-1950, Dublin, Texas. Son of James Monroe Goodner.) Res: Dublin, Texas.
 Ch: 1g. Ada Eudora Goodner, b. 7-9-1879, Oden Ark. d. 2-6-1902, Dublin, Tex. m: Robert Lee Hickey*, (b. 12-29-1871. d. 1-15-1949, Dublin, Texas, son of William Shelby Hickey and Lennie Batey.)
 Ch: 1h. Lessie Adelia Hickey, b. 9-5-1898. m: David Kavanaugh Tudor, b. 1897. d. 11-5-1957, Dallas, Texas. Born Pecos, Reeves Co., Texas. Interment Hillcrest Mausoleum, Dallas, Texas. Grad. Texas Christian Univ. Auditor for O.K. Theatres for 30 years. W.W.L. Member of East Dallas Christian Church. Mason, Knights Templar, Shriner. Mrs. Tudor res. at the family home, 1232 Lausanne, Dallas, Texas. No issue.
 (For additional data under "Dr. William Benjamin Goodner" look under name of James Monroe Goodner. Page 100)
- 8f. Frances Elizabeth Goodner, b. 1861, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: James H. Pullen, 9-30-1880. Res: Oden, Ark.
 Ch: 1g. Ollie Lee Pullen, b. 7-15-1883.
 2g. Joseph Franklin Pullen, b. 2-22-1884. m: Etta Taylor, 9-1-1907.
 3g. Avy Monterie Pullen, b. 3-1-1885. m: Moses Simpson, 7-15-1906.
 Ch: 1h. Alton B. Parker Simpson, b. 9-25-1907.
 4g. Sam Smith Pullen, b. 4-17-1886.
 5g. John Arthur Pullen, b. 3-8-1888. m: Etta Willhite*, 10-11-1909.
 6g. Charles Richard Pullen, b. 3-5-1889.
 7g. Lessie Jean Pullen, b. 1-12-1893.
 8g. Hanna May Pullen, b. 5-25-1898.
 9g. Hattie Pullen, b. 7-24-1905.
 10g. Henrietta Pullen, b. 11-20-1891.
 11g. William Calvin Pullen, b. 8-20-1895.
 12g. Fannie Irene Pullen, b. 4-25-1903.
- 9f. Miriam Lourana Goodner, b. 1862, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: John W. Hickey, 12-2-1880.
 Ch: 1g. Dora Parthenia Hickey, b. 10-15-1885. m: Ira Bell,
 Ch: 1h. Ruth Bell, b. 12-23-1903.
 2h. Earl Bell, b. 4-23-1905.
 3h. Emma Bell, b. 11-24-1907.
 4h. Madge Bell, b. 9-23-1909.
 2g. James Pinkney Hickey, b. 9-29-1888. m: Pearl Taylor, 2-24-1906.
 Ch: 1h. Altrice Hickey, b. 11-24-1908.
 2h. Otis Hickey, b. 3-13-1909.
 3g. Lucy Emma Hickey, b. 12-3-1887.
 4g. Guilford Smith Hickey, b. 11-1-1891.
- 10f. Guilford Darlington Goodner, b. 6-19-1866, Montgomery Co., Ark. Name also spelled "Gilford". d. 6-3-1940, Oden, Ark. m: Martha Sarah Giles, 12-29-1885.

*See Appendix.

- (d. 8-27-1948) Resided in Oden, Montgomery Co., Ark.
- Ch: 1g. Clyde Eric Goodner, b. 3-1-1888, d. abt. 1950. Clerk and various other occupations. Episcopalian. Resided in Oden, Ark. m: 1st: Nola Kaiser, who was part Indian, dau. Lula Kaiser of Spiro, Okla., on Aug. 1917. m: 2nd: Lucille Ball, a widow. No issue by either marriage.
- 2g. Albert Benjamin Goodner, b. 1-15-1891, Oden, Ark. m: 1st: Chloris Hill (b. 11-14-1905, dau. John and Victoria Hill.) A second marriage for Chloris. Div'd.
- Ch: 1h. Charles Lindy Goodner, b. 2-25-1928, Cowlington, Okla. Refrigeration technician. Member California National Guard, m: Edith L. Kendrick, 6-11-1949, at Las Vegas, Nev. (b. 2-7-1931, dau. Johnnie Brown and Jetty Isaac Kendrick.) Res: 913 EL Tejon Ave., Oildale, Calif. No issue.
- 2h. Morris Gilford Goodner, b. 12-18-1929, at Cowlington, Okla. Aircraft Inspector. Army, 3 years. Baptist. m: Billie Jean Myers, 1-23-1950. (b. 9-16-1931, dau. H. J. Myers of Comanche, Okla.) Res: 1930 Ft. Worth St., Grand Prairie, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Vanessa Ann Goodner, b. 12-25-1950.
2i. Barbara Faye Goodner, b. 6-24-1952.
3i. Deborah Lynn Goodner, b. 6-11-1955.
- 3h. Lois Ann Goodner, b. 4-5-1932, Cowlington, Okla. m: Paul Wyatt Ford, 10-3-1952, at Las Vegas, Nev. (b. 8-6-1923, son of Charles Ford of Tennessee.) Bus Driver. Southern Baptist. Served in Marines. Res: 134 Rosemont Blvd., San Gab., Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Phillip Craig Ford, b. 5-11-1954.
- Albert Benjamin Goodner m: 2nd: ----- Res: 2206 Ariz., Dallas, Tex.
- Ch: 4h. Dora Blanche Goodner.
5h. Corrine Goodner,
6h. Albert Benjamin Goodner, Jr.
- 3g. Royal Edwin Goodner, b. 2-17-1896, Oden, Ark. d. 8-30-1957, Oden, Ark. m: Hattie ----- (b. 3-26-1894.) Mrs. Goodner is residing in Oden, Ark. No record of issue.
- 4g. Blanche Louise Goodner, b. 8-5-1901. No data.
- 5g. Madge Lourene Goodner, b. 7-20-1906. No data.
- 11f. Samuel Smith Goodner, b. abt. 1865, Montgomery Co., Ark. d. 11-23-1952. m: Raphey Ella Godbehere, 6-15-1902. (b. 12-4-1885, dau. Thomas and Roah Godbehere.) Resided in Oden, Ark., where widow is presently residing.
- Ch: 1g. Thelma Elmira Goodner, b. 12-16-1902. m: T. A. Humble. Res: Mt. Ida, Montgomery Co., Ark.
- 2g. Gladys Inez Goodner, b. 10-22-1904. m: Otis Campbell. Res: Oden, Ark.
- 3g. Samuel Earle Goodner, b. 1-9-1907. Res: Oden, Ark.
- 4g. Muriel Lourena Goodner, b. 5-2-1909, Oden, Ark. m: Ottis Huddleston. Res: Mt. Ida, Montgomery Co., Ark.
- 5g. Hal Eric Goodner, b. 8-30-1911. Res: Oden, Ark.
- 6g. Mildred Bertha Goodner, b. 5-19-1916. m: Edward Hart.
- 7g. Selden Shaw Goodner, b. 12-22-1920. Employed by Eastern Air Lines. Res: 8321 S.W. 16th Terrace, Miami 55, Fla.
- 12f. Sarah Goodner, b. abt. 1866. m: William P. Birch. Res: Spiro, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Sallie E. Birch, b. 1887. m: George P. Shockley, 1904.
- Ch: 1h. Ethel Shockley, b. 1907.
2h. George W. Shockley, b. 1908.
- 2g. Robert Birch, b. 1889.
3g. Hallie Birch, b. 1891.
4g. Henry J. Birch, b. 1893.
5g. Miriam E. Birch, b. 1896.
6g. Eugene V. Birch, b. 1898.
7g. Willie R. Birch, b. 1902.
- 4e. James Monroe Goodner, b. 5-14-1833, Tennessee, possibly Bedford Co. d. 11-2-1893, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Elizabeth Jane Logan, Montgomery Co., Ark. (b. 1836. d. 9-15-1877, dau. William and Eliza Logan*)
- Ch: 1f. John Green Goodner, b. 8-30-1854, Montgomery Co., Ark. Worked for his grandfather, John Cunningham Goodner, 1868 and 1869 on the farm. m: A.M. Kirby, 2-9-1879, Tulia, Texas. Resided at Tulia, Texas. d. 9-7-1946, interment in Rose Hill Cemetery, Tulia, Texas. Wife died 1936.

*See Appendix

- Ch: 1g. Florence M. Goodner, b. 11-24-1879. m: Henry Holland.
 Ch: 1h. Mabel Holland, b. 8-6-1902.
 2h. Carl Holland, b. 7-3-1906.
- 2g. Birthenia A. Goodner, b. 3-7-1888.
- 3g. Carl Curtis Goodner, b. 3-5-1891, Ark. d. 1951, Needles, Calfi. Grew up in the Texas Panhandle. W.W.I., 90th Division. St. Mihiel, Meuse-Argonne Actions. Sergeant. Was gassed which left him in poor health and from the effects of which he met an early death. Was teacher, business man, and poet. Was vitally interested in the Goodner genealogy and contributed much to it. m: Elsie -----, No issue.
- 4g. Naomi Goodner, b. 8-8-1894.
- 5g. Logan Kirby Goodner, b. 10-16-1897.
- 6g. Minnie M. Goodner, b. 5-1-1902.
- 2f. William Benjamin Goodner, M.D., b. 8-3-1857, Montgomery Co., Ark. d. 2-26-



Dr. William Benjamin Goodner and Lucy Ann
 on their 70th Wedding Anniversary.
 (Courtesy Mrs. David K. Tudor)

1950, Dublin, Texas. Practiced medicine for many years. In a letter written to George Washington Goodner of Quincy, Ill., in 1902, he wrote as follows: "I am five feet nine in tall, weigh 210 pounds - almost as black as a Mexican - in this western wind may be somewhat overdrawn; 45 years of age. I still claim my youth. I am not old. I am a Methodist, "South" of course. I am an I.O.O.F. which is in keeping with the German blood; also belong to the K.P. Please pardon this digression." He lived to be almost 93 years of age, so he could not have been "old" at age 45. m: Lucy Ann Goodner, 8-14-1878, at Old Boston, Texas. (b. 10-11-1859. Oden, Ark. d. 2-29-1954, Dallas, Texas, almost 95 years of age. Dau. of Henry Smith Goodner and Miriam L. Willhite of Montgomery Co., Ark.) They were first cousins. Resided in Dublin, Erath Co., Texas.

Ch: 1g. Ada Eudora Goodner, b. 7-9-1879, Oden, Ark. d. 2-6-1902, Dublin, Tex. m: Robert Lee Hickey* (b. 12-29-1871. d. 1-15-1949, Dublin, Texas. Son of William Shelby Hickey and Lennie Batey.)

Ch: 1h. Lessie Adelia Hickey, b. 9-5-1898. m: David Kavanaugh Tudor. (b. 1897. d. 11-5-1957, Dallas, Texas.) Born Pecos, Reeves Co., Texas. Interment Hillcrest Mausoleum, Dallas. Grad. Texas Christian Univ. Auditor for 30 years for the O.K. Theatres. W.W.I. 32^o Mason, Knights Templar, Shrine. Mrs. Tudor resides at the fam-

ily home, 1232 Lausanne, Dallas, Texas. No issue.

- 3f. Frances Isabelle Goodner, b. abt. 1860. d. age 2.
- 4f. Guilford Price Goodner, b. 9-3-1862. m: Charlotte Maddox, 5-31-1885, at Groesbeck, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Demaris Goodner, b. 7-16-1887. m: Walter Rutherford, 11-21-1909. No further data.
- 2g. Earl Randolph Goodner, b. 7-28-1888.
- 3g. Benjamin Burke Goodner, b. 12-31-1889.
- 4g. Winnie Goodner, b. 1-19-1893.
- 5g. Hudson Curtis Goodner, b. 8-15-1896.
- 6g. Addison Darrance Goodner, b. 9-22-1894.
- 7g. Ellis Hughey Goodner, b. 8-26-1900.

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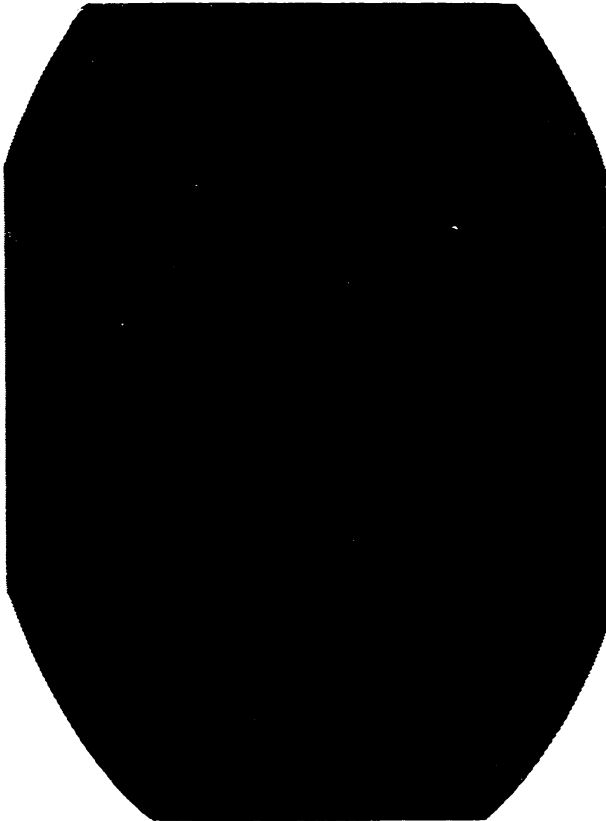
- 8g, Tracy Anson Goodner, b, 5-27-1905,
 9g, Carroll Bruce Goodner, b, 2-9-1907,
 10g, Carmel Goodner, b, 12-11-1909.
- 5f, Mary German Goodner, b, abt, 1864, d, age 9,
 6f, David S, Goodner, b, abt, 1866, d, age 4,
 7f, James Morris Goodner, b, abt, 1868, m: Margaret West, nee, Forbes.
 Ch: 1g, Guilford J, Goodner,
 2g, John C, Goodner,
 3g, Jefferson C, Goodner
 4g, Arthur M, Goodner
 5g, Roy L, Goodner
 6g, Beulah Goodner
- 8f, Louisa C, Goodner, b, abt, 1870/1, m: 1st: Eugene McLain, m: 2nd: Calaway H. Bowers,
 Ch: 1g, Rector McLain
 2g, Janey McLain
 3g, Minnie Bowers
 4g, Calaway Bowers
 5g, Louis Bowers
 6g, Susan Bowers
 7g, Edgar Bowers
 8g, Earl Bowers
- 9f, Carroll Cunningham Goodner, b, abt, 1872/3, m: Margrette Daugherty, Resided in Palestine, Texas,
 Ch: 1g, Mae Cunningham Goodner (Dec'd, by 1910)
 2g, Margrette Lucy Goodner, m: Kermit C, Shelburne, son of J, S, Shelburne of Oklahoma City, Okla, Married in Wellington, Kansas, Mr, Shelburne is a Grad, of Univ, of Oklahoma and is Pres, of the K, C, Shelburne Advertising Agency,
 3g, Ruth Goodner
 James Monroe Goodner m: 2nd; Susan Ellison,
 Ch: 10f, Lewis J, Goodner, m: Bettie Blackburn, Resided in Silver, Ark, No record of issue,
 11f, Thomas C, Goodner, Single in 1910, No later record,
- 5e, John Green Hill Goodner, b, 7-27-1835, m: Ardena J, Singleton, Mont, Co., Ark,
 Ch: 1f, Martha Malvina Goodner, m: John Singleton,
 Ch: 1g, Lizzie Singleton
 2g, Harley Singleton, m: Martha Fryar,
 Ch: 1h, Bessie Singleton,
 2h, Mary Singleton
 3h, Evergreen Singleton
 3g, Guilford Singleton, m; Rachael Chapman,
 Ch: 1h, Everett Singleton
 2h, Flossie Singleton
 4g, Ida Singleton, m: John Fryar,
 Ch: 1h, Jessie Fryar
 2h, Lessie Fryar
 3h, Grover Fryar
 4h, Gerald Fryar
 5g, Myrtle Singleton
- 2f, Frances Isabelle Goodner, m: Thomas A, Guinn,
 Ch: 1g, Fred Guinn, m: Cordelai Morris,
 Ch: 1h, Flora Guinn
 2h, Vera Guinn
 3h, Child, Name not known,
 2g, John Guinn, m: Viola Page,
 Ch: 1h, Edith Guinn,
 2h, Gracie Guinn
 3g, Bartlet Guinn, m: Berk McBride, No further record,
 4g, Lelia Guinn, m: Leonard Vaught, No further record,
- 3f, J, Franklin Goodner, b, 12-12-1866, d, 10-8-1929, m: America Johnston, abt, 1885, (b, 7-25-1867, d, 5-28-1929)
 Ch: 1g, Iva E. Goodner, b, 12-12-1887, m: A. T. Holliday, abt, 1912 (b, 3-12-1892, son Jake and Fannie Holliday) Farmer, Members of Pentacostal Church, Res: Rt. #1, Swifton, Ark,

- Ch: 1h. William Holliday, b. 1-4-1914. Res: 318 School Ave., Moesto, Calif.
 2h. Mae Holliday, b. 6-14-1916. m: Jones Shaw. Res: Rt. #1, Swifton, Ark.
 3h. Dale Holliday, b. 6-23-1919. Res: Rt. #1, Box 102B, Hoxie, Ark.
 4h. Jacob Holliday, b. 5-9-1922. Res: Rt. #1, Box 220, Hoxie, Ark.
 5h. Howard Holliday, b. 10-31-1925. d. 8-17-1951.
- 2g. Grover S. Goodner, b. 2-5-1892, Opal, Ark. No data. Res: Opal, Ark.
 3g. Olen Forrest Goodner, b. 10-17-1894, Oden, Ark. d. 12-19-1946. m: Collin Groue, 1-3-1920. Widow resides at Rt. #1, Box 21A, Mena, Ark.
- Ch: 1h. Ethel V. Goodner, b. 12-14-1920, m: Major Louis G. Thompson, Jr., 1-18-1947. Career man in the Army. Address: 4th Armored Group, A.P.O. 757, New York, N.Y.
 Ch: 1i. Deborah Thompson, b. 4-24-1949.
 2i. Graham Thompson, b. 5-21-1953.
 3i. Sandy Thompson, b. 4-8-1957.
- 2h. Eugene G. Goodner, b. 5-15-1922. Deceased.
 3h. Olen Forrest Goodner, Jr., b. 4-24-1924. Temporary Address: 2426 Lucas Dr., Dallas, Texas, m: Daisy Robbins, 4-11-1943.
 Ch: 1i. Janet O. Goodner, b. 12-13-1944.
- 4h. Donald D. Goodner, b. 5-31-1930. Career man in the U.S. Air Force. Address: -AF 18452845 Box 98, 3922nd Air Police Squad, A.P.O. 30, c/o P.M. New York, N.Y. m: Laverne Beam, 7-1-1955.
 Ch: 1i. Donald D. Goodner, Jr., b. 7-26-1956.
 2i. Kavin Eugene Goodner, b. 8-12-1958.
- 4g. Albert Shelby Goodner, b. 2-24-1897, Oden, Ark. Farmer and Trader. W.W.I., 312th Infantry, 78th Div. m: Nancy Bates, 11-18-1917, (b. 11-22-1899, dau. of Jos. R. and Mary Ellison Bates.) Members of Missionary Baptist Church. Res: Rt. #1, Mena, Ark.
 Ch: 1h. Zelda Goodner, b. 3-23-1920, Oden, Ark. m: Joseph Guthrie Stewman, 7-30-1935. (b. 12-31-1908, son of Horace Wesley Stewman) Served in Navy 1-1/2 years. Salesman, Southern Baptist, Res: 304 7th St., Mena, Ark.
 Ch: 1i. Barbara Ann Stewman, b. 5-26-1939, at Cherry Hill, Ark. m: Richard Collier.
 Ch: 1j. Steven Collier, b. 12-2-1957. Spokane.
 2i. Shelby Oneal Stewman, b. 8-9-1944, Mena, Ark.
- 2h. Thelma Goodner, b. 1-8-1922, Pine Ridge, Ark. m: William Tabor, Miss. Baptists. Res: 183 Stratmore, Pontiac, Mich.
 Ch: 1i. Linda Marlene Tabor, b. 6-1-1942.
 2i. Nancy Darlene Tabor, b. 2-14-1948.
 3i. Deborah Karlene Tabor, b. 1-9-1951.
 4i. Kenneth William Tabor, b. 9-22-1953.
 5i. Cynthia Ann Tabor, b. 9-22-1957.
- 3h. Oma Jean Goodner, b. 11-18-1924, Ink, Ark. m: Fred B. Sikes. Res: Rt. #1, Shawnee, Okla.
 Ch: 1i. Phyllis L. Sikes, b. 9-2-1942.
 2i. Derrie Jerome Sikes, b. 9-17-1948.
- 4h. Eva Jo Goodner, b. 9-9-1926, Ink, Ark. d. 8-19-1944. m: Delton O. Lunsford, No issue.
- 5h. Juanita Goodner, b. 9-14-1928, Ink, Ark. m: Homer H. Williams, Jr. Missionary Baptist. Res: P.O. Box 146, Port Acres, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Glenn Dale Williams, b. 12-25-1949.
 2i. Gwendolyn Sue Williams, b. 9-27-1951.
- 6h. Albert Shelby Goodner, Jr., b. 9-23-1930, Ink, Ark. m: Ardis L. Sorensen. Res: Rt. #1, Mena, Ark. No issue.
- 7h. Floyd Goodner, b. 10-10-1932, Ink, Ark. Member of National Guard for 3 years. Laborer, Baptist. Res: 1414 Madison Ave., Kansas City, Mo. m: Gloria Jean Moon, 5-30-1953. (b. 4-4-1936, dau. of John and Beulah Moon.)
 Ch: 1i. Rita Laurene Goodner, b. 10-17-1954.
 2i. Michael Ray Goodner, b. 9-21-1956.

- 8h. Betty Lee Goodner, b. 2-15-1935. m: Clyde A. Abernathy. Missionary Baptists. Res: 1200 Lee St., Jacksonville, Ark.
Ch: 1i. Cherye Lynn Abernathy, b. 10-7-1952.
2i. Rhonda Laurine Abernathy, b. 4-17-1954.
3i. Clifton Rodney Abernathy, b. 11-24-1956.
- 9h. Clifton Ray Goodner, b. 3-17-1939, Mena, Ark. Missionary Baptist. Single. Res: At Home.
- 5g. Hubert Goodner, b. 2-2-1900, Board Camp, Ark. m: Abbie Walls (Separated) Res: Board Camp and Mena, Ark.
Ch: 1h. Lula Mae Goodner, m: Richard Richey. Res: 531A Peach, Shaw AFB, South Carolina.
2h. Lola Dean Goodner, m: Aubry Leverett, Res: Box 43, Gilmer, Texas.
3h. Opal Goodner
4h. John Goodner
5h. Earl Goodner
6h. Bob (Robert) Goodner
7h. Donna Goodner. m: Mr. Walls. Res: Otisco, Indiana.
8h. Eva Lou Goodner. m: Harold Titsworth.
9h. Jo Ann Goodner. m: Mr. Harvey.
- 6g. Floyd Goodner, b. 7-25-1902.* Res: Mena, Ark. General Delivery.
- 7g. Kermit Goodner, b. 1-8-1910. Res: Board Camp, Ark. Construction Worker. Baptist. Res: Board Camp, Ark. P.O. Box 8. m: 1st:-----
Ch: 1h. Barbara Jean Goodner, b. 6-12-1936, at Aubrey, Ark. m: Charles A. Woten. Res: Arcadia, Indiana.
Ch: 1i. Michael Woten, b. 2-15-1953.
2i. Margie Woten, b. 7-17-1955.
3i. Martin Woten, b. 10-22-1956.
4i. Larry Woten, b. 1958.
2h. Shirley Ann Goodner, b. 12-3-1938, Aubrey, Ark. m: Clarence J. Lutten. Res: South Prairie, Washington.
Ch: 1i. Pamella Lutten, b. 10-22-1955.
2i. Teena Lutten, b. 12-12-1956.
3h. Dwight Kermit Goodner, b. 11-27-1944, Mesa, Ariz. Res:same Kermit O. Goodner m: 2nd: Katherine Lutz, 3-5-1956. (b. 6-25-1913, dau. of Adolph Lutz.) No issue.
- 4f. David Goodner, m: 1st: Cornelia Singleton.
Ch: 1g. Elwis Goodner. (d. 1910)
m: 2nd: Nettie Shields. Res: Mena, Ark.
Ch: 2g. Vessie Goodner
3g. Elsie Goodner
4g. Mattie Lou Goodner
- 5f. Dorcas Goodner. m: Marion Willhite.*
Ch: 1g. Melvin Willhite
2g. Alvis Willhite
3g. Jerman Willhite
- 6f. Pinkney Goodner, b. ----- m: Frances Fryar.
Ch: 1g. Elmer Goodner.
- 7f. Manella Goodner. m: Hezekiah Singleton
Ch: 1g. Birdie Singleton.
2g. Grace Singleton
- 8f. Joseph Goodner. No data.
- 6e. Naomi Ann Malvina Goodner, b. 5-21-1837, Wayne Co., Tenn. m: Samuel Mitchell Smith, 6-23-1853, Montgomery Co., Ark. Mr. Smith came from Tennessee about 1851. It is reported that he owned and tilled the soil where the town of Oden, Ark. now stands. Res: in Montgomery Co., Ark.
Ch: 1f. John Guilford Smith, b. abt. 1855. m: Martha J. Gaston.
Ch: 1g. Lucinda Malvina Smith. m: James M. Scott. Believed to have resided in Montgomery Co., Ark.
Ch: 1h. Joda Scott
2h. Samuel Scott
3h. Ollie Scott
4h. Katie Scott
5h. Lee Scott

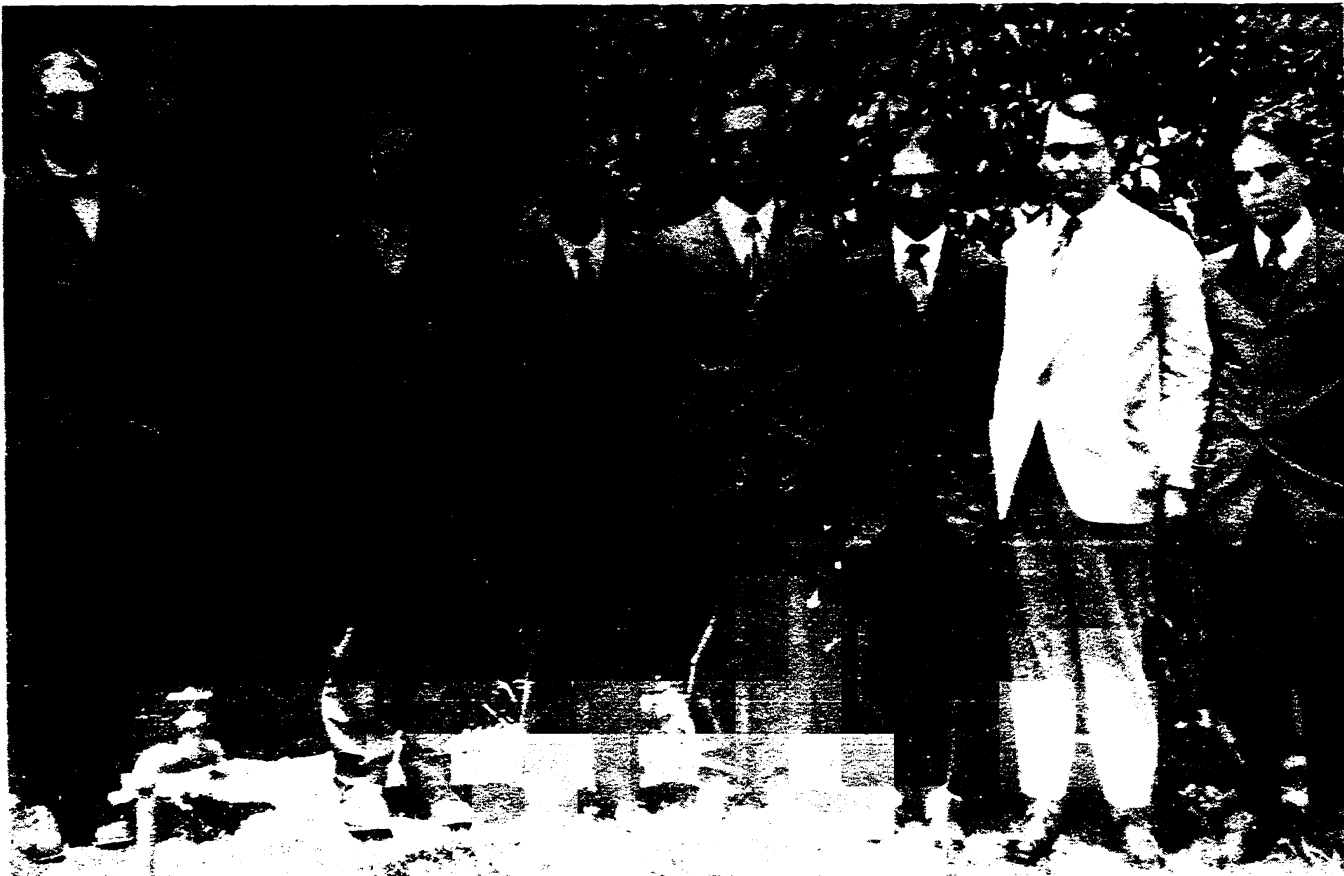
*See Appendix

- 6h. Oda Scott
 7h. Guilford Scott
 8h. Mattie Jane Scott
- 2g. Queen Rosetta Smith, m: David J. Scott. Believed to have resided in Montgomery Co., Ark.
 Ch: 1h. Gracie Scott
 2h. Evander Scott
 3h. Sherman Scott
 4h. Roy Scott
 5h. Harley Scott
 6h. Marie Scott
- 3g. Susan Hannah Smith, Died without issue.
 4g. Minerva Jane Smith, Died without issue.
 5g. Samuel Milton Smith, Died without issue.
 6g. James Orville Smith, m: Myrtle Leadford. Believed to have resided in Montgomery Co., Ark.
 7g. William Lee Smith
 8g. Guilford Ross Smith
 9g. Lyda Belle Smith, m: Walker Lewis. No data.
 10g. Arthur Bryan Smith
 11g. Ova Smith
- 2f. Josiah Milton Smith, m: Mary Ann Garrett. Believed to have resided in Montgomery Co., Ark.
 Ch: 1g. Jeptha Smith, m: Virgie Wimberly
 Ch: 1h. Carl Smith
 2h. Lida Smith
- 2g. Alice Smith, m: Thomas Holiday. No issue as of 1910.
 3g. Ada Smith, m: John Chambers.
 4g. Missouri Smith, m: Marion Bates.
 Ch: 1h. Minnie Bates
 2h. Myrtle Bates
 3h. Elvis Bates
 4h. Clyde Bates
- 5g. Minnie Smith, m: Loss Gamble. Res: Waters, Mont. Co., Ark.
 Ch: 1h. Maudie Gamble
 2h. Joe Gamble
 3h. Clara Gamble
 4h. Orvie Gamble
- 6g. Mollie Smith, Single in 1910.
 7g. Joe Smith
 8g. Guilford Smith
- 3f. John Henry Smith, d. infancy.
- 4f. Williamson Lawton Smith, m: Mary Almeada O'Neal. Resided in Hot Springs, Ark.
 Ch: 1g. John Milton Smith, m: Christine Watkins.
 2g. Samuel Guilford Smith, Single in 1910.
 3g. Willie Lee Smith, m: Garnett Braughten
- 7e. Guilford Dudley Goodner, b. 1-2-1839, Wayne Co., Tenn. d. 5-19-1917, Altus, Okla. Interred in local cemetery in Altus. At the age of 3, in 1842, the family moved to Tippah Co., Miss. In 1851, then removed to Montgomery Co., Ark. He received a common school education in the public schools in Tippah Co., Miss., and in Montgomery Co., Ark. At the outbreak of the Civil War, he enlisted, 1861, in the Confederate Army at Millers Springs, Mo., in Co. F, 4th Arkansas Infantry, serving as a Private, and winning promotion to 2nd Lieutenant within a period of two years. In August of 1863 he resigned on account of disability, but reenlisted in Capt. R.S. Burketts Arkansas State Troops and served in detached service as 1st. Lieut. until Oct. of 1864, when his Company was transferred to the Confederate service and attached to the 10th Arkansas Cavalry, as Co. B. He took part in the battle at Richmond, Ky., Aug. 31st, 1862, and Murfreesboro, Tenn., Dec. 31st, 1862. He was in several skirmishes while in the Arkansas State Troops and in the 10th Arkansas Cavalry. He was released from service by the disbanding of troops at Lewisburg, Ark., in May of 1865, after the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomattox Court House, Va., April 9th, 1865. He then returned to his old home in Montgomery, Ark., and remained there until 1868, when he removed to Bell Co., Texas, remaining there until 1871, when he returned to his old home in Montgomery Co., Ark. With the exception of a few months teaching school, and about a year as County Clerk, he farmed most of his life. He was appointed



Deputy Circuit Clerk in January of 1873, and held that position until he was elected clerk in November of 1874, retaining that office until Oct. 31st, 1890. He then moved to Jackson County, Okla., residing near Altus, where he stayed until the summer of 1901, when he moved to the town of Altus. His home there was destroyed by fire, but he re-built immediately. He also clerked in a store and in the Post Office, and engaged in the insurance business for a time. He married Mary Eliza Derr, 12-15-1859, in Montgomery Co., Ark. Mary Eliza was born 5-4-1840, Giles Co., Tenn., and died Oct. of 1936, interment in Altus in the local cemetery. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church before her marriage, later a member of the Primitive Baptist Church, and then in 1885 again rejoined the M. E. Church. They had twelve children, eleven of whom reached maturity.

Guilford Dudley Goodner, and wife,
Mary Eliza Derr Goodner.
(Courtesy Mrs. David K. Tudor)



Sons of Guilford Dudley and Mary E. Goodner (Courtesy Marvin Ernest Goodner)

Left to Right: John Cooper Goodner, James David Goodner, Samuel Fulton Goodner, Joseph Kirby Goodner, Guilford Ross Goodner, Drury Lavender Goodner and Robt. E. Lee Goodner. Other sons, not pictured above, were William Henry Goodner who died in 1865 at the age of 8 months and Alfred Burke Goodner who died on July 15, 1916. This picture taken at Altus, Oklahoma, in May of 1917 at the time of Guilford D. Goodner's death. Vacant space, near left, is where Alfred Burke would have stood had he been alive.

- 1f. John Cooper Goodner, b. 9-26-1860, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Nancy Viola Jennings, 1-1-1885. Resided in Holland, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Mary Ellen Goodner, b. 3-3-1886. m: Charles Adams, 4-29-1906, in Holland, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Charles Audrey Adams, b. 5-3-1907.
2h. Opal Clois Adams, b. 10-9-1909.
- *2g. Ovie Ruth Goodner, b. 10-16-1887. d. 9-19-1895.
- 3g. Elisha Guilford Goodner, b. 7-23-1889. d. 8-26-1895.
- 4g. Dora Genevieve Goodner, b. 1-18-1891. m: Herbert Bridgewater, 2-6-1910. Res: Beaver, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Guilford Herbert Bridgewater, b. Nov., 1910.
2h. Irma Iris Bridgewater, b. 11-18-1911. Res: Laverne, Okla.
- 5g. Nora Janet Goodner, b. 1-22-1893. m: Delwin Bridgewater, 1-23-1912.
- 6g. John Ross Goodner, b. 12-18-1894, Mena, Ark. Res: Beaver, Okla. m: 1st: Altha Vesta Carter, 9-22-1924. (b. 6-3-1903. d. 1-25-1935.)
- Ch: 1h. John Ross Goodner, Jr., b. 4-13-1927, Beaver, Okla. m: Charlotte Gustafson, Okla. City, Okla. Res: Okla. City, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. Charles Ross Goodner, b. 4-8-1954.
- m: 2nd: Wynema Barr, in Guthrie, Okla. (b. 9-14-1902, at McAlester, Okla.) No issue.
- 7g. Samuel Dexter Goodner, b. 6-27-1898.
- 8g. Nancy Grace Goodner, b. 5-20-1901.
- 9g. Dosia Lou Goodner, b. 11-4-1903.
- 10g. Nellie Elizabeth Goodner, b. 7-21-1906.
- 11g. James Clifford Goodner, b. 10-9-1909.
- 2f. William Henry Goodner, b. 2-28-1865. d. 10-20-1865.
- 3f. Alfred Burke Goodner, b. 10-5-1866, Montgomery Co., Ark. Taught school for awhile in early manhood and in 1890 moved to southwest Oklahoma, which at that time was old Greer Co. in Oklahoma Territory, settling four miles north of the town of Altus. Here he engaged in farming which he followed until his death 7-15-1916. Interment in the family plot in Altus, Okla. "A devoted Christian and a life-long member of the Methodist Church". m: Theodosia E. Williamson, 11-21-1888. After the death of Mr. Goodner, his widow took the family in 1923 to Norman, Okla., where she resided until her death 7-12-1950, interment in the family lot in Altus, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Della May Goodner, b. 8-25-1889. d. Oct. 1890.
- 2g. Jefferson Guilford Goodner, b. 2-8-1891, near Altus, Okla. m: Velma Gatha Peacock. (b. 4-28-1893.) Res: 815 N.W. 42nd St., Okla. City, Okla.
- 3g. Mary Viola Goodner, b. 5-12-1893, near Altus, Okla. m: John Daniel Carmichael. (d. 1920) Farmer and Schoolteacher. Baptists. Widow resides at 741 Jenkins Ave., Norman, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Alva Mae Carmichael, b. 3-26-1918. d. 1929.
- 4g. Earl Williamson Goodner, b. 12-19-1895, near Altus, Okla. m: Lydia Ann Miller, a native of Penn. Res: 5520 Ellsworth, Dallas, Tex. No issue
- 5g. Mabel Ross Goodner, b. 3-12-1897, near Altus, Okla. d. March 1898.
- 6g. Julia Christine Goodner, b. 3-3-1902, near Altus, Okla. m: Earl Rufus Hughes, abt. 1920. He was killed in an automobile accident in 1954.
- Ch: 1h. Jack Earl Hughes, b. 1-10-1922. m: Betty Beckerdite. He was killed in France, as a result of an aeroplane crash while serving in the U.S. Air Force following W.W.II. Interred in France. No issue.
- 2h. Bill James Hughes, b. 3-13-1924. m: Mary Merdine Sikes. (b. 10-23-1927) Res: Altus, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. William Mark Hughes, b. 10-14-1952.
2i. Mary Earl Hughes, b. Sept. 1954.
- 3h. Anita Faye Hughes, b. 10-3-1925. m: Floyd Alexander Marselles. (b. 7-20-1925) Res: Lufkin, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Cathryn Leigh Marselles, b. 10-25-1946.
2i. Richard Earl Marselles, b. 10-21-1949.
3i. Nancy Sue Marselles, b. 8-2-1953.
- 4h. Donald Ray Hughes, b. 8-12-1930. m: Billie Sue Brice. (b. 7-30-1930) Res: 3825 S. Cincinnati St., Tulsa, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. Donna Sue Hughes, b. 5-9-1949.
2i. Robert Thomas Hughes, b. 8-24-1951.

- 7g. Marvin Ernest Goodner, b. 7-28-1904, near Altus, Okla. Chief Zone Clerk for Gulf Oil Corp. in Evansville, Ind. m: Verna Lea Stewart, 9-18-1931, at Tulsa, Okla. (b. 3-22-1906, Springdale, Ark.) She is dau. of Allen Milton Stewart. Res: 2512 E. Gum, Evansville, Indiana.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Burke Goodner, b. 1-19-1953, at Tulsa, Okla.
2h. James Stewart Goodner, b. 5-26-1941, Tulsa, Okla.
- 8g. Edna Ruanna Goodner, b. 6-25-1907, near Altus, Okla. m: Wilbur Lavern Morse of Henryetta, Okla. (b. 4-24-1908) Res: 3409 N. George Mason Dr., Arlington, Va.
Ch: 1h. Susan Gay Morse, b. 7-6-1937.
2h. David Edward Morse, b. 12-15-1940.
- 9g. Annie Ernestine Goodner, b. 10-23-1913, near Altus, Okla. m: Charles Edmund Smith. (b. 1-9-1914) Res: 4628 S. Trenton, Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Linda Beth Smith, b. 5-24-1942.
2h. Vinson Charles Smith, b. 2-28-1945.
- 4f. James David Goodner, b. 2-6-1869, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Verlinda Isabelle Standridge, abt. 1886. (b. 8-31-1869. d. 1-18-1937, dau. of Samuel Standridge of Mt. Ida, Ark.) James David died 10-6-1938. Both interred in Edmond, Okla., where they resided.
Ch: 1g. Elmer Luther Goodner, b. 6-15-1888, Mt. Ida, Ark. Resided with parents in Jackson Co., Okla., then returned to Arkansas and again returned to Jackson Co., Okla. Moved to Okla. in 1921. Grew up on the farm; taught school for a six months period in 1911-1912. Entered Civil Service as a City Letter Carrier, later transferring to a Clerk's position Retired 6-30-1958. Post Office Dep. m: Margaret Leon Van Zandt, 3-10-1913, at Altus, Okla. (b. 9-2-1880. d. 1-15-1951, dau. of James Van Zandt.) Res: 2914 N.W. Thomas Pl., Oklahoma City, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Ruth Edana Goodner, b. 7-28-1915. m: Laird King. Res: 807 Gay St., Longmont, Colo.
Ch: 1i. Paul Laird King, b. 11-4-1940.
2i. David Luther King, b. 12-11-1942.
2h. Philip Van Zandt Goodner, b. 12-5-1916. d. day of birth.
3h. Elmer Curry Goodner, b. 9-15-1917. d. 6-15-1918.
4h. Margaret Anne Goodner, b. 10-6-1922. Single. Res: at home.
5h. Paul Lester Goodner, b. 11-3-1918. Adopted. m: Genevieve --
Ch: 1i. Miriam Elaine Goodner, b. 1-3-1943.
2i. Paula Jean Goodner, b. 1-3-1946.
3i. Jimmy Paul Goodner, b. 1-22-1947.
- 2g. Jesse Guilford Goodner, b. 11-10-1889. d. 9-29-1890.
- 3g. Charles Cooper Goodner, b. 3-17-1891. d. 10-28-1892.
- 4g. Katy Ethel Goodner, b. 2-14-1893. m: Robert Platner, 3-2-1913, Johnson Co., Okla. Res: 3257 Washington Pl., La Crescenta, Calif.
- 5g. Amanda Viola Goodner, b. 2-3-1895, Polk Co., Ark. m: Morris Bohn (Deceased. Widow lives at 1801 Hollywood Dr., Altus, Okla.)
- 6g. Margaret Eliza Goodner, b. 11-22-1897, Polk Co., Ark. m: Bud Hagedorn. Res: Star Route, Wilderville, Ore.
- 7g. Joseph Lester Goodner, b. 10-19-1899, Polk Co., Ark. Dec'd.
- 8g. Ida Lou Goodner, b. 9-18-1902, Jackson Co., Okla. m: Damon Johnson (Dec'd) Res: 1229 S. Littler, Edmond, Okla.
- 9g. Elsie Audine Goodner, b. 7-1-1906, Harmon Co., Okla. m: Leland E. Farley. Res: 808 N. Lea, Altus, Okla.
- 10g. Velma Zoe Goodner, b. 7-6-1912, Jackson Co., Okla., m: Earl C. Intolubbe. Res: 1520 Roosevelt Ave., Falls Church, Va.
- 5f. Samuel Fulton Goodner, b. 4-9-1872, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Delia Hughes, 9-4-1901. Res: 510 W. 9th St., Amarillo, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Herschel Guilford Goodner, b. 5-5-1905, Guymon, Okla. Printer. Baptist. Res: 1915 Karen, Amarillo, Texas. m: 1st: Iris Edwards, 7-16-1930. (b. 6-6-1907, dau. S. E. Edwards.)
Ch: 1h. Gay Marlia Goodner, b. 8-20-1936. m: Herman Daily Turner 10-16-1954. Res: 5020 - 38th St., Lubbock, Texas.
2h. Judith Lee Goodner, b. 11-27-1938. m: Charles Noel Green, 9-20-1956. Res: 7769 Rosedale, El Paso, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Charles Noel Green, Jr., b. 8-16-1957.
m: 2nd: Marjorie Ethelyn Dial, 2-12-1953, dau. of Billy Walker. No issue.

- 2g. Ralph Andrue Goodner, b. 2-2-1907, Guymon, Okla. m: Addie Lee Holland, b. 4-15-1932, dau. Clem. Res: Blue Bonnet Dr., River Roads, Amarillo, Tex.
Ch: 1h. Jack Andrue Goodner, b. 8-9-1944.
- 3g. Thelma Etolia Goodner, b. 10-28-1909, Sentinel, Okla. m: John Ralston Barnhart, 9-1-1931. Res: Kress, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Sarah Elizabeth Barnhart, b. 2-2-1937. m: Raymond Gerhard Hinders, 3-17-1957.
2h. John Ralston Barnhart, Jr., b. 7-3-1944.
- 4g. Samuel Vivian Goodner, b. 5-18-1913, White Deer, Texas. m: Mildres Louise Miller, 5-14-1937, dau. of W.A. Miller. Res: 1321 Confederate Dr., Houston 24, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Sam Warren Goodner, b. 10-23-1938.
2h. Geary Loyd Goodner, b. 1-23-1943.
3h. Terry Jack Goodner, b. 7-21-1944.
- 6f. Joseph Kirby Goodner, b. 8-8-1874, Montgomery Co., Texas. m: Annie Sloan, 11-26-1899 at Altus, Okla., (dau. of Robert S. Sloan.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: Petersburg, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Jessie Mae Goodner, b. 12-5-1900, Altus, Okla. m: Howard Clift, 1-21-1931. Res: Petersburg, Texas, Rt. #2. No issue.
- 7f. Guilford Ross Goodner, b. 11-15-1876, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Sallie Bertha Gilliand, abt. 1906. Mr. Goodner deceased.
Ch: 1g. Mary Cassie Goodner, b. 7-4-1908. 1958- in Mental Institution.
- 8f. Drury Lavender Goodner, b. 11-27-1878, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Ella Stuart, 11-27-1909, No issue.
- 9f. Robert E. Lee Goodner, b. 5-30-1883, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Lula Malone, 8-25-1906, Altus, Okla. (b. 9-22-1889, dau. of J.P. Malone. d. 9-27-1927) Druggist. Methodist. Res: 4153 Wabash Ave., San Diego 4, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Orville Maurice Goodner, b. 6-12-1904, Altus, Okla. Laborer. Res: 3248 Laurel Rd., Long View, Wash. Married and has 3 boys and 1 girl as of May 1958.
2g. Neville Lynn Goodner, b. 10-14-1910, Altus, Okla. Accountant. Baptist. Res: 2113 Gatewood, Oklahoma City, Okla.
3g. Gaylord Douglas Goodner, b. 3-28-1912. Single. Was Airplane Mechanic at Naval Air Station in San Diego, Calif. Now resides in Oklahoma City, Okla.
- John Cunningham Goodner m: 2nd: Mrs. Sarah A. Christianberry, nee Vandever,
Ch: 8e. George Marion Goodner, b. 4-1-1864. d. 2-4-1940, Mt. Ida, Ark. m: Mary Frances Alley (b. 12-3-1869. d. 3-13-1941. Dau. Stephen Alley) Res: Montgomery Co., Ark.
Ch: 1f. Minnie Matilda Goodner, b. 3-10-1887, Mt. Ida, Ark. m: Charles Robert Ford, 10-9-1904. (b. 8-13-1883. d. 6-25-1931. Son of James Ford.) Members Primitive Baptist Church. Mr. Ford is interred at Friona, Texas. Minnie Matilda resides at 531 S. Prairie, Hawthorne, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Versa Beulah Ford, b. 7-31-1905. d. 1932. m: Mr. Hall. Res: 4808 Premier, Long Beach, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Mary Lee Hall, b. 1-20-1927. m: Richard O. Stewart (Dec'd.)
Ch: 1i. Melinda Lee Stewart, b. 10-26-1948.
m: 2nd: Bert Barton Dreice.
Ch: 2i. Michael Philip Dreice, b. 8-16-1953.
3i. David Bryon Dreice, b. 7-31-1955.
- 2g. John Henry Ford, b. 1-25-1908. Single. Res: 531 S. Prairie, Hawthorne, California
- 3g. Oliver Allen Ford, b. 3-8-1910. d. 1937.
- 4g. Vada Retta Ford, b. 12-19-1913. m: Raymond James Foster, 5-3-1932. Res: 1029 Fay Smith Ave., Torrance, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Bettie Ruth Foster, * b. 4-9-1933. m: Howard Neil Morris, 4-1-1951.
Ch: 1i. Kathleen Ann Morris, b. 1-1-1952.
2h. Barbara Charlene Foster, b. 7-13-1934. m: Ronald Arthur Collins, 12-14-1956. Res: 20856 Haldale, Torrance, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Cheryl Christine Collins, b. 6-3-1955.
2i. Charlene Cherise Collins, b. 6-3-1958.

*Betty Ruth divorced Howard Neil Morris and married 2nd:
Wayne Kirk. Res: 4747 Deelane, Torrance, Calif.

- 3h. Carol Virginia Foster, b. 10-23-1940. m: David Allen Murphy 2-14-1957. Res: 1029 Fay Smith Ave., Torrance, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Barbara Jean Murphy, b. 8-23-1957.
- 5g. Robert Carpenter Ford, b. 10-20-1917, Mt. Ida, Ark. Business Address: 8431 Commonwealth Ave., Buena Park, Calif. Res: 8352 Rowland Circle, Anaheim, Calif. m: Frances Adrienne Osborne, 1949, L.A., Calif. (b. 6-19-1925, Los Angeles, Calif.)
Ch: 1h. Scott Osborne Ford, b. 6-21-1952, Torrance, Calif.
2h. Stephen William Ford, b. 4-8-1954.
3h. Adrienne Lynn Ford, b. 6-18-1955.
- 6g. Martha Frances Ford, b. 2-6-1922, Weleetka, Okla. m: Charles Scott Dill, 1944, Roswell, N.M. (b. 8-27-1920, Boston, Mass.) Res: 11271 Mac Nab, Garden Grove, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Daniel William Dill, b. 8-28-1947, Hawthorne, Calif.
2h. John Charles Dill, b. 8-31-1948, Chicago Heights, Ill.
3h. Robin Scott Dill, b. 2-17-1954, Inglewood, Calif.
- 7g. George William Ford, b. 4-12-1924, d. 2-3-1945. Paratrooper. Killed in W.W.II, being wounded fatally in Luzon. Interred Golden Gate Cemetery, San Bruno, California.
- 2f. Rufus Earl Goodner, b. 12-16-1888. d. 7-5-1954. Baptist. Resided in Mt. Ida, Ark., and widow still resides there. m: Bertha Pope, 6-22-1911. (b. 10-4-1894, dau. Bud Pope)
Ch: 1g. Pauline Goodner, b. 4-26-1913. m: Milos Victor Sekavic, 11-23-1928. Res; Mt. Ida, Ark.
Ch: 1h. Opal Louise Sekavic, b. 4-21-1930. m: Billy Standridge, 11-9-1946.
Ch: 1i. Janice Maurie Standridge, b. 12-22-1947.
2i. Barbara Ann Standridge, b. 12-23-1952.
2h. Rufus Victor Sekavic, b. 1-29-1934. m: Mary E. Ethridge, 8-28-1955.
Ch: 1i. David Victor Sekavic, b. 7-4-1956.
3h. Joyce Victoria Sekavic, b. 7-7-1942. m: Loyd Phillips, 2-8-1957.
Ch: 1i. Eddie Phillips, b. 11-3-1957.
- 2g. Herbert George Goodner, b. 8-31-1914. d. 12-10-1944. Adopted. No issue.
- 3g. Kay Goodner, b. 2-24-1916. d. 2-19-1918.
- 4g. Octavia Goodner, b. 4-27-1920. m: Willis M. Kinsey, 3-22-1936. Res: 5851 Tucker Rd., S. E., Washington, 22, D.C.
Ch: 1h. Ronald Herbert Kinsey, b. 11-26-1942.
2h. Patsy Sue Kinsey, b. 3-19-1951.
- 3f. Thomas Jefferson Goodner, b. 1-27-1891, Silver, Ark. Occupation:"Boomman". Res: 257 - 19th Ave., Longview, Wash. m: Anis Anderson, 12-27-1926. (b. 4-21-1906; Mt. Ida, Ark., dau. of Tom J. and Zenia Anderson.)
Ch: 1g. Willia Dean Goodner, b. 9-14-1927. d. 3-23-1929.
2g. Joyce M. Goodner, b. 4-10-1930. m: George J. Ward, 4-23-1951. Res: 532 Oaklawn Ave., Chula Vista, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Cinthy Dianna Ward, b. 2-16-1952.
2h. Lisa Suzanna Ward, b. 2-9-1954
- 3g. Carolyn G. Goodner, b. 4-28-1935. Res: 730 Eddy St., San Francisco, Calif. Single.
- 4g. Bill W. Goodner, b. 10-29-1929. In Navy. Res: 3731-1/2 Dalbergia, San Diego, Calif. m: Darlene Clark, 1-4-1957.
Ch: 1h. Jeffrey Edward Goodner, b. 3-25-1958.
- 4f. Stephan Lester Goodner, b. 7-27-1895, d. 4-1-1957. Interred in Old Alley Place Mt. Ida, Montgomery Co., Ark. Farmer. Presbyterian. Resided in Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Katherine Fisher, 8-2-1934. b. 1-12-1911, dau. of Will and Martha Fisher.)
Ch: 1g. Martha Joyce Goodner, b. 5-5-1935, Montgomery Co., Ark. m: Charles Madison Battle, July 1956. (Martha is also known as "George Ann") Res: 4208-1/2 14th St., Tampa 3, Florida.
Ch: 1h. Terry Gail Battle, b. 7-9-1957.
- 2g. Stephan Lester Goodner, Jr., b. 4-3-1940, Montgomery Co., Ark. In Armed Forces. Res: 3500085, Commisary Dept., C.P.O., Closed Mess,

- N.A.S., Memphis 15, Tenn.
- 3g. John Gray Goodner, b. 8-8-1942, Mont. Co., Ark. Res: Buckeye, Ariz.
- 4g. Thomas Richard Goodner, b. 1-16-1945.
- 5g. Timothy James Goodner, b. 1-15-1947. d. 1-17-1947.
- 6g. Tina Marietta Goodner, b. 12-14-1947.
- 7g. Jerry Robert Goodner, b. 9-11-1950.
- (Note: Katherine Fisher had a son by a previous marriage. He is Lt. W.E. McKenney, born 2-5-1930, his address being Hdq. Squad., 303rd B.W., Davis-Monthan A.F.B., Tuscon, Ariz. After the death of Stephan Lester Goodner, Katherine married a Mr. Shirley, and resides in Buckeye, Ariz., mail - Gen'l. Delv'y.)
- 5f. Elisha Dayton Goodner, b. 6-24-1896, Silver, Montgomery Co., Ark. State Game Protector for State of Washington. Primitive Baptist in his beliefs but is not a member of any church. m: Rillis Ethel Casey, 6-22-1919. (b. 12-3-1898, dau. of Bill & Carrie Casey.) Res: 440 - 24th Ave., Longview, Wash.
Ch: 1g. Thelmo Marie Goodner, b. 4-19-1920. m: Harold Rash. Res: 9570 N. Polk, Portland, Oregon.
Ch: 1h. Sandra Corene Rash, b. 9-27-1949.
- 2g. Elisha Dayton Goodner, Jr., b. 5-18-1923. m: Carrel Benett. Res: 22128 68th Ave., South, Kent, Washington.
Ch: 1h. Matthew G. Goodner, b. 5-2-1956.
2h. Thelmos B. Goodner, b. 1-27-1958.
- 3g. William Gordon Goodner, b. 11-7-1924. Res: 836 Sunset Blvd., Renton, Wash. m: Orpha Elison, 11-19-1949.
Ch: 1h. Tereso Anne Goodner, b. 7-7-1953.
2h. Tino Amette Goodner, b. 6-30-1955.
- 6f. Henrietta Violet Goodner ("Retta"), b. 10-25-1898, Collins Co., Texas. m: Joseph Washkill, 4-14-1924, Occupation: Dyer. Catholic. Deceased as of 1958. Res. of Henrietta Violet: 316 Hazel St., Hot Springs, Ark. No issue.
- 7f. Elsie Myrtle Goodner, b. 2-3-1902. d. 3-1-1949. Interred in Stanley Cemetery, Mt. Ida, Ark. m: Joe M. Simpson. (b. 5-15-1900, son of John T. & Mattie J. Simpson, nee Hennessee.) Teacher. Baptist. Res: Mt. Ida, Ark.
Ch: 1g. Mary Jo Simpson, b. 5-28-1927. m: James K. Flatte. Res: 1404 N. Mosby, El Dorado, Ark.
Ch: 1h. James Robert Flatte, b. 5-26-1956.
- 2g. Wanda Louise Simpson, b. 3-9-1930. m: Dr. John Glenn Allen, Jr. Res: 2101 Morrison, Big Springs, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Jo Ann Allen, b. 11-15-1952.
2h. Julie Elizabeth Allen, b. 8-8-1954.
3h. Mary Cathrine Allen, b. 7-7-1956.
- 8f. Henry Grady Goodner, b. 5-17-1904, Mt. Ida, Ark. m:----- Res: 126-1/2 - 24th St., Lewiston, Idaho.
Ch: 1g. George Earl Goodner, b. 12-22-1933, Mt. Ida, Ark. m:----- Res: 4010 - 21st. St. S.W., Seattle, Wash.
Ch: 1h. Elaine Goodner, b. 5-10-1956.
2h. Annette Goodner, b. 2-8-1958.
- 9f. Martha Jewell Goodner, b. 5-17-1906. Deceased. m: Vernon Standridge, 8-28-1928. (b. 9-10-1904, son of Cicero & Sarah Standridge.) Painter. Baptist. Res: 221 Cooper Lane, Hot Springs, Ark.
Ch: 1g. Billie Marie Standridge, b. 4-19-1929. Mt. Ida, Ark. m: James Denzil Valentine, 6-7-1947. Electrician. Member Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Res: 21 Burdick Pl., Longview, Washington.
Ch: 1h. Martha Christine Valentine, b. 9-4-1948, Hot Springs, Ark.
2h. Marion Elaine Valentine, b. 3-13-1950. Longview, Wash.
3h. Retta Jean Valentine, b. 8-20-1954, Longview, Wash.
4h. Joseph Denzil Valentine, b. 12-24-1956, Longview, Wash.
- 2g. Marion Delane Standridge, b. 2-19-1934, Mt. Ida, Ark. m: Joe Warren Telford, 5-4-1946. In U.S. Air Force. Baptist. Res: 1638 Fillmore, Topeka, Kansas. No issue.
- 3g. Edward Allen Standridge, b. 10-24-1935, Mt. Ida, Ark. Single. In U.S. Navy, but expects to return and go to college.
- 10f. William Grey Goodner, b. 3-8-1908, Mt. Ida, Ark. Lumber Manufacturer. Southern Baptist. Res: Donalsonville, Ga. m: Eva Lee Black, 3-14-1947. (b. 8-1-1923, dau. Edgar and Eva Black of Mt. Ida, Ark.)
Ch: 1g. William Grey Goodner, Jr., b. 6-29-1949.

- 2g. John Edward Goodner, b. 8-2-1951.
- 3g. Eva Susan Goodner, b. 11-9-1955.
- 9e. Thomas Jefferson Goodner, b. 5-5-1866, Oden, Ark. d. 6-30-1953 at Maysville, Okla. Farmer. Primitive Baptist. Resided in later years in Maysville, Okla. m: Ada Elizabeth Smulcer, 9-25-1895. (b. 6-21-1880 in Albany, Ky., dau. of James Andrew Smulcer. She died 10-14-1941 in Maysville, Okla.)
- Ch: 1f. Gilford (Guilford) Otto Goodner, b. 11-12-1895. d. 10-20-1897.
- 2f. Loy Ray Goodner, b. 12-14-1897. d. 12-14-1897.
- 3f. Sarah Ona Goodner, b. 10-22-1898. m: Frank Robinson, 11-18-1916, son of C. R. Robinson.
- Ch: 1g. Lavaun Robinson, b. 8-23-1917. m: Fred C. Smith. Res: 106 W. Marshall, Midwest City, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Jimmie Dale Smith, b. 1-6-1937.
- 2h. Barbara Ann Smith, b. 5-2-1940.
- 2g. Juanita Robinson, b. 1-9-1919. m: T. H. Hodge, Jr., 5-30-1936. Res: Rt. #3, Pauls Valley, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Patsy Ann Hodge, b. 7-25-1938.
- 2h. Michael Henry Hodge, b. 11-17-1943.
- 3h. Paul Bruce Hodge, b. 9-23-1946.
- 4h. Bobby Ray Hodge, b. 12-9-1951.
- 3g. F. J. Robinson, b. 1-6-1921. m: Mildred Brown, 11-12-1946. Res: Box 1516, c/o Iran Oil Co., Tehran, Iran. No further data.
- 4g. Willie Ray Robinson, b. 3-31-1922. m: Bertha Anice Fore, 5-3-1949. Res: Cortez, Colorado, Box 254.
- Ch: 1h. Randall Wayne Robinson, b. 11-3-1951.
- 5g. James Walthum Robinson, b. 11-3-1923. m: Mary Aline Lane, 3-22-1944. Res: Maysville, Okla., Box 61.
- Ch: 1h. Marylyn Jean Robinson, b. 9-29-1946.
- 2h. James Walthum Robinson, Jr., b. 3-8-1948.
- 3h. Randall Lee Robinson, b. 5-8-1950.
- 4h. Paul Don Robinson, b. 2-15-1952.
- 6g. Charles Edward Robinson, b. 1-27-1925, m: Oleta Marie Cyphers, 10-25-1944. Res: 603 Cypress, Thibodaux, La.
- Ch: 1h. Bonita Marie Robinson, b. 11-26-1945.
- 2h. Linda Carol Robinson, b. 9-18-1947.
- 3h. Dana Leslie Robinson, b. 7-19-1949.
- 4h. Charles Michael Robinson, b. 10-30-1951
- 7g. Joan Robinson, b. 3-19-1926. m: Ruben Beavers, 10-28-1944. Res: Maysville, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Larry Avon Beavers, b. 12-27-1945.
- 8g. John Cunningham Robinson, b. 1-31-1928. m: Roberta Allen, 2-24-1950. Res: Box 175, Wirt, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Paula Janette Robinson, b. 1-30-1951.
- 2h. John Franklin Robinson, b. 1-23-1952.
- 9g. Doris Jean Robinson, b. 12-7-1929, m: Johnie Massey, 4-9-1945. Res: Maysville, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Carol Eugene Massey, b. 5-10-1946.
- 2h. Janice Sue Massey, b. 10-21-1947.
- 3h. Judie Marie Massey, b. 11-27-1949.
- 4h. Brenda Kay Massey, b. 12-20-1950.
- 10g. Junior Robinson, b. 10-1-1931.
- 11g. Harold Delano Robinson, b. 3-6-1933. d. Oct. 1933.
- 12g. Donald Eugene Robinson, b. 8-3-1934.
- 13g. Betty Ruth Robinson, b. 10-12-1936. m: Boyd B. English, 6-20-1951. Res: c/o Bills & Boyds Barber Shop, Lindsay, Okla.
- 14g. Howard Leon Robinson, b. 11-4-1938.
- 4f. Delia Ollie Goodner, b. 1-26-1901. m: Roy F. De Graffenreid, 12-24-1919. (Divorced 6-20-1949) Res: Maysville, Okla., Box 611.
- Ch: 1g. Ima Kathryn De Graffenreid, b. 10-19-1920. m: Harvey David Gower, 6-22-1934. Res: Maysville, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Barbara Gower, b. 8-20-1936. d. 8-28-1936.
- 2h. Iman Ray Gower, b. 9-20-1938.
- 3h. Harvey David Gower, Jr., b. 7-7-1941.
- 2g. Wilma Louise De Graffenreid, b. 7-25-1925. d. at birth.

- 3g. Dorothy Marie De Graffenreid, b. 7-13-1926. d. 1-15-1948. m: Lois B. Morphew, 1-18-1941.
Ch: 1h. Lynda Gayle Morphew, b. 9-1-1941.
2h. Sharon Lee Morphew, b. 7-18-1943.
3h. Randal Gene Morphew, b. 8-8-1945.
- 5f. Thyra Gladys Goodner, b. 7-31-1903. m: -----
Ch: 1g. J. C. ("Husky") Goodner, b. 3-18-1923. m: Geneva Woodward, 5-31-1940. Res: 3005 Jackson St., Amarillo, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Danny Joe Goodner, b. 11-23-1945.
2h. Dewey Mac Goodner, b. 3-10-1952, Artesia, N. M.
3h. Kem Lee Goodner, b. 1955, Artesia, N. M.
Thyra Gladys Goodner. m: Thomas W. Shirley, 8-9-1949. Res: c/o J. C. Goodner 3005 Jackson St., Amarillo, Texas.
- 6f. Sanford F. Goodner, b. 11-2-1904. Operates Goodner's Steak House on North 81 Hi-Way, Duncan, Okla. m: Dollie Beulah Flippo, 7-6-1926. (Divorced April 1932)
Ch: None. m: 2nd: Gladys Marie Damron, 5-6-1935. No issue.
- 7f. Lillie Mae Goodner, b. 2-20-1906. m: Joseph B. McGough, 1-14-1924 at Purcell, Okla. (b. 3-7-1897, son of Rueben B. McGough of Arkansas, a Primitive Baptist Preacher.) Laborer. Members of the Primitive Baptist Church. Res: 6644 W. McKinley, Fresno, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Cleda Mae McGough, b. 12-31-1924, Maysville, Okla. m: Roy Joseph Chastain, 10-25-1944, Los Angeles, Calif. Employee of Bell Telephone Co. Res: 523 Barcelona Dr., Millbrae, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Roy Joseph Chastain, Jr., b. 8-17-1945, Porterville, Calif.
2h. Ralph Patrick Chastain, b. 8-25-1955, Porterville, Calif.
3h. Cleda Adamarie Chastain, b. 6-20-1958, Millbrae, Calif.
- 2g. Geraldine Yvonne McGough, b. 2-28-1926, Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Oliver Logan Brown, 9-25-1954, Fresno, Calif. Son of C. L. Brown of San Antonio, Texas. Cabinet Maker. Primitive Baptist. Res: 6614 W. McKinley, Fresno, Calif. No issue.
- 3g. Mary Elizabeth McGough, b. 9-14-1927, Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Travis C. Brown, 7-28-1946, Oakland, Calif. Son of C. L. Brown of San Antonio, Texas. Telegrapher with Southern Pacific Railroad, and a School Bus Dr. Res: 4752 W. Olive, Fresno, Calif. Prim. Baptist Church.
Ch: 1h. Bunny Mae Brown, b. 4-25-1947, San Francisco.
2h. Travis Eugene Brown, b. 4-14-1950, Tokyo, Japan.
3h. Marshall Sterling Thomas Brown, b. 8-19-1953, Madera, Calif.
4h. Robert Grady Brown, b. 7-5-1955, Madera, Calif.
5h. Elizabeth Ann Brown, b. 8-29-1958, Madera, Calif.
- 4g. Eva Rae McGough, b. 9-17-1929, Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Harold F. Crown, 12-31-1950, Divorced 1956 at Fresno, Calif. Res: 717 W. Cambridge, Fresno, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Harold Dale Crown, b. 11-9-1951, Madera, Calif.
2h. Darlene Crown, b. 5-1-1953, Madera, Calif.
- 8f. Ross Goodner, b. 5-14-1908, Arkansas. Operates "Goodner's I.G.A. Grocery", Lindsay, Okla. Members of Primitive Baptist Church. m: Venus May Palmer, 12-22-1931. No issue.
- 9f. Roy D. Goodner, b. 12-7-1909, Arkansas. Operates "Goodners' Super Market", Nos. 1 and 2, Duncan, Okla. Primitive Baptist. m: Bonnie Emma Palmer, 2-19-1953
Ch: 1g. Thomas David Goodner, b. 11-24-1934. m: Sara Ann Pribyl, 7-13-1958, dau. of Charles and Sara Lee Pribyl of Yukon, Okla. Res: c/o Goodner's Super Market, Duncan, Okla.
2g. Virginia Goodner, b. 3-3-1938. m: John James Newman, 8-19-1956. Res: c/o Goodner's Super Market, Duncan, Okla. No issue - 1958.
3g. Bonnie Dee Goodner, b. 2-16-1943.
4g. Bobby Ray Goodner, b. 6-20-1945,)
5g. Julie May Goodner, b. 6-20-1945.) Twins.
- 10f. Horace Goodner, b. 12-28-1912, Arkansas. m: Edith Fae Caler, 10-24-1932. Res: 239 East Ave., P-5, Palmdale, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Billy Richard Goodner, b. 1-10-1934. m: Louise Bertha Wemple, 1-23-1955, Lancaster, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Cheryl Lynn Goodner, b. 5-2-1956, Lancaster, Calif.
2g. Wilma Jeanette Goodner, b. 2-7-1936. m: Richard Dale Ridgeway, 7-26-1952, Las Vegas, Nevada.

- Ch: 1h. Richard Lee Ridgeway, b. 9-8-1953, at Sunnyside, Calif.
 2h. Janice Fay Ridgeway, b. 3-27-1955, Lancaster, Calif.
- 3g. Kenneth Edward Goodner, b. 12-12-1937. m: Ethel Regina Budd, 6-16-1957, Las Vegas, Nevada.
- Ch: 1h. Kelly Annia Goodner, b. 12-10-1957, at Quartz Hill, Calif.
- 4g. Jimmy Paul Goodner, b. 2-13-1941.
- 5g. Janice Fae Goodner, b. 7-29-1948.
- 11f. Thomas Jefferson Goodner, Jr., b. 9-6-1917, Maysville, Okla. Business: Goodner's I.G.A. Store, Lindsay, Okla., and "Ann's Beauty Shop", also at Lindsay. m: 1st: Paula Ruth Roberts, 1-12-1946. (d. 6-11-1947) (a widow with one daughter, Joan Ruth Roberts.) m: 2nd: Anna Lee Stephenson, 1952. Missionary Baptist. Res: Lindsay, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Pamela Venus Goodner, b. 8-2-1953, Lindsay, Okla.
 2g. Terri Jean Goodner, b. 6-7-1955, Lindsay, Okla.
- 10e. Nancy Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1868. m: Thomas R. Bates. Resided in Potter, Ark.
- Ch: 1f. William Samuel Bates
 2f. Robert E. Lee Bates
 3f. Sarah Elizabeth Bates
 4f. Lorena Bates
 5f. Olive Inez Bates
 6f. Albert Dero Bates

- 4c. Elizabeth Goodner, the fourth child of Peter (?) and Mary Goodner, was born in Guilford County, North Carolina, in the year 1778, a date based on her age as given in the 1850 census returns of Vermilion Co., Illinois, her residence at the time. She married George Swisher in Guilford County about the year 1790, if we are to give credit to the tradition in her family that she married at the age of 12. They were still living in Guilford Co. in 1800, as George Swisher is shown as head of a household with the following souls:-

<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
1 Under 10 years of age	1 Under 10 years of age
1 16-26 years of age	1 16-26 years of age
	1 Over 40 years of age

The boy under the age of ten was either William or Anthony, possibly the former, and the female under ten was undoubtedly Margaret (Peggy). The female over 40 years of age may have been the mother of George.

George and Elizabeth most likely accompanied her brother, Walter, when he left North Carolina, as we find Swishers in both Preble County, Ohio, and Vermilion County, Ill., where Walter lived. Earlier census records were not checked, but we find George and Elizabeth in Vermilion County, Illinois, in 1850, when they were living with their daughter, Elizabeth, and her husband, Leonard Hathaway. In the census record of that year the age of George is given as 76 and that of Elizabeth, his wife, as 72, with places of birth of both given as North Carolina. The age of the daughter was given as 30, and that of her husband as 33. Living with them at the time was a Susan Goodner, age 15. We do not know whose daughter she was.

The dates of death of George and Elizabeth are not known, but from information handed down George died and was buried in Decatur, Illinois, and Elizabeth died later somewhere in Missouri, where she was buried. If Elizabeth did die in Missouri, she must have been residing in her old age with one of her children.

Unfortunately our knowledge of the descendants of George and Elizabeth is almost non-existent. Such as we have is as follows:-

- Ch: 1d. William Swisher, b. 1790/1800, Guilford Co., N.C. No further record.
 2d. Margaret Swisher, (Peggy), b. 1790/1800, Guilford Co., N.C. No further record.
 3d. Henry Swisher, b. abt. 1802. Place of birth not known. Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1e. Daughter. m: Edward Lafferty (d. 1909). Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
 Ch: 1f. Daughter. b. 1865. m: C.A. Hubbard, Proprietor of the Ill. Hotel, Danville, Ill.
 2e. Daughter, b. 1828. Resided in Decatur, Ill., in 1909.
 4d. Anthony Swisher. No data.
 5d. Sallie Swisher, b. abt. 1807. m: Mr. Hoskins. Resided in Vermilion Co., Ill.
 Ch: 1e. Child. Died infancy.
 2e. Cynthia Hoskins.
 3e. Clarinda Hoskins
 4e. Elza Hoskins.
 5e. Washington Hoskins
 6e. William Hoskins
 7e. Eli Hoskins, b. abt. 1838/40, Vermilion Co., Ill. m: Margaret A. Goodner, 6-12-1860, Vermilion Co., Ill. (b. 3-6-1840, dau. Michael Goodner and Catherine Conner). Moved to Stearns Co., Minn. For data on their issue, see "Michael Goodner" under chapter on Jacob Goodner.
 8e. Thomas Hoskins. Left no issue.
 9e. David Hoskins
 10e. John Henry Hoskins
 6d. Elizabeth Swisher, b. 1820. m: Leonard Hathaway (b. 1817), Vermilion Co., Ill. Living in Vermilion Co., Ill., in 1850. Residing with them were Elizabeth's mother and father and a Susan Goodner, age 15, whose parentage is not known.
 Ch: 1e. William Hathaway. Resided in Menomine, Wis., Rt. #8.
 2e. Farrel Hathaway. Resided in Menomine, Wis., Rt. #8.

(Ike Swisher of Rt. #1, Boyceville, Wis., was a grandson of Elizabeth Goodner and George Swisher, but it is not known which of the sons was his father.)

George Swisher, or a George Swisher, was residing in Guilford Co., N.C., in 1816, when he purchased land from a Thos. Lofton. We do not know the parentage of George, but the Swishers shown in certain real estate transactions in Guilford County were no doubt of close kin to him. A list of some of these transactions follow:-

COPIED FROM INDEX BOOKS OF DEEDS, GUILFORD COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, TOWN OF GREENSBORO.
 (By Mrs. Frank H. Goit, nee Lenna Goodner.)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Grantor</u>	<u>Inst.</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Book</u>	<u>Page</u>
1782	Francis Swisher	State of North Car.	Grant	----	4	121
1787	Francis Swisher	Adam & Ceatrean Remer	Deed	30	5	495
1793	Jacob Swisher	John Maxwell	Deed	80	5	488
1794	John Swisher	Francis Swisher	Deed	100	6	11
1796	John Swisher	State of North Car.	Grant	----	6	327
1797	John Swisher	Watson Wharten	Deed	550	6	334
1797	George Swisher	Francis Swisher	Deed	----	6	345
1804	George Swisher	William Smith	Deed	1000	8	226
1801*	Jacob Swisher	Jacob Goodner et al.	Deed	100	8	273
1807	Jacob Swisher	James McCalley	Deed	27	9	287
1804	Jacob Swisher	Joseph Morse	Deed	200	10	246
1813	John Swisher	Thos. Bradford	Deed	540	11	274
1814	Jacob Swisher	Robert Murdock	Deed	250	11	320
1814	Jacob Swisher	State of North Car.	Grant	----	12	8
1816	George Swisher	Thos. Loftin	Deed	----	13	27

Of interest is a letter written by Mrs. C. A. Hubbard in 1909 to George Washington Goodner, son of Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair Co., Ill.

"Danville, Ill. July 8, 1909.

Mr. Geo. Goodner
Quincy, Ill.

Dear Sir:- Your letter rec'd this A.M. and thank you very much for being so prompt in writing, and will apologize to you for refering to you as a very old gentleman, but we heard you was most 90 and I think that is getting up in years. I feel pretty old myself sometimes and I am only about half of that. First I will tell you how I heard of you and that was through some of my relation in Decatur, Ill. They met a man there by the name of Frank Goodner and I hear he is a nephew of yours. Now I will tell you who I am and how I am related to the Goodners or how it happened I am interested in this estate. A great many years ago there was two brothers by the name of Jacob and Walter Goodner and one sister by the name of Elizabeth Goodner came to this country. They were in different places in this country at times but finally Walter located about Georgetown, Ill., and he finally died and is buried not far from there. Jacob died and is buried at Rising Sun, Ind., and Elizabeth who is my Great Grandmother is buried somewhere in Missouri. Elizabeth married a man by the name of Geo. Swisher and they had a son named Henry and he is my grandfather and my mother's father and my mother married Edward Lafferty. I have seen my Great Grandmother many times, and remember her very distinctly. My mother has a sister living in Decatur, Ill. that is over 80 years old, that has heard her Father talk of this estate, but was apparently not much interested and never asked where they came from. In the year of 1901, there was some of the relation seen an advertisement in some paper which I heard was the St. Louis Globe Democrat, trying to locate the Goodner heirs, and that there was a 99 year lease that had just expired, and was due the Goodner heirs, but why it was never settled I do not know, and not knowing that I was a descendent I did not know anything of it until last summer, and since that time I have written every one that ever was a Goodner and I certainly hope you are of my kin and can give us some information concerning this estate. My aunt in Decatur says she heard her Father tell of this lease and that it is a lease to the German Steamship Co. of New York for wharf purposes and that the lease was given in 1802 which was the year my Grandfather was born. We have never been able to find anyone yet that knew what the name of Elizabeth Goodners' Father, and where they came from in Germany, and if you know and I have made it plain to you, and if I am of the same tribe as you are, I would certainly be very glad if your information would prove to be of any value to each other. I am going to Decatur to spend Sunday if nothing happens and have a talk with your nephew and if it is convenient to you I would like to hear from you before that time. I thank you again for being so prompt in answering my letter, and will say I think that is the very reason we have not made any progress in this business, because the relation is so slow to write. I hope some day we may meet and become acquainted with each other. My father is dead, but my Mother is living and is going on 75 years old and can get around me while I am thinking of it. Will wish you well and will hope to receive any early reply.

Respectfully yours,
Mrs. C.A. Hubbard. "

(Written on stationery of the Illinois Hotel, Danville, Ill. C. A. Hubbard, Proprietor.)

5c. Mary ("Polly") Goodner, the last child of Peter (?) and Mary Goodner, was born about 1780 or 1781 in Guilford Co., N. C. Nothing is known of her. Henry, in writing to his cousin, Godfrey Goodner, on July 12, 1817, states that "the last account I had of my two sisters, Polly and Betsy, they were still living in North Carolina". Whether putting Polly's name before Betsy's would indicate seniority or not is of course not known. Mary's name does not appear in the 1800 or later census returns of Guilford County, so the probabilities are she had married. And Henry in his letter did not say when he had last heard of his sisters.

3c. Conrad Goodner, according to his own statement, was born Nov. 29th, 1756, in Germany, and was apparently the third son of John Goodner (Johannes Guttener), immigrant. The birth date is given in his application for pension due him for his services as a soldier in the North Carolina Line in the Revolutionary War, and his place of birth was given in a statement made to his grandson, George Washington Goodner. George was taken by his father at the age of six to see his grandfather, and while sitting in front of Conrad, on a low stool, Conrad is reported to have said to him, "When I was a boy of your age I was living in a castle on the Rhine". As young George remembered him later, he was not "Dutchfied" in appearance. Another grandson stated that he was one of the kindest persons he had ever known.

These dates - that of his birth and that of his residence in the castle on the Rhine - have been used to determine the approximate time of the arrival of the family in America, which has already been discussed in the article on "The Immigrant Family", (q. v.), and which was between the years 1763 and 1774/5.

Conrad grew to manhood on the farm of his father in Orange County, North Carolina. While a person of considerable native intelligence, he was unlettered, there being during his boyhood no neighborhood schools that he could attend, private schools in the distant cities being beyond their financial reach. Their primary objective in those days was to wrest a livelihood from the soil, and the children were required to do their share as they grew able to do so. The fact that Conrad was unlettered may be significant in that it might help to establish the coming of the family to America while he was still quite young, perhaps around seven and eight years of age, as the probabilities are that if he had remained in Germany much beyond that age he would have had some schooling, at least enough as to permit him to sign his name. That is particularly true if the family had been of a better status than peasantry. Conrad stated that when he was twelve years old his mother told him his age. Unfortunately he did not state where they were residing at the time.

In November of 1778, at the age of 22 years nearest birthday, Conrad was drafted, or enlisted, in the Continental Line - he states the "Army of the United States" - at Hillsboro, North Carolina, serving nine months, being discharged in August 1779. Immediately after entering the service he marched with his Regiment, commanded by Colonel Saxton and Lt. Col. Lightel, to Charleston, South Carolina. While there he served as waggoner at the encampment of General Lincoln when the Battle of Stone Brier was fought. The date of this battle was March 3rd, 1779. The American General Ashe was stationed by orders of General Lincoln behind Brier Creek, where it falls into the Savannah, about forty miles below Augusta, Georgia. During the last three months of his service, Conrad was confined for a time to a hospital in the Black Swamp due to an illness, and one may wonder if it was not that illness which germinated the seed of the affliction which in after years became his burden to bear, and which caused him so many years of disablement and pain, and which rendered him bedfast the last seven years of his life.

Conrad's war time service is fairly completely stated in his pension papers, application for which was filed in St. Clair County, Illinois, June 3rd, 1833. A facsimile of this application, as well as one of his children which was filed subsequent to his death, is herewith reproduced. The originals of these papers are in the possession of the National Archives, General Services Administration, Washington, D.C. Attention is called particularly to the facsimiles of the Bible leaves accompanying the application of Jacob in behalf of the children on which is written the names and birthdates of Conrad Goodner (Conrath Guttener) and Elizabeth, and those of the two oldest children in German. Jacob, in his statement, certifies that he is not certain in whose hand-writing these are, but Conrad stated that at the time of his marriage his father-in-law wrote down his age on a piece of paper which he then had. The handwriting then might be that of Jacob Daniel Scherrer, which if true is the only known existence of his penmanship. As long as Conrad and Elizabeth remained in Guilford County, the birth records of the children were written in German, which shows that some one with a German education was taking care of the record, and whom more natural than the grandfather. After their removal from North Carolina, the entries were in English.

Conrad married in Guilford County, North Carolina, in 1782, at age 26, Elizabeth Scherrer, age 17, a daughter of John Daniel Scherrer and Hannah Sophia Dick, both natives of Germany. Elizabeth was born in Guilford County, June 25th, 1765. See in the Appendix the extensive article on the Scherrer family, which carries facsimiles of two rare, old, and valuable documents, - the letter of Recommendation that Jacob Daniel brought with him to this country in 1752, and a letter written to him in this country by his brother, George Theobald Scherrer, in Germany, in the year 1764.

No record of Conrad's marriage is on file in the Court House in Guilford County. It seems that very few marriages were recorded in those early days. It is a matter of speculation and interest as to the scene of the marriage ceremony, but since the Scherrers were active members of the nearby Friedens Church, and Jacob Daniel no doubt a pillar in the institution, it is logical to suppose that the marriage took place in the old log structure that served as the church at that time. The Goodners no doubt attended this church also, which served both the Lutheran and German Reformed churches.

Conrad and Elizabeth remained in Guilford County until shortly after the birth of their second child, Maria Salome (Sally), on May 21st, 1786. John, their first child, was born Dec. 17th, 1783. Conrad was following the profession of farming, but it is not known where he made his home these first years in Guilford County. The soil of Guilford County is not now, nor was it then, very productive. Today it requires much fertilization to produce good crops.

Shortly before 1790, for a period of several years, there appears to have been a depression in the area, resulting in hard and difficult times, and this coupled with the difficulties of securing good crops from the poor soil, together with the lure of fertile and cheap lands to the west, prompted the exodus of a great number of people. They emigrated, generally in large groups and families, westward to Tennessee, which was then a part of North Carolina. Some remained permanently in that State; others removed still further westward and northward, as these sections became open to settlement, - some going to Illinois, some to Indiana, some to Missouri, and some southward into Alabama and Mississippi.

Conrad and Elizabeth were one of the families that moved to Tennessee, accompanied it appears by some of the Scherrers, the Jordans, Goddards, Jacksons, etc. They settled in Sullivan County, Tennessee. It was quite an undertaking for these families to undertake this trip westward into practically virgin territory. Travel was by oxen & wagon, in which they carried their household goods of all descriptions. They drove their livestock along with the caravan over the then almost impassable roads through mountains and rivers on to places unknown and unseen by them, and about which they had known through heresy only. They were pioneers, ever seeking that "land of promise", where they might rest and build their homes and farms anew.

They made their home in Sullivan County for about 16 years, arriving about the year 1788 and leaving about the year 1804. They settled on a tract of land of 150 acres or thereabouts, and on which he received a State grant in the year 1794, some six years after he first settled on it. The grant reads as follows:-

"State of North Carolina. No. 567.

To all to whom these presents shall come Greeting; Know ye that we for and in consideration of the sum of fifty shillings for every hundred acres hereby granted paid into our Treasury by Conrad Goodner have given and granted and by these presents do give and grant unto this s^d Conrad Goodner a tract of land containing one hundred and fifty acres lying and being in our County of Sullivan, including the plantation whereon the s^d Goodner now lives, Beginning at two white Oaks on William Goddard's corner North 65 West 140 poles to a black oak and gum thence North 30 East 45 poles to a line thence North 60 west 48 poles to a Lin on or near William Elliott's line thence North fifty East 110 poles to a maple thence East 95 poles to a gum, then south 100 poles to a white Walnut tree thence East fifty poles to a stake then a straight line to the beginning as by the plat hereunto annexed doth appear together with all woods waters mines Minerals hereditments and appurtenances to the s^d lands belonging or appertaining to hold to this s^d Conrad Goodner his heirs and assigns forever yielding and paying to us such Sums of money yearly or otherwise as our General Assembly from time to time may direct provided always that the s^d Conrad Goodner shall cause this grant to be registered in the Register's office of our s^d County of Sullivan within the time limited by law, otherwise the same shall be void and of no effect in testimony whereof we have caused these our letters to be made patent and our great seal to be hereunto affixed, witness Richard Dobbs Spaight, Esqr., our governor Captain general and Commander in Chief at Newbern the 29th day of July in the 18 year of our Independence and in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and ninety-three.

(Seal) Richard Dobbs Spaight.

By his Excelleys Com'd
J. Glasgow, Secretary.
Sept., 14th day 1794. Then Registered.

E P, Ex. ^d W. A.

(From Book 2, Page 714. Deed Record, Sullivan Co., Tenn.)

This tract of land was located on Reedy's Creek, and you will note that it bordered on the land of a William Goddard, who in the year 1822 sold his plantation of 97-3/4 acres to a John Jackson. A granddaughter of Jacob Dan Scherrer, Elizabeth Jordan, married about 1802 a Joseph Goddard, residing in later years in Knox and Blount counties, Tennessee.

Other Jacksons living in Sullivan County were Peter, who on Oct. 25th, 1786, bought from Samuel Job an 87 acre tract of land on Kindrick Creek, and who later on June 27th, 1793, received a grant from the State of North Carolina of 75 acres on the same creek. A William Jackson, on Aug. 15, 1800, bought from Jacob Job, 75 acres on Kindrick Creek, but this was evidently a different William than married Catherine Goodner, since he sold this land in 1825, indicating residence there, and Catherine and her husband had been residents of Illinois for several years prior to 1825. Records also reveal a Robert Jackson in Sullivan in 1793, and a Thomas Jackson in 1810. These Jacksons were undoubtedly from the Jackson family of Guilford County, North Carolina.

Conrad lived on his plantation for about 16 years, improving it and rearing his rapidly growing family. Here his children David, Jacob, James, Jane Ann, Benjamin, Hannah Grinade, Godfrey, Francis and possibly Elijah were born.

On Nov. 2nd, 1803, he sold his plantation to Benjamin Lee for the sum of \$500.00. The sale was recorded May 27th, 1804. (Book 4, Page 591, Deed Book, Sullivan Co., Tenn.) This deed was signed in the presence of John and Rachel Anderson; Matthew Rhea, was Clerk of the County. It is extremely unfortunate but all the old records

of Sullivan County with the exception of the deeds were destroyed by fire when the Court House was burned in 1863, in the war between the States. In 1803, or 1804, he moved with his family to Smith County, Tennessee, although there seems to some tradition in the family that he resided briefly in Greene County. No record of land purchase, however, exists in that county. Smith County continued to be his home until 1811 or 1812, when he removed to Johnson County, Illinois Territory, * residing at a place known as Pine Hill, near the old Fort Massac postoffice. Here also moved three brothers of Elizabeth, David, John and Godfrey Sherer (Sheerer). Conrad and Elizabeth remained in Johnson only a few years and then moved on to Randolph County. Neither of these places suited Conrad because he began to suffer quite considerably from arthritis, and these counties being relatively low created conditions which aggravated his ailment. Consequently, he again moved, and this time to St. Clair County, where the land was higher and the climate more suited to him. The year of his arrival in St. Clair County is given as 1815 by George Washington Goodner, a grandson. This section was called "The Land of Goshen", and the "land of Promise." In "Illinois Settlements in St. Clair Co., Ill.", it states that Conrad Goodner took out a grant, or purchased, March 9th, 1818, the East 1/2 of the N.W. 1/4 of Section 3, consisting of 86.4 acres. He had been apparently living on this tract of land since he moved to St. Clair County.

All of Conrad's children did not accompany him to Illinois. John was, by the year 1811, married and with a growing family; he elected to remain in Smith Co., Tenn. David remained also in Tennessee, finally in 1814 or 1815 moving to Huntsville, Mississippi Territory, which a short time later became a part of the State of Alabama. Jacob also remained in Tennessee, and did not move to Illinois until several years later. It appears that James accompanied his parents to Illinois - he was not married - but not liking the climate returned to Tennessee and lived with his brother, John. The rest of the children all accompanied their parents.

Conrad continued to live in St. Clair County until about 1830. He was progressively becoming worse from his arthritic condition and was having difficulty in getting around, and consequently in taking care of his farm. He began to be bent over and to have difficulty walking, and the pains he suffered were very severe. George Washington Goodner wrote years later "that grandfather improved a farm in St. Clair Co., Ill., and after he had an orchard in bearing found that his title was bad. The case was decided against him in the Supreme Court. He then moved to Nashville, Illinois, with his youngest son, Elijah, where he died very poor, not knowing that he had property in Germany worth \$2,000,000.00". This latter refers to an "estate" in Germany supposedly left to certain Goodner heirs, of which no record was ever found.

On Feb. 25th, 1830, in St. Clair County, Conrad and Elizabeth conveyed to their daughters, Elizabeth and Jane Ann, parts of Section 3, Township 1S, Range 9, and on Sept. 30th of the same year, they apparently conveyed another part of the same tract to Jane Ann. On that same date, Elizabeth Goodner conveyed to Jane Ann that part that had previously been deeded to her. On May 8th, 1837, Jane Ann conveyed one of these tracts to a Nic. Schurberth, perhaps all in her name, as no subsequent transfers from her could be found, - that is all in her name at that time. Previously, on Sept. 30th, 1831, she conveyed to her brother, Elijah, a part of Section 3, Township 1S, Range 9, as recorded in Book F, Page 468.

From 1830 until his death, Conrad and his wife, Elizabeth, lived with son, Elijah, whose farm was some two or three miles directly south of the town of Nashville, Washington County, Illinois. Conrad passed away on August 27, 1837, in the home of Elijah, mercifully released from the unbearable torture which had wracked his body for the past seven years. For these past seven years he was bedridden, and his spine was so drawn up in curvature that his knees and chin almost touched; hands and fingers were drawn and shriveled in the typical arthritis condition characteristic of the disease, rendering him completely helpless. At times, his screams of agony could be heard some distance from the house, as then no drugs were available to soften the pain. At the time of his death, he was lacking but a few months of being 81 years of age. It is reported that because of his spine curvature, he was buried in an upright condition, in a small cemetery, known as the Locust Cemetery, located at one place on the farm touching on the road leading past it. Elizabeth, his faithful wife and mother of twelve children, followed him in lasting peace, April 12th, 1839, and was interred beside him. Her age at death was 74 years.

No stones mark the resting place of this honored couple, and the exact location in the cemetery has become lost. When I visited this cemetery in the summer of 1958 I found it overgrown with saplings and brush, entirely uncared for except for one spot about ten feet square. It is a tragedy that this should be, and it is also lamentable that their exact resting place was not suitably marked. No plot of the graves sites exist, and it is now impossible to locate their graves.

Administration papers were filed on the estate of Conrad in Washington Co., Ill., Oct. 7th, 1841, John W. Holcomb, being appointed Administrator. He and Alexander D. Hay furnished bond in the sum of \$60.00. Z. H. Vernor was judge of the Probate Court.

 From the
NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL COMMISSION

This is to Certify that the following is an accurate copy from records in the official custody of the North Carolina Historical Commission.

*See Appendix on Illinois counties

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, D^{ES}

For Sundries furnished the Militia of North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina as allowed by David Wilson, Auditor, November 1781, as P Report N^o 31.

	<u>N^o V^{os}</u>	<u>Currency</u>	<u>Specie</u>
2591 To Conrod Goodner, for Oats & fodder P voucher	114		L 1.1.0.

From: Accounts of United States with North Carolina War of Revolution, Book A, page 87.

Raleigh, October 31, 1834.

(Seal).....
Secretary

NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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(Abstract of the accounts paid the (Conti)mental Line since 1784.

<u>Names</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Cash</u>	<u>Certificates</u>
Conrad Goodner	40.10.4.	10.2.7.	30.7.9.

From: North Carolina Revolutionary Army Accounts, Vol VII, page 104, folio 1.

Raleigh, October 31, 1934.

(Seal).....
Secretary

For those of the descendants of Conrad Goodner who may wish to use his Revolutionary War service for entry in- to any patriotic society, such as the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Sons of the American Revolution, or Sons of the Revolution, the following authorities may be used to prove his service:-

1. Pension File No. R 4113, filed from St. Clair Co., Ill.
2. Vol. VII, page 104, Folio 1, North Carolina Revolutionary War Accounts.
3. "Army Accounts - State Records of North Carolina, Halifax and Warrenton", Vol. XVII, 1781-1785. Settled by Commissioners in 1785 at Warrenton, showing Conrad Goodner entered claim for services. Claim received by A. Lytle.
4. "Roster of North Carolina Soldiers in the American Revolution", published by the North Carolina Society of the D.A.R., 1932, Page 526.

CONRAD GOODNER

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PENSION BUREAU

WASHINGTON, D.C.,

JUNE 8, 1923.

I, WINFIELD SCOTT, COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS, hereby certify that the attached eight pages are true photostatic copies of the originals thereof, on file in the Pension Bureau, in the Revolutionary War claims for pension made on account of the services of Conrad Goodner, North Carolina Troops, A. file No. 4113.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the seal of the Pension Bureau to be affixed, the day and year above written.



Winfield Scott

WINFIELD SCOTT
Commissioner of Pensions

State of Illinois and County of St. Clair }

On this the third day of June 1833 personally appeared before the County Commissioners of the County of St. Clair and State of Illinois the same being a Court Record, Conrad Goodner resident of the County and State aforesaid who being duly sworn according to Law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832 - That he was born on the 29th of November in the year 1756, and that on the 29th of November ensuing he will be 77 years of age, that when about the age of 12 years his mother told him of his age, and when near 30 years old at his marriage he was unable to write requesting his Father in Law to note his age on a scrap of paper which he now has - That he was drafted in the Army of the United States in the year 1778 and about the first of November with Captain John Griffy and joined in the Regiment commanded by Col. ~~Stovall~~ Lewis - Col. Lightel. That he was drafted for nine months and continued in service during the whole time and was discharged in August of the year 1779 that during the last three months of his said service, having been a short ^{time} on account of ill health confined to the hospital at the Black Swamp in accordance to orders received as a private under a Dr. Davis Druggers master - That when he entered the service he resided in Hillsborough Orange County in the State of North Carolina, that he marched from thence in the land route to Charleston in the State of South Carolina, that while engaged at the encampment of Gen. Lincoln the battle of Stone River was fought - he states that he ^{since} rendered his discharge to Colonel Lightel, as tantamount to a power of attorney for the purpose of receiving his pay through the medium of Colonel Lightel, that he has no documentary evidence and that he knows of no person whose testimony he can procure who can testify to his service - He further states that after the conclusion of the Revolution he lived in Guilford County North Carolina and also in the State of Tennessee, from thence he removed to

to Randolph County in the State of Illinois and now resides
 in the County of McLeaia and State last mentioned
 The further state that James H. Coopers formerly of
 Madison Moach to whom he is known in his present
 neighborhood can testify to his character for truth and
 their belief of his service as a soldier of the Revolution and
 the hereby making wishes very claim whatever to a pension or
 annuity except the present and declares that his name
 is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state.
 The above is my unsworn declaration according to the instruc-
 tions of the Department

Sworn and subscribed the day and year
 aforesaid before me in open Court
 Submit May 6th
 must of
 Conrad Goodner

The Thomas Harrison a lawyer residing in the County
 of McLeaia and State of Illinois and a John Vandellman
 residing in the same do hereby certify that we are well
 acquainted with Conrad Goodner who has subscribed
 and sworn to the above declaration; that we believe
 him to be seventy seven years of age; that he is
 respected and beloved in the neighborhood where he
 resides to have been a soldier of the Revolution and that
 we concur in that opinion.

Sworn and subscribed ~~the day and year~~
 today and year
 aforesaid
 Submit May 6th
 must of
 John Vandellman

And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion after
 the investigation of the matter and after putting the subor-
 rogatories presented by the War Department, that
 the above named applicant was a Revolutionary
 Soldier and served as he states. And the Court

further certify that it appears to them that Thomas
Harrison who has signed the preceding certificate
is a clergyman resident in the county of St Clair
and State aforesaid, and that John Hanfteman —
— who has also signed the ~~same~~ same is a resident
in the same and is a credible person, and that
their statement is entitled to credit.

I John Hay Clerk of the ~~Said~~ Court of St Clair County &
State of Illinois do hereby certify that the foregoing
(contains) the original proceedings of the said Court, in the matter
of the application of Conrad Goodner for a pension.



In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and Seal of Office, this third day of June
in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty
three, one of the Townships of the United States
of America the fifth Seventh.

John Hay

State of Illinois Washington County ss

Probate Justice Court Special Term

On this 19th day of January 1844 before the Probate Justice Court for the County aforesaid personally appeared Jacob Goodner a resident of said County, and being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain for the children of Conroe and Elizabeth Goodner the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress passed on the 7th July 1838 entitled an act granting half pay and pensions to certain Widows &c

That he is the 4th child and son of Conroe and Elizabeth Goodner - that Conroe Goodner his Father ^{he has no more to believe} was a Soldier in the War of the Revolution - and for his services was allowed a pension of \$30 per annum and was on the pension List Roll of the Illinois Agency - and that he died on the 27th day of August 1837

He further declares that he has reason to believe that his Parents were married in the year 1782 - that there is no record evidence of that fact to his knowledge - but that there is a partial record of the births of their children found in a Bible formerly owned by his Father which is here exhibited which shows that this declarant was born the 3rd day of July 1790 which to the best of his knowledge is the correct record of his age - he states that he has seen this same register as long ago as he can recollect - but cannot certainly state in whose handwriting it is

He further states that Elizabeth his Mother remained a Widow until the 12th day of April 1839 at which time she departed this life - leaving at the time of her death the following children - John Goodner - Sally Browning David Goodner - James Jacob Goodner - James Goodner - Ann - Goodner - Benjamin Goodner - Goethyay Goodner Francis A. Goodner - Elijah Goodner - Elizabeth Holcomb

sworn and subscribed in open Court on the day & year above written Before me

Benas W. Vernon Probate Justice

State of Illinois Washington County ss
 I Zenas H Verror Probate Justice of the Peace in
 and for the County aforesaid do certify that Jacob Goodner
 who has sworn and subscribed to the foregoing declaration is
 a person of good repute and a credible witness - that
 it appears to my satisfaction that Elizabeth Goodner died
 on the 12th day of April 1839 leaving eleven children
 the same as named by Jacob Goodner in his declaration
 I further certify that the Probate Justice Courts
 of this State are by Law Courts of Record and are
 authorized to hold special terms for the transaction
 of extraordinary business

Z. H. V.
 J. P.
 W. H. V.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and affixed my private
 seal - no official seal being provided
 for this Court - done at Nashville
 this 19th day of January 1844
 Zenas H Verror Probate Justice

State of Illinois
 Washington County
 The County Commissioners Court, in and for said County, do certify,
 that Zenas H Verror is the acting Probate Justice of the Peace, in
 and for said County, regularly commissioned, and qualified, and
 that the signature, above subscribing to be his, is genuine.

In Witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name,
 and affixed the seal of said Court, at Office, this
 nineteenth day of January, in the Year of our Lord,
 One thousand, eight Hundred and forty four.
 Thos. Hallway, C. C.

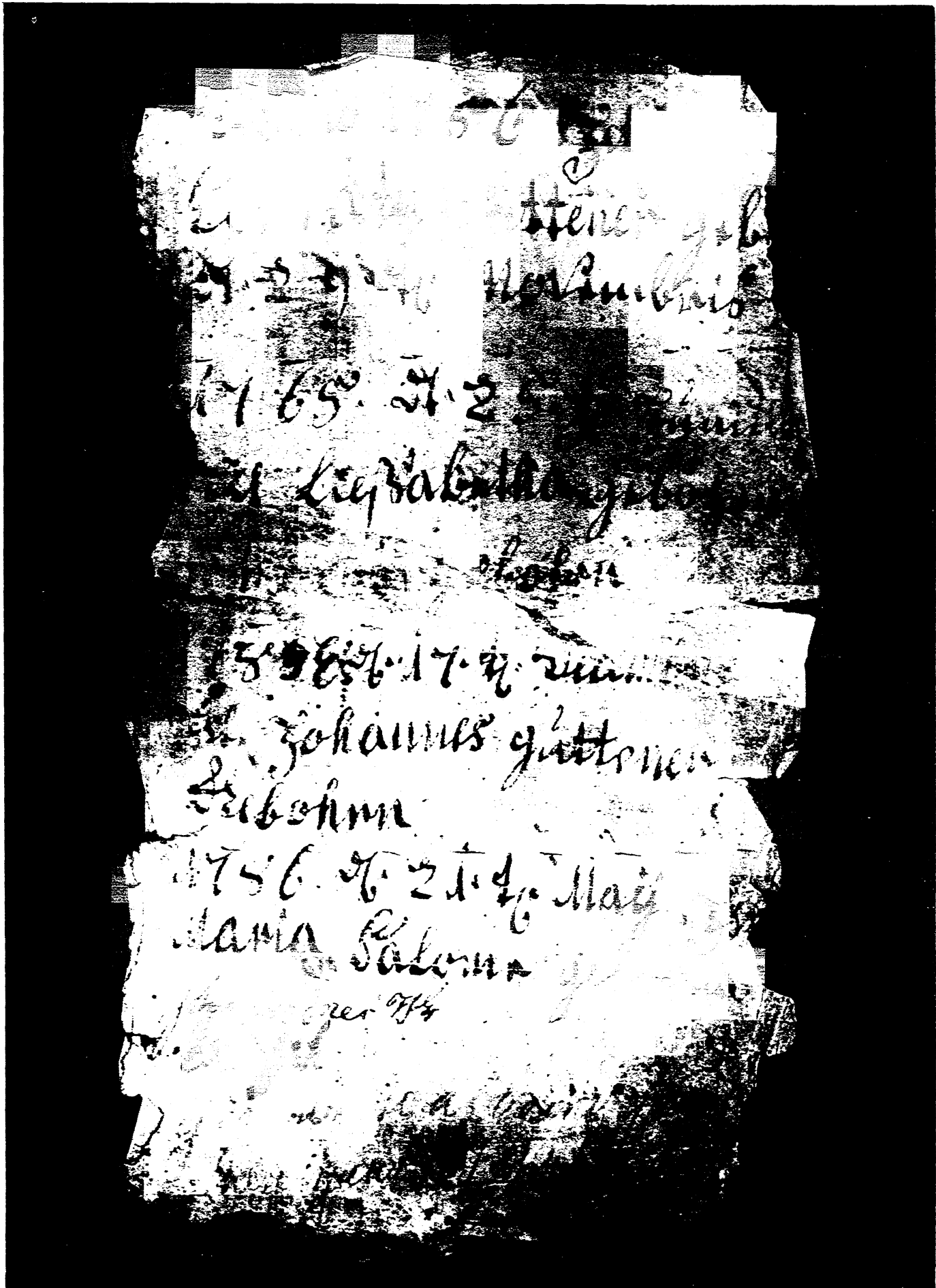
Wm. Illinois
 Sir

2nd Feb. 1844

I herewith send you the claim of the
 Children of Conrad and Elisabeth Gogdner for
 a pension under the act of the 10th July
 1788 - They were married in Guilford County
 N. Carolina (as I am informed) and near six
 months ago. I enclosed a fee of \$2 to the
 Clerk of that County, requesting to be furnished
 with record evidence of the marriage,
 but I have received no answer, not is it
 likely I ever shall - I hope however the request
 and enclose will be satisfactory as to the
 marriage; on one side of this said record, as
 I understand it, is printed in the German lan-
 guage, the date of the births of the old people
 and on the other that of their children -
 please give the case your attention as soon
 as convenient, and let me know the
 result.

I am, Sir,
 your aff. Servant
 Daniel Hays

James L. Edwards Esq
 Com. Pension
 Washington City



Jacob Goodner was born
 The year

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 Jacob Goodner was born
 The year

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 Goodner was born

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 Goodner was born
 The year

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 Jamieson Goodner
 was born
 The year

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 Goodner was born
 The year

1	1	7	9	8
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3b. Conrad Goodner (1756-1837) - Elizabeth Scherrer (1765-1839)

1c. John Goodner (1783-1861) m: Martha Stewart
(1784-1859)

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- 1d. Cyrus Goodner (1808-1898)
 - 2d. Elizabeth Goodner (1810-)
 - 3d. Jacob Goodner (1811-1886)
 - 4d. John Goodner (1813-d, young)
 - 5d. James Goodner (1815-drowned)
 - 6d. Sallie Goodner (1817-)
 - 7d. Nancy Goodner (1818-1903)
 - 8d. John Goodner (1820-1907)
 - 9d. Martha Goodner (1821-1903)
 - 10d. Andrew Jackson Goodner (1823-1900)
 - 11d. George Washington Goodner (1825-)

2c. Maria Salome (Sally) Goodner (1786-1872)
Single.

3c. David Goodner (1788-1848) m: Orpha Rosebrough

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- 1d. Superior Goodner (1815-1885)
 - 2d. Blooming Goodner (1816-1838)
 - 3d. Malinda Goodner (1819-1897)
 - 4d. Samuel Goodner (1822-d, young)
 - 5d. Eliza Bennis Goodner ()
 - 6d. Martha Thompson Goodner (1827-1898)
 - 7d. David Goodner (1830-d, young)

4c. Jacob Goodner (1790-1859) m: Susannah Payne
(1792-1872)

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- 1d. Elizabeth Goodner (1813-)
 - 2d. Love Goodner (1814-1817)
 - 3d. Delilah Goodner (1816-d, young)
 - 4d. Matilda Goodner (1818-)
 - 5d. Salem Goodner (1820-1903)
 - 6d. Elinor Goodner (1821-d, young)
 - 7d. Miriam Goodner (1823-1876)
 - 8d. Rebecca Goodner (1824-)
 - 9d. Mariah Goodner (1826-)
 - 10d. Sarah Goodner (1829-)
 - 11d. Lucretia Goodner (1830-)
 - 12d. Emily Goodner (1832-)
 - 13d. Lovey Goodner)
 - 14d. Dovey Goodner) Twins. Died at birth.

5c. James Goodner (1792-1883) m: Martha Fite
(1798-1862)

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- 1d. Martha Harriett Goodner (1818-1854)
 - 2d. Elizabeth Caroline Goodner (1820-1912)
 - 3d. John Fite Goodner (1822-1871)
 - 4d. Louisa Domell Goodner (1825-1912)
 - 5d. Nancy Jane Goodner (1827-1894)
 - 6d. Amanda Ray Goodner (1830-1895)
 - 7d. James Brown Goodner (1833-1850)
 - 8d. Thomas Conrad Goodner (1837-1916)

6c. Jane Ann Goodner (1794-) Single.

7c. Benjamin Goodner (1795-1863) m: Nancy Jackson
(1798-1845) m: 2nd: Mrs. Susannah Ryan (1845)

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- 1d. Sally Ann Goodner (1817-1849)
 - 2d. William Jackson Goodner (1818-1893)
 - 3d. Elijah Goodner (1820-1886)
 - 4d.)
 - 5d.) Triplets. Died prematurely.
 - 6d.)
 - 7d. Luverba Goodner (1823-)
 - 8d. Caroline Goodner (1825-1887)
 - 9d. John A. C. Goodner (1827-1876)
 - 10d. Benj. Franklin Goodner (1829-1852)
 - 11d. Joseph Benson Goodner (1831-1917)
 - 12d. George Washington Goodner (1833-1922)
 - 13d. Nancy Hester Goodner (1835-1846)
 - 14d. David Andrew Goodner (1838-1841)
 - 15d. Salinda Goodner (1841-1886)

8c. Hannah Grinade Goodner (1796-1814) Single.

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9c. Godfrey Goodner (1798-1860) m: Eliz. Orr Sanson
(1802-1854)

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- 1d. Louisa Jane Goodner (1824-)
 - 2d. Columbus Conrad Goodner (1826-1873)
 - 3d. William Milton Goodner (1828-1898)
 - 4d. James B. Goodner (1830-1852)
 - 5d. Amanda M. Goodner (1832-1858)
 - 6d. Casandra S. Goodner (1832-1835)
 - 7d. Sardis Solomon Goodner (1836-1919)
 - 8d. Martha Eliz. Goodner (1838-1923)
 - 9d. Marietta P. Goodner (1840-)
 - 10d. Godfrey Watson Goodner (1842-1895)
 - 11d. Francis M. Goodner (1844-1926)

10c. Francis Acuff Goodner (1799-1853) m: Elizabeth
Jackson (1803-1863)

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- 1d. Paulina Goodner (1822-1861/5)
 - 2d. Emily Goodner (1825-1884)
 - 3d. Ransom Goodner (d. young)
 - 4d. James Jackson Goodner (1827-1889)
 - 5d. Harriett Soph. Goodner (1838-)
 - 6d. George Washington Goodner (1840-1916)

11c. Elijah Goodner (1804-1892) m: Mary Gore (1)
Mary Curlee Vann (2)

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- 1d. Rose Ann Goodner (1824-1897)
 - 2d. James Thompson Goodner (1826-1904)
 - 3d. Martha Jane Goodner (1828-1891)
 - 4d. Elizabeth Love Goodner (1830-1856)
 - 5d. Sarah Caroline Goodner (1833-1872)
 - 6d. Mary Melvina Goodner (1835-1866)
 - 7d. Marinda E. Goodner (1838-1919)
 - 8d. William Benjamin Goodner (1841-)
 - 9d. Mary E. Goodner (1845-1875)
 - 10d. Laura Alvaretta Goodner (1855-1939)
 - 11d. Finley Cartwright Goodner (1857-1872)

12c. Elizabeth Goodner (1806-1839) m: John Wesley
Holcomb

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- 1d. Joseph A. Holcomb (1824-)
 - 2d. Elizabeth Ann Holcomb (1830-1922)
 - 3d. Mary Jane Holcomb (1832-1898)
 - 4d. Jacob Van Cleve Holcomb (1835-1925)
 - 5d. Francis Garrett Holcomb (1837-)
 - 6d. Cicero Holcomb (1839-)

John Goodner, the eldest child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherer) Goodner, was born in Guilford County, North Carolina, Dec. 17th, 1783. While a very young lad, before the year 1790, his parents moved with some other families from Guilford County to Sullivan County, Tennessee, just then in the process of settlement and thus a very frontier-like country. His father purchased land there and improved it, remaining there until the latter part of 1804 or the early part of 1805, when he removed to Smith County, Tennessee. At this time, John was about 20 years of age. His schooling, such as was then possible, was obtained in the backwoods schools of Sullivan County. Mostly he helped his father on the farm, and probably served an apprenticeship with some one to learn the trade of tanner, since that was the profession he followed all his life, together with that of farming.

A few years after the family moved to Smith County, on Sept. 10th, 1807, he married Martha Stewart, born April 27th, 1784, of parentage not presently known. John, at the date of his marriage, lacked a few months of being 24 years of age. In August, of the following year, their first child was born, whom they named Cyrus. The second child, Elizabeth, followed on Jan. 6th, 1810, and on August 7th, 1811, a second son was born, - Jacob. In all eleven children were born to Martha and John, all in Smith County. In 1813, John was drafted into the U.S. Army to fight against the Creek Indians, but he, because of his young family, found it inexpedient to go, and so hired his brother, James, as a substitute, paying him fifteen dollars a month, in addition to which James received his army pay.

His parents, along with some of his brothers and all his sisters, had left Smith County and removed to the Illinois Territory in about 1811 or 1812, settling in the southern part which was then being peopled by many families from the southern states. John remained on his farm in Smith County, residing near the village of Carthage. Here we find him in the years 1815 and 1816 with his brother, James, who had returned safely from his army service. Some old letters reveal that the three sons who did not accompany the parents to Illinois Territory did later pay them a visit, John making the trip in the latter part of 1814 or the early part of 1815, taking his son, Jacob, along with him. David and James made their visit in 1817. In a letter to his parents dated May 6th, 1815, John made mention of his trip, and also made a proposition to have Benjamin come and work with him and to learn the trade of tanner. This did not appeal to Benjamin, and he never came.

John's inclinations and talents ran to temporal things, - he was the money maker of the family. His letters to his parents reveal this. In the latter part of 1818 he sold his tanyard for \$3,000.00 and then purchased a tract of land near Carthage containing 1206 acres, for which he paid \$6,000.00. He informed his parents of this transaction in his letter of Jan. 27th, 1819, stating that he would immediately sink another tanyard and continue the business. From this letter we also know that he owned three negro slaves. I have been told that in referring to his negroes he never used the term "slaves", but always used the word "darkies". It is interesting to note that there are today negro families carrying the name Goodner, who derive from these "darkies" of John or those of David, or both. In this letter he mentioned being heavy "with a Grate burden of flesh. Weight is near 200 lbs.", and that from this excess weight he was unable to do much physical work in hot weather. It would appear from this that John must have been of short stature, for 200 pounds is not too great a weight for a man of large, or even a moderate frame. This is the only reference we have to John's physique. No likeness of him exists so far as we have been able to learn.

John remained in the Carthage area until the year 1836, when the Ocoee lands in Bradley County, Tennessee, were thrown open for settlement, after the removal of the Cherokee Indians by the Government. He then sold his farm and tannery near Carthage and bought a good farm in the northern part of Bradley County, which some years later he sold to his son, John. He remained on this place and continued his tannery, the sinking of which was his very first project after purchase, for quite a few years. After he sold the place to John, he removed to the Chest-uee Creek area in the same county, where he spent the remainder of his days, passing away on January 1st, 1861, just at the beginning of the momentous events that were to render the nation asunder for four dark years. He was 77 years of age at his death. Martha had died a few years previously, November 17th, 1859. John lies buried in the New Friendship Cemetery in Chatata Valley, about six miles from the city of Cleveland, Tennessee.

It is a great misfortune that all of the old county records of Bradley County were lost in the fire that destroyed the Court House on November 25th, 1864. They would have revealed considerable data on the early settlers in Bradley and on John in particular.

On the pages following immediately is a facsimile of the letter John wrote to his parents on January 27th, 1819. Under the Chapter on James Goodner there is a facsimile of a letter he wrote to his parents, to which letter a note was added by John, which give some further facts on his activities. Copies of other letters will appear under the subject of "Letters".

The list of John's children, with their descendants - so far as we have been able to secure them - follow. It is a very interesting fact that John's descendants greatly outnumber those of any of the other children.

January the 27 - 1899
 Dear father and mother I take this
 opportunity of informing you that I and mine
 is all well at present hoping those
 few lines will find you all in good
 health ~~and~~ in this letter you will
 understand that I have sold my ten
 yard by Carriage and have bought
 a tract of land on Defected Creek in
 Glades Cannaday's mill. ^{old} seats this
 tract of land contains 1206 acres
 and I have six thousand dollars
 in the bank and ten thousand dollars of to what
 I have to pay of that same
 I have moved my family there
 the 17 day of Novembe last but I still have
 some leather at the old tanyard a Boat and
 dollars worth I had my ten yard for 3
 thousand dollars I still have a
 the ~~the~~ in Carriage one
 street which I
 - I

I Sold my Girl Mary for 7 hundred dollars
 and have none at this time but Billy an
 King and George those are the Names of
 my 3 Negroes - I have a large farm About
 one hundred acres of open Land first rate
 Creek Bottom I have Rented out a Boat
 60 acres of my Land 2^d Barrels per barrel
 I shall Begin in a few Days to Sink
 a New Tangar and work at my trade a
 few years longer if life and health lasts
 I shall also farm so as to make a
 Vaugh for my families support I have Smart
 stock of hogs a Cowe one hundred head and
 ten Cows and calves and other Cattle Bes-
 ides are 35 head of Sheep and Bees with
 out Combs &c - I Now am settled
 for life I have more good Land then ever I
 and more than time for it will last for
 an Age to come. this Land of mine lies on both
 sides of the Creek and makes a considerable
 Bottom on both sides - and 2 of the best mill
 seats in the County of Smith -
 the Builders are put in before I live ten miles
 from Carthage on the Road that leads from Carthage
 to William'sburgh and 17 miles from the Salt works

and ten miles from Dixons Springs the
 Left hand Road at Dixons Springs at the Store
 houses is the Road that Leads within half a
 mile of my house — This tract of land of mine
 has several plantations on it & it was leased
 out for several years but the Leases are all
 out — James and family was with a
 few boys back James and my self lives a
 Bout 26 miles a part both in Smith
 County — Direct your letter as a pre to me
 John Goodner Carthage Tennessee I
 shall still Bee in Carthage Every few days
 and make it my Business to Look the Post
 office for Letters Everytime I am in town
 try to Come and see me — I wont in life and
 all of the Rest of the family — my Business has
 got so large that it seems all most
 im possible for me to leave home Eld I woud
 have Been to see you before had it were possible
 that one of the Boys could have and live with me
 I woud make a man of him so that he could
 Live at home but the thing is not to be done
 for a trade but I Can tell you my trade has Been
 good to me for 13 hundred dollars pr year Ever since
 I first Started for my self this tract of land that I
 Bought is worth ten thousand dollars or more
 Every man says that I made the Great trade
 that Ever he knew a man to make when I Bought
 this land this has all Come from the ten years

I still have a Bond of hundred dollars due me
 James and David both are owing me the two amount
 250 dollars which will come in next fall to pay for
 my land — Brother Jacob is a doing well and
 so is James and David as well as he can
 he is so afflicted with the pumiter that he is
 not able to work at hard work like the rest
 of us — as for my part I do not pertinens to work at
 hard work because of my great Burden of flesh
 weight is near 200 lbs and in hot weather I am
 to short wanted to stir a Bond much more
 then ^{just} to see to my Bysses —————
 please Write to me if you do not come and us
 But I would rather you would come and see
 us — father Woods wishes to see Rememba
 to you all the old man is a trying to
 meete you in a better world than this
 he has Prechen at his house and he him.
 self has meeters in the Neighbour hood of
 of Sabbath ~~at~~ —————
 Love is 2 dollars for Barret Pork 5 dollars
~~5 dollars for~~ ~~Barret~~ ~~Pork~~ ~~5~~ ~~dollars~~ —————
 has passed in value near ~~double~~ ~~that~~
 it was 3 years back ~~that~~ thus caused
 me to move — my family is large and ten
 Bark unhandey where I was — So sad
 to more at present But subscribe my self
 your loven son till death farwell
 Conrad Goodner & } John Goodner and
 Elizabeth Goodner and } Martha Goodner.

1c. John Goodner (1783-1861) - Martha Stewart (1784-1859)

 1d. Cyrus Goodner (1808-1898) Matilda Burton

- 1e. Thomas Waxie Goodner (1840-1921)
 - 2e. Paralee Goodner (1842-)
 - 3e. Tine Goodner (1844-)
 - 4e. Mary Elizabeth Goodner (1846-1940)
 - 5e. Malissa Goodner (1848-1936)
 - 6e. Jerome Goodner (1849-)
 - 7e. Lucille Goodner (1852-1883)
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 2d. Elizabeth Goodner (1810-) Luther Glaves

- 1e. Frank Glaves
 - 2e. Luther Glaves, Jr.
 - 3e. Sarah Glaves
 - 4e. Samuel H. Glaves
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 3d. Jacob Goodner (1811-1886) m: Charlotte Kemp
(1815-1894)

- 1e. Caswell Goodner (1833-1887)
 - 2e. Lucy Jane Goodner (1835-1882)
 - 3e. John Jairus Goodner (1837-1927)
 - 4e. James Murphy Goodner (1839-1933)
 - 5e. Tabitha Ann Goodner (1842-)
 - 6e. Sarah Elizabeth Goodner (1844-)
 - 7e. Joseph Leal Goodner (1845-1890)
 - 8e. Charlotte Goodner (1849-1894)
 - 9e. Jacob Wade Goodner (1851-1917)
 - 10e. Martha Tennessee Goodner (1853-1922)
 - 11e. George Pierce Goodner (1855-1907)
 - 12e. Mary C. Goodner (1857-1955)
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 4d. John Goodner (abt. 1813-)
Died small.

 5d. James Goodner (1815-) Drowned in
Mississippi River.

 6d. Sallie Goodner (1817-) m: Berry West.

- 1e. Luther West.
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 7d. Nancy Goodner (1818-1903) m: Thomas
Dillahay

- 1e. L. N. Dillahay
 - 2e. Wade Dillahay
 - 3e. John Dillahay
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 8d. John Goodner (1820-1907) m: Nancy Long.

No Issue

 9d. Martha Goodner (1821-1903) m: James York,
d. shortly after 1852

- 1e. Caroline York (1846-)
 - 2e. Nancy York (1848-)
 - 3e. Lotty York (1850-)
 - 4e. Martha York (1852-)
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 10d. Andrew Jackson Goodner (1823-1900) m: Sally
Woodall (-1848) (1) Mariah Harvey (1832-1914)

- 1e. John J. Goodner (1845-1930)
 - 2e. Annie Goodner (1847-1927)
 - 3e. Jane Goodner (1848-1882)
 - 4e. Sarah Elizabeth Goodner (1853-1931)
 - 5e. James Gilbert Goodner (1858-1938)
 - 6e. Walter Goodner (1867-1958)
 - 7e. Samuel Houston Goodner.
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 11d. George Washington Goodner (1825-) m: Nellie
Dickson - Jane Cofer - Margaret Palmer

- 1e. Martha E. Goodner (1847-)
 - 2e. Mary Ann Goodner (1849-)
 - 3e. Cyrus Goodner (1851-1932)
 - 4e. John Harvey Goodner (1852-1917)
 - 5e. Emeline Goodner (1854-1942)
 - 6e. Nancy J. Goodner (1856-)
 - 7e. Isham Goodner (1859-1923)
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- 8e. Nellie Goodner (1862-1945)
- 9e. Angeline Goodner (1864-)
- 10e. Geo. Wash. Goodner, Jr. (1867-1935)
- 11e. Caroline Goodner (1875-1958)
- 12e. Lottie Goodner ()
- 13e. Thomas Goodner (d. young)
- 14e. Jack Goodner (d. age 6)

- 1c. John Goodner, b. 12-17-1783, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1-1-1861, Bradley Co., Tenn. Tanner and farmer. Resided in Sullivan, Smith, and Bradley Counties, Tenn. m: Martha Stewart, 9-10-1807. (b. 4-27-1784. d. 11-17-1859) Parentage unknown.
- Ch: 1d. Cyrus Goodner, b. 8-24-1808, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 4-5-1898. Farmer. Resided in Smith Co., Tenn. Protestant. m: Matilda Burton, 1838. Parentage unknown.
- Ch: 1e. Thomas Waxie Goodner, b. 1840. d. 1921, from cancer. Served in Confederate Army. Afterwards became a merchant in Alexandria, Tenn., and established a dry goods business there, in 1880's. m: Angelica Brown, abt. 1866. (b. 4-9-1846. d. 4-11-1892.) Names of her parents not known, but she had a brother, John Brown, who served in the Union Forces in the Civil War and received pension for his services.
- Ch: 1f. James Cyrus Goodner, b. abt. 1868. d. in youth.
- 2f. John Goodner, b. 1870, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 4-15-1957, of heart failure, in Lake Worth, Fla. Interment in Alexandria, Tenn. Owner and Operator of a dry goods store under name of "Goodner & Sons Dry Goods Store" in Alexandria, until his retirement, when he moved to Lake Worth, Fla. Became shuffle board champion of that place. m: 1st: Etta Donnell, 1895, Alexandria, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. John Donnell Goodner, b. 1896. d. 12-21-1950, from a heart attack. Was in the dry goods business with his father in Alexandria, in the firm of Goodner & Sons Dry Goods Co. Methodist. Interred in Alexandria, Tenn. m: Mattie Belle-----. Res. of Mrs. Goodner: Alexandria, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. John Donnell Goodner, Jr., b. 1921, at Lebanon, Tenn. Capt. in U.S. Army, W.W.II. Now in the dry goods business in Alexandria, Tenn. m: Mary Elizabeth Scheuerman.
- Ch: 1i. William Donnell Goodner, b. 11-7-1946.
- 2i. Mary Ann Goodner, b. 9-9-1949.
- 3i. John Franklin Goodner, b. 5-3-1953.
- 4i. Celia Goodner, b. 3-7-1957.
- 2g. Louis W. Goodner, b. 10-5-1899. d. 5-18-1957, in Watertown, Tenn., De Kalb Co. Dry Goods Merchant. Protestant. Interred in Alexandria, Tenn. m: Octava Wood. (b. 12-21-1905, dau. of Justus Wood of Watertown, Tenn.) Res: Mrs. Goodner, - Watertown, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. John Wood Goodner, b. 3-26-1933. Grad. of Vanderbilt Univ. in Medicine, receiving degree of M.D. Is presently Captain in Army; attached to Army Medical Advisory Group in 1958, and served as intern in the Dist. of Columbia General Hospital. He is presently stationed in Ethiopia, in M.A.A.G. Address: A.P.O. 319, New York City, #05301143. m: Elizabeth Ann Wilbur, 9-29-1956, Memphis, Tenn. *
- 3g. Charles S. Goodner, b. abt. 1901. Merchant. Protestant. Res: Smithville, Tenn. m: Beulah Fitts. No issue.
- 4g. Lucille Goodner, b. abt. 1904. d. 1-5-1960, Ft. Riley, Kansas. m: Robert L. Marshall. Separated in 1956. Mrs. Goodner resided for some time at 2204 Fernwood, Nashville, Tenn., Interred in Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Etta Marshall. m: T.W. Wrenne, U.S. Army. Was stationed in Germany with Army of Occupation in 1957, but is presently stationed at Ft. Riley, Kansas. Res: Bldg. 2081, Apt. #4, Camp Forsyth, Ft. Riley, Kansas.
- Ch: 1i. Mary Etta Wrenne.
- 2i. Thomas Wrenne.
- 3i. Lucille Wrenne.
- John Goodner m: 2nd: Lucille Coles, 1919. Daughter of Winfield Scott Coles. (b. 5-25-1890) Res. of Mrs. Goodner: 711 11th Ave., North, Lake Worth, Fla.
- Ch: 5g. James Coles Goodner, b. 7-14-1922. W.W.II, Captain and Pilot in Air Force. Was shot or forced down over Germany and was prisoner of war for 18 months. Suffered severely from starvation. Now has a small loan business in Riviera Beach, Fla. Res: 446 Australian Circle, Lake Park, Fla. Owner Riviera Beach Small Loan Co. m: Martha McAdoo.
- Ch: 1h. John McAdoo Goodner, Adopted.
- 2h. Madelene Goodner, Adopted.
- 2e. Paralee Goodner, b. abt. 1842. m: Mr. Yeargin.
- Ch: 1f. "Champ" Yeargin. d. Birmingham, Ala. Actual name, Clarence E. m: Eliz. Herrick
- Ch: 1g. Gertrude Yeargin. d. childhood.
- 2g. Andy Yeargin. Res: Rt. #1, Adger, Ala. No further information.
- 2f. Ida Yeargin. m: John Bryant. Resided in Augusta, Ga.
- Ch: 1g. John Bryant, Jr.
- 2g. Charles Bryant.

*See Appendix.

- 3g. Oilie Bryant.
- 4g. Mabel Bryant, d. childhood.
- Paralee Goodner Yeargin m: 2nd: Mr. Luckey. No issue.
- 3e. Tine Goodner, b. abt. 1844. m: Benj. ("Babe") Garrison. No record of issue.
- 4e. Mary Elizabeth (Lizzie) Goodner, b. 7-19-1846. d. 1-16-1940, age 93 years, 5 mo. and 27 days. Lived in Alexandria, Tenn., and most likely interred there. m: John (or M.E.) Martin, a Carpenter.
- Ch: 1f. Ada Martin, b. 12-13-1866. d. 4-9-1954. m: W.H. Robinson, Smithville, Tenn. (b. 9-12-1859. d. 10-11-1923) Both interred in Toun Cemetery, Smithville, Tenn. Mail Carrier. Son of William J. Robinson. Resided in Smithville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Addie Robinson, b. 6-2-1883. d. 5-29-1924. m: Robert Lindsey Calhoun (his 2nd marriage). Salesman. Resided in St. Louis, Mo.
- Ch: 1h. Addie Bobbie Calhoun, b. 5-26-1916, Smithville, Tenn. m: James Roth Hayes, 6-1-1933, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Res: 1914 Taylor, Evansville, Indiana. (b. 1-3-1913, son of Everett and Elsie Roth Hayes.) Member Cumberland Presbyterian Church.
- Ch: 1i. James Robert Hayes, b. 12-30-1934.
2i. Kenneth Richard Hayes, b. 10-15-1937.
3i. Carl David Hayes, b. 3-26-1939.
- 2g. Fred M. Robinson, b. 9-10-1887. d. 10-22-1954. No data.
- 3g. Vernon W. Robinson, b. 6-1-1891. d. 9-27-1892.
- 4g. Bessie Robinson, b. 8-31-1894, Smithville, Tenn. m: Harry Eugene Clarke, 4-19-1924, St. Louis, Mo. Salesman. Members of Salvator Church. Res: 5209 Davison St., St. Louis, Mo. (Mr. Clarke b. 10-26-1900, son of Sim W. Clarke)
- Ch: 1h. James Eugene Clarke, b. 2-19-1929, St. Louis, Mo. Lieut. in Army. Address: #31721A 4081st Strat. W. A.P.O. 864, P.O. Box 43, New York City.
- 5g. Ernest Martin Robinson, b. 1-16-1906. m: Ruth Jones, 3-4-1906, dau. Levi and Orah Jones. Res: Mrs. Robinson: 3902 Walsh, St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Robinson left family and whereabouts unknown.
- Ch: 1h. Milton Robinson, b. 7-19-1928, St. Louis, Mo. Carpenter. Christian Scientist. Res: 3902 Walsh St., St. Louis, Mo. m: Audrey Valeka Freebrog, 10-21-1950, in St. Louis, Mo. (b. 6-13-1929, dau. of Carl Freebrog of St. Louis, Mo.)
- Ch: 1i. David Gerald Robinson, b. 2-16-1952.
2i. Linda Sue Robinson, b. June 1954.
3i. Nancy Ann Robinson, b. 7-7-1956.
- 2h. Louise Robinson, b. 8-14-1930, St. Louis, Mo. m: Fred Albert Zinzel, 1-28-1950, at Walnut Ridge, Ark. (b. 4-28-1930, son of Fred Frank and Elvie Zinzel of St. Louis, Mo. Res: R.R. 9 Box 577H, Melville, Mo. Structural Steel Worker. Presbyterians. Navy 3 years.
- Ch: 1i. Kip Grae Zinzel, b. 6-21-1955.
2i. Kurt Alan Zinzel, b. 1-17-1958.
3i. Clay Daryl Zinzel, b. 4-22-1959.
- 3h. Carl Robinson, b. 10-2-1932, St. Louis, Mo. Res: 2124a Whittell, St. Louis, Mo.
- 2f. Nellie Martin, (Cornelia Jane), b. 1-3-1870. m: James Beckwith. (b. 3-16-1851. d. 8-18-1931. Interred in Kennedy Cemetery, Smithville, Tenn.) Farmer. Widow living 1959, apparently in Smithville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Emily Alice Beckwith, b. 7-22-1894, Smithville, Tenn. m: Harry Henry Houser, 9-10-1919, Smithville, Tenn. (b. 4-2-1880, son of David Houser. d. 5-11-1957 from "stroke".) Served in Army. Farmer. Baptist. Res: Widow: 110 N. Center St., McMinnville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Annie Louise Houser, b. 4-5-1921. d. 6-1-1924.
- 2g. Willie T. Beckwith, b. 10-21-1890, Smithville, Tenn. Retired Merchant. Methodist. m: Pearl Farler, 10-27-1912. (b. 9-22-1890, dau. of W.H. Farler of Dowelltown, Tenn.) Res: 1907 Lebanon Blvd., Nash, 10, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Ted Beckwith, b. 5-22-1915. m: Maxine Eller of Smithville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Peggie Beckwith, b. 1938, or 1939. Student in College in Knoxville, Tenn.
2i. Teddy Beckwith, Jr., b. 1943. Student in Military Academy in Columbia, Tenn.
- 3g. Everett Beckwith, b. 10-17-1896, Smithville, Tenn. W.W.I. Merchant.

- Single. Res: 802 Overton St., Nashville, Tenn.
- 4g. Oliver Austin Beckwith, b. 11-1-1907, Smithville, Tenn. Army Engineers 4 years. Bus Driver. Baptist. Single. Res: 2008 - 18th Ave. S., Nashville, Tenn.
- 5g. Anson Beckwith, b. 11-24-1898, d. 1-19-1926. Interred in Snow Hill Baptist Church Cemetery. Farmer. m: Ocie Hale. (b. 8-16-1902, dau. Tom and Harriett Hale.) Widow residing in Smithville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Ruth Garland Beckwith, b. 12-5-1921, near Smithville, De Kalb Co., Tenn. m: J.B. Taylor, 1-27-1945. (b. 3-24-1917, son of Chess and Willie Taylor). Farmer. Member of Missionary Baptist Church. Res: Rt. #2, Alexandria, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Judy Carol Taylor, b. 6-2-1953.
2h. Girl d. two weeks.
- 6g. Mary Beckwith. Dec'd. m: -----
Ch: 1h. Daughter. m: Mr. Ray.
Ch: 1i. David Ray, Res: 1403 Kirkland Ave., Nash., Tenn.
2h. Daughter. m: Mr. Bland.
Ch: 1i. James E. Bland, Res: 809 Mitchell Rd., Nashville 6, Tenn.
- 3f. Ida Martin. m: Earthman Patton. Res: Alexandria, Tenn. No issue.
- 4f. Tobe Hayes Martin, b. 8-6-1877. d. 5-15-1940. Painter and Carpenter. Methodist. m: Mildred Agee, 1899. (Dau. of William Agee. b. 8-15-1872. d. 10-24-1952.) Res: 2427 N. Lafayette, Evansville, Ind.
Ch: 1g. E. J. Martin, b. 7-21-1903. Full Name - Ewing Jackson. b. Alexandria, Tenn. Engineer. Lutheran. m: Ethel Sanders, 7-23-1951. (b. 10-6-1905, dau. of Frank Sanders of McLeansboro, Ill.) Res: 5920 W. Mill Rd., Evansville, Ind. No Issue.
2g. Eula Mai Martin, b. 6-4-1901, Alexandria, Tenn. m: William Frederick Browe, 2-5-1944, at Evansville, Ind. (b. 7-19-1899, son of Ray Browe of San Antonio, Texas) Zoo Keeper. Member Missionary Baptist Church. Res: 2200 Harding, Evansville, Ind. No issue.
3g. Robbie Frances Martin. m: Mr. Pierce. Res: 3880 Greenwood St., San Diego 10, Calif.
- 5f. Harry Martin, b. 2-20-1879, at Alexandria, Tenn. Painter and Carpenter. Member of Missionary Baptist Church. m: Lewis Davis, 1900. (b. 9-9-1887, dau. of Henry Davis.) in Alexandria, Tenn. Res: Alexandria, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Irene Martin, b. 5-3-1908, Alexandria, Tenn. m: 1st: Frank Lovell of Nashville, Tenn., in Virginia. (b. 10-27-1899, son of Benjamin.) Employed in Cutting Department.
Ch: 1h. Virginia Dean Lovell, b. 12-12-1927 at St. Louis, Mo. m: Paul Burks, 12-21-1947, Franklin, Ky. Boilermaker by trade. Employed as Heating Engineer at Wright-Patterson AFB, Fairborn, Ohio. Methodists. Mr. Burks b. 7-4-1921, son of Ben and Beulah Burks.) Res: 1237 Beach St., Fairborn, Ohio
Ch: 1i. Donald Paul Burks, b. 7-17-1951.
2i. Ronald Dean Burks, b. 7-17-1951. Twin of Donald.
3i. Thomas Carl Burks, b. 12-31-1953.
Irene Martin Lovell m: 2nd: Eugene Fielder, 10-12-1934, at Franklin, Ky. (b. 3-17-1911, son of Thaniel Fielder) Boilermaker. Member Church of Christ. Res: 3324 Valley Pike, Dayton, Ohio.
Ch: 2h. Jackie Fielder, b. 6-18-1941. Grad. of Mad River High School Montgomery County, Ohio, Spring of 1959.
- 6f. John Martin, b. 9-23-1885. d. 6-6-1935. Interred in Alexandria, Tenn. Salesman. Moved to San Antonio, Texas, lived there briefly, and then moved to St. Louis, Mo., where both he and wife died. m: Myrtle Marks. (b. 2-14-1888. d. 9-15-1948. Interred in St. Louis, Mo.)
Ch: 1g. J. D. Martin, b. 7-26-1906, in Watertown, Tenn. Manufacturers Representative. Baptist. Res: 5827 Devonshire Ave., St. Louis, Mo. m: Mary E. Calehoun, 6-6-1938, in St. Louis, Mo. No issue.
2g. Annabelle Martin, b. 10-14-1908, Alexandria, Tenn. m: Edd. Tremaine, 5-16-1927, in Union, Mo. (b. 3-2-1905, son of Frederick E. Tremaine.) Buyer of Housewares at Famous & Barr Dry Goods Co., St. Louis. Baptist Served with U.S. Coast Guard. Res: Rt. #3, Box 213, Chesterfield, Mo. Sycamore Dr.
Ch: 1h. John Edward Tremaine, b. 2-20-1928, St. Louis, d. 2-22-1953. U.S. Marines 4 years, and in Navy Reserve 3 years.

- Baptist. Was salesman for Chesterfield Cigarettes, Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. Single.
- 7f. Zeke Martin, Last known address: 387 Richards St., Atlanta, Ga. No data.
- 8f. Joseph Martin, dec'd. m: ----- Resided in Mt. Vernon, Ill. No issue.
- 5e. Malissa Goodner, b. 5-8-1848. d. 10-10-1936. Interred in Mission Burial Park, San Antonio, Texas. m: Ben Mullinax, 3-6-1873. (b. 4-19-1846. d. 11-1-1932. Interred in Mission Burial Park, San Antonio, Texas. Son of Isaac Mullinax.) Farmer. Res: San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1f. Jerome Justice Mullinax, b. 6-12-1874. d. 11-19-1950. m: Mrs. Brenda Lane Vinson. Res: San Antonio, Texas. No issue.
- 2f. Hugh Mullinax, b. 3-23-1878, Round Top, Wilson Co., Tenn. Machinist. Baptist. m: Mary Susan Leak, 10-19-1905. (b. 6-10-1874, dau. of Elijah Hise and Sidney Jane Leak. Deceased. Interred in San Jose Cemetery, San Antonio, Texas.) Res: 123 Pacific Ave., San Antonio, Texas. No issue.
- 3f. E.B. Mullinax. Res: 246 Fair Oaks, San Antonio, Texas. m: 1st:-----
- Ch: 1g. Carolyn Mullinax. Res: 305 S. Mendenhall, Greensboro, N.C. m: ---- Brown.
- Ch: 1h. John Brown
2h. Thomas Brown
- m: 2nd: Anna -----
- Ch: 2g. Ernest Mullinax, D.D.S. Res: Denver, Colorado. Has 5 children.
- 4f. Carolyn Mullinax, b. 8-27-1880. d. 4-25-1935. Interred in Mission Burial Park, San Antonio, Texas. m: Thomas E. Lyons, 5-10-1905. (d. 7-19-1951) Inventor and Manufacturer of the soft drink "Delaware Punch". Res: San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Hazel Lyons, b. 5-14-1910, San Antonio, Texas. m: 1st: Alton Brooks Parker, 4-20-1928. In Real Estate Business. Divorced 3-10-1954. Epis.
- Ch: 1h. Brooks Parker, b. 9-30-1930. Employed by Southern Bell Tel. Co., at Clarksville, Tenn. Single. Res: Clarksville, Tenn.
- 2h. Lamar Parker, b. 4-20-1934, m: Marjorie Hoke Stewart. (b. 10-9-1937, dau. of Myles Stewart of San Antonio, Texas. Res: 1220 B Tuscon Blvd., Tuscon, Ariz.
- Hazel Lyons Parker m: 2nd: Ernest Leland Anderson, 12-27-1956. (b. 4-25-1912, son of Ernest Leland Anderson, Sr.) Engineer, and Dealer in Heavy Machinery, Caterpillar tractors, Heister Trucks. Has 8 branches in States of Sonora and Sinoloa, Mexico. Res: Apurto Postal No. 24, Ciudad Obregon, Sonora, Mexico. No issue.
- 5f. Georgia Ellen Mullinax, b. 2-23-1882, Franklin, Ky. m: William Duncan Haner, 5-7-1905, at Franklin, Ky. Retired Bus Operator. (b. 5-13-1882, son of James N. Haner.) Baptist. Res: 215 Pacific Ave., San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Thomas William Haner, b. 5-16-1908. Electrician. Baptist. m: Cecelia Breland, 6-15-1945. (b. 9-23-1907, dau. of Joseph Breland of Natchez, Miss.) Res: P.O. Box 1057, Sinton, Texas. No issue.
- 6f. Pleamon Harris Mullinax, b. 1-11-1885, d. 10-22-1952. Died in Center Point, Texas. Interred in Mission Burial Park, San Antonio, Texas. m: Mary J. Evans, 12-13-1911. (b. 7-4-1889) Res: of widow: Springdale, Ark. No issue.
- 6e. Jerome Goodner, b. abt. 1849. Large handsome man, over 6 feet tall, with long black hair. Is reported to have served with the Union Forces during the Civil War. After the War he became a Federal Revenue Agent, and was ambushed and killed, presumably by Billy Mitchell, a noted "bootlegger". The murderer was never apprehended for lack of evidence. m: Emma Reeves, dau. of Tom Reeves of Statesville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. Kate Goodner, b. abt. 1872-5. Married and lived in Nashville, Tenn. No data.
- 2f. Dola Goodner, b. abt. 1874-6. m: James Moody.
- Ch: 1g. Hassie Moody, Adopted.
- m: 2nd: (late in life) John Bryant, a brother-in-law to Champ Yeargin. Resided in Augusta, Ga.
- 3f. Jerome Goodner, Jr., known as "Boss", b. abt. 1876-8. m: Maggie Parsley, b. 1879. d. 2-25-1950, dau. of Thomas N. and Mary Ann Parsley, nee Woolbright. Maggie interred in Willow Mount Cemetery, Bedford Co., Tenn. Resided for a time in Pleasant Grove Community near Shelbyville, Tenn. Later in Alabama.
- Ch: 1g. Lorene Goodner. m: Mr. Dillahay. Mrs. Dillahay resides at 308 Marshall Ave., Nashville, Tenn.
- 7e. Lucille (Lou) Goodner, b. abt. 1852. d. Jan. 1883. m: Leonard Robinson. (b. 1-17-1843. d. 10-6-1886, near Alexandria, Tenn.) He was a private in the 10th Regiment, Co. K., 1st. Middle Tennessee Infantry, later known as the 10th Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, Federal Forces, Civil War, enlisting 10-13-1862, and honorably discharged at Nashville, Tenn., 6-1-1865. (War Dept. Adj. General's Office, Report 11-2-1935.)
- Ch: 1f. Artemus Ward Robinson, b. 4-28-1870. d. 1878.

2f. William Hays Robinson, b. 3-15-1872, Dry Goods Merchant in Auburn, Tenn. Firm name was W.H. and C.K. Robinson Dry Goods Co. After death of brother, C.K., he sold out and moved to Chattanooga, and entered the grocery business, in which he remained until his retirement. m: 1st: Stella Fite, dau. John A. and Cynthia (Coble) Fite.

Ch: 1g. Bonnie May Robinson, b. 12-5-1895. m: Jesse Houston Jones, Dec. 1920, of Auburn, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Stella Faye Jones, b. 12-7-1923, Auburntown, Tenn. m: Elbert McAdoo, 8-24-1942. (b. 10-1-1919, son of Earl and Anna McAdoo, nee Simpson, of Auburntown, Tenn.)

Ch: 1i. Russell Clark McAdoo, b. 1-8-1945, at Auburndale, Tenn.

2i. John William McAdoo, b. 10-18-1948, Woodbury, Cannon Co., Tenn.

3i. David Jackson McAdoo, b. 11-13-1950, Murfreesboro, Rutherford Co., Tenn.

2h. Robert Kerry Jones, b. 1928. Auburn, Tenn. W.W. II, Navy Reconnaissance Pilot in Korean Conflict. Attended Univ. of Tenn., 2 yrs. Grad. of Draughtens' Business College in Nashville, Tenn. On 3-3-1950, started pilot training at Connally AFB, Waco, Texas. Awarded pilot wings at Enid, Okla., 3-24-1951, and commission as 2nd Lieutenant. Killed in plane crash 5-17-1956, while acting as co-pilot, near Denver, Colo. Interment at Stones River Nat'. Cemetery near Murfreesboro, Tenn. Was also in W.W. II, in the Navy. m: Richardean Nichols, 3-16-1949, an X-ray technician at Good Samaritan Hospital of Woodbury, Tenn.

Ch: 1i. Karen Jones, b. 6-23-1952.

3h. McKnight Jones, b. 9-25-1932, at Auburntown, Cannon Co., Tenn. m: Evelyn Brandon, 1-7-1953, of Burt, Tenn.

Ch: 1i. Candace Irene Jones, b. 3-5-1958, Pontiac, Mich.

William Hays Robinson, m: 2nd: Una Jane Adams. 8-5-1900, in Chattanooga, Tenn., dau. of James Braswell and Nolia Owen (Overall) Adams of Auburn, Tenn. (b. 8-14-1885. d. 6-6-1942. Interment in Donnell Cemetery, Auburn, Tenn.) Baptists.

Ch: 2g. Wenzola Robinson, b. 8-8-1901, Auburn, Tenn. m: Gurney Oscar Kiger.

b. 7-8-1899, son of Henry Edward and Jeanetta Cordelia (Phillips) Kiger of Shoals, Surry Co., N.C. Mrs. Kiger is employed by the Chattanooga Pub. Co., newspaper publishers. Home address: 4027 Sunbeam Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. Business address: 117 E. 10th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Carolyn Ann Kiger, b. 8-3-1930. m: Roy Lee Alley, 8-23-1948, Son of Roy Point and Margaret Lee (Shipp) Alley of Chattanooga. b. 5-8-1930. Grad. of Univ. of Chattanooga. Manager of Policy Division of Interstate Life Ins. Co. of Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Chatt., Tenn., 3526 Pinellas Lane.

Ch: 1i. Lee Ann Alley, b. 10-8-1954, at Chattanooga, Tenn.

2i. Linda Jane Alley, b. 5-22-1958, at Chattanooga, Tenn.

3g. Reinza Robinson, b. 1-12-1905.

4g. James Leonard Robinson, b. 12-29-1906. m: Ethel Eva Kendrick, 1929. (b. 6-30-1913, dau. of A.W. and Daisy Kendrick, nee Campbell, of Chattanooga, Tenn.) Res: 1802 Biscayne Blvd., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. William Hayden Robinson, b. 2-5-1930. Served in Korean War; wounded in Korea and spent several months in a hospital in Japan convalescing. Discharged, re-enlisted in Army in 1955, and presently stationed in a Field Artillery Battalion in Germany, near Schweinfurt; arrived there Sept. 1955.

m: Wilma Baldwin of Grandview, Tenn.

Ch: 1i. William Leonard Robinson, b. 3-17-1955, Chattanooga, Tenn.

2i. Stephen Christopher Robinson, b. 2-25-1956, in



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- Schweinfurt, Germany.
- 3i. David Kevin Robinson, b. 1-30-1957, in Schweinfurt, Germany.*
- 2h. Betty Jane Robinson, b. 10-22-1931, in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Andrew McCorkle, II. Res: Rt. 2, Gallatin, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Andrew Jackson McCorkle, b. 8-7-1951.
2i. Leonard Anthony McCorkle, b. 11-15-1952.
3i. Pamela Jane McCorkle, b. 10-15-1953.
- 3h. James Leonard Robinson, Jr., b. 10-19-1933. m: Anna Hampton, dau. Hughes Hampton of Chattanooga. Res: c/o 1802 Biscayne Blvd. Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 4h. Robert Lee Robinson, b. 8-20-1937. In U. S. Army, in 86th Inf. Reg., Overseas. To Germany in August 1955; presently stationed near Schweinfurt. m: Christine Mock, May 1957, in Germany, - a German girl.
Ch: 1i. Robert Lee Robinson, Jr., b. 4-16-1958, in Germ.
- 5h. Daniel Wesley Robinson, b. 5-14-1939. Grad. Military Police Training Center at Ft. Gordon, Ga., April 1957. Stationed at Stuttgart, Germany. Not married.
- 6h. Nancy Louise Robinson, b. 12-13-1943.
- 7h. Daisy Dianne Robinson, b. 8-11-1945.
- 5g. Lincoln Frank Robinson, b. 1-30-1909. d. 12-23-1909.
- 6g. Owen Overall Robinson, b. 2-5-1911. m: Ruth Carden, dau. Emmett G. Carden of Chattanooga.
Ch: 1h. Elizabeth Ann Robinson, b. 6-21-1932, in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: John Walter Olson, son of Emanuel Olson of Penns Grove, N. J. Grad. Tri-State College, Angola, Ind. W. W. II, Marines; action in Guam and China. Electrical Engineer for T. V. A., Tullahoma, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. John W. Olson, b. 3-26-1953.
2i. Victor Emmanuel Olson, b. 1955. d. Inf.
3i. Rosanna Ruth Olson, b. 2-2-1957.
4i. Elizabeth Ann (Beth) Olson, b. 8-22-1958**
- 2h. Emmett Owen Robinson, b. 11-19-1934. m: Jo Ann Walston, 6-4-1955, dau. of L. C. Walston of Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Sandra Kay Robinson, b. 1956.
- 7g. Jeanette Robinson, b. 10-13-1913. m: Newton C. Gray. Later divorced. Res: 4027 Sunbeam Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Joan Carol Gray, b. 2-16-1933. m: Robert Lee Lockaby, son of Rafe P. Lockaby of Hendersonville, N. C. Chief Clerk Southern Railway at Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Chattanooga, Tenn. Elaine Rd.
Ch: 1i. Robert Lee Lockaby, Jr., b. 9-12-1953.
2i. David Allen Lockaby, b. 7-29-1956.
- 2h. Marilyn Lucretia Gray, b. 1-30-1937. m: Ira Lee, son. of John Lee of Chattanooga, Tenn. Divorced.
Ch: 1i. Robert E. Lee, b. 7-5-1955. d. at birth. m: Richard Lee Harvey, 7-19-1958, at Chattanooga, he is a resident of Indianapolis, Ind.
Ch: 2i. Richard Lee Harvey, Jr., b. 6-27-1959, Indianapolis, Ind.
- 8g. Kenneth Wayne Robinson, b. 2-14-1919. W. W. II; Quartermaster Corp. at Ft. Lee, Va. Presently, auditor for Classified Parking System of the South. m: Doris Powell, 10-7-1945, dau. Orville E. and Hannah (Timmons) Powell of Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Dallas, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Wayne Robinson, Jr., b. 2-12-1947, at Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 3f. Charles Knight Robinson, b. 6-29-1875. d. 5-17-1921. Was in the dry goods business in Auburn, Tenn., until his death, in a partnership with his brother. m: Lillie Catherine Fite, dau. John A. and Cynthia (Coble) Fite.
Ch: 1g. Otis Killman Robinson, b. April 1899. m: Charlotte Fitzgerald of Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: 1408 Chambrin Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.
- 2g. Grace Truman Robinson, b. 11-23-1900, Wilson Co., Tenn. m: George Virgil Kuykendall of Scottsboro, Ala. Res: 1408 Chambrin Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.

*See Appendix.

**Died: 7-9-1959. Tullahoma, Tenn.

- 3g. Nellie Izora Robinson, b. 1-3-1903, Wilson Co., Tenn. d. 4-8-1952. m: John Danile Odom of Woodbury, Tenn. (b. 6-2-1956). Interment in Prosperity Cemetery, Prosperity, Tenn. Baptists. Resided in Nashville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. John Danile Odom, Jr. m: Barbara Thompson of Chattanooga, Tenn., dau. of James Clifford Thompson.
Ch: 1i. John Danile Odom III, b. abt. 1953.
2i. David Lee Odom, b. abt. 1955.
3i. Stephen Sherman Odom, b. abt. 1957.
- 4g. Reffer Darden Fite Robinson, b. Oct. 1904, Wilson Co., Tenn. Refinery Sales and Production Manager of Omaha Div. of Armour & Co., Omaha, Nebraska. d. 2-5-1958 from brain tumor in Chattanooga, Tenn. Internment in Greenwood Cemetery. Never married.
- 5g. John Robinson, d. Infancy.
- 6g. Charles Sherman Robinson, b. abt. 1907, Auburn, Tenn. Treas. of City of Chattanooga, Tenn. Grad. Univ. of Chattanooga in Law. Single.
Res: 1408 Camberlain Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 7g. Evelyn Oleta Robinson, b. 12-12-1912. m: Robert Anthony Pierson, 6-26-1943, of Canton, Ohio. W.W.II. Was stationed in England. No issue.
- 8g. Edith Eugenia Robinson, b. 4-10-1914, Auburn, Tenn. d. 6-3-1948. Baptist. Interment in Prosperity Cemetery, Prosperity, Tenn. Never married.
- 4f. Lelia Robinson, b. 4-6-1880, Wilson Co., Tenn. d. 1-17-1957. m: Marvin M. Turner, Wilson Co., Tenn., son of Jerome and Sara (Mullinax) Turner. Moved to Tupelo, Miss., in 1930, where Leila died, interment being in Memorial Park Cemetery in Tupelo, Miss. Mr. Turner died Sept. 1934, and was interred in Statesville, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Willie Eunice Turner, b. 1-16-1904. m: Frank Blinn 8-5-1936. (d. April 1956 in California.) No issue. m: 2nd: Dr. Earl Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 1956. No issue.
2g. Ida Lurline Turner, b. 10-29-1907, Wilson Co., Tenn. No further record. Apparently never married.
3g. Sanford Leon Turner, b. 5-5-1913. m: Pauline (Polly) Aldridge of Tupelo, Miss.
Ch: 1h. Charles Leon Turner, Adopted.
4g. Alma Juanita Turner, b. 4-21-1915, at Bryantsville, Ky. m: John Cordius Sanders, 12-22-1937 in Tupelo, Miss. (b. 5-21-1913 in Aiken, S.C., son of Daniel Judson Sanders.) Res: 914 Overman, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Juanita Carolyn Sanders, b. 9-27-1938, Tupelo.
2h. Marvin Judson Sanders, b. 11-13-1941, at Cleveland, Miss.
3h. John Cordius Sanders, Jr., b. 3-10-1947, at Cleveland, Miss.
4h. Jemmy Mary Sanders, b. 12-18-1951, at Cleveland, Miss.
- 5g. Florence Ray Turner, b. 8-2-1919. m: Hugh Mays Randall, 1-15-1938.
Ch: 1h. Robert Hugh Randall, b. 4-28-1939,
2h. Charles Leon Randall
3h. Lelia Jane Randall
4h. Margaret Ann Randall
- 6g. Charles Hudson Turner, b. 10-10-1921. Rejected by Army because of his excessive height of 6'8". m: Virginia Ruth Alexander of Paris, Tenn. 4-18-1948. Res: Raleigh, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Stephen Haley Turner, b. 11-10-1950.
2h. Charlotte Ann Turner, b. 12-4-1952.
- 5f. Cornie Robinson, b. 3-25-1878. d. 8-12-1906. m: Charles Reynolds,
Ch: 1g. Clarice Reynolds.
- 6f. Ida Robinson, b. 4-10-1882, Wilson Co., Tenn. d. 9-19-1959. * m: Tom Adamson, 5-28-1898. (b. 3-29-1877, son of Will and Pheenie Adamson, nee Trewhitt, of Wilson Co., Tenn.) Res: 731 Saipan, San Antonio, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Ray Adamson, b. 6-26-1900. m: Hattie White (d. 1935) Res: 1213 Stainback, Nashville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. John Thomas Adamson, b. 1921. m: Hester Curtis. Has 3 children and lives in Nashville, Tenn.
2h. Elizabeth Lucille Adamson, b. 1924. Married and resides in Falls Church, Va. Has three children, - Elizabeth, John and David. Name of husband - Johnny Grotts.
3h. Georgia Adamson. Married, had 5 children, and lives in Hayward, Calif. m: Harry Grotts
4h. Ruth Douglas Adamson. Married, has 4 children, and lives in Nashville, Tenn. m: Dennis Jones.
- 2g. Oscar Adamson, b. 8-19-1903. d. 8-3-1959, Nashville, Tenn. m: Mag-

*See Appendix.

- gie Smith, Portland, Tenn. Divorced.
- Ch: 1h. Rebecca Adamson, Married and has one child. Lives in Nashville, Tenn.
- 2h. William Adamson, Lives in Indiana.
- 3g. Marvin G. Adamson, b. 8-14-1905, near Fountain Head, Tenn. Capt. in the U.S. Army - Retired. Enlisted in Army 10-9-1922, and served as an enlisted man until 10-23-1942, when he was commissioned as a 2d Lieut. Served in W.W.II in Persia, 7-10-1943 to 1-26-1946; in Korea from 8-4-1950 to 4-1-1952. In service 30 years and 7 days. Retired in Oct. 1952 as a Major. Res: 107 Moss Dr., San Antonio, Texas. m: Lela Beard, 4-16-1930, at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. (b. 2-12-1906, dau. of A.L. and Kate Beard.) No issue.
- 4g. Corynne Adamson, b. 3-20-1910, Sumner Co., Tenn. m: Rev. Prator Hardin, 8-7-1926, at Long Point, Ill. (b. 7-9-1903, son of Levi and Eva Hardin, nee King.) Minister of Church of the Firstborn. Res: 3115 Hillside Dr., Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Ruth Elaine Hardin, b. 9-3-1927. m: Charles W. Marshall.
- Ch: 1i. Randy Marshall.
- 2i. Perry Joe Marshall
- 2h. Evelyn Hardin, b. 11-19-1930. m: Chester H. Cole.
- Ch: 1i. Elaine Cole.
- 3h. Larry Donald Hardin, b. 9-25-1946.
- 5g. Pleamon Adamson, b. 12-20-1913, Portland, Tenn. d. 1960. Assembler at John Deere Harvester Plant at East Moline, Ill. m: Virginia Higgins, 12-20-1935, Cambridge, Ill. (b. 6-26-1918, dau. of Ralph Higgins.) Baptists. Res: R. R. #1, Box 185, Port Bryon, Ill.)
- Ch: 1h. Ida Marie Adamson, b. 10-1-1936 at Genesco, Ill. m: Earl Smith, 1955, at Muscatine, Iowa.
- Ch: 1i. Richard Earl Smith.
- 2i. Steven E. Smith.
- 2h. Herald E. Adamson, b. 8-18-1938, Osco, Ill.
- 3h. Donna Mae Adamson, b. 10-6-1939, Erie, Ill.
- 4h. Mary E. Adamson, b. 2-28-1940, at Hoopole, Ill. d. at birth.
- 5h. Eva Jean Adamson, b. 4-17-1942, Hoopole, Ill.
- 6h. Robert Y. Adamson, b. 11-26-1943, Genesco, Ill.
- 7h. Barbara K. Adamson, b. 1-29-1945, Morrison, Ill.
- 6g. Juanita Adamson, b. 7-20-1916. m: Perry Theodore Cooper, 11-13-1937. (b. 12-29-1913, son of J.O. Cooper.) In Base Supply Lackland AFB, Tex. Served 16 years in military service. Retired due to disability. Resided for a time in San Antonio, Texas. Res: Box 247, Hollywood, N.M., but residing at Cuigoso, N.M.
- Ch: 1h. Perry Donald Cooper, b. 6-30-1938.
- 7g. Vera Adamson, b. 4-15-1919, at Dana, Ill. m: Huey Neuton Hart, 11-1-1940. (b. 10-5-1909, son of Otto and Ida Hart.) Retired from Civil Service after 22 years. Res: 731 Saipan, San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Huetta Sue Hart, b. 2-11-1942. m: Robert Lee Conner of San Antonio, Texas, 5-10-1958. Res: Houston, Tex. No issue.
- 2h. Gloria Jean Hart, b. 12-9-1943.
- 3h. Sherry Lynne Hart, b. 6-11-1956.
- 8g. Raymond Adamson, b. 2-16-1921, Portland, Tenn. Master Sgt. U.S. Air Force. Member Pentacostal Church. m: Juanita M. Jones, 10-31-1942. (b. 9-1-1922, dau. of John A. Jones,) Res: 2117 W. Mitchell, Hallaman AFB, New Mexico.
- Ch: 1h. Joyce Ann Adamson, b. 9-7-1943.
- 2h. Raymond C. Adamson, Jr., b. 6-12-1948.
- 3h. David Lee Adamson, b. 4-6-1950.
- 9g. James Adamson, b. 6-6-1924, Portland, Tenn. Operator of a dry cleaning plant. m: Jacqueline Collins, 11-13-1948. (b. 1932, dau. of Adeline Collins.) Res: 107 Edgebrook Lane, San Antonio, Texas. Divorced -1959 and living in Cuidoso, N.M. Mailing Address, Box 247, Hollywood, N.M.
- Ch: 1h. Allan Drake Adamson, b. 9-30-1949, at San Antonio, Texas
- 2d. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 1-6-1810. d. abt. 1848. Second child of John and Martha Stewart Goodner. m: Luther Glaves, abt. 1828-30. (Newspaper account says her husband's name was Peter Glaves.)
- Ch: 1e. Frank Glaves, b. abt. 1831-2. No data.
- 2e. Luther (or Peter) Glaves, b. abt. 1832-3. No data.
- 3e. Sarah Glaves, b. abt. 1835. In the 1850 Census returns of Bradley Co., Tenn., it shows that

Sarah was living with her grandparents, John and Martha. No further data.

- 4e. Samuel H. Graves, b. 1849. In the 1850 Census Returns of Bradley Co., Tenn., it shows that Samuel H. Graves, age 1 year, was living with his grandparents, John and Martha Goodner, which would indicate decease of the mother.

(No additional data could be learned on this branch of the family. A wide search was made, but it was not fruitful.)

- 3d. Jacob Goodner, b. 8-7-1811, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 1886, Bradley Co., Tenn. Third child of John and Martha (Stewart) Goodner. Farmer and land owner. When a small child, his father took him to Illinois on a visit to his grandparents, Conrad and Elizabeth (Sherer) Goodner, in St. Clair County, Ill. This was in 1815 or 1816. Accompanying them was Patsy Goodner. In "Tennessee State Archives", for Jackson County, in 1837, in a "Petition from Jackson Co., praying for an amendment to Make a New County", Jacob's name appears as one of the signers. Jackson County lies adjacent to Smith. Later on in the year 1837, he moved with his family to Bradley County, accompanying his parents who also moved there. He was one of the pioneer settlers in the Ocoee District, which had been opened up by the removal of the Cherokee Indians. m: Charlotte Kemp, abt. 1832, possibly in Smith Co. Tenn. (b. 2-27-1815. d. 1894, Bradley Co., Tenn., dau. of Murphy and Sarah Kemp. See Appendix on more of the Kemp family.)

Ch: 1e. Caswell Goodner, b. 1-7-1833, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 10-10-1887. Employed for 25 years by the old East Tenn., Virginia, and Georgia Railroad. Resided in Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Mary King, abt. 1855. (b. 11-10-1833. d. 3-9-1888) Mary King was a granddaughter of Abigail Lee, who was an Aunt to General Robert E. Lee. Abigail Lee married William King; Alfred King, son, married Susan Matthews, and Mary was their daughter.

Ch: 1f. William Caswell Goodner, b. 3-8-1857. d. 1-14-1919. m: Susan Josephine (Josie) Morris, abt. 1881-2. (b. 4-5-1857. d. 8-25-1945) Res: Knoxville, Tenn.

Ch: 1g. Alfred Brawner Goodner, b. 12-31-1883, Knoxville, Tenn. d. 8-25-1925, at McAlester, Okla. Was Traffic Manager of Pittsburg County Railway at McAlester, Okla. Mason. Knight Templar., B.P.O.E., Methodist. Resided in McAlester, Okla. m: Maud Thurman of Chattanooga, Tenn. (d. 4-22-1922.) No issue.

- 2g. Willard Hill Goodner, b. 3-26-1888, Knoxville, Tenn. d. 4-30-1955, in Miami, Okla., from an heart attack. Interred in Miami, Okla. Left Tenn. in 1904 and went to Chicago. Married there in 1920, and in 1925 moved to McAlester, Okla., where he lived until 1938, when he moved to Miami, Okla. Attended Law School in Chicago but did not graduate. He specialized in Transportation Law, and because of that was authorized to practice before the Interstate Commerce Commission. He worked for a time with the Pittsburg County Railway Co. in McAlester, Okla., after a vacancy left by the death of his brother. Acted as Executor of the Northeast Okla. Railroad, and at the time of his death was a member of the Board of Directors of the American Short Line Railway Assn., and a Director of the Tri-State Traffic Club of which he was a past president. Was a Veteran Scouter for more than 30 years, and was Vice President of the Cherokee Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America, and National Council Representative for many years. Was recipient of the Silver Beaver Award, the highest honor bestowed by the Boy Scouts of America for outstanding work for the boys. Member of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, and past president of that organization. Active in Civic and Community affairs; past President of the Lions Club, and held at various times positions in Red Cross, in which he served as District Director, and in the March of Dimes program. A Veteran of World War I, a Mason, member of the White Shrine, Rotary Club, and the First Methodist Church. He resided at times in Newport and Monterey, Tenn., Chicago, McAlester, Okla., and Miami, Okla. Widow resides at 315 E. St., N.W., Miami, Okla. m: Elsie M. Prayer, 4-17-1920, in Chicago, Ill. (b. 11-2-1897, in Chicago, dau. of E. Prayer)

Ch: 1h. Willard Robert ("Bill") Goodner, b. 9-19-1930. Grad. of Miami, Okla., High School in 1948, Northwestern A. & M. in 1950, and Univ. of Okla. in 1952. A journalism student. He edited the Norse Wind, a campus newspaper, and was Asst. Editor of the Sooner Magazine, the alumni publication at the Univ. of Okla. Was a member of Sigma Delta Chi. Served in Navy Intelligence; Lieut. Junior Grade, Korean War. d. 8-8-1959, from a circulatory ailment after an illness of two wks. Interred in Miami, Okla. m: Jacqueline M. Hixson, 6-22-1957. (b. 8-18-1930, dau. of Thomas Hixson.) No issue.

William Caswell Goodner and his wife, Susan Josephine, were apparently divorced.

(she outlived him) for later he married a Miss Hampton, by whom there was no issue.

2f. Jacob Alfred Goodner, b. 6-26-1865, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 4-11-1935 in Knoxville, Tenn. Railroad Engineer. Methodist. Resided in Knoxville, Tenn., at Central and Oklahoma Sts. m: Ella Cook, of Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 4-20-1871, Polk Co., Tenn. d. 1-18-1918, Knoxville, Tenn.)

Ch: 1g. Charles Alfred Goodner, b. 4-5-1897. d. 12-10-1957. Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. Was in W.W.I; took officers' training at Camp Zachary Taylor. In business, was a Business Manager. m: 1st: Gladys Ford, daughter of J.C. Ford.

Ch: 1h. Sarah Jane Goodner, b. 11-23-1922, at Knoxville, Tenn. m: Robert Neil, 4-2-1940, Ironton, Ohio. (b. 11-21-1912, son of R.L. and Honore K. Neil) Res: Lockwood, West Virginia.

Ch: 1i. Sarah Jane Neil, b. 7-8-1941.

2i. Robert Bryan Neil, b. 7-6-1942.

Charles Alfred Goodner m: 2nd: Ethel Yarbrough, dau. of Tom Yarbrough. Later divorced.

Ch: 2h. Mary June ("Judy") Goodner, b. 5-2-1936 in Knoxville, Tenn. m: Richard Beale, 6-8-1957. (b. 5-21-1932, at Detroit, Mich. son of C.A. Beale.) University Professor at Athens University, Athens, Ohio. Res: 53 Lancaster St., Athens, O. No issue.

2g. Mary Goodner, b. 4-7-1903, at Bristol, Va., m: Philip Kemp, 6-18-1929, at Knoxville, Tenn. Son of Philip and Sallie Kemp. Salesman. Presbyterians. Served in Army from 6-6-1942 to 9-7-1945. Res: 1460 Le Baron Ave., Jacksonville, Fla. No issue.

Jacob Alfred Goodner, after the death of Ella, married a second time, but the name of his wife is unknown. There was no issue by this marriage.

2e. Lucy Jane Goodner, b. 10-15-1835, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 5-19-1882. m: 1st: Luke Bean (Beane). Died in service in the Civil War.

Ch: 1f. Samuel Bean, b. abt. 1855-60. Res: Cleveland, Tenn. m: Callie Hayes.

Ch: 1g. Dock Bean. Lived in Rome, Ga. Moved from there about 1918, and last reports were that the widow and two sons were living in Atlanta, Ga.

2g. Kittie Bean. m: Carrol Wollbaugh. Res: Knoxville, Tenn. No issue.

3g. John Bean. Lived in Orlando, Fla., and died there. After his death, his widow, Ruth, remarried and is reported to be living in Virginia. No issue as far as is known.

Lucy Jane Goodner Bean, after the death of her husband, m: 2nd: Robert A. Johnston, abt. 1886, son of William and Ann (McCln) Johnston. (b. 2-24-1825, Loudon Co., Tenn., d. 1-21-1902, Loudon Co., Tenn.)

Ch: 2f. Robert Carlyle Johnston, b. 8-23-1866, Cleveland, Tenn. Worked for Southern R.R. for many years. Retired July 1938. Moved to Seattle, Washington, in October, 1942, and resided at 1202 S.W. 137th St. Visited Tenn. in the Fall of 1958, when the writer had the pleasure of meeting this grand old gentleman, standing still as straight as a ramrod. Remained in Cleveland, Tenn., over the winter with his 3rd wife, and then returned to Washington. d. 10-20-1959, Seattle. M: 1st: Eugenia E. Hawk, 10-25-1895, at McDonald, Tenn., dau. of William Hawk.

Ch: 1g. Maurice W. Johnston, b. 1-22-1898. m: 1st: Mamie Tyner. Res: 5536 - 16th Ave. South, Seattle, Washington.

Ch: 1h. Maurice W. Johnston, Jr., b. 1922, Res: San Francisco, Calif. Was in the Navy and stationed at Pearl Harbor when it was attacked by the Japanese. The ship Brooklyn, on which he was stationed, was sunk, but he was saved. Served throughout the War. Marital status unknown.

Maurice W. Johnston, Sr., and his wife, Mamie, were divorced and he was subsequently married four times. A second son was born, but it is not known by which wife:

2h. Eugene C. Johnston. No data.

2g. Eugene Carlyle Johnston, b. 9-15-1900. d. 7-2-1919.

Robert C. Johnston m: 2nd: Florence Gore. No issue. m: 3rd: Mrs. Claira May Wood in Seattle, Wash. 4-29-1957.

3f. Ida Johnston, b. 12-5-1867. d. 9-5-1909. Interred in McDonald Cemetery, Harrison, Tenn. m: Champ Ramsey, abt. 1883. (b. 9-30-1862. d. 10-25-1940.) Also interred in McDonald Cemetery, Harrison, Tenn.

Ch: 1g. Ora Ramsey, b. abt. 1884. Dec'd. before 1908. m: Everett Scoggins. Dec'd. Resided in McDonald, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Jack Scoggins, Dec'd.

(After death of Ora, Everett Scoggins married her sister, Nannie.)

- 2g. John Ramsey, b. 1886. Res: Rt. #1, Harrison, Tenn. No further data.
- 3g. Lilly Ramsey, b. 1887. Dec'd. Never married.
- 4g. Nannie Ramsey, b. 3-8-1889. d. 12-2-1958. m: Everett Scoggins (After death of her sister, Ora.) 11-9-1908, Bradley Co., Tenn. (b. 11-18-1883, son of Joseph Scoggins.) Farmer. Baptist. d. 9-15-1949. Resided in Bradley County, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Ida Jane Scoggins, b. 8-10-1909, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Lester Hawkes. Divorced. Mrs. Hawkes res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn. No issue.
- 2h. Floyd Scoggins, b. 2-6-1911. d. 8-13-1913.
- 3h. Maggie Louise Scoggins, b. 1-8-1913, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Wiley Gaston. Maintenance Man for City of Chattanooga, Tenn. Son of Joseph Gaston. Baptist. Res: 215 Old Mountain Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Wiley Gaston, Jr.
2i. Wilma Dean Gaston. m: Mr. Stansberry.
3i. Donald Gaston.
4i. Leana Gaston
- 4h. Frances Pauline Scoggins, b. 10-17-1915, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Frank Brady. Upholsterer. Member of Church of God. Res: Harrison, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Kenneth Brady.
2i. Wayne Brady.
- 5h. Martha Della Scoggins, b. 8-8-1916, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Joe Jones. Machinist. Church of God. Res: Rt. #3, Cleve., Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Mary Frances Jones. m: Mr. Hughes.
2i. Bobby Jones
3i. John Jones
4i. Carin Dean Jones
- 6h. Clyde James Scoggins, b. 3-28-1918, Bradley Co., Tenn. Farmer. Church of God. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Billy Scoggins
2i. Leon Scoggins
3i. Fay Scoggins
4i. Shirley Scoggins
- 7h. Verlia Kate Scoggins, b. 4-23-1920, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: W. C. Mathews. Farmer. Members of Church of God. Son of John Mathews. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Doyle Mathews.
2i. Dawen Mathews.
- 8h. Mary Lee Scoggins, b. 7-21-1922, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Lester Mathews. Farmer. Members of Church of God. Res: Rt. #3, Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Clyde Edward Mathews
2i. Ann Mathews
3i. Howard Mathews
4i. Douglas Mathews
- 9h. Hazel Blanche Scoggins, b. 3-18-1924, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Perry Taylor, son of Bill Taylor. Military service-Army. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Jo Ann Taylor
- 10h. Jessie Catherine Scoggins, b. 1-16-1926, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: James Clingan, son of Wheeler Clingan. Served in Army. Members of Church of God. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Barbara Jean Clingan
- 11h. Lena Margaret Scoggins, b. 11-28-1928, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Thomas Holder, son of Ed. Holder. Employed in Shipping Dept. in Dixie Foundry. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn. No issue
- 12h. Nellie Jewell Scoggins, b. 2-17-1930, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Ben Neely, Jr., son of Ben Neely, Sr. Farmer. Res: Harrison, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Jerry Neely
2i. Peggy Neely
3i. Coy Dean Neely
- 13h. Omagene Scoggins, b. 7-14-1931, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: James Tinsley, 10-7-1950, in Georgia. (b. 10-4-1925, son of

- Roscoe Tinsley.) Truck Driver. Armed Forces - Navy. Members of Church of God. Res: Rt. #3, Freewill Rd., Clev., Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Jimmy Eugene Tinsley, b. 3-6-1957.
- 5g. Thomas Ramsey, b. 12-31-1891. d. 5-6-1953. Interred in McDonald Cemetery, Harrison, Tenn. m: Mae Elizabeth Brady, 12-24-1921. (b. 7-17-1906, dau. John and Zora Brady.)
Ch: 1h. Marie Ramsey, b. 9-15-1923. m: Mr. Johnson. Res: 1505 Wisdom St., Chattanooga 6, Tenn.
2h. Vieva Ramsey b. 3-24-1927, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Mr. Martin.
Ch: 1i. James Lamar Martin, b. 8-21-1945.
m: 2nd: Raymond L. Braley, 3-11-1947. (b. 5-3-1927, son of Walter Braley.) Farmer. Baptist. Navy. Res: Rt. #1, Harrison, Tenn.
Ch: 2i. Jackie Leon Braley, b. 8-2-1947.
3i. Linda Gail Braley, b. 6-30-1949.
4i. Thomas Lee Braley, b. 8-23-1950.
3h. Lucille Ramsey, b. 11-13-1929. m: Mr. Behre. Res: P.O. Box 36, Gatun, Canal Zone.
- 6g. McKinley Ramsey, b. 11-29-1893, in Old James Co., now Hamilton Co. Tenn. Farmer and Dairyman. Members of Church of God. Res: McDonald, Tenn. m: Bertha Cantrell, 12-1-1918. (b. 12-21-1902, dau. of Will and Mollie Cantrell.)
Ch: 1h. Grace Ramsey, b. 11-12-1919, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Vernon Lackey, 5-7-1938. (b. 8-16-1918) Farmer. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Herbert Lackey, b. 2-17-1939.
2h. Pauline Ramsey, b. 11-28-1921, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Neal Parker, 8-10-1940. (b. 1-3-1922) Farmer. Res: Rt. #1, McDonald, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Shirley Ann Parker, b. 11-12-1942.
2i. Larry Parker, b. 8-5-1945.
3i. Betty Jean Parker, b. 8-23-1948.
3h. Lilly Ramsey, b. 3-7-1924, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: John Bancroft, 8-16-1943. (b. 2-3-1925,) Farmer. Res: McDon., Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Jo Ann Bancroft, b. 7-5-1944.
2i. Peggy Bancroft, b. 9-12-1947.
3i. Connie Bancroft, b. 2-23-1957.
4h. Frankie Ramsey, b. 9-11-1927, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Jimmy Beattie, 2-9-1946 (b. 5-3-1928) Farmer. Res: McDonald, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Julius Beattie, b. 5-11-1947.
- 7g. George Ramsey, b. abt. 1895. Dec'd. m: -----
Ch: 1h. Hoyt Ramsey. Res: Rt. #1, Harrison, Tenn.
2h. Martha Ann Ramsey. m: -----Rogers. No other data.
3h. George Ramsey, Jr., b. 12-23-1935. Employed by United Hosiery Mills. Served in Marine Corp. Res: Harrison, Tenn. m: Betty Rachel Neely, 11-6-1956. (b. 2-7-1936.)
Ch: 1i. Fannye Denise Ramsey, b. 5-22-1957.
- 8g. Perry Ramsey, Res: Rt. #1, Harrison, Tenn. No further data.
- 9g. Mary Ramsey, Never married. Res: with brother, Ebb Ramsey, in Harrison, Tenn.
- 10g. Robert Ramsey, b. 4-29-1904. d. 12-5-1938. Farmer. Resided in Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Jessie E. Green, 11-12-1927. (b. 9-10-1910, dau. of Thomas R. and Vinnie Green.) Widow res. in Harrison, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Margareta Lovada Ramsey, b. 1-8-1929. m: William Leonard McDaniel, 10-6-1945. (d. 7-23-1956, from cancer.) Switchman for Southern Railroad. Baptist. Two years military service. Widow resides in Harrison, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Rhonda M. McDaniel, b. 11-18-1953.
2i. Cynthia T. McDaniel, b. 11-19-1955.
2h. Bobby Eugene Ramsey, b. 8-14-1930. Res: Harrison, Tenn. m: Virginia Jacqueline Sheilin, 12-23-1952, dau. of Robert Sheilin. Members of Church of God.
Ch: 1i. Pamela R. Ramsey, b. 3-31-1954
- 11g. Ebb Ramsey, b. 12-9-1905, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Baptist. Res: Rt. #1,

- Harrison, Tenn. Farmer. m: Bessie Hood, 10-28-1928. (b. 8-24-1913, dau. of Creel Hood.)
- Ch: 1h. Inez Ramsey, b. 12-1-1929. m: Austell Steele, 3-31-1945. (b. 7-17-1927, son of W.E. Steele) Construction Worker. Baptist. Res: 516 E. 5th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Jerry Eugene Steele, b. 9-2-1948.
 2i. Larry Theodore Steele, b. 9-1-1950.
 3i. Micky Austina Steele, b. 11-21-1952.
 4i. Beverly Jean Steele, b. 3-27-1954.
 5i. Pamela Darlene Steele, b. 8-9-1956.
- 2h. Ida Ramsey, b. 12-16-1932, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Paul Howard Walker, 10-28-1950. Electrician. Baptist. Army service. Res: Rt. #1, Harrison, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Paula Kay Walker, b. 10-7-1951.
 2i. Janice Elaine Walker, b. 10-31-1955.
 3i. Beverly Sue Walker, b. 3-15-1957.
- 3h. Betty Ramsey, b. 11-12-1935, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m:----- Marshall. Res: Harrison, Tenn. No data.
- 4h. John Ramsey, b. 8-25-1938. Residing at home.
- 5h. Doyle Ramsey, b. 11-3-1941.
- 6h. Floyd Ramsey, b. 6-29-1945.
- 7h. William McKinley Ramsey, b. 12-8-1948.
- 4f. Oscar Kahle Johnston, b. 12-9-1875, in Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 3-14-1911. Interred at Philadelphia, Tenn. Locomotive Engineer. Baptist. m: Burtella Mason Martin, 1-5-1900, Philadelphia, Tenn. (b. 5-14-1872, Philadelphia, Loudon Co., Tenn. Dau. James G. and Mary Louise Martin, nee McPherson.)
- Ch: 1g. James Robert Johnston, b. 3-5-1901. Res: Daisy, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Ellen Elizabeth Lowder, 6-21-1929. (b. 7-24-1905)
- Ch: 1h. Robert Glen Johnston, b. 8-5-1930. Res: 918 Preston Dr., Nashville, Tenn. m: Nancy Katheryn Thomason, July 1953.
- Ch: 1i. Debra Lynn Johnston, 9-23-1954.
 2i. Scott Edwin Johnston, 7-10-1956.
- 2g. Lyle Leuty Johnston, b. 3-13-1906, Daisy, Tenn. Dispatcher for Miami Cab Co. of Dayton, Ohio. Res: 1223 Keowee St., Dayton, Ohio. m: Ruby Gorden Baldwin, 9-11-1940. (b. 7-22-1920, Dalton, Ga., dau. Anderson Baldwin.)
- Ch: 1h. James Lynn Johnston, b. 1-27-1942.
 2h. Carroll Eugene Johnston, b. 3-2-1943.
 3h. Ruth Ann Johnston, b. 3-27-1944.
 4h. Mary Jane Johnston, b. 6-6-1946.
 5h. Larry Lee Johnston, b. 2-27-1948.
 6h. Jerry Gorden Johnston, b. 11-19-1949.)
 7h. Judy Roberta Johnston, b. 11-19-1949.) Twins.
 8h. Garry Lyle Johnston, b. 7-16-1952.
 9h. Barbara Sue Johnston, b. 9-16-1953.
 10h. Nancy Jo Johnston, b. 10-8-1954.
 (All born in Dayton, Montgomery Co., Ohio.)
- 3g. Oscar Kahle Johnston, Jr., b. 11-11-1911. Res: Daisy, Tenn. Box 243. Hamilton County. m: Nina Grant, 7-4-1933. (b. 6-16-1914, dau. Albert Alonzo and Emma Grant, nee Yother.)
- Ch: 1h. James Albert Johnston, b. 11-30-1934. Res: Daisy, Tenn.
 2h. Burton Grant Johnston, b. 12-11-1935. m: Betty Ellen Rigsby, 8-20-1953. Res: Daisy, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Bradley Grant Johnston, b. 4-10-1955.
 2i. Cheryl Ann Johnston, b. 9-17-1957.
- 5f. Charles Johnston, b. abt. 1876. d. 2-26-1912, Reedley, Calif. Carpenter. Moved to California from Tennessee. m: Mary Sarepta Sims. (b. 12-20-1874, dau. Newton and Susan Sims.)
- Ch: 1g. Cate Belle Johnston, b. 4-22-1896, Near McDonald, Tenn. m: Jesse Savateer, 3-4-1919, Fresno, Calif. (b. Perry Co., Mo., son of William Savateer. d. 2-20-1953, in Reedley, Calif. Res: Mrs. Savateer: Box 391, Reedley, Calif. Baptists. Mr. Savateer was in trucking business. No issue.
- 2g. Willie May Johnston, b. 11-5-1898. m: John Bright, 12-24-1918. Res: 1227 K. St., Reedley, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Betty Maxine Bright, b. 9-29-1926. m: 1st: Louis Young, 10-12-1945.

- Ch: 1i. John Young, b. 5-13-1947.
m: 2nd: Joseph N. Anderson, 3-26-1952. No issue.
- 3g. Jessie Myrtle Johnston, b. 4-17-1901. m: Russell Nickles, 4-18-1922, Fresno, Calif. (b. 12-2-1896, son of Charles and Ida Nickles.) Mr. Nickles now retired, and separated from his wife. Res: Mrs. Nickles: 2222 11th St., Reedley, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Verne Wallace Nickles, b. 2-9-1924. Lather, Baptist. Served in U.S. Air Force. m: Janice Ruth Williams, 8-19-1950. (b. 9-22-1930, dau. Floyd S. and Eleanor F. Williams) Res: 1170 Bennington Dr., Sunnyvale, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Douglass Verne Nickles, b. 11-19-1954.
2i. Randall Nickles, b. 9-27-1956.
- 2h. Charles Eugene Nickles, b. 7-26-1926. Fireman. Baptist. Served in Navy. m: Dorothy Edington, 6-25-1948. (b. 4-13-1925, dau. of James E. and Anna Mae Edington.) Dorothy has a daughter by a previous marriage by name of Joan Clark, b. 12-15-1941) Res: 19146 Muriel Lane, Cupertino, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. David Nickles, b. 11-30-1949.
2i. Paul Allen Nickles, b. 11-16-1958.
- 4g. Clarence Victor Johnston, b. 8-16-1908. m: Alma Archer, 2-25-1928. (b. 2-11-1909, dau. George and May Archer.) Res: 1118 K St., Reedley, Cal.
- Ch: 1h. Donna Janelle Johnston, b. 8-4-1929. m: Gerald A. Babcock, 6-16-1947. (b. 4-14-1926, son of Hershel and M. Babcock.) Tile Setter. Baptist. Served in Navy.
- Ch: 1i. Dean Babcock, b. 3-18-1949.
2i. Darla Babcock, b. 6-16-1950.
- 6f. Mary Cornelia (Mollie) Johnston, b. 1-28-1874, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 9-17-1911. Interred in Ontario, Calif. m: William David Wattenbarger. (b. 3-26-1869, in Tenn. d. 1-2-1935. Interred in Ontario, Calif.) Rancher. Protestant.
- Ch: 1g. Charles Edgar Clay Wattenbarger, b. 10-3-1894, Cleveland, Tenn. Has dropped the use of the name Charles. Bus Driver. W.W.L. Member of Washoe Lodge #35, F. & A. M., Past Master. Scottish Rite: Kerak Temple of the Shrine. m: Edna J. McAmis, 8-24-1922. (b. 2-13-1896, dau. of Wm. A. McAmis of Cleveland, Tenn.) 1283 N. Fowler, Fresno 2, Calif. No issue.
- 2g. Ora Belle Wattenbarger, b. 11-4-1898, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Alfred Theurich, 12-22-1924, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 12-28-1893 in Lodz, Poland, now in Russia; son of Karl and Lottie Theurich, nee Hintz.) Electrical Engineer. Protestant. Ora Belle was a teacher of Home Economics before her marriage. Res: 740 S. Oak Knoll Ave., Pasadena, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Alfred Theurich, Jr., b. 12-2-1930. m: Emily Jane Ross, at South Pasadena, Calif. Res: 86 Willow Wood Lane, Wantaugh, N.Y.
- Ch: 1i. Jan Alan Ross Theurich, b. 9-25-1956.
2i. Diane Eugenia Theurich, b. 11-28-1958, in San Diego, Calif.
- 7f. Ora Johnston, b. 2-17-1882. m: Sam Bean. Of a different family than the Luke Bean who was the first husband of her mother.
- Ch: One child who died in infancy.
- 3e. John Jairus Goodner, b. 5-29-1837, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 6-6-1927 in Bradley Co., Tenn. Farmer. Removed from Bradley Co. where he was living to Hamilton Co., Tenn., shortly after the close of the Civil War, and settled 20 miles north of Chattanooga at Savannah. He owned several farms, and donated the land for the Walnut Grove M.E. Church, which was near his home. m: 1st: Martha Ellen Bean (Beane), 9-3-1857, (b. 6-16-1838 in Rhea Co., Tenn. d. 11-28-1895, in Hamilton Co., Tenn., dau. of Hazard Bean, or Beane, a pioneer settler in Bradley Co., Tenn.)
- Ch: 1f. Eliza Jane Goodner, b. 7-27-1858. d. 1-16-1944. m: George D. Taliaferro, 11-30-1882. (b. 4-13-1841. d. 8-19-1914.) Confederate War Veteran. Resided in Hamilton Co., Tenn., apparently near Savannah.
- Ch: 1g. Martha Hannah Taliaferro, b. 11-9-1883. d. 10-7-1949. m: Henry Carden of Chattanooga, Tenn. (d. 8-9-1954.) Interred in Forest Hills Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. George H. Carden, b. 6-7-1905. Sales Engineer. Dist. Manager for Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co. in Baltimore, Md. Members of Towson Methodist Church. m: Frances Penelope Ruffin, 6-1-1931, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 11-21-1905, dau. Joel Frank

Leaves From the Family Tree

Goodner Family in Tennessee Is Descended From Conrad Goodner, of German Origin, Who Lived in North Carolina in Revolutionary Times—John Goodner, His Son, Came to This State and, After Living in Other Counties, Settled in Bradley in 1836.

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No. 1—Martha Ellen Bean Goodner, descendant of the well-known Bean family of Tennessee, with her husband, John J. Goodner, of Hamilton county. No. 2—Jacob Goodner, 1811-1886, pioneer settler in the Ocoee district, who has many descendants in this section of Tennessee. No. 3—Charlotte (Kemp) Goodner, 1815-1854, wife of Jacob Goodner. No. 4—The Goodner homestead at Long Savannah, formerly in James county, Tennessee, but now in Hamilton. No. 5—Four generations of the Goodner family in Hamilton county; Mrs. Henry Carden, of Chattanooga; George Carden, of Milwaukee, Wis.; the late James J. Goodner, of Long Savannah; Mrs. Eliza Jane (Goodner) Taliaferro, of East Chattanooga.

This article on the Goodner family, which is widely scattered throughout East Tennessee, does not discuss several branches of the family. They will be the subject of a later sketch.

THE Goodner family in Tennessee is of German origin and traces its ancestry to Conrad Goodner, who was living in North Carolina at the close of the Revolutionary war.

From the Goodner family Bible now in the possession of William Joseph Goodner, of Savannah, Hamilton county, Tennessee, the following record of this family is taken:

Conrad Goodner, born November, 1754.
Elizabeth Goodner, born June 25, 1765.
They had issue:
John Goodner, born Dec. 17, 1783.
Sally Goodner, born May 25, 1788.
David Goodner, born Oct. 26, 1788.
Jacob Goodner, born July 3, 1798.
James Goodner, born Feb. 6, 1792.
Benjamin Goodner, born June 4, 1765.
Godfrey Goodner, born Feb. 10, 1798.
Francis Goodner, born Dec. 25, 1798.
Hannah Goodner, born Feb. 7, 1801.
Elijah Goodner, born Jan. 21, 1804.
Elizabeth Goodner, born June 11, 1806.

John Goodner.

JOHN GOODNER, born Dec. 17, 1783, in North Carolina, oldest child of Conrad and Elizabeth Goodner, was the progenitor of the family in this part of Tennessee. He left North Carolina and moving across the mountains lived for a while in Greene county, Tennessee. He removed to Smith county and later, when the Ocoee lands were opened for settlement in 1836, transferred his family to the new county of Bradley, where he opened one of the first tanyards. He located first in the northern part of the county on a good farm which he later sold to his son, John Goodner, Jr., and then moved to Chestnut creek, where he spent the remainder of his life.

John Goodner married Martha Stuart, born April 27, 1784, and they had issue eleven children:

- (1) Cyrus Goodner, born Aug. 24, 1806, Smith county, Tennessee.
- (2) Elizabeth Goodner, born Jan. 6, 1810.
- (3) Jacob Goodner, born Aug. 7, 1811.
- (4) John Goodner, born June 18, 1812. Died young.
- (5) James Goodner, born March 26, 1813.
- (6) Sally Goodner, born Jan. 6, 1817.
- (7) Nancy Goodner, born July 18, 1818.
- (8) John Goodner, born June 4, 1820.
- (9) Martha T. Goodner, born Nov. 24, 1821.

- (10) Andrew J. Goodner, born April 21, 1823.
- (11) George W. Goodner, born Oct. 15, 1825.

Of the foregoing:
(1) Cyrus Goodner, born Aug. 24, 1806, married and reared a family in Smith county.

(2) Elizabeth Goodner, born Jan. 6, 1810, in Smith county, married Peter Glaves, of Smith county, and had issue one son, Luther Glaves.

(3) Jacob Goodner, born Aug. 7, 1811, Smith county, died in 1886, Bradley county, married Charlotte Kemp, born Feb. 27, 1815, died 1884, Bradley county. Jacob Goodner moved with his family to Bradley county in 1837 and was one of the pioneer settlers in the Ocoee district when the territory was opened for white settlement.

Jacob and Charlotte (Kemp) Goodner had issue:

- (1) Caswell Goodner, born Jan. 7, 1833, Smith county, married Mary King.
- (2) Lucy Goodner, born Oct. 15, 1835, Smith county, married, first, Luke Beane, second, Robert Johnson.
- (3) John Jairus Goodner, born May 29, 1837, Smith county, married, first, Martha Ellen Bean; second Mrs. Laura Millon.
- (4) James Goodner, born Oct. 22, 1839, Bradley county, married Jane Gamble.
- (5) Tabitha A. Goodner, born Feb. 11, 1842, Bradley county, married Robert Johnson.
- (6) Sarah Elizabeth Goodner, born Jan. 28, 1844, married Mr. Lee; moved to Texas.
- (7) Joseph L. Goodner, born Nov. 28, 1845, married Mattie Henry.
- (8) Daughter born Dec. 31, 1847, died in infancy.
- (9) Charlotte Goodner, born Feb. 8, 1849, married (as second wife) the Rev. John London.
- (10) Jacob Wade Goodner, born May 20, 1851, married Hettie Buchanan.
- (11) Martha T. Goodner, born Aug. 3, 1853, married, first, William Browder, married, second, Mr. McDonald.
- (12) George F. Goodner, born May 11, 1856, married Callie Hawk.
- (13) Mary C. Goodner, born July 28, 1857, married G. C. Hawk.

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Ella Cook, of Polk county, Tennessee, and had issue C. A. Goodner and Mary Goodner, married, second, in North Carolina and resides in Knoxville, Tenn.

(2) Lucy Goodner, born Oct. 15, 1835, Smith county, married, first, Luke Beane, no issue; married, second, Robert Johnston, issue:
(a) Ida Johnston, married Champion Ramsey.

(b) Lyle Johnston.
(c) Charles Johnston, moved to California, where he died.

(d) Mollie Johnston married Mr. Wattenbarger.
(e) Oscar Johnston moved to Texas.

(f) Ora Johnston married Sam D. Beane.

John Jairus Goodner.

(3) John Jairus Goodner, son of Jacob and Charlotte (Kemp) Goodner, was born May 29, 1837, in Smith county, died June 6, 1877, Bradley county. He was married twice. He married, first, Martha Ellen Bean, born June 14, 1838, Rhea county, died Nov. 28, 1886, Hamilton county, Tennessee, daughter of Hazard Bean, a pioneer citizen of Bradley county; married, second, May 2, 1861, Mrs. Laura (Howell) Millon, who died July 2, 1928. There were no children by the second marriage. John J. Goodner removed from Bradley to Hamilton county shortly after the War between the States and settled about twenty miles north of Chattanooga at Savannah, where he owned several fine farms. He gave the land for the Walnut Grove M. E. church which stands near his homestead.

John J. and Martha (Bean) Goodner had issue ten children:

- (1) Eliza Jane Goodner, born July 27, 1858, married Nov. 30, 1882, George D. Taliaferro, now deceased, who served in the Confederate army during the War between the States. Mrs. Taliaferro resides with her daughter, Mrs. C. Z. Taylor, in East Chattanooga. Issue:
(a) Martha Hannah Taliaferro, married Henry Carden, of Chattanooga, issue:
George Carden, of Milwaukee, Wis., married Francis Ruffin and has Patsy Ann Carden. (b) Hulda Ann Taliaferro, married Charles Z. Taylor, of East Chattanooga, issue:
C. Zell Taylor, Jr., and Martha Lee Taylor. (c) John Lee Taliaferro, deceased, married Ruby Roberts, issue: John L. Taliaferro, of Orlando, Fla.
(d) Henry Price Goodner, born June 27, 1860, died March 4, 1931, resided in Knoxville, Tenn.
(e) Luke Lee Goodner, born July 8, 1862, died Oct. 19, 1873.
(f) Rachel Ann Goodner, born Nov. 23, 1864, died March 24, 1908, unmarried.
(g) Thomas Caswell Goodner, born Dec.

11, 1866, married October, 1882, Fannie S. Halley, resides at Flintstone, Ga.; issue: Mary Goodner, married John Devaney, resides at Flintstone, Ga., and has Frances Devaney.

(vi) Andrew John Goodner, born Feb. 14, 1869, married Sept. 4, 1890, Dora E. Williams, resides in California. Issue: Fred Goodner, William Goodner, Leland Goodner.

(vii) Charlotte Emmaline Goodner, born May 24, 1871, married John Maxwell, resides in Cucamonga, Cal., issue: (a) Marvin Maxwell, married, and has grandson and John Maxwell; (b) Myrtle Maxwell.

(viii) James Atkins Goodner, born Jan. 17, 1874, married Oct. 4, 1894, Maude E. Alton, resides at the Goodner homestead at Savannah in Hamilton county. Issue: (a) Irene Goodner married Owen Witt, issue Lovene Witt, Catherine Witt, W. O. ("Billy") Witt, Jr., Eugene Witt. (b) Anabel Goodner married Cecil Chestnut, of Ooltewah, Tenn.
(ix) William Joseph Goodner, born March 1, 1878, married Virginia Price, of Jasper, Tenn., resides twenty miles north of Chattanooga on a farm adjoining the old family homestead. Issue: (a) William Paul Goodner, married Fannie Bramlett, resides with his father. (b) Raymond Luke Goodner, of Red Bank, Tenn., married Helen Bramlett, and has Raymond Lee Goodner.

(x) Mattie Elizabeth Goodner, born March 28, 1881, married Will Chambers, resides in Cucamonga, Cal., issue: (a) Amos Bean Chambers, (b) Willette Chambers.
(4) James Goodner, born Oct. 22, 1839, Bradley county, Tenn., married Jane Gamble daughter of James Gamble, removed to Texas and reared a large family.

(5) Tabitha A. Goodner, born Feb. 11, 1842, married Robert Johnson.

(6) Sarah Elizabeth Goodner, born Jan. 28, 1844, married Mr. Lee and moved to Texas.

(7)—Joseph L. Goodner, born Nov. 1845, died Oct. 14, 1890, married Mattie Henry, born 1848, died Sept. 1, 1902. Both buried at Cleveland, Tenn.

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In 1831 missionaries from Brainerd were arrested by Georgia officers and sentenced to hard labor for four years. In the course of Georgia's efforts to drive the Cherokees from their lands,

- and Minnie Ruffin, nee Frazier, of Chattanooga, Tenn. Both dec'd.) Res: 7031 Kenleigh Rd., Baltimore, Md.
- Ch: 1i. Patricia Ann Carden, b. 10-7-1932. m: Clifford R. Culp. Res: 530-F Walker Ave., Baltimore 12, Md.
Ch: 1j. Charon Lee Culp, b. 4-21-1957.
2i. Nancy Sue Carden, b. 2-22-1938.
- 2g. Hulda Ann Taliaferro, b. 7-14-1885. m: Charles Zell Taylor of East Chattanooga, Tenn., 8-26-1906. (b. 3-30-1874). Res: 3120 Dodsens Ave. Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Charles Zell Taylor, Jr., b. 12-30-1907. Mgr. Duplan Carpet Mills, Winston-Salem, N.C. m: Rebecca McGarity. Res: 3015 University Rd., Winston-Salem, N.C.
Ch: 1i. Susanne Taylor, b. 7-13-1940.
2i. Charles Zell Taylor, III, b. 6-19-1946.
2h. Martha Lee Taylor, b. 11-2-1911. School Principal and Music Teacher. Grad. of Carleton College with an A.B. Degree, & of Columbia Univ. with an M.A. Degree. m: Lloyd Porter, 10-15-1942, in New York City. (b. 6-16-1900, son of Capt. William B. and Carrie B. Porter.) Mr. Porter a Grad. of Mass. Institute of Technology with Degree of Mechanical Engineering. Owner of Lloyd Porter Ins. Co. of Hollywood, Fla. Capt. Wm. B. Porter, father of Lloyd, was Capt. of J.P. Morgan's yacht "Corsair" for 39 years. Res: 455 N. Victoria Park Rd., Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
Ch: 1i. G. Zell Porter, b. 7-14-1944.
2i. Martha Carran Porter, b. 7-26-1946.
- 3g. John Lee Taliaferro, b. 12-9-1887. d. 1-5-1916, by drowning. Resided in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Ruby Roberts, dau. of J.W. Roberts, Address: 20 N. Brown St., Orlando, Fla.
Ch: 1h. John L. Taliaferro, b. 11-10-1912, Chattanooga, Tenn. In Drapery Business. Served in Army. m: Mary Ann Forsyth, 2-7-1942, Brooklyn, N.Y. (b. 11-30-1909, dau. James Davidson Forsyth) No issue. Res: 1504 Argyle, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
- 2f. Henry Price Goodner, b. 6-27-1860. d. 3-8-1931. Resided in Knoxville, Tenn. In 1924 was an inmate in an asylum in Chattanooga, per letter of his father. Died in an asylum in Knoxville, Tenn. Is reported to have never married.
- 3f. Luke Lea Goodner, b. 7-8-1862. d. 10-19-1873. Age 11 years.
- 4f. Isabel Ann Goodner, b. 11-25-1864. d. 3-36-1900. Single.
- 5f. Thomas Caswell Goodner, b. 12-11-1866. d. 4-7-1952. Resided in 1924 in Rockwood, Tenn., and in 1936 at Flintstone, Ga. m: Fannie S. Haley, 10-5-1892. (b. 7-28-1872. d. 12-7-1949)
Ch: 1g. Mary Goodner, b. 1-6-1902. m: John F. DeVaney, 11-24-1920. (b. 3-25-1893) Res: Rt. #8, Chatta. Valley Rd., Chattanooga 9, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Frances DeVaney, b. 8-14-1921. m: James B. Malone, 6-1-1940. (b. 4-26-1920) Res: 49 Eaton Circle, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.
Ch: 1i. Brenda Dianne Malone, b. 1-20-1944.
- 6f. Andrew Jackson Goodner, b. 2-14-1869, Date of death unknown. Worked in an hydro-Electric plant in Tennessee. Moved to California in 1904. Abandoned his family in 1912 and roamed thru midwest. Was living in Kansas in 1924. Had reputation of being a good butcher, but could not run his own shop. m: Dora B. Williams, 9-4-1890, in Tennessee.
Ch: 1g. Frederick John Goodner, b. 6-13-1891, Bradley Co., Tenn. Resided in Reedley, Calif. and was constable for 28 years. m: Cora Ulma Paterson 9-14-1926, in Reedley, Calif., dau. of J.D. Paterson. Res: 17532 E. Manning Ave., Reedley, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Frederick John Goodner, Jr., b. 10-28-1927, Reedley, Calif. Hydro Power House Operator. Served in Navy 1945-1946. Episcopalian. m: Elizabeth Eira Williams, 6-22-1957, a widow with one child, Jennifer Ann Davis. (Elizabeth was born 4-6-1926, in Brecon, South Wales, Gt. Britain, dau. of William and Deborah Williams, nee Jones)
Ch: 1i. Megan Eira Goodner, b. 3-7-1958. (F)
- 2g. William Jacob Goodner, b. 5-30-1893. d. 10-16-1941. Resided in Reedley, Calif. A Box Maker by trade. A report received that he married quite young, but that his wife deserted him early. He thereafter remained single. No issue.

- 3g. Luke Leland Goodner, b. 4-5-1895, Cleveland, Tenn. d. 1-11-1948. Operated a cigar store most of his life. Resided in Fresno, Calif. m: Maude Florence Vandiver, (b. 5-10-1894, in Missouri. d. 4-12-1941. Dau. of Harden W. and Mary Isabel Vandiver, nee Griffith) Both interred in Fresno, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. William Lee Goodner, b. 9-14-1923, at Fresno, Calif. Protestant. Sheetrock finisher. Served in Navy. m: Lois Hensen, 11-17-1945. (b. 3-10-1923, dau. of Raymond Hansen.) Res: 3937 N. Boyd, Fresno, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Donna Lee Goodner, b. 7-14-1947.
2i. David Duane Goodner, b. 6-1-1955.
- 2h. Marjorie Bell Goodner, b. 2-1-1927, Fresno, Calif. m: Rudy Joseph De Caminada, 2-8-1947. (b. 8-10-1924, son of Mrs. Rose De Caminada.) Service in U.S. Air Force. Electrical Estimator. Catholic. Res: 1433 Portland Lane, Albany, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Timothy Lee De Caminada, b. 9-3-1948.
2i. Rudy Joseph De Caminada, Jr., b. 11-21-1952.)
3i. Randy Michael De Caminada, b. 11-21-1952.) Twins
- 7f. Charlotte Emmaline Goodner, b. 5-2-1871. d. 7-9-1957. m: John Maxwell, 12-27-1900. (b. 3-12-1870, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Son of Samuel and Elizabeth Maxwell, nee Baugh.) Res: Cucamonga, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Marvin A. Maxwell, b. 11-20-1901, Chattanooga, Tenn. Goat Breeder and Raiser, operating the Maxwell Goat Dairy. Formerly President, and now Vice-Pres. of the American Milk Goat Assn., with offices in Elyria, Ohio. Protestant. Res: 3364 Riverside Dr., Pamona, Calif. m: Gladys M. Lanning, 9-25-1921. (b. 4-9-1903, at North Warren, Pa. dau. Fred E. and Daisy Lanning)
- Ch: 1h. Donald M. Maxwell, b. 9-11-1933. Mail Carrier. Protestant. Served Navy 3 years. m: Patricia Murphy, 10-17-1954. (b. 5-15-1937, dau. Frank and Viola Murphy) Res: 12857 Reservoir St., Pamona, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. David Scott Maxwell, b. 5-23-1955, at Pamona, Cal.
- 2h. John F. Maxwell, b. 6-23-1935. Plumber. Protestant. In Naval Reserve. m: Marilyn Sue Holman, 6-4-1954. (b. 8-19-1936 at Kansas City, Kan. Dau. of Forest and Evelyn Holman.) Res: 12835 Reservoir St., Pamona, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Debra Sue Maxwell, b. 1-9-1955, at Pamona, Calif.
2i. John Edward Maxwell, b. 9-14-1956, at Pamona.
- 3h. Robert W. Maxwell, b. 10-27-1927. Salesman. Protestant. Res: 317 Brookside, Apt. 7, Redlands, Calif. m: Ann Meines, 3-17-1955. (b. 3-5-1916, dau. Klaas and Emma Meines.) No issue.
- 2g. Myrtle Maxwell, b. 6-21-1909. Single. Res: 852 Raymond St., Upland, Calif.
- 8f. James Atkins Goodner, b. 1-17-1874. d. 9-18-1954. Farmer. Resided in the old Goodner Homestead at Savannah, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Maude E. Allen, 10-4-1894. (1st marriage)
- Ch: 1g. Irene Goodner, b. 9-3-1901, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: 1st: W. Owen Witt. Res: Rural Rt., Oolteway, Hamilton Co., Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Lorene Witt, b. 10-27-1917. m: C. A. Saulter, 12-30-1945. (b. 5-15-1921) Res: Coudersport, Pa.
- Ch: 1i. Mary Saulter, b. 9-24-1946.
2i. Linda Ann Saulter, b. 9-25-1948.
3i. Owen George Saulter, b. 1-20-1952.
4i. Gary Clair Saulter, b. 1-3-1954.
- 2h. Catherine Witt, b. 4-27-1920. m: G. F. Cope, Jr., 1-19-1942. (b. 6-3-1918) Res: 3813 Nandena Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Caroline Ann Cope, b. 4-6-1944.
2i. Michael Forest Cope, b. 11-1-1952.
- 3h. William O. Witt, b. 5-30-1922. m: Sue Lilly, Feb. 1945. (b. 6-29-1928) Res: Wilmington, N.C.
- Ch: 1i. William Coda Witt, b. 12-11-1946.
2i. Elizabeth Ann Witt, b. 8-13-1957.
- 4h. James Eugene Witt, b. 8-27-1924. m: Thelma Jean Cawthorn, 6-8-1946. (b. 11-7-1925) Res: St. Marys, Pa.
- Ch: 1i. Constance Irene Witt, b. 12-9-1951.
- James Atkins Goodner m: 2nd: B. W. Ayers (b. 5-1-1886).

- Ch: 2g. Annabel Goodner, b. 1-21-1913. m: Cecil Chestnut, 3-6-1932. (b. 3-24-1904) Res: Ooltewah, Tenn. No issue.
- 9f. William Joseph Goodner, b. 3-1-1879. d. 12-16-1954. (In a letter dated 9-30-1924, his father gave the date of birth of William Joseph as 3-1-1875). Farmer. Lived 20 miles north of Chattanooga, near the old Goodner Homestead) m: Virginia A. Price of Jasper, Tenn., 8-1-1901. Now living in Ooltewah, Tenn., on a rural route.
- Ch: 1g. William Paul Goodner, b. 9-24-1905. m: Fannie Bramlett, 6-2-1929. (b. 10-17-1907). Res: Ooltewah, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Joseph Richard Goodner, b. 1-3-1936.
 2h. Wade Paul Goodner, b. 3-5-1939.
 3h. Barbara Dean Goodner, b. 9-20-1940.
 4h. Linda Pauline Goodner, b. 12-28-1942.
 5h. Betty Jean Goodner, b. 1-11-1946.
- 2g. Raymond Luke Goodner, b. 5-26-1910. m: Helen Bramlett, 12-21-1930. (b. 2-22-1911) Res: 2110 Camden St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Raymond Lee Goodner, b. 11-9-1934. m: Mary Louise Holland 12-23-1954. (b. 3-16-1935) Res: 1407 W. End, Chatt., Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Jerry Lee Goodner, b. 5-14-1956.
 2h. Mary Katherine Goodner, b. 4-29-1939.
- 10f. Martha (Mattie) Elizabeth Goodner, b. 3-28-1881. d. 8-31-1951. Interred in Bellevue Cemetery, Ontario, Calif. m: William Chambers, 9-1-1901. (b. 10-5-1882, son of Philip Chambers.) Moved to Calif. from Tenn. and became an Orange Grower. Member of Bible Missionary Church. Res: Cucamonga, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Amos Bean Chambers, b. 11-10-1913, Upland, Calif. Credit Manager. Saw service in Army Air Corp. Mr. Chambers is Protestant, his wife, Catholic. m: Louise Elizabeth Core, 9-29-1946, at Las Vegas, Nev. (b. 7-20-1924, dau. of Angelo and Teresa Core) Res: Cucamonga, Calif., P.O. Box 77.
 Ch: 1h. Lucille Elizabeth Chambers, b. 2-27-1948.
- 2g. Willette Chambers, b. 11-29-1915, at Cucamonga, Calif. m: David Harold Metsker, 6-4-1937, at Pasadena, Calif. (b. 10-1-1909, son of John and Nellie Metsker) Minister and Carpenter. Member Free Methodist Church. Res: 1309 S. San Antonio, Pamona, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. David Harold Metsker, Jr., b. 2-22-1940.
 2h. Lyle Eugene Metsker, b. 8-9-1945.
 3h. Paul Wesley Metsker, b. 11-4-1949.
- John Jarius Goodner m: 2nd: Laura Million, nee Howell, 5-2-1901. She died 7-2-1928. No issue by this marriage.
- 4e. James Murphy Goodner, b. 10-22-1839. d. 2-12-1933, Denton Co., Texas. Served with Federal Forces in the Civil War, and was a Teamster in the State of Kentucky. After the war he removed to Justin, Denton Co., Texas. Probably engaged in farming and ranching. m: Jane Gamble, dau. of James Gamble.
- Ch: 1f. Charles Murphy Goodner, b. 2-19-1868. d. 9-30-1955. Carpenter. m: Jenette (Nettie) Woofter, 9-3-1899. (b. 9-3-1880, dau. of N.J. Woofter) Res: 1715 N. Ruddell, Denton, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Emory Newton Goodner, b. 7-24-1901, Wise Co., Texas. Interior Decorator. Member of Church of Christ. m: Minnie Worrell, 8-11-1923. (b. 3-9-1901, dau. of F.M. Worrell) Res: 620 Texas St., Denton 5, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Emory Newton Goodner, Jr., b. 7-17-1924, at Stony, Denton Co., Texas. Paint Contractor. Member Church of Christ. m: Velma Inez Burk, 12-11-1952. (b. 12-3-1925, dau. of John David Burk.) Res: 3524 Norcross, Dallas, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Sandra Kaye Goodner, b. 7-27-1953.
 2i. Paula Diana Goodner, b. 12-14-1956.
- 2h. Earlyn Walton Goodner, b. 10-7-1925, Dallas, Texas. Served in Navy 9-3-1943 to 4-6-1946. Employed in an Aircraft Factory. Member Church of Christ. m: Tommie Frances Erwin, 11-23-1946. (b. 8-12-1931, dau. Henry Washington Erwin.) Res: 1720 Scripture St., Denton, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Sherry Jean Goodner, b. 1-23-1948.
 2i. Patricia Ann Goodner, b. 1-9-1951.
 3i. Randy Lee Goodner, b. 7-13-1953.
- 3h. Bobbie Francine Goodner, b. 8-15-1930, Denton Co., Texas. m: John Patton Hall Lee, 12-22-1949, Denton, Texas. Engineer Aide in Corp of Engineers. Res: 2941 Berryhill, Ft. Worth, Tex.

- Ch: 1i. Karen Lynn Lee, b. 10-17-1951.
 2i. Melinda Ellen Lee, b. 12-6-1955.
 3i. Curtis Richard Lee, b. 1-12-1958.
- 4h. Harlan Ray Goodner, b. 6-24-1934, at Stony, Denton Co., Tex. Industrial Arts Instructor. Member Church of Christ. m: Teddie Jo Zorns, 8-15-1958. (b. 4-13-1937, dau. Ted and Esma Zorns) Res: 3705 Ave. M., Ft. Worth, Texas. No issue.
- 5h. Freda Jewell Goodner, b. 2-22-1936, Denton Co., Texas. m: David Meine, 10-8-1955, Denton, Tex. (b. 9-12-1933, son of Albert R. Meine.) Chemist Technician. Member Church of Christ. Served 7 years with National Guard. Res: 4011 Marquette, Houston, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. David Lee Meine, b. 11-19-1956.
- 2g. Olie Ruth Goodner, b. 4-19-1904, Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. m: George T. Duckworth, 1-6-1935. (b. 2-19-1899, son of Geo. Thomas Duckworth.) Peace Officer. Baptist. Res: 109 W. Glade, Gladewater, Tex. No issue.
- 3g. Ina Blanche Goodner, b. 10-24-1905, Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. m: Hooper Harrison, 2-2-1925, Denton, Texas. (b. 3-19-1905, Denton, Tex. son of M.P. Harrison.) Operates Grocery and Market. Methodist. Res: 305 Locust St., Denton, Texas. No issue.
- 4g. James (Jay) Curtis Goodner, b. 2-27-1907, Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. Paint Contractor, Methodist. m: Mary Virginia Allen, 7-12-1935. (b. 12-5-1912, dau. Eugene and Una Allen.) Res: 106 Ave. B., Denton, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Glenda Sue Goodner, b. 8-23-1940, Denton, Tex.)
 2h. Linda Lou Goodner, b. 8-23-1940, Denton, Tex.) Twins.
 3h. James Allen Goodner, b. 4-22-1944, Denton, Tex.
- 5g. Robbie Dee Goodner, b. 2-18-1910, Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. m: James Munson Welch, 6-7-1943, Denton, Texas. (b. 11-3-1891, Anna, Texas, son of Munson Welch.) Had 22 years of service in the regular Army, and saw action in both World Wars. Was in Army of Occupation in W.W.II, and stationed at Hoechst, Frankfurt, Karlsruhe, and Berlin, Germany, the last two places being joined by Mrs. Welch. After discharge from Army took up Produce Business. Now retired. Res: 1508 Lindsey St., Denton, Texas. No issue.
- 6g. Winnie May Goodner, b. abt. 1913. Single, Res: 1715 N. Ruddell, Rt. #2, Denton, Texas.
- 2f. James Luther Goodner, b. 6-2-1873. d. 1950. Single. Drayman. Resided in Decatur, Texas, and interred there.
- 3f. Samuel Bean Goodner, b. 6-14-1875. Living 1958. m: Ollie Ivans (Name changed to Evans), b. 8-10-1888, dau. of Sarah Elizabeth Ivans of Grannis, Ark. Mr. Goodner left his family about 1914 and went to Franklin, Ariz. Residing in 1958 in Duncan, Ariz. Mr. & Mrs. Goodner were divorced, and she later married a Mr. Walters, and is presently res. at 713 Mission Trail, Rt. #2, Box 234, Elisnore, Calif.
 Ch: 1g. Anna Pearl Goodner, b. 1-9-1904. m: 1st: William Flanzer, 1919.
 Ch: 1h. Donald Eugene Flanzer, b. 3-27-1921. Address unknown.
 m: 2nd: E.L. Stevens. Res: Rt. #5, Athens, Texas.
- 2g. Helen May Goodner, b. 1-8-1908. m: Robert Tiner, 6-21-1936, at Tia Juana, Mexico. (b. 2-1-1909, Lawton, Okla.) Race Horse Trainer. Res: 355 Date, Imperial Beach, Calif. Lutheran.
 Ch: 1h. Sheryl Tiner, b. 5-15-1945.
 2h. Carol Tiner, b. 2-27-1948.
- 3g. Oleata Goodner, b. 10-20-1912, Hobart, Okla. m: 1st: Andrew Hamilton Moore, 9-26-1931, at San Antonio, Texas, son of Andrew Hamilton Moore, Sr. Separated after six months of marriage and divc'd abt. 1936.
 Ch: 1h. Gail Borden Moore, b. 9-15-1932. In Army. SFC. RA 1935-8622, Co. A., 1st ABG, 187th Inf. Ft. Bragg, N.C. Was stationed in Germany, and while there married Erna Frida Monzer, 12-9-1957. (b. 12-2-1929 in Sudetanland/CSR. Married in Gersthofen Bei Augsburg, Germany. Erna Frida is of Deutch ancestry and of German citizenship. In 1946, the Czech Govern. shipped all these Germans from Sudentanland out of their country, and the Monzer family made their home in Traunstein, not far from Berchesgarten. The father, Anton, died in 1954; the mother, Triebe, was killed by the Russians in their occupation of 1945. Erna moved to Bad Tolze in 1955, where she met Gail.

- After a courtship of 23 months they were married. Returned to the U.S. Feb. 23, 1959. No issue.
- Oleata Goodner Moore m: 2nd: John Thomas Harper, Jr., at San Antonio, Texas. (b. 2-1-1915, son of John Thomas and Rachel Harper, nee Evans) Personnel Mgr. Methodist. Served in Army 3-4-1944 to 12-12-1945, State side. Res: 14175 E. Viburnum Dr., Whittier, Calif.
- Ch: 2h. Rachel Ann Harper, b. 12-9-1937. * m: Kenneth B. Schinstine 6-25-1956, Res: 2520 Concord, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Ch: 1i. William Thomas Schinstine, b. 6-9-1958.
3h. John (Jack) Thomas Harper III, b. 1-16-1939.
4h. Terrell Kent Harper, b. 7-6-1944.
- 4g. Marvin Eugene Goodner, b. 3-28-1914. Whereabouts and marital status unknown to any of the family.
- 4f. Nannie Bell Goodner, b. 6-16-1876, Cleveland, Tenn. m: 1st: Elizy Maynis, 5-11-1908. (d. July 1925)
Ch: 1g. Mary Maynis, b. Sept. 9, 1913, Denton, Texas. m: Jesse Harmon Brogdon, 5-30-1930, at Waurika, Okla. (b. 7-27-1895, son of Harmon Brogdon) Farm Worker. Protestant. Res: Rt. #6, Box 163, Bakersfield, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Jean Brogdon, b. 7-30-1932, Alice, Texas. m: Joseph C. Reynolds, 8-3-1951, at Hanford, Calif. (b. 8-26-1930, son of Jos. M. Reynolds of Jasper, Ark.) Erector and Service Mgr. for Moss-Gordin Lint Cleaner Co., Protestant. Res: 8765 Greenfield Park Dr., Bakersfield, Calif.
Ch: 1i. Michael Joseph Reynolds, b. 4-26-1952.
2i. Laura Ann Reynolds, b. 1-13-1955.
- 2g. Bessie Maynis, b. 3-17-1916, at Ryan, Okla. m: Robert Lee Richards, 10-27-1931, at Ryan, Okla. (b. 4-24-1911, son of George Richards of Mena, Ark.) Mechanic. Members of Assembly of God. Res: Box 576, Levelland, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Merle Dale Richards, b. 5-14-1939, Ryan, Okla. Truck Dr. Res: Box 141, Coachella, Calif. m: Ima Joy Watson, 3-29-1959, at Coachella, Calif. (b. 1-11-1942, dau. of D.B. and Eillen Watson of Indio, Calif.) No issue.
2h. Bessie Pauline Richards, b. 10-25-1941, m: Ervin Mills, Res: Box 216, Thermal, Calif.
3h. R.H. Richards, b. 12-5-1943.
4h. Patricia Ann Richards, b. 5-8-1946.
5h. Roy Jr. Richards, b. 3-17-1950.
6h. Thelma Lee Richards, b. 9-12-1952.
7h. Peggy Richards, b. 9-9-1954.
8h. Barbara Richards, b. 12-30-1955.
9h. Rickie Lynn Richards, b. 6-6-1957.
- Nannie Bell Goodner Maynis m: 2nd: L.J. Cross, 1935, at Ryan, Okla. Members of Church of God. Res: Ryan, Okla. No issue by this marriage.
- 5f. Robert Johnson Goodner, b. 3-16-1880. Farmer. Baptist. Formerly resided near Argyle, Texas. Res: 1958 Ponder, Texas, Box 804. m: Bessie Day, 11-14-1915. (b. 9-13-1887, dau. of Mrs. Georgia Day.) No issue.
- 6f. William Gamble Goodner, b. 2-10-1882. Farmer. m: Geleene Upshaw, 12-17-1918 (b. 2-18-1895. d. 2-15-1959. Dau. of George T. and Emma F. Upshaw, nee Lassiter.) Res: Duncan, Arizona, Box 114.
Ch: 1g. Burnice Roscoe Goodner, b. 4-7-1914, at Sherman, Texas. Painter. Member of Southern Baptist, and a Deacon in his church. m: Mattie Mable King, 6-29-1936, at Pryor, Okla. (b. 4-24-1904, dau. of Bertha Wilma Parker and June B. King) Res: Morenci, Arizona, Box 516.
Ch: 1h. Larry Bruce Goodner, b. 10-22-1944, McAlester, Okla.
- 2g. Mary Adelia Goodner, b. 8-2-1920, at Eufaula, Okla. m: Johnnie Bill O'Neal, 1-12-1938, at Lordsburg, N.M. (b. 10-5-1908, son of William Robinson and Bell O'Neal, nee McElroy.) Truck Foreman for Phelps-Dodge Corp. Member Southern Baptist Church. Res: Morenci, Arizona, Box 512.
Ch: 1h. William Kenneth O'Neal, b. 2-1-1939, at Duncan, Okla. m: Lynda Ruth Baker, 6-14-1957, at First Southern Baptist Church Morenci, Ariz. Dau. of Craig and Ora Baker, nee Howard. Members of Southern Baptist Church. Res: 620 Apache Blvd., Tempe, Arizona. No issue.
2h. Carolyn Diane O'Neal, b. 2-2-1943, San Francisco, Calif.

*See Appendix.

- 3h. Vicki Lynn O'Neal, b. 4-22-1951, Morenci, Ariz.
- 3g. Georgia Wilma Goodner, b. 3-17-1922, Eufaula, Okla. d. 3-17-1959. m: Jacob Melvin Garrett, 5-31-1941, at Lordsburg, N.M. (b. 6-23-1921, son of Leslie and Hattie Garrett, nee McClesky.) Painter. Baptist. Served in Navy. Res: Rt. #1, Box 626, Morenci, Arizona.
Ch: 1h. Alyce Regina Garrett, b. 9-27-1949.
- 4g. Jacob Bruce Goodner, b. 11-6-1923, Eufaula, Okla. In Dry Cleaning Business. Member of Full Gospel Grace Church. Served in Marines 2 years. m: Lucille Brown, 7-25-1947, (b. 12-27-1930, at Clifton, Ariz. Dau. of Henry C. Brown of Duncan, Ariz.) Res: Duncan, Ariz., Box 278.
Ch: 1h. Karan Louise Goodner, b. 8-11-1948.
2h. Roy Lon Goodner, b. 8-11-1950.
- 5g. Fayrene Goodner, b. 3-26-1925, Russellville, McIntosh Co., Okla. m: Ralph Johnson, 2-6-1943, Lordsburg, N.M. (b. 11-27-1922, Virden, N. M., son of George W. Johnson.) Carpenter. Member First Baptist Church Conservative. Res: Duncan, Ariz., Box 117.
Ch: 1h. Judy Raelene Johnson, b. 11-8-1946.
2h. Janice Lynn Johnson, b. 3-5-1950.
3h. JaNeil Ann Johnson, b. 9-24-1956.
- 6g. Helen Lucille Goodner, b. 5-6-1929, Russellville, Okla. m; Wylie Boyd, 7-4-1947, at Duncan, Ariz. (b. 9-21-1923, son of Henry Ernest Boyd) Methodist. Grocery Clerk. Served in Navy 1943 to 1946. Res: Duncan, Ariz., Box 222.
Ch: 1h. Billie Belinda Boyd, b. 3-25-1950.
2h. Brenda Jane Boyd, b. 4-28-1952.
3h. Becky Carol Boyd, b. 12-22-1955.
4h. Ernest Bradley Boyd, b. 10-2-1958.
- 7g. Norma Jean Goodner, b. 1-23-1935, Eufaula, Okla. m: Stanley Fred Hawkins, 6-18-1955, at First Southern Baptist Church, Phoenix, Ariz. (b. 10-29-1934, son Stephen Fred & Jewel Melinda Hawkins, nee Vincent.) Teacher and Coach. Members Southern Baptist Church. Res: Duncan, Arizona.
Ch: 1h. Kim Rene' Hawkins, b. 1-18-1957, Morenci, Arizona.
- 7f. Frank Gamble Goodner, b. 1-27-1884. d. 1-7-1929. Interred in Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. m: Minnie Lee Machen, Dec. 1910, at Decatur, Wise Co., Texas. (b. 12-10-1892). Widow remarried after Mr. Goodner's death to Oather M. Cheaves, and resides at 2320 Encino, Modesto, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Linus Earl Goodner, b. 8-20-1911, Decatur, Wise Co., Texas. Farmer. m: Vivian Audrey McBride. (b. 12-15-1916, at Sherman, Grayson Co., Texas. Dau. of Marion McBride.) Res: Rt. #4, Box 329K, Tulare, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Patsy Mozell Goodner, b. 2-2-1935, Sherman, Grayson Co., Texas. Living with parents.
2h. Frankie Nadine Goodner, b. 7-21-1939, at Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. Living with parents.
- 2g. Maynard Murphy Goodner, b. 4-7-1914, d. 4-25-1949. Born in Stoney, Denton Co., Texas. Died in Tulare, Calif. No issue.
- 3g. Rachel Inez Goodner, b. 9-14-1915. m: Leon Hall, 7-4-1931. (b. 5-23-1912, son of Edgar Lee Hall) Plumber. Baptist. Res: 625 S. Andrews, Sherman, Texas. No issue.
- 8f. John Sugart Goodner, b. 1-25-1888. d. 2-11-1955. Carpenter and Merchant. m: Addie Verona Harrison, 12-4-1910. (b. 4-2-1888, dau. J.J. and Mary Perline Harrison.) Widow is residing in Franklin, Ariz.
Ch: 1g. Cleo Common Goodner, b. 11-12-1911, at Decatur, Texas. Married five times. Present address is Sierra Vista, Ariz., where he is Deputy Sheriff. m: 1st: Clara Ruth Graham, 2-1-1934, Denton, Texas. (b. 4-16-1917, dau. of William Lee Graham) Clara Ruth has remarried, and is now Mrs. Dick Johnson, Rt. #1, Box 341, Duncan, Ariz.
Ch: 1h. Ivan Cleo Goodner, b. 11-12-1934, Franklin, Ariz. Serving in Army, in Army Postoffice at Ft. Riley, Kansas.
m: 2nd: Ozell Saddler.
Ch: 2h. Johnny Bill Goodner, b. Lordsburg, N.M.
m: 3rd: -----, No issue.
m: 4th: -----, No issue.
m: 5th: Ella Mae Marvell, 4-16-1951. (b. 7-7-1914). Beauty Operator, residing in Duncan, Ariz. Divorce proceedings were in progress in 1958.
- 2g. Johnnie Opal Goodner, b. 1-12-1919, at Park City, Montana. d. 2-19-1920. Interred at Laurel, Montana.

- 5e. Tabitha Ann Goodner, b. 2-11-1842. Date of death not know. Fifth child of Jacob and Charlotte Kemp Goodner. Married Robert A. Johnston after the death of her sister, Lucy Jane. There were no children by her marriage, but she took the children of her sister, Lucy, and reared them.
- 6e. Sarah Elizabeth Goodner, b. 1-28-1844. m: Thomas Lee. Removed from Tennessee to Denton Co., Texas, and resided near Justin.
 Ch: 1f. Mattie Lee
 2f. Charles Lee
 3f. Wilford Lee
 4f. Aaron Lee
 5f. Joseph Lee
 6f. James Lee
 7f. Jane Lee
 8f. Delia Lee
 9f. Anne Lee
 (Note: Clarence W. Lee, a grandson, is located in Justin, Texas, and Mrs. Mattie Grounds, a granddaughter, is thought to be living in Ft. Worth. Through lack of cooperation I was unable to learn more of this Lee Branch.)
- 7e. Joseph Leal Goodner, b. 11-28-1845. d. 10-14-1890. m: Mattie Elizabeth Henry, 8-13-1868. (b. 1845. d. 9-1-1902) Both interred in Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1f. Carroll Atkin Goodner, b. 4-7-1871. d. 12-28-1938. Resided in Birmingham, Ala. m: Maggie Craddock, 1-28-1900. (b. 5-31-1881.) Widow presently residing at 1005 14th Ave., South, Birmingham, Ala.
 Ch: 1g. Johnnie Ruth Goodner, b. 10-13-1900, Birmingham, Ala. m: Beauford Staton, 1-20-1920, Millersburg, Ky. (Son of John Reubin Staton) Res: 8727 2nd Court, North, Birmingham, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Marjorie Ruth Staton, b. 1-31-1923. m: Buchanan Taylor Hill 2-22-1942, at Campbell, Ala. (b. 6-24-1915, son of Theron Samuel Hill.) Seventh Day Adventist. Marjorie is Receptionist at a Beauty Salon. Res: 300-23rd Ave. N.W., Birmingham, Ala.
 Ch: 1i. Johnnye Carroll Hill, (dau.) b. 12-9-1943.
 2i. Gary Hill, b. 12-26-1950.
 2g. Mattie Elizabeth Goodner, b. 9-11-1902, Birmingham, Ala. m: Marion Roose, 5-11-1934. (b. 4-4-1911. d. 8-25-1945, son of Claude A. Roose) Mattie is a Sales Lady. Seventh Day Adventists.
 Ch: 1h. Donald Goodner Roose. b. 10-1-1941. Adopted in Michigan, 11-1-1941. Now goes by the name of Williams.
 m: 2nd: Thomas Wesley Williams, 1-6-1954.
 3164 Bobolink Dr., Decatur, Ga.
 3g. Carroll Vann Goodner, b. 12-12-1904. Owner of Goodner Construction Co., at 1713 Lomb Blvd., Birmingham, Firebrick Builders of Blast Furnaces, Stoves, Open Hearths, Boilers, and Ovens. Res: 1140 Columbiana Rd., Birmingham 9, Ala. m: Helen Crain, 6-1-1928, Birmingham, Ala. (b. 5-3-1906)
 Ch: 1h. Carroll Vann Goodner, Jr., b. 3-17-1929. General Building Contractor. Methodist. Member Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, Single. Res: 1140 Columbiana Rd., Birmingham 9, Ala.
 2h. Lillian Margaret Goodner, b. 6-19-1932. m: Hugh Crawford Dillon, Jr., 6-28-1952. M.D. Presbyterian. Lillian member of Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority. Address: 1140 Columbiana Rd., Birmingham, Ala.
 Ch: 1i. Lillian Leigh Dillon, b. 9-9-1957, Minneapolis, Min.
 4g. Joe Ernest Goodner, b. 5-30-1908, Birmingham, Ala. Served in Army, 1943-1945. m: Olga Scott, New Orleans, La. (b. 3-3-1912) Divorced. Res: 1005 S. 14th Ave., Birmingham, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Ernie Atkins Goodner, b. 6-20-1942. New Orleans, La.
 2h. Judy Ann Goodner, b. 3-22-1950. New Orleans, La.
 3h. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 10-23-1952. Baton Rouge, La.
 5g. Robert Wade Goodner, b. 3-14-1910, Birmingham, Ala. Brick Mason. Res: 1005 S. 14th Ave., Birmingham, Ala. m: 1st: Sadie Mae Daniels, 9-1-1928, dau. of Homer Daniels. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. Homer Wade Goodner, b. 5-28-1929, Birmingham, Ala. Student - Senior - 1958 - Univ. of Ala. in Mech. Eng. Paratrooper from 1946-1947. Member Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity. Methodist. m: Annette Hollander, 10-20-1950, Castleberry, Ala., Mailing Address: 1005 S. 14th Ave., Birmingham, Ala.

- Ch: 1i. Kathleen Carey Goodner, b. 8-23-1951.
 2i. Jacqueline Ruth Goodner, b. 1-15-1954.
 3i. Keith Wade Goodner, b. 9-26-1956.
- 2h. Robert Atkins Goodner, b. 12-11-1931, Birmingham, Ala. Brick Mason. Served in Marine Corp., discharged March 1952. m: Ida Eudora Lambert, 2-9-1952, dau. of Lee Owen Lambert. Res: 5824 Ave. O., Birmingham, Ala.
- Ch: 1i. Linda Gail Goodner, b. 12-4-1952, Riverdale, Calif.
 2i. Alice Dianne Goodner, b. 2-16-1954, Birming., Ala.
 3i. Robyn Suzanne Goodner, b. 10-6-1955, Talla., Fla.
- 3h. Arthur Jerome Goodner, b. 9-19-1932. Single. Res: 1140 Columbian Rd., Birmingham, Ala.
- 6g. George Elbert Goodner, b. 6-27-1912, Manufacturers Repres. m: Glenna Sharp, 4-11-1932. (b. 8-28-1913) Res: 1210 Littenwood Dr., Nash., Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Elbert Atkins Goodner, b. 4-28-1933.
 2h. Cathryn Annette Goodner, b. 6-21-1936.
 3h. Dennis Wayne Goodner, b. 2-10-1942.
- 7g. Margaret Pearl Goodner, b. 5-18-1914. d. 1-7-1916.
- 8g. Margaret Evelyn Goodner, b. 10-17-1917. Owner and Operator of a Beauty Salon. Hair Stylist. m: Pat O'Brien, 3-24-1947. (b. 2-17-1915, son of Patrick O'Brien.) Res: 1005 14th Ave., South, Birmingham, Ala. No issue.
- 9g. Jacob Beauford Goodner, b. 3-31-1920, Birmingham, Ala. Brick Mason. Served as 2nd Lieut. Army Corp of Engineers, Jan. 1943 to 1946. m: 1st Evelyn Randall Motlow, 1941, Birming., Ala., dau. of Dudley Motlow.
- Ch: 1h. Rodorick Wade Goodner, b. 12-24-1941.
 m: 2nd: Mary Elizabeth Logan, 6-14-1952, dau. of Greely Alex. Logan. Res: 917 Arkdelphia Rd., Birmingham, Ala.
- Ch: 2h. Jacob Beuford Goodner, Jr., b. 5-27-1954, Birmingham, Ala.
 3h. Patrick Logan Goodner, b. 5-27-1955. d. 8-9-1955, Birm., Ala.
- 2f. Elbert Wade Goodner, b. 8-2-1874, d. 8-6-1911. Interred in Palestine, Tex. Brick Mason. m: Lena Harrison, Palestine, Texas. (b. 11-11-1888, dau. of William Mc Cellan Harrison.) Widow residing at 707 N. Cedar St., Palestine, Texas with her son, Joe Elbert Goodner.
- Ch: 1g. Joe Elbert Goodner, b. 4-16-1908, Palestine, Texas. Oil Field Driller. Baptist. Served in Air Force in W.W.II. m: Dora Irene Dyer, 1-6-1951. (b. 6-29-1925, dau. of John Melton Dyer.) Res: 707 N. Cedar St., Palestine, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Ernest Leory Goodner, b. 1-10-1943. Adopted.
 2h. John D. Goodner, b. 10-2-1941. Adopted.
 (Both are sons of wife by a previous marriage. Officially adopted by Mr. Goodner.)
- 2g. Vinnie Louise Goodner, b. 11-13-1909, Palestine, Texas. m: Pete Mauldin, 9-28-1928, Palestine, Texas. (b. 12-16-1903, son of David L. Mauldin of Crawford Co., Mo.) Brick Mason. Baptists. Res: 701 Zephyr St., Plainview, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Mildred Louise Mauldin, b. 9-21-1931, Plainview, Tex. m: Jim Lee Matlock, 5-17-1953, at Portales, N. M. (b. 4-18-1933, son of Frank B. Matlock of Aiken, Tex.) Carpenter, Baptist. Res: 2605 W. 7th St., Plainview, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Paula Ann Matlock, b. 12-15-1953.
 2i. Jerry Lyn Matlock, b. 12-17-1956.
- 2h. Pete Elbert Mauldin, b. 1-28-1933, Plainview, Tex. Served in Air Force 4 years. Attended Wayland Baptist College for 2-1/2 years, and presently attending Lippert Business College, taking Court Reporting. Not married. Res: 701 Zephyr St., Plain., Tex.
- 3g. John Atwood Goodner, b. 2-14-1911, Palestine, Tex. d. 8-27-1959. Interred in Bethel Cemetery, Buchanan, Tenn. Served 20 years in Army as 1st Sgt., 1st. Armored Div. 3 years overseas in W.W.II, and served in N. Africa and Italy. Retired Jan. 30th, 1951. Resided in El Paso, Tex., and Buchanan, Tenn. m: Sue Patterson, 8-30-1941, Louisville, Ky. (b. in Buchanan, Tenn., dau. of J.A. Patterson) Widow resides at 903 Chickasaw, Paris, Tenn. Mrs. Goodner a school teacher most all of her life.
- Ch: 1h. Patsy Kay Goodner, b. 7-9-1942.
 2h. Johnny Armiel Goodner, b. 7-26-1946.
 3h. Sandra Sue Goodner, b. 2-1-1948.

- 3f. Jacob Caswell Goodner, b. 12-3-1877. Seventh Day Adventist, and connected with the Mountain Sanitarium, a Seventh Day Adventist School and Hospital at Fletcher, N. C. m: Minnie Travis, 10-28-1911. (b. 12-31-1890)
 Ch: 1g. Moody May Goodner, b. 10-30-1912. m: Edward Clayton Micklewright, 6-3-1932. Res: Trussville, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Edward Clayton Micklewright II, b. 2-28-1935. m: Catherine Jones. Res: Trussville, Ala.
 2h. Regina Micklewright, b. 2-3-1939.
- 2g. Elbert Wade Goodner, II, b. 10-16-1915, San Marcus, Tex. Electrical Engineer. Protestant. Served in Navy from March 1944 to Dec. 1945. m: Edith Ryan, 5-23-1944 at Talladega, Ala., dau. of George B. Ryan. Res: 424 Tupelo Rd., N.W., Birmingham 6, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Edith Ann Goodner, b. 7-8-1946.
 2h. Richard Wade Goodner, b. 6-8-1953.
 3h. Patricia Lynn Goodner, b. 11-11-1954.
- 3g. Ada Marie Goodner, b. 5-7-1925. Single. Res: 1015 Leaf Ave., Murfreesboro, Tenn.
- 4g. Mattie Elizabeth Goodner, b. 5-7-1927. d. 9-7-1927.
- 5g. Jacob Caswell Goodner, Jr., b. 7-12-1929. Single. Res: Trussville, Ala.
- 6g. Carol Goodner, b. 1-7-1931. m: William Alfred Straight. Res: Fletcher, N. C. c/o Mountain Sanitarium & Hospital. No issue.
- 7g. Clayton Travis Goodner, b. 10-25-1933, Birmingham, Ala. Student. Served in Army 1954 to 1956. Seventh Day Adventist. m: Martha Mace, 12-28-1955, Birmingham, Ala. (b. 4-13-1936, Eagle, Idaho, dau. of Elton Les and Ethyl G. Mace, nee Attwood) No issue.
- 4f. Moody Hillard Goodner, b. 2-18-1882. d. 12-7-1946. m: George E. Atwood, 12-17-1907. (b. 10-19-1877. d. 2-6-1950) Resided in Manchester, Ala., for a time.
 Ch: 1g. Vinnie Elizabeth Atwood, b. 11-2-1908, Manchester, Ala. m: Charles R. La France, 2-28-1933. (b. 12-19-1907 at Rome, N.Y.) Management Consultant. Catholic. Res: 71 West 5th St., New Castle, Del.
 Ch: 1h. Charles Roger La France, II, b. 9-13-1934.
 2h. George Mark La France, b. 11-25-1937, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
 3h. Margaret Eliz. La France, b. 2-25-1942, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
- 5f. Ninnie Leal Goodner, b. 7-18-1885. never married, Lives at Flat Rock, N.C. Rt. #2. Followed profession of nursing for several years, in which employment, she went to Germany. Due to a nervous condition arising out of an attack of Typhoid fever while she was in her "teens", she had to give up nursing; then she followed Bible teaching in the Seventh Day Adventist Church.
- 8e. Charlotte Goodner, b. 2-9-1849. d. 11-26-1894. m: Rev. John London, a Baptist Minister, (His second marriage.) abt. 1886. Resided in Apison, Hamilton Co., Tenn.
 Ch: 1f. Robert Allen London, b. 11-3-1867. d. 2-10-1951. Merchant, Methodist. Resided in Daisy, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Interred in Johnson Cemetery, located south of Daisy. m: Nancy Ellen Ramsey, an orphan, 7-3-1894. (b. 1-17-1870. d. 2-19-1954.)
 Ch: 1g. Mary London, b. 5-12-1895, East Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Clyde Johnson, 10-10-1912, East Chattanooga, Tenn. Dec'd, Son of Mrs. Mary Johnson. Iron Moulder. Methodist. Mary Johnson resides at 655 Charlotte St., Apt. A, Detroit 1, Mich.
 Ch: 1h. Mildred Geraldine Johnson, b. 8-28-1913. m: Ollie R. Fitch, 8-26-1929, at Rossville, Ga. Son of W.R. Fitch. Engineer. Baptist. Res: 961 Beason Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Kathryne Fitch, b. 6-16-1930, in North Chattanooga, Tenn. m: James Lee Jones, 5-23-1953, son of Walter Jones. Mechanic. Res: Chattan. 5, Tenn. No issue, 1958
 2i. Edward Fitch, b. 2-29-1936 at Hixson, Tenn. Paper Mill Employee. m: Bobbie Sue Mathis, 12-27-1954. (b. 11-22-1938, dau. Tom Mathis) Res: Chattan. 5, Tenn.
 Ch: 1j. Rhonda Kaye Fitch, b. 1-10-1956.
 2j. Donna Sue Fitch, b. 6-23-1957.
 3i. Mary Ella Fitch, b. 9-8-1943. Student.
- 2h. Robert Earl Johnson, b. 7-4-1915. Employed as a maintenance mechanic by Sinclair Refining Co. Baptists. m: Mettie Lou McMillen, 10-27-1934. (b. 10-7-1911, dau. William McMillen) Res: Rt. #1, Daisy, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Robert Edwin Johnson, b. 5-12-1942.
 2i. William Chester Johnson, b. 6-19-1945.
- 3h. Clyde Everett Johnson, b. 1-6-1929. Single. Res: 655 Charlotte,

- Apt. A, Detroit, 1, Mich. Mother resides with him.
- 2g. Jean Paralee London, b. abt. 1897. d. 7-3-1924. m: Mr. Rogers. No issue as far as is known.
- 3g. James Roy London, b. abt. 1900. d. 12-8-1957.
- 4g. William Douglas London, b. 4-5-1905, Hamilton Co. Tenn. Electrician. Baptist. m: Violet Mae Layne, (b. 4-7-1905, dau. Marion and Mary Layne) Res: Middle Valley Rd., Hixson, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Margie Louise London, b. 9-21-1932. m: Hayden Armond Lasley. Res: Rt. #1, Hixson, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Hayden Lamar Lasley, b. 2-19-1953.
2i. Sheila Ann Lasley, b. 1-26-1955.
- 2h. William Edward London, b. 4-18-1935. m: Mary Jo Dabel. Res: Rt. #1, Hixson, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Robin Ruth London, b. 6-20-1957.
- 3h. Patsy London, b. 9-11-1938. m: James H. Pelfrey, Jr. Res: Rt. #1, Hixson, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Robert Allen Pelfrey, b. 11-8-1957.
- 4h. John Myron London, b. 3-21-1937. Res: Rt. #1, Hixson, Tenn.
- 5g. Katherine London, b. 3-31-1909, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Henry Thomas Jones, 8-9-1924, Ringgold, Ga. (b. 2-25-1900, son of Rev. Donald T. Jones.) Salesman. Res: 3550 N.W. 2nd. Ave., Hialeah, Fla.
Ch: 1h. Laura Jeanne Jones, b. 2-3-1930. m: Cardell Chance. Res: 9570 N.W. 33rd Ave., Miami, Fla.
Ch: 1i. Allen Cardell Chance, b. 10-20-1952.
2i. William Henry Chance, b. 11-6-1953.
3i. James Walker Chance, b. 10-3-1955.
- 2h. Frances Nelda Kathryne Jones, b. 12-18-1931. m: James Donald Thompson. Res: 11140 N.W. 59th Ave., Hialeah, Fla.
Ch: 1i. James Donald Thompson, Jr., b. 7-26-1953.
2i. Thomas Lamar Thompson, b. 9-26-1956.
- 2f. Sarah Katherine London, b. 11-26-1869, Cleveland, Tenn. d. 5-16-1908. m: Robert Franklin Dennis, 7-7-1907. (b. 3-30-1858, son of Mark Dennis.) Farmer. Methodist. Resided in Athens, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Katherine Dennis, b. 5-15-1908, Athens, Tenn. m: Harley N. Smith, 9-5-1936. (b. 7-2-1904, at Evanston, Ill., son of Jacob Smith.) Insurance Agent. Congregationalist. Res: 206 Ridge Ave., Crystal Lake, Ill. No issue.
- 9e. Jacob Wade Goodner, b. 5-20-1851. d. 7-9-1917. Interred at Athens, Tenn. Lumberman. Methodist. m: Hettie Buchanan, 2-1-1891. (b. 10-30-1868. d. 6-4-1941. dau. Matt. Buchanan.
Ch: 1f. Joseph Calloway Goodner, b. 12-27-1891. d. 6-14-1945. Valve Salesman. Resided in Evanston, Ill. m: Charlotte D. Ritchey, 10-13-1941. No issue.
- 10e. Martha Tennessee Goodner, b. 8-3-1853. d. 5-7-1922, in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: William A. Browder, 9-26-1878, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 1-6-1856. d. 8-28-1882.)
Ch: 1f. Mary Lena Browder, b. 9-1-1879. d. 5-18-1914. m: Joseph A. Chambers, 4-3-1898, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 7-18-1875. d. 7-7-1949.)
Ch: 1g. Glenn W. Chambers, b. 4-1-1899, at Chattanooga, Tenn. Resided for a time in Chicago, Ill. Salesman for American Pad and Paper Co., in which capacity he has traveled all over the southeastern part of the United States, and including Cuba and the Caribbean Countries. Presently residing near Banner Elk, N.C., mailing address being Box 986, Chapel Hill, N.C. Never married.
- 2g. Curtis C. Chambers, b. 5-12-1902. m: Gladys Martin, at Baltimore, Md. Dau. of James M. Martin of Amherst Co., Va. b. 9-18-1905. Res: Linticum, Md., Box 176.
Ch: 1h. Robert E. Chambers, b. 5-18-1924, Atlanta, Ga. m: Dorothy Barnes at Anne Arundel Co., Md. Dau. of Charles Barnes. Mr. Chambers served in U.S. Air Force from Feb. 1943 to 1946. Employed by Baltimore, Md., Fire Department. Res: 1305 Church St., Baltimore, Md.
Ch: 1i. Robert E. Chambers, Jr., b. 9-29-1946. d. 1959, from a brain tumor.
2i. Patricia Ann Chambers, b. 11-22-1953.
- 2f. Albert Neal Browder, b. 7-4-1881. d. 5-17-1909. Resided in Atlanta, Ga., and Cleveland, Tenn. m: Minnie Casey, 9-6-1899, at Atlanta, Ga. (b. 4-6-1875. d. 11-15-1951)
Ch: 1g. Cecil May Browder, b. 5-1-1900, Atlanta, Ga. m: George Emmett Sherrill, 12-5-1919, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 5-14-1889. d. 3-6-1948 at

Chattanooga, Tenn.) Address of Mrs. Sherrill: 3925 N. Bryant, N.E., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Sarah Louise Sherrill, b. 12-4-1920, at Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Henry R. Byrd, 7-3-1942, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 4-10-1921) Res: 3925 N. Bryant, N.E. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ch: 1i. Marilyn Diane Byrd, b. 8-14-1943.

2i. Susan Loraine Byrd, b. 1-23-1947.

2h. Billy Joe Sherrill, b. 3-21-1922, at Chattanooga, Tenn. W.W. II. Baker. m: Kathryn Hyde, 6-6-1942, Rossville, Ga. (b. 3-12-1927, Chattanooga, Tenn.) Res: 1309-28th St., N.W., Winter Haven, Fla.

Ch: 1i. John Allen Sherrill, b. 4-29-1943. d. 7-26-1955.

2i. Roger William Sherrill, b. 6-16-1946.

3i. Teresa Jo Sherrill, b. 6-27-1956.

3h. Bobby Neal Sherrill, b. 2-12-1924, Chattanooga, Tenn. Served in Air Force 1942 to 1950. Cable Splicer for Florida Power and Light Co. Res: 240 S.W. 63rd Court, Miami, Fla. m: Willa Ailene Lickteig, 5-24-1946, Miami, Fla. (b. 1-1-1926, dau. of Karl George Lickteig of Miami, Fla.)

Ch: 1i. Robert Barry Sherrill, b. 6-17-1947.

2i. George Emmett Sherrill, b. 5-25-1949.

3i. Timothy Neal Sherrill, b. 3-21-1951.

4i. Dennis Lee Sherrill, b. 3-3-1956.

4h. Gene Allen Sherrill, b. 8-6-1932, Chattanooga, Tenn. Military service: Enlisted in Air Force, Montgomery, Ala., 2-11-1953. Basic Training at Lackland AFB, Texas. Technical School at Keesler AFB, Miss. Duty as Combat Crew Member on RE-36 Aircraft at Travis Base. Temporary duty during this time in Alaska, Guam, and Japan. Officer Candidate School at Lackland AFB from Sept. 1957 to present. Due to graduate with commission in U.S. Air Force March 21, 1958. At this date of rewriting, this should be an accomplished fact. m: Betty Eileen Tidey, 11-19-1955, at Carmel, Calif. (b. 8-22-1930 at La Fleche, Saskatchewan, Canada. Dau. of Bernard Tidey of Vancouver, B.C., Canada.) Res: 425 D. Cropsey, Billy Mitchell Village, San Antonio, Texas. No record of issue.

5h. Richard McCoy Sherrill, b. 8-8-1934, Chattanooga, Tenn. Car Salesman. Served 2 years in the Phillipines, 4 years in all. m: Peregrina Magdalene Fisher, 10-22-1955. (b. 7-12-1929, at Havre, Mont., dau. of John Fisher of Havre) Res: 214-7th Ave. Havre, Montana.

Ch: 1i. Michael Allen Sherrill, b. 10-3-1956.

2g. Willie Alberta Browder, b. 8-28-1901, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Dan Winfield Potts, 6-28-1919, Chattanooga, Tenn. b. 2-16-1899 at Chattanooga. d. 3-18-1959, from heart attack, in Chattanooga, Tenn. Was Chief Clerk at Railway Express Agency. Res: Mrs. Potts: 5228 Tacoa Circle, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Dan Winfield Potts, Jr., b. 5-23-1921, Chattanooga, Tenn. Salesman. Saw service in W.W.II. m: Betty Louise Chester, 7-17-1943, Oklahoma City, Okla. (b. 8-27-1924, dau. of Clauda L. Chester of Oklahoma City, Okla.) Res: 4012 N.W. 30th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Ch: 1i. Vicky Lynn Potts, b. 11-5-1944.

2i. Susan Kay Potts, b. 8-21-1946.

3i. Carolyn Potts, b. 1-31-1950.

4i. Michael Potts, b. 1-21-1952.

3g. Lester Clarence Browder, b. 7-14-1903, Cleveland, Tenn. Employed by Commerce Iron Works, Commerce, Ga. Deacon in the Baptist Church in Commerce. Was Sgt. in W.W.I. m: Mary Louise Keesee, 1-31-1927, at Anderson, S.C. Dau. of Jesse Willis Keesee, dec'd. Address: c/o Commerce Iron Works, Commerce, Ga.

Ch: 1h. Jesse Neal Browder, b. 11-18-1927, at Commerce, Ga., m: Juanita Kuhn, 7-19-1957. (b. 7-20-1922, at Louisville, Ky.) Res: Athens, Ga.

Ch: 1i. Mary Jane Browder, b. 1-31-1959, at Athens, Ga.

4g. Homer Roy Browder, b. 9-16-1905, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Abbie Stancel

- at Rossville, Ga. Res: Bradenton, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Clarence Leroy Browder, b. 12-25-1927, at Rossville, Ga.
 2h. Martha Ann Browder, b. 11-23-1933, Chattanooga, Tenn. m:
 Arthur Paul Chaney, 2-20-1951. (b. 9-18-1932.)
 Ch: 1i. Judy Diane Chaney, b. 10-1-1951.
 2i. Robert Charles Chaney, b. 9-24-1954.
 3i. Brenda Gail Chaney, b. 11-27-1956.
 3h. George Winfield Browder, b. 7-8-1937.
 4h. John Neal Browder, b. 6-22-1942.
- 5g. Myrtle Browder, b. 4-2-1909, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Herman Viness, 4-
 27-1936. (b. 11-10-1913, son of David and Eva Viness. Res: 1324 N.W.
 23rd Court, Miami, Fla. No issue.
- 3f. William Browder, b. 9-15-1882. Retired. Presbyterian. Living near Epperson, Tenn.
 Mailing address: Star Route, Tellico Plains, Tenn. m: 1st: Laura Norman, Sept. 1903,
 Cleveland, Tenn. Divorced. Had three children by his first wife, one of whom is Mrs.
 Mary Stennet, Rt. #4, Summerville, Ga. No further data. m: 2nd: Viola Dalton, 1917
 at Athens, Tenn. Dau. of Anna Dalton.
 Ch: 4g. Tennie Lee Browder, b. 1918, Chattanooga, Tenn. Single. Presbyterian.
 Mailing address: Star Route, Tellico Plains, Tenn.
- 5g. Gladys Browder, b. 1924, near Madisonville, Tenn. m: Homer West, 9-
 24-1940. Presbyterian. Res: Star Route, Tellico Plains, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Evelyn West, b. 7-2-1941.
 2h. Jeanette West, b. 8-22-1942.
 3h. James West, b. 7-23-1945.
 4h. Paulette West, b. 1-20-1948.
 5h. Jerry West, b. 2-2-1950.
 6h. Phylis West, b. 12-17-1952.
 7h. Darlen West, b. 1-13-1957.
- 6g. William Browder, Jr., b. Sept. 1926, Englewood, Tenn. Occupation - saw
 milling. Res: Epperson, Tenn. m: Leva Ellis, dau. of Ben Ellis. Divorced
 Ch: 1h. Roberta Browder, b. 2-6-1949.
- Martha Tennessee Goodner Browder m: 2nd: Andrew McDonald, 6-21-1888. (b. 8-20-1848. d.
 8-24-1821)
- Ch: 4f. Addie Lee McDonald, b. 7-26-1889, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Arthur Jay Hitchcock, 3-
 27-1910, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 7-24-1887, at Lee Center, N. Y.) Salesman. Re-
 tired as of 1958. Res: 601 Airport Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Arthur Jay Hitchcock, Jr., b. 12-31-1910, Birmingham, Ala. Postal Em-
 ployee. m: Marjorye Kitchens, 12-18-1938, at Chattanooga, Tenn. Dau.
 of William A. Kitchens. Res: 105 Dalton St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Joe Evan Hitchcock, b. 8-13-1940.
 2h. Patsy Lea Hitchcock, b. 2-8-1942.
- 2g. Mary Geraldine Hitchcock, b. 7-8-1912, at Birmingham, Ala. m: Wil-
 liam Daniel Musser, 10-12-1940, at Washington, D.C. (b. 9-5-1906, son
 of Mr. Musser of State College, Pa.) Res: 28 S. State Rd., Arlington,
 Heights, Ill. Federal Civilian Employee.
 Ch: 1h. Molly Ann Musser, b. 1-24-1944.
 2h. Philip Boyd Musser, b. 10-28-1946.
- 3g. George Neal Hitchcock, b. 1-5-1914, at Birmingham, Ala. Printer. m:
 Margaret Eva Farmer, 11-25-1938, at Chattanooga, Tenn., Dau. of F.W.
 Farmer, Margaret b. 9-3-1915, at Chattanooga. Mr. Hitchcock served
 with the 245th Engineers under General Patton in Germany, spearheading
 his Army through France and Germany. Res: Rt. #3, Nick-a-jack Rd.,
 Chattanooga 9, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Marineal Hitchcock, b. 9-27-1943.
- 4g. Edward Comish Hitchcock, b. 8-30-1915, at Birmingham, Ala. d. 6-4-
 1921, in Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 5g. William Theodore Hitchcock, b. 3-29-1920, at Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Served in W.W.II. Volunteered 10-12-1940. Trained at Savannah Air Base;
 to Phillipines in Nov. 1941; stationed on Bataan until forced to surrender.
 Was prisoner in Japan, Osaka Camp, until the surrender of Japan in August
 1945. Was Bombadier. Now Postal Employee. m: Mary Louise Gray, 8-23-
 1946, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 10-15-1926, Chattanooga, Dau. of Frank
 Gray) Res: Rt. #6, Frank Gray Rd., Chattanooga, 11, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Mary Gay Hitchcock, b. 12-31-1947.
 2h. William Edward Hitchcock, b. 7-27-1949.
 3h. David Maurice Hitchcock, b. 8-28-1952.

- 4h. Anita Sue Hitchcock, b. 7-1-1957.
 5h. Virginia Louise Hitchcock, b. 1-23-1960.
- 6g. John Grierson Hitchcock, b. 9-8-1923, at Chattanooga, Tenn. Freight Claim Agent for Southern Railway. W.W.II, -limited service because of eye disability. Was in Guadacanal and Phillipines. m: Bertha Marie Peek, 6-12-1948, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 2-12-1921, dau. of Mrs. Emma Peek) Res: Rt. #2, Martin Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. John Grierson Hitchcock, Jr., b. 9-28-1955.
- Martha Tennessee Goodner Browder McDonald m: 3rd: Reuben Burl Wells, 2-14-1911, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 3-28-1846. d. 10-29-1929.) No issue by this marriage.
- 11e. George Pierce Goodner, b. 5-11-1855. d. 9-6-1907. Resided in Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Nancy Callie Hawk, abt. 1880. (b. 11-29-1877. d. 5-15-1957.) Nancy was cousin to Eugenia E. Hawk who married Robert Carlyle Johnston.
 Ch: 1f. Leon Pierce Goodner, b. 7-6-1881, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Frances Ford, 6-15-1910. (d. Hamilton, Ohio, 9-13-1943. Interment in Greenmont Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn. She was a dau. of William Peak and Ellen (Daisy) Ford, pioneer settlers of East Chattanooga, Tenn.) Methodist. Member of the Eastern Star. Res. Mr. Goodner: 536 S. 11th St., Hamilton, Ohio. Moved to Hamilton, Ohio, 1917.
 Ch: 1g. Leon Pierce Goodner, Jr., b. 8-7-1911. Served as Capt. in U.S. Army W. W.II. Moved from Tenn. to Hamilton, O. Res: 229-1/2 Cleveland, Hamilton, O. m: Kay Smith, school teacher, 6-15-1955. Ind. Engineer. No issue.
- 2f. Grover S. Goodner, b. 1885, Tennessee. d. July 1951, Darke Co., Ohio, from heart attack. Farmer and raiser of Brown Swiss Cattle. Removed from Tenn. to Darke Co., Ohio, many years ago, and settled near Arcanum. His widow now resides in Greenville, Ohio. m: 1st: Dixie McDaniel, abt. 1909-10.
 Ch: 1g. Francis Goodner, b. 2-7-1911, Rome, Ga. m: Robert Moorman, 7-2-1931, Dodge City, Kansas. (b. 6-7-1911, son of Charles H. and Anna Moorman) Tool and Die Maker. Members of First Christian Church. Res: 514 27th St., Orlando, Fla.
 Ch: 1h. Nancy Lee Moorman, b. 9-8-1932, Richmond, Ind. m: John A. Adkinson, 2-24-1955. Installation Estimator with Western Elec. Co., Methodists. Res: 2602 Tupelo St., S.E., Atlanta, Ga.
 Ch: 1i. Linda Lee Adkinson, b. 10-20-1955.
- 2h. Richard Andrew Moorman, b. 5-21-1934, at Connersville, Ind. Served in Navy 4 years. Installer for Western Electric Co. Single. Res: 514 27th Ave., Orlando, Fla.
- 3h. Shirley Ann Moorman, b. 11-14-1935, Arcanum, Ohio. m: Gordon M. Punshon, 7-24-1955. Associated with Aetna Insurance Co. Shirley is a Methodist, and he an Episcopalian. Res: 2122 Maney Dr., Jacksonville, Fla.
 Ch: 1i. Sharon Kay Punshon, b. 9-19-1957.
- 4h. Janet Kay Moorman, b. 8-25-1937. Single. Res: with parents.
- 5h. Frances May Moorman, b. 1-24-1941, Richmond, Ind. m: Newman Daniel Bowles, 3-16-1956. Factory Worker at General Elec. Co. Plant. Res: Louisville 14, Ky., 6640 Strawberry Lane.
 Ch: 1i. Cathy Lynn Bowles, b. 1-2-1957.
 2i. Gregory Daniel Bowles, b. 1-9-1958.
- 2g. Grover Delay ("Dee") Goodner, b. 6-24-1913, Rome, Ga. Proprietor of own business. m: Vivian Thurman, 1-27-1947, at San Antonio, Texas, dau. of Frank Thurman. Res: 3107 Prescott, Houston, Texas. Protestant. No issue.
- 3g. John Arthur Goodner, b. 11-24-1914, Rome, Ga. Was Capt. of Infantry in W.W.II. Now self employed. m: Koneta K. Kelly, 11-20-1948. (b. 7-21-1918, dau. of Cornelius and Sylvia Kelly.) Res: Rt. #7, Box 867, Orlando, Fla. No issue.
- 4g. Helen Goodner, b. 11-10-1916, Rome, Ga. m: Howard Shank, 11-28-1934, in Richmond, Ind. (b. 11-27-1910, son of Elmer and Olive Shank) Farmer. Members of Church of the Brethern in Pittsburg, Ohio. Specializes in raising of hogs and dairying. Res: R.R. #3, Arcanum, Ohio.
 Ch: 1h. Dixie Nell Shank, b. 1-1-1939. Living with parents. Employed by an attorney in Arcanum, Ohio.
 2h. Bruce Barnett Shank, b. 7-25-1941.
 3h. Cathy Louise Shank, b. 11-25-1944.
 4h. Ricky Clinton Shank, b. 2-20-1948.
- 5g. Edna Evelyn Goodner, b. 5-30-1923, Darke Co., Ohio. m: Norman Jonas Barga, 1-19-1946, St. Marys Catholic Church, Greenville, Ohio. (b. 4-

- 22-1921, Darke Co., Ohio, son of Arthur Barga and Carrie Barga, nee Schwartz.) Farmer. Served in Air Force 4 years. Catholic. Res: Rt. #2, Union City, Indiana.
- Ch: 1h. Michael Marvin Barga, b. 10-23-1947. Drowned 1-26-1958, in a pond on father's farm. Broke through the ice.
 2h. David Alan Barga, b. 1-19-1950. Drowned 1-26-1958 in the same tragedy as befell his brother.
 3h. Jeffrey Thomas Barqa, b. 9-28-1952.
 4h. Anita Marie Barqa, b. 2-13-1956.
 5h. Daniel Paul Barqa, b. 3-11-1959, Union City, Ind.
- 6g. Claude Mills Goodner, b. 4-10-1926, Arcanum, Darke Co., Ohio. Employed by Aeroproducts Co., Vandalia, Ohio. Served in Navy W.W.II. Lutheran. Res: 311 Skyview Dr., Vandalia, Ohio. m: Ruth M. Evans, 6-13-1948. (b. 3-30-1929, dau. of Arthur and Lorene Evans, nee Dixon)
 Ch: 1h. Gregory Allan Goodner, b. 9-8-1957. Adopted.
 2h. Douglas Evan Goodner, b. 3-11-1958.
- 7g. Inez Goodner, b. 5-22-1927, Arcanum, Darke Co., Ohio. m: Richard Doubaux, 7-9-1950, at Senatobia, Miss. (b. 5-9-1928, son of Eugene and Vera Doubaux) Career man in Navy; enlisted 1945, and is Chief Electrician AEC. Res: 1307 Reynolds St., Key West, Fla.
 Ch: 1h. Richard Alan Doubaux, b. 1-8-1951, at U.S. Naval Hospital, Patuxent River, Md.
 2h. Thomas Eugene Doubaux, b. 1-15-1957, at U.S. Naval Hosp., Key West, Fla.
- 8g. Barbara Lou Goodner, b. 10-5-1929, Darke Co., Ohio. m: William Karns, 10-16-1949, Arcanum, Ohio. (b. 5-24-1929, son of W.W. Karns.) Employed by Karns Formica Shop, Dayton, Ohio, Members of E.U.B. Church. Res: North West St., Arcanum, Ohio
 Ch: 1h. Kirk Steven Karns, b. 10-7-1950.
 2h. Claudia Gail Karns, b. 8-21-1953.
 3h. April Sue Karns, b. 4-27-1958.
- 3f. Bessie Goodner, b. 2-12-1887. d. 10-24-1957, in Chattanooga, Tenn. Interment in Cleveland, Tenn. m: John Boyd De Armond, 6-10-1908. (d. 2-29-1936, son of John Thompson and Alice Boyd De Armond) Bessie was a member of Trinity Methodist Ch. in Chattanooga, where she was living at the time of her death, and was a member of John Ross Chapter D.A.R. in Cleveland, Tenn., Highland Park Garden Club. Interred in Ft. Hill Cemetery. Was also a member of Jefferson Davis Chapter, U.D.C. in Clev.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Bozworth De Armond, b. 5-4-1909. m: Luke Lee Callaway, 1-9-1930. Res: 900 N. Ocoee St., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Luke Lee Callaway, Jr., b. 12-4-1930. m: Nancy Wilson, 6-15-1954. Res: 1404 Elm St., Rolla, Mo.
 Ch: 1i. Luke Lee Callaway, III, b. 3-16-1955.
 2h. Ben De Armond Callaway, b. 9-22-1932. m: Carolyn Teppengough, 3-17-1955. Res: 440 Ocee St. N.W., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Ben De Armond Callaway, Jr., b. 2-1-1956.
 2i. Catherine Smith Callaway, b. 6-2-1957.
 3h. Linda Lou Callaway, b. 9-18-1940.
- 2g. John Goodner De Armond, b. 11-3-1911. m: Laura Jordan, 8-13-1960. Co-owner of Chattanooga Surgical Co. Res: 410 McCallie Ave., Chatt., Tenn.
- 3g. Eben A. De Armond, b. 4-3-1920. Was Lieut. in W.W.II. Is now County Auditor of Hamilton County, Tenn. m: Marie Grisson. Res: 2535 Crestwood Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. John Grisson De Armond, b. 12-11-1954.
 2h. Eben A. De Armond, Jr.
- 4f. Berta Goodner, b. 12-21-1889. m: Horace E. Hawk, 9-15-1915, son of Joseph W. Hawk of Cleveland, Tenn. Separated. Berta resides in Har Moor Apts. A., Clev.
 Ch: 1g. Horace E. Hawk, Jr., b. 12-31-1913. Killed in action in the Pacific Area, 5-11-1945, while serving in the Marines in W.W.II. His death resulted from a Kamikazi attack. m: Ella Mae Gorton, 10-15-1940, dau. of Walter De Witt Gorton of Marks, Miss. No issue.
- 5f. Mary Inez Goodner, b. 4-21-1892. d. 3-5-1920. m: John O. Redmond, 12-20-1910. d. 7-13-1918.
 Ch: 1g. John Oliver Redmond, Jr., b. 3-5-1913. d. 2-15-1919.
 2g. Joyce Inez Redmond, b. 5-13-1915. m: John Bates McReynolds, 12-24-1936. d. 3-12-1957. Widow res. at 1923 Chambliss Ave., N.W., Cleve.
 Ch: 1h. Berta Ruth McReynolds, b. 9-19-1943.

- 3g. Ruth Elizabeth Redmond, b. 4-20-1917. m: Fred S. Price, 7-4-1942. Res: 910 W. North St., Wytheville, Va.
 Ch: 1h. Fred S. Price, Jr., b. 5-4-1943.
 2h. Sallie Joyce Price, b. 4-24-1945.
 3h. Ann Marie Price, b. 5-24-1947.
 4h. John Redmond Price, b. 6-16-1950.
- 6f. Wiley Jacob Goodner, b. 7-22-1894, Cleveland, Tenn. d. 9-28-1959. m: 1st: Louise Brand, 12-24-1913. (d. 4-9-1951) Mr. Goodner, an Agriculturist, retired at time of death. Methodist.
 Ch: 1g. George Gary Goodner, b. 8-6-1915, Rome, Ga. Farmer. Methodist. Res: Rt. #2, Nashville, Mich. m: Margaret Kathleen Fairchild, 11-25-1939, at Elkhart, Ind., dau. of William and Mable Fairchild.
 Ch: 1h. Gary Marshall Goodner, b. 7-23-1941, at Plainwell, Mich.
 2h. William Wiley Goodner, b. 9-1-1942, at Plainwell, Mich.
 3h. Marquita Louise Goodner, b. 12-31-1945, at Plainwell, Mich.
- 2g. Marshall Joseph Goodner, b. 3-3-1918. d. 6-9-1941. Killed when train struck his automobile.
- 3g. Winston Wiley Goodner, b. 4-9-1920, Cleveland, Tenn. Was Naval Officer in W.W.II. Now Vice-Pres. in charge of agencies for Peninsular Life Ins. Co., Jacksonville, Fla. m: Helen Blakeslee, 10-5-1940, Carson City, Nevada. Dau. of F.H. Blakeslee. Res: 4737 Exeter Lane, Jacksonville, Fla.
 Ch: 1h. David Marshall Goodner, b. 2-9-1943.
 2h. Gary Lee Goodner, b. 12-8-1949.
 3h. Michael Winston Goodner, b. 3-14-1953.
- 4g. Doris Marie Goodner, b. 12-9-1926, Ironton, Ohio. m: Milford Courtney, 12-16-1944, Albuquerque, N.M. Son of Francis Courtney. Paper Maker. Served in Air Force W.W.II. Res: 5121 Simmons St., Parchment, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 Ch: 1h. Stephen Milford Courtney, b. 12-12-1946.
 2h. Susan Louise Courtney, b. 2-26-1948.
- Wiley Jacob Goodner, m: 2nd: Mrs. Lottie Upchurch Millican, 5-12-1952, dau. of H. R. and Carolyn (Goodner) Upchurch, and widow of Hoyt Millican. Res: 316 E. 3rd Ave., Rome, Ga. No issue by this marriage.
- 7f. Marguerite ("Maggie") Ella Goodner, b. 9-20-1897. Single. Employed by Tennessee Valley Bank, Knoxville, Tenn. Res: 502 19th St., Knoxville, Tenn.
- 12e. Mary C. Goodner, b. 7-28-1857. d. 6-30-1955, at age of 97. m: George Caswell Hawk, 2-7-1877, Bradley Co., Tenn. (b. 1-5-1851. d. 7-31-1940. Interment in Fort Hill Cemetery, Clev., Tenn.) Mr. Hawk was a brother to the Eugenia E. Hawk who married Robert Carlyle Johnston. The writer and his wife, Martha, had the pleasure of meeting "Aunt Mary" when visiting Chattanooga prior to the Second World War. Mr. Hawk was a carpenter. Members of Methodist Ch.
 Ch: 1f. Gertrude Hawk, b. 5-29-1879, Bradley Co., Tenn. Single. Bookkeeper. Retired. Methodist. Res: Chattanooga, Tenn. 2019 E. 13th St.
 2f. Grace Hawk, b. 2-16-1882, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 9-21-1892.
 3f. John Hawk, b. 3-4-1885, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 4-19-1952. Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. Methodist. Mechanic. Res: Sheffield, Ala. m: Mae Lawson, 1903, dau. of Zach. Lawson.
 Ch: 1g. Bertha Lea Hawk, b. 5-30-1905, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Ernest Bryson, 4-13-1927. Res: 1413 Lynn St., Sheffield, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Robert E. L. Bryson, b. 3-1-1928, Sheffield, Ala. m: Oneal Box 4-1-1945, Sheffield, Ala. Res: 2713-13th St., Sheffield, Ala.
 Ch: 1i. Mary Lucille Bryson, b. 2-10-1950.
 2i. Robert Gary Bryson, b. 9-12-1956.
 2h. John Frank Bryson, b. 4-27-1929, Sheffield, Ala. m: Joy Pinbley, 12-28-1949. Res: 1913 James Rd., Memphis, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. John Bruce Bryson, b. 4-21-1956, in Memphis, Tenn.
- 2g. Jenney Mae Hawk, b. 1-9-1906. d. 10-5-1908.
- 3g. Pauline Hawk, b. 2-4-1909, Sheffield, Ala. m: J. Carrol Piper, Oct. 1928. Res: 1174 W. King St., Decatur, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Joyce Piper, b. 4-17-1930, Sheffield, Ala. m: Donald Shields, 8-7-1955, Decatur, Ill. Res: 2202 Grandview Dr., Decatur, Ill.
 Ch: 1i. John Donald Shields, b. 5-21-1957, Decatur, Ill.
 2h. John Carrol ("Buzzie") Piper, b. 4-16-1934, Sheffield, Ala. m: Patricia Soelle, 5-25-1957 at Decatur, Ill. Res: 1085 North Westlawn, Decatur, Ill.
 3h. George Piper, b. 10-27-1940, Sheffield, Ala.
 4h. Malissa Piper, b. 1-4-1950, Decatur, Ill.

- 4g. Mary Hawk, b. 2-14-1913, Sheffield, Ala. m: Cooper Thomas, 4-21-1934. Res: 401 Howell St., Florence, Ala.
- 5g. John Hawk, Jr., b. 2-15-1918, Sheffield, Ala. m: Lois Weatherby, 5-4-1940. Res: 410 W. Moore St., Tuscumbia, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Charlotte Lou Hawk, b. 3-19-1942, Tuscumbia, Ala.
2h. William H. Hawk, b. 1-9-1945, Tuscumbia, Ala.
- 6g. Martha Hawk, b. 7-13-1921, Sheffield, Ala. m: J.C. Reed, 11-7-1941. Res: 500 Dover St., Sheffield, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Carrie Lynn Reed, b. 5-31-1947, Sheffield, Ala.
2h. Jack Anthony Reed, b. 7-23-1951, Sheffield, Ala.
3h. John Gregory Reed, b. 12-5-1952, Sheffield, Ala.
- 4f. Wade V. Hawk, b. 5-19-1889, Cleveland, Tenn. Engineer with I.C.R.R. Now retired. m: Florence Holiday, 3-22-1919. Res: Belleville, Ill. 923 Moreland Dr.
Ch: 1g. George Hawk, b. 8-29-1920. Engineer with I.C.R.R. m: Marie Robinson 1-22-1942. Res: Belleville, Ill. 7014 Gary Dr.
Ch: 1h. Dexter Wade Hawk, b. 9-18-1943.
- 5f. Charlotte Hawk, b. 11-5-1897, Cleveland, Tenn. Single. Audit Clerk. Methodist. Res: 2019 E. 13th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 4d. John Goodner, b. 6-13-1813. Died while quite small.
- 5d. James Goodner, b. 3-25-1815, Smith Co., Tenn. Drowned in Mississippi River. Not married. No other details known.
- 6d. Sallie Goodner, b. 1-10-1817, Smith Co., Tenn. m: Berry West, in Smith Co., Tenn.
Ch: 1e. Luther West, b. -----. Resided in 1924 in Carthage, Smith Co., Tenn. Unable to obtain further details on this branch.
- 7d. Nancy Goodner, 7-16-1818. d. 5-24-1903. m: Thomas Dillahay. Res: Carthage, Smith Co., Tenn.
Ch: 1e. L. N. Dillahay.
2e. Wade Dillahay.
3e. John Dillahay. Resided in Defeated, Tenn., Per letter of Uncle John.
(When George Washington Goodner, a Union soldier from Illinois and a son of Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair Co., Ill., was in Cleveland, Tenn. during the Civil War, he visited with John Goodner, Nancy's brother, and while there saw one of the Dillahay boys. He writes, "At John Goodner's I saw his sister's son, a Confederate prisoner, whose name was Dillahay, and lived in Ala., a flax head about 18. The guards came up while I was there and took him north. His uncle had never seen him before. It was several days after the battle of Lookout Mountain and Mission Ridge. He was in Longstreet's Corp., opposing ours (the 15th) at the north end of the Ridge. Longstreet withdrew and made for Knoxville to capture Burnside's and we followed to save Burnside's, and did by forced marching, and Dillahay, with others, was captured along the route." It is not known which son this was, and we do not know if the three children whose names are given above were all the children or not, but it is presumed that there were more.)
- 8d. John Goodner, b. 6-6-1820. d. 11-5-1907. m: Nancy Long of McMinn Co., Tenn. (b. 1-10-1826. d. 7-22-1900.) Nancy was invalid the last eight years of her life. John was at one period of his life a tanner and Shoe dealer, and earlier a farmer as well. He accumulated quite a bit of wealth, which, as I understand it, passed on to his second wife, whom he married when he was 81 years of age. Resided the latter part of his life in Cleveland, Tenn., but always lived in Bradley Co., Tenn. He did not have any children. m: 2nd: Mrs. Emma Seymour, 12-25-1901, a widow with two children, Allie Seymour, age 18, a boy, and Wingfield, age 16, a girl. As a matter of interest I quote below a letter he wrote to George Washington Goodner of Quincy, Ill., a son of Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair Co., Ill., and a first cousin to him:-

Cleveland, Tenn. April 23, 1903,

"Mr. G.W. Goodner,
Quincy, Ill.

Dear Cousin:-

I was very much pleased and surprised on the receipt of your letter of recent date. I have often wondered what had become of you, and if you were yet living, for my wife and I were very much pleased with you at the time you visited us and have always since entertained kind feelings toward you. I remember you well and so did my wife, who has more than two years ago passed over the river of death. She died July 22, 1900. She was for more than eight years a helpless invalid. She fell and broke her hip and never walked another step. Christmas 1901, I married again: a widow lady with two children. Her name was Mrs. Emma Seymour of this state. Her children are one boy, Allie Seymour, age 18, and a daughter, Wingfield, age 16. Eleven years ago the optic nerves of my eyes became paralyzed, since then I can neither read, write, nor cipher; but I can see well enough to get around on the streets, but can't recognize features or faces.

Now to your letter, which I will answer as far as I can. My father's family are all dead, except myself and two sisters; Mrs. Dillahay, my oldest sister, lives in Smith Co., Tenn., where she lived when you were here. She never lived in Ala. as you seemed to think. She was born July 16th, 1818, now 84 years old. Her son, John, who was at my house when you were there, still lives in the same county with his mother. His address is Defeated. My other living sister is Mrs. York,

81 years old. She lives in Cleveland. I was born June 6th, 1820. My general health is very good considering my age. I don't know many of the persons of whom you speak. Don't know Dr. W.B. Goodner. My father had a brother Godfrey, and the Godfrey of whom you speak may be a namesake of his. David Goodner, my father's brother, lived near Huntsville, Ala. had two sons, viz: Blooming and Superior. One died young and the other is now dead, but has a son who lives in Fayetteville, Tenn. His name is Dr. D.M. Goodner. He made me a visit about ten years ago. I knew nothing of a John Goodner who lived in Ark. My mother's maiden name was Stewart, but she has no son bearing that name. My brother's name were, according to age, viz: Cyrus, Jacob, James, then John who got killed when he was small. Myself next, Andrew Jackson (called Jack) and George Washington, better know as G.W. I don't know whether Jacob's wife gave a son her maiden name or not, neither do I know what was her maiden name. Not any of my brothers or sisters ever lived in Ark. My grandfather was a German, named Conrad, lived in Sullivan Co., Tenn. I know nothing of any brothers, if he had any, neither do I know in what year he was married. Yes, my father was born in 1783. I don't know when my grandfather (Conrad Goodner) came to America, neither do I know if he had a child to die in infancy. I know nothing of the reasons he left Germany, or if he was ever a soldier. Don't know when he left Germany, or if he left property if any he had. I never knew his father's name. My father died Jan. 1st, 1861, and was buried in Bradley Co., six miles from Cleveland, Tenn. Aunt Sallie Brown- ing is buried in Alexandria, Tenn., De Kalb Co. Uncle James died near Nashville at the home of one of his daughters and was brought to Alexandria for burial. He has a son living in or near McKinnie, Tex., Collin Co. His name is Thomas C. Goodner. Uncle David never lived in Tenn. that I know of, but lived in or near Huntsville, Ala. I don't know where or when he died. His grandson Dr. D.M. Goodner, of Fayetteville, can perhaps give you some items of interest. I know nothing of any book Uncle David wrote.

Now cousin George I have answered your questions as best I could remember; am sorry I can't answer them all. Can you tell me where the Goodner man is who was in Gross' regiment? Was he a son of Uncle Godfrey? I never had any children. I will be very glad to have you and your daughter visit us; we will give you a kind welcome. We live on the N.E. corner of the public square. I will be glad to hear from you again and will answer any other questions you may wish to ask. I would love to see and talk with you. With kindest regards to you and yours, I am as ever, your cousin,

Jno. Goodner. "

- 9d. Martha (Patsy) Goodner, b. 11-15-1821. d. 11-22-1903. m: James York of Polk Co., Tenn. No record of descendants. *
- 10d. Andrew Jackson ("Jack") Goodner, b. 11-21-1823. d. 7-20-1900. 10th child of John and Martha Stewart Goodner. Resided in or near Britsville, Meigs Co., Tenn., which place is no longer on the maps. He was a farmer. At one time he resided just east of Cleveland in Bradley Co., Tenn., and in 1870 he moved to the west part of Bradley Co. Both he and his second wife, Mariah, are interred in the Goodner Cemetery, which is located six miles west of Cleveland. m: 1st: Sally Woodall, 1844. (b. abt. 1825. d. 1-28-1848) Names of her parents are unknown.
- Ch: 1e. Johr J. Goodner, b. 8-28-1845. d. 5-15-1930. Married three times, but names of wives not known. He had no issue.
- 2e. Annie Goodner, b. 1-10-1847, in Meigs Co., Tenn. d. August 1927. m: Thomas Cartwright. (b. 11-7-1851. d. 8-10-1923.) Both are interred in Johnson Cemetery in Meigs Co., Tenn. Thomas' father was also named Thomas. Farmer. Besides living in Meigs Co., he also lived in Bradley Co.
- Ch: 1f. Jackson Robert Cartwright, b. 3-18-1871, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 12-7-1957, in Wapanucka, Okla. A farmer, and a preacher in the Baptist Church. Moved from Bradley Co., Tenn., to Wapanucka, Okla., in 1904. Active in civic affairs, served many yrs. on the school board, served two terms in the State Legislature from Johnson Co. during the William H. Murray Administration, and was later full time Chaplain of the State House of Repres. for several yrs. m: Emma Baker, dau. of John Baker, an old Union Soldier, who was the father of 18 children, nine by his 1st wife, who was a Cameron, and nine by his 2nd wife, who was Dark Capps. Both are interred in Wapanucka, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Wilburn Cartwright, b. 1-12-1892, on a farm near Georgetown, Tenn. Moved with his parents to Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory, in 1904. Attended public schools in Wapanucka and Ada, Okla., and State Teachers College at Durant. Taught in rural and city schools at Coal, Bryan, and Pittsburg Counties, Okla., from 1914 to 1926. He was elected to the State House of Repres. and served from 1914 to 1918. Studied law, and received his L.L.B. from Univ. of Okla. in 1920. Admitted to the Bar and practiced in McAlester, Okla. Graduate of Southeastern State Normal School, Durant, Okla., in 1923. Did post graduate work at Univ. of Chicago. Served as private in W.W.I, 1917 and 1918. Member of State Senate 1918-1922. Was unsuccessful candidate for Congress on Democratic ticket in 1922 and 1924. Was Supt. of schools at Krebs, Okla., 1922-1926. Elected to the 70th Congress on Democratic ticket, 3-4-1927, from 3rd Okla. District, and to the seven succeeding Congresses, to 1-3-1943. Unsuccessful candidate for re-election in 1942. Was Chairman of Committee on Roads while in Congress. He served as Major in W.W.II, Allied Military Government with service in Africa and Europe from 1-4-1943 to 10-6-1944. Returned to United States



as instructor at Ft. Custer, Mich., in 1945. Member of Rating Bureau, Veterans Admn., in 1945-6. Elected Secretary of State of Oklahoma in 1946, serving 4 years. Was elected State Auditor of Oklahoma in 1950. Is now Vice-Chairman of the State Corporation Commissioners of Oklahoma, and is serving in that capacity at this time.

Grand Master of Odd Fellows of Oklahoma, 1934-5.

He married Miss Carrie E. Staggs, June 6th, 1920. Miss Staggs was born April 10th, 1892, and is the daughter of Thomas H. Staggs. Their home address is 801 N.E. 21st St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

A picture of Mr. Cartwright appears on the left.

Two children were born to Mr. & Mrs. Cartwright, Doralyn and Wilburta.

Ch: 1h. Doralyn Cartwright, b. 2-27-1927, McAlester, Okla. m: Leo Vincent Gordon, 2-14-1950. (b. 12-4-1923, son of Leo Gordon.) Mr. Gordon is an actor and writer. Served in Army. Doralyn is an actress, appearing in the movies and on television under the name of Lynn Cartwright. Doralyn is a Baptist and Mr. Gordon is a Catholic. Res: 1717 Naomi, Burbank, Calif.

Ch: 1i. Tara Gordon, b. 3-1-1951.

2h. Wilburta Cartwright, b. 5-13-1928, in Washington, D.C. m: Robert Kelbert Arnold, Jr., 9-10-1950 in Oklahoma City, Okla. (b. 4-11-1928, Duncan, Okla., son of Robert Kelbert Arnold, Sr.) Attorney. Members of First Christian Church. Res: 1310 N. 13th, Duncan, Okla.

Ch: 1i. Robert Kelbert Arnold, III, b. 6-4-1955, Duncan, Okla.

2g. Floyd Cartwright, b. Sept. 1893, near Cleveland, Tenn. Farmer-Retired. Baptist. Served in W.W.I. m: Kate Parker, 1-15-1921. (b. 6-13-1900, dau. of C.E. Parker of Wapanucka, Okla. Res: Wapanucka, Okla.

Ch: 1h. Katherine Cartwright, b. 11-8-1921, Wapanucka, Okla. m: Leslie Hope Brown, 12-17-1938. Occupation, Butcher. (b. 12-11-1919, son of Harvey J. Brown.) W.W.II, Navy-SM 3/c, 11-5-1943 to 12-10-1945. CVE 101, USS Matanikau. Res: 2301 S. W. 36th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Ch: 1i. Leslie Dean Brown, b. 2-29-1940.

2i. Janet Lynn Brown, b. 10-8-1948.

2h. Charlene Cartwright, b. 8-25-1929, Wapanucka, Okla. m: Lonnie Douglas Loyd, 2-6-1947. (b. 12-26-1923, son of William Wyatt Loyd.) Electrical Technician. Military service - Army 3 years. Church of Christ. Res: 1005 Sycamore St., Duncan, Okla.

Ch: 1i. Lonnie Douglas Loyd, Jr., b. 11-12-1947.

2i. Donna Gayle Loyd, b. 12-16-1952.

3i. Robert Charles Loyd, b. 6-24-1954.

3g. Gerty Cartwright. m: Mr. Mathis. Res: 1101 Singhton Blvd., Dallas, Tex. No further data.

4g. McKinley Cartwright, b. 8-15-1896, Tennessee. Employed by Oklahoma State Penitentiary. Baptists. Res: Atoka, Okla. m: Ida Winberry, 6-3-1917, at Wapanucka, Okla. (b. 6-1-1900, dau. Walter F. and Hanna Winberry.)

Ch: 1h. Wilburn J. R. Cartwright, b. 7-1-1917, Wapanucka, Okla. Construction Inspector, Baptists. m: Naomi Doris Gault, 3-28-1940, Carnegie, Okla. (b. 5-20-1920, dau. John Dee Gault of Norman, Okla.) Res: 408 Magnolia St., Amarillo, Texas.

- Ch: 1i. Roger Gault Cartwright, b. 2-11-1946.
 2i. Jackie Kay Cartwright, b. 3-21-1950.
 3i. Stephen Dee Cartwright, b. 7-11-1955.
- 2h. McKinley Odell Cartwright, b. 5-8-1920, an Accountant. Military service - Army 4 years. Baptists. m: Alma Marie Nuner, 2-12-1947. (b. 3-13-1923, dau. Lee Roy Nuner of Fittstown, Okla.) Res: 525 Herbert Dr., Fort Worth 8, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Marilyn Kay Cartwright, b. 7-1-1949.
 2i. Gary Mack Cartwright, b. 8-13-1955.
 3i. Andra Diana Cartwright, b. 3-18-1957.
- 3h. Marquerite Edwana Cartwright, b. 4-5-1924, Wapanucka, Okla. m: Denzil Floyd Lowry, 10-31-1944, in Oklahoma City, Okla. (b. 4-23-1923, son of John W. and Josie Lowry.) Vice-Pres. Okla. State Bank, Ada, Okla. Military service - Pilot Air Force 1942-1945. Methodists. Address: Ada, Okla., c/o Oklahoma State Bank.
- Ch: 1i. John William Lowry, b. 4-14-1947.
 2i. Denzil F. Lowry, Jr., b. 4-18-1949.
 3i. James Bernie Lowry, b. 1-7-1950.
 4i. Billy Ted Lowry, b. 10-11-1952.
- 4h. Clifford Wesley Cartwright, b. 4-22-1929, Wapanucka, Okla. Bookkeeper. Baptist. m: Miss Shipman, 1-8-1949. (b. 1-25-1932, dau. Donald Shipman of St. Joe, Ark.) Res: Box 351, Atoka, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. Michael Dean Cartwright, b. 7-21-1949.
- 5h. Betty Lou Cartwright, b. 3-5-1931. m: Clyde Haines, 9-16-1951. Industrial Engineer. Military service - Army Signal Corp. 1953 to 1955. Married at Zillah, Wash. Clyde b. 4-29-1930, son of Roy E. Haines of Zillah, Wash. Res: 3711 - 135th Ave., S.E., Bellevue, Wash. No issue.
- 6h. Lee Jay Cartwright, b. 11-8-1933, Wapanucka, Okla. m: Don Smithart, 12-27-1952. (Donald Gene Smithart b. 3-6-1931, son of Willard W. Smithart of Tulsa, Okla.) Army service - M.P. Div. of 45th Infantry. Baptists. Res: 1006 N.W. 96th St., Okla. City 14, Okla.
- Ch: 1i. Deborah Lynn Smithart, b. 8-29-1953.
 2i. Randy Don Smithart, b. 2-6-1957.
 3i. Charles Timothy Smithart, b. 2-4-1959.
- 7h. Annette Cartwright, b. 4-26-1937. Not married. Res: 439 N. W. 26th St., Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 8h. Jerry Cartwright, b. 12-12-1941. At home.
- 9h. Nelda Cartwright, b. 7-14-1944. At home.
- 5g. Shafter Cartwright. Res: 816 H St., Lawton, Okla. No further data.
- 6g. Cecil Mae Cartwright, b. 11-2-1902, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: Conner Asbury Montgomery, 1920, Wapanucka, Okla. (b. 10-31-1900, son of John Montgomery) Baptists. In Grocery Business. Res: 1228 N. 10th St., Durant, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Conner O. Montgomery, b. 5-21-1921. Grad. Univ. of Okla., Jan. 1949, L.L.B. Military service - Lieut. Colonel Air Force. Partner in the law firm of Paul & Montgomery, Durant, Okla. Baptist. m: Wanda Elizabeth Hawley, 12-25-1943. (b. 6-24-1921, dau. Arthur and Elizabeth Hawley.)
- Ch: 1i. Connie Sue Montgomery, b. 4-20-1950. Adopted.
 2i. Monty Paul Montgomery, b. 5-10-1951. Adopted.
- 2h. Wanda Montgomery, b. 11-27-1922. m: Michael Joseph Hrom, 6-30-1942, Austin, Tex. (b. 11-15-1910, son of Nicholas and Rose Hrom of Philadelphia, Pa.) Army service - Lt. Col. in Reserves. General manager of a wholesale paper firm. Baptists. Res: 1036 Drexel Ave., Drexel Hill, Pa.
- Ch: 1i. Susan Montgomery Hrom, b. 6-2-1947.
 2i. Robert Michael Hrom, b. 12-15-1952.
 3i. Conner Joseph Hrom, b. 7-22-1957.
- 3h. Wilburn Montgomery, b. 8-16-1925. d. Sept. 1956 Borger, Tex.
- 4h. Robert Finley Montgomery, b. Sept. 1929. d. March 1953, at Durant, Okla.
- 7g. Buck Cartwright, b. 2-28-1907, Wapanucka, Okla. Grad. Univ. of Okla.

- with L. L. B. Degree. Attorney. Naval service - Lieut. in Navy 1941 to 1946. Lieut. in Naval Reserve. Served as Asst. County Auditor for Seminole County, Okla., 1946 to 1950, and City Attorney for Wewoka, Okla. 1951 to 1954. President of State League of Young Democrats of Okla. for 1947. Served as member of Okla. House of Representatives 1955 to 1957. Elected to Okla. State Senate (23rd District) in 1958, which office he still holds. Baptist. 32^o Mason. Member of Odd Fellows, Lions Club, B.P.O. E., m: Shirley Fraser, 8-23-1931, at Sulphur, Okla. (b. 3-16-1907, dau. of Donald R. Fraser, dec'd.) Res: Wewoka, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Jon Clifford Fraser Cartwright, b. 7-8-1935. d. 11-29-1945.
2h. Jan Erie Cartwright, b. 8-26-1938. Student at Univ. of Okla. Norman, Okla. Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity House.
- 8g. Keith Cartwright, b. 11-27-1911, Wapanucka, Okla. Military service - served with 2nd Marine Div. at Tarawa, Saipan, Tinian, Okinawa, and in Army of Occupation in Japan for 6 months. State Senator from the 23rd Senatorial District, formerly served by his brother, Wilburn. In 1946 was elected to the House of Representatives from Bryan Co., without opposition. In 1948, was elected to the Senate from the 23rd Senatorial District, which office he has held continuously since. m: Dorothy L. Wharton, 3-27-1937, at Sulphur, Okla. (b. 6-6-1918, dau. of Dr. J. T. Wharton of Sulphur, Okla.) Res: Durant, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Peter Wharton Cartwright, b. 8-19-1940. Freshman in School of Aeronautical Engineering at Okla. State Univ., Stillwater, Okla.
2h. Timothy Cartwright, b. 10-2-1948, Durant, Okla.
- 9g. Dewey Cartwright, d. 8-7-1942. Single.
- 2f. Camel Natheron Cartwright, b. 1-19-1873, Meigs Co., Tenn. d. 6-8-1941. Interred in Johnson Cemetery. Farmer. m: Maggie E. Weeley of Meigs Co., Tenn., dau. of Thomas Weeley. Married in Georgetown, Tenn. Maggie died 11-26-1932, and interred in Johnson Cemetery.
- Ch: 1g. Thomas Owen Cartwright, b. 9-25-1892, Georgetown, Tenn. Georgetown was then Brittsville, or Brittsville. Desk Sgt. at Police Station, Cleveland, Tenn. Methodist. Res: 1225 Magnolia Ave., Cleveland, Tenn. m: 1st: Annie Bell Atchley. Later divorced.
- Ch: 1h. Pauline Cartwright, m: Mr. Kile. Res: 1740 Baugh St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
2h. Juanita Cartwright, m: Mr. Matthews. Res: 612 Lee St., Dalton, Ga.
3h. Garland Cartwright, Res: 307 Moore St., Bromby, Ky.
4h. Elmer Cartwright, Res: Georgetown Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
5h. Leila Cartwright, m: Mr. Harmon. Res: 2940 W. Chicago St., Detroit 10, Mich.
6h. Geraldine Cartwright, m: Gale Thomas. Serving in Air Force. SFC #20456547, 77th Trans. Co. (Lt. Trk) USAF, APO 21, New York, N. Y.
7h. Benny Cartwright, Res: 192 Wadsworth Dr., Idaho Falls, Idaho. m: 2nd: Della Bertha Miller (b. 10-6-1898, dau. James W. Miller, dec'd, of Cleveland, Tenn.)
- Ch: 8h. Eddie Gene Cartwright, b. 7-30-1936. Res: Melrose Park, Cleveland, Tenn.
- 2g. Lassie Ellen Cartwright, b. 7-28-1895, at Brittsville, now Georgetown, Tenn. m: Robert Thomas Scott, 8-6-1912, Georgetown, Tenn. (b. 5-21-1888, son of Samiel and Katie Scott of Georgetown, Tenn.) Merchant and Grocery Store Owner. Res: Rt. #1, Georgetown, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Ermalee Scott, b. 8-30-1932. Adopted. m: C. L. Caldwell. Res: Georgetown, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Bobie Caldwell, b. 3-2-1942.
2i. Stevie Caldwell, b. 7-24-1943.
3i. Diana Caldwell, b. 4-9-1948.
- 3g. Annie Cartwright, b. 9-8-1902, Brittsville, now Georgetown, Tenn. m: Mr. Cofer. Res: 1603 Willow St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 4g. Alice Cartwright, b. 8-30-1911, Georgetown, Tenn. m: Charles Anderson. Res: Cushman St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Camel Natheron Cartwright, also known as Nathan Camel (Campbell) Cartwright, m: 2nd: Mattie Bell Cofer. (b. 3-2-1915) She is presently res. in Georgetown, Tenn.
- Ch: 5g. Della Mae Cartwright, b. 2-19-1935. m: John Lowell Garmon, 1-24-1954. Res: Georgetown, Tenn.

- Ch: 1h. Nathan Lowell Garmon, b. 10-7-1955.
 2h. Ronny Garmon, b. 8-20-1957.
- 6g. Nathan C. Cartwright, Jr., b. 7-26-1936. Single. Res: Georgetown, Tenn.
- 3f. Eathem Cartwright, Dec'd. m:------(His widow has remarried and is now Mrs. Oscar Balden of East Chattanooga, Tenn.)
 Ch: 1g. Luther Cartwright, Res: in East Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 4f. Ora Cartwright, b. 1-26-----. m: Mr. Lawson, son of Jeb. Lawson. Farmer. Res: Rt. #1, Birchwood, Tenn. No issue.
- 5f. Mollie Cartwright, b. 4-25-1878. d. 10-30-1954. m: M. L. Carnish.
 Ch: 1g. Ellen Carnish, m: Mr. Walker. Res: Cushman St., E. Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 6f. Oscar L. Cartwright, b. 2-8-1881, Bradley Co., Tenn. Farmer. Res: R.R., Georgetown, Tenn. m: Annie Mae Boles, 12-22-1910. (b. 1-27-1894, dau. John and Mary Boles.) No issue.
- 7f. Daniel A. Cartwright, b. 6-14-1882, Meigs Co., Tenn. Farmer. Resided near Georgetown, Tenn. Now retired, and living at 1809 Dodson Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Mary Etta Hall, 12-7-1913. (b. 12-8-1892, dau. of Ira Hall.)
 Ch: 1g. Cecil Opal Dean Cartwright, b. 7-27-1918, near Georgetown, Tenn. m: Clead Elgin Ware, 11-2-1935, Atlanta, Ga. (b. 7-10-1914, son of Albert Ware) Welder, Baptist, Res: 2017 Central St., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Daniel Albert Ware, b. 9-9-1937.
- 2g. L. J. Cartwright, b. 1-20-1915, near Georgetown, Tenn. Janitor. Military service - Army. Baptist. m: Mary Truly Huskey, 5-2-1959, at Ringgold, Ga. (b. 2-7-1909, dau. D. H. Huskey of Sevier Co., Tenn.) Res: Rt. #4, Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 3g. Lawton Cartwright, b. 1-11-1916, Res: 1929 Southern St., Chatt., Tenn.
- 8f. Asa Cartwright, b. 7-10-1885, Meigs Co., Tenn. Farmer. m: Lula Atchley, 2-15-1908. (b. 10-27-1889, dau. of B. L. Atchley.) Res: Rt. #1, Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Hazel Cartwright, b. 11-3-1910, Georgetown, Tenn. m: Garland Benson, 2-22-1938, at Scottsboro, Ala. (b. 4-13-1909, son of Soloman Benson of Scottsboro, Ala.) Res: Rt. #2, Fyffe, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Dorothy M. Benson, b. 5-11-1930, Jackson Co., Ala. m: Wiley E. Foutch, 11-4-1950, Belmont, Miss. Printer. Methodist. Military service - Korean War, 1 year. Six months in Korea. (Mr. Foutch b. 12-16-1929, son of William Repsie and Martha Foutch, nee Keith.) Res: 2112 Wharton Rd., Huntsville, Ala.
 Ch: 1i. Benjamin Elmo Foutch, b. 6-9-1952.
- 2h. Garland R. Benson, b. 2-28-1932, Scottsboro, Ala. Att. Nurse. Baptist. m: Bettye Dale Foutch, 12-2-1950, at Belmont, Miss. (b. 10-12-1932, dau. W. R. Foutch of Owens Cross Roads, Ala.) Res: 1256 Rambling Rd., Willow Run, Mich.
 Ch: 1i. Garland R. Benson, Jr., b. 3-2-1952.
 2i. Rex Dale Benson, b. 12-3-1954.
- 3h. Bryant Loyd Benson, b. 6-22-1937, Hazel Green, Ala. Employed by Ford Motor Co. Methodist. m: Billie Jean Robertson, 11-21-1954, at Iuka, Miss. (b. 5-20-1933, dau. of John Roy Robertson.) Res: 1523 Sudbury Ct., Willow Run, Mich.
 Ch: 1i. Bryant Loyd Benson, Jr., b. 9-5-1955.
 2i. John Edward Benson, b. 3-7-1959.
- 4h. Bryson Floyd Benson, b. 6-22-1937, Hazel Green, Ala. Twin of Bryant. Res: 1620 3rd St., Columbus, Ga. Single.
- 5h. Charles Richard Benson, b. 10-29-1943.
- 2g. Ollie Cartwright, b. 3-14-1913, Marshall Co., Ala. m: Sam. Vincent, 12-10-1932, Marshall Co., Ala. (b. 8-1-1907, son of Frank Vincent of Ray Co., Tenn.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: Rainsville, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Edna Jo Vincent, b. 10-5-1933, Guntersville, Ala. m: Van Buren Mize, 10-6-1951, Rossville, Ga. (b. 8-5-1934, son of George P. Mize of Ga.) Carpenter. Members of Church of Christ. Res: 2858 Skyland Dr., Chamblee, Ga.
 Ch: 1i. Gary Van Mize, b. 8-27-1953.
 2i. Larry Joe Mize, b. 4-20-1955.
 3i. Steven Lee Mize, b. 4-4-1958.
- 2h. Peggy Ann Vincent, b. 4-2-1936, Guntersville, Ala. m: Harry Lee McElroy, 11-29-1952, at Trenton, Ga. (b. 8-17-1932, son of Arthur McElroy.) Stockroom Clerk. Methodist. Military service - Korean War. Res: Fyffe, Ala. Rt. #1.
 Ch: 1i. Rickey Dan McElroy, b. 9-15-1954.

- 3h. Martha Jane Vincent, b. 3-11-1941.
 4h. Sammie Vincent, b. 11-6-1943.
 5h. David Vincent, b. 6-1-1948.
- 3g. Thomas Cartwright, b. 7-16-1916, Guntersville, Ala. Farmer. Army. Baptist. m: Emma Jean Shiflett, 8-3-1946. (b. 12-21-1927, dau. Herman and Gladys Shiflett, nee Shadden.) Res: Rt. #1, Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Glinda Faye Cartwright, b. 5-28-1948, at Birchwood, Tenn.
 2h. Bobbie Jean Cartwright, b. 9-13-1954, at Birchwood, Tenn.
- 4g. Annie Jean Cartwright, b. 2-25-1932, Marshall Co., Ala. m: Cecil Denton Campbell, 6-15-1952. (b. 2-26-1928, son of W.D. Campbell of Meigs Co., Tenn.) Machinist. Navy - 2 yrs. Res: 1710 Newton St., Chatt., Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Debra Ann Campbell, b. 9-6-1954.
 2h. Donna Lynn Campbell, b. 10-26-1958.
- 3e. Jane Goodner, b. 1-28-1848. d. 9-19-1882. m: Caswell Haney, 1868.
 Ch: 1f. Ida Haney, m: Doctor Jackson.
 2f. Patsy Haney
 (It is reported that this family moved to Arkansas. Contact was lost, and no further data could be obtained.)
- Andrew Jackson Goodner, m: Mariah Harvey, 7-28-1848. (b. 11-14-1832. d. 11-10-1914.)
- 4e. Sarah Elizabeth Goodner, b. 6-3-1853. d. 7-28-1931. m: William Baugh, 7-31-1870. (b. 1-20-1847. d. 12-28-1899) Mr. Baugh was a farmer. They lived most of their lives in Bradley Co., west of Cleveland, except for one year they lived in Arkansas. Mr. Baugh is interred in the Goodner Cemetery, located about 6 miles west of Cleveland.
 Ch: 1f. Harrison Jackson Baugh, b. 3-26-1872. d. 5-1-1955. Interred in Ft. Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Mollie Mowery, 10-23-1892. (b. 10-1-1870. d. 7-10-1942.) Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn.)
 Ch: 1g. Essie Mae Baugh, b. 9-8-1893. m: Noah Murray, 7-23-1913. (b. 8-2-1891) Res: 411 Crest Dr., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Katherine Marie Murray, b. 7-18-1914. Res: 411 Crest Dr., Cleveland, Tenn. Member Central Church of Christ.
- 2g. Louis Wheeler Baugh, b. 11-16-1895. d. 2-23-1942. Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Emma Murray, 8-19-1916. (b. 12-13-1897)
 Ch: 1h. James Baugh, b. 12-4-1921, Bradley Co., Tenn. W.W.II. Air Force 10-24-1942 to 2-14-1946. Appliance Service Manager. Methodist. m: Dorothy Morris, 7-30-1955, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 6-28-1923, dau. William Harrison Morris of Cleveland, Tenn. Res: 1400 Choate Rd., Chattanooga 11, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Robin Charisse Baugh, b. 8-17-1956.
- 3g. Ora Lee Baugh, b. 8-11-1901. m: Sim Millard, 12-1-1919. (b. 9-4-1894) Res: 450 2nd St. N.W., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Morieta (or Noneta) Millard, b. 2-13-1921.
 2h. Wanda Millard, b. 12-7-1935.
- 4g. James Albert Baugh. Date of birth not known. Died while small.
- 2f. Michael Goodner Baugh, b. 1-15-1874. d. 7-1-1955. m: Nancy ("Minnie") Kinchi-loe, 10-3-1900. (b. 6-4-1872. d. 11-28-1934.) Both interred in Lebanon Cemetery east of Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Ruth Baugh, b. 3-30-1902. d. 1-11-1905.
 2g. Alice Baugh, b. 7-1-1904. Music Teacher. m: Frank W. Woods, 4-8-1930. (b. 10-23-1904, son of William Whitney Woods) Plasterer. Methodists. Res: 624 Central Ave. N.W., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Mary Ruth Woods, b. 2-27-1931. Single.
 2h. Son. d. infancy.
 3h. Son. d. infancy.
- 3f. Leonidas ("Lon") Baugh, b. 1-1-1876. d. 5-15-1946. Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Margaret Hutton, 1897. (b. 5-27-1875. d. 1931)
 Ch: 1g. Ernest Baugh, b. 11-6-1899. m: Bessie Brown, 1925. (b. 3-25-1908.) The whereabouts of Mr. Baugh not known. Disappeared about 1939.
 Ch: 1h. Conway Baugh, b. 11-29-1928. Res: Unknown.
 2h. Ernest Baugh, b. 11-2-1930. Resides in Detroit, Mich.
 3h. Adiline Baugh, b. 6-18-1934, Walker Co., Ga. m: George Martel, Jr., 6-1-1950. (b. 12-28-1928, son of George.) Paper Mill Worker. Army, 2 yrs. Roman Catholic. Res: 4805 Swartz Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Conway James Martel, b. 3-24-1951.
 2i. Patricia Ann Martel, b. 10-4-1954, Bradley Co., Tenn.
- 2g. Conway Baugh, b. 12-23-1901. Res: Unknown.

- 4f. George Lewis Baugh, b. 3-24-1878. d. 2-12-1945. m: Elizabeth Newton, Sept. 1909. (b. 3-4-1891. d. 3-14-1941) Both interred in White Oak Cemetery, Chatt., Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Louise Baugh, b. 2-19-1910. m: Delmar Hege, 8-5-1942. (b. 3-15-1914)
Res: 1813 Keywest Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
2g. Ruby Lee Baugh, b. 1-26-1912. m: Park Whitson, 6-21-1936. (b. 4-3-1910) Res: 3818 Kingwood Circle, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Joyce Whitson, b. 4-29-1937.
- 5f. Roxanna Jane ("Roxie") Baugh, b. 5-15-1880. m: Oscar Guinn, 11-27-1898. (b. 11-25-1877. d. 8-5-1904.) Resided in Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Willie Pauline Guinn, b. 9-7-1899. m: Donald Jackson Hindman, 7-11-1921. (b. 6-4-1900. d. 6-13-1958, Bradley Co., Tenn.) Res: Rt. #4, Durkee Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
2g. Harry Windsor Guinn, b. 7-17-1902. d. 10-10-1942. Interred in Fort Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Marjorie Lee Walker, 10-17-1929. (b. 10-9-1911)
Ch: 1h. Harry Windsor Guinn, Jr., b. 6-8-1931. m: Nell Aldredge, 10-7-1955. (b. 10-8-1935) Res: 1620 Parker St., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Jeffery Lee Guinn, b. 9-24-1957.
2h. Pauline Elizabeth Guinn, b. 11-8-1936.
3h. Marjorie Ann Guinn, b. 11-8-1936. m: Patrick Hamilton, 11-1-1953. Res: 1620 Parker St., Cleveland, Tenn.
Roxanna Jane m:2nd: Wm.C. Phillips, 9-28-1905. (b. 3-10-1882. d. 8-8-1956. Interred in Ft. Hill Cemetery, Cleve., Tenn.) Res: Mrs. Phillips: Durkee Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 3g. Marshall Lee Phillips, b. 7-3-1907. d. 5-5-1908.
4g. Bonnie Katherine Phillips, b. 9-12-1909. m: Franklin Glenn Hyberger, Jr., 9-2-1925. (b. 1-7-1906) Res: Rt. #4, Durkee Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Franklin Glenn Hyberger III, b. 8-21-1928. Proprietor of a Printing Shop and Minister of Church of Christ. Res: Rt. #4, Durkee Rd., Cleveland, Tenn. m: Dean Lynn Giles, 10-17-1947. (b. 6-3-1931)
Ch: 1i. Leslie Belinda Hyberger, b. 1-23-1949.
2i. Valerie Suzette Hyberger, b. 10-9-1951.
3i. Allison Gale Hyberger, b. 4-18-1957.
2h. Reginald Gale Hyberger, b. 1-21-1931. W.W.II - Army. Grad. Univ. of Tenn., Attorney. Single. Res: Rt. #4, Durkee Rd., Cleveland, Tenn. Member Church of Christ.
- 5g. Sara Eliece Phillips, b. 2-7-1912. m: Hollace Priddy, 4-21-1941. (b. 2-23-1907) Member of Church of Christ. Used Car dealer and Owner of a Super Market and Service Station. Res: Rymer Apts., Cleveland, Tenn. Sara Eliece, D.A.R. #270244, Past Regent. No children of their own. Have adopted one boy.
- 6g. William Charles Phillips, b. 2-9-1919. m: Ruth Wilson, 2-8-1945. (b. 2-6-1925) Res: Dalton Pike, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Joe David Phillips, b. 12-20-1945.
2h. William Dale Phillips, b. 12-14-1951.
3h. Tomilee Anne Phillips, b. 2-23-1955.
- 6f. Katherine Mary Baugh, b. 9-19-1882. D.A.R. #270244. m: 1st: Henry Clay Curtis. Divorced.
Ch: 1g. Charles Lee Curtis, b. 9-17-1903. d. 9-22-1959. m: Juanita Pauline Day 1938. (b. 4-9-1904) Mrs. Curtis Res: 849 E. Liberty Dr., Mercedes, Texas. m: 2nd: Isaac ("Issie") Stokley Chadick, 5-31-1921. d. 7-3-1927. (b. 7-7-1887) Interred in Ebony Grove Cemetery, Mercedes, Texas. Mr. Chadick was born in Madison, Co., Ala. Res. in Mercedes, Tex. Res: Mrs. Chadick, 1960, P.O. Box 243 Cleveland, Tenn.
- 7f. Calla Elizabeth Baugh, b. 9-24-1887, Logan Co., Ark. m: William John Bailey, Jr., 6-11-1908. (b. 7-28-1882. d. 10-4-1942.) Mr. Bailey was a retired Army Officer of Cavalry, and was interred in the National Cemetery at Chattanooga, Tenn. Rank of Lieut. Retired 10-17-1926. Members of Christian Church. Res: of Mrs. Bailey: 633 W. 4th St., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. William John Bailey III, b. 1-15-1908. Adopted. His real name was Harry Bennett, b. at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. d. 6-20-1943. Interred in Hillcrest Cemetery, West Palm Beach, Fla. Served as Flight Officer C.A.P., at West Palm Beach, Fla. In civilian life was a U.S. Postal Employee. m: Evelyn Thomis, 2-27-1932. (b. 2-22-1908) Issue: one son, Eric Bennett Bailey, b. 9-23-1936, and who is a student at Fla. State Univ. at Tallahassee, and one daughter, Ardith Ann, b. 10-17-1935, d. same day.

- 8f. William Joseph Baugh, b. 6-14-1890. d. 12-24-1921. m: Jessie Grooms, 6-3-1910. (b. 6-7-1891) Mr. Baugh is interred at Prospect, near Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Juanita Baugh, b. 9-16-1916. m: Mr. Porter. Residing in Florida. No further data.
2g. William Joseph Baugh, II, b. 12-8-1918. m: Evelyn Ruth Arnold Love, 12-19-1946. (b. 2-19-1926) Res: Rt. #3, Dalton, Ga.
Ch: 1h. Brenda Sue Baugh, b. 2-12-1947.
- 9f. John Day Baugh, b. 9-10-1892, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Bonnie Jean Gould, 3-29-1914. (b. 8-23-1892) Mr. Baugh is in Fla. State Hosp. in Chattahoochee, a victim of tuberculosis. No issue.
- 5e. Dr. James Gilbert Goodner, * b. 8-20-1858. d. 7-10-1938. Interred in McClanhan Cemetery. Doctor and Farmer. Resided in 1925 in Georgetown, Tenn.
Wilburn Cartwright, in writing of his great Uncle James, states that he was considered a smart man, that he was a bachelor for some years, at which time he lived with Wilburn's parents, attending the mother in the births of Wilburn and three of his brothers and sisters. Besides being a doctor, traveling far and wide taking care of his patients, he was politically inclined, and was for eight years Registrar of Deeds in Meigs County, Tenn. Was the only one of Wilburn's relatives that was a Democrat. After his marriage, he bought a big farm along the river and kept 500 to 600 hives of bees, being greatly interested in bee culture, of which he liked to talk at length. He carried on big farming interests and raised a lot of mules. Was interested in logging and tan bark peeling. He had 10 or 12 yoke of oxen and a bunch of hands that would cut logs up in the hills, snake them down the creeks, float them to the river and put them in rafts, then float them down to Chattanooga and sell them to the mills. Wilburn Cartwright also wrote, "I remember very well Uncle Jim's hobby was fox hunting. When we would go to Uncle Jim's home there would be 30 or 40 old fox hounds and he loved to fox hunt and would hunt all night. I recall one of his experiences in fox hunting - he and his friends had been hunting most of the night and Uncle Jim was a crippled man. A pistol had gone off in his hip pocket and the bullet had gone through his foot and ankle and left him with a club foot and he limped. This night he couldn't keep up with the hounds. He fell in a hole, kind of a sink hole he thought in the wee hours of the morning and there were a lot of leaves in the hole and he was sleepy and tired, so he just lay there and slept until somebody fell in on him and woke him up. The hole turned out to be a sunken grave in an old cemetery and a crazy man that had escaped from an insane asylum was the one who fell in on him. I have always marveled at the versatility of Uncle Jim Goodner".
This is a very interesting and fascinating article on "Uncle Jim". He married Malissa Jane Boles, abt. 1891 or 1892. (b. 11-23-1869. d. 9-3-1937.)
Ch: 1f. Ider Belle Goodner, b. 7-19-1893. m: Jesse L. Lyle, 2-12-1911, Meigs Co., Tenn. (b. 6-8-1890, son of Jesse Jackson and Lydia Margaret Lyle, nee McNeese.) Mr. Lyle, born in Bradley Co., Tenn. Now retired. Deacon in Baptist Ch. Res: Charleston, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Ruby Lee Lyle, b. 11-22-1911, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: James Archibald Rogers, 11-23-1932. (b. 1-2-1911, son of James Benton and Nanny Rogers nee Johnson.) Res: Rt. #1, Calhoun, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Julia Ann Rogers, b. 7-9-1938, McMinn Co., Tenn.
2h. James Lyle Rogers, b. 2-2-1945, McMinn Co., Tenn.
3h. Paul Eugene Rogers, b. 8-27-1947, Bradley Co., Tenn.
2g. Jesse Gilbert Lyle, b. 3-19-1914, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: Stella Mae McDaniel, 12-23-1934. (b. 6-1-1917, Polk Co., Tenn., dau. Thomas and Sarah Jane McDaniel, nee Morgan) Res: Riceville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Harold David Lyle, b. 5-14-1934, McMinn Co., Tenn. m: Mary Rose Carr, 12-25-1955. (b. 3-11-1935, dau. Hubert and Nell Carr, nee Grisson.)
2h. Ruby Louise Lyle, b. 8-9-1936. McMinn Co., Tenn.
3h. Thomas Wayne Lyle, b. 3-19-1940. McMinn Co., Tenn.
3g. Daisy Helen Lyle, b. 5-17-1916, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: George Franklin Dowdy, 8-31-1953. (b. 7-24-1917, son of George Franklin and Maggie Dowdy, Sr., nee Womac.) Res: Rt. #2, Charleston, Tenn. No issue.
4g. Annie Opal Lyle, b. 10-20-1920, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Charles Fred Lowery, 2-24-1940. (b. 1-5-1918, McMinn Co., Tenn., son of Charles and Bertia Lowery, nee McIntosh.) Res: Charleston, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Lydia Faye Lowery, b. 4-10-1943, McMinn Co., Tenn.
2h. Helen Ramona Lowery, b. 12-25-1950, McMinn Co., Tenn.
5g. Myrtle Marie Lowery, b. 6-27-1923, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Robert Clifford Johnson, Jr., 7-17-1945. (b. 4-20-1921, son of Robert Clifford Johnson, Sr., and Hattie Ann Johnson, nee McIntosh.) Res: Rt. #1, Charleston, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Margaret Elaine Johnson, b. 9-4-1948, Bradley Co., Tenn.
6g. R.D. Lyle, b. 10-25-1925, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Millie Nell Pierce,

*See Appendix.

- 1-1-1949. (b. 6-15-1925, Bradley Co., Tenn., dau. Cline and Etta Pierce, nee Dugan.) Res: Charleston, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Pamela Gail Lyle, b. 10-26-1952, Bradley Co., Tenn.
 2h. Rockford Dee Lyle, b. 5-2-1955, Bradley Co., Tenn.
- 7g. Della Ramona Lyle, b. 12-5-1927, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Homer Earl Gilmore, 3-17-1956. (b. 9-16-1924, Hawkins Co., Tenn., son of Homer Edward and Bartha Gilmore, nee Foster.) Res: Charleston, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Douglas Lyle Gilmore, b. 12-21-1956.
- 2f. Nola Goodner, b. 10-9-1896, Big Springs, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Frank H. Holder, 7-5-1914. Farmer. Member Church of God. d. 12-25-1928. Res: Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Marqie Holder, b. 5-1-1915, Birchwood, Tenn. m: Freeman D. Munger, 1-7-1930.
 Ch: 1h. Johnie Eugene Munger, b. 4-1-1931. m: Else Moore, 3-16-1945. Res: Charleston, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Janice Patricia Munger, b. 1-24-1955.
 2i. Sheila Kay Munger, b. 1-24-1956.
 3i. Mikel Eugene Munger, b. 7-12-1957.
 2h. Shirley Ann Munger, b. 9-4-1936. m: L. C. Vamer, 9-30-1956. Res: Hixson, Tenn.
 3h. David Finley Munger, b. 2-14-1941.
 4h. Data Loretta Munger, b. 7-27-1952.
- 2g. Glenna Alice Holder, b. 5-2-1917. m: Luther D. Neeley, 8-17-1934. Res: Harrison, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Tomylee Neeley, b. 8-14-1935. m: David Brailey, 7-9-1955. Res: Harrison, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Deborah Kaye Brailey, b. 6-30-1956.
 2i. Joan Colleen Brailey, b. 5-24-1957.
 2h. Luther Dewayne Neeley, b. 7-8-1937. In military service, AF 146-30165, 328th Camron Richards Gabour AFB, Grandview, Mo. Single.
 3h. Doyle Wallace Neeley, b. 12-2-1939. Single. Res: Harrison, Tenn.
- 3g. Olga Lee Holder, b. ----, m: Boyd Reynolds. Res: North Gentry Rd., Chattanooga 6, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Donnie Roland Reynolds, b. 4-2-1940.
 2h. Jerry Dean Reynolds, b. 6-16-1941.
 3h. Boyd Kay Reynolds, b. 3-31-1943.
 4h. Gary Lynn Reynolds, b. 1-16-1950.
- 4g. Ray Calvin Holder, b. 2-12-1926, Birchwood, Tenn. m: 1st: Muriel Cooper, 2-5-1944. (Divorced 11-7-1948.)
 Ch: 1h. Willis Lee Holder, b. 2-28-1948.
 m: 2nd: Anna Mae Parker, 11-11-1949.
 Ch: 2h. Terecia Wyonette Holder, b. 11-7-1953.
 3h. Randa Calvin Holder, b. 7-27-1956.
- 5g. Frank Holder, Jr., b. 4-29-1929. In Military service. U. S. S. Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., 12 years. Instructor. m: 1st: Tomy Joan Walker, 11-23-1951. Divorced 6-20-1952.
 Ch: 1h. Sandra Lynn Holder, b. 9-23-1952.
 m: 2nd: Bobbie Jean Waddell, 5-2-1957.
 Ch: 2h. Frank Sidney Holder, b. 3-24-1958.
- Nola Goodner Holder m: 2nd: John Quincy Lewis, 7-1-1932, at Birchwood, Tenn. Res: Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 6g. Harvey L. Lewis, b. 7-1-1933. m: Josephine Farmer, 12-24-1952. Res: Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Harold Dewillis Lewis, b. 11-13-1953.
- 7g. Peggy Joyce Lewis, b. 8-16-1934. m: Roy P. Roark, 11-14-1952, Birchwood, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Paul Preston Roark, b. 8-23-1953.
 2h. Leisa Loraine Roark, b. 2-15-1958.
- 3f. William Andrew Goodner, b. 10-30-1897, d. 11-16-1934. Interred in Birchwood, Tenn. Farmer. m: Ruth A. Early, 7-20-1920, at Decatur, Ala., dau. of James (b. 1851, Ga.)
 Ch: 1g. Reba Goodner, b. 4-28-1921, Ala. m: Clifford Elders, 1-6-1942, Huntsville, Ala. Baptist. Machinist. (b. 12-15-1914, son of Robert) Res: Lacey Springs, Ala. No issue.
 2g. Frances Goodner, b. 8-23-1922, Lawrence Co., Ala. m: James R. McCut-

- cheon, 12-21-1940, Huntsville, Ala. (b. 9-8-1924, son of Clarence.) Member Church of God. Army from 2-21-1945 to 11-3-1946. Res: Rt. #1, Laceys Springs, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Barbara Ann McCutcheon, b. 8-15-1941. m: Joe David East, 6-9-1956. (b. 10-22-1935.) Air Conditioning and Heating Service Man. Res: Rt. #2, Huntsville, Ala.
Ch: 1i. Jackie Dale East, b. 5-12-1957.
2h. J. C. McCutcheon, b. 2-29-1948.
3h. Mary Ruth McCutcheon, b. 4-11-1949.
4h. Shirley Faye McCutcheon, b. 10-2-1952.
- 3g. Carl Edward Goodner, b. 3-15-1925, Decatur, Ala. Farmer. Single. Res: Laceys Springs, Ala.
- 4g. Juanita Goodner, b. 9-12-1926, Valhermoso Springs, Ala. m: Wilson Bolden, 12-23-1944. Farmer. Methodist. (b. 9-27-1919, son of Thomas) Army 3-15-1942 to 12-8-1944. Res: Rt. #3, Hartselle, Ala. No issue.
- 5g. Helen Goodner, b. 10-15-1929, Valhermoso Springs, Ala. m: William C. Maxwell, 5-5-1948, Iuka, Miss. (b. 2-17-1924, Somerville, Ala., son of Rex.) Served 3 years with Coast Guard. Occupation, Guard at Huntsville Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala. Methodist. Res: Somerville, Ala. Rt. #2. No issue.
- 6g. William A. Goodner, b. 8-27-1931, Valhermoso Springs, Ala. Military service - U.S. Air Force. Asst. Foreman Oscar Mayer Co., Chicago, Ill. m: Juanita Inez Dudley, 9-3-1955, at Iuka, Miss. (b. 12-1-1935, dau. of Webb Dudley.) Res: 1261 N. Wells St., Chicago, Ill. No issue.
- 7g. Nina Goodner, b. 5-12-1933, Valhermoso Springs, Ala. m: James Harris Maxwell, 8-31-1952, Iuka, Miss. (b. 10-18-1928, son of Rex.) Fork Lift Operator. Military service - Army. Methodist.
Res: Rt. #1, Laceys Springs, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Jonah Wiann Maxwell, b. 8-8-1953. d. 30 days.
2h. Edith Mae Maxwell, b. 11-11-1954.
3h. Carolyn Ann Maxwell, b. 9-29-1956, at Ft. Lewis, Wash.
4h. Jack Denese Maxwell, b. 10-28-1957.
- 8g. Lonnie D. Goodner, b. 3-5-1935. Single. In Armed Forces.
- 4f. James Gilbert Goodner, Jr., b. 5-4-1899. Farmer. Res: Birchwood, Tenn. m: Velma F. Cofer, 12-3-1922. (b. 7-30-1903.)
Ch: 1g. Eugene Goodner, b. 10-28-1923. W.W.II, - 30 months in Pacific Area in Navy. Volunteered 11-17-1942; discharged 10-6-1945. Moved to Ohio in 1947. Methodist. Mason. Operating Engineer. Res: Last address: , Bedford, Ohio. m: Mary Louise Wright, 8-8-1944, at Dalton, Ga. Dau. of Benjamin Houston Wright.
Ch: 1h. Connie Elane Goodner, b. 8-30-1956.
- 2g. James Gordon Goodner, b. 9-14-1927. Sheet Metal Worker for Western Union Telegraph Co. Res: 1200 N. Orchard Knob, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Mavis Moon, 6-17-1950, dau. James Benjamin and Nancy Moon. Her 2nd marriage. Had daughter by a previous marriage, named Judy Ann Saffel, b. 7-13-1944.
Ch: 1h. James Michael Goodner, b. 12-9-1957. Adopted.
- 3g. Virginia Ilene Goodner, b. 9-10-1925, Georgetown, Tenn. m: Henry K. Murray, 3-1-1947, Rossville, Ga. Son of James Scott Murray. Baptist. Served in Army 1945-1947. Res: 2016 Curtis St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Henrietta Kay Murray, b. 10-7-1948.
2h. Harvey Keith Murray, b. 7-1-1955.
3h. Helen Kathy Murray, b. 1-26-1957.
- 4g. Shirley Mae Goodner, b. 4-26-1936, Georgetown, Tenn. m: Marvin Lee Fowler, 12-17-1954, Rossville, Ga. Son of Mearse Lee Fowler. Printer. Res: 3010 Orton St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Donnie Lynn Fowler, b. 9-6-1955.
2h. Sharon Lee Fowler, b. 8-15-1957.
- 5f. Omer L. Goodner, b. 2-5-1901. d. 1-23-1958. Killed by the overturning of his tractor. Resided on farm along the Tenn. River, near Decatur, Tenn., Meigs Co. He was pulling stumps. Funeral services were held from the Concord Methodist Church. m: Cleo De Friese, 11-4-1922, Ringgold, Ga. (b. 10-12-1904, dau. of Joe De Friese)
Ch: 1g. Irene Goodner, b. 2-1-1929. m: F.A. Colloms, 4-27-1948, Dalton, Ga. (b. 6-20-1926, Riceville, Tenn., son of Edd Colloms.) Operating Engineer. Member of Church of Christ. Res: 400i Keller Ave., Oakland, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Vivian Colleen Colloms, b. 8-12-1955.
- 2g. J.D. Goodner, b. 9-11-1923, Tenn. Carpenter. Methodist. Navy, 1945-

1946. m: Dorothy Terrell, 12-21-1952. (b. 6-3-1930, Princeton, Ky.)
Married in Springfield, Tenn. Res: 5012 Calaveras Ave., Oakland 19, Calif.
No issue.
- 3g. William H. ("Boots") Goodner, b. 2-13-1926. With J.A. Jones Const. Co.,
Baghdad, Iraq. m: Edith Pressnell, who resides at Tazewell, Tenn., Box 74.
Ch: 1h. Charles Lee Goodner, b. 1-28-1950.
- 4g. David Ross Goodner, b. 4-15-1939, Meigs Co., Tenn. Single. Warehouse
Checker. Methodist. Res: Rt. #2, Decatur, Tenn.
- 5g. Doyliss Dean Goodner, b. 8-19-1932, Meigs Co., Tenn. Engineer on River
Transport. Methodist. m: Barbara Jean Jewell, 8-3-1954, Rossville, Ga.
(b. 2-2-1932, dau. Scott D. Jewell.) Res: Rt. #2, Decatur, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Stanley Scott Goodner, b. 10-31-1955.
- 6f. Robert Coleman Goodner, b. 10-31-1902, Meigs Co., Tenn. d. June 1958 from Can-
cer. Farmer. Baptist. m: Mattie Collins, 10-13-1926. (b. 12-28-1897, dau. Sam &
Nettie Collins.) Res: Birchwood, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Betty Grace Goodner, b. 12-20-1926. m: Luther C. Burdette. Res: Birch-
wood, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Betty Louise Burdette, b. 8-17-1950.
2h. Luther Randle Burdette, b. 8-9-1955.
- 2g. Robbie Dean Goodner, b. 1-27-1929. m: Taylor Cartwright. Res: Birch-
wood, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Patsy Jean Cartwright, b. 4-25-1953.
2h. Garry Cartwright, b. 5-23-1954.
- 3g. Robert Lee Goodner, b. 8-30-1930. m: Pearl Lucille Carter. Res: Rt. #1,
Birchwood, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Robert Goodner, b. 10-5-1954.
2h. Sheila Darline Goodner, b. 2-8-1957.
- 4g. John Wallace Goodner, b. 7-1-1932. Cabinet Operator at Gay Mfg. Co.,
Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Rt. #1, Birchwood, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Brenda Kay Goodner, b. 4-7-1955.
2h. Karen Sue Goodner, b. 7-20-1957.
- 5g. Leo Franklin Goodner, b. 1-8-1934. d. 12-11-1945.
- 6g. William Thomas Goodner, b. 2-21-1936.
- 7g. Dorothy Louise Goodner, b. 12-14-1937. Res: 1710 Stanfiel, Chatt., Tenn.
- 8g. Barbara Sue Goodner, b. 12-31-1940.
- 7f. Duster Orlean Goodner, b. 12-24-1903. Machinist. Baptist. m: Nettie Marie Pierce,
9-11-1923, Birchwood, Tenn. (b. 9-9-1903, dau. Charles Pierce.) Res: Birchwood,
Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Garnett Goodner, b. 3-29-1929. m: Duane Lee Everett. (b. 5-6-1927.)
Res: Georgetown, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Darrell Gene Everett, b. 8-19-1948.
2h. David Lee Everett, b. 8-8-1952.
3h. Deric Lew Everett, b. 2-27-1957.
- 2g. Mildred Pansy Goodner, b. 8-15-1931. m: Charles Royce Massey (b. 7-
14-1929) Res: Rising Fawn, Ga. Rt. #3. No issue.
- 3g. Sammie Goodner, b. 7-15-1934. m: Isabella Cunningham. Res: 5456
63rd Pl., Chicago, Ill. (b. 12-14-1938.) No issue.
- 4g. Doris June Goodner, b. 7-26-1937. m: Jack L. Caldwell. Res: 40 St. Mary
St., Van Buren, Maine. No issue.
- 5g. James Dennie Goodner, b. 5-15-1943.
- 6g. Stevie Edward Goodner, b. 2-14-1947. Res: 1958: 1103 Lang St. S.E.,
Cleveland, Tenn.
- 8f. Alva Mae Goodner, b. 1-6-1907, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Leo Morgan, 12-20-
1928, Dayton, Tenn., son of Jess. d. 2-3-1932.
Ch: 1g. Naomi Irene Morgan, b. 9-28-1929. m: Dennis Brown, 10-4-1952. Res:
3011 Wilcox Blvd., Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.
2g. Juanita Imogene Morgan, b. 10-30-1931. m: William Hall.
Ch: 1h. William Morgan Hall, b. 5-13-1956.
m: 2nd: Ed. Selvidge, 3-20-1939, Rossville, Ga. Farmer. Baptist. Son of John C. Sel-
vidge. Res: Birchwood, Tenn. No issue.
- 9f. Ruth M. Goodner, b. 7-28-1908, Big Springs, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: Cecil Gregory
Spurlin (Son of James Hix Spurlin) d. 10-8-1956. Farmer and Well Driller. Protestant.
Res: Grandview, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Grady Lewis Spurlin, b. 3-15-1927, Georgetown, Tenn. Meigs Co. Res:
Rt. #1, Georgetown, Tenn.
2g. Toby Spurlin, b. 4-6-1930, Georgetown, Tenn. m: James Sewell Bristow,

- 10-5-1946. Res: Rt. #1, Crossville, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Rhoda Ruth Bristow, b. 7-11-1947, Crossville, Cumberland Co., Tenn.
 2h. Syble Jean Bristow, b. 12-16-1948, Crossville, Cumberland Co., Tenn.
- 3g. J. C. Spurlin, b. 1-1-1934, Pikeville, Bledsoe Co., Tenn. m: Bertie Lois Martin, 9-19-1956. Res: Rt. #1, Grandview, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Dwight Keith Spurlin, b. 2-13-1958, Rockwood, Roane Co., Tenn.
- 4g. Sidney D. Spurlin, b. 6-19-1937, Georgetown, Tenn.
 5g. Luther Reuben Spurlin, b. 4-23-1929, Birchwood, Meigs Co., Tenn.
 6g. Gloria Jane Spurlin, b. 12-1-1943, Georgetown, Tenn.
 7g. Johnnie Ray Spurlin, b. 3-11-1945, Ten Mile, Roane Co., Tenn.
 8g. Lynn Spurlin, b. 6-29-1947, Grandview, Tenn. Dec'd.
 9g. Linda Spurlin, b. 6-29-1947. Twin of Lynn. b. Grandview, Tenn.
- 10f. John Jackson Goodner, b. 8-18-1910, Big Springs, Meigs Co., Tenn. Diesel Engineer. Baptist. W.W.II, Navy Jan. 1943 to March 1944. Res: Cleveland, Tenn. m: Willie Kay Morrow, 1-26-1935 at Charleston, Tenn., dau. Jesse James Morrow.
 Ch: 1g. Mildred Eloise Goodner, b. 10-18-1935. m: Charles Raymond Burke, 3-7-1958. Res: 1203 Fairway Dr., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
 2g. Stella Mae Goodner, b. 3-2-1937.
 3g. James Gilbert Goodner, b. 3-3-1938.
 4g. Wanda Sue Goodner, b. 4-26-1942.
 5g. David Michael Goodner, b. 2-11-1957.
- 6e. Walter L. Goodner, b. 6-28-1867, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 4-24-1958, in Cleveland, Tenn., at his residence 770 Berry St., at the ripe old age of 90 years and 10 months approximately. He was a farmer all his working years, and a member of the Church of God. Interred in Prospect Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Mary Genkins, 5-29-1895. (b. 1-13-1874, dau. William Genkins.)
 Ch: 1f. Rosa Nena Goodner, b. 5-4-1897, Meigs Co., Tenn. m: William A. Mullinax, 7-2-1921, Cleveland, Tenn. Retired. (b. 6-30-1892, son of Frank Mullinax.) Members of Church of God. Res: 1080 Euclid Ave., S.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Evelyn Mullinax, b. 6-30-1922. d. 7-1-1922.
 2g. Carl Eugene Mullinax, b. 5-15-1923. m: Rosie Jenkins. Res: 11013 Western Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.
 Ch: 1h. Wanda Lee Mullinax, b. 2-20-1947.
 2h. Pamela Jean Mullinax, b. 7-15-1955.
 3g. Annie Onita Mullinax, b. 11-7-1924. d. 10-29-1926.
 4g. Fred Mullinax, b. 6-24-1926.
 5g. Dilla Lillian Mullinax, b. 3-13-1928. m: Hershale Guinn. Res: Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
 6g. Artis Lee Mullinax, b. 8-29-1932. m: Rosie A. Craig. Res: 1418 W. Bethune, Detroit 2, Mich.
 Ch: 1h. Rita Euonne Mullinax, b. 1-24-1956.
 2h. Rhonda Gail Mullinax, b. 3-13-1958.
 7g. Walter F. Mullinax, b. 4-17-1934. m: Barbara Tinsley. Res: 1080 Euclid Ave., S.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Jeanne Marie Mullinax, b. 11-28-1957.
 8g. Avril Ruth Mullinax, b. 11-5-1936. m: Charles O. Millsaps.
 9g. Nilla Fay Mullinax, b. 12-31-1938. m: Monty Chadwick.
 10g. Randall L. Mullinax, b. 9-17-1940.
- 2f. Zollie Gennet Goodner, b. 1-20-1899, Tenn. m: B. M. Spencer, 7-16-1921. (b. 12-24-1895. d. 2-7-1958. Son of Kale.) Member Church of God. Res: Rt. #2, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Marrie Spencer, b. 6-20-1922. m: Floyd Officer. Res: 15th St., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. David Linn Officer, b. 2-10-1942.
 2h. Joy Leouse Officer, b. 11-17-1945.
 3h. Dennis Officer, b. 6-20-1952.
- 3f. Maggie Goodner, b. 7-25-1910, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Chester Payne, 3-18-1927. Res: 730 N.E. 8th St., Cleveland, Tenn. Foreman Street Crew. Mem. Church of God.
 Ch: 1g. Eleace Elizabeth Payne, b. 9-26-1930. m: Ralph Davis, 8-5-1950. (b. 5-15-1928, son of Martin) Stove Mounter. Members Church of God. Res: Benton Pike, City 8, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Danny E. Davis, b. 5-19-1951.
 2h. Sharon E. Davis, b. 1-5-1954.
 3h. Ricky A. Davis, b. 4-29-1955.
 2g. Lois Bonita Payne, b. 5-4-1933. m: Robert Kaylor, 9-17-1950. (b. 11-6-

- 1929, son of Glen) Employed in Cocoa Cola Plant in Cleveland, Tenn.
Res: 420 1st. St. N.W., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Mitchell Eugene Kaylor, b. 11-6-1955.
- 3g. Edna Marie Payne, b. 1-7-1935. m: Aubry McLain, 11-23-1952, Rossville, Ga. (b. 8-8-1929, son of C.H.) Truck Driver. Served in Army 6 years.
Res: Rt. #3, Georgetown Pike, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Givenona Lee McLain, b. 7-4-1955.
- 4g. Cleta Mae Payne, b. 12-27-1938. m: Thomas Smith, 5-1-1956, Ringgold, Ga. (b. 10-19-1933, son of Joseph H.) Welder. Navy - 4 years. Members Church of God.
Ch: 1h. Thomas Smith, Jr., b. 9-2-1957.
- 5g. Dewayne Payne, b. 10-3-1947.
- 4f. Arnie Arlenia Goodner, b. 11-9-1912, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Hobart Underwood, 4-28-1928, Bradley Co., Tenn. (b. 4-12-1905, son of John.) Molder. Baptist. Res: 870 Berry St., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Sarah Sue Underwood, b. 12-2-1934. m: Thomas J. Bunch, 12-25-1953. Res: Rt. #2, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Reta Arlenia Bunch, b. 1-13-1956.
- 2g. John L. Underwood, b. 7-9-1929, m: Barbara Benota Bryant, 2-27-1948. Res: Georgetown Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. John Dewitt Underwood, b. 8-9-1948.
2h. Lara Ann Underwood, b. 12-6-1952.
3h. Nancey Renee Underwood, b. 5-5-1956.
4h. Judy Kaye Underwood, b. 1-6-1954.
- 3g. Bobby Edward Underwood, b. 6-29-1937.
- 4g. Hugh Russell Underwood, b. 1-23-1941.
- 5g. Martha Dean Underwood, b. 12-8-1944.
- 5f. Curtis Luther Goodner, b. 6-16-1915, Bradley Co., Tenn. He and his family separated. Whereabouts unknown. m:-----
Ch: 1g. Wilma Sue Goodner
2g. Mary Goodner
3g. Ruby Lee Goodner
4g. Franklin Goodner
5g. Curtis Luther Goodner, Jr.
6g. Ronney Goodner
7g. Tommy Goodner
8g. Jimmy Goodner
9g. Benny Goodner
- 7e. Samuel Houston Goodner, b. abt. 1869-70. It is reported that he transgressed the law, particulars not known, and that he died in a penitentiary in Arkansas. It is not known whether he married and had a family or not.
- 11d. George Washington Goodner, b. 1-15-1825. Carried the nickname "Pompy". Farmer. Lived about 7 mi. east of Cleveland, Tenn. Died of old age. Interred in Leabon Cemetery, across the road from the Leabon Baptist Church, which is located about one-half mile from his old home, and about 2 miles from where Buford M. Goodner now lives. m: Nellie Wilson. There is some question about the name of his wife. Buford M. Goodner writes that his father said that her maiden name was Dickson.
Ch: 1e. Martha E. Goodner, b. 12-25-1847. m: 1st: James A. Kincheloe.
Ch: 1f. Nannie Kincheloe. m: Mike Ball of Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Alice Ball. m: Mr. Wood, a plasterer.
2f. Mary Kincheloe. m: Pink Stevenson of Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Maude Stevenson
2g. Viola Stevenson
3g. Joe Stevenson
Martha E. Goodner m: 2nd: Tobe Goins by whom there was no issue.
- 2e. Mary Ann Goodner, b. 6-21-1849. m: Lewis Clark. Reported to me to have lived at Nearden, Tenn., but no such place appears on the map today. Had two girls, whereabouts unknown. Mrs. Bonnie Upchurch Cruise writes that Mary Ann died at the ripe old age of 98. Place of interment unknown.
- 3e. Cyrus Goodner, b. 3-8-1851. d. 12-9-1932. Farmer. Resided in Bradley Co., Tenn., on Benton Pike, about 8 mi. from Cleveland. m: Jane Brewer, 1-4-1872. (b. 7-18-1847. d. 1-7-1915/6)
Ch: 1f. Thomas Reuben Goodner, b. 12-2-1872. d. 1-10-1953. Farmer and Cattle Raiser. Resided on Rt. #8, Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Leatha Almer Fulbright, dau. of Miles Fulbright. She died 1900. Methodist.
Ch: 1g. Eula Goodner, b. 1-12-1896, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Oliver True Carson, 2-6-1915. (b. 1-6-1895)
Ch: 1h. Leatha E. Carson, b. 6-2-1916. m: James Sterling Cuffman,

- 11-15-1935. Zeb Graves, foster father. Painter. Members Ch. of Christ. Res: 1003 Willow St., N.W., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Leatha Lucille Cuffman, b. 8-30-1936. m: John Luther Mitchell, 12-20-1956. (b. 1937)
 Ch: 1j. Melinda Gail Mitchell, b. 10-22-1957, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Leatha res: 224-1/2 W. 12th St., Anderson, Ind.
 2i. James Sterling Cuffman, Jr., b. 8-8-1938. d. 8-9-1938.
 3i. Nancy Clene Cuffman, b. 11-28-1940.
 2h. John Thomas Carson, b. 3-24-1918. d. 3-12-1945. m: Margaret McDonald, 8-22-1938, dau. D. Albert McDonald. Res: widow: Cecil St., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Betty Jo Carson, b: 1-22-1941.
- Eula Goodner m: 2nd: Ralph R. Crone. Res: 2115 Peerless Rd. Clev., Tenn.
 2g. Miles Ernest Goodner, b. 11-3-1897. Has Electrical Supply Business, and also is an Electrical Contractor. Res: Annandale Park, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Callie E. Howard, 8-11-1918. (b. 8-6-1900, Polk Co., Tenn., dau. Wilse and Alice Howard, nee Fortner) Baptists.
 Ch: 1h. Sibyle Goodner, b. 10-2-1919, Ocoee, Tenn m: Charles L. Masters, 7-3-1939. (d. 9-28-1956) Merchant. Baptists: Res: 207 Jackson Ave., Carthage, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Elizabeth Ann Masters, b. 8-17-1940, Clev., Tenn.
 2h. Mildred Goodner, b. 11-13-1922, Benton, Tenn. m: Thomas C. Childers, 10-25-1941. Contractor and Merchant. Baptist. Served as Capt. in U.S. Air Force in both W.W.II and Korean Campgn. Res: Pine Dr., Sullivan Addition, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Thos. Clifford Childers, b. 12-10-1946, Clev., Tenn.
 3h. Howard Goodner, b. 3-2-1924, Etowah, Tenn. Was in U.S. Air Force, W.W.II. Killed 4-21-1945 in B-24 bombing mission over Regensburg, Germany. Single.
 4h. James Ernest Goodner, b. 8-6-1926, at Etowah, Tenn. Ass't. Auditor of the American National Bank, Chattanooga, Tenn. Single. Episcopalian.
- Thomas Reuben Goodner, m: 2nd: Lou Anna McBrien, (b. 2-21-1877. d. 9-8-1955) dau. of John McBrien.
 Ch: 3g. Johnnie Alma Goodner, b. 7-7-1904. d. 3-21-1958. m: Joseph William Prince, 6-9-1929, Cleve., Tenn. (d. 3-7-1942) Res: Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Joseph Clyde Prince, b. 4-4-1930. m: Ina Edgerton, 4-4-1951. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Ina Therese Prince, b. 10-17-1952.
 2i. Evelyn Marie Prince, b. 12-23-1954.
- 4g. Edna Jewell Goodner, b. 7-4-1905, on Springfield Rd., near Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: William Felix Humberd, 12-23-1929, Cleveland, Tenn., by Rev. Samuel Melton. Shovel Operator. Baptists. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. James Edward Humberd, b. 10-28-1930.
- 5g. Syrus Waymond Goodner, b. 8-4-1907. Farmer and Public Works Employee Baptist. m: Alice Humberd, 9-25-1927. (d. 3-17-1956.) Res: Straw Hill Rd., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Mary Frances Goodner, b. 10-18-1929. m: Blain Reagon. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Larrey Reagon
 2i. Jerry Reagon
 3i. John Reagon
 4i. Sarah Ann Reagon
 2h. Charles Homer Goodner, b. 9-8-1931. m: Elizabeth Faller. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Mary Ruth Goodner
 2i. Joyce Alice Goodner
 3h. Nancy Ann Goodner, b. 9-20-1939. m: James H. Leadford. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 6g. Claude Anderson Goodner, b. 10-1-1909, Bradley Co., Tenn. Employed by Cleveland Casket Co., Cleveland, Tenn. m: Della Marie Millard, 3-24-1940, dau. of Mrs. Lou Zena Millard. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Reba Dean Goodner, b. 6-5-1943, Bradley Co., Tenn.

- 7g. Ruth Estella Goodner, b. 12-12-1911, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Nay S. Rogers, 6-23-1933. (b. 7-15-1905. d. 6-19-1955, son of John Henry & Maude Baker Rogers) Was an Electrical Contractor and Owner of a Hardware Store. Was member of National Guard. Res: 1904 Georgetown Pike, Clev., Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Reuben John Rogers, b. 12-10-1934.
2h. Edward Jackson Rogers, b. 5-21-1936. m: Barbara Carlton, 7-15-1956.
Ch: 1i. Edward Jackson Rogers, Jr., b. 9-7-1957.
3h. Nora Ney Rogers, b. 7-16-1941. Twin of Dara.
4h. Dara Ruth Rogers, b. 7-16-1941. Twin of Nora.
5h. Nay S. Rogers, Jr., b. 1-18-1943.
6h. Robert Thomad Rogers, b. 4-7-1949.
- 8g. Theresa Agnes Goodner, b. 3-2-1914, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Thomas Gilbreath, 12-14-1938, Cleveland, Tenn., son of Wyatt and Rebecca Gilbreath.) Carpenter. Baptists. Res: 323 3rd. St., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Evelyn Ann Gilbreath, b. 11-18-1941, Cleveland, Tenn.
- 9g. Pearl Goodner, b. 9-22-1917, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Norris W. Smith, 10-9-1937, Cleveland, Tenn., son of Dave. Res: Straw Hill Rd., Cleveland, Tenn. Box 247. Well Driller. Methodists.
Ch: 1h. Wilma Pearl Smith, b. 11-4-1938.
2h. Betty Lou Smith, b. 10-15-1940.
3h. Barbara Faye Smith, b. 5-21-1943.
4h. Wanda Kaye Smith, b. 3-15-1946.
- 2f. Gerome Lee Goodner, b. 9-9-1876. Farmer and Carpenter. Methodist. Res: R. R., Chilcutt, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Ada Fullbright, (b. 1-10-1870. d. 11-10-1955) Ada was the dau. of Miles Fullbright, who was a son of J.C. and Pollie Fullbright. J.C. Miles and his oldest son were Civil War Veterans, both in the Battle of Chicamauga. The oldest son was killed in that battle. They were in the Union Forces. Miles was captured by the Confederates and inducted into the Confederate service, at which time he was under age. Later ran away and rejoined the Union Army when they were in close proximity, but he never became united with his father and brother, although he did find their quarters (together) in Chattanooga, before the Battle of Chicamauga, but they were out. Miles later volunteered to go West and fight against the Indians. Was honorably discharged from Co. I Volunteer Infantry. Miles was born 4-28-1842. His wife, S.A. was born 11-4-1849. Data given by Buford M. Goodner.
Ch: 1g. Buford Miller Goodner, b. 2-2-1897. Machinist and Millwright. Served in W.W.I. - Navy. m: Ruth Tallent, 6-17-1943, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 5-10-1920, dau. Quintin Alvin Tallent of Rhea Springs, Tenn.) Res: Rt. #5, Box 179, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch. 1h. Irene Goodner, b. 10-27-1944.
2h. Quintin Jerome Goodner, b. 4-9-1947.
- 2g. Tella Jane Goodner, b. 8-22-1899, Cleveland, Tenn. m: William Clarence Radcliffe, 3-9-1918, Cleveland, Tenn. Stationary Engineer. Methodist. W.W.I. - Infantry. (b. 6-27-1897, son of J.H. Radcliffe.) Res: 14056 Asbury Park, Detroit 27, Mich.
Ch: 1h. Virginia Lee Radcliffe, b. 10-23-1919, Lynch, Ky. m: Harry Clifton Fischer. (b. 7-1-1917) Later divorced.
Ch: 1i. Harry Clifton Fischer, Jr., b. 7-23-1941.
2i. William George Fischer, b. 8-10-1943.
3i. Robert James Fischer, b. 12-5-1945.
4i. Douglas C. Fischer, b. 12-12-1946.
Virginia m: 2nd: Lloyd A. Randles, abt. 1954 or 1955. Res: Rt. #2, Canal Winchester, Ohio.
Ch: 5i. Ann Randles, b. 5-27-1956.
- 2h. Marion Aileen Radcliffe, b. 3-26-1922, Dearborn, Mich. m: Lawrence Ernest Rouble, Jr., A Capt. in the U.S. Air Force. Res: Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, N.M. No issue.
- 3h. Jean Elizabeth Radcliffe, b. 7-25-1924. m: Francis Joseph Jones. Res: 16573 Griggs, Detroit, Mich.
Ch: 1i. Howard Alton Jones, b. 4-23-1947.
2i. Brian Clay Jones, b. 2-16-1952.
3i. Jeff Francis Jones, b. 2-19-1954.
- 4h. Priscilla Jane Radcliffe, b. 11-16-1929. m: Willard Kenneth Splittstoesser. Res; 15011 Penrod, Detroit, Mich.
Ch: 1i. Willard Kenneth Splittstoesser, Jr., b. 9-12-1947.
2i. Clyde Lewis Splittstoesser, b. 9-19-1950.

- 3i. Tella Jane Splittstoesser, b. 2-26-1952.
 4i. Lynn D. Splittstoesser, b. 9-27-1954.
- 3g. Margaret Goodner, b. 1-10-1903, Cleveland, Tenn. m: William H. McFadden, 11-24-1927, Chattanooga, Tenn. W.W.I. Electrician. (b. 10-7-1894, son of W.H. McFadden of Richburg, S.C.) Member First Presbyterian Church. Res: 450 1st. St. S.E., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 4g. Ruby Kate Goodner, b. 4-6-1905, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Francis Geren, 12-30-1925, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 12-5-1903, son of Asa L. Geren and Nanie Geren, nee Lusk) Mechanic. Methodists. Res: Rt. #5, Box 179, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Harold Lusk Geren, b. 10-25-1926. m: Montrey Flummer, at Birmingham, Ala. Res: 4411 Church St., Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Harold Lusk Geren, Jr., b. 6-9-1948.
 2i. Tanna Geren, b. 4-4-1952.
 2h. Kay Frances Geren, b. 12-30-1934. m: Leonard Jackson Hancock, at Rossville, Ga. Farmer. Res: Rt. #5, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Leonard Shane Hancock, b. 7-30-1954.
 2i. William Keith Hancock, b. 11-3-1955.
- 5g. Gerome Lee Goodner, Jr., b. 11-14-1909. d. 9-13-1949. W.W.II, Navy. Was Gas Sta. Operator, Cleve., Tenn. m: Drucilla Hawk, (b. 6-17- , Cleveland, Tenn., dau. Gideon & Ethel) Mrs. Goodner res: Clearwater, Fla., 1760 Largo Rd.
 Ch: 1h. Charlotte Goodner, b. 1-14-1932. m: A.B. Buchanan. Res: 1760 Largo Rd., Clearwater, Fla.
 2h. Janet Goodner, b. 11-6-1938. Single. Res: 435 S. Orange, Orlando.
- 6g. Sarah Evelyn Goodner, b. 2-15-1912, d. 5-17-1952. m: Karl Reber of Detroit, Mich. (b. 3-4-1914, son of Ralph W. and Lena V. Reber.) Married in Detroit 8-17-1935. Lieut. Commander Navy W.W.II. Metallurgist. Methodist. Res: Mr. Reber: 31 Mt. Lebanon Blvd., Pittsburgh 28, Pa.
 Ch: 1h. Gerald Lee Reber, 8-31-1939, Wyandotte, Mich. Single.
 2h. Karlee Karen Reber, b. 8-8-1944, Detroit, Mich.
- 3f. Caswell J. Goodner, b. 11-27-1878. d. 2-26-1942. Interred in Tasso, Tenn. Teacher. Methodist. m: Sylvia Sartin, 7-13-1902. (b. 12-18-1880. d. 8-1-1916. Interred in Eureka, Bradley Co., Tenn., dau. John T. Sartin.) Res: Rt. #7, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Dora Emilie Goodner, b. 7-12-1903, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: G.L. Kirkpatrick, 11-24-1921, Knoxville, Tenn. d. 8-4-1952, son of C.S. Kirkpatrick.) Was Secretary and Treasurer of Acme Lumber & Supply Co., Dalton, Ga. Member First Baptist Church. Widow resides in Dalton, Ga.
 Ch: 1h. Dorothy Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, b. 1-27-1923. Girl Scout Exec. Grad. of Brennan College, Class of 1944. Member First Methodist Church. Single. Res: 1101 East Moorehead St., Charl., S.C.
 2h. George L. Kirkpatrick, b. 5-26-1929. Asst. Supt. Crown Cotton Mills, Dalton, Ga. Served 3 years as Instructor at Ft. Benning, Ga. Grad. Georgia Inst. of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., 1950. Textile Engineer. Member of First Methodist Church. Res: 406 N. Thornton Ave., Dalton, Ga. m: Mary Sarah Fletcher, of Rome, Ga., 9-15-1956. No issue: 1958.
- 2g. Ann Victoria Goodner, b. 10-21-1909, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Sam. L. Kibler, 7-29-1927, Cleveland, Tenn., at the Presbyterian Manse. Farmer. Member of Bible Baptist Church (b. 5-13-1904, Cleveland, Tenn.) Res: 2304 Ave. C., S.W., Winter Haven, Fla.
 Ch: 1h. Mary Ann Kibler, b. 11-13-1929. m: John Lawrence Boyd, 12-22-1951, Cleveland, Tenn. Farmer. Members Waterville Baptist Church. Res: Rt. #1, Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1i. Betty Kay Boyd, b. 6-22-1953.
 2i. Audie Victoria ("Vickie") Boyd, b. 6-12-1956.
 3i. Sylvia Arita Boyd, b. 10-31-1957.
 2h. Jane Elizabeth Kibler, b. 5-1-1939, Student 1958, Bob Jones Univ., Greenville, S.C.
- 3g. Claxton J. Goodner, b. 9-20-1911, Bradley Co., Tenn. Mortician. Partner in the Goodner Funeral Home, Cleveland, Tenn. Res: Worth St., Cleveland, Tenn. m: Elizabeth Ledford, 5-24-1947, dau. Judd L. Ledford. No issue.
- 4g. Kibler Syrus Goodner, b. 11-7-1913, Bradley Co., Tenn. Mortician. Partner with his brother, Claxton, in the Goodner Funeral Home of Cleveland, Tenn. m: Virginia Kirkpatrick. (b. 4-26-1920, dau. D.G. and Elizabeth Kirkpatrick.) Res; Worth St., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.

- 4f. Willis Carl Goodner, b. 6-17-188-, Bradley Co., Tenn. Dairyman and Farmer. Member Cumberland Presbyterian Church. m: Corda Belle Bishop, 8-7-1901, in McMinn Co., Tenn. (b. 12-12-1873. d. 5-12-1954, dau. James Monroe Bishop and Elizabeth Bishop, nee Clarke.) Res: Rt. #5, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Mary Jane Goodner, b. 10-20-1910, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Carl Herman McQueen, 5-6-1933, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 12-1-1912, son of Bertie Reece McQueen.) Service Mgr. Baptists. Res: 310 Penn Ave., Clearwater, Fla.
Ch: 1h. Janice Karl McQueen, b. 2-10-1934, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Jack W. Lollis. Res: 2 Rodney Ave., Greenville, S.C.
2h. Carolyn Maxine McQueen, b. 3-8-1939, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: James Alfred Mason. Res: 1570 S. Mich. Ave., Clear., Fla.
Ch: 1i. Carolyn Laverne Mason, b. 9-7-1957, Clear., Fla.
- 2g. Tennie Bell Goodner, b. 3-26-1912, Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: John Willie Trotter, 1-28-1939, Cleveland, Tenn. Res: Rt. #5, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Thomas William Trotter, b. 12-8-1939, Bradley Co., Tenn.
2h. Vestal Burns Trotter, b. 11-19-1940, Bradley Co., Tenn.
- 5f. Marcenis J. Goodner, b. 8-19-1884. d. 4-11-1888.
Cyrus Goodner m: 2nd: Eliza Isabell Ferguson, 5-9-1916. (b. 1-7-1876. d. 2-9-1955) No issue.
- 4e. John Harvey Goodner, b. 12-25-1852. d. 5-7-1917, Interment Lebanon, Bradley Co., Tenn. Farmer. Resided in Polk Co., Tenn. m: Esther Ann Samples, 3-15-1877. (b. 5-16-1858, Blount Co., Tenn. d. 12-14-1928, Interment Lebanon, Bradley Co., Tenn.)
Ch: 1f. Naomi Jane Goodner, b. 2-23-1878. d. 10-4-1938. m: John Crewse, June 1900. Farmer. Baptists. Resided in Polk Co., Tenn. No issue.
2f. Vallie Ann Goodner, b. 2-16-1880, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: L. Boyd Mason, 1898. (b. 2-19-1876, d. 7-9-1946. Interred near Ocoee, Tenn. Son of Edwin Mason.) Farmer. Baptists. Vallie Goodner Mason res. at 2 Giles St., Athens, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. L. Boyd Mason, Jr., b. 2-19-1917, Ocoee, Polk Co., Tenn. Attorney, with offices in Hays Bldg., Athens, Tenn. Baptist. Res: Athens, Tenn. m: Betty Sewell, 11-6-1954. (b. 6-14-1932, dau. Robert.) No issue.
- 3f. Ollie Ethel Goodner, b. 12-18-1883, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: C.H. McGrew, 5-4-1913, Polk Co., Tenn. Farmer. (b. 5-19-1878. d. 5-24-1949.) Methodists. Res: R.R., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 4f. Thomas Straley Goodner, b. 8-18-1886, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 6-4-1957, Nahunta, Ga. Interment in Waycross, Ga. Telegraph Operator. Baptist. m: Charlotte Jane Cate, 10-18-1909. (b. 2-4-1890, dau. Felix and Mary Cate.) Res: Nahunta, Ga.
Ch: 1g. J. Vance Goodner, b. 4-18-1912. m: Lurlie Ham, Aug. 1940. Baptists. Res: Crawfordsville, Ga.
Ch: 1h. James Vance Goodner, b. 8-28-1946.
2h. Dera Ann Goodner, b. 9-4-1948.
- 2g. Dorothy Cate Goodner, b. 3-26-1916. m: John Butler Graham. Killed in auto accident 4-4-1953. Dorothy Goodner Graham res. in Nahunta, Ga.
Ch: 1h. Charles Thomas Graham, b. 11-9-1948.
- 3g. Bill Goodner, b. 9-4-1918, Polk Co., Tenn. Baptist. Certified Public Accountant. m: Vivian S. Cotton, 9-19-1947, dau. Gilford and Barbara Jane Cotton. Res: 2855 Thornhill Rd., Birmingham, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Eleanor Jane Goodner, b. 7-29-1950.
2h. John Thomas Goodner, b. 11-24-1953.
- 4g. Mary Ann Goodner, b. 2-2-1929. Single. Res: 2420 Peachtree Rd., N. W., Apt. D19, Atlanta, Ga.
- 5f. Dr. Buford B. Goodner, b. 9-8-1896. d. 10-25-1957. Dentist. Practiced many yrs. in Ocoee, Polk Co., Tenn. Grad. Southern Dental College, now College of Dentistry of Emory Univ., in 1919. Post Grad. work at Columbia Univ. Former Health Director of Polk Co., Member Third District Dental Assn. of Tenn. Interred in Goodner Cemetery in Ocoee, Tenn. Never married.
- 6f. Lennie Louise Goodner, b. 2-12-1892, Polk Co., Tenn. d. 4-4-1928, Chattanooga, Tenn. Interment in Lebanon, Tenn. m: George Wilson, Teacher in Polk Co. schools.
Ch: 1g. Louise Goodner Wilson. m: Joe Bill Fields. Res: Ocoee, Tenn.
2g. Christine Goodner Wilson, b. 12-17-1923, Ducktown, Tenn. m: William H. Minnix, 3-16-1947, Savannah, Ga. Son of Walter G. and Onna Odell (Powell) Minnix. Proprietor of Minnix Ins. Agency, located at 9808 S. Dixie Highway, Miami, Fla. Res: 8040 S.W. 36th St., Miami, Fla. Mr. Minnix served in W.W.II, in Army. Members Wayside Baptist Church.
Ch: 1h. William Henry Minnix, Jr., b. 8-14-1954.
2h. Rebekah Christine Minnix, b. 6-23-1957.

- 5e. Emeline Goodner, b. 12-18-1854, d. 6-29-1942. m: William Palmer, 1870. (b. 12-15-1851. d. 9-3-1926) Farmer. Baptists. Resided in or near Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. Ernest Palmer, d. age 2 years.
 2f. Samuel Palmer, d. age 7 years.
 3f. John Levi Palmer, b. 10-6-1875, d. 10-12-1956. m: Clara Virginia Gordon. (b. 11-6-1879, d. 3-31-1956. Interred in Ft. Hill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Pledger Palmer. Died while small.
 2g. Lillie Palmer,) Twins. Both died while quite small.
 3g. Lester Palmer,)
 4g. Lennie Palmer, b. 1-25-1907. m: Nathan Holt Renslow, 6-24-1924. (b. 2-27-1906, son of Nathan Renslow.) Machinist. Members Church of God. Res: 4101 Alabama Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Lois Renslow, b. 6-14-1929. Used the name of Ingram, for reasons unknown to writer. Res: 1843 Chancer Dr., Cinn. 37, O. m: Robert E. Webber, 2-3-1949, Rossville, Ga. (b. 4-16-1928, son of William.) Mathematician. Protestant. Army 1946-1949.
- Ch: 1i. David Edward Webber, b. 8-29-1949.
 2i. Billy Wayne Webber, b. 1-29-1951.
 3i. Debra Elaine Webber, b. 5-3-1957.
 4i. Robert Michael Webber, b. 7-12-1958.
- 2h. Barbara Renslow, b. 12-13-1933. Also used the name of Ingram for reasons unknown to author. m: James Thomas English, 4-29-1951. (b. 2-26-1931, son of E.C. English.) Res: 1476 Blossom St., Willow Run, Mich.
- Ch: 1i. James Thomas English, b. 3-24-1953.
 2i. Sheila Ann English, b. 8-4-1955.
 3i. Cheryl Darlene English, b. 8-6-1956.
- 3h. Bernice I. Renslow, b. 11-5-1941.
 4h. Raymond D. Renslow, b. 12-14-1947.
- 5g. Oscar L. Palmer, b. 8-1-1908, Cleveland, Tenn. Mill Mechanic. Baptist. m: Emma Ruth Logan, 2-27-1933, McDonald, Tenn. (b. 1-16-1910, dau. George R. Logan) Res: Rt. #2, Rome, Ga.
- Ch: 1h. Frank Julian Palmer, b. 6-24-1937. Rome, Ga.
- 6g. Nellie Fay Palmer, b. 11-30-1912, m: Milford Miller, 12-24-1934. Operated Service Station in Cleveland, Tenn., for years, and is now Co. Supt. of Roads for Bradley Co. Res: 475 8th St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Betty Carolyn Miller, b. 7-2-1939. m: Claude Emory Terry, Jr., 6-14-1958. (b. 8-12-1937, son of Claude Emory Terry, Sr.) Res: Box 143, Cumming, Ga.
 2h. Linda Faye Miller, b. 6-25-1945.
- 6e. Nancy J. Goodner, b. 6-15-1856. m: 1st: Alexander Barrett of Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. James Barrett
 2f. Isham Barrett
 3f. Mary Barrett
- Mr. Barrett died early, after which Nancy married secondly Granville Owensby. A granddaughter is Mrs. Ernest Million, 1905 Circle Dr., Cleveland, Tenn. No additional data could be obtained.
- 7e. Isham Goodner, b. 7-29-1859, in Polk Co., Tenn. d. 4-30-1923, in Chattanooga, Tenn. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn. Resided at 1304 E. 36th St., Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Martha Jane York, 11-2-1879 in Bradley Co., Tenn. (b. 2-15-1864. dau. Abraham York and his wife who was a London.) Baptists. Martha Jane d. 1-10-1942. Interred Greenwood Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. Easter Appeline Goodner, b. 9-11-1880, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 12-15-1947. Interred in Chilcutt Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Robert Goins, 11-10-1901, Cleveland, Tenn. (d. 7-16-1950, interment Chilcutt Cemetery) Farmer. Methodist. Resided in Chatata Valley, Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Minnie May Goins, b. 8-7-1904, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Herbert Elighu Randolph, 8-30-1925. (b. 8-11-1899, d. 9-25-1955, son of Madison ("Matt") Randolph.) Watchmaker. Members of Church of Christ. Mr. Goins saw service in Navy. Res: Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Charles Clinton Randolph, b. 3-30-1928. Watchmaker, having own shop. Navy, 1946 to 1948. Church of Christ. Res: P.O. Box 138, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Virginia Davis, 7-24-1948. (b. 4-3-1931, dau. George W. Davis.) No issue.
- 2h. Easter Pauline Randolph, b. 12-3-1930. m: Charles Frady, 4-9-1955. (b. 1-20-1932, son Henry W. and Stella Frady) U.S. Army, 2 yrs., with 18 mos. in Germany. Wholesale Milk Deli-

- very. Members Church of Christ. Res: Cherry St., Ooltewah, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Henry Randolph Frady, b. 9-6-1956.
- 3h. Wanda Faye Randolph, b. 3-29-1941. Twin.
- 4h. Judy Maye Randolph, b. 3-29-1941. Twin of Wanda.
- 2g. Albert Raymond Goins, b. 12-1-1902, Cleveland, Tenn. Owner of Albert Goins Insurance Co., 176 1st. St., N.E. Cleveland, Tenn. m: Bertha Wattenbarger, 12-24-1927. Res: 130-26th St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 3g. Irene Goins, b. 8-26-1906. m: George Barnes Carson, 12-25-1923. (b. 2-16-1902, son of John.) Employed by Cleveland Casket Co., Cleveland, Tenn. Methodists. Res: 722 Poplar St., N.E., Clev., Tenn. Child d. infancy.
- 4g. Major Lee Goins, b. 2-1-1908, Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. Mech. at Harris Motors Co., Cleveland, Tenn. m: Bernice Calfee, 12-22-1928, Cleveland, Tenn. (b. 2-15-1904, dau. J.H. Calfee.) Members Chilcutt Methodist Church. Res: 1330 Parker St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Evelyn L. Goins, b. 1-13-1931. Single. Asst. Cashier Merchants Bank, Cleveland, Tenn. Res: 1330 Parker St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn.
2h. Robert Henry Goins, b. 11-14-1932. m: Helen Louise Malloy. Res: 9212 Madison Ave., Apt. 18, Cleveland 2, Ohio
Ch: 1i. Roger Dean Goins, b. 10-24-1955.
- 5g. Tillie Inez Goins, b. 8-1-1909. m: Urbane Calfee, 12-24-1925. (b. 2-7-1902, son of John Henry Calfee.) Farmer and Dairyman. Members Church of God of Prophecy. Res: Rt. #2, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Willystene Calfee, b. 12-28-1926. Single.
2h. Ulyss James Calfee, b. 3-27-1932. m: Bonnie Sue Atnip, 3-19-1952. Res: Rt. #2, Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Sharon Elizabeth Calfee, b. 12-20-1953.
2i. James Randall Calfee, b. 1-2-1955.
3h. Minnie Irene Calfee, b. 2-17-1934. m: Jesse Columbus Gaddis, 5-3-1958. Res: Rt. #1, Hoschton, Ga.
4h. Albert Lee Calfee, b. 12-8-1941.
5h. Allen J. Calfee, b. 3-23-1943.
6h. Helen Marie Calfee, b. 3-7-1945.
- 2f. Winston Aubrey Goodner, b. 10-27-1881, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 6-11-1948. Farmer. Resided Bradley Co., Tenn. Interred in Tasso, Tenn. m: Ellen Stevison, 12-23-1905. (b. 10-13-1881. d. 12-21-1949. dau. of Huston and Sarah David Stuart Stevison.)
Ch: 1g. Daisy Evelyn Goodner, b. 1-1-1902, Cleveland, Tenn. m: Raymond Luther Allen, 11-29-1928. (b. 5-16-1907, son of Ira D. and Victoria McCarty Allen) Owner of Allen's Service Station, Cleveland, Tenn. Baptist. Res: 680 Montgomery Ave., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Bobbye Ann Allen, b. 1-21-1930. d. 1-3-1931. Interred Tasso, Tenn.
- 2g. King David Goodner, b. 11-9-1903, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 8-26-1935. Interred in Tasso, Tenn. m: Mary Edna Williams, 1-23-1927. (b. 1-8-1904, dau. of Wesley B. and Alice Essie Rainey Williams.) m. Ft. Scott, Kans. Methodists. Widow lives in St. Louis and is employed by Wagner Electric Co. Res: 1279 Hodiament.
Ch: 1h. Ellen Franciel Goodner, b. 7-31-1933, St. Louis, Mo. m: Robert August Kuenzle, 11-28-1953. (b. 4-11-1931, St. Louis, Mo. son of Frederick W. and Eluria Kuenzle.) Church affiliation, - Robert, Evangelical & Reformed, Ellen, -Baptist. Robert employed by Southern Pacific R.R., Ellen employed by Frisco R.R. Res: 10527 Kamping Lane, Affton, Mo.
Ch: 1i. Robert August Kuenzle, b. 11-18-1956, St. Louis, Mo.
2i. David Fred. Kuenzle, b. 5-8-1958, St. Louis, Mo.
- 3g. James Winston Goodner, b. 11-5-1905, Bradley Co., Tenn. W.W.I., -Navy. Baptist. Waiter. Res: 2385 Ashby Rd., St. Louis, Mo. m: 1st: Rachel Ingram, 4-14-1927. (b. 7-21-1906, Bradley Co., Tenn., dau. Robert and Ellen McClure Ingram.)
Ch: 1h. James Robert Goodner, b. 1-16-1928, in Chattanooga, Tenn. Carpenter. Baptist. m: Eva Rose McLemore, 5-7-1948. (b. 10-12-1932, dau. of Homer C. and Almeda McLemore.) Res: 501 Pool Creek Rd., Apt. 1, Hapeville, Ga.
Ch: 1i. Linda Ann Goodner, b. 11-7-1951, Chatt., Tenn.
2i. Cynthia Rose Goodner, b. 7-3-1957, Chatt., Tenn.
James Winston Goodner m: 2nd: Carrie Hall, 1-30-1945. (b. Hillsville,

- Carroll Co., Va., dau. Reed and Rachael Hall.) No issue.
- 4g. Sarah Mae Goodner, b. 9-28-1907, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Jess Liner, 4-25-1926. (b. 2-28-1898, McMinn Co., Tenn., son of James Monroe Liner and Laura Belle Liner, nee Shamblin.) Employed by Tenn. State Highway Dept. Baptist. Res: Rt. #2, Cleveland, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Patsy Louise Liner, b. 12-1-1928, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: James Worth Jones, (b. 5-9-1918, son James Nicholas and Cora Newsom Jones.) b. Winston-Salem, N.C. Self employed; General Office Supplies. Patsy works for General Motors Ins. Members Church of Christ. Res: P.O.Box 8192, Jacksonville 11, Fla. No issue.
- 2h. Faye Etta Liner, b. 11-17-1930, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: John Pleas Collins, Jr., 8-3-1950. (b. 5-3-1919, Bradley Co., Tenn. Son of John Pleas Collins, Sr., and Mary Collins, nee Beaty.) W.W.II. Employed by Collins "66" Service Station. Faye employed as office clerk in Brown Stove Works. Members Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Res: Pine Dr., Sullivan Addition, Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 3h. Jess Max Liner, b. 5-13-1933, Bradley Co., Tenn. Auxiliary Operator at Bowater S.P. Mill. Mrs. Liner is Secretary at Cleveland Chair Co. m: Sue Kelley, 1-11-1958. (b. 5-6-1933, dau. Joe M. Kelley and Virgie Kelley, nee Lorell.) Baptists. Res: Marler Apts., Trunk St., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 4h. Zillah Ruth Liner, b. 12-4-1934, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Ernest Winston Varnell, 4-27-1957. (b. 8-9-1929, Bradley Co., Tenn., son of Ernest Trew Varnell and Sarah Katherine Varnell, nee Blackburn.) W.W.II. Baptist. Engineer at Cleveland Elec. System; Zillah Receptionist at Brown Stove Works. Res: 160 8th St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 5h. Laura Sue Liner, b. 1-31-1941, Bradley Co., Tenn. Res: home.
- 5g. Delzie Jane Goodner, b. 3-8-1910. d. 8-18-1942. m: Taylor Haun, 7-9-1939. (Son of John T. Haun and Zora Haun, nee Stroud.) Methodist Minister in Virginia. No issue.
- 6g. Ethel Lea Goodner, b. 6-12-1912, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Steve Liner, 7-25-1931. (b. 6-8-1905, McMinn Co., Tenn., son of Robert Lee Liner and Mary Ellen Liner, nee Shamblin.) Farmer. Members Cumberland Presby. Church. Res: Rt. #1, Charleston, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Peggy Helen Liner, b. 4-6-1936, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Glenn Raymond Miller, 11-14-1956. (b. 8-12-1929, son of John T. Miller and Nora Belle Miller, nee Clonts.) Employed by Standard Coosa Thacher Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. Members Cumberland Presby. Church. Res: 853 Parker St., N.E., Cleveland, Tenn. No issue.
- 7g. Jessie Lou Goodner, b. 12-25-1914, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Lonas Wells, 1-14-1932. (b. 12-12-1908, La Follette, Tenn., son of John and Zola Wells.) Factory Worker. Methodists. Res: 1120 Euclid Ave., Clev., Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Jo Ann Wells, b. 5-6-1933, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Earl Monroe Messer, 3-14-1951. (b. 3-12-1929, Bradley Co., Tenn., son of John.) Welder. Methodists. Res: 160 S.E. 11th St., Clev., Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Nancy Zerelda Messer, b. 4-27-1953, Cleve., Tenn.
2i. Johnny Earl Messer, b. 7-7-1954, Cleve., Tenn.
3i. James Daniel Messer, b. 6-5-1956, Cleve., Tenn.
- 2h. Jimmy Lee Wells, b. 2-5-1935, Bradley Co., Tenn. National Guard. Loom Fixer with Peerless Woolen Mill. Methodists. Res: 140 S.E. 11th St., Cleveland, Tenn. m: Barbara Jeanette Morgan, 7-7-1956. (b. 3-8-1939, Polk Co., Tenn., dau. Robert Morgan and Mary Morgan, nee Dunn.)
- Ch: 1i. Rebecca Ann Wells, b. 4-13-1957, Cleveland, Tenn.
- 3h. Robert Leon Wells, b. 11-14-1936, Bradley Co., Tenn. Nat'l. Guard. m: Rene Lea Haney, 10-25-1957. (b. 7-18-1935, dau. John D. and Bessie Haney, nee Lee.) Both employed by Peerless Woolen Mills, Rossville, Ga. Res: 4319-10th Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.
- 4h. Jerry Glenn Wells, b. 8-12-1939, Bradley Co., Tenn. Student. Bradley Co. High School, Cleveland, Tenn.
- 5h. Thomas Freddie Wells, b. 2-9-1942, Bradley Co., Tenn. Stu-

- dent. Bradley Co. High School, Cleveland, Tenn.
- 8g. Esther Pearl Goodner, b. 2-23-1917, Bradley Co, Tenn. m: Fred Elliott Voorheis, 4-15-1944. (b. 10-7-1898, son of Fred Voorheis and Mattie Voorheis, nee Harvey) Brick Mason. Res: 2902 Kirkman Rd., Chattanooga, Tennessee. No issue.
- 9g. Billie Sullivan Goodner, b. 8-11-1919. m: Ettie Douglas, 12-21-1940. Divorced 1953. Mr. Goodner employed by Pevely Dairy Co., 1001 S. Grand Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Goodner res. 9503 Miriam, St. Louis, Mo. Ch: 1h. Nancy Neola Goodner, b. 10-29-1941, St. Louis, Mo. High School Student in St. Louis, 1958.
- 10g. Dorothy Beryl Goodner, b. 8-13-1921, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Harold Ogle, 9-19-1937, (b. 2-23-1920, Bradley Co., Tenn., son of Jonas Ogle and Winnie Ogle, nee Ownbey.) Stove Foundry Molder. Baptists. Res: 1512-1/2 Vance St., Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1h. Harold Eddie Ogle, b. 8-20-1938, Bradley Co., Tenn. Student Univ. of Chattanooga. Dorothy Beryl and Harold Ogle divorced. m: 2nd: Orsa Skillington, 3-13-1955. (b. 5-3-1900. d. 3-29-1958. Son of Thomas Skillington and Anna Cain Skillington, nee Leemon.) Mr. Skillington was employed by Peerless Woolen Mills of Rossville, Ga. No issue.
- 3f. Joseph Luther Goodner, b. 11-29-1883, Bradley Co., Tenn. d. 1952. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn. Machinist for 30 yrs. with Southern R.R. Member of Brotherhood of Railway Car Men of America. Resided in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Virgie Miller, who survives, and resides at 2410 Ocoee St., Chattanooga, Tenn. Dau. Alden and Martha Miller. Ch: 1g. Alden A. Goodner, b. 10-16-1907. Carmen Helper with Southern Railway. m: Mildred Stewart, 2-23-1929. (b. 9-9-1905) Res: 1511 Arlington, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1h. James Alden Goodner, b. 11-13-1929. Chattanooga. Employed by the Crane Co., an Analyst. m: Carol Bettis, 4-9-1950, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 10-1-1933, dau. Carl A. Bettis) Baptists. Res: 1305 Roanoke, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1i. Anita Yvonne Goodner, b. 9-4-1951, Chattanooga, Tenn. 2i. Steven Craig Goodner, b. 10-12-1956, Chattanooga, Tenn. 2h. Boyd L. Goodner, b. 6-26-1931, Chattanooga, Tenn. Plasterer. Korean Conflict - 2 yrs. Baptists. m: Delores Parker, 12-9-1933, dau. Rufus Parker. Res: 1021 Blanton, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1i. Deborah Darline Goodner, b. 9-11-1953. 2i. Barry Michael Goodner, b. 7-19-1955. 3i. Teena Renee' Goodner, b. 12-28-1957. 3h. Bill R. Goodner, b. 1-8-1934, Chattanooga, Tenn. Plasterer. Member Avondale Baptist Church. m: Elizabeth Ann Rice, 6-12-1955, dau. C.W. Rice. Divorced 11-19-1957. Res: 1501 Arlington, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1i. Catherine Denise Goodner, b. 2-27-1956, Chattanooga, Tennessee. 4h. Peggy Jean Goodner, b. 2-14-1940, Chattanooga, Tenn. Single. 1958.
- 2g. Thurman Lee Goodner, b. Sept. 1912, Chattanooga, Tenn. Railroader. m: Lillian Britton, 4-27-1933 (b. Aug. 1908, dau. J.W. Britton of Lenoir City Tenn.) Baptists. Res: 1400 Arlington Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1h. Selma Alverene Goodner, b. 10-24-1934. d. 11-12-1934, in Chattanooga, Tenn. Interred in Candies Creek, Tenn. 2h. Glem Lee Goodner, b. 10-2-1936, Chattanooga, Tenn. Clerk. Res: 1400 Arlington Ave. Chattanooga, Tenn. 3h. Virginia Helen Goodner, b. 9-3-1944, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 3g. Joseph Luther Goodner, Jr., b. 8-20-1917. Purchasing Agent for Chattanooga Medicine Co. Baptist. m: Pauline Brannan, b. 3-13-1924, dau. of James Franklin and Odell (Jones) Brannan.) Res: 3604 Wimberley, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1h. Anita Paulette Goodner, b. 2-11-1947, Chattanooga, Tenn. 2h. Gary Franklin Goodner, b. 10-4-1949, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 4f. Noah Britton Goodner, b. 4-7-1886, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Anna Jane Gibson, (b. 9-11-1888. d. 1-9-1941) Res: S. Gunbarrel Rd., Rt. #6, Chattanooga, Tenn. Ch: 1g. William Denny Goodner, b. 1-11-1909, Chattanooga, Tenn. Operation Mgr. for Western Union Telegraph Co. in Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Lillian

- Quarles, 7-18-1928, dau. Willard Quarles. Baptists. Res: 2942 E. New York Ave., N.E., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch:** 1h. Hazel Marie Goodner, b. 7-28-1929, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: J. L. Lowery, 4-12-1952. Res: 3556 Connelly Lane, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch:** 1i. Michael Leonard Lowery, b. 2-26-1953.
2i. Gary Dennis Lowery, b. 12-23-1956.
- 2h. Patricia Jean Goodner, b. 7-7-1939, Chattanooga, Tenn. Teacher of baton, dance, fire baton, corps routine and contest routine. Received 9 yrs. training at June Whitlock Dance Studio. Grad. and head majorette Chattanooga High School. Studied at Univ. of Miami, Miami, Fla., under Janis Wyatt. Instructor of dance at Red Bank and Chattanooga High Schools, and co-owner of Neyman and Goodner Twirling Assn. Member National Baton Twirling Ass., and Drum Majorettes of America. m: Robert Benson Brown, 9-19-1958, Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 2g. Albert Pledger Goodner**, b. 4-8-1911, Chattanooga, Tenn. Business address: House Trailer Sales Co., Jeffersonville, Ind. m: 1st: Lola Young, 4-1-1932.
- Ch:** 1h. Mary Ann Goodner, b. abt. 1933 or 1934.
2h. Dana Goodner
m: 2nd:------. Issue: Twin boys.
- 3g. Timothy Ford Goodner**, b. 2-15-1915, Chattanooga, Tenn. With Western Union Tel. Co., St. Petersburg, Fla. m: Charlotte Holman of Chattanooga, Tenn., 1-29-1938. Res: 4105-12th Ave., South St. Petersburg, Fla.
- Ch:** 1h. Noah Britton Goodner II
2h. Margaret Goodner
3h. Wayne Goodner
4h. Timothy Goodner
- 4g. Roy Thomas Goodner**, b. 4-22-1918. d. 10-10-1918.
- 5g. Virginia Lee Goodner**, b. 12-12-1919. m: Frank Hayden Lewis.
- Ch:** 1h. Cynthia Lewis
2h. Virginia Lewis
- 6g. Charles Crawford Goodner**, b. 5-10-1923, Chattanooga, Tenn. With Grask Mobile Homes, 107 W. 19th St., Jeffersonville, Ind. m: 1st: Jean Lanier, 4-15-1940, dau. Louis and Ida May Lanier. d. 1952. No issue. m: 2nd: Dorothy Lindsay, 6-7-1942. (b. 9-3-1924, dau. D.F. and Elsie Lindsay.) Military service - Army. Res: 207 W. 19th St., Jeffersonville, Ind.
- Ch:** 1h. Annetta Jane Goodner, b. 4-12-1943.
2h. Virgie Elaine Goodner, b. 9-18-1944.
3h. Vivian Ruth Goodner, b. 9-24-1945.
4h. Charles Crawford Goodner, Jr., b. 4-14-1949.
- 7g. Orlena Jane Goodner**, b. 6-7-1925. m: 1st: Frank Bean.
- Ch:** 1h. Frances Bean
m: 2nd: Alton P. Barry. (b. 1905, d. 3-15-1958) Son of S. Barry. Res: Rt. #4, Ringgold, Ga. No issue.
- Noah Britton Goodner m: 2nd: Inez Dyer Bedwell, 12-15-1945, a widow with several children. No issue by this marriage.
- 5f. Effie Belle Goodner**, b. 3-22-1888, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: James Jesse Ervin McClure, 10-21-1906. (b. 12-3-1884. d. 1-25-1945.) Effie Belle resides at 1308 E. 36th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch:** 1g. Stella Mae McClure, b. 11-11-1907, Chattanooga, Tenn. d. 8-4-1947. m: H. Coy Morgan, 7-29-1934. (b. 10-29-1903, Rossville, Ga., Son of Gid. Morgan) Carpenter. Baptists. Res: 4201 Divine, Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.
- 2g. Edgar Byrd McClure, b. 9-19-1912, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Myrtle Arnold, 10-28-1933, Res: 3416 E. Missionaire Ave., S.E., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch:** 1h. Mari-Don McClure, b. 12-14-1945.
- 3g. Margaret McClure, b. 9-15-1915, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Joe B. Pearce, 3-31-1934. Res: 3012 Crescent Circle, Chattanooga 7, Tenn.
- Ch:** 1h. Peggy Joe Pearce, b. 11-14-1941.
2h. Jerry Dale Pearce, b. 4-9-1944.
- 4g. Elinor Virginia McClure, b. 5-4-1924, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: James H. Draper, 8-16-1941. Res: 1101 Henderson Ave., Rossville, Ga.
- Ch:** 1h. Larry Ward Draper, b. 7-21-1944.
- 5g. James Campbell McClure, b. 1-25-1926. d. May 1926.

- 6g. Kenneth Eugene McClure, b. 6-24-1927. (A twin) m: Pauline Seymour, (b. 6-25-1928.) Res: 4018 Sixth Ave., Chattanooga, 7, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. James Kenneth McClure, b. 6-1-1949.
2h. Karen Paulette McClure, b. 12-10-1953.
- 7g. Katherine Eileen McClure, b. 6-24-1927. Twin of Kenneth Eugene. m: J. Worth Burgess, 9-18-1949. Res: 927 W. Crest Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Roger Kent Burgess, b. 6-2-1955.
- 6f. Pennington Goodner, b. 10-27-1889, Cleveland, Bradley Co., Tenn. Retired Plaster Contractor. Baptist. m: Lillian Varnell, 7-3-1910. (b. 12-16-1891 in E. Chattanooga, Tenn., dau. of James Wallace Varnell and Mary Jané Varnell, nee Henderson) Res: 4617 Montview Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Raymond Lee Goodner, b. 5-1-1911. m: Thelma Ray, 5-12-1928. Res: 5013 Greenview Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Arlinta Goodner, m: Fred Bradshaw, 11-10-1945. Res: Rt. #2, Box 835, Merritt Island, Fla.
Ch: 1i. Vallinda Bradshaw, b. 3-28-1949.
2i. Michael Bradshaw,
3i. Fred Bradshaw, b. 11-20-1953.
4i. Avio Bradshaw
5i. Casandra Jean Bradshaw. (Died)
- 2h. Jerry Ben Goodner, b. 9-22-1932, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Jane T. Teague, 8-18-1950, Rossville, Ga. (b. 8-29-1934, dau. John M. Teague and Ruby Teague, nee Whaley.) Plasterer. Baptists. Res: Rt. #2, Box 835, Merritt Island, Fla.
Ch: 1i. Teresa Lynn Goodner, b. 8-3-1952, Chattan., Tenn.
2i. Jerry Ben Goodner, Jr., b. 11-13-1953, Chatt., Tenn.
3i. Kenneth Michael Goodner, b. 1-8-1944, Chattanooga
4i. Cynthia Jane Goodner, b. 1-23-1957, Chatt., Tenn.
5i. Patricia Annette Goodner, b. 4-7-1958, Ft. Pierce, Fla.
- 3h. Raymond Lee Goodner, Jr.
4h. Sherallie Ritta Goodner
- 2g. Clyde Wallace Goodner, b. 9-6-1913. Plasterer. m: 1st: Georgia Williams, 12-25-1931.
Ch: 1h. Jean Goodner. m: John Williams. Res: 529 S. Germantown Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Mike Williams, b. 12-20-1954.
2i. Tommy Williams
Clyde and Georgia divorced. He married 2nd: Maud Stamey 10-26-1957. Res: Eaugallie, Fla. Gen'l. DeL. No issue.
- 3g. Paul Eugene Goodner, b. 9-26-1915, Chattanooga, Tenn. Baptist Preacher. Res: 3428 Byron St., Ft. Pierce, Fla. m: Blanche Johnson, 6-9-1934, Rossville, Ga. (b. 7-24-1914, dau. Joe Johnson.)
Ch: 1h. Paul Eugene Goodner, Jr., b. 6-17-1934, at Guntersville, Ala. Plasterer. Baptist. m: Agnes Elaine Waldrip. (b. 10-8-1932, dau. of the late Thomas J. and Minnie Waldrip of Decatur, Ala.) Res: Rt. #1, Vero Beach, Fla.
Ch: 1i. Anthony Edward Goodner, b. 7-10-1955.
2h. Dwight Lynn Goodner, b. 12-17-1941, Tampa, Fla. Res: home.
3h. Charles Allen Goodner, b. 10-22-1947.
- 4g. Louis Eluard Goodner, b. 2-8-1924. (Twin of Louie) Plasterer. m: Flora Downs, 1-15-1950. (Sister of Grady Downs.) Res: 4617 Montview Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Cynthia Dianne Goodner, b. 3-14-1951.
2h. Anthony Goodner, b. 10-19-1955.
- 5g. Louie William Goodner, b. 2-8-1924. (Twin of Louis) Baptist Preacher. Res: 321 S. Moore Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn. Also does plastering. m: Helen Payne, 2-18-1942.
Ch: 1h. Louie William Goodner, Jr., b. 2-28-1947.
2h. Stephen Lloyd Goodner, b.
3h. Robert Dale Goodner, b. 4-3-1950.
4h. John Michael Goodner.
- 6g. Marilyn Goodner, b. 4-20-1929. m: Grady Downs, 5-19-1946. (Brother of Flora above) Ordained Educational Director Baptist Church. Served Norwood Church in Birmingham, Ala., and Northwest Baptist Church in Oklahoma City, Okla., which is present assignment. Res: 3133 N. W. 21st. St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

- Ch: 1h. Darrell Craig Downs, b. 10-9-1954.
2h. Penny Denise Downs, b. 7-5-1956.
- 7f. Syrus Gerome Goodner, b. 11-18-1891, Bradley Co., Tenn. Plasterer. Lived in Ringgold, Ga. in 1923. Present Res: 1101 N. Chamberlain, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: 1st: Grace Ginn, 11-28-1916. (b. 11-4-1901. d. 3-2-1942.)
- Ch: 1g. Charles L. Goodner, b. 5-2-1914. Plasterer. m: Ruby Thomas, 9-10-1932, dau. John Lee and Annie Lou Thomas. b. 7-31-1915.) Res: Wentworth Ave. E. R., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Charlotte Goodner, b. 11-15-1934. m: Thomas Jefferson Youngblood, 5-30-1951. Baptist Minister at Haynes Memorial Church in Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Rossville, Ga.
Ch: 1i. Thomas Jefferson Youngblood, Jr. b. 7-31-1953.
- 2h. Margaret Jean Goodner, b. 7-23-1937. m: Jack Hayes, 12-23-1956. Machine Operator in Dye Room, Peerless, Inc. Nat'l. Guard. Res: 5313 Connell St., East Ridge, Tenn. No issue.
- 3h. Lodusky Nelle Goodner, b. 3-8-1939. m: Herschel E. Adams, 12-23-1956. Laborer with Southern Chemical Cotton, Inc. Res: 1205 Kelly St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Desire Civtoria Adams, b. 11-27-1957.
- 4h. Orville Gerome Goodner, b. 7-9-1940. 1958- Student at Central High School, Chattanooga, Tenn.
- 2g. Jeanette Goodner, b. 11-15-1916. m: S.O. Weeks.
- 3g. Louis Alonzo Goodner, b. 3-18-1923. Plastering Contractor. m: Janet Waterhouse, 10-9-1948. (b. 10-14-1924) Res: 3610 Through St., Chattanooga, Tenn. No record of issue.
- Syrus Gerome Goodner m: 2nd: Mrs. Della Ruth (Webb) Massey, a widow. No issue.
m: 3rd: Bertie Lee Hite. No issue.
- 8f. Isham Goodner, Jr., b. 3-26-1894, Bradley Co., Tenn. Car Repairman for Southern Railway. m: Nettie Cornelia Denney, 11-28-1916, at Sulphur Springs, Ga. (b. 11-6-1894, Pope Co., Ark., dau. Robert L. and Nancy Jones Denney.) Res: 305 Valley View Dr., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Catherine Shirley Goodner, b. 9-24-1917, East Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Alfred W. Labowitch, 3-2-1942. (b. 12-2-1918. Son of Frank and Rebecca Labowitch of Newark, N.J.) m: in Elizabeth City, N.C. Mr. Labowitch, a Hebrew, is a Television Technician and Owner of "Al's Radio Shop." Member of Jewish Conservative Congregation, Hillside, N.J. Res: 1519 Liberty Ave., Hillside, N.J. Was Lieut. J.G. in U.S. Maritime Serv. 3 years.
Ch: 1h. Thelma Louise Labowitch, b. 11-7-1942, Norfolk, Va.
2h. Gail Marilyn Labowitch, b. 8-12-1945, Irvington, N.J.
- 2g. Martha Jewell Goodner, b. 12-3-1919, East Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Grady Williams, 6-12-1942, Rossville, Ga. (b. 11-21-1918, Dechard, Tenn., son of Frank and Dovie Williams.) Farmer. Baptist. U.S. Army - Feb. 1941 to Dec. 1945, W.W.II. Res: Rt. #2, Dechard, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Clinton Lewis Williams, b. 3-31-1944.
2h. Clayton Ellis Williams, b. 8-16-1945.
3h. Larry Neal Williams, b. 5-17-1949.
4h. Sandra Elizabeth Williams, b. 6-1-1951.
5h. Rebecca Lois Williams, b. 6-22-1954.
6h. Shirley Mae Williams, b. 1-2-1956.
- 3g. Icey Mae Goodner, b. 5-3-1921, East Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Thomas S. Nelms, Jr., 12-1-1942. (b. 5-17-1919, in Chattanooga, Tenn.) m: Rossville, Ga. Oil Jobber. Baptist. Army from 2-28-1941 to 7-28-1945. Res: 1012 Murfree Ave., Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. William P. Nelms, b. 10-30-1943.
2h. Thomas S. Nelms III, b. 4-9-1945.
3h. Brenda E. Nelms, b. 7-9-1951.
- 4g. Norman Ivan Goodner, b. 10-15-1922, East Chattanooga, Tenn. Career man in U.S. Navy. Joined 3-1-1941. Baptist. m: Edith Wilson, 5-2-1946, dau. Abraham and Martha (Mitchell) Wilson. Res: 5325 Dugdale, Jacksonville, Fla.
Ch: 1h. Cathryn Michele Goodner, b. 4-22-1947.
2h. Gary Eugene Goodner, b. 3-2-1949.
3h. David Glenn Goodner, b. 12-31-1951.
4h. Martin Ivan Goodner, b. 3-7-1956.
- 5g. Verna Elizabeth Goodner, b. 10-7-1925, East Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Butler Jernigan, Jr., 11-28-1953, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 11-21-1915, De-

- cherd, Tenn., son of Butler and Theresa Gang Jernigan) Agriculturist. Baptist. Served 2 yrs. in Air Force in Pacific Area. Resides on 120 acres, a short distance from Highway 41 and 41A. Res: Rt. #2, Decherd, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Isham Butler Jernigan, b. 7-3-1955.
2h. Denny Taylor Jernigan, b. 7-30-1956.
- 9f. Clint Ernest Goodner, b. 2-23-1896, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Nannie True, 10-4-1914. (b. 5-29-1898.) Res: 903 S. Crest, Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.
- 10f. Lillie Mae Goodner, b. 1-7-1898, Bradley Co., Tenn. m: Andrew J. Wilson, 10-4-1914, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 10-4-1890, in Old James Co., now Hamilton Co., Tenn., son of William Jonas Wilson.) Dairyman. Member Concord Baptist Church. Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: 8625 E. Brainerd, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Maurice Keith Wilson, b. 12-31-1915, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Manager of Wilson Packing Co. at High Point, N.C. Member First Baptist Church, High Point N.C. m: Mary Alice Howell, 12-25-1942, Chattanooga, Tenn. Dau. Henry F. Howell. Res: 1036 W. College Dr., High Point, N.C.
Ch: 1h. Judith Claire Wilson, b. 10-13-1946.
2h. Carol Jean Wilson, b. 1-9-1948.
3h. Alice Maurine Wilson, b. 11-17-1952.
- 2g. Mary Louise Wilson, b. 10-19-1917, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Dr. Ralph E. Norton, 12-21-1939, Chattanooga, Tenn. Members Red Bank Baptist Church. Dr. Norton is son of Charles Norton. Res: 3809 Sliger Circle, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Ralph Elmer Norton, Jr., b. 5-31-1944.
2h. David Wilson Norton, b. 9-29-1946.
3h. Linda Jane Norton, b. 2-17-1951.
- 3g. Andrew Clinton Wilson, b. 12-13-1919, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Dairyman. m: Alice Virginia MacDonald, 2-16-1946, Norfolk, Va., dau. Clyde H. MacDonald. Members of Concord Baptist Ch. Res: 1606 Hickory Valley Rd. Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Virginia Ann Wilson, b. 9-9-1948.
2h. James Clinton Wilson, b. 12-17-1950.
3h. Alice Sue Wilson, b. 9-15-1953.
4h. Andrew Jackson Wilson II, b. 9-4-1955.
- 4g. Velma Ruth Wilson, b. 1-3-1922, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: Jackson R. Cowan, 9-29-1956, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. Pulaski Co., Ky., son of Guy Cowan.) Members of Concord Baptist Church. Res: 1407 Hickory Valley Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Ray Franklin Cowan, b. 6-5-1957.
- 5g. Herman Pledger Wilson, b. 9-29-1925, Hamilton Co., Tenn. Professor of English at William Jewell College in Liberty, Mo. m: Dorothy Jean Horner, 8-22-1953, Morristown, Tenn. (b. 9-21-1930, dau. Hal H. Horner.) Members First Baptist Church. Res: 303 E. Mississippi St., Liberty, Mo. No issue.
- 6g. Barbara Jane Wilson, b. 11-28-1932, Hamilton Co., Tenn. m: James Edward Dooley, 6-26-1954, Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. Hamilton Co., Tenn., son of H.C. Dooley.) Res: 40-47th St., Gulfport, Miss.
Ch: 1h. Barbara Gail Dooley, b. 9-21-1955.
2h. Janice Claire Dooley, b. 11-16-1956.
- 11f. Infant. d. birth.
- 12f. Rufus Pledger Goodner, b. 12-29-1901, Bradley Co., Tenn. Plasterer. m: Effie Johnson, 8-1-1924. (b. 10-26-1906, dau. Joseph and Annie Johnson, nee Boyer.) Members Ridgedale Baptist Church. Res: 4008 Fifth Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Rufus Pledger Goodner, Jr., b. 7-6-1925, Chattanooga, Tenn. Accountant for T.V.A. m: Olye Jo Gilley, 1-1-1947. (b. 4-21-1927, dau. Col. C. and Maude Gilley, nee Ovar.) Baptists. Res: 613 Simpson Dr., E.R., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Charles Richard Goodner, b. 12-23-1950.
2h. Patricia Lynn Goodner, b. 3-26-1953.
3h. Jenifer Leigh Goodner, b. 10-6-1956.
- 2g. Everett Lee Goodner, b. 6-24-1927, Chattanooga, Tenn. 1957-Student at Univ. of Tenn., Medical Unit, Pharmacy, in Memphis, Tenn. m: Mary Helen Smith, Oct. 1954. (b. 8-19-1929, Chattanooga, Tenn., dau. Roscoe Hendrix Smith.) Mr. Goodner served in Army from 9-21-1945 to 2-28-1947. Baptists. Res: 3522 Forrest Ave., Memphis 12, Tenn. No issue.
- 3g. Joseph Forest Goodner, b. 5-23-1930, Chattanooga, Tenn. Maintenance Man for Du Pont Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Betty Lou Lee, 8-13-1949, (b. 4-7-1930, dau. Magness A. Lee.) Marine Corp, 1952-1954. Baptists.

- Res: 3320 Frawley, E.R., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. David Forest Goodner, b. 3-18-1954.
- 4g. Herbert Eugene Goodner, b. 7-6-1935, Chattanooga, Tenn. Clerk for Siskin Steel Co. m: Mary Allen Poff, 8-3-1952, Rising Faun, Ga. (b. 3-10-1934, dau. Glenn R. and Bonnie Hixson Poff.) Baptists. Res: 3705 Cline Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Deborah Jo Goodner, b. 6-10-1953.
 2h. Michael E. Goodner, b. 6-7-1955.
 3h. Glenn Randell Goodner, b. 9-16-1957.
- 8e. Nellie Goodner, b. 1-18-1862. d. 7-18-1945. m: 1st: Bodge Guss Davis Lawson, 9-14-1882. (b. 7-22-1861. d. 12-7-1897.) Both Nellie and Mr. Lawson are interred in the Chilcutt Cemetery, Chilcutt, Bradley Co., Tenn. A miller.
 Ch: 1f. Onie Lawson, b. 7-1-1883, m: 1st: Henry Leander Faulkner, 1-1-1900. (b. 12-19-1882. d. 1-18-1945.) Textile Worker. Members Church of God.
 Ch: 1g. Harry Clarence Faulkner, b. 12-14-1910. d. 2-17-1920.
 2g. Lester Faulkner, b. 3-29-1916. Electrician, Baptist. m: Chassie Callahan, 10-9-1935, Cleveland, Tenn. Res: 535 Wildwood Ave., Cleve., Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Robert Allen Faulkner, b. 8-17-1936.
 2h. Joyce Ann Faulkner, b. 8-24-1941.
 3h. Juanita Sue Faulkner, b. 6-11-1946.
 3g. Herman Faulkner, b. 4-6-1922, Cleveland, Tenn. Cloth Cutter. m: Willie Joe Patton, 12-15-1940, Cleveland, Tenn., dau. Edward Patton. Res: 2714 Taylor St., East Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Bernice Faulkner, b. 10-23-1941.
 2h. Mary Ruth Faulkner, b. 5-21-1943.
 3h. Sandra Faulkner, b. 7-15-1945.
 4h. Henry Faulkner, b. 8-15-1946. d. childhood.
 5h. Stanley Faulkner, b. 9-15-1947.
 Onie Lawson m: 2nd: Oscar Johnston. (b. 4-18-1946. d. 1-6-1949.) No issue. m: 3rd: Rev. Charles Prince, 2-10-1953. d. 6-15-1957. No issue. Res: 453 N.E. Central Ave., Cleveland, Tenn.
- 2f. Horace Columbus Lawson, b. 3-7-1886. m: Clyde White, 6-26-1904. (b. 4-1-1886, dau. John L. White.) Resided in Cleveland, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Jarvis Henry Lawson, b. 10-14-1905. Mill Weaver, Member Church of God. W.W.II, South Pacific Area. Single. Res: S. Ocoee St., Clev., Tenn.
 2g. Augustus Owen Lawson, b. 8-1-1909, Cleveland, Tenn. Service Station Operator. Member First Christian Church. W.W.II, 3-1/2 yrs. m: Frances Davis, 11-5-1941, at Greenville, Tenn. Dau. J.N. Davis. Res: Greenville, Tenn. No issue (1958)
 3g. Floyd Lawson, b. 4-14-1913, Cleveland, Tenn. Owner of Lawson Sausage Co., Cleveland, Tenn. W.W.II, Army. m: Jewell Dedmon of Chattanooga, Tenn. Dau. of Thomas C. Dedmon of Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: Corn Apts. #8, Cleveland, Tenn. m: 4-12-1946.
 Ch: 1h. Susan Dianne Lawson, b. 6-10-1947.
 4g. Ruth Lawson, b. 9-7-1923, Cleveland, Tenn. m: E.H. Kerr, 9-26-1941 at Dalton, Ga. (b. 12-20-1921, son of Andy H. and Gertrude Trevena Kerr.) Minister. Military service 1-20-1943 to 10-2-1943. Res: P.O. Box 2545, Cleveland 12, Ohio, 1725 Allendale.
 Ch: 1h. Terrell H. Kerr, b. 11-3-1944.
 Nellie Goodner m: 2nd: Mr. Wright. Apparently no issue.
- 9e. Angeline Goodner, b. 9-19-1864. m: Mr. Goins. Angeline d. childbirth; baby died also. No issue.
- George Washington Goodner, Sr. m: 2nd: Jane Cofer. Divorced.
- 10e. George Washington Goodner, Jr. b. abt. 1867, Birchwood, Tenn. Old James Co., now Hamilton Co. d. 9-16-1935. Interred in Forest Hills Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn. Was Grocery Store Owner on Ringgold Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn., for over 20 yrs. Lived in Chattanooga as a young man and for some time thereafter. Was Deputy Sheriff and Commissioner of Forestry. Could neither write or read, but was very successful in a business way. Member of the Baptist Church. Physically he was a large man, 6'2" in stocking fee, and weighed about 285 pounds. His marital status at all times is not known. It is believed that he married more than once, but the records for Old James Co., now Hamilton, were destroyed by fire, so this belief could not be verified or refuted by the records. It is definitely known that he did marry Sarah Elizabeth Romines about 1896 or 1897. Sara Elizabeth was born 12-5-1871, in Gilmore Co., Ga., the dau. of David Romines. They were divorced after a short married life.
 Ch: 1f. Rev. Samuel David Goodner, b. 6-29-1898, Chattanooga, Tenn. Baptist Minister. Member of Kingwood Baptist Church. He started to lose his eyesight in 1938 because

of cataracts and progressive myopia, which became total in 1941. Ordained in the Baptist ministry in 1952. Previous to his loss of sight, he and his wife had operated a grocery store on the Ringgold Rd., which was probably at the same location as the one his father owned. Residing with him at 3606 Ringgold Rd. is his aged mother. He married Ethel Pace. (b. 4-18-1898, dau. of James M. and Sarah Pace, nee Newby.)

Ch: 1g. R. Fred Goodner, 2-24-1918, Chattanooga, Tenn. Was for 11 years with the Tom Huston Peanut Co. as salesman, out of Columbus, Ga. Lost his eyesight in 1953 and took up dance calling for a livelihood and has now become a nationally known figure in that field. Is presently dancing instructor at Univ. of Chattanooga, and has been instructor of square dancing at the Fontana Village in North Carolina. An operation in 1957 restored his eyesight. m: Betty Benedict, (b. 8-27-1921, dau. of Rome R. Benedict.) Res: 5318 Connell, Chattanooga, Tenn. No issue.

2g. Sarah La Verne Goodner, b. 9-23-1919, Chattanooga, Tenn. m: Thomas Limeul Warren. Res: 3608 Ringgold Rd., Chattanooga 11, Tenn.

Ch: 1h. Sarah Diane Warren, b. 1-8-1942.*
2h. Thomas David Warren, b. 9-29-1945.

(For some further comments on the life of George Washington Goodner, Jr., please see the Appendix.)

George Washington Goodner, Sr., m: 3rd: Margaret Palmer, whose parentage is not known. They resided in Cleveland, Tenn.

Ch: 11e. Caroline Goodner, b. 8-30-1875. d. 1-31-1958, Rome, Ga. m: Hosea R. Upchurch 4-8-1894. (b. 7-16-1862, son Samuel & Ammie Upchurch. d. 10-31-1936.) Railway Foreman. Baptists. Went to Rome, Ga., in 1909. Members Fifth Ave. Baptist Church. Interred E. View Cemetery, Rome, Ga.

Ch: 1f. Allie Upchurch, b. 2-22-1895. m: A. N. Ford. Res: 204 E. Fourth St., Rome, Ga.

Ch: 1g. Carolyn Ford. m: Archie Daudelin. Res: 206 E. 4th St., Rome, Ga.

Ch: 1h. Stephanie Daudelin

2h. Ann Daudelin

3h. Jean Daudelin

2f. Connie Upchurch, b. 3-25-1897. m: 1st: Frank Octonfeld. Res: Long Island, N. Y.

Ch: 1g. Frank Octonfeld, Jr.

m: 2nd: Morris Wahl. Res: Long Island, N. Y.

3f. Bonnie Upchurch, b. 9-4-1900 at Brice, Ga. m: H. R. Cruise, 6-10-1930. (b. 1-15-1898, Rome, Ga., son of H. B. Cruise, Sr.) Railroad Engineer. Baptist. Res: Rt. #2, Rome, Ga. No issue.

4f. Dollie Upchurch, b. 5-26-1903. m: Thomas Teat. Res: 320 W. 5th St., Rome, Ga. No issue.

5f. Lottie Upchurch, b. 5-4-1907. m: 1st: Hoyt Millican, Rome, Ga.

Ch: 1g. Patsey Millican. m: James Simpson.

Ch: 1h. Gary Simpson.

m: 2nd: Wiley Jacob Goodner. (Son of George Pierce Goodner, q. v.) Res: 316 E. 3rd St., Rome, Ga. No issue. (Wiley Jacob died 9-28-1959.)

6f. Rossie Upchurch, b. 3-26-1910, Rome, Ga. m: 1st: Charles Quasebarth. (Died)

Ch: 1g. Jane Quasebarth. m: Robert Bruce of Charlotte, N. C.

Ch: 1h. Robert Bruce, Jr.

2h. Wesley Bruce.

m: 2nd: Wallace Bennett. (Died.)

Ch: 2g. Nancy Bennett

3g. Stanley Bennett

m: 3rd: Robert Henly. Res: 14 Runyon Dr., Trenton, N. J. No issue.

7f. Mildred Upchurch, b. 2-23-1913. m: Agnew Horine. Colonia, N. Y., P. O. Box 104.

Ch: 1g. Frances Horine

2g. Eleanor Horine

8f. Annie Ruth Upchurch, b. 5-23-1915. m: Donald Davis. Res: Hotel Latham, Room 1040, 4 E. 28th St., New York, N. Y. No issue.

9f. Endy Lou Upchurch, b. 5-26-1918. m: Stanley Flowers. 41 W. 71st St., N. Y., N. Y.

Ch: 1g. Patricia Flowers

2g. Stanley Flowers, Jr.

12e. Lottie Goodner. (d. in Rome, Ga.) m: Dave Robinson.

Ch: 1f. Luther Robinson

2f. Dewey Robinson

3f. Charles Robinson

4f. Robert Robinson

5f. Herschel Robinson

6f. Marvin Robinson

7f. Clyde Robinson

*See Appendix.

8f. Carrie B. Robinson

9f. Ruth Robinson

10f. Kathleen Robinson

(Was unable to learn further details on this family.)

13e. Thomas Goodner. Died young. Was an invalid since birth.

14e. Jack Goodner. Died age 6.

SALLY GOODNER

2c. Sally (Maria Saloma) Goodner, b. 5-21-1786, Guilford Co., N.C. Died in Bradley or Smith Co., Tenn., 1-27-1872. Interment in Alexandria Cemetery, Alexandria, Tenn. m: James Browning, in Smith Co., Tenn., abt. 1804/6.

James Browning was undoubtedly of the Browning family that resided in Guilford County, N.C., and probably of Scotch-Irish descent. A John Browning owned 225 acres of land in the Chatham District in Orange County, adjoining Guilford, in 1791. Sally and her husband accompanied her parents to Illinois about the year 1812, and resided in St. Clair County. Browning turned out to be a man of bad character, and Sally divorced him. She then left Illinois and returned to Tennessee and lived with John, her favorite brother. She had no children. After the death of John, or even prior to that, she must have lived with other relatives in or near Alexandria, and she may not have accompanied John when he moved away from Smith County and went to Bradley County, since she passed away in or near Alexandria at the age of 86 years.

Some amusing things are told of James Browning, one being that the Sheriff had called for him at home just at meal time, to arrest him for some infraction of the law, but Browning got the drop on the Sheriff, and at gun point made him "sit down at the table and eat, and eat, and eat until he could eat no more."

At another time, the Sheriff and his deputies surrounded the house and ordered Browning to surrender, which he refused to do. So they decided to wait him out, not wishing to attack. Dusk finally came, and Browning got tired of being penned in the house. Putting on one of his wife's dresses and sun bonnets, he took up a pail and made for the spring. The sheriff, thinking that it was Sally, made no effort to stop him, -and so he got away. This is probably the last time that Sally saw him. I do not know in what particulars he broke the law, but apparently they were of a serious nature.

There was no issue by this marriage. Sally never remarried.

3c. David Goodner, the third child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, Oct. 26th, 1788. In the latter part of 1804 or the early part of 1805, the family moved to Smith County, Tennessee, where they remained until about 1812, when they moved to the Illinois Territory. David, however, did not accompany his parents, but elected to remain in Tennessee. His schooling was meagre, and such as could be obtained in the backwoods schools of Sullivan and Smith Counties.

Very little is known of his early life, except that he grew up on the farm. Very early in life he leaned toward religion, and was preaching as early as 1812. In the year 1813, the year of his marriage, he was preaching as a Methodist minister, and was living in Williamson County, Tennessee. In October of 1813, he wrote a letter to his brother, Benjamin, a copy of which is given later under the subject of "Letters", in which he complained of broken health, at which time he was only 25 years of age. His name is listed in "West's History of Methodism" with those of preachers who served the Flint circuit, Madison County, Alabama, after its organization and up to the close of 1817. On October 24th, 1813, a few weeks after the date of the letter mentioned above, he married Orpha Rosebrough, daughter of William and Margaret Rosebrough in Fayetteville, Lincoln County, Tennessee. On November 2nd, 1813, he wrote another letter to his father in the Illinois Territory announcing his marriage and informing him that he had taken up manual labor. A fac-simile of this letter is reproduced in full on the following pages.

On January 16th, 1814, he was in Giles County, Tennessee, which county adjoins Lincoln, from where he wrote another letter to his brother, Benjamin, telling him of improved health and announcing his intention of entering the tanning business with brother Jacob, who was residing some forty miles distant. At the time of the writing, he was preparing to move to be with Jacob, but his wife was still in Lincoln County. Apparently his contemplated arrangement with Jacob did not materialize, for in January of 1815, he was living in Madison County, Mississippi Territory, on a section of land he had purchased and which lay on the Flint River. He stated that the land was poor but that it had excellent water, and that he expected to live by his trade of tanning, and that he expected Jacob to join him. Madison County, Territory of Mississippi (now Alabama), is immediately south of and adjoins Lincoln County, Tennessee, where he had been living. According to information contained in a letter written by his brother, James, to their parents in Illinois, David was still residing on the Flint River in May of 1816 and that he was doing very well. Apparently Jacob never did join him in the tanning business, but David did take as an apprentice the young son of his cousin, Henry, John Cunningham Goodner. How long John C. remained with him and when the apprenticeship first started, we do not know, but as John C. was born in 1802, it must have been about 1816 or 1817.

The last of these old letters written by David and which the family retained is one written on November 30th, 1817, addressed to his father and mother, in which he wrote that the territory in which he resided was lately cut off from Mississippi and included in the "Alabama Territory". In this same letter he mentions a trip that he made to Illinois to visit his parents and other relation there, which trip took eight weeks and two days, both ways. He took along his son, Blooming, who at the time was only a year old. He did not say, but I would infer from his taking along such a young child that Orpha accompanied him. On the return trip he writes of journeying to the "forks of the road on this side of Hopkinsville with James, Katey, Jane, and Godfrey, where they went on to Carthage and he went to the "nobs of Snow Creek on Duck River", where he found his brother, Jacob and family.

David's oldest child, Superior, was born near Huntsville, then Mississippi Territory and later Alabama, March 3rd, 1815. His second child, Blooming, was born in 1816 in the same place. In all seven children were born to David and Orpha, all born in the home place near Huntsville. They remained on this section of land, and he followed his profession of tanning and farming, until his death in November of 1848, at which time he was 60 years of age. Orpha died a few years later, in 1851. David was not only a farmer, tanner, and preacher, but was also somewhat of a poet, writing many things to verse in which he derived much pleasure. His son, Superior, fell heir to the tannery and to the old home place, and continued to operate the tannery until several years after the termination of the Civil War.

David Goodner, in his lifetime, purchased several other pieces of land from the Government. These original land certificates are in the possession of Mrs. J. Walter Miller (Helen Eddins) of Bealeton, Virginia., who kindly placed them at my disposal from which to make notes. She is a lineal descendant of David. The Government grants were as follows:-

U. S. Land Grant to David Goodner, dated May 1, 1825. Cert. of Register #1171, at Land Office, Huntsville, Ala. for N.E. Quarter of Sec. 35, Twp. 1, Range 1, East, containing 160 and 20/100 acres. Signed by President James Monroe and George Graham, Comm. of General Land Office. Vol. 1G, P. 278.

U. S. Land Grant. Cert. #7203, dated Oct. 16, 1835, for N.E. Quarter of the S.W. 1/4 of Section 9, Twp. 2, Range 2, East, in the District of Lands on sale at Huntsville, Ala. Signed by President Andrew Jackson, and A. I. Donelson. Recorded in Vol. 16, P. 397. Written on this certificate by David Goodner was this note:-

"The land herein patented was bought on the 16th of May 1834 by me, David Goodner. The land herein patented to me I sold to John Bayless, July 7, 1845". Signed, "David Goodner".

U. S. Land Grant. Cert. #7202, Oct. 10, 1835, for N.W. 1/4 of S.E. Quarter of Sec. 9, Twp. 2, Range 2, East, in District of Lands subject to sale at Huntsville, Ala., containing 40 and 11/100 acres. Signed by President Andrew Jackson, and Ethaniel Brown, Comm. of General Land Office. Recorded Vol. 16, P. 396. On the back of the certificate was written by David Goodner this note:- "The land herein patented was bought on 16th of May 1834 by

me, D. Goodner. The land here patented to me I sold to John Bayless, July 7, 1845. D. Goodner".

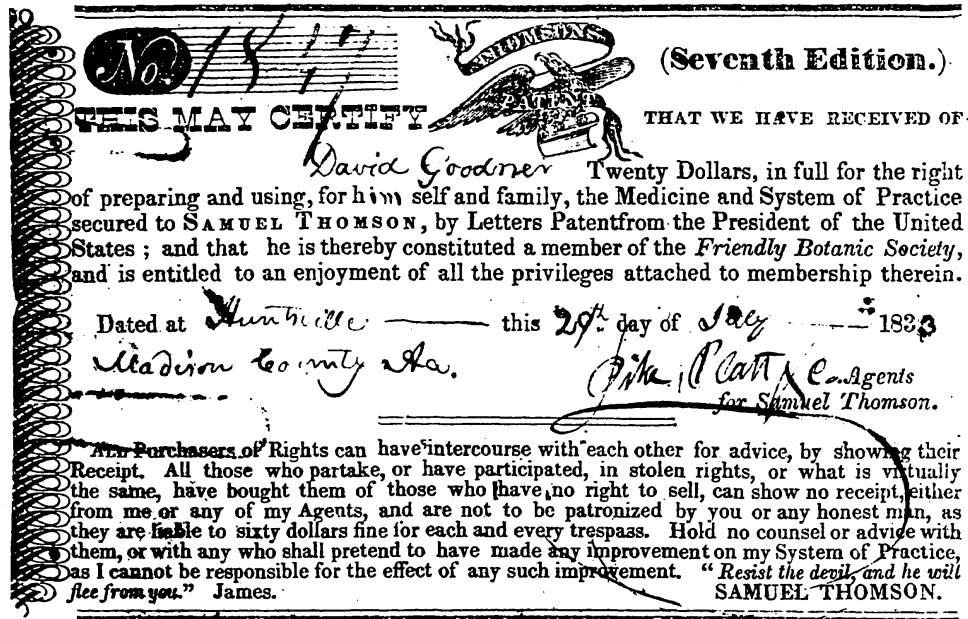
U. S. Land Grant, Cert. #11345, August 1, 1839, Huntsville, Ala., Land Office. For West Half of S. W. Quarter of Sec. 1, Twp. 2, Range 1, East, containing 83 and 54/100 acres. Signed by Martin Van Buren, President. Recorded Vol. ----, P. 157. On back of this certificate was this notation:- "Bought 6th March 1837. Sold to Alfred Leamans, March 4, 1850. By D. Goodner".

U. S. Land Grant, Cert. #11421, dated Aug. 1, 1839, Huntsville, Ala., Land Office. East Half of N. W. Quarter of Sec. 1, Twp. 2, Range 1, East, containing 83 and 54/100 acres. Signed by Martin Van Buren, President, by M. Van B-----, Sec'y. Ad interim. Recorded, Vol. 25, P. 243. On the back of this certificate David had written, - "This tract bought on 3rd of April 1837 by me, David Goodner."

On Feb. 15th, 1844, David and wife, Orpha, deeded to Superior Goodner and Malinda Stilwell, son and daughter of said David and his wife, an undivided interest amounting to two-thirds, one-third each. David and his wife retained one-third, beginning at the N. E. corner of Sec. 35, Twp. 1, Range 1, East. (Deed Book V., P. 347.) And on Nov. 16, 1849, Superior and his wife, Martha, sold to Benjamin Griffith parts of the N. E. and N. W. Quarters of Sec. 34, Twp. 1, Range 1, West. (Deed Book X, P. 454.)

In the Huntsville, Alabama, Democrat paper, issue of May 23rd, 1840, there appeared a copy of a letter written by David Goodner. It appears that David had been charged by some one that he had two orphan boys in his care and had punished them severely by pretending to hang them. Mr. Goodner presented affidavits to show that the boys were most unruly. The boys were not injured. The article was long and contained nothing of benefit or of interest to this biography, so it was not included. This item was furnished by Mrs. David K. Tudor of Dallas, Texas.

In those early days and in such outlying districts as that in which David lived, there were few doctors, and the people had to learn to doctor themselves. In order that he might be able to render some kind of medical assistance to his family and help, David purchased some medical books. As evidence of his "proficiency" in this field, but more probably to favorably influence the sale of the books, the purchaser was given a certificate, which is here reproduced as a matter of curiosity and interest.



David and his wife are buried near Huntsville, Alabama, but the name of the cemetery is not known to the writer. Following are copies of his last will and testament, the diary of Superior, covering his trip to Virginia to purchase slaves, a most interesting and revealing document, and the fac-simile of the letter written by David to his parents of November 2nd, 1813, and copies of several other of his letters.

Following the above is the chart showing the children of David and Orpha, and their descendants as far as it was possible to secure the data.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF DAVID GOODNER, SON OF CONRAD. PROBATED 1849.

"I, David Goodner, of Madison County, State of Alabama, Revoking all others, appoint this my last Will and Testament.

First Item: I give to Orpha Goodner, my wife, the following described lot or parcel of Land Beginning at the South West corner of the North East Quarter of Section thirty-five Township one, Range one, East Madison County, Ala., thence East with the half sectional line to a stake ninety-six feet East, of the Point on said southern Boundary line that is due south of the spring of water which is most commonly used by my family, and is situated on said Quarter Section of Land, thence Northward to a Large White Oak tree standing due East of the Point that is twenty feet North-west of our Spring of Water, thence West to a Stake at the Point twenty feet North of said Spring, thence South forty-five feet to a Stake, thence West sixty feet to a Stake, thence due North to a Stream ---- which flows from our Spring, thence due West to the Western boundry line of said Quarter Section, thence Southward with Said Western line to the beginning; containing my dwelling, out houses and lots, to have during her natural life, or her continuance on the premises, together with my Household, and Kitchin furniture, and an annuity of fifty Dollars from my son, Superior Goodner, also one Cow and Calf.

Second Item: I, in former times, having given to my daughter Malinda Stilwell Lands (as can be seen on the record of the County Court of Madison County, Ala.) and other property amounting to more than I can give to my other Children in this my last Will and Testament, I therefore Give her nothing.

Third Item: Having given to my daughter Eliza Bernice, wife of John H. Harper, a House (or "horse") and other property, I here add a Cow and Calf, and to John H. Harper, her husband, two hundred and eighty-five dollars to be paid to him by my son, Superior Goodner, the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty and with interest from the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

Fourth Item: I give to my daughter Martha Thompson my best horse, and cow, one Bed, Stand, and furniture, and two hundred and eighty-five dollars to be paid by my son, Superior Goodner, the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, with interest from the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

Fifth Item: I give to my son, Superior Goodner, who is equally interested with me in stock and trade, and whom I hereby appoint to be the Executor of this my last Will and testament, all my portion of the stock of hides, Leather, Tanning Tools thereof, and any article and Species of property belonging to the firm of D & S Goodner. I also give him all my individual property not disposed of in the former Items, including personal and real estate, except the lot disposed of in the first item for the benefit of my wife, which is to belong to him at her death, or when she ceases to occupy it as a home. Before making this my last Will and testament I made a schedule of my Property and debts and believing that my debts came so nigh covering my property that an executor could not pay them at the present moment of prices with it in executing this Will without more time than is usually given to Executors in the Execution of Wills; and my son, Superior, being equally bound with myself for the payment of most of my debts, I have in the fifth Item of my Will given to him more than I have given to my other children which greater amount I believe to be necessary to enable him to pay all my debts, and the unusual time I have given him in some of the Items of the Will is to make the most of the property he can and to accomplish this most important of all objects the payment of all my debts; in witness "hereof" I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal in the presence of the subscribing witnesses this the fifteenth day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

One interlineation and a slight alteration of five words before signing.

"David Goodner" Seal.

Test:

Thomas Ice

James R. Harbin (his mark)

Henry A. Beaver

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Levi Power (His mark)

The State of Alabama Orphans Court of Madison County November Term 1848. The Execution of the last Will & testament of David Goodner late of said county deceased, having this day been duly proven by the Oaths of Henry R. Beaver and Levi Power two of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto, It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that said Will be filed and recorded, pursuant to said order, said last Will and testament of David Goodner deceased, was duly recorded this the 27th day of March 1849.

"Jno. W. Otey, Clerk C.C. "

Superior Goodner, Diary of. On his Trip to Virginia, 1847.

"S. Goodner's Diary while on his trip to Virginia.

Sat out Aug. 31st, 1847. Took stage on Huntsville at 4 in the evening, got to Whitesburg half after 6, and started by steam at 7, landed at 12 at night, took the stage at half after twelve at night for Kingston, Geor. the moon shown brightly, we had a crowded stage, crossed Brown's creek on a log, traveled through a broken country, occasionally walked up or down a mountain. Breakfasted at Rodens, fare not tolerable. Dined at Blue "Pon" (or Pan). Arrived at Rome after 11 P.M.

Rested till Day, breakfasted at Kingston, the whole travel through a broken poor country. Left by steam at 9 A.M. and arrived at Atlanta about 1 P.M., passed several vilagees, crossed many big Bridges and passed through a poor country, the distance not ascertained. Left Atlanta at 4 P.M. and reached Augusta about 3 A.M. Stoped frequently to a snack. about 9 Met a train of carrs and while in the depo the carr I was in was runn backwards by the side of a house that caused the house to move as I thought and spoke to the pasengers to notice it but was soon laughed at it being the car insted of the house. When we arrived at Augusta ther was a Nomibus with six likely stedds weighting to convey us to the hotel til day and then call for us and take us to the car again on the south Carolina side. Resumed our travel on car for Charleston til we assended the incline plain, stoped and breckfasted and pursued our journey, arrived at Charleston about 2 P.M., a distance 136 Miles. A level poor piny country swam by, long moss plenty.

Hyrd a carriag to convey 4 of us to the Wilmington boat, about 3 the steam was raised and we ware soon across the bar in- to the Atlantic; soon after I began to feel sick and went in to the caben and threw myself on a bed and thare lay till near day but did not vomit nor suffer much. about a day we entered Cape fear river and stoped with male a few minits. I arose and done well. We landed at Willmington about eight A.M. distance on water 178 miles. At nine took car and reached Welldon about 8 P.M. a distance of 165 miles. Eat supper and sat out for Petersburg and landed about day, distance of 136 miles. Walked across the town to the next depo and sat out for Richmon and reach thare about eight A.M. Sunday. Eat brekfast, shaved and clean cloths. Met with several traders and looked at a good many Negroes. Mon. 6th attended sales. Negroes sold high. Rote home. Tues. 7th, attended sales and looked at several Negroes. Wednesday 8th attended market in the morning, saw provisions of all kinds in a bundance. Attended sales, bought Laval at \$110. Thurs. 9th at- tended sales. Bought Maria at \$450. Friday 10th attended sales. Bought nothing. rainy day. Saturday 11th attended sales. Bought Tiller at \$410.

Sun. 12th a very Wet day. Attended church at the Jew church stayed a few minutes, couldent understand anything that was sayed, they worshipped with their hats on. Left and went to the Catholick Church saw them diping their fingers in the holy water and touching it to their Brest and fore head and Bowing to the cross and saw the preast go through all his operations."

(Except for some punctuation in order to clarify the meaning, the above is copied verbatim from the original, with close adherence to spelling.)

Under subject of expenses appear the following:-

<u>1847</u>	<u>Expenses</u>		
Aug. 31	Fare to Charleston	\$22.50	
Sept. 1	Breckfast	.50	
Sept. 1	Dinner	.50	
Sept. 2	Lodging at Rome	.25	
Sept. 2	Breckfast at Kingst	.50	
Sept. 2	Snack at Atlanta	.10	
Sept. 2	Supper	.25	
Sept. 3	Shaveing	.10	
Sept. 3	Breckfast	.50	
Sept. 3	Carriage -car to boat	.25	
	Pasage on boat	10.00	
Sept. 4	Blacking boots	.10	
Sept. 4	Breckfast on boat	.50	
Sept. 4	Fruit at Willmont	5	
Sept. 4	Dinner	.50	
Sept. 4	Supper	.50	
Sept. 4	From Welldon to		
Sept. 5	petersburg	3.00	
Sept. 5	Petersburg Rich.	1.00	42.50
Sept. 5	Carrying baggage	.25	
Sept. 7	Pocket comb	.25	
	Sundrys	.25	
Sept. 8	For 2 Blankets	2.00	
Sept. 14	For bord at Lumkins	13.50	
Sept. 14	For Washing	.31	
Sept. 14	attention by -----	.30	
Sept. 14	For 4 Blankets	4.40	
Sept. 15	For domestics	.50	
Sept. 16	For dressing for negroes	1.90	22.91
Sept. 21	For 1 pair Shoes	1.50	
Sept. 21	For Medicines	1.40	
Sept. 25	For Shoes Laval	.62	
Sept. 27	For 2 Blankets (60 ct.	1.30	
Sept. 27	4 yds. ganes (20 cts.	.80	5.62

(Note: The original of the diary is in the possession of Mrs. J. Walter Miller, nee Helen Eddins, of Bealeton, Va., a descendant of David Goodner. It is reproduced here by her kindness and courtesy.)

(Copy of Letter from David Goodner to his brother, Benjamin Goodner, 1813)

"Williamson County, Tennessee, Oct. 6, 1813.

My Very Dear Bro. Benjamin--

Through the blessings of God, I am still blest with a tolerable share of health, except my pains in my lungs, which are dull at present, but they are easily revived. I thank God that it is as well with me as it is. My afflictions have been such since I saw you that I have preached but once since I filled the appointments which I then had before me, in consequence of which I have taken a location, and expect to become an inhabiter of the waters of Elk River. There is a small probability of Brother Jacob and myself uniting on the tanning business. I visited him in September. He and his family was well. He desired me to excuse his not having written to you by observing to you that he has written several letters and was disappointed of opportunity to send. And by being called off to muster unexpectedly, he failed writing to me. There is no probability of his visiting you this fall. He is in a living way, and appears to be in good spirits. Bro. John and family was well when I was with them. James was with me in the Elk River Country, and had some fits of the dumb ague, but was well when we parted. I would observe to you that crops are generally indifferent as far as I have traveled, particularly cotton crops. I think it would be prudence in those in your Territory who want cotton, to supply themselves the first opportunity.

I know not when it will be expedient for me to visit you; not before next fall, I presume. I trust Brother Benjamin, you will endeavor to live for God and adorn the religion which you have professed by a holy life. O brother be guarded against levity, give attendance to reading and meditation. Make yourself familiar with your servant Josiah Patterson. He is zealous in the cause of religion, tho very young. Pray much; and ever recollect that if you draw nigh to God he will draw nigh to you. If God has given you a talent to be occupied and improved in a public capacity, do not bury it through a spirit of diffidence or fear, nor by any other things or engagements. If God has called you to a public work, you may rest assured that you cannot enjoy the true comforts of religion without obeying that call. I have worn myself out and fallen in the work, and now, with reluctance, abstract myself from Itineracy. O that you were now ready and qualified to fill my place. Survile labor will no doubt be very disagreeable to my broken constitution, but I do not doubt but the Lord will help me while I trust in him, and I hope to be rewarded in the day of Eternity for my past labors in God's Vineyard, therefore I do not repine at my having spent my time in the manner I have. I must wind up my letter for it is now after ten o'clock at night. Pleae to remember me affectionately to Father and Mother; also to my brothers and sisters, and to all that may inquire after my prosperity.

(To Benjamin Goodner.)

Pray for me. Adieu.

David Goodner.

Copy of letter from David Goodner to his brother, Benjamin, in Illinois.

"Giles County, Tennestate State, January the 16th, 1814.

Dear Bro--

I embrace this opportunity of writing to you with pleasure, and hope these lines, tho few in number will be gratifying to you. I am, through the multiplied blessings of God, in common health of body, and bound for heaven. I trust my soul is still a witness of Christ's redeeming love. My bodily afflictions have greatly subsided since I wrote to you. I but seldom feel any inconviences in consequence thereof excepting when I labor intemperately. I would observe to you that I have lately agreed with Bro. Jacob to work with him one season at the tanning business. I am now preparing to move into, and expect to move as quick as possible. It is now two weeks since I left home (the time appears very long) my loving consort was well at that time. Religion is at a low ebb in these parts; great declinations have taken place in the different societies. Cotton is likely to be very scarce. It is now selling in Madison (where there are the greatest quantities of it) at 16-1/4, 20 and 25¢ per pound. Corn and meat are likely to be scarce in consequence of the southern ----- getting provisions amongst us. Please to inform Grandmother that I have written to Frederic Shearer concerning the death of Godfrey Shearer; but it has been quite lately for I could not get information of the Counties name in which he lives. I trust Bro. Benjamin, you are still striving to enter in at the straight gate in order to escape the wrath of God. O be faithful till death. Remember me with becoming reverence to Father and Mother. Give me compliments to B & S Brownin, to Sister Genney and to the rest of the family.

Adieu B. Goodner.

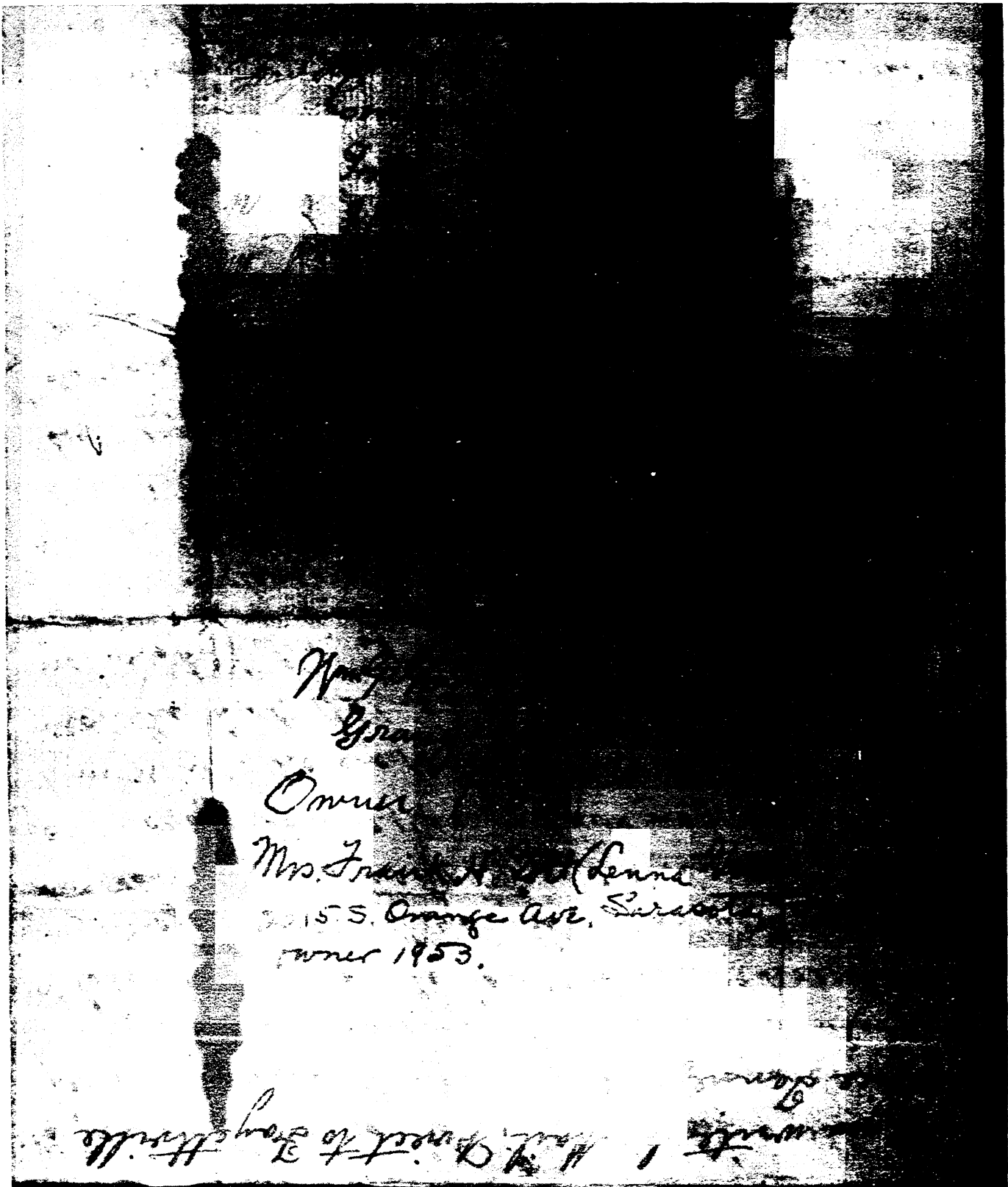
David Goodner"

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pen to throw together a few
 you may see that I am
 enjoying a most happy and good
 I desire to be as happy as
 an admirable benefactor of his
 I would beg leave of you,
 if the pleasure of my
 my life the same
 Pipah Rosebush
 continue in this country,
 There is no probability at pres-
 ent of my being permanently settled this year.
 Since my marriage, I have engaged in surveil-
 labour which has agreed with my system much
 better than I expected. I have heard from
 Bro, John since I wrote to Bro, Benjamin,
 that he and his family was
 to miles distant from

each other. I would observe to you in my letter
as I omitted it in the one to Benjamin. Bro
Bro Jacob and sister Susanna had a great pleasure
of seeing their family increase last July. The
tender vine is a Daughter, whom they
call Betsey. At the special request of Bro,
James I now proceed to lay before you a few
thoughts which, perhaps, may rouse your sym-
pathetic passions. Bro, John was drafted to go
against the Creek Indians; but he, finding
that he could not go consistent with his own
temporal interest hired a substitute. His
first proposal (which was fifteen dollars a
month exclusive of the ^{wages given by the} United States) was made
to Bro, James, to which he acceded and has
now been in service near the term of one Month.
He passed through this County a few days
before I returned from Conference ^{with} the
Army, ^{as it} marched out against the Indians.

on my re-
 persew:
 with before the bridge Tennessee
 I lodged him on the bank of Tennessee the 16th
 night of October. His spirits was in
 Sunday evening the 17th I saw him
 other than I have not
 him as he expected to return
 month but that is a doubtful case
 no probability of him visiting
 year, he Desires you to take care of his mare
 and coat and not let them suffer, also to
 separate them when you separate your own
 for which service he is willing to make compen-
 sation. Also he Desires you to not let his
 property be sold to raise them few Dollars
 that he is due the Estate of Godfrey Shearer
 Decard. My paper is full wherefore I must
 desist writing. Pleas to give my love to Bro,
 and sister Brownin. My beloved Boire joins
 me in love to you and yours. Adieu
 Louise Goodner David Goodner



(Copy of Letter from David Goodner-1815)

"Madison County, Mississippi Territory, 17th Sept. 1815.

Dear Relations-

Feeling myself bound to you by the strong ties of nature, I thankfully embrace this opportunity of communicating a few thoughts to you by letter, hoping thereby to revive in you that spirit of intimacy which once existed between or in us, but now appears to be dead. I am yet in the land of living, and with my little family enjoy tolerable health at present; and not withstanding I am widely separated from you, I have not forgotten you, but bear you in mind with that respect which is due you from me, and would rejoice in meeting with an opportunity of sitting and conversing with you as I once have done. You may think that by changing my life I have forgotten you, but I have not, for you retain as great a seat in my affections as you formerly did, and I am as much as ever concerned for your prosperity and welfare. My mind is flying while I am writing. I'm thinking on seeing you all near

Turkey hill as though my dear Orpah and I, with the tender vine God has given us graciously was present with you. O sweet thought. But when I call home my thoughts I find myself in Madison; and some of you to whom I am writing may, perhaps, be in eternity --Ah! shall I see you all in time again? (God knoweth). If I do not, shall I meet you at the right hand of God? or shall we be parted forever -. O let us strive to enter into, and enjoy that rest that remains for the people of God. O what a happy scene will it be to see all the dear children of God meet in that rest. Shall I be one? If I am, shall I there meet my decreped, yea bound and withered Father, flourishing in the beauties, bloom and vigor of youth to rest from pain and trouble forever; And is that the place where I shall meet my affectionate Mother, who delights in the company and enjoyment of her children; and shall I there meet all their branches who, like me, have been fostered by their hands. Surely, I shall if we all do end our courses in walking with Christ in lowness of life and meekness of spirit.

An address to the single part of the Family.

Being acquainted with the snares you are exposed to, I am concerned for you, and hope you will take no offense at the following remarks. Be careful to associate with none whose manner of life is contrary to good breeding, for their spirits and practices are catching and stigmatizes all who are intimate with them. A stained character can never be made clean in the estimation of men. As I have in the course of my travels seen many young people who apparently inadvertently changed their lives and thereby plunged themselves into a perpetual scene of unhappiness, I think it expedient to caution you to be careful in this matter if either of you should ever presume such a thing. I would not have you to think that I am dissatisfied in my present situation; for, from near two years experience I can assert to you that I am blest in a companion. Wherefore, being sensible of my own happiness in this respect, and the unhappiness of some others I caution you to be careful in forming an intimacy and contract of this nature.

I have bought one quarter section of land in Madison on which I have been living ever since the 23rd of last January. My land is poor - excellent water. I expect to live by my trade. I have a great run of custom considering the times I have been here. I expect Brother Jacob to engage in business with me in the ensuing winter. I saw him a few weeks ago; he told me his family was in health at that time. He has another daughter and calls her name Love. The heir that I am honored with is a son. He was born the 13th of March. His name is Superior. I expect to visit you when the opportunity offers. Write to and visit me. If you write by Post direct as follows, Huntville of- fice, Mississippi Territory.

23rd Sept. Religion is in a declining state, as far as my acquaintance extends. If either of the boys are capable of business are disposed to learn the tanning business, and then carry it on where you live send them to me in fix not to be burdensome to Orpah and I will give them the trade on very moderate terms. Observe, I have two apprentices already, which makes her charge heavy. For the term of one year I have had sundry rheumatic attacks. Please to give my Compliments to Brother and Sister Brownin. I am respectfully,

Adieu

David Goodner.

(To Conrade Goodner and his family.)

P.S. Orpah desires to be remembered with respect to you.

Copy of Letter From David Goodner To His Parents, Dated March 12, 1817.
(Original in the possession of Mrs. Frank H. Goit of Sarasota, Florida.)

"Dear Parents-

Altho you are out of sight you are not out of mind and as you yet retain a seat in my affections I once more put you to the trouble of looking over som of my thoughts.

I am almost ready to conclude that you have got so fare towards the North that its chilling blasts had inclosed your memory and affections, but on parsing Brother Benjamins (what shall I call it) Recollection of me (bearing the date 30th August 1816 which came to hand 13th December) I found a sentence or two that considerably removed my apprehensions of the death of your memory and affections; And at this place I take occasion to return you thanks for those two sentences; Observeing to Father that happiness in the Lord is a feast of pleasure and a treasure that naturel men, and carnal minds are strangers to, a greater enjoyment than all the Earth with her delusive Charms can possibly afford. It has just struct my mind that agreeable to record, upwards of Sixty years back you stept on the shores of time in helpless infency. Thirty and forty years back you was in the bloom and vigor, or rising to and crossing the Maredian of Life. Are you there yet, ah! No; you have passed far; Far down the evening of life and have gotten behind the Western hills of threescore years with age and affliction hovering over a dusty bed and vast Eternity. Is it there, O Father, is it there that thou are happy in the Lord. Pleasing Most pleasing thought; A father allmost stript of earthly enjoyments, yet blessed with a glorious prospect of soon enjoying an incorruptable fountain and treasure in heaven. Whare shall I, an unworthy son, who was refreshed at thy table and protected by thy Care many years, and partak of thy blessings, see thy face again. Shall it be in Illinois. If not there nor behind the western hills of three score years; Oh! that it may be in Heaven whare distance and Death can part us no more and whare

blessings immortal shall Eternally transport our souls. Try to live in Heaven while on Earth.

To Mother, who expresses a desire to see and hear me speak in publick, I would observe that was you to see me you would see one of your children, a son, who was much afflicted in infancy, and thereby greatly augmented thy troubles, a son who was foster'd in his afflictions by thy kind hand and brought on to Maturity, enjoying health and vigor, now much broke by spiritual, Temporal, labours and diseases. Yet a mothers fondness of her child causes her to want to see the object that caused her trouble and most exquisite pain. From experience in my own family I must admit that according to nature your desires of seeing me are stronger then mine are to seeing you; but I can assure you that it would be a great gratification to me to be with you; but the concerns of life bind me to my settled home. My family consists of eight souls at present, and my offspring has increased from child to children, and from boy to boys. The increase took place on the 30th of last January. He is large, likely, very Cross and without a name. Being disappointed in getting any of my brothers to live with me, my opportunity of visiting you will be very bad.

But should I see you no more on this side of Eternity I hope and trust in God I shall see you in Oceans of pleasure. It was not to be distant from you that I changed my life, and settled in this country.

Dear Orpah sweet and lovely charms
 Inticed me to her friendly arms
 Whare I a stream of pleasure found
 Of earthly joys most pure and sound.

(Here followed a long poem, which because of lack of space is not being copied.)

To my Brothers and Sisters who have not past from celibacy to a married life I would observe that I have a great desire to be with you and know your manner of life. In one of my former letters I wrote an address particularly to you. The effect it has had on your minds is unknown to me, but let it be good or bad, I know that nothing but a desire of your present and future welfare give use to it. Un-----I should from the same motives here offer now a few thoughts more I hope it will not be offensive.

The leisure hours you now enjoy should be most industriously improved in acquiring such knowledge as will recommend you to and qualify you for usefulness in civil society. And in the meantime you should studdy to shew your selves approved in the sight of the Lord. One good sentence wel treasured up is worth more than a large volum of froth, and if you crowd your mind with trash there will be no room for jewels there. Mens best refined thoughts are commonly committed to print, therefore good books will be better companions for you then all the chaffy youngsters around Turkey Hill.

I want to know of you, Father and Mother, what your prospects are of giting a permanent home, that is whether you are likely to be able to procure a lot of land or not. Also whether you will or not let me have one of the boys to aid me in business. I am verry needy of a hand to take charge and conduct my business for me as I am unable to work and verry often from hom. I will compensatè you for their services if providence will permit, provided I can have some allowences made me for the trade either by them or you. Godfrey has just entered his twentieth year, if he is willing, give me eighteen months of his time and I will cloth him and bord him and give you one hundred and forty-four Dollars, paying Eighty when the term expires and the balance the Christmas following. Provided he will engage to work with me two years more on my promising to cloath and bord him and give him Eighty four Dollars. I will take Francis on like terms provided he is capable of performing heavy work if you can spare him better than Godfrey. To Godfrey I would observe if you want the trade and are disposed to doe as much for your parants as you are bound to doe by the laws of God and man, you cannot with propriety ask it on better terms. A young man twenty one years of age give me his indenture for four years on my promis- him corse cloaths, his bord, six months schooling and the trade. The reason I want one of you is this (Here the letter was torn and illegible) - then one half of my time to overlook the work. I hope my good friend that you will call this A LETTER from David, and not accuse him of being too savings of his paper, time and labour. If I dont put compliment next I shall have to add another sheet, and that to you might be expensive.

My family is as well as they commonly are, and my better self joins me in wishing you all well.

"D. Goodner"

To Conrad & Elizabeth Goodner
 and their family.
 12th March, 1817.

(On outside of paper appeared the following.) "My late born son I have named Blooming, - I suppose you will not be surprised if I should visit you in July or September. Jacob's second daughter is dead, and the name of the third I have forgotten. He is settleing ten miles from Collumbia northward.

22nd March, - my family is in its common state of health this morning. When I wrote this letter I wrote in haste,

expecting to copy it and mend some of its numberless defects, but as opportunity does not serve, you are presented with the original copy. 14th April, - no material change since the date of this letter. D.G."

(Original spelling conformed to in this copy. H.W. Lacey)

(Letter from David Goodner to his parents, Conrad and Elizabeth Goodner)

"Nov. 30th, 1817.

Dear parents-

After compliments, I would just communicate a few thought to you. May health and prosperity be yours, so long as it may be conductive of spiritual happiness. After leaving you I journeyed with James, Katey, Jane and Godfrey to the fork of the road on this side Hopkinsville where we parted. They went on to Carthage and I went on to the Nobs of Snow Creek on Duck River, where I found Jacob and his family in health and apparent prosperity. He is in a likely way to make a good living in a short time. I spent a week with him, and in the time of my stay with him preached his deceased daughter's funeral. Jacob is yet as serious as ever and perhaps more so and is freer to converse in religion than ever I found him, and was particular to enquire and know of me whether you turned your attentions to religion as much as formerly. Still waters sometimes run deep. I got home safe, in eight weeks and two days after I started my journey, and found my concerns tolerable well. Jane and Godfrey came on to my house (after having visited the three boys and their families in Tennessee) yesterday week. Godfrey has laid out his accounts to work with me. Jane expects to winter with me, and spend the spring and summer in Tennessee with her three kindred brothers. I want to know of you as quick as you can obtain knowledge yourselves, when St. Gamy River lands shall be exposed to sale. The territory in which I live has lately been cut off from Mississippi and is termed Alabalm Territory. After this direct your letters to Huntsville office, Alabalm Territory. Don't let the fruits of Goshen cause you to LOA THE the precious fruits of Canaan.

My good Orpah sends compliments without number to you, and her best respects to all her kindred there. Jane and Godfrey also desires to be remembered affectionately to you and them. I am, dear parents, respectfully your unworthy son,

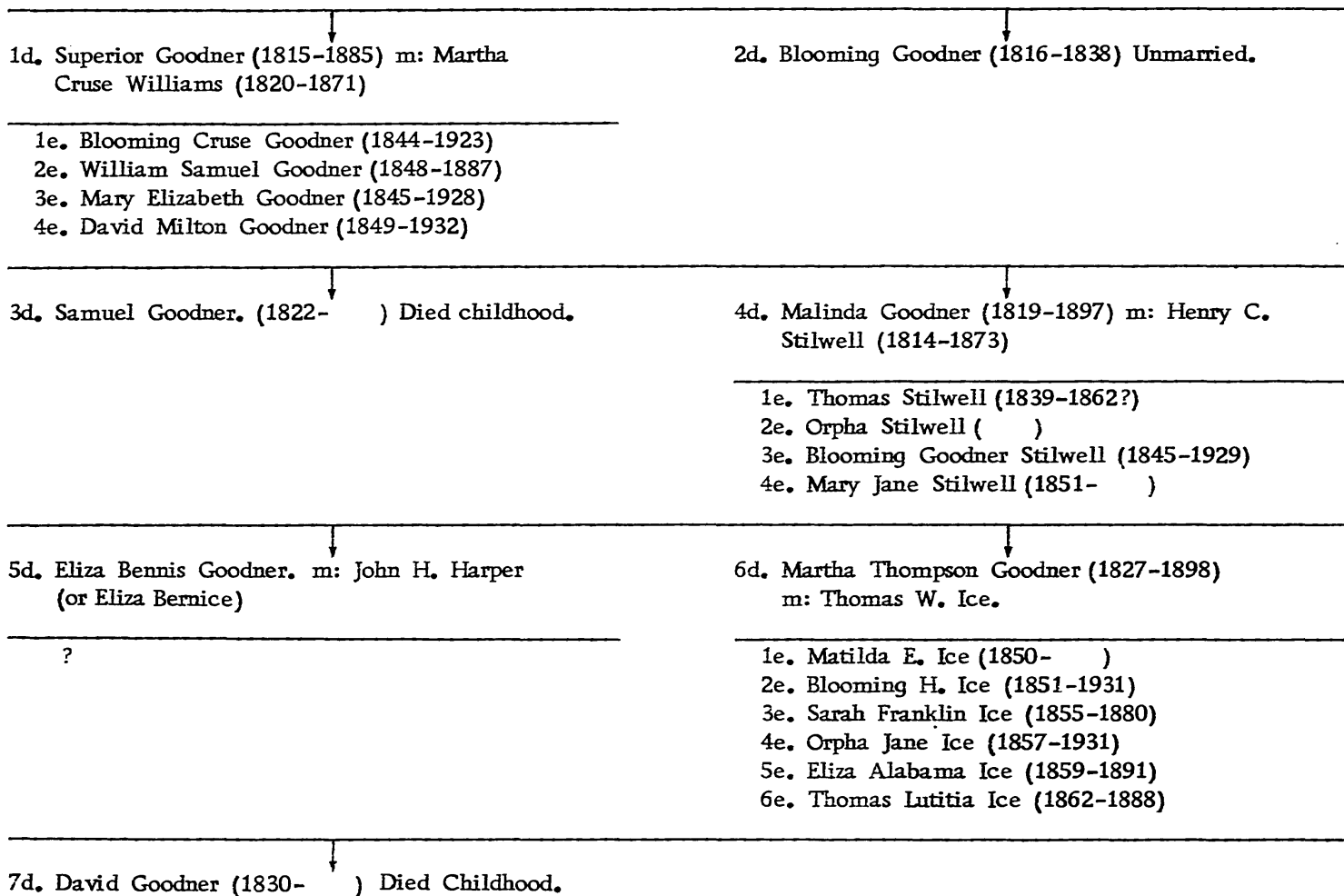
David Goodner.

(to)
Conrade Goodner
Elizabeth Goodner.

P.S. Blooming recovered his health the second day after I left your house and has been much healthier since than ever before. He is well nigh as healthy a child to look at as Superior. His cheeks are ruddy. Oh! give my compliments to my sisters and brothers.

D. Goodner.

3c. David Goodner (1788-1848) - Orpha Rosebrough.



3c. David Goodner, b. 10-26-1788, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 10-25-1848, Madison Co., Ala. m: Orpha Rosebrough, 10-24-1813, in Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn. (b. 2-28-1790, Bourbon Co., Tenn. d. 10-22-1851. Dau. William & Margaret Rosebrough.)

Ch: 1d. Superior Goodner, b. 3-13-1815. d. 8-30-1885, Kelso Station, Tenn. Interred Kelso Cemetery, Kelso, Tenn. Succeeded to the tanning business of his father with whom he had been in partnership, and also fell heir to the old homestead in Madison Co., Ala. m: Martha Cruse Williams, 11-12-1843, (b. 1820. d. 12-25-1871, dau. of William Williams. Resided on the old Goodner homestead in Madison Co., Ala., and carried on the tanning business until well after the end of the Civil War.

Ch: 1e. Blooming Cruse Goodner, b. 8-25-1844. d. 1-24-1923, Quanah, Texas. Born in Madison Co., Ala. In 1861 volunteered for service in the Confederate Army and served through the Civil War with the Army of the Tennessee. At end of war, he was paroled, returned home, and married Miss Lizzie Russey in or near New Markey, Ala. Miss Russey was born 12-1-1844, and died 1-29-1930, the daughter of E. E. Russey of Bowie, Texas. In 1872, he and his family moved to Dallas Co., Tex., and from there to Denton Co., and then later to Clay Co., where he resided for 30 years. He moved to Quanah, Tex. in 1908, where he was living at the time of his death at the age of 79 years. He was Chaplain of Camp Rodes, No. 661, U.C.V. Member of Concord Presbyterian Church. Interred in or near Quanah, Texas.

Ch: 1f. Emmet Goodner, b. 1868. d. 1880.

2f. Minnie Goodner, b. 1870. d. 4-7-1900. m: G. P. Hister.

Ch: 1g. Ora Hister. m: Mr. Goodrum. Res: Henrietta, Tex. Box 623. No data.

2g. Milton Hister. Res: Paris, Texas.

(This is only a partial list of the children. Unable to secure more data on this branch)

3f. William Goodner, b. 1872-. d. 1938. m: Ella------. No data.

4f. James Lee Goodner, b. 12-3-1875, d. 12-8-1924. Interred in Blue Grove, Texas. Farmer. Presbyterian. m: Lula Admire, 9-24-1899. (d. 12-30-1950, dau. Jim Admire)

Ch: 1g. Roy Lee Goodner, b. 6-9-1901, at Montague, Tex. Res: Henrietta, Tex. Rt. #1. Occupation - Ranch Work. m: 1st: Dovie Daniels, 1-20-1923. (b. 1903, dau. Pearl Daniels.) Divorced 1934.

Ch: 1h. James William Goodner, b. 5-30-1925, Henrietta, Tex. m: Wanda Louise Grantham, 4-14-1946. (b. 7-17-1927, at Wildorado, Texas, dau. of Ross Grantham)

Ch: 1i. Judy Gayle Goodner, b. 9-5-1948, Amarillo, Texas

2i. Larry Wayne Goodner, b. 2-8-1951, Amarillo, Tex.

3i. James Richard Goodner, b. 3-21-1957, Amarillo, Tex.

Dovie Daniels Goodner, after her divorce from Roy Lee Goodner, married Otto Wetsel, who formally adopted James William Goodner, above, so he and his children carry the name of Wetsel. Reside in Vega, Texas.

2h. Margaret Louise Goodner, b. 7-21-1927, in Henrietta, Texas.

Legally adopted by Otto Wetsel, her step-father. m: Dean Whaley, 3-31-1946. (b. 10-11-1925, Marlow, Okla., son of Luke.

Ch: 1i. James Douglas Whaley, b. 8-15-1947, Amarillo, Tex.)

2i. Harvey Dean Whaley, Jr. b. 1-31-1949, Hereford, Tex.

3h. Wyneth Lee Goodner, b. 8-29-1931, Henrietta, Texas. Legally adopted by Otto Wetsel, her step-father, so she carried the name of Wetsel. m: Charlie Woodrow Burks, 10-1-1949. (b. 4-25-1925, Sayne, Okla., son of S.C. Burks.)

Ch: 1i. Gary Pat Burks, b. 10-29-1950, Hereford, Texas.

2i. Diana Pearl Burks, b. 7-1-1954, Okla. City, Okla.

3i. Dandra Kay Burks, b. 1-4-1956, Amarillo, Texas.

(Dovie Daniels (Goodner) Wetsel had a child by Otto Wetsel, named Alma Jo, who married Gerald R. Sides, and had issue.) Roy Lee Goodner m: 2nd: Grace Alice Stokes, 12-24-1937, a widow or divorcee. (b. 2-21-1906, at Boyd, Tex., dau. of B. Splawn) Res: Rt. #1, Henrietta, Tex. Mr. Goodner is suffering from antrax, a rare disease. No issue.

2g. Willie Cruse Goodner, b. 10-15-1903, Clay Co., Tex. Employed by Lone Star Gas. Co. m: Minnie Ohair, 1944, Wichita Falls, Tex. (b. 6-28- , Wise Co., Tex.) Minnie Ohair has a son, Bill, by a previous marriage, and who resides in Quanah, Tex. Res: 2111 Yale Ave., Wichita Falls, Texas. No issue.

3g. Glennie May Goodner, b. 11-21-1905. m: Mr. Mullins. Res: Rt. #1, Montague, Texas. No data.

4g. Ernest L. Goodner, b. 8-27-1907. Res: Henrietta, Tex. No data.

5g. Jimmie C. Goodner, b. 7-31-1910. Res: Wichita Falls, Tex. No data.

6g. Lula M. Goodner, b. 11-2-1912, Blue Grove, Tex. m: Arthur Clyde Daniel 4-4-1931. (b. 10-1-1908, Bellevue, Tex. Son of W.W. Daniel) Members Church of Christ, Res: Box 43, Henrietta, Texas.

- Ch: 1h. Raymond Clyde Daniel, b. 1-4-1932. m: Billie Louise Lee, 7-21-1956, dau. of Louis Houston Lee.) Cowboy. Methodist. Res: Box 1313, Vernon, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Casey Jim Daniel, b. 7-26-1957.
- 2h. Alma Delores Daniel, b. 11-6-1935. m: Billy H. Rickman, (b. 7-2-1931, son of Hugh Rickman.) Truck Driver. Members Ch. of God. Res. 2718 California St., Wichita Falls, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Tena Marie Rickman, b. 4-23-1955.
2i. Vickie Lou Rickman, b. 12-6-1957.
- 3h. Lauren Elmer Daniel, b. 1-1-1938.
4h. Bobby Lee Daniel, b. 2-14-1942.
5h. Patsy Lou Daniel, b. 12-25-1943.
6h. Carolyn Sue Daniel, b. 7-1-1949.
7h. Ronnie Mack Daniel, b. 9-4-1951.
- 7g. Myrtle A. Goodner, b. 9-4-1914, Henrietta, Texas. m: Walter James Evans, 9-3-1941, El Reno, Okla. (b. 7-28-1902, son of E.E. Evans.) Res: Rt. #1, Grapevine, Texas. Box 120. No issue.
- 8g. Woodrow Alfred Goodner, b. 1-27-1918, Blue Grove, Texas. Served in Army 34 months. Farmer. Baptist. m: Juanita Woodruff, 2-13-1945. (b. 2-12-1926, in Wolfe City, Hunt Co., Texas, dau. Robert Woodruff) Res: Vega, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Carlton Alfred Goodner, b. 11-16-1945.
- 9g. Grace Elizabeth Goodner, b. 2-27-1918. m: Charles Estridge, 1-2-1940. (b. in Kentucky, son Adam Estridge) Carpenter. Members Church of Christ. Res: 502 E. Spring St., Henrietta, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Charles Franklin Estridge, b. 4-12-1942. d. 12-22-1945.
2h. Barbara Ann Estridge, b. 4-7-1949, Henrietta, Texas.
3h. Brenda Elizabeth Estridge, b. 2-25-1951, Henrietta, Texas.
- 10g. Ray Allison Goodner, b. 9-9-1923, Henrietta, Texas.
- 5f. Adeline ("Addie") Goodner, b. 3-5-1877. d. 6-10-1924. m: James Monroe Willis, (d. March 1913).
Ch: 1g. James Ray Willis, b. 5-31-1910. m: Ida N. Flanders. Res: 306 High Sch. Lane, Irving, Texas.
Ch: 1h. James Ray Willis, Jr., b. 7-31-1940.
2h. Linda Kay Willis, b. 9-3-1942.
- 2g. Dorothy Ruby Willis, b. 1-1-1905, in Oklahoma. m: Manuel Castello Zapata, 3-8-1922. Born in Mexico. Paint Contractor. Methodist. Res: 1007 Elmdale Place, Dallas, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Carmen Dalores Zapata, b. 8-24-1925. m: S.F. Cade, Jr., 1-21-1949. Res: 6530 Lake Hurst, Dallas, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Christi Camille Cade, b. 12-19-1949.
2i. Sidney Fay Cade, b. 10-27-1951.
3i. Nicholas King Cade, b. 8-20-1954.
4i. Richard Michael Cade, b. 3-7-1956.
- 2h. Mitzi Marjorie Zapata, b. 7-15-1930. d. 4-12-1953, from cancer. m: Weldon L. Moore, 3-27-1951. No issue.
- 3h. Jerry Ray Zapata, b. 10-16-1936. Musician, a drummer in the "Big Beata Band". Recorded for Columbia Records. Single.
- 6f. Donnie Cloud Goodner, b. 1880, or 1881. Res: Henrietta, Texas. Mail address, - Gen'l. Delivery. Presbyterian. m: 1st: Mabel------. Later divorced.
Ch: 1g. Gladys Irene Goodner, b. 8-22-1903, near Snyder, Okla. Reared by her mother's parents. m: 1st: Harry Barrett, 9-1-1920, at Blackfoot, Idaho. Machinist with U.P.R.R. Divorced.
Ch: 1h. Harry J. Barrett, b. 6-1-1921 at Pocatello, Idaho. Aircraft Fire Control Technician. Protestant. Res: 12782 Bluebell Ave., Anaheim, Calif. m: 1st: Gwynetha (Burgess) Bowers, 1945 in Reno, Nev. Injury at age 14 resulted in osteomyelitis.
Ch: 1i. Harry Wayne Barrett, b. 2-13-1946.
2i. Danny Eric Barrett, b. 7-14-1948.
m: 2nd: Ann Starke, Jan. 1927. No issue.
- 2h. Jack Barrett, b. 1-23-1923, Deer Lodge, Mont. Married and divorced. Formerly resided in Long Beach, Calif. Present address unknown. Protestant. Served in Air Force 1942 to 1945, European Theatre. No issue.
- Gladys Irene Goodner Barrett m: 2nd: Lester David, 6-21-1940, Reno, Nev. Machinist S.G. (b. 6-19-1909, son of George H. David.) Protestant. Res:

- 315 W. 49th St., Seattle, Wash. No issue.
- 2g. Ben Ezra Goodner, b. 1907, near Snyder, Okla. Reared by mother's parents. Roofing Foreman. Res: 307 W. 52nd St., Seattle, Wash. m: Clara F. Dittmer (b. 8-13-1910, near Cheyenne, Okla.) No issue.
- Donnie Cloud Goodner and wife, Mabel, were divorced shortly after birth of their 2nd child, Ezra, in 1907. Married 2nd: Nara-----, No issue.
- 7f. Ida Goodner, b. 8-27-1883. d. 8-23-1957. m: Otis Clement Albin, b. Birmingham, Ala. Ida interred in Memorial Park Cemetery, Tulsa, Okla.
- Ch: 1g. Son d. infancy.) interred in Roswell, N.M.
2g. Daughter d. infancy.)
- 3g. Homer Haskell Albin, b. 7-17-1908, Chicasha, Indian Territory, now Okla. Owner and Operator of Standard Auto Parts Co. at Nowata, Okla., 308 E. Cherokee St. Members of First Christian Church. m: Audrey Elizabeth Fincannen, 7-2-1932. (b. Fairview, Mo., dau. Gorden Fincannen.)
- Ch: 1h. Judith Ann Albin, b. 10-27-1937. Attended Stephens College at Columbia, Mo. m: John Ward Clingan, 8-12-1956, at Bartlesville, Okla. (b. 2-21-1938, son of Wendell Paul Clingan, Sr.) Student at Independence Junior College, Independence, Kan. Res: 516 North St., Independence, Kansas.
Ch: 1i. Kim Elizabeth Clingan, b. 3-11-1957.
- 2h. Kay Sue Albin, b. 12-20-1940.
- 3h. William Gordon Albin, b. 4-7-1948.
- 4g. Sadye Margaret Albin, b. 5-30-1902, Chicashaw, Okla. m: Jay Cecil Downs, 4-10-1924, Peoria, Ill. (b. 9-2-1900. d. 3-19-1957, interred in Reno, Nev. Son William Edgar and Mary Jabe Downs.) Musician & Violinist. Margaret is employed as traveling representative for Nellie Don, Inc., 3500 E. 17th St., Kansas City, Kan. Res: 1138 B. Country Club Dr., Tulsa, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. William Cecil Downs, b. 5-10-1926, Tulsa, Okla. Cost Accountant, Presbyterian. Res: 15 N. 49th West Ave., Tulsa, Okla. Served in Army 3 years with 96th Inf. Div. and 2nd Armored Div. m: Josephine Snyder, 12-31-1948. (b. 10-2-1925, dau. of Everett Snyder.)
Ch: 1i. William Cecil Downs, Jr., b. 9-7-1949.
2i. Joe Douglas Downs, b. 2-11-1952.
3i. Jacqueline Deborah Downs, b. 3-7-1956.
- 8f. Ollie Goodner, b. 1886. d. 1918. Single.
- 9f. Edward Blooming Goodner, b. 11-8-1888, nr. Blue Grove, Texas. In Commission Business. Presby. m: Effie Vail, 8-22-1910, Res: Parkview Apts. #13, Henrietta, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Ruby Goodner, b. 4-7-1912. d. 1941. m: Mr. Roberts. d. 1936.
Ch: 1h. Eddie Ray Roberts, b. 1935. Served in Navy in 1953. Residing with his Aunt Hazel Goodner Oldfield, 1311 San Jose Dr., Grants, N.M. Single.
- 2g. Hazel Elizabeth Goodner, b. 2-14-1914, Bowie, Tex. m: Clarence Roland Oldfield, 4-6-1931, son of Zenith. Mechanic, Baptists. Res: 1311 San Jose Dr., Grants, N.M.
- Ch: 1h. Barney Wayne Oldfield, b. 11-24-1931.
2h. James Roland Oldfield, b. 12-14-1933. m: Addie Lou-----, Divorced.
Ch: 1i. Kerry Ann Oldfield, b. 3-11-1957.
- 3h. Virginia Ruth Oldfield, b. 7-19-1935. m: William ("Bill") Brown. Res: 588 Central, Apt. #2, Los Alamos, N.M. No issue.
- 4h. Patricia Ann Oldfield, b. 10-5-1937.
- 5h. Roy Earl Oldfield, b. 3-14-1940.
- 3g. Edward Blooming Goodner, Jr., b. 11-10-1916, Oil Well Driller. m: Katherine Rebecca Harris, 12-31-1934. (b. 3-25-1919, dau. H.P. Harris.) Members First Christian Church. Res: Rt. #1, Henrietta, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Eddie Milton Goodner, b. 9-27-1936. In U.S. Navy. Address: A.N. Special Service, N.A.S., Chincoteague, Va. Single.
2h. Marion Preston Goodner, b. 7-14-1938. In U.S. Navy. Address: A.N. V-2, Div. Air Dept. U.S. Ranger. (C.V.A. -61) c/o N.P.O. New York, N.Y. m: Jerry Ann Lucas. No issue.
3h. Ronald Joe Goodner, b. 11-13-1939. (Twin)
4h. Rebecca Joan Goodner, b. 11-13-1939 (Twin) m: Bobby D. Crawford. Res: Henrietta, Texas. Box 416.
Ch: 1i. Cynthia Jo Crawford, b. 8-20-1956.
2i. Ricky Dene Crawford, b. 5-28-1958.

- 2e. William Samuel Goodner, b. 1848, in New Market, Madison Co., Ala. d. 1887 in Sulphur Spgs. Hopkins Co., Tex., and interred there. Received his higher education and D.D.S. Degree in Knoxville, Tenn. m: Margaret Ollie Tomlinson, 10-14-1875. (b. 8-24-1855. d. 3-6-1942.) Miss Tomlinson was the dau. of E.L.W. Tomlinson, a lawyer of distinction and note, whose books on law are still used in Tex. He was called "Squire" Tomlinson. After the death of Mr. Goodner, widow took the children to Ft. Worth, Tex., where they resided for several years. Later she moved with them to Long Beach, Calif., and then to Hollywood, Calif., where she died. Interred in "Hallowed Ground", in Hollywood, Calif.
- Ch: 1f. Annie Eulalie Goodner, b. 1-31-1877, in Sulphur Springs, Tex. m: William Anthony Lighter, 6-28-1896. (b. 2-4-1876 in America. Son of Baron Wilhelm Von Lichter, a German, and his wife, who was a French girl, name unknown. The name Lichter was changed to Lighter.) Mr. Lighter was a cotton broker. In the discharge of his duties he made numerous trips to Europe, on many of which Annie accompanied him. A speaker of several languages. Mr. Lighter is deceased, and Mrs. Lighter resides at 4739 Dryades St., New Orleans 15, La.
- Ch: 1g. Vivienne Frangezka Lighter, b. 9-2-1897, Ft. Worth, Tex. m: Cornelius A. Vernoy, Jr., 10-24-1917, Dallas, Tex. (b. 8-31-1892.) Navy, 1917-1918. Catholic. Retired. Res: 6249 Locke Lane, Houston 27, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Valma Vernoy, b. 1-29-1927. m: Edwin A. Reed, 8-25-1947. Engineer. Grad. M. I. T. Valma is a Catholic and Edwin is a Congregationalist from Ohio. Res: 6243 Briar Rose Dr., Houston 27, Texas.
- Ch: 1i. Vivienne Marie Reed, b. 3-14-1951.
2i. Luisa Clare Reed, b. 4-21-1954.
3i. Edwin A. Reed, Jr., 5-4-1958.
- 2g. William Anthony Lighter, Jr., Res: New Orleans, La. No data.
- 3g. Goodner Ayers Lighter. Res: 4104 Prytanier St., New Orleans 15, La. No data.
- 2f. Rena Cruse Goodner, b. 2-26-1879. d. 1944. Interred in Oxnard, Calif. Single.
- 3f. Edward Superior Goodner, b. 7-2-1881, Sulphur Springs, Tex. d. 12-24-1957 in Santa Ana, Calif. Evidently interred there. For many years was engaged in the wholesale grocery business in Wichita Falls, Tex., using the trade name, "Goodner Wholesale Grocery". He served as President. While his middle name was Superior, he disliked it, and used instead the name Steven. Later in life, he retired and moved to Santa Ana, Calif. He was known as a "fine Christian gentleman". m: Mary Grow, dau. of Presby. Minister.
- Ch: 1g. Marquerite Elizabeth Goodner, b. 11-19-1909, Gainsville, Tex. m: Henry ("Harry") Owen, 8-30-1939, in Chefoo, China. (b. 3-1-19--., son of Henry Owen.) Minister and missionary. Church affiliation - Independent. Res: 238 South Ave. 51, Los Angeles 42, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Elizabeth Owen, b. 9-25-1942.
2h. Norman Goodner Owen, b. 1-23-1944.
3h. Stephen Henry Owen, b. 3-2-1949.
- 2g. Mary MacClelland Goodner, b. 2-12-1912, Gainsville, Tex. (Uses a shortened name of "Marymac") m: Richard Kenneth Maas, 10-23-1936, at Los Angeles, Calif. (b. 10-12-1914, at Kansas City, Mo., son of William A. & Josephine (Westfall) Maas.) Naval Officer, Retired. Now serving as Procurement Specialist for Aerojet-General Corp. Served in Navy from 1943 to 1958. Presbyterian. Res: 1531 S. First St., Arcadia, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. David Edward Maas, b. 2-10-1940.
2h. Richard William Maas, b. 6-25-1942.
3h. Donald Kenneth Maas, b. 1-14-1944.
4h. Robert Stephen Maas, b. 12-21-1947.
- 3g. Dorothy Rose Goodner, b. 1-3-1914, Gainsville, Tex. m: Clyde Johnstone Kennedy, 9-6-1938, Santa Ana, Calif. (b. 7-2-1907, son of Horace Kennedy.) Minister of Gospel of Bible Presbyterian Church. Res: 4112 N. 38th St., Tacoma 7, Wash.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Carolyn Kennedy, b. 10-21-1939.
2h. Kathleen Davis Kennedy, b. 9-18-1950.
3h. Janice Lynne Kennedy, b. 8-2-1953.
- 4g. Jane Scott Goodner, b. 2-22-1917, Gainsville, Tex. m: Neil Bergman Nellis, 6-6-1942, at Justin, Tex. (b. 1-14-1917, son of Neil M. Nellis.) Missionary among the Zapateco Indians in Southern Oaxaca, and now has a church of over 100 members. Bible Translator. Member of Calvary Church of Santa Ana, Calif., Interdenominational. Res: 13 Poinente y Chietla, Puebla, Puebla, Mexico.
- Ch: 1h. Donald Goodner Nellis, b. 8-7-1945.

- 2h. Mary Jane Nellis, b. 10-17-1951.
- 3h. Dorothy Agnes Nellis, b. 1-30-1954. (Twin)
- 4h. David Neil Nellis, b. 1-30-1954. (Twin)
- 4f. Ellen Mary Goodner, b. abt. 1884, in Sulphur Springs, Tex. Moved with mother to Ft. Worth, Tex., at an early age and received education there. m: Walter Edwin Rogers, 7-21-1909, in Ft. Worth, Tex. (b. 2-5-1878. d. 12-15-1914. Son of Ernest J. Rogers) Dentist. Ellen Mary now resides at 4435-1/2 Burns Ave., Hollywood 29, Calif., and was employed in the Internal Revenue Office in Los Angeles, Calif. Now retired.
Ch: 1g. Rev. Edwin Pratt Rogers, b. 3-18-1912. Minister of the Gospel. m: Margaret Athearn Yoder, 5-26-1942. Res: Phoenix, Ariz., P.O. Box 7158.
Ch: 1h. David Edwin Rogers, b. 11-3-1945.
- 5f. Ollie Jane Mae Goodner, b. 2-13-1886, Sulphur Springs, Tex. Moved with mother to Ft. Worth, Tex., where received her education. m: Stewart P. MacLennan, 9-28-1911 at Long Beach, Calif. (b. 10-10-1884, Sydney, Nova Scotia. d. 7-26-1954, in Los Angeles, Calif. Son of Duncan) Mr. MacLennan was a Minister of the Gospel, and Pastor of the 1st Presbyterian Church in Hollywood, Calif., for 20 years. He was Pastor when the new edifice was built and was instrumental in its erection. Mrs. MacLennan resides at 1007 Malcolm Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Gordon Stewart MacLennan, b. 9-8-1912, Long Beach, Calif. Served in W. W. II, as Sgt. in Air Force, Head Comm. Dept. at Brail, South America, stationed at Natal, Air Transport Base, June 1943 to April 1946. Manufacturer's Repres. m: Irene Church, 8-14-1940, Hollywood, Calif. (b. 8-14-1918, Little Rock, Ark., dau. of Robert L. Church) Res: 637 University Ave., Burbank, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Malcolm Stewart MacLennan, b. 7-5-1954.
- 2g. Duncan Knox MacLennan, b. 7-13-1914, Long Beach, Calif. Was Major in Air Force in W. W. II; entered May 1942, and went into reserve status May 1946. Was Chief of B-29 Aircraft Production Project, Procurement Div., 1944-1946, at Wright-Patterson AFB, Dayton, O. and was awarded Legion of Merit in 1946 for his outstanding work in that field. Owner of D.K. MacLennan Co., Aircraft Manufacturers Representative. m: Belle Steitz. (b. 3-11-1916, at Los Angeles, Calif., dau. of J. Ray Steitz.) Presbyterian. Res: 208 Pentoresca Dr., Pacific Palisades, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Bruce MacLennan, b. 8-4-1949.
- 3g. Edward Goodner MacLennan, b. 3-29-1916, Xenia, O. Sales Manager. Presbyterian. m: Lucy Hunter, 9-1-1938. (b. 1-21-1916, Los Angeles, Calif., dau. Robert T. Hunter). Res: 4937 Biloxie Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Peggy Lou MacLennan, b. 6-30-1939.
2h. Robert Stewart MacLennan, b. 5-20-1941.
3h. Candice Grace MacLennan, b. 5-6-1947.
- 4g. Kenneth William MacLennan, b. 3-20-1922, Hollywood, Calif. Served in W. W. II as 1st Lieut. in Air Force. Took cadet training as pilot, and became Flying Instructor at Merced AAF Base, Calif. Transferred to Wright-Patterson AFB, Dayton, O. on Air Material Command, Procurement Div. for 2 years. Sent then to Florida as Test Pilot for Wright-Patterson Test Base there. After Japanese surrender was sent to San Bernardino, Calif. at Test Base. Received discharge 2-19-1946. After discharge lived in Seattle, Wash. for 3 years as Sales Engineer for Boeing Aircraft. Went to Los Angeles in 1949 with Round the Clock Hosiery, and is presently Southwest Sales Manager for Sapphire Hosiery. Presbyterian. m: Mary Ellen Hunter, 3-3-1951 in Los Angeles, Calif. (b. 8-12-1924, San Diego, Calif., dau. Floyd William Hunter. Res: 7507 Midbury Dr., Dallas, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Cheryl MacLennan, b. 12-20-1954, Dallas, Texas.
- 5g. Margaret Anne MacLennan, b. 4-1-1926, Los Angeles, Calif. m: George Glenn Buchanan, 9-8-1951, Beverly Hills, Calif. (b. 7-23-1921, Phil., Pa. Son of George and Agnes Buchanan.) Served 4 years in Army W. W. II. Members Westwood Presbyterian Church. In Insurance Business. Res: 2913A So. Sepulveda, Los Angeles 64, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Barbara Ann Buchanan, b. 3-6-1957.
- 3e. Mary Eliz. ("Mollie") Goodner, b. 12-23-1845. d. 1-1-1928. Interred in Fayetteville Cemetery, Fayetteville, Tenn. m: James Donald Buchanan. (b. 8-12-1845. d. 1-9-1914. Son of John M. Buchanan.) Farmer. Resided in or near Howell, Tenn.
Ch: 1f. Ed. Clyde Buchanan, b. 8-22-1873. d. 5-14-1946. Interred in Hillcrest Cemetery, Holly Sprgs., Miss. Merchant and Plantation Owner. Resided at one time in Swan Lake, Miss., and in Greenwood, Miss. Apparently also lived, in later years, in or

- near Holly Sprgs., Miss. Methodist. m: Ninnah ("Mims") Cochran, 1-3-1911. (b. 5-3-1881, dau. of John Rutland and Sara Cochran.) Widow resides at 207 W. Jefferson, Greenwood, Miss. Mrs. Buchanan is a member of the D.A.R., Historian of her Chap. Chairman of Good Citizens Committee, Chairman of Women in W.S.C.S., and active in Church and Sunday School Work.
- Ch: 1g. Sara Mims Buchanan, b. 10-19-1911. Teacher in Private Episcopal School. m: E. M. (Edward) Shymanski, 9-2-1942. Res: 4540 Canal St., Apt. G, New Orleans, La. No issue.
- 2g. Mary Eliz. Buchanan, b. 5-2-1913. m: Laurence Metcalfe, 10-21-1939. Res: Greenville, Miss. Box 2886.
- Ch: 1h. Eliz. Mims ("Mimsy") Metcalfe, b. 11-18-1940.
2h. Ruth Telle Metcalfe, b. 4-11-1943.
3h. Laurence ("Larry") Rutland Metcalfe, b. 5-4-1946.
4h. Ed. Buchanan Metcalfe, b. 5-4-1946. Twin
- 2f. Milton Goodner Buchanan, b. 5-6-1875. d. 7-9-1947. Married and resided in Fayetteville, Tenn. Widow is living and resides at 307 S. Elks Ave., Fayetteville, Tenn. No issue.
- 3f. Pearl Ella Buchanan, b. 5-24-1877, at Howell, Tenn. m: A. F. Eddins. Resided in Bealton, Va. Pearl Ella was killed in 1956 in an automobile accident.
- Ch: 1g. Helen Eddins, b. 8-12-1908, Smithville, Ark. m: James Walter Miller, 10-15-1931, Bealeton, Va. (b. 3-31-1909, son of James P. F. Miller.) Dairy Farmer. Presbyterian. Res: Bealeton, Va.
- Ch: 1h. James Walter Miller, Jr., b. 8-15-1932. m: Marjorie Ann Hensley, 11-27-1954, in Culpeper, Va. No issue. (1958)
2h. Sadie Pearl Miller, b. 9-8-1935. m: Theodore Edward Dodson, 10-6-1956, at Morrisville, Va. No issue. (1958)
3h. Richard Camerson Miller, b. 9-1-1938. m: Marian Mary Lean Weeks, 11-2-1956, at Warrenton, Va. No issue. (1958)
- 2g. Richard Donald Eddins, b. 3-25-1914, at May, Okla. Served in Army 7 years. Warehouse Foreman. Presbyterian. m: Mary Fincham, 6-3-1948. (b. 10-1-1921, dau. of Ernest C. Fincham.) Res: Warrenton, Va.
- Ch: 1h. Linda Marie Eddins, b. 11-18-1948.
2h. Darline Eddins, b. 7-24-1951.
3h. Sandra Kay Eddins, b. 11-21-1957.
- 4f. Ollie Cruse ("Lizzie") Buchanan, b. 3-8-1879. d. 8-29-1895.
- 5f. Vernia Cruse Buchanan, b. 11-30-1881. d. 7-11-1899.
- 6f. Jimmie D. Buchanan, a daughter, b. 10-3-1884. d. 11-6-1913. Interred in Fayetteville, Tenn. m: Homer Pylant. (b. 8-29-1880. d. 3-11-1948, son of William W. Pylant). Salesman for Murray Gin Co.
- Ch: 1g. Douglas Pylant, b. 12-26-1906, Howell, Lincoln Co., Tenn. In home maintenance business. Presbyterian. m: Leila Penn, 12-25-1937. (b. 2-11-1907, dau. James H. and Annie (Wade) Penn.) Res: 1213 Stratford Ave., Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Annie Beth Pylant, b. 8-24-1938. m: Ray Donald Hawkins, 8-30-1957. Residing with Annie's parents. Both are students at Middle Tennessee State College, Murfreesboro.
2h. Jimmie D. Pylant, b. 1-23-1943. d. 2-9-1943.
- 2g. Malcom Milton Pylant, b. 1-4-1909, Tenn. Merchant. Baptist. m: Mayme Jewel Hagy, 4-4-1930. (b. 5-16-1908, dau. Everett E. Hagy). m: at Holly Sprgs., Miss. Res: Winnbora, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Peggy Jewel Pylant, b. 9-11-1934. m: Ralph A. Marcom. Res: 1209 N. Virginia, Apt. #3, El Paso, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Lance Anthony Marcom, b. 9-10-1957.
2h. Malcom Milton Pylant, Jr., b. 8-30-1936.
- 3g. Kathryn Pylant, b. 4-20-1913, Howell, Tenn. m: 1st: James K. Taylor, Jr., 11-7-1941, Grass Valley, Calif. m: 2nd: William Arthur McNally, Jr., 6-29-1951. (b. 1-25-1908). In Lumber Business. Protestant. Res: 36 Sunset Ave., Grass Valley, Calif. No issue by either marriage.
- 7f. John T. Buchanan, b. 1-6-1887, Lincoln Co., Tenn. Farmer. Member Cumberland Church. m: Lorna Lee Wakefield, 4-3-1917. (b. 2-11-1893, dau. of Sam Wakefield. She died 1-18-1951.) Res: Fulton Addition, Fayetteville, Tenn. No issue.
- 8f. Willie B. Buchanan, b. 8-31-1888, Howell, Tenn. Merchant. Member Cumberland Presbyterian Church. m: Pauline Orrick, 6-1-1911. (b. 11-9-1890, dau. John Orrick). Res: Athens, Ala., Box 325.
- Ch: 1g. Harold Wright Buchanan, b. 12-11-1914. Used Car Manager. Baptist. m: Ruth Deming Sweetland, 8-13-1936. (b. 9-9-1916, dau. of Sig. and Grace

- Sweetland). Res: 10131 E. Outer Dr., Detroit, Mich.
 Ch: 1h. Pamela Buchanan, b. 11-3-1945.
 2h. Susan Dawn Buchanan, b. 2-4-1948.
 3h. Deming Wright Buchanan, b. 10-17-1949.
- 2g. William Harry Buchanan, b. 8-27-1917. Agricultural Agent. Methodist. m: Elsie Miller, 2-10-1935. (b. 2-11-1916, dau. of Chas. K. and Sarah Miller) Res: Rt. #6, Florence, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. James Daniel Buchanan, b. 7-23-1938.
 2h. Sarah Pauline Buchanan, b. 12-18-1942.
- 9f. Ora Lee Buchanan, b. 9-27-1891. d. 1937. m: Thomas P. Bryant, 1912. (b. 9-18-1890, son of Rufus.) Police Officer. Res: Rt. #2, Petersburg, Tenn.
 Ch: 1g. Virginia Bryant, b. 10-25-1914, Blakeville, Tenn. m: 1st: George Woodrow Scott, 11-23-1932. (Killed in an automobile accident, 7-30-1935.)
 Ch: 1h. George Thomas Scott, b. 7-15-1934. m: Annette Ruth Page, 2-12-1947. Address: 500 W. Washington St., Fayetteville, Tenn. c/o Mrs. James R. Sherwood. No issue.
 m: 2nd: James Robert Sherwood, 2-5-1938, Kelso, Tenn. Tank Truck Salesman for American Oil Co. (b. 9-16-1902, son of William Fulton Sherwood). Members of Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Res: 500 W. Washington St., Fayetteville, Tenn.
 Ch: 2h. James Robert Sherwood, Jr., b. 3-5-1939.
- 2g. Vernia Bryant, b. 7-21-1916, Lincoln Co., Tenn. m: J. W. George, 11-24-1937. (b. 1-11-1915, son of W. C. George). Salesman for Lance, Inc. Members of Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Res: West Commerce St., Lewisburg, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. William Gerald George, b. 1-4-1940.
 2h. Ralph David George, b. 3-16-1943.
 3h. Phylis Sue George, b. 9-1-1949.
- 3g. Fimmie Ruth Bryant (daughter), b. 11-14-1918, Petersburg, Tenn. m: Herman Scott, 1-6-1937, at Shelbyville, Tenn. (b. 7-13-1916, son of Ed. W. Scott). Merchant. Members of Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Res: Petersburg, Tenn.
 Ch: 1h. Wanda Lee Scott, b. 8-15-1937.
 2h. James Edward Scott, b. 4-10-1941.
 3h. Gary Alton Scott, b. 5-26-1946.
- 4e. David Milton Goodner, b. 1-26-1849. d. 8-28-1932. Grad. of School of Medicine, Univ. of Alabama in 1876, successor to the Old Mobile Medical College. Licensed to practice medicine in 1889, and practiced for 50 years. Resided in Fayetteville, Tenn., and was Mayor of the city at one time; also served as City Judge and Justice of the Peace. m: Naomi Rentz, 1876, in Texas, of German descent. (b. 6-10-1856. d. 4-16-1942.) Both interred in Kelso, Tenn.
 Ch: 1f. Dau. name unknown. b. abt. 1880. d. 1902. m: Dr. J. M. McWilliams. (d. 1-15-1917). No issue.
 2f. Daughter. d. infancy.
- 2d. Blooming Goodner, b. 1-30-1817, Huntsville, Ala. D. Abt. 1838.* A Methodist Minister. Died of exposure. Date of death established by letter of Dr. David Milton Goodner, which states that he died at age of 22. Single.
- 3d. Malinda Goodner, b. 2-24-1819, Madison Co., Ala. d. 1897. m: Rev. Henry C. Stilwell, 8-29-1838, Madison Co., Ala. Resided in Lone Oak, Hunt Co., Texas. Died there, and is interred in Hall Cemetery, near Lone Oak. Rev. Henry C. Stilwell, (b. 7-6-1814. d. 12-27-1873), was a Methodist Minister in the Methodist Protestant Church, a Circuit Rider; also farmed. Lived on a farm near Lone Oak, Texas, and which farm is still known as the "old Stilwell" place.
 Ch: 1e. Thomas Stilwell, b. abt. 1839. Died in St. Louis, Mo., during the early part of the Civil War, from pneumonia contracted by swimming the Mississippi River on a military mission, while the river was full of ice.
 2e. Orpha Stilwell, b. abt. 1840 or 1841. Little is known of her and nothing of her descendants. She married either a Mr. Petty or a Mr. Pride.
 3e. Blooming Goodner Stilwell, b. 1845. d. 1929. Farmer. m: Emma Cowan. (1844-1935). Lived in the Hall Community near Lone Oak, Texas, Hope Co. Members of the Methodist Protestant Church. Both interred in Hall Cemetery, near Lone Oak, Texas. No issue.
 4e. Mary Jane ("Jennie") Stilwell, b. 10-24-1851. d. 1-12-----). Interred in Lone Oak, Texas. Attended the old McKenzie College for girls at Clarksville, Texas, the first such college organized in Texas. m: 1st: Mr. Pride. No issue. m: 2nd: Mr. Chase.
 Ch: 1f. Charles Chase. Resided in Monticello, Iowa, and in Colo. Married in Wis. No further data.
 2f. Abbie Chase. Believed to be interred in Cisco, Texas. m: 1st: Mr. Panky. m: 2nd: Mr. Daniel. No issue by either marriage, but adopted a girl, Eliz., who became a

*See Appendix.

teacher.

- 3f. Bennie Chase, d. 1905 or 1906. Interred in Aguas Calientes, Mexico. m: Albert Patillo. (b. 1-10-1874. d. 2-28-1901. Interred in Hall Cemetery near Lone Oak, Texas.) No further data obtainable.

Mary Jane m: 3rd: Colonel Binford. No issue.

- 5e. William Henry Stilwell, b. 3-9-1855. d. 10-20-1942. Interred in Temple, Bell Co., Texas. Merchant and Hotel Owner. m: Anna E. Buchanan. (b. 12-21-1858. d. 5-22-1941. Interred in Temple, Bell Co., Texas). Members of Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Ch: 1f. Child. d. infancy.

2f. Ula Stilwell, m: Judson Neff. Had two children and resided in Texas.

- 6e. Thomas Pride Stilwell, b. 8-29-1863. d. 1-29-1932. Interred in Lone Oak, Texas. Named after the oldest child who lost his life as above described. School teacher, farmer, merchant, and Operator of a telephone system. Protestant Methodist. m: Mary Agnes Jones. (b. 4-10-1866. d. 11-2-1921, dau. Samuel Wesley Jones, a Methodist Minister).

Ch: 1f. Henry Wesley Stilwell, b. 8-4-1886, in Lone Oak, Texas. d. 11-29-1959, Texarkana,

Tex. Graduate of Univ. of Tex. with B.A. and M. A. Degrees. LLD Degree from Southwestern Univ. Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity. Started teaching in 1909, and in 1920 became Supt. of Independent School District in Texarkana, Tex., serving until 1955. In 1927, organized Texarkana Junior College, carrying on these duties in addition to the others. In 1955 the college was separated from the Independent School District, and Mr. Stilwell has been giving full time to it as President. It is now called The Texarkana College, Texarkana, Tex. Dr. Stilwell has the distinction of being the only man who ever served on every commission in the State of Texas for the study and replanning and extension of the public school system. Served as Chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Tex. State Teachers Ass'n, since 1934 and until his death. Was Rotary District Governor, and was presently serving as Director of East Texas Chamber of Commerce. Served as Chairman of Camping Committee of Caddo Boy Scouts of America, and is active in Texarkana Community Agencies. Had been continuously active in the public and civic life of Texarkana, and was successful director of various school and road bond issues. Dr. Stilwell is known and recognized as one of the ablest educators in the State of Tex., and was father of the Texas Teacher's Retirement Act, which has so greatly benefited the teaching profession in that State. In Jan. of 1959, he received the C. E. Palmer Award, granted by the Texarkana Chamber of Commerce by a secret committee, to the person, who in their opinion and considered judgement performed the most meritorious service for the City. The Palmer Award was created by the late publisher of the Gazette and Daily News, and is presented each year. Three testimonial dinners had been given to Dr. Stilwell for his outstanding services, one being in the year 1941, one being at the time he left the Suptcy. to devote his full time to the Presidency of Texarkana College, and the third was the College Regents Dinner in March of 1959. Dr. Stilwell was rejected because of physical disability in W.W. I, but was an active member of the Tex. State Guard in W.W. II, becoming a full Colonel in that organization in Northeast Tex. m: Jessie Maud Weatherly, 11-3-1909, in Lone Oak, Tex.



Dr. Henry Wesley Stilwell

(b. 2-18-1888, dau. of Thomas Monroe and Mae Cole Weatherly). Address: of Mrs. Stillwell: 1911 Olive, Texarkana, Texas.

Ch: 1g. Henrietta Maud Stilwell, b. 2-25-1911. m: Harvey S. Williams, Head of the Masonic Home and School at Ft. Worth, Tex. Address: Same.

Ch: 1h. Jane Ann Williams, b. 6-23-1945.

2h. Claire Williams, b. 6-2-1948.

3h. Henry Sinclair Williams, b. 8-5-1950.

4h. Harvey Tom Williams, b. Dec. 195-.

- 2g. Henry Wesley Stilwell, Jr., b. 9-13-1913. Insurance Adjuster. Served in W.W. II, as Sgt. Served in Germany. m: Virginia Clements, 6-26-1938. (b. 3-15-1917). Res: 1821 W. 17th St., Texarkana, Tex.

Ch: 1h. James Henry Stilwell, b. 11-22-1951. Adopted.

- 3g. Thomas Herbert Stilwell, b. 10-23-1918. Attorney. Colonel in W.W. II, with service in Okinawa and Japan. m: Shirley Peden. Res: 16 Rambling

- Rd., Palestine, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. Thomas Herbert Stilwell, Jr., b. 4-13-1951.
 2h. Shirley Susan Stilwell, b. 9-8-1953.
 3h. Ann Elizabeth Stilwell, b. 6-30-1955.
 4h. Henry Peden Stilwell, b. 8-4-1957.
- 2f. Winona Maud Stilwell, b. 5-9-1888. m: Finis A. Florence, 12-22-1907. (b. 4-7-1883, son of J. A.) Was a cotton buyer, rancher, and industrialist in various parts of Tex. Now retired. Presbyterians. Res: New London, Tex.
- Ch: 1g. Erma Ruth Florence, b. 4-5-1909. d. 11-9-1926.
 2g. Winona Marie Florence, b. 12-2-1911. m: 1st. R. R. Garner, 9-15-1934. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. Charles R. Garner, b. 6-8-1935. Machinist for Cameron Iron Works at Houston, Tex. m: Audry Shadwell, 9-31-1956. Res: 1518 W. 43rd St., Houston, Tex.
 Ch: 1i. Cathy Lucille Garner, b. 9-26-1957.
 m: 2nd: Jim Follis, 7-16-1950. Barber. Res: 2405 Ralph St., Houston, Tex. No issue.
- 3g. Finis A. Florence, Jr., b. 6-21-1914. Bookkeeper and Warehouseman, m: Eliz. Marie Dial, 9-14-1947. Div'd. Aug. 1950. Res: New London, Tex. Box 305. No issue.
- 4g. Walter W. Florence, b. 7-21-1916. Area Production Supt. for Gen. Crude Oil Co. m: Clara Collins, 11-3-1940. Res: 2019 Webster St., Liberty, Tex.
 Ch: 1h. Janie Ruth Florence, b. 10-20-1941.
 2h. Judy Roe Florence, b. 6-13-1948.
 3h. Vickey Suzanne Florence, b. 12-10-1952.
- 5g. Maud Janet ("Jane") Florence, b. 7-10-19--. d. 10-21-1939.
- 6g. Agnes Joan Florence, b. 1-1-1930. m: A. L. Herrin, Jr., 5-21-1950. Div'd. Agnes is Sec. for Thad Feldon Ford Agency in Baytown, Tex. Res: 909 N. Jones St., Baytown, Tex.
 Ch: 1h. Rebecca Ann Herrin, b. 12-31-1950.
 2h. Wesley Lee Herrin, b. 8-23-1953.
 3h. Billy Joe Herrin, b. 10-31-1954.
- 3f. May Oma Stilwell, b. 12-19-1894. d. 10-24-1918, Tyler, Texas.
- 4d. Samuel Goodner, b. 2-6-1822. d. childhood, Madison Co., Ala.
- 5d. Eliza Bennis Goodner, b. 12-6-1823. m: John H. Harper, 11-10-1847. In the will of David Goodner, it states, "Having given to my dau. Eliza Bernice (or Bennis), wife of John H. Harper, a house (or horse, the writing is not clear) and other property, I here add a cow and calf, and to John H. Harper, her husband, two hundred and eighty-five dollars to be paid to him by my son, Superior Goodner, the first day of Jan. one thousand eight hundred and fifty and with interest from the first day of Jan. one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine." From this we learn that Eliza and her husband were living in Madison Co., Ala., in 1849. Further information is lacking.
- 6d. Martha Thompson Goodner, b. 3-20-1827, Madison Co., Ala. d. 11-20-1898. Martha died in the home of her dau., Orpha Jane Roden. m: Thomas W. Ice, 11-30-1848, in Madison Co., Ala. Marriage ceremony performed by Henry R. Beaver, Minister. Thomas W. Ice was born 5-2-1827 and died 9-15-1862, son of Thomas W. Ice, Sr., and Sarah Barnett (or Barnard). Resided in Marshall Co., Ala. Place of internment unknown.
 Ch: 1e. Matilda E. Ice, b. abt. 1850. m: M. V. Riche.
 2e. Blooming H. Ice, b. 12-29-1851, in Ala. d. 2-17-1931. Interred in Hollis, Okla. Moved to Bonita, Montague Co., Tex. Farmer. m: Eliz. ("Betty") Roden, 7-22-1874. (b. 11-3-1854 in Marshall Co., Ala. d. Sept. 1930) Resided in Bonita, Tex.
 Ch: 1f. Minnie Ice, b. 9-17-1875, in Ala. d. 6-3-1958. Interred in Hollis, Okla. m: Travis Elijah Longley, 2-21-1890 in Tex. Resided in or near Hollis, Okla. Baptist. Possibly followed the occupation of farming.
 Ch: 1g. Mable Eliz. Longley, b. 4-26-1897, in Tex. m: Armond Elgin Batten, 8-29-1915. (b. 2-3-1895, son of William and Lina Batten.) Farmer. Baptist. Res: Rt. #3, Hollis, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Audra Mae Batten, b. 9-11-1918. d. 11-7-1935.
 2g. Jessie Huston Longley, b. 2-7-1903. Farmer. Baptist. m: Opal Fillpot, 11-13-1921. (b. 3-9-1905, dau. of Jim and Minnie Fillpot.) Res: Hollis, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Jessie Faye Longley, b. 10-1-1922.
 2h. Mary Louise Longley, b. 10-1-1924.
 3h. Frank ("Billy") Longley, b. 5-24-1926.
 4h. Max Ray Longley, b. 3-8-1928.
 5h. Doris Sue Longley, b. 6-19-1929.
 6h. Donald Wayne Longley, b. 3-26-1931.
 7h. Lavenia Longley, b. 1-28-1935.

- 3g. Ethel Jewell Longley, b. 10-9-1905. m: Raymond Chester Fillpot, 5-17-192-. (b. 4-27-1903. d. 11-10-1957, son of Jim and Minnie Fillpot.) Ethel resides in Hollis, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Wanda Beth Fillpot, b. 9-5-1931.
- 4g. Franklin Henry Longley, b. 11-24-1907. Federal Employee. Baptist. Res: Amarillo, Tex. m: Valree Lera McKinnely, 12-29-1928. (b. 3-4-1908, dau. of Bob McKinnely.)
Ch: 1h. Jimmy Frank Longley, b. 12-9-1930.
- 2f. Ollie Goodner Ice, b. 6-22-1877, Marshall Co., Ala. d. 8-13-1960, Hollis, Okla. m: John H. Longley, 1894, Montague Co., Tex. Baptists. John died Nov. 1929, Spearman, Tex. Interred in Hollis, Okla.; in family plot. Ollie res. with granddaughter.
Ch: 1g. Allie Longley, b. 1-3-1895. m: George W. Crain, 11-3-1915. (d. 1-3-1950 at Lubbock, Tex. Interred in Hollis, Okla.) Res: 311 E. Purdue, Lubbock, Tex.
Ch: 1h. Roberta Crain, b. 9-17-1916, Harmon Co., Okla. m: William H. Parker, 3-23-1935 at Hollis, Okla. Res: 311 E. Purdue, Lubbock, Tex. Baptists. No issue.
- 3f. Myra Ice, b. abt. 1879. d. 1951. Interred in Abernathy, Tex. m: Bock Howard, abt. 1898. (b. 12-22-1873.) Mr. Howard living with son, Clifford, in Abernathy, Tex. Box 55.
Ch: 1g. Virgil Howard, b. 4-24-1901, at Bonita, Texas. Livestock Dealer. m: Frances Eliz. Drake, 12-9-1923, dau. of A. O. Drake of Friona, Tex. Baptists. Res: Bonita, Tex.
Ch: 1h. Josh Truman Howard, b. 10-11-1937. Serving with U. S. Marines, - 1958.
- 2g. Minnie Howard, b. 1899. m: Mr. Graves.
Ch: 1h. Troy Blooming Graves. Res: Snyder, Scurry Co., Tex. (There may have been other children but could not secure data.)
- 3g. Ruby Howard, b. 1-28-1906, Bonita, Tex. m: John L. Gayle, 12-25-1925, son of W.M. Gayle. m: Abernathy, Tex. Farmer. Baptist. (b. 9-7-1904) Res: Rt. #3, Lamar, Ark.
Ch: 1h. Claudine Gayle, b. 3-30-1929. m: Loyd Dillard. Res: Rt. #2, Box 50, Clarksville, Ark.
Ch: 1i. Joyce Ann Dillard, b. 11-4-1946.
2i. Johny Loyd Dillard, b. 5-30-1948.
3i. Charles Ray Dillard, b. 8-4-1949.
4i. Judy Faye Dillard, b. 2-14-1951.
5i. Terry Roe Dillard, b. 10-6-1956.
- 2h. Corine Gayle, b. 3-6-1932. m: 1st: John Wayne Killough.
Ch: 1i. Shirley June Killough, b. 10-17-1948.
2i. Jackie Allen Killough, b. 7-13-1951.
m: 2nd: Edward Shafer. Res: Rt. #2, Summerville, Mo. No issue.
- 3h. Robert Wayne Gayle, b. 2-19-1936. m: Virginia Gail Wadley. Res: Rt. #2, Lamar, Ark. 1958-No issue.
- 4h. Barbara May Gayle, b. 9-8-1942.
- 4g. Travis Howard. Res: Amarillo, Texas.
- 5g. Clifford Howard, b. 4-11-1916, Montague Co., Tex. Salesman. Baptist. m: Ada Mae Brunson, 12-31-1943, at Plainview, Tex. (b. 4-21-1921, dau. J.O. Brunson.) Res: Abernathy, Texas, Box 55.
Ch: 1h. Ada Carol Howard, b. 2-1-1949.
2h. Jerry Wayne Howard, b. 8-12-1950.
- 6g. Beulah Howard. m: Mr. Wilson. Last known address, 604 E. 9th St., Amarillo, Texas. Letters addressed there were returned. Also tried 1908 S. Pierce St., Amarillo, Tex. Letters were likewise returned.
- 7g. Lucille Howard, b. 1-23-1919, Montague Co., Tex. m: 1st: Austin Dale Sublett, (b. 5-23-1919.) Truck Driver.
Ch: 1h. Doris Dalyene Sublett, b. 2-13-1937. m: Billy Van Phillips, 10-30-1954. Res: 1314 Sunset Blvd., Odessa, Tex. No recd. of issue.
2h. Alvin Clinton Sublett, b. 1-6-1939.
m: 2nd: Allen David Phillips, 1-5-1953. (b. 9-14-1920, son of L.C. Phillips) Pit Foreman. Baptist. Served in Air Force. Res: Royalty, Ward Co., Tex. No issue.
- 4f. Thomas Portland Ice, b. 3-10-1881. d. 9-3-1937. Farmer and Rancher. Resided in Bonita, Tex. m: Nora Longley, 8-28-1898. Bonita, Tex. (b. 9-9-1880. d. 4-17-1956, dau. of Isaac and Mary Longley. Nora b. in Missouri.)
Ch: 1g. Elsie Ice, b. 6-11-1899, Bonita, Texas. m: George Murphy Wagonseller,

- 4-24-1927, (b. 3-20-1890, son of Riley.) Stock Farmer. Res: Bonita, Tex. No issue.
- 2g. Boss Ice, b. 9-18-1900. d. 4-6-1934. m:-----.
- Ch: 1h. Alton Ice. Res: 1705 N. Highland, Sherman, Tex.
 2h. Cletis Ice. Res: 1225 Hamsteds, Ft. Worth, Texas.
 3h. Mary Ice. m: Mr. Arbuckle. Res: Andrews, Tex. Box 869.
- 3g. Leonard Ice, b. 5-22-1902, near Bonita, Tex. Rancher. Baptist. m: Para Lee Wilson, 3-11-1925. (b. 8-6-1906, dau. G.W. Wilson.) Res: Rt. #1, St. Jo, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Margie Ice, b. 3-8-1925. d. 3-31-1929.
 2h. Doyce Ice, b. 10-19-1930. m: Betty Ingram. Res: 1508 Jo Ann Dr., Garland, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Catherine Ice.
 2i. Rhonda Lee Ice.
 3h. Calvin Ice, b. 8-6-1924. Called "Ronnie". Married & divorced. Issue - 1 boy.
- 4g. Herbert V. Ice, b. 12-24-1903, Bonita, Tex. In Construction Work. m: Violet Vada Gill, 11-15-1924. Members First Baptist Southern Church. Res: 1508 Earl St., Commerce, Tex. (Violet Vada Gill, b. 2-23-1904, Point, Tex., dau. Henry C. and Fannie Gill.)
- Ch: 1h. Laura Dean Ice, b. 8-30-1925. m: Charles B. Hilderbrand, 7-19-1942. Res: 1508 Earl St., Commerce, Tex. No recd. of issue.
- 5g. Effie Ice, b. 11-11-1905. m: Roy Hurley, 11-25-1923. (b. 1-8-1904, son of T.J.) Merchant. Baptist. Res: Rt. #1, St. Jo, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. Imagene Hurley, b. 11-22-1924. d. 3-15-1945.
 2h. Elsie Lee Hurley, b. 10-31-1926. m: George Morgan, 10-5-1940. Montague, Tex. Driller. Served in Army. Baptists. Res: Nocona, Texas. Gen'l. Delivery.
 Ch: 1i. Georgia Louise Morgan, b. 10-23-1948. Adopted.
 2i. Mary Ruth Morgan, b. 4-21-1950.
 3i. Sammy Lee Morgan, b. 1-2-1954.
 4i. Danny Wayne Morgan, b. 1-18-1956.
 3h. Joyce Hurley, b. 1-26-1929. m: Alvin J. Mitchell, 7-26-1946. Ft. Worth, Tex. Postoffice Clerk. Navy 1943 to 1945. Baptists. Res: 1830 Riverside Dr., San Angelo, Texas.
 Ch: 1i. Michael Lynn Mitchell, b. 10-3-1947.
 2i. Linda Joyce Mitchell, b. 1-26-1949.
 3i. Thomas Ray Mitchell, b. 5-18-1950.
 4i. Kenneth Wayne Mitchell, b. 8-18-1952.
- 6g. Bonnie Ice, b. 4-21-1910, Bonita, Montague Co., Tex. m: Roy Claton Ellis, 10-11-1930. (b. 1-30-1908, son of Marion D.) Railroad Construction Foreman. Baptists. Temp. Address: Hillside Terrace Ct., Saratoga Springs, N.Y. Permanent Address: R.F.D. #11, Box 272, Okla. City, Okla.
- Ch: 1h. Mildred Ellis, b. 9-30-1931. d. 7-20-1932.
 2h. Harold Ellis, b. 3-20-1934. d. 11-17-1937.
 3h. Jo Ann Ellis, b. 10-14-1944.
- 7g. Flossie Ice, b. 5-30-1912, Bonita, Tex. (Twin) m: Eugene Taylor. (b. 5-30-1921, son Eugene D.) Butcher. Baptist. Res: P.O. Box 396, Ayzel, Texas.
- 8g. Flora Mae Ice, b. 5-30-1912, Bonita, Tex. (Twin) m: 1st: Otis Howard. (b. 10-17-1912) Employed by Nacona Leather Goods Co. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. Geneva Howard, b. 6-29-1931, Bonita, Tex. m: Clay Dean Roach, 9-14-1947, Bonita, Tex. (b. 4-30-1926, son of Clay H.) Res: 3615 N. Harding St., Ft. Worth, Texas.
 Ch: 2i. Vickey Gayle Roach, b. 1-27-1953.
 Flora Mae m: 2nd: Newell Vernon Dean, 6-18-1837.*
- 9g. Cecil Ice, b. 8-6-1914, Bonita, Tex. With Plumper-Texas Co. Baptist. m: Miss Hillis. (b. 1-25-1918, dau. Ollis Hillis.) Res: 320 Hudspeth, Bowie, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. Cecilia Kay Ice, b. 2-13-1944, Gainesville, Texas.
- 10g. Doyle Ice, b. 12-23-1916, St. Jo, Tex. Farmer and Rancher. Baptist. m: Gladys Buck, 11-22-1936. (b. 1-28-1916, dau. of Pleasie Buck.) Res: Rt. #1, St. Jo, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. Donald Gene Ice, b. 12-16-1937.
 2h. Betty Ice, b. 12-13-1939. m: Louis Hillard. Res: Nocona, Montague Co., Texas. No issue.
 3h. Tommie Sue Ice, b. 1-10-1942.

*See Appendix.

- 4h. Maxine Ice, b. 4-6-1943.
 5h. Jimmie Ice, b. 7-11-1944.
 6h. Gayle Ice, b. 9-23-1945.
 7h. Carole Ice, b. 4-28-1947.
 8h. Judy Ice, b. 1-3-1949.
 11g. Otis Ice, b. 7-6-1920. d. 4-23-1928.
- 5f. Allen Houston Ice, b. 11-11-1883. d. 12-16-1951. Interred in Porterville, Calif. Farmer, and later a sales clerk. Member Missionary Baptist Church. m: 1st: Mary Elizabeth Langford, (b. 2-20-1886. d. 4-24-1924, dau. John Thomas and Nancy Ann (Case) Langford. Interred in cemetery named Center Point, located 4 miles north of St. Jo, Texas.) Sister to Mrs. Flora Jordan, Rt. #2 Box 171, Nocona, Tex.
 Ch: 1g. Luther Allen Ice, b. 3-14-1905, Bonita, Tex. Street Commissioner for Hollis, Okla. Baptist. m: Ona Price, 11-4-1923. (b. 10-15-1906, dau. W. M. Price) Res: Hollis, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Kenneth Wayne Ice, b. 2-20-1939.
- 2g. Olen Thomas Ice, b. 4-27-1907, Bonita, Tex. Roofing Foreman. Protestant. m: Lucy Magnolia Mitchell, March 1929. (b. 3-19-1915, dau. Maggie Mitchell) Res: 527 Chestnut St., Redwood City, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Donna Kay Ice, b. 4-7-1943.
- 3g. Ray W. Ice, b. 10-21-1909, Montague, Tex. Roofer. Baptist. Res: 516 Bradley, San Jose, Calif. m: Rosa Pearl Ray, 12-22-1929. (b. 8-26-1912, dau. Edgar and Beulah Ray.)
 Ch: 1h. Winston Edward Ice, b. 10-10-1932, Vinson, Okla. Electrical Engineer. Navy, W.W.II. m: Angelina C. Gomez, 12-28-1955, in Reno, Nev. (b. 6-1-1937, dau. Torribio and Louise Gomez.) Res: 5026 Noella Way, San Jose 24, Calif.
 Ch: 1i. Ronald Wayne Ice, b. 9-1-1957.
- 4g. Ethel Ice, b. 10-11-1912, Montague Co., Tex. m: 1st: Clarence Harris. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. Vaughn Dell Harris, b. 1-2-1932, Mobeetie, Texas. m: Robert Pang, 10-11-1954. His father was Hawaiian and mother was Chinese. Robert attended college in Los Angeles. His occupation is Television Technician. Served in U.S. Army. Res: 718-A-22nd Ave., Honolulu, Hawaii
 Ch: 1i. Karen Elaine Pang, b. 3-27-1956, in Hollywood, Calif.
 2i. Cynthia Dawn Pang, b. 11-6-1957 in Honolulu, T.H.
 m: 2nd: Carl Homer Morrow, 3-10-1953. (b. 9-10-1916, son Truman Morrow) Carpenter. Res: 2616-9th St., Ceres, Calif. No issue.
- 5g. Eldon N. Ice, b. 10-27-1916, St. Jo, Tex. Foreman. Member Church of Christ. Served in Armed Forces 1 year. m: Edith Ramsey, 9-5-1937. (b. 7-22-1917 dau. Ada Ramsey) Res: 124 Brookside, San Jose, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Gary Ice, b. 6-9-1944, at Porterville, Calif.
 2h. Norman Ice, b. 7-23-1939, Porterville, Calif. Res: 500 Page Ave., San Jose, Calif. Married but name of wife not known.
- 6g. Lorene Ice, b. 5-17-1920, Montague Co., Tex. m: Ray Steve Bonds, 6-12-1940. (b. 1-19-1917, son Roey Jack Bonds.) Machinist. Baptist. Navy. Res: 15272 Charmeron Ave., San Jose 24, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Mary Jane Bonds, b. 9-14-1941, San Jose, Calif.
 2h. Sandra Bonds, b. 4-30-1947, San Jose, Calif.
 3h. Steven Scott Bonds, b. 2-22-1956, San Jose, Calif.
- 7g. James T. Ice, b. 10-28-1923, Hollis, Okla. Sales Manager. Baptist. Army 1-1-1943 to 3-11-1946. Res: 2227 S. Church St., Visalia, Calif. m: Mary Ellen Coffey, 8-1-1942. (b. 2-14-1925, dau. Albert and Jessie Coffey.)
 Ch: 1h. Kristen Ann Ice, b. 11-25-1953, Visalia, Calif.
 2h. Terrance Ray Ice, b. 6-8-1956, Visalia, Calif.
- Allen Houston Ice m: 2nd: Sibyl O. Clark, 12-23-1924. (b. 5-6-1903, dau. Arthur Lorenzo Clark) at Hollis, Okla. Res: 1428 N. 2nd. St., Porterville, Calif.
 Ch: 8g. Berniece Ice, b. 1-6-1926, Hollis, Okla. m: Eddie Baquiao, 10-13-1949. (b. 11-15-1911, son Nemesio Baquiao.) Catholic. Chief Cook. Army 3 years. Res: 7235 S. Haas, Los Angeles, 47, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Eddie Baquiao, Jr., b. 12-25-1954.
- 9g. Arthur Allen Ice, b. 7-7-1928. Shamrock, Tex. Fine Wire Drawer. Protestant. Served in Army, Navy, and Air Force W.W.II. m: Frances Johnson, 9-17-1955. (b. 12-14-1933, dau. Noah Elmer and Oda Johnson.) Res: 11127 E. Elliott, El Monte, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Arleen Annette Ice, b. 2-12-1957.

- 2h. Darla Jean Ice, b. 7-18-1958.
- 10g. Jewel Ice, b. 9-27-1933, Tulare, Calif. m: Ben Edlar Hawthorne, 12-14-1950. Upholsterer. Baptist. Res: 1530 Victory Lane, Porterville, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Benny Allen Hawthorne, b. 10-1-1955.
2h. Belinda Jewell Hawthorne, b. 9-30-1956.
3h. Vickie Sue Hawthorne, b. 10-22-1958.
- 6f. Herman V. Ice, b. 8-1-1891, Montague Co., Tex. Occupation-Cook. Protestant. Res: 918 N. Main St., Wichita, Kansas. m: 1st: Stella Southard, 2-8-1918, Bonita, Texas. Deceased.
Ch: 1g. Mandell Ice, b. 12-10-1918. m: Mr. McLaughlin. Divorced.
Ch: 1h. Barbara Peak McLaughlin, b. 2-19-1942.
m: 2nd: Wilma Frederick, 8-10-1949, Wichita, Kan. (b. 1-17-1911, dau. Richard & Jennie Frederick.) No issue.
- 3e. Sarah Franklin Ice, b. abt. 1855. d. 7-30-1880. Interred in Walkers Ceme., Guntersville, Ala. m: David Wright. Apparently resided in the vicinity of Guntersville, Ala.
Ch: 1f. Mattie Wright, b. 9-22-1877. d. 2-18-1932. m: Will Allen, 10-15-1895. (b. 11-22-1872. d. 1-17-1931) Interment in Walker Cemetery, Guntersville, Ala.
Ch: 1g. Atha Allen, b. 6-27-1894. m: Rupert Burke, 2-6-1914. (d. 3-6-1944.)
Res: of Atha: Rt. #2, Guntersville, Ala.
Ch: Son. d. age 9 days.
- 2g. Ethel Goodner Allen, b. 6-13-1897, Guntersville, Ala. m: Jesse Keltner, 8-14-1913. (d. 1-20-1944.) Was Mechanic for Southern Railway. Ethel employed in Dept. Store in Somerset, Ky. Res: 805 N. Main St., Somerset, Ky.
Ch: 1h. Lillian Keltner, b. 2-9-1918, Springfield, Mo. m: Abe Lincoln Strunk, 10-10-1944, at Somerset, Ky. Carpenter with Simmons Mattress Co. Methodist. (b. 4-9-1915, son L. Arch Strunk of Ferguson, Ky.) W.W.II, 1942-1945, Army. In Aleutians for 27 months. Lillian is a teacher in the 5th grade at the Lee L. Caldwell School, Hammond, Ind. Res: 8216 Sycamore St., Highland, Ind. No issue.
2h. Jessee Allen Keltner, b. 3-13-1934, Somerset, Ky. An Instructor in Hammond, Ind, Public Schools, Methodist. 1st Lieut. Artillery, 7-1-1955 to 7-1-1957. m: Margie Ann Rasnick, 7-1-1956, Cumberland, Ky. (b. 6-23-1934, dau. Charlie H. Rasnick of Cumberland, Ky.) Both Jesse and wife are attending the Univ. of Ind., he for a Masters Degree in Education Administration, which should be granted in August of 1959. Res: 4242 Johnson Ave., Hammond, Ind. No issue.
- 3g. Gertrude Allen, b. 9-20-1900. d. Feb. 1940. m: B. B. Anderson of Waco, Texas. No further data.
- 4g. Nannie Allen, b. 5-31-1902. d. 6-27-1958. Interred in Walkers Cemetery Guntersville, Ala. m: Farney Smith. No issue.
- 5g. Robert Allen, b. 3-28-1904. m: Nannie Franks. Res: Rt. #4, Guntersville, Ala. No issue.
- 6g. Wright Allen, b. 1-4-1906. Employed by an oil company. m: Gladys Bowden of Linden, Tex. (d. 2-17-1936.) Res: 5490 Airline Highway, Baton Rouge, La.
Ch: 1h. Kathryn Allen, m: Waymon Berry of Arab, Ala. Res: 2515 Roland Rd., Huntsville, Ala.
Ch: 1i. Ronnie Berry, b. abt. 1945.
2i. Jimmie Berry, b. abt. 1948.
3i. Celia Berry, b. abt. 1953.
2h. J. Allen. m: Effie Hatcher. Res: Baton Rouge, La. 5490 Airline Highway. No issue.
- 7g. Ilene Allen, b. 3-30-1908. d. 2-11-1951. Interred in Walkers Cemetery Guntersville, Ala. m: W. R. Clark, Guntersville, Ala. (d. 12-6-1958.)
Ch: 1h. Harold Clark, b. 5-8-1927, Arab, Ala. Research Chemist. Employed by Huntsville Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala. W.W.II- Army. Baptist. m: Dorothea Love, 9-6-1949. (b. 11-10-1929, dau. D. E. and Henrietta Love of Heber Springs, Ark.) Res: Circle Dr., Guntersville, Ala.
Ch: 1i. Gail Ann Clark, b. 10-23-1951.
2i. Gena Sue Clark, b. 2-28-1955.
3i. William Edward Clark, b. 8-25-1956.
- 4e. Orpha Jane ("Jennie") Ice, b. 9-26-1857. d. 6-13-1931, Pisgah, Ala. m: Jeremiah Roden, Sr., 12-19-1877. (b. 3-15-1855. d. 10-25-1936. Son of Andrew Moore Roden, b. 2-1-1828, d. 6-

18-1900, and Elizabeth Jane Roden, nee Reed, b. 2-27-1829. d. 9-9-1887. Andrew Moore Roden was the son of Jeremiah and Margaret Roden.) Farmer. Baptist. Resided in Custer City, Marshall Co., Ala., from 1884 until death of Jennie in 1931, at which time she was in the Pisgah Community in Jackson Co. Interred in Pisgah Community Cemetery, Pisgah, Ala.

- Ch: 1f. Thomas Andrew Roden, b. 1-12-1879. d. 3-12-1880.
- 2f. Donnie Ice Roden, b. 3-2-1881. M: Rosa A. King, 1-24-1909. Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah.
- Ch: 1g. Lila D. Roden, b. 12-1-1909. m: Daniel Albert Patterson, 5-17-1927. (b. 10-16-1899.) Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Marjorie Ruth Patterson, b. 4-9-1928. m: Jessie Lee Allen, 11-10-1944. (b. 9-1-1925.) Res: Hixson, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Jimmie David Allen, b. 11-10-1949.
- 2i. Dennis Lee Allen, b. 11-8-1950.
- 3i. Martha Ann Allen, b. 11-28-1953.
- 4i. Thomas Neil Allen, b. 8-26-1955. d. 6-6-1956.
- 2h. Ora Elaine Patterson, b. 8-29-1929. m: John Will Tipton, 4-5-1947. (b. 8-27-1935) Res: Rt. #1, Henagan, Ala.
- Ch: 1i. Brenda Carol Tipton, b. 12-22-1947.
- 2i. Mary Teresa Tipton, b. 4-12-1954.
- 3h. Daniel Ice Patterson, b. 5-20-1931. m: Helen Gaither, 6-19-1953. (b. 6-4-1936.) Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1i. David Alfred Patterson, b. 5-5-1954.
- 2i. James Donald Patterson, b. 10-3-1955.
- 3i. Daniel Edward Patterson, b. 3-13-1957.
- 4h. Mattie Rose Patterson, b. 5-3-1934. d. same day.
- 5h. Alta Delaris Patterson, b. 7-30-1938. m: Herschel Edward Woods, 12-26-1956. (b. 6-11-1938.) Res: Box 310, Howard AFB, Canal Zone. No issue as of 1958.
- 6h. Donald Albert Patterson, b. 2-9-1943.
- 2g. Jerry Hugh Roden, b. 4-3-1912, Pisgah, Ala. m: Lillie Pearl Gant, 3-9-1935. (b. 2-26-1911, at Scottsboro, Ala.) Res; Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Shelby Jean Roden, b. 8-25-1936, Pisgah, Ala. m: Robert McFaden, 1-7-1957. Res: 2709 South Wayne St., Apt. 2, Arlington, Va.
- Ch: 1i. Carol McFaden, b. 11-22-1957, at U.S. Naval Hosp., Bethesda, Md.
- 2h. Billy Don Roden, b. 7-21-1938, Pisgah, Ala.
- 3h. Mary Sue Roden, b. 3-5-1946, Pisgah, Ala.
- 3g. Orpha Dean Roden, b. 12-11-1913. m: Lloyd Vann Gant, 12-29-1942. (b. 7-8-1916) Res: 4344 41st. St. North, Birmingham, Ala. No issue.
- 4g. William Herbert Roden, b. 12-11-1915. m: Agnes Valvree Wortham, 8-10-1940. (b. 3-4-1917, dau. Joseph Virgle and Myrtle Wortham.) Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. William Joseph Roden, b. 6-18-1943.
- 5g. Donald A. Roden, b. 3-1-1918. Killed at Saipan, W. W. II, 7-12-1944.
- 6g. Gordon Blooming Roden, b. 4-24-1920. m: Forestine Hall, 7-27-1947. (b. 3-4-1931, dau. of M. M. Hall.) Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Loretta Gail Roden, b. 3-15-1949.
- 2h. Bruce Dale Roden, b. 11-13-1951.
- 7g. Elizabeth Hazel Roden, b. 11-7-1922. m: Tolliver Lay Fayette Patterson, 4-16-1945. Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Linda Nell Patterson, b. 4-20-1946.
- 2h. Rebecca Dean Patterson, 9-18-1949.
- 3h. Donna Rosake Patterson, b. 9-28-1955.
- 8g. Milton Moore Roden, b. 4-17-1925. m: Geneva Long, June 1947 (b. 1928) 1st: marriage. Res: Rt. #2, Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Bobbie Roden, b. 3-23-1948.
- m: 2nd: Nellie Maye Hixon, 2-19-1951.
- Ch: 2h. Sharon Patricia Roden, b. 7-4-1954.
- 9g. Elora Allie Roden, b. 1-8-1928. m: Ross Lindburg Cross, May 1950. Res: 215 Nassau St., Dayton 10, Ohio.
- Ch: 1h. Walter La Don Cross, b. 2-12-1952.
- 2h. Iris Elora Cross, b. 12-11-1953.
- 3h. Marsha Lynn Cross, b. 4-6-1957.
- 3f. Elizabeth ("Lizzie") Thompson Roden, b. 10-23-1883, Claysville, Marshall Col, Ala. d. 4-11-1960. Resided with sister, Allie.
- 4f. Allie Lutitia Roden, b. 6-21-1886, in "Honey Comb Valley", Marshall Co., Ala. A

- teacher all her working years, - now retired. Never married. Res: Pisgah, Ala.
- 5f. Ola Roden, b. 10-21-1889, Pisgah, Ala. m: Joseph Vander Wheeler, Sr., 1-24-1909. (b. 10-21-1889, son Cicero Wheeler.) Res: Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1g. Ada Belle Wheeler, b. 11-30-1909. d. 2-7-1951. Single.
- 2g. Mary Elizabeth Wheeler, b. 6-30-1912. m: William Troy McConathy, 7-1-1933. (b. 3-30-1908.) Moulder. Baptist. Res: 2719 Alton Park Blvd., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Wilma Fay McConathy, b. 12-6-1935. m: Earl Kenneth Oliver, 1-2-1954. (b. 5-1-1924.)
- Ch: 1i. Vickie Oliver, b. 2-15-1956.
- 2i. Donita Oliver, b. 6-20-1957.
- 2h. William De Wayne McConathy, b. 12-13-1949.
- 3g. Orpah Pearl Wheeler, b. 12-23-1914. m: Clyde Terry McBrayer, 4-29-1933. (b. 6-6-1910.) Butcher. Presbyterian. Res: 689 Home Ave., Atlanta, Ga.
- Ch: 1h. William Clyde McBrayer, b. 2-22-1934. m: Gloria Jean Wood, 12-20-1953. (b. 2-19-1936.)
- Ch: 1i. William Clyde McBrayer, Jr., b. 9-23-1955.
- 4g. Joseph Vander Wheeler, Jr., b. 9-20-1918. Mechanic. m: Marie Lavader Coots, 9-24-1935. (b. 7-19-1920, dau. Albert Coots.) Res: Rossville, Ga.
- Ch: 1h. Joseph Albert Wheeler, b. 7-7-1936. m: Hazel Louise Medley, 4-9-1955. (b. 1-3-1937.)
- Ch: 1i. Stephen Vander Wheeler, b. 11-5-1957.
- 2h. Bobby Allen Wheeler, b. 12-6-1937.
- 3h. Howard Eugene Wheeler, b. 1-27-1940. m: Hattie Mae Davis, 4-6-1957. (b. 6-15-1940.)
- Ch: 1i. William Eugene Wheeler, b. 2-26-1958.
- 4h. Wendell La Don Wheeler, b. 6-6-1943.
- 5h. Donald Ray Wheeler, b. 10-4-1945.
- 6h. Linda Ann Wheeler, b. 8-16-1947.
- 7h. Lamon David Wheeler, b. 10-12-1948.
- 8h. Brenda Delois Wheeler, b. 9-7-1950.
- 5g. Allie L. Wheeler, b. 10-14-1920. m: Mary Ellen Moore, 11-18-1939. (b. 4-7-1921) Div'd. Res: 3310 De Long St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Mark Allen Wheeler, b. 12-14-1941.
- m: 2nd: June Marie Roberson. (b. 6-3-1935.) No issue as of 1958.
- 6f. William Herbert Roden, Sr., b. 4-18-1893, Pisgah, Ala. Member of Examining Staff of Federal Home Loan Bank of Cincinnati, O. Baptist. Res: Bluff City, Tenn. m: Pearl White. (Her 2nd marriage) Dau. J. R. Foust.
- Ch: 1g. William Herbert Roden, Jr., b. 10-1-1922, Chattanooga, Tenn. Pilot U.S. Air Force W.W. II, Dean of Students at Carson Newman College, Jefferson City, Tenn. m: Mary Frances Buttrey, 11-20-1943. (b. 10-21-1923, dau. Clarence E. and Bessie Luthen Buttrey.)
- Ch: 1h. William Clarence Roden, b. 4-20-1949.
- 2h. John Robert Roden, b. 9-6-1952.
- 3h. Gary Luthen Roden, b. 1-30-1956.
- 2g. Dorothy White Roden, b. 12-4-1925, Bluff City, Tenn. m: John William Matthews, 12-1-1951, at Balboa Union Church, Balboa, Canal Zone. (b. 1-11-1914, son of John Michael Matthews, Scottsboro, Ala.) Property and Supply Clerk in U.S. Army. Res: Diablo Heights, Box 143, Canal Zone, Panama. No issue as of 1958.
- 7f. Jeremiah Roden, Jr., b. 3-13-1898, Pisgah, Ala. Farmer. Saw Mill Owner. Baptist. m: Clara V. Woodfin, 3-5-1922, dau. of John Woodfin, Res: Pisgah, Ala.
- Ch: 1g. Jeremiah Roden III, b. 3-13-1923. Editor of "Auburn Alumnews". Baptist. m: Rebecca Harris, 6-16-1947. (b. 3-17-1928, dau. Oscar Greene Harris) Res: 111 Micham Ave., Auburn, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Jerry Wayne Roden, b. 9-15-1948.
- 2h. Ruth Roden, b. 12-7-1949. (Twin)
- 3h. Inez Roden, b. 12-7-1949. (Twin)
- 2g.) Twins b. 4-6-1924.
- 3g.) Died at birth.
- 4g. Clydabelle Roden, b. 7-7-1925. m: J.E. Edmonds, 8-23-1946. (b. 1-30-1924, son of C.H.) Res: Gaylesville, Ala. Baptists. Both in the teaching profession.
- Ch: 1h. Ralph Edwards Edmonds, b. 5-4-1950.
- 2h. Teresa Ruth Edmonds, b. 9-26-1951.
- 5g. Mattie Ruth Roden, b. 12-21-1926. Dec'd.

- 6g. Mary Elizabeth Roden, b. 10-23-1928. m: J. Aubrey Davis, a Dentist. (b. 1-15-1925.) Baptists. Res: 208 Miller St., Apt. 1, Albertville, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Jonathan Aubrey Davis, Jr., b. 12-18-1956.
2h. James Roden Davis, b. 3-13-1958.
- 7g. Sarah Jane Roden, b. 9-30-1930. m: Millard Arrington, 5-29-1952. (b. 12-7-1926, son of S. M.) Postal Employee. Baptists. Res: Boaz, Ala., Box 192.
Ch: 1h. Stephen Millard Arrington, b. 2-3-1953.
2h. Gerald Eugene Arrington, b. 1-20-1954.
3h. Nita Jane Arrington, b. 3-11-1955.
4h. David Thomas Arrington, b. 3-24-1956. d. 7-28-1957.
5h. Glenn Alen Arrington, b. 6-23-1957.
- 8g. Allie Clara Roden, b. 10-19-1934. m: Bill W. McGriff. (b. 6-4-1936, son of James Alton McGriff.) Res: Auburn, Ala.
Ch: 1h. William Kent McGriff, b. 5-26-1957.
- 9g. Kathryn Roden, b. 7-30-1936. Res: 355 South College St., Auburn, Ala.
- 10g. John T. Roden, b. 12-23-1932. Dec'd.
- 11g. William Arthur Roden, b. 11-5-1938. m: Shirley Moore, 2-25-1958. (b. 9-27-1939, dau. B.M. Moore.) Residing with his parents.
- 12g. Don Allen Roden, b. 5-21-1941.
- 13g. Ralph David Roden, b. 12-31-1942.
- 14g. Samuel Roden, b. 11-4-1944.
- 15g. Orpah Roden, b. 4-2-1948.
- 5e. Eliza Alabama Ice, b. abt. 1859. d. 9-19-1891, Cottonville, Ala. Interred in Mt. Hebron Cemetery, Cottonville Community, Marshall Co., Ala. Single.
- 6e. Thomas Lutitia Ice, b. 3-28-1862. d. 5-27-1888. (This is a daughter.) m: William Joseph Watson, 11-30-1878, at Guntersville, Ala. (b. 10-30-1851, Lincoln Co., Tenn. d. 2-18-1935, Chattanooga, Tenn.)
Ch: 1f. Lila Holmes Watson, b. 9-1-1880, Guntersville, Ala. m: Robert Friar, 7-10-1910, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (Had sister who was Mrs. Lela Smith of Tyner, Tenn.) Mr. Friar deserted his family and whereabouts unknown. The family resided in Chattanooga.
Ch: 1g. Thomas William Friar, b. 2-29-1912, Chattanooga, Tenn. Single.
2g. Robert Watson Friar, b. 8-6-1913, Chattanooga, Tenn. Was married and divorced. Now single.
3g. John Allan Friar, b. 1-18-1922, Chattanooga, Tenn. Single.
(All of the above children are living with their mother at 9 Shallowford Rd., Chattanooga, Tenn.)
- 2f. Mary Thompson Watson, b. 1-6-1883, at Savannah, Hardin Co., Tenn. m: Robert Alex. Hall, 12-1-1908, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 5-19-1882. d. 1-18-1951, at Oklahoma City, Okla. Interred in Memorial Park Cemetery, Okla. City, Okla.) Mary is now residing at 812 S. Iowa St., Irving, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Willie Eliz. Hall, b. 12-2-1911. m: John Browning Dittbrenner, 7-26-1934, at Okla. City, Okla. (b. 10-16-1911, at New Castle, Ind.) Res: 812 S. Iowa St., Irving, Texas.
Ch: 1h. John Robert Dittbrenner, b. 3-4-1939. Adopted.
- 3f. James Allan Watson, b. 5-31-1885, in Savannah, Hardin Co., Tenn. m: Mary Susan Shepard, 12-7-1911, at Chattanooga, Tenn. (b. 4-1-1889, in Clermont Co., Ohio) Res: 2002 E. 37th St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. Allan Winans Watson, b. 2-15-1915, at Knoxville, Tenn. m: Bessa Mae Evans, 5-8-1943, Lexington, Tenn. Res: 3704 Clio Ave., Chattan., Tenn.
Ch: 1h. John Evans Watson, b. 3-7-1946. Adopted.
2g. Josephine Watson, b. 1-29-1918, at Chattanooga, Tenn. m: William Dow Stuart, 12-2-1939, Chattanooga, Tenn. Res: 245 Bowman Ave., Cleveland, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Susan Margaret Stuart, b. 5-10-1942, Marietta, Ga.
2h. Mary Josephine Stuart, b. 7-20-1945, Marietta, Ga.
3h. William Dow Stuart, b. 2-23-1954, Cleveland, Tenn.

After the death of Thomas W. Ice, Martha Thompson Goodner Ice married a Mr. Allen H. Parkhill, 7-4-1865, and she was known thereafter as "Grandma Parkhill". There was no issue by this second marriage.

- 7d. David Goodner, b. 1830. Died in early childhood, Madison Co., Ala.

4c. Jacob Goodner, the fourth child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, July 3rd, 1790. He spent the early years of his life in Sullivan and Smith Counties, Tennessee, where he received what education he had in the backwoods schools of the districts in which he lived. The family moved to Smith County in the latter part of 1804 or the early part of 1805, at which time Jacob was fourteen or fifteen years of age. When the parents and some of the sons and all the daughters moved to the Illinois Territory in 1811 or 1812, Jacob remained behind.

On Sept. 13th, 1812, he married Susannah Payne (Paine), who was born March 15, 1792 in Rockingham County, N. Carolina, and who with her parents moved to Tennessee in 1808. She was reputedly a cousin to General Gideon Johnson Pillow of Mexican War and Confederate Army fame, and is also related to the family of Thomas Paine, patriot, printer, and author of the Revolutionary War renown, according to family tradition.

All of the sons of Conrad who remained in Tennessee were tanners and Jacob was no exception. In 1813 he was considering entering into the tanning business with David, and possibly they did work together for awhile. We do not have the exact dwelling place of Jacob at this time, but David in one of his letters refers to him living some forty miles distant. David then was living near Fayetteville, Lincoln County, Tennessee. In May of 1816, Jacob was living in Hickman County. James, his brother, in a letter to his relation in Illinois under date of May 19, 1816, writes: "I then set out and after three days travel found Jacob in the poor Greenbrier nobs in Hickman County on Duck River where he had lately moved to. He had contracted for a small piece of land in the woods and was about to settle himself there in that poor Greenbrier Country. He took with him from Giles 200 dollars of leather and wagon loads of hides. My feelings were very much hurt to find him in such a poor out of the way place. It appeared (as I told him) that I had not passed a house that evening I came there that was able to purchase a pair of half soles. Shortly after I left there he was sent for and moved to Columbia, 24 miles up the river in Murry (Maury) County where he joined in partnership with Esq. Spencer to superintend his factory for the term of three years.

From this we learn that he lived in Giles County prior to moving to Hickman and before moving to a point ten miles north of Columbia in Maury County. David, in his letter of Nov. 30th, 1817, mentions the name of this spot as being "the nobs of Snow Creek on Duck River". David further stated that he found Jacob and his family in health and apparent prosperity, and that he was in a likely way to make a good living in a short time. He spent a week with him, and while there preached the funeral services at the burial of Jacob's second daughter. That would have been Love. He further stated that "Jacob is yet as serious as ever and perhaps more so and is freer to converse in religion than ever I found him, and was particular to enquire and know of me whether you turned your attention to religion as much as formerly". This letter was addressed to his parents.

From this time until the year 1833 we lose track of him, but lacking information to the contrary we assume he remained in Maury County. However, his daughter, Miriam, is reported to have been born in Nashville in 1823, and if that information is correct then he must have moved from Maury. In the year 1833 he removed to Washington County, Illinois. He purchased land there in 1837. After his removal to Washington County, he became a local preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church. Along with farming, he followed preaching until his death in 1869, on June 18th.

His widow was appointed Administratrix of his estate but relinquished her right in favor of Ninian McCracken on June 24th following. His personal estate was valued at around \$9000.00, and the names of the heirs given were: Susannah, widow, Elizabeth McCracken, Salem Goodner, Miriam Sawyer, Rebecca Don Carlos, Maria Yost, Sarah Estep, Lucretia Goodner, Emily Hockinsmith, and three grandchildren, children of Matilda J. Lynch, - William D. Lynch, Jacob G. Lynch, and Sarah J. Lynch.

Susannah followed Jacob in death three years later, dying Jan. 15, 1872, at the home of her son, Salem, near Nashville, Washington County, Illinois. * Both Jacob and Susannah are interred in what was then known as the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Nashville, but which is now called Greenwood Cemetery.

Jacob and Susannah had fourteen children, nine living to maturity. Salem, their fifth child later became Sheriff of Washington County during the Civil War period. He was a rabid sympathizer of the Southern cause and got into some difficulty in being so outspoken about his views.

Among some of the descendants of Jacob there is a tradition that Conrad Goodner was of the royal House of Hapsburg, a tradition that appears only in this line. How such a tradition arose is a "puzzler".

Jacob's name appears quite often in real estate transaction in Washington County after his arrival there. Some of his purchases are: -

Jacob Goodner, Grantee. David Ramsey, Grantor. Date of Instrument 1-23-1837. Date of Record 1-24-1837. Book A, Page 274.

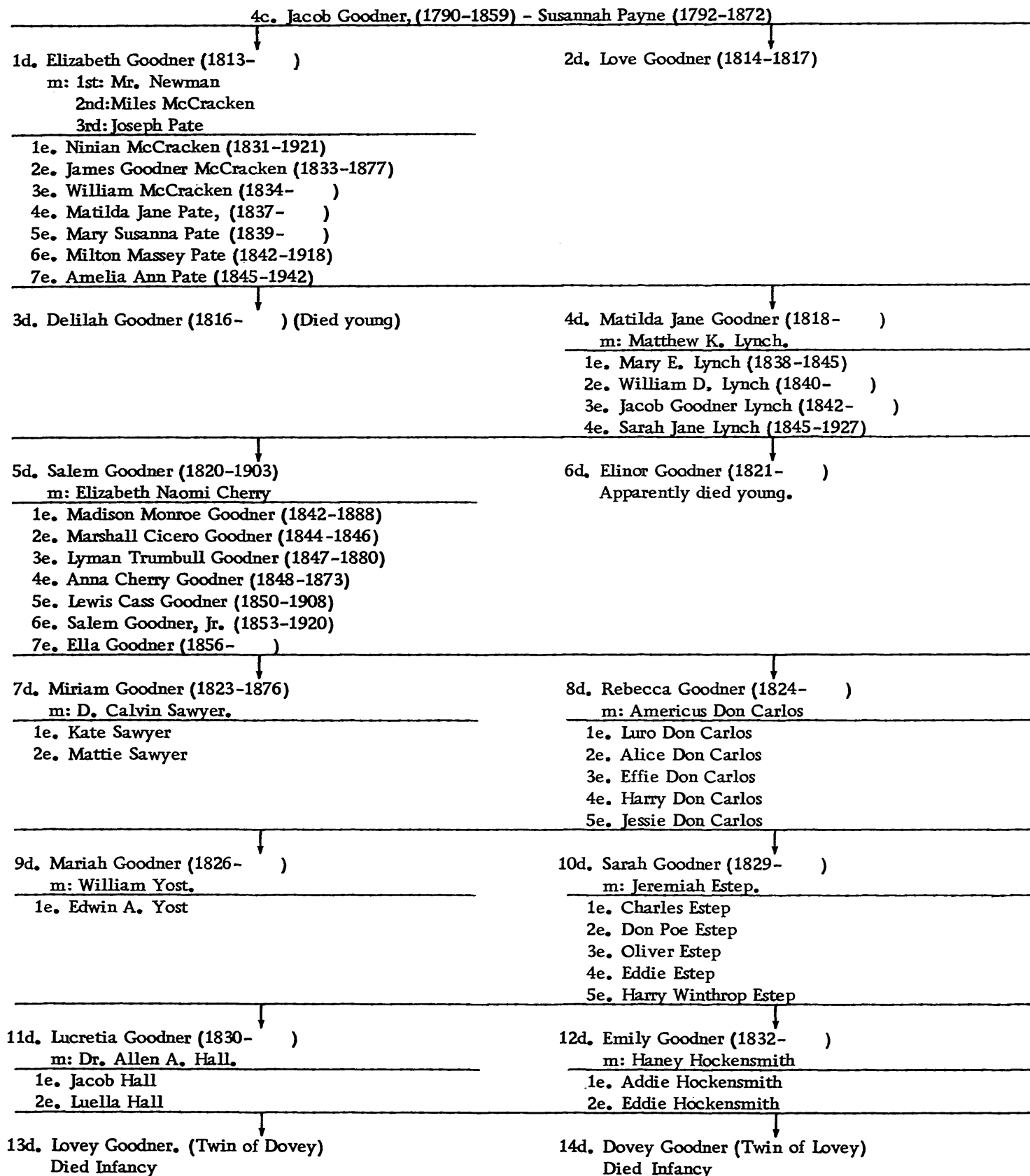
Jacob Goodner, Grantee. Matthew K. Lynch, Grantor. Date of Instrument 1-12-1841. Date of Record, 1-18-1841. Book B, Page 646.

*The will of Susannah was dated Nov. 20th, 1870, and was recorded in Washington Co., Ill., Feb. 21, 1872. Proof of will was made by W. S. McCracken and J. T. Henry.

Jacob Goodner, Grantee. William A. Patterson, Grantor. Date of Instrument 12-27-1842. Date of Record, 1-6-1843. Book C, Page 360.

Jacob Goodner, Grantee. Joseph Pate, Grantor. Date of Instrument 12-21-1844. Date of Record, 1-1-1845. Book D, Page 265.

Following is a chart giving the names of the children of Jacob and Susannah, and a record of their descendants so far as it was possible to secure them.



4c. Jacob Goodner, b. 7-3-1790 in Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 9-13-1869, Washington Co., Ill. Interred in what is now known as the Greenwood Cemetery, formerly known as Off Fellows Cemetery, Nashville, Ill. Farmer and Preacher. Methodist. m: Susannah Payne, 9-13-1812, in Tenn. (b. 3-5-1792, Rockingham Co., N. C. d. 1-5-1872, Washington Co., Ill.) See biographical sketch for more details.

Ch: 1d. Eliz. Goodner, b. 7-15-1813, in Smith Co., Tenn. m: 1st: Mr. Newman. He died shortly; there was no issue. m: 2nd: Miles McCracken, 8-9-1830. (b. abt. 1810. d. 10-6-1834.) A very fine man, and kind to his family. Resided in Washington Co., Ill.

Ch: 1e. Ninian McCracken, b. 6-7-1831. d. 1921. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill. Resided in Nashville all his life. The 1850 census returns of Washington Co. show that Ninian and his brother, James, were then living with Jacob Goodner. Farmer. m: Margaret Adaline ("Maggie") Sawyer, abt. 1854, Washington Co., Ill. (b. 1837. d. 1926. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill., by side of her husband.

Ch: 1f. Charles McCracken, b. 6-23-1856. d. 8-7-1928. Interred in Nashville, Ill., possibly in Greenwood Cemetery. Worked with his father and resided near and in Nashville, Ill., all his life. Never married.

2f. Nellie McCracken, b. 8-24-1862. d. 1-10-1951. m: Judge McCabe Moore (d. 5-18-1933). Judge Moore became a prominent lawyer and Judge in Kansas City, Kan., and died and was interred there. After his death, Nellie removed to Chicago and lived with her brother, Harry, until her death. She was interred in Kansas City, Kan., apparently by the side of her husband. No issue.

3f. William McCracken, b. 7-26-1865. d. 8-6-1935. Lived and died in Nashville, Ill. Interred there. Never married.

4f. Ada McCracken, b. 8-8-1868. d. 9-29-1933. Interred in Nashville, Ill. m: 1st: G. D. Shreve. m: 2nd: W. G. Zerface. No issue by either marriage.

5f. Ellen McCracken, b. 8-8-1868. Twin of Ada. d. 9-13-1869.

6f. Harry McCracken, b. 6-1-1872, Nashville, Ill. d. 1-27-1941 in Chicago, Ill. Lawyer and Manufacturer. Owned a box factory in Chicago, and resided there. Interred in Nashville, Ill. m: Corrine Reddon, a dau. of Colonel Reddon. Residing in 1958 at the Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles, Calif.

Ch: 1g. Bertha McCracken, b. abt. 1893. m: Carl Wielenberg, 10-28-1913. (d. 2-10-1952.) Bertha's address: Orington Hotel, Evanston, Ill. No issue.

7f. Ethel McCracken, b. 1-23-1879. Living 1958, and residing in a Methodist Home at 1055 N. Kingsley, Los Angeles 29, Calif. Single.

2e. James Goodner McCracken, b. 9-11-1833. d. 12-16-1877. m: Julia White. Resided in Ashley, Ill. Ch:

1f. Pembroke McCracken. Went West, at which time he was single. No data.

2f. John McCracken. Moved to Washington, Ind. No data.

3f. Anna McCracken. No data.

4f. Walter McCracken. No data.

3e. William McCracken, b. 1834. Believe died young.

Eliz. Goodner McCracken m: 2nd: Joseph Pate. After marriage of several years - marriage occurred in June of 1836 - Eliz. divorced him, and took back the name of McCracken.

4e. Matilda Jane Pate, b. 3-9-1837. Died about ten years after her marriage. m: K. Logan Carson, a Cattle Buyer. He lost his sight but carried on. Resided in Hoyleston Prairie, Washington Co., Ill. After death of Matilda he married again and had issue by his second wife. Matilda and her husband had four children.

Ch: 1f. Ed. Carson, b. abt. 1865. Grad. of McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill. Married and lived in East St. Louis, Ill., finally passing away there after a long illness. It is reported he had issue, but data on them unobtainable.

2f. Charles Carson, b. abt. 1867. Grad. of Law from McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill., and practiced in Wichita, Kan. Nothing known of his family, and not data could be obtained.

3f. Laura Carson, b. abt. 1869. Grad. from McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill. Married, and apparently had a family. No data could be obtained.

4f. Alice Carson, b. abt. 1871. Grad. of McKendree College of Lebanon, Ill. Married but further data could not be obtained. It was reported that either Alice or Laura, after marriage, lived in Evansville, Ind.

5e. Mary Susanna Pate, b. 6-15-1839. m: George W. Clay, abt. 1860. Farmer and stock raiser. Lived in Hoyleston Prairie in Washington Co., Ill. He took a load of hogs to market about 1872-3, contracted cholera while in St. Louis, to which market he had gone, and died there. Interred in St. Louis.

Ch: 1f. Cora Clay, b. 8-21-1861. d. 8-1-1940. m: Archie Gemmel, 8-21-1879, (b. 9-1-1855. d. 4-20-1931.) in Sparta, Ill. Moved to vicinity of Girard, Kan., in 1881. Apparently followed profession of farming.

Ch: 1g. George Albert Gemmel, b. 7-29-1882, near McCune, Kan. d. 8-12-1955, Girard, Kan. College Prof. m: Mary Virginia Smith, 6-28-1905, at Girard,



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- Kan. (b. 6-13-1884, dau. John W. and Nan Smith) Widow is residing at 411 N. 16th St., Manhattan, Kan.
- Ch: 1h. Archie Lee Gemmel, b. 10-8-1910. Res: Brookhaven, L. I., N. Y.
 2h. Nena Virginia Gemmel, b. 10-21-1922, Manhattan, Kan. m:
 Robert Arthur Anderson, 2-27-1943, Manhattan, Kan. (b. 11-20-1921, son of Nathan Lyle Anderson of Hutchinson, Kan. a retired farmer, Co-op worker, and a veteran of W. W. I.) Methodist. Served in W. W. II. Res: 2355 Grandview Terrace, Manhattan, Kan.
 Ch: 1i. Robert Arthur Anderson, Jr., b. 11-20-1946.
 2i. Ann Katherine Anderson, b. 9-4-1950.
 3i. Janene Judith Anderson, b. 10-30-1952.
- 2g. William Alexander Gemmel, b. 8-22-1887, near McCune, Kan. d. 3-6-1938. Was an Oil Worker and Barber. Served in both Army and Navy. Married in Calif. but resided near McCune, Kan. No issue.
- 3g. Alvin Gemmel, b. 5-16-1885, near McCune, Kan. d. 4-29-1908. Never married. Resided near McCune, Kan. Presbyterian.
- 4g. Ralph Gemmel, b. 12-21-1891, near McCune, Kan. Farmer. Presbyterian. Living on farm where born and which father bought in 1882. m: Blanche Irvin Nairn, 12-2-1914, at Girard, Kan. (b. 11-19-1893, dau. of Hugh and Margaret Nairn of Girard.) Res: Rt. #1, McCune, Kan.
 Ch: 1h. Ralph Wayne Gemmel, b. 2-1-1917, near McCune, Kan. Farmer. Presbyterian. m: La Verna Nadine Collier, 2-1-1941, at Girard, Kan. (b. 4-2-1919, dau. of H. C. and Mary Collier of McCune, Kan.) Res: Rt. #1, McCune, Kan.
 Ch: 1i. Mary Ann Gemmel, b. 1-5-1942.
 2i. Larry Wayne Gemmel, b. 2-24-1947.
- 2f. Dean Clay, b. abt. 1863. Reported to have married and that he lived in Seattle, Wash., and that he died there. Date not obtainable.
- 3f. Ella Clay, b. 7-22-1865. d. 5-15-1959. Died in the home of her dau., Hazel Hurst in Champaign, Ill. In the last years of her life she had lost her hearing and most of her sight, and was unable to give any family data, of which she must have had much knowledge. m: William Wooten, abt. 1889. (b. 2-8-1864, d. 7-31-1918. Interred in Tuscola, Ill.) Farmer. Ella interred in Tuscola Cemetery, Tuscola, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Hazel Wooten, b. 1-23-1891, at Omega, Ill. m: Clingman Hurst, 3-3-1915, at Daleview, Mont. (b. 8-28-1888, son of James Ellis and Iva Lee Hurst). In Real Estate Business. Members First Methodist Church. Res: 410 W. Washington, Champaign, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Clay Ellis Hurst, b. 12-4-1916. Training Supervisor. Methodist. m: Marjorie Boehner, 5-8-1943, in Chicago, Ill. (b. 1-17-1920, dau. Carl and Bertha Boehner.) Res: 415 Range Rd., Towson 4, Md.
 Ch: 1i. Diana Margaret Hurst, b. 2-6-1945.
 2i. Douglas Edward Hurst, b. 9-20-1946.
 3i. Roger Brian Hurst, b. 4-21-1948.
- 2h. Alvin Odell Hurst, b. 12-3-1919, Tuscola, Ill. Lieut. in Air Force July 1942 to Dec. 1945. Landscape Architect. Methodist. m: Ella Darling Smith, 10-5-1944 in Montgomery, Ala. (b. 9-28-1912, dau. Arthur Chester and Mai Dorothy Pehler Smith.) Res: Sante Fe, N. M., P. O. Box 4532. No issue.
- 3h. James Richard Hurst, b. 2-8-1927, in Champaign, Ill. Navy from 7-9-1945 to 8-7-1946. Mail order Sales Mgr., Laundry Appliance Dept., Sears-Roebuck & Co., Chicago, Ill. Methodist. m: Anna Withers, 8-14-1946. (b. 8-19-1927, dau. Dixon Leroy and Gertrude Missouri Withers) Res: 348 E. Maple, Lombard, Ill.
 Ch: 1i. Zoe Ellen Hurst, b. 3-26-1954.
 2i. Gail Elaine Hurst, b. 5-10-1957.
- 4h. Roberta Maxine Hurst, b. 8-1-1934, Urbana, Ill. m: Roy Gene Johnson, 5-20-1956. (b. 11-7-1929, son of John Ray and Mabel Johnson.) Methodist. In Civil Service. Served 2 years in Army in Tank Battalion. Res: 1332 Sunset Dr., Rantoul, Ill.
 Ch: 1i. Susan Diane Johnson, b. 3-12-1958, in Urbana, Ill.
- 2g. Estelle Wooten, b. 5-15-1892, Kimmunity, Ill. m: Irving Fitch Pearce, June 1914, son of Sam Egypt Pearce. Divorced in 1920. Estella resides at 8090 Old Fort Rd., S. E., Washington 22, D. C.
 Ch: 1h. Irving Fitch Pearce, Jr., b. 3-6-1915, at Tuscola, Ill. An attorney with the Securities Exchange Commission. Served in U. S. Navy Air Force. Methodist. Res: 591 S. University Blvd., Denver

- 9, Colo. No issue.
- 3g. Clay Wooten, b. 4-22-1895, in Ill. d. 1-10-1950, in Calif. Resided for a time in Tuscola, Ill. m: Lenore Rodgers, (b. 5-4-1898.), or as she was sometimes called "Tina Jay", "Tina" being a nickname for Lenore, and Jay being the name of her mother's second husband. Mrs. Wooten is now residing in Anderson, Ind.
- Ch: 1h. Wilson Clay Wooten, b. 8-29-1925, at St. Louis, Mo. Only child. Methodist. Clerk. m: Esther Branham, 6-6-1948. (b. 2-27-1928, dau. Jesse and Gladys Konkle). Res: 3139 N. Campbell, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Ch: 1i. Kathy Lee Wooten, b. 11-1-1952.
2i. Deborah Lynn Wooten, b. 10-29-1955.
- 4f. Lizzie Clay, b. 10-3-1870. d. 12-5-1898, in Alaska. m: Frank H. Darling. Lizzie resided in Hoyleston, Ill., until 1883, when the family moved to Kinmundy, Ill. where she attended school. In April of 1890 she went to the State of Washington to visit her Uncle, Wilson Clay. She taught school in Snohomish, and while there married Mr. Darling. In 1894, she visited the Klondike region in Alaska with friends, and liked it so much that she visited it again the following winter with a group of friends, all of whom perished in a snow slide at Chalkoot Pass. Her remains were returned by steamer to Seattle, and interred in the cemetery at Edmunds, Snohomish County, Wash. No issue. Mary Susanna Pate Clay married 2nd: Ed. Fender, and resided in Iola, Ill., in 1898. No issue by this marriage.
- 6e. Milton Massey Pate, b. 12-30-1842. d. 4-29-1918. Farmer. Grain and Lumber Dealer in Sandoval, Ill. A Mason and a Past Master of his Lodge. Interred in Old Du Quoin Cemetery in Old Du Quoin, Ill. m: Christina E. Carter, 3-30-1870. (b. 8-22-1840. d. 8-4-1918, dau. of Levi Carter of New York State and Caroline Skinner Gillette of Canada.
- Ch: 1f. Etta Irene Pate, b. 7-14-1871. d. 7-6-1959 in Pinckneyville, Ill., and interred in the Sandoval Cemetery, Sandoval, Ill. m: 1st: Frank M. Beckes, 5-26-1892. (d. 9-15-1904.)
- Ch: 1g. Lloyd M. Beckes, b. 4-24-1893. A retired engineer, presently engaged in machine design. m: Eunice Baldrige, 5-17-1916. Res: Irvington, Ill. Box 59.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Jane Beckes, b. 7-6-1920. m: Ed. Walpole. Res: 2634 Dolores St., San Mateo, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Eileen Walpole, b. 6-3-1946.
2i. Christine Walpole, b. Jan. 1950.
3i. Julia Ann Walpole, b. 12-21-1956.
- 2g. Ruth Frances Beckes, b. 1-11-1895. m: Richard E. Gillespie, 10-30-1916. (b. 11-5-1885. d. 9-21-1956.) Res: 411 W. Water St., Pinckneyville, Ill. No issue.
- 3g. Dorothy Beckes, b. 8-31-1899. m: Marvin Farley, Div'd. No issue. She resides and works at the State School, Dixon, Ill.
- 4g. Benjamin Milton Beckes, b. 3-14-1903. d. 6-15-1919.
- Etta Irene Pate Beckes, after the death of Mr. Beckes, married secondly George Prescott, who died 9-15-1937. There was no issue by this marriage. She resided with her dau. Ruth Gillespie, 411 W. Water St., Pinckneyville, Ill., until her death July 6, 1959.
- 2f. George Pate, b. 1-15-1873, in Ill. d. near Elkville, Ill., 1-3-1948. Interment in Old Du Quoin Cemetery in Old Du Quoin, Ill. m: Grace (Theresa Marie) Seib, 4-21-1897. (b. 10-5-1865, at Odin, Ill. d. 1-7-1915, and interred in Peaceful Valley Cemetery, Odin, Ill. Dau. of Francis Harry and Mary Schuck Seib.) Resided as one place of residence in Odin, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Ruth Pate, b. 1-11-1898, in Odin, Ill. m: Guy Morgan, 5-12-1918, in Odin, Ill. (b. 12-12-1896, son of Wilson Shannon and Alice Hawley Morgan of Odin, Ill.) Members of Christian Church. Res: Odin, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Dorothy Morgan, b. 5-23-1919, Odin, Ill. m: Russell R. Booher, 6-3-1939, at Jackson, Mo. (b. 3-3-1918, son of Robert R. of Salem, Ill.) Served in W.W.II and in Korean War. Sheet Metal Worker. Members Christian Church. Res: 5614 East Michigan St., Indianapolis 19, Ind.
- Ch: 1i. Michael Lee Booher, b. 1-14-1941.
2i. Patrick Lynn Booher, b. 1-21-1942.
- 2h. Virginia Morgan, b. 8-9-1920. d. 9-22-1920.
- 2g. Rolla Pate, b. 11-9-1900. d. 2-24-1948. Left home as a young boy, and became actually a bum. Led a useless life, and was found dead on the water front in Chicago, a victim of alcoholism and freezing. Place of interment unknown.
- George Pate m: 2nd: Myrr Oliver (d. 1-29-1953). No issue.

- 3f. Carrie E. Pate, b. 3-21-1879. m: A. J. Farthing, 4-19-1900. Deceased Carrie lives at 2634 Dolores St., San Mateo, Calif. No issue.
- 4f. Boyd Pate, b. 11-25-1880. d. 7-23-1882.
- 7e. Amelia Ann Pate, b. 1-29-1845. d. 2-2-1942. m: Horace Alvin Denison, 5-8-1864. (b. 4-22-1837. d. 7-19-1900). Resided in Kinmundy, Marion Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Irene Eloise Denison, b. 7-6-1866. d. 1-13-1919. m: William R. Jack, 2-28-1901. (b. 5-24-1860. d. 1-30-1940.)
- Ch: 1g. Florence Edith Jack, b. 4-9-1901. Teacher in school in Salem, Ill. Resides in Kinmundy, Ill. Single.
- 2g. Mary Estelle Jack, b. 4-3-1904. d. 1-18-1930. Single.
- 2f. Cecil Alvin Denison, b. 4-14-1869. d. 8-23-1938. Traveling Salesman for a machinery concern. Resided in the St. Louis, Mo., area. m: Margaret Van Dike. b. 8-24-1874. d. 7-14-1934.)
- Ch: 1g. Van Alvin Denison, b. 5-24-1899. m: Phyllis Hopkins, abt. 1925. (b. 8-9-1902.) Res: 7951 Gannon Ave., University City 24, Mo.
- Ch: 1h. James Denison, b. 2-10-1927. m: Jane Renoe, abt. 1954. Res: Birmingham, Ala. 721 Comm. Drive.
- Ch: 1i. Peter Van Denison, b. 8-15-1955.
- 2i. Dale Andrew Denison, b. 7-29-1958. d. 8-19-1958.
- 3f. Edith Amelia Denison, b. 8-23-1880. m: Charles Boyd, 3-8-1906. (b. 2-29-1876.) Res: Kinmundy, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Frances Lacy Boyd, b. 9-9-1907. m: Joseph D. Etherton, 6-18-1932. (b. 5-20-1903.) Res: Rt. #4, Carbondale, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Richard Joseph Etherton, b. 6-27-1934. In Armed Forces -1958- and stationed at Ft. Riley, Kan.
- 2h. James Francis Etherton, b. 1-24-1938. * 1958- Student at Southern Ill. University.
- 4f. Estella May Denison, b. 9-30-1884. m: Claude E. Wilkinson, 3-13-1907. (b. 10-14-1884). Farmer. Res: Kinmundy, Ill., Box 73.
- Ch: 1g. Howard Ennis Wilkinson, b. 5-13-1909. d. 6-29-1929.

Elizabeth Goodner McCracken Pate divorced Joseph and took back the name of McCracken. Returned home to her parents with her children. After living with them for awhile, she built a home close by and lived there until Milton joined the service at the age of 17, then broke up her home and lived with her children. Joseph Pate remarried and was later killed in a logging camp accident.

- 2d. Love Goodner, b. 12-29-1814, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 1817.
- 3d. Delilah Goodner, b. 8-4-1816, Hickman County, Tenn. Died young.
- 4d. Matilda J. Goodner, b. 6-2-1818, Maury Co., Tenn. Died prior to June 1859, as her children are named as heirs in the will of her father. m: 1st. Matthew K. (or R.) Lynch, 10-27-1836, Washington Co., Ill., services by Rev. James Walker. (d. 12-8-1846, Washington Co., Ill.) Believe resided in Washington County, Ill.
- Ch: 1e. Mary E. Lynch, b. 4-16-1838. d. 11-12-1845.
- 2e. William D. Lynch, b. 7-30-1840. m: Julia -----, Resided in Nashville, Washington Co., Illinois.
- Ch: 1f. Mittie Lynch, m: Mr. Prather. No issue.
- 2f. Jeanne Lynch. Is reported to have lived in Mont. for many years. It is presumed that she married, but information was unattainable.
- 3e. Jacob Goodner Lynch, b. 9-4-1842. Date of Death unknown. Moved to Cairo, Ill., as a young man and before marriage. Became active and successful in politics, and was County Clerk on the Democratic ticket for many years. Was raised on a farm. Became interested in the real estate business and was a partner in the real estate firm of Lynch and Howley. (This was M. G. Howley.) m: Mary Adelia Young, 1-30-1867, in Cairo, Ill., a Virginia girl, born in Hanover County, 5-7-1840. (d. Oakland, Calif., 2-9-1917.) They visited his wife's relation in Virginia in 1880. His wife had a brother-in-law in Richmond, Va., by the name of Wellington Goddin, who was in the real estate business and also was an auctioneer. He was reported to have been well-to-do. Mr. Lynch in one of his letters reports himself to have been small of frame and fleshy, weighing 140 pounds. He became increasingly addicted to liquor, and ever so gradually became an alcoholic, and with due speed ruined his good reputation in Cairo and a very promising career. Sometime after 1880 he left his family and disappeared, and his family, at least his favorite sister, Sarah Jane, with whom he used to correspond often, never heard from him again. His wife, with her one child, moved to Calif., and it is a matter of supposition that she might have gone there to be with him, since he expressed the wish previously to move to that State.

As a matter of interest I quote from one of his letters to his sister, Sarah Jane Linhoff:-
"Cairo, Nov. 3, 1866.

My Dear Sister:-

In accordance with promise contained in last letter, I will now write you more at length. I am exceedingly busy at this time, making tax book. It is a full month's work for a rapid worker

*See Appendix

and as I only have little over one month in which to finish it and have all the other office business to attend to in the meantime, I will be so pushed that it will be necessary for me to work at night. Business has been very good lately. Cairo is improving rapidly. Commercial Ave. has been fully filled up to 20th St., up to a level with the side walk, and Washington Ave. is being rapidly filled; also several cross streets from the Ohio Levee have been filled.

We have had two or three weddings lately, to wit: Mrs. Phillips- the milliner - and Aleck Shipley, brother of Hack Driver Bill, of Richview, Miss Annie "Selby" and Wm. Davidson, brother of Hurd's son-in-law, and another Lady with whom you have had no acquaintance. Miss Alice Walker, I understand, is going to commit Matrimony with a young man by the name of Holmes. Hurrah for her! She unlike many other unfortunate persons of her sex will have homes for herself and family as long as he lives. Miserably dull wit; don't you think so. The Community is perfectly wild, unreasonable, & crazy on the subject of politics."

Ch: 1f. Undine Lynch, b. 5-3-1868, Cairo, Ill. d. infancy.

2f. Norma Goodner Lynch, b. 9-25-1869, Cairo, Ill. m: Joseph Henry Clark, 12-26-1898, in San Francisco, Calif. Resided in 1927 at 2366 Cedar St., Berkeley, Calif. Later Norma and Mr. Clark were div'd, and she was a hostess in a resort hotel in Calif. It is reported that Mr. Clark remarried and lived in San Francisco.

Ch: 1g. Janice Marie Clark, b. 4-10-1902, San Francisco, Calif. Unable to locate.

4e. Sarah Jane Lynch, b. 8-5-1845, Washington Co., Ill. d. 1927. Interred in Altamont, Ill. m: Henry Linhoff, abt. 1867. (b. 7-2-1818, in Germany. d. 1896.) Mr. Linhoff came to this country with his father at the age of 13 years, and settled first in Missouri. Sarah Jane was reared in Cairo, Ill., by her Aunt Mariah Goodner Sawyer, due to the early death of her own mother. After marriage resided in Huey, Clinton Co., Ill.

Ch: 1f. Agnes Linhoff, 7-26-1868, in Huey, Clinton Co., Ill. m: William Henry Neil, a Methodist Minister, 11-15-1885. (b. 7-26-1867. d. March 1925. Son of R. N. Neil.) Agnes is residing at Rt. #3, Lockport, Ill. with dau. Martha Belle Kennedy.

Ch: 1g. Martha Belle Neil, b. 1-9-1890. m: James I. Kennedy, 10-7-1914. (d. 8-23-1957.) Res: Rt. #3, Lockport, Ill.

Ch: 1h. William Neil Kennedy, b. 1-21-1925. Teacher in Joliet, Ill., High School. m: Betty Saeger, 9-10-1948. Res: 1121 Westminster, Joliet, Ill. No issue.

2h. Mary Catherine Kennedy, b. 1-21-1927. m: George H. Stewart, 12-13-1952. Res: 301 West Park Ave., Libertyville, Ill.

Ch: 1i. Scott H. Stewart, b. 8-15-1954.

2i. Barbara L. Stewart, 2-12-1956.

2g. Jean Roy Neil, b. 3-6-1892, at Lebanon, Ill. W.W.I. Now retired from business. m: Mary Trepanier, 2-7-1923. (b. 5-5-1898, dau. Charles P. Trepanier of Grand Forks, N. D.) Res: Western Hills Hotel, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Ch: 1h. William Henry Neil, b. 1-8-1924. Physician and Radiologist. Served as Flight Surgeon in U. S. Navy from 1950 to 1952. Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron I, at Key West, Fla. Roman Catholic. m: Aileen Agnes Welch, 8-8-1953. (b. 10-11-1931, dau. James Blaine and Agnes Egar Welch of Ft. Worth, Tex.) Married in Fort Worth, Tex. Res: 3642 So. Hills Ave., Ft. Worth, Tex.

Ch: 1i. James Roy Neil, b. 5-20-1954.

2i. Mary Agnes Neil, b. 7-3-1956.

3i. William Henry Neil, Jr., b. 5-7-1958.

2h. Maryanne Neil, b. 3-27-1927, at Minneapolis, Minn. m: Robert S. Aman, 2-20-1954, at Ft. Worth, Tex. (b. 4-25-1928, son of William G. Aman of Hartville, Okla.) Production Co-Ordinator for Chrysler Corp. Roman Catholic. Served as Lieut. in Air Force for 5 years. Res: 8283 Pinehurst, Detroit 4, Mich. No issue.

3h. Nancy Neil, b. 8-9-1931, Minneapolis, Minn. m: Harry R. Murphy, 6-5-1954, at Fort Worth, Tex. (b. 10-12-1922, son of Harry Joseph and Louise Murphy of Minneapolis, Minn.) Served as Captain in Army Dec. 1942 to May 1946. Salesman. Roman Catholic. Res: 742 Wesley, Evanston, Ill.

Ch: 1i. Harry Joseph Murphy, b. 5-29-1956.

2i. Mary Louise Murphy, b. 8-13-1958.

3g. Warren Linhoff Neil, b. 7-12-1894, Waterloo, Ill. Vice Pres. Amporico Building Corp. Address: 230 Garcia, Commercial Bldg., Santurce, Puerto Rico. Methodist. m: Catherine Lee Clack, 10-30-1923, Toledo, O. (b. 8-18-1895, dau. L. M. Clack of Nashville, Tenn.)

Ch: 1h. Warren Linhoff Neil, Jr., b. 12-24-1924, in Chicago, Ill. Bldg. Contractor with Amporico Bldg. Corp., 230 Garcia, Commercial Bldg., Santurce, Puerto Rico. m: Dorothy Ellen Rau, 4-8-1945.

- (b. 2-28-1925, dau. Edward and Betty Rau.)
 Ch: 1i. Jo' Anne Ellen Neil, b. 3-4-1946.
 2i. James Warren Neil, b. 11-6-1948.
- 2f. Bertha Linhoff, b. 1-18-1871, d. June 1946, m: Charles Louis Combs, abt. 1892. (d. 1901). Teacher, and at time of death was County Superintendent of School for Effingham County, Ill. Resided in Effingham, Ill. Both interred in Effingham, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Gladys Combs, b. 5-18-1894, at Altamont, Ill. m: Lawrence Milton Soltow, 3-5-1921, at Chicago, Ill. (b. 9-16-1892, son of Frances E. and Frank Soltow.) Retired Telephone Engineer. Saw service in W.W.I. Methodists. Gladys taught school before marriage. Res: 210 Glenside Place, North Plainfield, N. J.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Frances Soltow, b. 2-11-1923. Dec'd.
 2h. James Harold Soltow, Ph.D., b. 7-1-1924. Temporary address, 1959, -108 Radcliffe Rd., Belmont 78, Mass. Will leave in Sept., 1959 for East Lansing, Mich., where he will teach Business History at Mich. State Univ. Just finished a year's research on a fellowship at Harvard Univ. Taught for several years at Hunter College, New York City. Served on Military Police in W.W.II, and escorted prisoners to this country from Italy and Germany. Married dau. of a professor, name not known at time of writing.
 3h. Barbara Ann Soltow, b. 6-11-1927. Registered Nurse. Res: 120 Center Dr., Bethesda 14, Md. Single.
- 2g. Charles Linhoff Combs, b. 5-30-1898, Effingham, Ill. Operations Manager for Western Union Telegraph Co. of Chicago. Protestant. m: Helen E. Tutthill, 1923. (b. 11-2-1898, dau. Adelbert and Augusta Tutthill.) Res: 4746 Dover St., Chicago 40, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. John R. Combs, b. 1-8-1927, Chicago, Ill. Electronic Technician. Protestant. Served in Navy 18 months. m: Violet Kahl, 12-9-1949. (b. 1-14-1930, dau. of Victor R. Kahl.) Res: 5484 N. 107 St., Milwaukee, Wisc.
- Ch: 1i. Carol Ann Combs, b. 11-19-1950.
 2i. John Scott Combs, b. 11-20-1952.
 2h. Charles Linhoff Combs, Jr., b. 6-1-1933. Single Residing at home.
- 3f. Henry Jacob Linhoff, b. abt. 1873. Married. No issue.
- 4f. Benton Linhoff, b. 3-28-1875. d. abt. 1930. Interred in Taylorville, Ill., where wife's people are buried. m: Ida Meredith, a dau. of Laura Meredith of Taylorville, Ill., whose sister, "Mate", married Judge John Hogan.
- Ch: 1g. Laura Francis Linhoff, b. abt. 1900. Was reared in Chicago. Married 1st: a man whose name is not known, by whom she had a child Joan and a son, John. Married 2nd: Boyse W. Rouse, who is reported to have adopted her two children by her previous marriage Res: 512 Lee St., Evanston, Ill.
- 5f. William Lynch Linhoff, b. abt. 1878. Married and had issue. It is reported that he died in Ill., and Mrs. Linhoff moved with her family to N. M., and all contact lost.
- 6f. Jennie Linhoff, b. 3-27-1880, at Juey, Clinton Co., Ill. m: Noan Lester Brown. (b. 4-24-1873, d. 8-5-1953. Interred in Altamont, Ill. Son of Erau Lewis Brown.) A Hotel Proprietor. Jennie lives at 100 S. Plymouth St., Los Angeles 4, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Geraldine Linhoff Brown, b. 1-31-1905, Effingham, Ill. m: Clifford Porter Hall. (b. Cincinnati, O. d. 1954) He was an actor in both moving pictures and television. Geraldine resides with mother at 100 S. Plymouth St., Los Angeles 4, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. David Clifford Hall, b. 10-21-1930. Single. Resides at home.
 2h. Sara Jane Hall, b. 9-11-1942.

Matilda (Goodner) Lynch married 2nd: Thomas M. McCracken, in either St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill., the widower of Sally Ann Goodner, a dau. of Benjamin. Mr. McCracken died of "lung fever", 2-25-1861. No issue.

- 5d. Salem Goodner, b. 2-23-1820, Maury Co., Tenn. d. 1903, Baxter Sprgs., Kan. Moved to Washington Co., Ill. with his parents in 1833. There is some question about his birth place being Smith Co., as indications are that it might have been Maury Co., since that was their place of residence in 1817. He resided in Washington Co., Ill., for many years, and during the Civil War period he was Sheriff of the county, and because of his out-spoken sympathies for the Southern Cause, he is reported to have had difficulties with the Gov. of Ill., who threatened to remove him from office. Later in life he moved to Baxter Sprgs., Kan. This was apparently after the death of his wife. m: Eliz. Naomi Cherry, 12-10-1840. (b. 3-28-1823, in Nashville, Tenn. d. 1-2-1889, in New Minden, Ill. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill.) Eliz. Naomi was the dau. of Henry and Naomi (Sanderson) Cherry, of Maryland, reputed to have been the owner of many slaves, which he freed.

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Appendix. Ch: 1e. Madison Monroe Goodner, *b. 6-21-1842, Washington Co., Ill. d. 3-16-1888, in Nashville, Ill.

- At the early age of 18 he had earned the Degrees of B.A., M.A., and LL.D. Went under the nickname of "Matt". Became a Judge. m: Marietta Ellen Cone, 9-25-1862, in Belleville, Ill. (b. 1-27-1847. d. 10-2-1897. Dau. Prof. George W. Cone, Superintendent of the Public Schools at Chester, Ill.) Both interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Dr. Ralph Allison Goodner, b. 12-17-1864, at Chester, Ill. d. 9-9-1937. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill. Practiced medicine for many years in Nashville, Ill. At one time was Supt. of the Ill. State Hospital, and worked in Anna, Kankakee, and Peoria. He later in life became a diabetic, which greatly hampered his activities. m: Mary C. Fitzgerald, 6-6-1888, in Jefferson Co., Ill., with Rev. M. Teague officiating. Mary was born in 8-23-1865, and died 1-14-1932. Both Dr. and Mrs. Goodner were interred in the Greenwood Cemetery in Nashville, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Sydney Goodner, b. abt. 1889. (Adopted.) President of Farmers Bank in Nashville, Ill. m: Isabelle Browning, dau. Judge Browning. She died in 1956. They had one child, Dan Goodner, who res. in Nashville, Ill.
- 2f. Stella Goodner, b. abt. 1866, Nashville, Ill. Died at age of 2 with scarlet fever.
- 3f. Genevieve "Veva" Goodner, b. 7-10-1870, Nashville, Ill. m: 1st: George Peer of Chicago, abt. 1888. They had two children, both of whom died in infancy, one in Chicago, and one in Florida, where they had taken it in the vain hope that the climate would be beneficial. Baby died on arrival. m: 2nd: R.A. Allen, Undertaker, Had his own business, using the name of "R.A. Allen Co.", located at 859 S. Clark St., Chicago, Ill. It is not known whether there was any issue by this marriage.
- 2e. Marshall Cicero Goodner, b. 8-20-1844, Nashville, Ill. d. 5-30-1846.
- 3e. Dr. Lyman Trumbull Goodner, b. 9-5-1847, Nashville, Ill. d. 3-20-1880, Baxter Springs, Kan., in his father's home. He had gone south in a milder climate to improve his health. m: 1st: Melvina Eleanor Marshall, 8-19-1866, dau. Dr. Edward Bennett Marshall of Centralia, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Sallie M. Goodner, b. abt. 1867. d. childhood.
- 2f. Dr. James Marshall Goodner. Data not obtainable.
- 3f. Edward Bennett Goodner, d. age 19, from tuberculosis. Interred in Centralia, Ill.
- 4f. La Don Marine Goodner. d. age 24, from tuberculosis. Single.
- 5f. Eleanor Goodner, b. 10-12-1870. d. 3-13-1954. m: Carl Coleman, abt. 1897. Res. in Colorado Springs, Colo, and in Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Coleman was a school teacher and was principal of an elementary school.
- Ch: 1g. Carl Edward Coleman, b. 11-2-1898, Colorado Springs, Colo. Musician, - pianist, organist, and teacher of music. Organist and Director of Choir in the First Pilgrim Congregational Church in Buffalo, N. Y. Married and separated. No issue. Res: 74 Park Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.
- 2g. Theodore Goodner Coleman, b. 10-29-1904. d. 7-27-1952, in Miami, Fla. Was a musician and Cellist. Res. in Miami, Fla. m: 1st: Lois Elaine Templemen, 6-6-1926. (b. 10-6-1908, dau. Charles and Ruth (Benton) Templemen.)
- Ch: 1h. Lois Charlene Goodner, b. 11-6-1927, Dixon, Ill. m: 1st: Jesse Xavier Petitt, of German-French descent. Mother had come from Austria in the 1800's, and while father was born in America his father had come from France.
- Ch: 1i. Linda Margaret Petitt, b. 2-13-1947. Adopted in Dec. 1955, by Lois' second husband.
- m: 2nd: Eugene L. Fisher, 9-3-1954. (b. 9-25-1926, at Carmen, Okla., son of Earl Otto Fisher, who was a Grade School Principal. Mr. Fisher is a Commercial Artist. Christian Scientist. Served 1 year in Army, from Oct. 1945 to Oct. 1946. Res: 4851 Lehrer Dr., San Diego, Calif. No issue.
- 2h. Theodore Carlton Coleman, b. 3-8-1930. d. Sept. 1934, from an overdose of sleeping tablets left within his reach.
- Theodore Goodner Coleman divorced from Lois Elaine Templemen. m: 2nd: Jo Anne De Zuba, in 1945 or 1946. Res. in Miami, Fla., where widow still lives. No issue by this marriage.
- Dr. Lyman Trumbull Goodner m: 2nd: Helen Lindsay Chapman, 8-24-1876. (b. 4-12-1851. d. 8-6-1930, Trenton, N. J.) Dr. Goodner was buried in Melrose Cemetery, Baxter Springs, Kan.
- Ch: 6f. Nellie May Goodner, b. 8-2-1878, Nashville, Ill. m: Prof. John Edward Gill of Gem City Business College of Quincy, Ill. Marriage took place in Washington Co., Ill., 1-28-1899, ceremony performed by Rev. McQuenn. Prof. Gill was born 6-19-1872. d. 1-15-1934, Trenton N. J. Prof. Gill formed the Rider, Moore, and Stewart Business School in Trenton, N. J. in 1905, which later became Rider College of which he became Dean. Res: Mrs. Gill: 831 W. State St., Trenton, N. J.
- Ch: 1g. Helen Mary Gill, b. 11-16-1899, Quincy, Ill. m: Alexander C. Oliphant, 6-7-1924, Trenton, N. J. (b. 2-7-1899, Trenton, N. J.) Res: Ardsley Rd.,

*See Appendix.

Yardley, Pa.

Ch: 1h. Helen Gill Oliphant, b. 12-21-1925. m: Franklin David Hoffert, 11-25-1949. Res: Mountainview Rd., Mountainside, N. J.

Ch: 1i. David Alexander Hoffert, b. 10-18-1951, Brownsville, Texas.

2i. Barbara Nell Hoffert, b. 9-14-1953, Mountainside, N. J.

2h. Elkins Oliphant II, b. 12-19-1927. m: Virginia Fetter, 9-9-1954 Trenton, N. J. Res: 5506 Glenwood Rd., Bethesda, Md. No issue.

3h. Alexander Coulter Oliphant III, b. 5-4-1930. d. 12-2-1956.

4h. Nellie May Oliphant, b. 2-15-1933. m: Stuart Duncan II, Trenton, N. J. Res: 114 Elm St., Princeton, N. J.

Ch: 1i. Stuart Duncan III, b. 5-5-1954, Trenton, N. J.

2i. John Coulter Duncan, b. 6-6-1956, Princeton, N. J.

2g. Dr. J. Goodner Gill, b. 2-22-1905, Trenton, N. J. d. 10-16-1959, Tren-

ton, N. J. from kidney ailment. Services held at Prospect Street Presbyterian Church. Interment in Ewing Church Cemetery, Trenton, N. J. Dr. Gill was active in educational, church, charitable and fraternal organizations, in civic projects and in fund raising campaigns. As a dynamic public speaker he was always in demand as a toastmaster and speaker before service clubs, civic organizations, and educational groups. Attended Woodberry Forest Preparatory School, Washington and Lee Univ., Lafayette College, Rutgers Univ., and Columbia Univ. In 1930, he became graduate manager of athletics at Rider College, and two years later was made placement manager. He was named Dean of the College in 1934, and Vice Pres. in 1940.



Dr. J. Goodner Gill

He was director of the First Trenton National Bank, and a trustee of the Bordentown Military Institute, a member and trustee of the Prospect Presbyterian Church; he served as Pres. of the Council of Churches of Greater Trenton in 1952, and as Pres. of the New Brunswick Presbytery Council of Men the same year. Was re-appointed five times as a member of the New Jersey Crippled Children's Commission, was a past Pres. of the Trenton Chapter of the American Red Cross, and was past Pres. of the Salvation Army Chapter. He was a director of the Family Service Assoc., the City Rescue Mission, and the Delaware Valley United Fund. He was a member and past Pres. of the Trenton Kiwanis Club, a past governor of the New Jersey Kiwanis District, and past lieut. governor of Kiwanis Div. Four. He was a national Pres. of the Babe Ruth League from 1954 to 1957, serving on the League's Executive Committee and Board of Directors, and was Chairman of its World Series Committee since 1957.

He was past Pres. of the Trenton Historical Society and of the Mental Health Assoc. of Mercer County. He was trustee of the Boy's Club of Trenton, a member of the Mayor's committee, the Trenton Chamber of Commerce, the Executive Committee of the New Jersey Assn.

for Adult Education, the Board of Governors of Carver Center, Y. M. C. A., and the Executive Committee of the Trenton Council of Human Relations. He was a member and a former Vice President of the Executive Committee of the American Cancer Society and of the New Jersey's Division fund raising campaign, the Executive Committee of the Univ. of the Air, WFIL-TV, Philadelphia, the community program committee of WTTM; a co-founder and secretary of the New Jersey Assn. of Colleges and Universities, and a past Pres. of the New Jersey Assn. of schools of Business. He was a member of the following: National Education Assn., Eastern Business Teachers Assn., the American Assn. of School Administrators, the Eastern States Assn. of Professional Schools for Teachers, the Trenton Country Club, the Cateret Club, the Advertising Club of New York, the Circus Saints and Sinners Club of New York, the Newcomen Society of England, a 32^o Mason, member of Scottish Rite, Tall Cedars, the Shrine, Elks, Moose, and Sons of the American Revolution. Co-author with Dr. Franklin F. Moore of the book, "Municipal Accounting and Auditing", 1934. Listed in Who's Who in America, America's Young Men, Who's Who in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Maryland, Who's Who in the East, Who's Who in American Education, and the Biographical Directory of Leaders in Education. m: Verna Leonra Lindert, 3-25-1933, Doylestown, Pa. (b. 8-18-1911, New York City.) Res: 831 W. State St., Trenton, N. J.

Ch:

1h. Verna Lindert Gill, b. 10-21-1935.

2h. John Edward Gill, II, b. 1-31-1938.

3g. Alice Margaret Gill, b. 6-20-1907, Trenton, N. J. m: Rudolph Victor Kuser, Jr., 12-7-1929, Trenton, N. J. Alice, d. 2-26-1955. Mr. Kuser d. 5-5-1951.

Ch: 1h. Rudolph Victor Kuser III, b. 10-23-1930, Trenton, N. J. m: Mary Jane Volz, 9-9-1954, Trenton, N. J. Res: Weedel Dr.,

Pennington, N.J.

Ch: 1i. Johanna Kuser, b. 1-15-1957.

2h. Gail Margaret Kuser, b. 9-12-1932, Trenton, N.J.

4e. Anna Cherry Goodner, b. 4-23-1848, Nashville, Ill., Washington Co. d. 9-22-1873, Charleston, Coles Co., Ill. Interred in Mound Cemetery, Charleston, Ill. m: William Chilton, 4-27-1864, Washington Co., Ill., ceremony performed by L.F. Aspley. (b. 11-20-1840, Charleston, Ill. d. 8-1-1921, in Dallas, Tex. Interment in Mount Cemetery, Charleston, Ill. Profession, Miller and Farmer.

Ch: 1f. Rena (Verena) Belle Chilton, b. 5-31-1867. d. 2-20-1895. m: Thomas Troutman.

Ch: 1g. William Troutman, b. 1891. Professor of Speech Arts at Univ. of Baltimore.
Res: 3301 Guilford, Baltimore 18, Md. Single.

2g. Daughter. d. infancy. Mother preceeded in death by a few days.

2f. Marion ("May") Chilton, b. 7-19-1870, Charleston, Cole Co., Ill. d. 1-30-1931. m: Herman O. Hill, 1-4-1891, of Charleston, Ill.

Ch: 1g. Russell Chilton Hill, b. 10-2-1891, Charleston, Ill. Moved to Dallas, Tex.,

with family in 1897. Attended Dallas Public Schools, and University of Tex. Member Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity. Winner of Wilmot Public Speaking Contest in 1910 while in College. Chief Exec. Officer and Owner of Maverick-Clarke Co., Manufacturing Stationers, with branches in San Antonio, Houston, Corpus Christi, Austin, & Brownsville, Tex. Founder, Pres., and now Chairman of the Board of Three Americas Life Ins. Co. Pres. and Owner of the Standard Printing and Lithographing Co. of Houston. Pres. of The Office Man's Dept. Store, Corpus Christi, Tex. Pres. and Owner of Texas Thrift and Loan Assn., Inc. Founder of Maverick-Clarke Profit Sharing Retirement Fund. Partner in Roger Hill & Co., Real Estate and Ins., from 1914 to 1931. Past Pres. of San Antonio Y.M.C.A. and Past Vice-Pres. of the Nat'l Assn. of Real Estate Boards. Past Pres. San Antonio Sales Executives Club. Past Pres. of Kiwanis Club of San Antonio and Past First Vice-Pres. of San Antonio Rotary. Member Board of Governors and Chairman of Executive Committee of Southwest Research Institute, San Antonio. Founder of Children's Memorial Fund for handicapped Young People. Member of San Antonio Country Club. Fisherman and hunter, as is Mrs. Hill. Has made hunting trips to Africa and fishing trips with Mrs. Hill to all the most important countries in both continents, including Alaska, Canada, Mexico, United States, New Foundland, Labrador, Iceland, Chile, Uruguay, Bolivia, Peru, and Panama. World traveler. m: Emmie Giesecke, 7-20-1921, San



Russell Chilton Hill

- Antonio, Tex. (b. 11-30-1896, San Antonio, Tex.) Res: 123 E. Hollywood, San Antonio, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Roger Chilton Hill, b. 7-20-1922, San Antonio, Tex. Grad. Tex. Military Institute. Attended Texas A & M, 2 years. Grad. of Univ. of Texas, Cum Laude, B.A. Grad. Harvard Business School, 1943, with Masters Degree in Business Administration. Capt. in W.W.II. Pres. of Maverick-Clarke Mfg. Co., Pres. of Maverick-Clarke Investment Fund. President of Clarke Printing Co., Pres. of Valley Office Supply Co. of Brownville, Tex. Pres. of J.C. Blair Co., of Austin. Secretary of Three Americas Life Ins. Co., Pres. of Children's Memorial Fund. Member Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, and San Antonio Country Club. Res: 200 Alameda Circle, San Antonio, Tex. m: Elizabeth May Potter, 2-23-1946, at Paris, France. (b. 10-11-1922, Detroit, Mich.)
- Ch: 1i. Roger Chilton Hill, Jr., b. 1-26-1947.
 2i. Russell Chilton Hill, b. 10-29-1948, San Antonio, Tex.
 3i. Christopher Chilton Hill, b. 5-21-1955, San Antonio, Texas. (Twin)
 4i. Bruce Chilton Hill, b. 5-21-1955, (Twin) San Antonio.
- 2h. Marian Louise Hill, b. 5-31-1924. d. 1-2-1942, San Antonio.
- 3h. Craig Chilton Hill, b. 9-20-1927. Grad. Texas Military Instit., and Univ. of Tex. Assoc. Editor Little Brown & Co., Publishers, Boston, Mass. Res: 87 Hancock, Lexington, Mass. m: Heather Davidson, 5-25-1957. (b. 11-24-1927, Canada.)
- Ch: 1i. Amanda Marian Hill, b. 5-1-1958, Boston, Mass.
- 2g. Marian Louise Hill, b. 8-30-1893, Charleston, Ill. m: Richard R. Ginther, July 1925, Chicago, Ill. Marian d. 12-15-1947, in San Antonio, Texas. No issue.
- 3f. James Edward Robert Chilton, b. 11-11-1872, on a farm near Charleston, Coles Co., Ill. d. 10-25-1946. Owner of Mercantile Reporting Agency. Res. in Dallas, Texas. m: Evelyne Preuit, 12-4-1901, Dallas, Tex. She was dau. of Prof. William Benjamin Preuit and was born in Mineola. Interred in Hillcrest Mausoleum in Dallas, Tex. Res. at 4242 Lomo Alto, Crestpark Hotel, and died of a heart attack in a Dallas Hospital.
- Ch: 1g. James Edward Robert Chilton, Jr., b. 9-27-1902, Dallas, Tex. Owner and operator of a Mercantile Agency, and Pres. of a Management Firm specializing in Retail Merchants Associations, located in 25 towns in Texas and Arkansas. Also engaged in the Investment Business, and owner of a 1500 acre ranch. m: Ruth Marchbanks, 2-13-1932, dau. of Theo. A. Marchbanks, hardware merchant of Paris, Tex. Res: 5219 Kelsey Rd., Dallas, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. James Edward Robert Chilton, III, b. 12-31-1932, Dallas, Tex. Junior Partner of J.E.R. Chilton, Jr., and Howard G. Chilton of Dallas, Tex. m: Linda Fraser of Pampa, Tex., 11-23-1956. Res: 10611 Cromwell, Dallas, Texas.
- 2h. Howard Goodner Chilton, b. 11-3-1910, Dallas, Tex. Junior Partner of J.E.R. Chilton, Jr., Dallas, Tex. Served as Lieut. in Navy 1944 to 1946. m: Margaret Harrison, 6-14-1934, dau. William H. Harrison, Industrial Manufacturer of Plastic Moulding Machines of Ft. Worth, Tex. Res: 3821 Tulsa Way, Dallas, Tex.
- Ch: 1i. Howard Goodner Chilton, Jr., b. 5-17-1937, Dallas, Tex. Attended John Hopkins Univ. in 1957. Taking Cadet Training U.S. Air Force. Single.
 2i. Margaret Ann Chilton, b. 11-12-1941. Student, Hockaday Schools for Girls in Dallas, Texas.
 3i. Evalyn Wynne Chilton, b. 1-10-1945. Student, Hockaday School for Girls in Dallas, Texas.
- 5e. Lewis Cass Goodner, b. 10-20-1850, Nashville, Ill. d. 2-29-1908, in Baxter Springs, Kan. Was a "cow-man", - a rancher. Had a ranch on Goodner Creek on the Ponca Indian Reservation, located about 6 miles from the Kansas State line, near Ponca City, Okla. He was still in Washington Co., Ill., in 1870, so his removal to Baxter Springs was after that date. m: Jenny S. Douglas, 11-24-1870, in Washington Co., Ill., Rev. John C. Waggoman, Minister. Mr. Goodner died in Baxter Springs, Kan., and is interred there. Jenny S. Douglas was born 12-25-1850, and died 5-10-1882. Interred in Baxter Springs, Kan.
- Ch: 1f. Clyde Emerson Goodner, b. 6-12-1871, Nashville, Ill. d. 4-28-1922, and is interred in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Lumberman. Managed the Citizens Lumber Co. of Albuquerque, N.M. Spoke Spanish fluently. A fine Mathematician, and a good judge of livestock. m: 1st: Maud Peery, 11-10-1890, at Miami, Okla. (b. 4-4-1874, dau. of

- David L. Peery, d. 2-3-1955 in California.) Christian Scientists. Mr. & Mrs. Goodner were divorced, and she married Paul C. Boyles, the Postmaster at Gunnison, Colo. previous to which she was stenographer for Senator Dexter Sapp. There was no issue to this marriage. Mr. Goodner married 2nd: Rose-----, who survived him. She was born in 1896, being much younger than Mr. Goodner. Mr. Goodner had no issue by second marriage.
- Ch: 1g. Claribel Mildred Goodner, b. 3-10-1893, at Galena, Kan. Attended Univ. of New Mexico. Taught school in Parlin, Colo. to help support a crippled husband. m: Ben McDonough, 1-23-1916, at Gunnison, Colo., son of John P. Mr. McDonough was at various times a rancher and an owner of a pool room. Claribel had been brought up a Christian Scientist, but later became a Jehovah Witness, which caused her husband to divorce her in 1950. He died in 1955 from pneumonia, contracted after a fall. Claribel resides in Gunnison, Colo. at 318 N. Pine St., P.O. Box 556. Because her daughters were estranged from her when she adopted the religion of Jehovah Witness', she was unable to give me their addresses, so we only have their names.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Ellen McDonough, b. 2-29-1920.
 2h. Benita Maude McDonough, b. 12-1-1921.
 3h. Paul Troxel McDonough, b. 9-29-1931.
- 2g. Juanita Irene Goodner, b. 2-17-1895, Baxter Springs, Kan. m: 1st: Anthony Comstock, Sept. 1915. Divorced. He committed suicide after the divorce. Christian Scientist.
- Ch: 1h. David Comstock, b. abt. 1917. He was reared from babyhood by his grandmother, Maude Peery Goodner Boyles. Present address unknown.
- m: 2nd: Lester Reed. Reside in Santa Monica, Calif.
- 2f. Salem Cass Goodner, b. 1874, Kan. d. June 1952. "Cow-man", Worked with father for awhile. Finally filed on 640 acres of land in 1906 on a ranch located 40 miles s.e. of Albuquerque, N.M. State Route No. 40 runs through the land. More acreage was added later. m: Anna Arnold, 1902. (1883-1945) Dau. Wesley Arnold. Both interred in Albuquerque, N.M.
- Ch: 1g. Genevieve L. ("Veva") Goodner, b. 1-30-1904, in Okla. School teacher in Encina, N.M. Resides on family Ranch at Estancia, N.M. Address: same.
- 2g. Douglas Goodner, b. 1905. Died 1920 by drowning in Perro Canyon.
- 3g. Madison Goodner, b. 1906. Died 1920 by drowning in Pero Canyon in the same accident as his brother.
- 4g. Cass E. Goodner, b. 1-23-1908, on Goodner Ranch at Estancia, N.M. Left home at the age of 21, and broke horses for the "A" outfit in Lincoln Co., N.M. Returned to Sante Fe in 1932 as ranch manager for the General American Ins. Co., involving some 750,000 acres. Simultaneously acted as Government Manager for live stock on several Indian Reservations. Resigned from Government service in 1947. Now operates own ranch, leasing some 116,000 acres of high rough mountain Country for livestock grazing, buying and selling and raising of Hereford cattle. Address: San Ysidra, N.M. m: Evangeline Williams, 7-21-1947, an artist from Matador, Tex. She was unable to reconcile her self with ranch life, and they were divorced 2-6-1958. No issue.
- 5g. Margaret Goodner, b. 5-18-1913, on Goodner ranch at Estancia, N.M. m: Lowell Everett Orrison, 12-11-1937. (b. 5-26-1911, son John M.) Manager of Equitable Life Assurance Society Office at Roswell, N.M. Presbyterians. Mr. Orrison served in Armed Forces 11-7-1942 to 2-2-1946. Res: 1309 S. Adams St., Roswell, N.M. No issue.
- 6g. George Wesley Goodner, b. 8-8-1915, on Goodner Ranch at Estancia, N.M. Served in Air Force 3 years. Salesman. Methodist. m: Betty Louise Henry. (b. 9-21-1923, at Sublette, Kan. dau. Lawrence G. and Esther Henry.) Betty's second marriage. She had a daughter, Sharon Key, by her previous marriage. Res: 809 El Serano, Albuquerque, N.M. No issue.
- 7g. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 8-11-1918, on Goodner Ranch at Estancia, N.M. m: Jay Wilbur Lewis, 1939. (b. 1-20-1920, Albuquerque, N.M., son Arthur James Lewis.) Presbyterians. Manager of Mountain States Telephone Co. at Denver, Colo. Res: 4523 E. Arkansas Ave., Denver 22, Colo.
- Ch: 1h. Judith Ann Lewis, b. 12-16-1941.
 2h. Barbara Kay Lewis, b. 10-29-1945.
- 3f. Ethel Mae Goodner, b. 12-21-1879, Baxter Springs, Kan. d. 1-15-1956. Musician. Member of Eastern Star, and Delphian Study Club. m: Gideon Pitt Carroll, 9-1-1897, at Columbus, Kan. (b. 2-27-1873. d. June 1943, at Vinita, Okla.) Methodist, and

Member of Church Board. 33^o Mason. Member of Vinita, Okla., Rotary Club. Hobbies, hunting and fishing. Was in the cleaning, pressing, and tailoring business, and was the son of Hercules Christopher Guy Carrollton Carrol - usually went by the name of "H. Carroll - and Josephine Port Carroll. Hercules Carroll was in the Union Army in the Civil War and was a prisoner in the infamous Libby Prison, where he lost his health (Josephine Port's father owned Grey Rock Plantation in Maryland.) Res. Vinita, Okla.

Ch: 1g. Maud Carroll, b. 10-13-1898, Kan. m: Judge Leslie E. Salter, 3-7-1925. Res: 716 Park Drive, Flossmoor, Ill.

Ch: 1h. Edwin Carroll Salter, b. 1-19-1927, Oklahoma City, Okla. Grad. Northwestern Univ. School of Medicine. M.D. Served in Army 2 years, Captain. Res: 635 Roger Williams, Highland Pk., Ill. Single.

2h. Robert Ernest Salter, b. 6-14-1928, Oklahoma City, Okla. Personnel Director at Arvin Mfg. Co. Lutheran. Army 2 years, Corp. m: Carol Jacqueline Kreiger, 10-14-1950. (b. 11-17-1928, dau. Edward Christian Kreiger.) Res: 1484 Ruddick, Columbus, Ind.

Ch: 1i. Kenneth Edward Salter, b. 7-8-1952.

2i. Stephen Ernest Salter, b. 8-17-1953.

3i. Susan Carroll Salter, b. 12-5-1954.

2g. Leila Carroll, b. 7-30-1903, (Twin of Gertie L.) m: George Robert Cathey, 5-31-1930, at residence of Geo. T. Cathey, Uncle, in Tulsa, Okla. In business, - Cathey Furniture Co., 2203 E. 20th St., Tulsa, Okla. Business Address: 816 S. Main St., Tulsa, Okla.

Ch: 1h. Carroll Charlotte Cathey, b. 11-27-1934. m: Glenn F. Prichard, 8-17-1957. Res: Tulsa, Okla.

2h. George Alan Cathey, b. 3-13-1940. Student. Tulsa, Okla.

3g. Gertie L. Carroll, b. 7-30-1903. (Twin of Leile) m: 1st: Clell Farbrough. No issue. m: 2nd: Jack L. Rorschach, 9-23-1935, Vinita, Okla. Attorney. Res: 246 Brown St., Vinita, Okla.

Ch: 1h. Donnie Rorschach.

4g. Jennie Crutchfield Carroll, b. 11-6-1905, Vinita, Okla. D.A.R. on Conrad Goodner line. m: Delmas Emory Martin, *6-24-1928, Vinita, Okla. (b. 6-17-1905, son Joseph Emory and Minnie Margaret (Mulcare) Martin.) Attorney. Oil interests and Real Estate. Was with Federal Bureau of Investigation. Member of the Osage Tribal Council. Served in the Okla. Legis. and was County Attorney for Mayes Co. Member Board of Regents of Okla. Military Academy. Desc. of John Martin, First Chief Justice of the Cherokee Nation, who lies buried at Ft. Gibson. Thomas L. Rogers, First Chief Justice of Osage Nation was a relative on a collateral line, and a cousin to the late Will Rogers. Res: Rt. #6, Box 595, Tulsa, Okla. Resides on an estate of 1286 acres.

Ch: 1h. Douglas Emory Martin, b. 4-21-1934, Tulsa, Okla. Grad. Central High School, Tulsa, and Univ. of Okla., with A.B. Degree. Single. Running for House of Representatives from Osage Co., Okla. Res: Rt. #6, Box 595, Tulsa, Okla.

2h. William Rodney Martin, b. 8-19-1935, Vinita, Okla. Grad. of Central High School, and Univ. of Okla. with A.B. Degree. Single. In military service. Res: Rt. #6, Box 595, Tulsa, Okla.

3h. Marilyn Martin, b. 9-28-1943, Tulsa, Okla. Was made "Princess Mi-ka-ke Ho-ba-do", in 1957, in Osage Tribe, which means "Princess Morningstar". Grad. of Horace Mann, Jr. High School.

Lewis Cass Goodner married 2nd: Anna ("Mollie") Patton, of Baxter Springs, Kan., believed to have been a sister to Ben W. Patton, who lived in Baxter Springs, died there 11-8-1935, and who is interred in Baxter Springs Cemetery. Anna was crushed to death in Portland, Ore. when pinned against a wall by a runaway truck. Interred in or near Portland, Ore. She was visiting her dau., Mrs. Schilling.

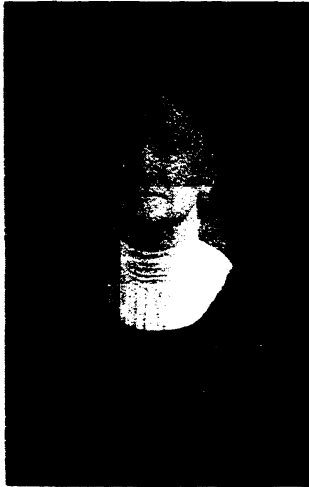
Ch: 4f. Rufie Goodner, b. 8-16-1885. d. childhood. (We had a record of an Edgar Goodner who died at birth and as the date is about the same as that of Rufie, they may be one and the same.)

5f. Bessie Matt Goodner, b. 11-9-1887, Baxter Springs, Kan. m: Hugh Cummings Moore, (b. 1-31-1886, son W.H.) at Weir City, Kan. Presbyterian. Retired. Res: Union Spgs., Ala. Dairyman.

Ch: 1g. Florence Mildred Moore, b. 10-13-1907, Ratan, N.M. m: George Frank Holmes. Res: Rt. #13, Box 266, Dolly Ridge Rd., Birmingham, Ala.

*See Appendix.

- Ch: 1h. Peggy Holmes, b. 5-22-1929, Was christened Florence Mildred, but had name changed to Peggy. m: Townsend Stanley Holland, Jr. 6-30-1951, Birmingham, Ala. (b. 4-22-1921) In Real Estate Business. 1st. Lieut. Air Force, 3 years. Pilot. Catholic. Res: 9715 Byeforde Rd., Kensington, Md.
- Ch: 1i. T. Stanley Holland, III, b. 5-26-1952.
2i. Peggy Ann Holland, b. 5-23-1953.
3i. Donna Florence Holland, b. 7-31-1956.
4i. George Holland, b. 9-14-1957.
- 2h. George Frank Holmes, Jr., b. 1-8-1931, Huntsville, Ala. (b. Wetumpka, Ala.) Engineer. Served in Navy 1953 to 1956. Methodist. Single. Res: 306 Kent Rd., Huntsville, Ala.
- 2g. Marquerite Elizabeth Moore, b. 7-14- , Union Springs, Ala. m: O. L. McGhee. Res: 506 Circle Dr., Alexander City, Ala.
- Ch: 1h. Martha Nell McGhee, b. 6-6-1947, Alexander City, Ala.
- 3g. Martha Nell Moore, b. 8-26-1915, Union Springs, Ala. m: G.R. Waterman Res: "Birdwood", Woodstock, Va.
- Ch: 1h. Anne Moore Waterman, b. 2-23-1948, Woodstock, Va. Twin.
2h. Richard Waterman, Jr., b. 2-23-1948. Twin.
- 4g. Mary Octavia Moore, b. 12-19-1919, Union Springs, Ala. m: Barrett L. Collier. Res: 1157 Tom Gurney Dr., Winter Park, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Bess Collier, b. 12-31-1944. Alexander City, Ala.
2h. Barrett L. Collier, Jr., b. 2-14-1952, Auburn, Ala.
- 6f. Mildred Patton Goodner. Dec'd by 1958. m: 1st: Mitchell Pickens.
- Ch: 1g. Gene G. Pickens, b. 11-20-1912, in N.M. Was legally adopted by his step-father, Ray Schilling, and thus carried the name of Schilling. Manager of Pepsi-Cola Branch in Sacramento, Calif. m: Carol Ireland, 6-12-1925. (b. 3-28-1912, dau. of W. L. Ireland, Portland, Ore.) Res: 7383 W. Pkway.
- Ch: 1h. Thomas Goodner Schilling, b. 5-26-1927, at Portland, Ore. Student at Stanford Univ.
2h. William Lee Schilling, b. 10-1-1931, Portland, Ore.
- Mildred Patton Goodner Pickens: m: 2nd: Ray Schilling, who adopted her son, Gene G. Pickens. They had no issue of their own.
- 7f. Alma Goodner, b. 9-13-1898, Baxter Springs, Kan. m: Chester Clarke, 4-30-1919, Portland, Ore. Railway Mail Clerk. Mason and Member of Eastern Star. (b. 8-3-1894. d. 1943) Alma resides at 1141 S. Bronson, Los Angeles 19, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Betty Marie Clarke, b. 3-14-1921. d. 9-3-1944.
- 5e. Dr. Salem Goodner, b. 9-18-1853, Nashville, Ill. d. 10-19-1920, Augustana Hospital, Chicago, from cancer of the stomach. Interred in Nashville, Ill., in Greenwood Cemetery. Residence just before death was Sarcoxie, Mo. Practiced medicine for a number of years, and then engaged in the Mercantile Business. He became Pres. of the Sarcoxie State Bank of Sarcoxie, Mo., later resigning to become Pres. for the First National Bank of Sarcoxie. Is reputed to have died wealthy. m: 1st: Jennie Boucher (Margaret Jennie) 5-6-1872. (b. 4-23-1853. d. 5-24-1882. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill.)
- Ch: 1f. Jennie Maud Goodner, b. 2-11-1873. d. 10-18-1873. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery Nashville, Ill.
- 2f. Estelle Boucher Goodner, b. 12-1-1876. 5-13-1954, Interred in Cave Springs Cemetery, Sarcoxie, Mo. m: Albert Forsythe, 12-17-1896. (b. 10-27-1873 at Bowles Mills, Mo. d. 10-7-1948. Interred in Cave Springs Cemetery, Sarcoxie, Mo. Manufacturer. Methodist. Resided in Joplin, Mo.
- Ch: 1g. Estelle Goodner Forsythe, b. 11-18-1898, at Sarcoxie, Mo. m: Stanford Leffen, 8-9-1920, at Joplin, Mo. (b. 1-20-1897, Joplin, Mo., son William J. J. Steffen.) Banker. Methodist. Served in W.W.I as Aviator, in Navy as Ensign. Res: 521 Sergeant St., P.O. Box 864, Joplin, Mo.
- Ch: 1h. John Stanford Leffen, b. 8-30-1921, Joplin, Mo. Grad. U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md. Commissioned Ensign 12-17-1941. Designated Naval Aviator, 10-2-1944. Grad. U.S. Naval War College, Newport, R.I., June 1954. Presently serving as Commander in U.S. Navy as of 6-1-1954. Presbyterian. Present address: 741 Balboa Ave., Coronado, Calif. Permanent address: P.O. Box 864, c/o Stanford Leffen, Joplin, Mo. m: Collette Alice Carter, 4-1-1942, at Charleston, S.C. (b. 1-31-1921, dau. J. L. Carter of Winchester, Mass.)
- Ch: 1i. John Stanford Leffen, Jr., b. 2-2-1943, Cambridge, Mass.
2i. Carter Forsythe Leffen, b. 11-30-1949, Bethesda, Md.



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- 2h. Sarah Forsythe Leffen, b. 10-17-1923, Joplin, Mo. m: Hugh Campbell Macfarlane, 5-23-1943. (b. 8-30-1917, son Howard P. Macfarlane of Tampa, Fla.) Served as Junior Officer in Navy Jan. 1945 to Nov. 1945. Episcopalians. Attorney. Res: 901 Golf View Ave., Tampa, Fla.
 Ch: 1i. Sarah Forsythe Macfarlane, b. 6-19-1948.
 2i. Howard Pettingill Macfarlane, b. 9-24-1950.
 3i. Hugh Campbell Macfarlane, Jr., b. 6-12-1954. (Twin)
 4i. Andrew Kenyon Macfarlane, b. 6-12-1954. (Twin)
- 3h. William Forsythe Leffen, b. 10-19-1925, Joplin, Mo. Grad. of Washington & Lee Univ., 1948. Lieut. J.G., U.S. Naval Res. 3-1/2 years. Methodist. Banker, with Citizens Bank of Joplin, Mo. m: Edith Patricia Rainey, 1-29-1948. (b. 1-25-1928, dau. Hugh H. and Helen Landreth Rainey of Joplin, Mo.) Res: Joplin, Mo. Box 711.
 Ch: 1i. Penelope Ann Leffen, b. 8-9-1950.
 2i. Elizabeth Leffen, b. 6-23-1952.
 3i. Sarah Goodner Leffen, b. 3-29-1955.
- 2g. Newton Melville Forsythe, b. 12-12-1902, Sarcoxie, Mo. Grad. Joplin, Mo., High School, and Univ. of Mich. Member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. Director of Indiana Chamber of Commerce, Director of Rotary Club, Director of Wayne Co. United Fund, Director of Wayne Co. Red Cross, Pres. and Director of Jes-Cal Co. of Detroit. Pres. and Director of National Automatic Tool Co., Inc., of Richmond, Ind. Member of Richmond (Ind.) Country Club, and Cleveland (Ohio) Country Club. Member and Vestryman of Episcopal Church. Res: 1707 E. Main St., Richmond, Ind. m: Harriett Blair, 12-31-1926, Joplin, Mo. (b. 10-7-1903, dau. Harry W. Blair of Washington, D.C.)
 Ch: 1h. Emily Blair Forsythe, b. 7-22-1922. m: Robert Marsh Warren. Res: 3658 Townley Rd., Shaker Heights 22, Ohio.
 2h. Ann Goodner Forsythe, b. 2-27-1931, Pittsburgh, Pa. m: Stanley Morton Brown, Jr., 8-31-1957 at Land O'Lakes, Wisc. (b. 10-26-1923, son Stanley Morton, Sr., of Chelsea, Mass.) Grad. of Marblehead, Mass. High School. Attended Lehigh Univ. 1941 and 1942. Grad. of M.I.T. 1944. District Sales Manager for New Britain Machine Co., Cleveland, O. Served as Lieut. Navy 1942 to 1946, Episcopalians. Ann G. Forsythe, Grad. Hathaway Brown School, Cleveland. Attended Wood College 1949-1951. Grad. Miami Univ. Oxford, Ohio, 1954. Res: 3646 Lynnfield Rd., Shaker Heights, Ohio.
 Ch: 1i. James Windsor Brown, b. 9-16-1958, Cleveland, O.
 3h. Marquette Newell Forsythe, b. 2-27-1931, at Pittsburgh, Pa. (Twin of Ann.) m: John Ingersoll Collins. Res: 1444 Aster St., Chicago, Ill.
- 3g. Salem Albert Forsythe, b. 12-22-1914, Joplin, Mo. Grad. Cleveland Heights, O., High School. Attended Joplin, Mo. High School, Western Reserve Univ., Cleveland, O. and George Washington Univ., Washington, D. C. Was sales Engineer with the Barrett Co., Div. Allied Chemical & Dye, and with the Tectum Co. Principal partner of the firm of Forsythe & Stilwell, Sales Engineers, 1737 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 3, Pa. Naval Aviator, Lieut. J.G., W.W.II, Presbyterian. Res: 1154 Maplecrest Circle, Gladwyne, Pa. m: Ann Hamilton, 2-11-1942. (b. 1-26-1923, dau. of Mrs. Hattie Wyatt Hamilton.)
 Ch: 1h. Dinah Forsythe, b. Raleigh, N.C. d. age 11 mo.
 2h. Salem Lynwood Forsythe, b. 6-12-1952, Washington, D.C.
 3h. Frank Elbert Forsythe, b. 7-22-1953, Washington, D.C.
- Dr. Salem Goodner, Jr., m: Emilie Sabert, no issue.
- 7e. Ella Goodner, b. 7-30-1856, Nashville, Ill. d. Belleville, Ill. m: Prof. Harrison Monroe Anderson, 8-16-1876. Resided in Chicago, Clayton, Herscher, and Normal, all in Illinois. Ella moved to Normal in July of 1924, and purchased a house at 505 S. Fell Ave. Also lived at one time at 312 Virginia Ave., Normal, Ill. Death dates unknown.
 Ch: 1f. Edgar Prince Anderson, b. 12-21-1877. d. 6-13-1894. Death by drowning while living in Clayton, Ill.
 2f. Lillian Anderson, b. 3-10-1880. d. 1-21-1924, at Normal, Ill. b. Jacksonville, Ill. Died of cancer of the stomach. Mastered in English at the Univ. of Chicago. Grad. Ill. State Normal Univ., earning Bachelor's Degree, 1916. Masters Degree, Univ. of Chi-

- cago 1920. Single.
- 3f. Genevieve Anderson, b. 9-27-1883, at Clayton, Ill. Taught Household Economics in High School, after her second marriage. m: 1st: John Elmer Pierce 12-31-1903. (b. 4-1-1883, Kappa, Ill. d. 10-15-1910. Accidentally killed while in Canada. Interred in Evergreen Cemetery, Bloomington, Ill.) Resided in Normal, Ill.
Ch: 1g. Harry Willard Pierce, b. 11-9-1909, at Loreburn, Canada. d. 12-15-1912, at Arrowsmith, Ill. Bronchial pneumonia. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Bloomington, Ill.
2g. John Anderson Pierce, b. 1911. d. 1912. Gridley, Ill. Interred in Evergreen Cemetery, Bloomington, Ill.
m: 2nd: Henry Montgomery Scott, 7-27-1913, at Ashland, Ill. Traveling Salesman for International Fireproofing Co., with headquarters at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Ch: 3g. Henry Clifford Scott, b. 8-19-1914, at Arrowsmith, Ill.
4g. Son. Name not known. b. 3-13-1916. Normal, Ill.
5g. Eleanor Gene Scott, b. 11-11-1921.
- 4f. Goodner Anderson, b. 7-25-1891, Clayton, Ill. Died young, from diptheria, Augusta, Ill.
- 5f. Grover Cleveland Anderson, b. 11-15-1892, Clayton, Ill. Died young from diptheria.
- 6d. Elinor Goodner, b. 10-18-1821. Have no information on her at all. Apparently died young.
- 7d. Miriam Goodner, b. 2-28-1823, Nashville, Tenn. d. 4-9-1877, Nashville, Ill. Interred in Greenwood Cemetery, Nashville, Ill. Cause of death, peritonitis. m: D. Calvin Sawyer, 8-5-1841, Washington Co., Ill., ceremony performed by James Walker, L.D. Merchant. Resided in Mt. Vernon, Ill., until death of Mr. Sawyer (who preceded Miriam in death) when she moved to Nashville, Ill. It is reported that they had six children in all, but we have record of three.
Ch: 1e. Kate Sawyer, b. abt. 1843-45. m: Dr. Jones. Later divorced. No record of issue.
2e. Farlow Sawyer, b. abt. 1845-50. m: Fannie Le Count. Farlow deserted his wife and child, and went to Chicago, where he clerked for Marshall Field & Co. Later committed suicide. His widow married a St. Louis man, whose name is unknown.
Ch: 1f. Harry Sawyer. No data.
3e. Mattie Sawyer, b. abt. 1847-53. m: Harry Watt. Res. in Kansas City, Mo., in 1925.
Ch: 1f. Harry Watt. Resided in Kansas City, Mo. No data.
- 8d. Rebecca ("Reba") Goodner, b. 11-4-1824, Tenn. m: Rev. Americus Don Carlos, 10-12-1843, Washington Co., Ill. Ceremony performed by James B. Houts, M.G. Resided for many years in Jacksonville, Ill. Methodist Minister on the Payson Circuit. Rebecca resided in later years - 1905: in New York City, apparently with one of her children.
Ch: 1e. Child. d. early youth.
2e. Child. d. early youth.
3e. Luro Don Carlos. m: J.A. Wemple. Place of residence not known.
Ch: 1f. Ethel Wemple. m: Garrett Vessels. Resided in 1925 in Liberal, Kansas.
Ch: 1g. Don Carlos Vessels, b. abt. 1909. No data. (There may have been other children.)
4e. Alice Don Carlos, b. Clinton, Ill. m: Martin Vogel of Jacksonville, Ill., a machinist, who died prior to 1925, after which Alice lived at Normandy Place, Cranford, N.J. Alice was a member of the D.A.R., No. 33716, but she resigned from the Society on Jan. 3rd, 1912, at which time she was a resident of Jacksonville, Ill., 838 W. State St.
Ch: 1f. Earl Vogel. Grad. of Illinois College at Jacksonville, Ill. m: Estelle Cardwell. No issue as of 1925. No further data.
5e. Effie Don Carlos, b. abt. 1857, at Carrollton, Ill. A fine musician; studied in Europe. Member D.A.R., No. 32440. d. March 1911, at which time she was a resident of New York City, at 76 West 103rd St. m: Harry Clay Thompson, a banker, with the Colonial Bank, New York City.
Ch: 1f. Glendora Thompson, m: Joseph E. Freeman, who was Secretary of American Sugar Refining Co., New York City, from 7-19-1910 to 3-12-1919. Left employ of the Company 12-20-1920. His residence during this period was 84 Hillcrest Ave., Yonkers, N. Y. A letter addressed there in 1958 was returned.
Ch: 1g. Eleanor Freeman. b. abt. 1910.
2g. Janet Freeman.
3g. Edwin Freeman.
2f. Dorothy Don Carlos Thompson. In 1925 was single, residing in New York City.
- 6e. Harry E. Don Carlos. Resided in 1925 in Lawrence, Kan. Married twice, the name of his first wife being unknown.
Ch: 1f. Jessie Don Carlos. m: Capt. W.L. Mooney, Resided in 1925 in Seattle, Wash. Unable to locate. No issue as of 1925.
m: 2nd: Louise Cook of Nashville, Tenn. No issue as far as is known.
- 7e. Jessie Don Carlos, m: James D. Hackett. Resided in 1925 at 601 W. 115th St., New York City. Unable to locate in 1958. Was employed at the Colonial Bank.
Ch: 1f. Alice Payne Hackett. Single as of 1925.

- 9d. Mariah Goodner, b. 10-11-1826, Tenn. m: William J. Yost, 2-25-1850, in Washington Co., Ill. Later moved to Cairo, Ill. Mr. Yost was a lawyer, and during the Civil War period, while living in Cairo, he was in partnership with Mr. Wilson, which ended the latter part of 1865. Mariah had died by 1868, for by that time he was a widower, as stated in letter of Jacob Goodner Lynch. Mr. Yost died in Feb. of 1880. Mariah is probably interred in Cairo, Ill., but place of interment of Mr. Yost is uncertain. It may be in Cairo, or it might have been in Washington Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1e. Edwin A. Yost, b. abt. 1852. Married, and lived in St. Louis, where he was a clerk in a store called the "Freeman House". No further data available.
- 10d. Sarah Goodner, b. 11-29-1929, Tenn. m: 1st: Henry Neuman, 2-15-1849. Washington Co., Ill. Ephraim Joy, M.G. No issue. m: 2nd: Rev. Jeremiah Estep.
- Ch: 1e. Charles Estep.
 2e. Don Poe Estep.
 3e. Oliver Estep.
 4e. Eddie Estep.
 5e. Harry Winthrop Estep.
- (According to Ella Goodner Anderson, the Esteps moved to Kansas or Missouri. Contact with rest of family lost, and data on them was unobtainable.)
- 11d. Lucretia Goodner, b. 9-22-1830. Tenn. m: Dr. A. A. Hall, 10-30-1859, Washington Co., Ill., M. Shepherd, M.G. Dr. Allen A. Hall practiced medicine in Huey, Clinton Co., Ill., and also in Lebanon, St. Clair Co., Ill. Unable to locate any descendants in Lebanon or vicinity.
- Ch: 1e. Jacob C. Hall, b. abt. 1861. Reported to have lived in Lebanon, Ill., to have taught school in Sandoval, Ill., and later to have become a Christian preacher in Waterloo, Ill. No issue.
 2e. Luella Hall, b. abt. 1863-65. Married, name of husband unknown. Lived as a widow in Fairfield, Ill. Played pipe organ in Methodist Church and to have given music lessons. Reported to have had two children, a son and a dau., whose names were thought to be Jack and Clara.
- 12d. Lovey Goodner.) Twins. Died infancy. In Tenn.
- 13d. Dovey Goodner.)
- 14d. Emily Goodner, b. 9-15-1832, Tenn.? m: Rev. Henry Hockensmith. Resided near St. Johns, Kan. (Name has been also spelled "Huckensmith").
- Ch: 1e. Addie Hockensmith.
Eddie Hockensmith.



James Goodner



Martha Fite Goodner

Courtesy of Mrs. Dudley Hubbard

5c. James Goodner, the fifth child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Sullivan County, Tenn., Feb. 6th, 1792. His childhood was spent on the farm there. At about the age of 12 or 13 his father sold his farm in Sullivan County and moved to Smith County, Tennessee. It has been said by some of James' descendants that he received only six months schooling, but if such was the case then it is evident that he became self-taught, for his letters which have survived to this day reflect a much greater schooling than could possibly have been obtained in a six months period. In a letter dated April 3rd, 1814, to his brother, Benjamin, he wrote, "I saw a number of my acquaintances and school mates when I was on Coosey from Holeston".

When his parents, and some of his brothers and all of his sisters, moved to the Illinois Territory in 1811 or 1812, he evidently accompanied them, but did not long remain there, returning to Tennessee and living with his brother, John. As explained in one of his later letters he did not like the climate there. He had left his mare and colt with his parents in 1813, as is referred to in David's letter to them in November of 1813.

In October of 1813, at the age of 21 years, he substituted for his brother, John, who was drafted to go against the Creek Indians but could not very well go because of his young family, and so hired James to go in his stead, paying him \$15.00 per month, in addition to which James received his Army pay. An excerpt from David's letter of Nov. 2nd, 1813, to his parents reads as follows:-

"At the special request of Bro. James, I now proceed to lay before you a few thoughts which perhaps may rouse your sympathetic passions. Bro. John was Drafted to go against the Creek Indians; but he finding that he could not go consistent with his own temporal interest hired a substitute. His first proposal (which was fifteen dollars a month exclusive of the wages given by the United States) was made to Bro. James, to which he acceded and has now been in the service near the term of one Month. He passed through this County a few days before I returned from Conference with the Army as it marched out against the Indians. On my return I got information of his going, and persew'd the Army, and fortunately met with James before he crossed Tennessee River. I lodged with him on the bank of Tennessee the 16th night of October. His spirits was well up. On Sunday morning the 17th I saw him with many others cross Tennessee. I have not heard from him since. he expected to return in three months but that is a doubtful case. As there is no probability of him visiting you under a year, he Desires you to take care of his mare and coal and not let them suffer, also to separate them when you separate your own, for which service he is willing to make compensation. Also he Desires you to not let his property be sold to raise them few Dollars that he is due the Estate of Godfrey Shearer Deceased".

James returned from his army service, none the worse for it apparently, except that while in camp he did suffer severely from a very bad cold, and was still suffering from the memory of poor food while in service and the lack of any at all.

In 1931, Mrs. Katherine Chadick had written the Veterans Administration regarding the service of James in the War of 1812, and the following is a copy of the letter she received from them:-

"Veterans Administration

Bureau of Pensions
Washington, D. C.
Jan. 27, 1931.

James Goodner
S. C. 5938.
Rev. and 1812 Wars Section.

To
Mrs. Katherine Chadick
Mercedes, Texas.

Dear Madam:-

You are advised that it appears from the War of 1812 records of this bureau that James Goodner enlisted and served as Corporal in Captain Anthony Metcalf's Company of Tennessee Militia from October 4, 1813 to January 27, 1814. He was allowed pension on his application executed April 1, 1871 while a resident of De Kalb County, Tennessee, Post Office address, Alexandria, Tennessee. Aged Seventy-Nine years.

Soldier married in August or September 1817, Martha Fite. There are no other family data.

E. W. Morgan
Acting Commissioner."

Up until the time of his marriage, James continued to live with his brother, John, learning the trade of tanning as well as working on the farm. On August 11, 1817, he married Martha Fite, born Feb. 23rd, 1798, the dau. of John Fite and Martha Haslit. John Fite served as Private and Waggoner in the New Jersey Troops in the Revolutionary War under Colonel John Van Fleet. He was a son of Thomas Fite and Aspacia Randolph of New Jersey. He was born in Greenwich, N. J., and died in the village of Liberty, De Kalb County, Tennessee.

James wrote several letters to his parents and brother, Benjamin, in Illinois, and some of these have been saved all of these years. Because of their value, interest, and information they contained, copies of them are being given below, and a fac-simile of the one dated February 10th, 1817. We should be greatly indebted to all who helped preserve these old letters, since they give us an insight into the lives of those who have long since passed on. It is strange however that there are no letters preserved that were written later than these. What letters we have ante-date 1820.

James followed the profession of farming most of his life, it appears. In later years he lived with a daughter near Nashville, where he died at the ripe old age of 91 years, living longer than any of the other children of Conrad and Elizabeth. He was interred in the cemetery in Alexandria, Tennessee, in De Kalb County, just over the Smith County line. He and Martha had eight children, including two sons. One of these, John Fite, left no issue. The sons of Thomas Conrad, two in number, were the only ones to carry on the Goodner name. The data on these children and their descendants will follow immediately after the printing of the letters mentioned above.

(Letter from James & John Goodner to their brother, Benjamin, - 1814.)

"Carthage, April the 3rd, A.D. 1814.

Dear Brother-

I received your letter April the 1st and read it with sorrow. Although some parts of it was very entertaining. My mind has not been half so much interrupted since I left camps as it was after reading your letter. I received a letter from Jacob shortly after B. Brownin left there which informed me of his intentions about moving and I was wonderfully pleased at the notion of it, and was in great hopes that you all would move there shortly, but now I have lost all hopes of ever living neighbor to you again, as I doubt ever living in your territory any more as I can't enjoy my health over there. I have been more healthy and fatter and stouter since I left Camps than I have been in four years before. I had a spell of sickness in Camps which reduced me very low. It arose from cold - the greatest cold in my system that ever I had in my life. Our fare was very bad. It is not necessary to write any more on this point as I expect you have heard all about it.

I wonder who was your informer about your woodless country, or what whimsical notion has got in you all, or who is the ring leader that leads you out there. I suppose you have not had enough ague and fever yet. And father it appears wants to get to a colder country where he can enjoy the full merits of rheumatics. I thought he would be for moving to a warmer climate. It appears that the family is divided, and so like to be. I suppose by this time you know how I like the thoughts of your moving out there. To preserve friendship I had best drop the subject lest by my plain speaking I should give an offense, but I hope you'll take no offense at what I have already said. I am truly sorry at the thoughts of your moving out there. I should have been with you before now, but the throng of business and the scarcity of money prevented, but I expect to come in the course of four or five weeks, perhaps sooner. I saw a number of my acquaintances and school mates when I was on Coosey from Holeston. As I do expect to be with you shortly, I think a short letter may suffice. I like my trade very well. I had appointed to start to see you on last Tuesday and I met with an opportunity and sold my mare, and now I must defer it awhile, and when I come I can't stay but a few days. I intend to bring my mare away and sell my colt. These lines leave me in good health. I am with respect, yours,

James Goodner.

To Benj. Goodner.

(in same letter)

John wants me to write a few lines for him.

Dear relations - These lines will inform you that we are all well at present, hoping these will find you in good health. I shall get a fine quantity of hides this year betwixt four and five hundred, and this tanner in town will get but very few. I would further state to you that I took one hundred and seventy gallons of honey, which I sold at one Dollar per gallon. I have it in contemplation to build a cotton gin this fall. Cotton is very scarce. It is selling at 25 cents per pound, and corn at ten shillings per barrel. I have two hundred and sixty-two apple trees planted. Mrs. Baker desires to be remembered to you all. Farewell,

John Goodner.

To Benjamin Goodner
Illinois Territory, Johnson County.
Fort Massack Post Office.

(Note "This came to hand May the 26th, 1814)

COPY OF LETTER FROM JAMES GOODNER TO HIS FATHER, CONRAD GOODNER. MAY 15, 1814.
(Original from which this is copied is in possession of Mrs. Frank H. Goit)

Carthage, Tennessee
May 15, A.D. 1814.

Mr. Conrad Goodner
Illinois Territory
Johnson County
Fort Massac Post Office

Most Honored Father.

I have received your letter of the 3rd of April and am a little sorry to hear of the painful affliction you have suffered during the last fall and winter, as you observe, worse than death itself. I thought that my suffering was extremely great while in the savage wilderness, exposed to the inclemency of the weather without anything to support me except it was a few acorns I could chance to meet with at times. Sometimes a few pieces of corn grains that I could pick up where the horses had been fed. But I must confess that my sufferings were very light to what yours were. But I hope these lines will find you restored to your former health in a great measure. I think if you will leave that country and come into this state to a warmer climate you would recover your former health, also your family would enjoy their health a great deal better. As for my part I feel almost a third stronger and abler for labor than I did when I lived in your Territory. I had much rather you would move into this State than go to that settlement. But if you must move there, I must bid you farewell, as I think I never can like your Territory well enough to live in it.

In my last letter to you, I wrote that I expected to be with you before now. But the throng of business has prevented it and I am not able to inform you at this time when I can come. But I will use every exertion that lies in my power so as to get off sometime this month. As I have appointed so many times to go to see you and have failed in every one, I think proper not to appoint another time until I am ready to start. I would be quite happy to see you all.

I received a letter from Bro. David last Monday, which informed me that they were all well. He also stated that through much difficulties, he arrived at Bro. Jacob's on the first of March. Also that he had generally been in business to his elbows since his arrival at that place, which often whets his stomach and causes him to sleep very sound and sometimes complains of sore bones. He further stated that he had lately received a letter from Cousin Jacob Shearer of N. Carolina, from which he understood that our relatives were as well as could be expected when considering that some of them are very far advanced in the evening of life, particularly Aunt Albert.

If you receive this letter shortly after this date and have opportunity to put a letter in the office, write to me a long letter to let me know if Bro. Browning and Bro. Benjamin are gone to Gotion and when you expect to move, and where all our relatives are living as I understood that David Tade was about to move on Big Bay, also who tills your plantation this year.

Bro. John and his family are well and join me in much love to you all. I must come to a close, with my best love and respect to you and my loving mother, Brothers and Sisters and in short all that inquire after my welfare, I am dear Father, with respect, your obedient son,

James Goodner.

Conrad Goodner.
A few lines to Grandmother Shearer.
Most loving Grandmother.

After my best compliments to you, I desire to inform you that according to your request I expect to put your letter in the office tomorrow morning. But I have poor hopes of its ever finding the person it is directed to. When I was in the army, I saw Mr. Jesse Goddard, a son of Thos. Goddard, who informed me where Mr. Jordan was then living. He also informed me that his children were all living in the same county, except Sophia, and that they appeared to be doing very well. John Jordan was not married. Mr. Jordan had purchased land, and Joseph Goddard likewise, and as well as I can recollect, some of his other sons-in-law. However, I understood that they were all settled. His youngest daughter was not married. I have forgotten which county they live in, Blount County or Knox County. But to the best of my recollection, it is Blount, and there I shall direct your letter. These lines leave me in good health. I am with respect your most obedient and dutiful son.

Copy of letter from James Goodner to his "Relations" in Illinois Territory.

"Carthage, May the 19th, 1816.

Dear Relations-

I have a long time waited with patience for a letter from you till my patience is worn out. I am almost ready to conclude you are dead or have entirely forgotten me, which causes me to write a few lines to send you at random. I am yet living at Johns, and expect to continue here till winter. I have no place in view then to go to. If no preventing accident takes place I shall tan leather for myself to the amount of 170 to 200 dollars this year. My wages is 15 dollars a month. I set out the 10th of January last to hunt Brother David and found him living on Flint River. They were all well except himself. He complained a little of the rheumatic pains in all his arms and hand. He has entered a quarter section of thin land but has an excellent spring. He is in a very thick settlement and a good place for his business if he can please his customers (which I believe he has done so far) he will get a great run of custom, but I fear his inability of body and want of experience will injure his progress a little in the tanning business. I then set out and after three days travel found Jacob in the poor "Greenbrier nobbs" in Hickman County on Duck river where he had lately moved to. He had contracted for a small piece of land in the woods and was about to settle himself there in that poor Greenbrier country. He took with him from Giles 200 dollars of leather and wagon load of hides. My feelings were very much hurt to find him in such a poor out of the way place. It appeared (as I told him) that I had not passed a house that evening I came there that was able to purchase a pair of half soles. Shortly after I left there he was sent for and moved to Columbia, 24 miles up the river in Murray County where he joined in partnership with Esq. Spencer to superintend his factory for the term of three years. I understand that he expects to fill 16 vats this year. These lines leave me and this family in good health.

James Goodner "

In a letter John had written to his parents in Illinois Territory, dated May 6th, 1815, James had added the following:

"Suffer me to gratify you by amusing your ears with a few lines lest you should take the hypo.

From Bigboys streams your surely gone
 For which you've thought the time so long
 And at the skyline contented camped
 And sent (your) hands your crops to plant
 Was you but on the Oakwa stream
 And twenty miles along the green
 Like Isreal when on Pisgah stood
 And viewed old Caanan's land so good
 on Turkey Hill you then might stand
 And look toward the promised land
 Where lies your prize or little portion
 Hard by the settlement of Goshen
 There you can sing your songs so sweet
 Your journey is at last complete
 From ponds and swamps are freed at last
 And in a land all clad with grass,
 My paper won't no more admit
 I hope you'll give me leave to quit.

James Goodner.

Barthage ... Dec 17th 1767

Dear parents

After my best Compliments to you and
I will inform you that I recd a letter
Mother last fall which inform

Was all in Common health and
from Benjamin last Friday which

Ware all well, from this time
you has not recd a letter since

Summer I would a letter
could not find me a Satisfactory

Circumstances I intend I will
fall (not being satisfied)

fork to look a place for my
found one which I think

I have purchast a small tract of 40
on a branch of Smiths fork Calo

about 16 miles from Barthage and
from a small town in the upper end of

Calo Liberty and about 5 miles from
Store. This land is very well

about sixteen acres under good
Grass lot two or three and about

also two very good trees
ent stone chimney

...

and doors elevated on a beautiful grassy yard with
 a number of other necessary buildings, to tedious to
 mention two tolerable good Springs, I am not to
 get full possession of it ~~but~~ until next Christ
 mas, during which time there is to be 5 or 6 acres of
 land cleared. This land is second rate land and lies
 tolerable. ^{well} The greater part of it may be cultivated
 all of which I get for two hundred and fifty
 Dollars to be paid next Christmas come a year
 I have moved my little plow up there last Friday
 and will immediately proceed to open out a tanning
 factory. I expect to board ~~with~~ with my neigh
 bors, this year I have in consequence of this purchase
 disappointed David. I have had no intelligence
 from David nor Jacob since I saw them last fall
 Jacob and all his family had been afflicted with the
 ague and fever but was a good deal mended when I
 left there they were desirous to move from
 Columbus but I've not heard what they do.
 I would be very happy to see some of you in this
 country I think you don't use me well I have
 been to see you twice since I left you, in parti
 cular Benjamin might come before he settles.
 I suppose it's useless to write to any of the boys
 to come down to the tanning business, for which
 I have no doubt I shall be able to get

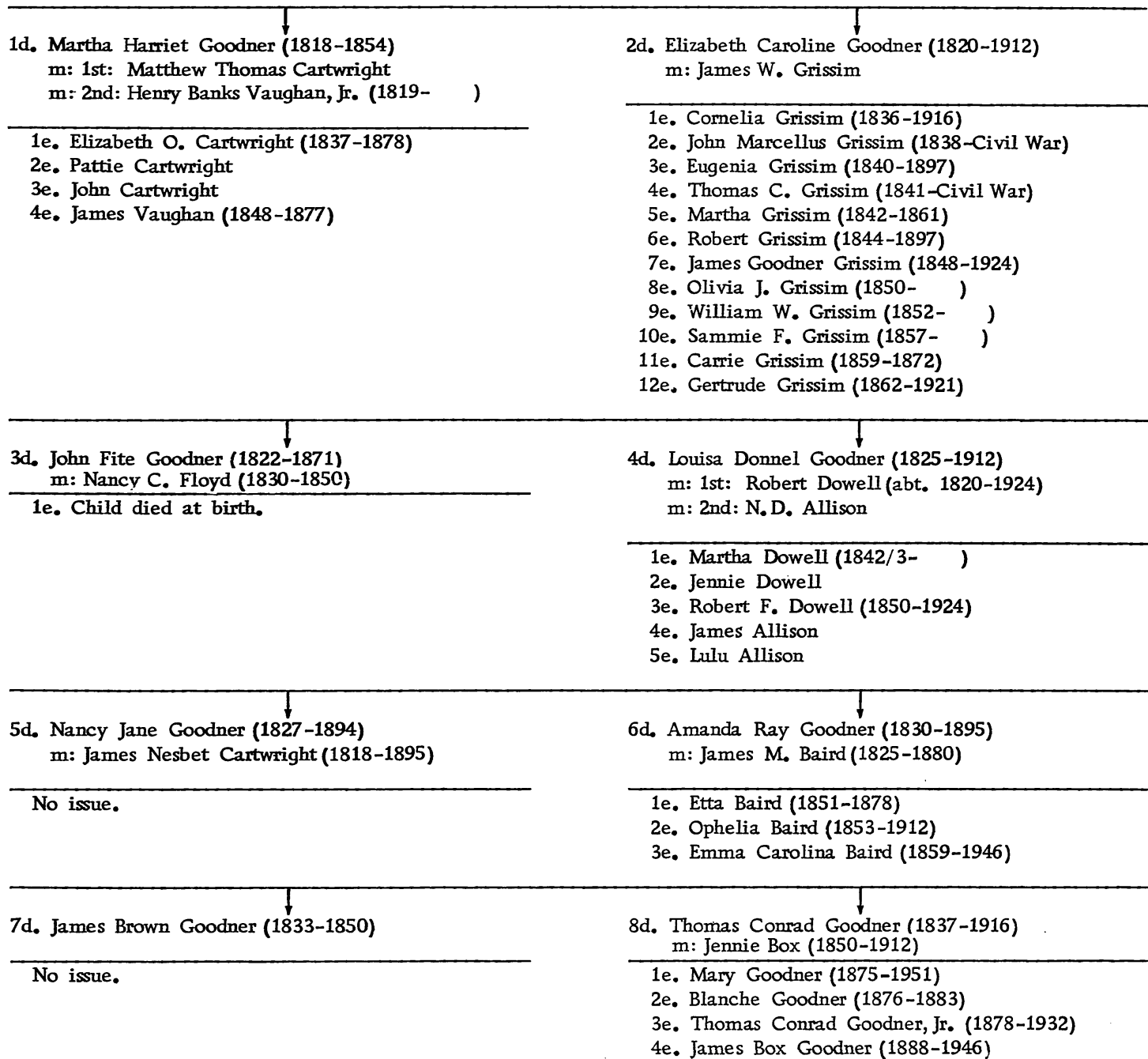
not that I wish them to leave you at present
 or contrary to your wishes but at a future day
 write to me how fare you live from Turkey hill and how far
 from Belleville, I would be glad to see you all but I cant
 tell when it will be in my power to come. We heard
 last fall that father was mended so that he could walk the
 floor, which was pleasing to hear but from your letters I am
 led to believe the reverse. These lines leaves me in
 good health. please give compliments to ^{my} father and
 and Mr Brown and Sally and Jane and all that may
 enquire after my wellfare I must come to a close farewell
 Courade and Elizabeth Goodner
 James Goodner

Oh I'm writing to me I rec'd your letter to Carthage

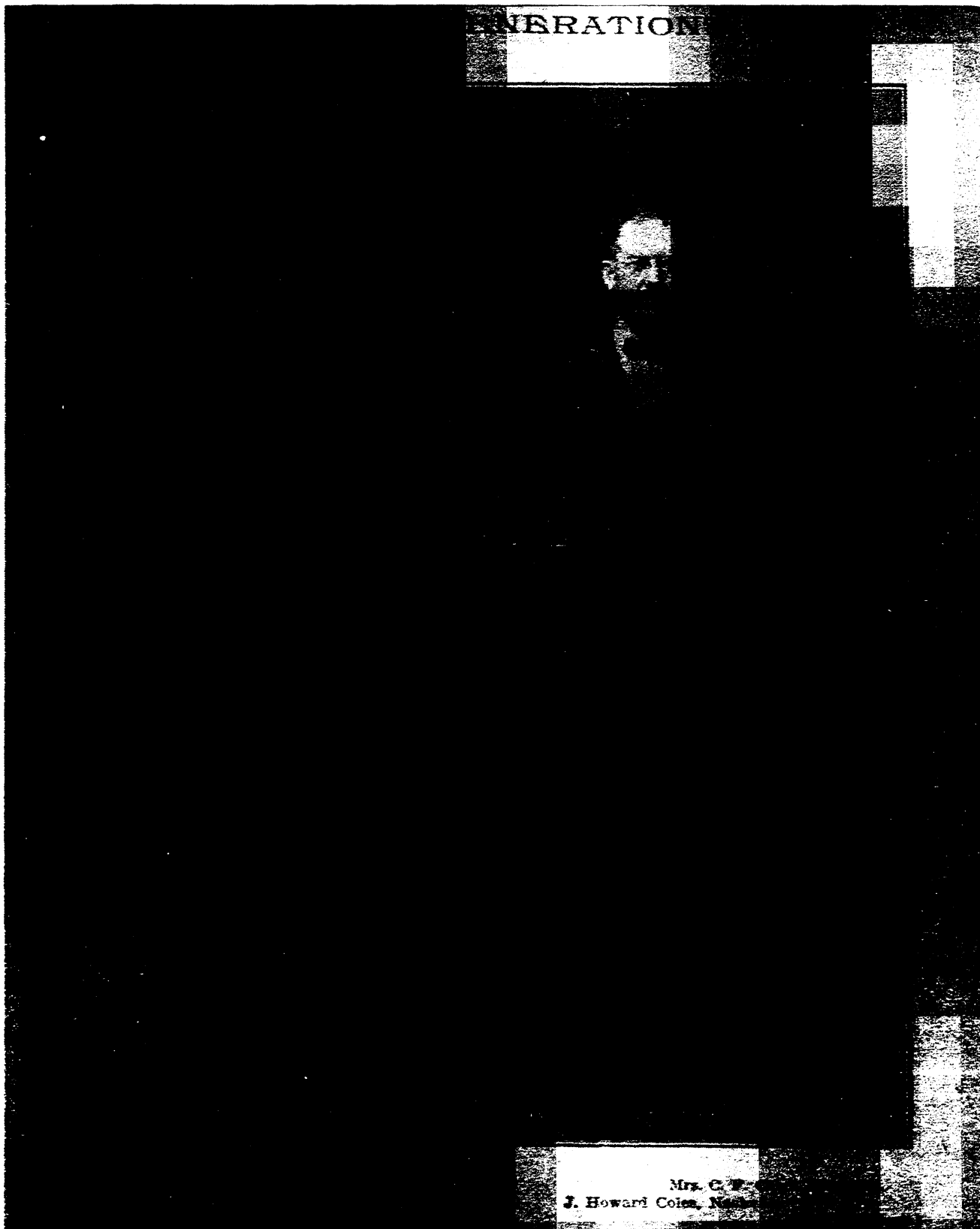
Febr 100 - 1847
 this is to inform you that I and mine is all well at
 present hoping you are all in good health we have
 the pleasure to inform you that we have a little
 daughter was born January 6 1847 and goes by the
 name of Sally. I have nothing in press
 at present but a tall winter ^{coat} and a very
 bonnet 50 cents or Bushel and pork 95 ^{cents} and a very
 thing in purpashan there of - I bought 33 ^{acres} land last
 Summer at the moderate price of 8 dollars ^{per acre} which
 bon plants my Garden of trees of all so ^{well} that
 still which hold 120 Gallon which I have ^{planted} year
 and shall have time to go to it ^{with} him from ^{you} now
 also a ^{very} woman which is a house ^{with} ^{you}
 have

These are the best of apples in this
 country. I have a way of raising of
 them which is the best. I have not my self master
 of a hog skin I have got the Neighbors to Skin some of
 Bacon has which skins is fine for seats
 I have a lot of 400 trees a part of them begins
 more shall have apples for
 have 5 acres that lies fair
 I wish to get set down for
 have the best kind of apples in
 paper is short with one
 you all and wish you to come
 but summer and let some
 make you
 for get for well
 summer John Goodner

5c. James Goodner (1792-1883) - Martha Fite (1798-1862)



- 5c. James Goodner, b. 2-6-1792, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 2-3-1883, near Nashville, Tenn. Interred in Alexandria, De Kalb Co., Tenn., age 91 years. Fourth son of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner. m: Martha Fite, 8-11-1817. d. 1862. Dau. of John Fite and Martha Haslit Fite. John Fite was a Private and Waggoner in the New Jersey Troops in the Revolutionary War, under Col. John Van Fleet. He was a son of Thomas and Aspacia Randolph Fite, and was born in Greenwich, N.J., and died in Liberty, De Kalb Co., Tenn.
- Ch: 1d. Martha Harriett Goodner, b. 5-17-1818. d. 1854. m: Matthew Thomas Cartwright, 1-24-1883. Probably lived in Smith or De Kalb Co., Tenn.
- Ch: 1e. Elizabeth Ophelia Cartwright, b. 1837. d. 1878. m: William Porter Turner, in 1857. (b. 1826. d. 1904.) Resided in Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. James Turner, b. abt. 1860. Nothing further known.
- 2f. Willie Turner, b. abt. 1863-1867. Nothing further known.
- 3f. Ophelia Turner, b. 1876, in Nashville, Tenn. d. 11-4-1914, in Charlotte, N.C., where they resided at 1709 South Blvd. m: C.B. Bryant, a graduate of Vanderbilt Univ. and who became Sec'y-Treas. of the Cotton Manufacturers Assn. No issue.
- 2e. Pattie Cartwright, b. abt. 1839. m: D.A. Buck. Resided in 1925 at 1107 Maple Ave., La Porte, Ind. Contact lost in the years following.
- Ch: 1f. Manon Buck.
- 2f. Inez Buck.
- 3f. Edith Buck. m: Mr. Van Trease. No record of issue.
- 3e. John Cartwright, b. abt. 1841. No further record.
- Martha Harriett Cartwright m: 2nd: Henry Banks Vaughan, Jr., 12-15-1847. (b. 12-22-1819, son of Henry Banks Vaughan, Sr., b. 3-17-1797. The Vaughan family, according to Miss Charity Vaughan, came from Wales and settled in Virginia. The original emigrant was given a tract of land in Halifax County, Va., for services in the Revolutionary War. The Vaughans are traditionally descended from Lord Vaughan. A branch of the family settled in Dixon Springs, Tenn., and there is a Vaughan Cemetery there on the old Vaughan place, owned in 1957 by Mr. William Young.
- Ch: 4e. James Vaughan, b. 1848. d. 1877. m: Jennie Harris of Gallatin, Tenn. (b. 12-29-1846. d. May 1924.)
- Ch: 1f. Rose Vaughan, b. 7-21-1871 in Gallatin, Tenn. d. 10-6-1948. m: Fennell P. Turner Oct. 1897, a doctor. No issue.
- 2f. Mary Vaughan, b. 5-3-1874, in Gallatin, Tenn. m: Dr. Henry Beach Carre', 3-22-1906, in Nashville, Tenn. (b. 6-9-1871. d. 1-30-1928.) Mary Vaughan Carre' resides at Sterling Court, Apt. C-4, Nashville, Tenn. No issue.
- 2d. Elizabeth Caroline Goodner, b. 3-20-1820. d. 1912. m: James W. Grissim, abt. 1835. Res. in Rome, Ga.
- Ch: 1e. Cornelia Grissim, b. 8-4-1836. d. 12-6-1916. m: William Temple Coles. Res. in Nash., Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. John Howard Coles, b. 6-6-1860. d. -----. m: Martha Ophelia Hamlet. (b. 2-20-1861. d. 9-17-1916.) Resided in Wilson County, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Edwin Fisher Coles, b. 4-8-1880. d. 10-16-1947. Interred in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Nashville, Tenn. m: Louise Buttorff, 7-5-1905. (b. 9-6-1888, dau. of Henry B. and Eliz. Buttorff) Mrs. Louise Coles res. in Nash., Tenn.
- 2g. Robert Grissim Coles, b. 8-8-1882. d. 10-3-1953, in Nashville, Tenn. Interred in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Died of a heart ailment. Attended Howard School and Hume-Fogg High School. Started business career with the Jesse French Piano Co. as salesman, later entered the automobile business. Episcopalian. m: Kate Anderson of Helena, Ark., 6-3-1903. (b. 4-8-1883 dau. of Zachary Taylor Anderson, a collateral descendant of Zachary Taylor, and also Dolly Madison. Widow res. -1958: 2951 Primrose Circle, Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Zachary Anderson Coles, b. 10-21-1904, Nashville, Tenn. m: Louise (Shelton) Bell, 6-3-1933. Res: 1958- 449 Dreer Park Dr., Belle Meade, Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Zachary Anderson Coles, Jr., b. 4-12-1938. A student at Sewanee College in pre-medical. Grad. of Law in Vanderbilt Univ.
- 2i. Betsy Bell Coles, b. 10-5-1943.
- 2h. Martha Coles, b. 3-25-1907. Grad. of Ward-Belmont School. m: 1st: William Frederic Faircloth.
- Ch: 1i. Kathryn Anderson Faircloth, b. 7-12-1937. Student at Vanderbilt Univ.
- m: 2nd: James D. Barbee, Res: 2951 Primrose Circle, Nash., Tenn.
- Ch: 2i. Mary Louise Barbee, b. 10-23-1942.
- 3i. Robert Coles Barbee, b. 8-10-1946.
- 3h. Mary Alberta Coles, b. 2-8-1896, Nashville, Tenn. m: B. O. Robertson, M.D., 8-24-1918, Nashville, Tenn. Physician and Surgeon. Member 6th Ave. Presbyterian Church. Res: 828 Conroy Rd., Birmingham, Ala.



FIVE GENERATIONS OF COLES

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- Ch: 1i. Dr. Brison Robertson, b. 10-6-1919, at Birmingham. Physician. M.S. 1942 at Vanderbilt Univ. Sigma Alpha Epsilon. U.S. Air Force 1955-57. Presbyterian. Member Jefferson Co. Med. Society. Office: Medical Arts Bldg., Birmingham, Ala. m: Elaine Haile, 11-24-1942, Birmingham, Ala., Dau. Thos. Jefferson Haile
- Ch: 1j. Nan Robertson, b. 12-21-1951.
2j. Brison Oakley Robertson, b. 12-10-1952.
- 4h. John Howard Coles, b. 7-13-189-, Nashville, Tenn. Partner in firm of Coles and Waller, Jewelers, 519 Union St., Nashville, Tenn. m: Eliz. Shelton. (b. 11-24-1900, dau. of W.B.D. Shelton)

- Ch: 1i. John Howard Coles III, b. 9-9-1927 at Nashville, Tenn. Grad. Vanderbilt Univ. in Medicine. M.D. 1957. Capt. in U.S. Air Force (M.C.) 4232d U.S.A.F. Hospital, Lake Charles, La. m: Barbara Dickson, 4-23-1954, dau. of Howard Dickson.
Ch: 1j. Lynne Coles, b. 4-20-1955.
2j. John Howard Coles, IV, b. 11-26-1956.
- 2i. Betty Coles, b. 8-18-1932, Nashville, Tenn. m: William W. Johnson, Sept. 1953.
Ch: 1j. Linda Elizabeth Johnson, b. Sept. 1954.
2j. Martha Diane Johnson, b. 2-20-1957.
- 2f. Ed. Coles, No issue.
- 3f. Albert Coles, Married and moved to California. Contact lost.
Ch: 1g. Glenn Coles, Resided in Venice, Calif.
2g. Son, Name unknown. Deceased.
- 4f. Dr. Van Coles, b. 1-21-1872. d. 8-12-1933. Interred in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Nashville, Tenn. Grad. in Medicine of Vanderbilt University. m: Euda Gray Carter, 1898. (b. 7-12-1880. d. 2-7-1950. Dau. John and Ann Carter. Interred in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Nashville, Tenn.)
Ch: 1g. William Temple Coles, b. 11-15-1901. m: Valada Bacon, dau. James and Susan (Brown) Bacon, and b. 5-7-1905. Res: Edificio Gomez Mena Abispo 302, Havana, Cuba.
2g. Elizabeth Coles, b. 3-23-1905. m: Clay Alexander, 8-21-1923. (b. 10-24-1899, son of William S. and Mattie Alexander) D.D.S. Res: 3614 Brighton Rd., Nashville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Betty Anne Alexander, b. 6-1-1925, m: Edward Chalfant Reaney 11-16-1947. Photographer. Member Woodmont Christian Church. W.W.II, Army, Tank Div. Res: 4107 Vaibewood Dr., Nashville.
Ch: 1i. Eldred Chalfant Reaney, b. 4-16-1949.
2i. Elizabeth Ann Reaney, b. 12-26-1952.
3i. William Shelton Reaney, b. 2-10-1956.
2h. Clay Shelton Alexander, Jr., b. 4-4-1929. With Ofieser Pharmaceutical Co. Korean War, in Marine Corp. Member Christian Church. m: Pauline Gill, 1-3-1950. (b. 12-19-1925, dau. of George Gill,) Res: 5102 Belmont, Houston, Texas.
Ch: 1i. Vicki Leu Alexander, b. 10-27-1952.
- 2e. John Marcellus Grissim, b. 3-19-1838. Killed in the Civil War. No issue.
- 3e. Eugenia Grissim, b. 6-22-1840. d. Nov. 1897. m: 1st: Thomas Snyder. Removed from Tenn. to Calif., exact location there unknown.
Ch: 1f. Carrie Snyder, m: Mr. Mourser.
Ch: 1g. Eugenia Mourser.
2f. James Snyder.
Eugenia Grissim Snyder m: 2nd: Albert Tryon. Issue unknown.
- 4e. Thomas C. Grissim, b. July 1841. Killed in the Civil War. No issue.
- 5e. Martha Grissim, b. 4-11-1842. d. 6-27-1861, at age of 19.
- 6e. Robert Donnell Grissim, b. 3-9-1844. d. 6-26-1897, age 53. Confederate War Veteran, serving in Co. C, 8th Smith's Regiment, Tennessee Cavalry. Farmer. Resided in Bellwood, Tenn. m: Mary Elizabeth Hamlet, 2-3-1864. (b. 8-18-1845.)
Ch: 1f. John M. Grissim, b. 2-15-1865, near Bellwood, Tenn., Wilson Co. Farmer. Member Church of Christ. d. 12-17-1939. Resided near Lebanon, Tenn., and lies interred in the Cedar Grove Cemetery in that place. m: Jane Elizabeth Miller, 11-1-1898. (b. 4-22-1875, dau. Joe M. and Josephine Lash Miller of Lebanon, Tenn.) Mrs. Grissim residing on Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
Ch: 1g. James Garland Grissim, b. 2-10-1903. d. 7-1-1926. Interred in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Lebanon, Tenn.
2g. Kathryn Elizabeth Grissim, b. 11-25-1904, Lebanon, Tenn. m: William Carroll Anderson, 11-9-1927. (b. 8-23-1902, son James Baird and Annie Adonis Anderson, d. 10-25-1958. Interred in Cedar Gove Cemetery, Lebanon, Tenn.) Contractor. Member of Vine St. Christian Church. Mrs. Anderson resides at 887 Robertson Academy Rd., Nashville, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. William Carroll Anderson, b. 3-30-1932, Nashville, Tenn. m: Peggy Taylor, 12-27-1957, Nashville, Tenn. Res: 887 Robertson Academy Rd., Nashville, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Kathryn Grissim Anderson, b. 9-28-1958.
2h. Richard Grissim Anderson, b. 8-8-1936, Nashville, Tenn. Single. Res: 887 Robertson Academy Rd., Nashville, Tenn.

- 2f. Lulu Grissim, b. 1866, m: Van Divort. Have record of one child, Mrs. Clifford D. Watson, whose address is Castleton Hotel, New Castle, Penna.
- 3f. William Hamlet Grissim, b. 5-23-1867. d. 6-22-1935. Interred in Goshen Cemetery, Lebanon, Tenn. Farmer. m: Lou Etta Carter, 4-10-1873, dau. of W.H. Carter of Wilson Co., Tenn. She died 10-18-1952, interment in Goshen Cemetery, Lebanon, Tenn. Resided in Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Hamlet Eugene Grissim, b. 2-16-1891, Lebanon, Tenn. Retired farmer. Presbyterian. Res: 229 University Ave., Lebanon, Tenn. m: Mary Alice Young, 11-10-1915. (b. 7-9-1896, dau. R.H. Young, Lebanon, Tenn.)
- Ch: 1h. Carter Young Grissim, b. 2-12-1917, Lebanon, Tenn. Car Salesman. Member Church of Christ. Res: 4822 Lindell Dr., Nashville, Tenn. m: Mary Magdalene House, 1-1-1939, Wilson Co., Tenn. (b. 7-12-1912, dau. Jere and Minnie House of Lebanon, Tenn.)
- Ch: 1i. Don Wayne Grissim, b. 6-18-1940.
- 2h. Doretta Grissim, b. 7-17-1918. m: Raymond Word. Res: 807 Westwood, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 3h. Louise Grissim, b. 9-3-1920, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Jack Watson Jones, 11-5-1942, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. Nashville, Tenn., son of E.E. Jones of Chicago, Ill.) Protestant. Major in U.S. Army. 17 years service. Res: 204 Eastland, Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Charles Glenn Jones, b. 4-28-1944.
2i. Sandra Jeanne Jones, b. 11-15-1946.
3i. Richard Erle Jones, b. 2-26-1948.
4i. Alice Deborah Jones, b. 11-8-1953.
5i. Constance Louise Jones, b. 4-22-1955.
- 4h. Hamlet Eugene Grissim, b. 3-3-1922, Lebanon, Tenn. Res: Rt. #5, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 5h. Billie Bryon Grissim, b. 1-26-1924, Lebanon, Tenn. Ward Attendant. Member Church of Christ. Served in Navy 3 yrs. Res: 180 White Bridge Rd., Nashville, Tenn. m: Helen Dora Towns, 6-1-1947, Murfreesboro, Tenn. (b. 2-1-1923, dau. Allie Calvin Towns, Smyrna, Tenn.)
- Ch: 1i. Teresa Ann Grissim, b. 4-5-1948.
2i. Melissa Joy Grissim, b. 11-21-1950.
3i. Terry Bryon Grissim, b. 3-22-1954.
- 6h. Helen Grissim, b. 6-24-1927, Lebanon, Tenn. m: James Grady Hayes, 11-20-1948, at Murfreesboro, Tenn. (b. 11-8-1920, son James Earl Hayes of Smyrna, Tenn.) Res: 2304 Salem, Nashville, Tenn. Served in Navy 2-1/2 yrs. Co-Ordinator. Member Church of Christ. No issue.
- 7h. Joe Howse Grissim, b. 2-6-1930, Lebanon, Tenn. Carpenter. Member Church of Christ. m: Carolyn Clayton Leben, 9-24-1954, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. 5-17-1936, dau. Clarence & Beatrice Leben of Lebanon, Tenn.) Res: 410 Sunset Dr., Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1i. Carol Diane Grissim, b. 8-26-1955.
2i. Rebecca Joanne Grissim, b. 11-1-1956.
- 8h. Pearl Grissim, b. 6-21-1932, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Mr. Cross. Res: 229 University, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 9h. Alice Grissim, b. 6-15-1934, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Mr. James. Res: Memphis, Tenn.
- 10h. Kenneth L. Grissim, b. 11-1-1936, Lebanon, Tenn. Res: Lebanon, Tenn.
- 2g. William Harte Grissim, Res: 901-2nd Ave., N., Nashville, Tenn.
- 3g. Archie Norris Grissim, Res: 1322-4th Ave., N., Nashville, Tenn.
- 4g. Mary Grissim, b. 1-22-1898, Big Spring Rd., Lebanon, Tenn. m: Thomas Edward Halbert, 10-23-1938, at First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tenn. Son of W.H. and Susie B. Halbert of Lebanon, Tenn. Physician. Was Col. in Tennessee National Guard for 10 yrs., and served as Lieut. in Spanish-American War. Member of First Presbyterian Church. Res: Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Daughter. m: Wilton Bland. Res: Juliet, Tenn.
2h. Daughter. m: J.D. Mannin. Res: Blair Lane, Lebanon, Tenn.
3h. W.H. Halbert, Blair Lane, Lebanon, Tenn.
4h. Daughter. m: A.J. Namnowan. Res: 44 Sunrise Circle, Wallingford, Conn.
5h. Daughter. m: Dan Reasonover. Res: Rt. #4, Lebanon, Tenn.

- 6h. Thomas E. Halbert, b. -- Res: Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 7h. Daughter. m: Billy Ingram. Res: 1104 Stockwell St., Nash., Tenn.
- 8h. Hamlet Grissim Halbert, b. --. Res: Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 9h. Robert B. Halbert, Res. Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 10h. John C. Halbert, b. --. Res: Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- 5g. H. Kai Grissim, b. 1-17-1912, Wilson Co., Tenn. Farmer and Merchant. Member of Presbyterian Church. Res: Lebanon, Tenn. m: Amy Jo Byars, 5-30-1931. (b. 10-4-1910, dau. of Mrs. Nellie Mae Byars of McMinnville, Tenn.)
- Ch: 1h. Etta Nell Grissim, b. 3-3-1936.
2h. H. Kai Grissim, Jr., b. 8-25-1941.
- 4f. Eugenia Grissim, b. 2-16-1876. d. 1-25-1946. m: Harry McClain Freeman. (b. July 1868. d. 2-24-1943.) Merchant and banker. Resided in Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Eugenia Freeman, b. 3-3-1910, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Willia H. Maddox, 5-28-1938, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. 12-3-1913, son F.W. Maddox of Pittsburg, Tex.) Commissioner of Finance and Revenue for City of Lebanon, Tenn. Methodist. Res: 413 W. Spring St., Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Barbara Ann Maddox, b. 4-29-1940.
2h. Robert Willis Maddox, b. 9-2-1943.
- 5f. James Hubert Grissim, b. 7-23-1869. d. 7-19-1955. Interred Lebanon Cemetery, Lebanon, Tenn. Dealer in livestock and farmer. Resided in Wilson Co., Tenn. m: Louise W. Howse, 9-24-1901. (b. 6-23-1878, dau. L.H. Howse.) Married in Bellwood, Tenn. Widow resides at 116 South Tarver Ave., Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Bertha Grissim, b. 6-8-1905, Bellwood, Tenn. m: 1st: Cecil Travis Bonner, 4-7-1926, Nashville, Tenn. (b. 4-29-1905, son Fred Bonner of Duncan, Okla. d. 6-8-1944.)
- Ch: 1h. Gene Travis Bonner, b. 4-23-1936. m: Jane Ella-----
Res: 604 East Lindsay, Norman, Okla. Student at Okla. Univ., studying law. No issue.
2h. Barbara L. Bonner, b. 6-26-1938. Student at Okla. Univ., Norman, Okla.
- Bertha Grissim Bonner m: 2nd: Shaw D. Ray. Res: 1528 Pearl St., Duncan, Okla.
- 2g. Hilary H. Grissim, b. 9-13-1912, Lebanon, Tenn. Farmer and Livestock Dealer. Member First Presbyterian Church. Attended Castle Heights Military Academy for 4 years. Res: 503 E. High St., Lebanon, Tenn. m: Bettie Allyne Baird, 6-21-1937, at College St. Church, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. 11-1-1913, dau. of Houston Baird of Lebanon, Tenn.) No issue.
- 6f. Kate Cornelia Grissim, b. 5-29-1878. d. 11-7-1944. m: Albert Lucian Moss, 9-3-1901, at Bellwood, Tenn. (b. 11-22-1872. d. 12-5-1950. Son of Carlos Clay Moss, b. 1-24-1845. d. 4-16-1877., and Frances Isabel Mosley, b. 7-25-1846. d. 11-16-1887.)
- Ch: 1g. Elizabeth Moss, b. 9-11-1907, Lebanon, Tenn. m: J. Carr Arnett, 11-7-1929, in First Presbyterian Church, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. 11-6-1901. d. 2-5-1946. Son James Carr Arnett, Jr., and Annie Isabelle Arnett, nee Keeton, of Clay Co., Miss.) J. Carr Arnett was Manager of the Chicago Office of The Dictaphone Co. at time of death. Member Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Moss resides at 3206 Hillsboro Rd., Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. James Carr Arnett IV, b. 7-29-1936, Lebanon, Tenn. Res: Bristol, Tenn. m: Mary Ann Johnson, 6-13-1959, of 5900 Ward Parkway, Kansas City, Mo.
- 2g. Alberta Moss, b. 8-10-1913, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Albert Clair Haley, 11-18-1932, Lebanon, Tenn. (b. 7-23-1908, son Selbert Clair and Birdie Haley, nee Pryer.) Retired U.S. Infantry Col. with 26-1/2 years of service. Baptist. Res: Lake Shore Estates, Rt. #1, Palm Harbor, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Albert Clair Haley, Jr., b. 7-8-1935. d. 7-9-1935.
2h. Alberta Claire Haley, b. 6-5-1937. d. 10-22-1939. (Twin)
3h. Albert Bradley Haley, b. 6-5-1937., twin of Alberta Claire.
- 3g. Isabel Moss, b. 5-13-1919, Lebanon, Tenn. m: Ramon Z. Safley, 12-26-1942, at Rossville, Ga. (b. 1916. d. 1955 of heart disease. Son of Richard Z. Safley of McMinnville, Tenn.)
- Ch: 1h. Ramon Z. Safley, Jr., b. 2-4-1946.
m: 2nd: Murray L. Stewart, at Clearwater, Fla., son of Edward W. Stewart, deceased, of Dickson, Tenn. Isabel Moss had become acquainted with Mr. Stewart while both were attending Cumberland Univ. before her marriage to Mr. Safley. Mr. Stewart is a General Contractor, a grad. of Civil Engineer-

- ing at Oklahoma A & M. Served in Army 3-1/2 years. Methodist. Had two children by a previous marriage.
- 7e. James Goodner Grissim, b. 2-27-1848. d. 4-22-1924. Farmer. Methodist. Born and lived in Rome, Smith Co., Tenn. m: Mattie Calhoun. (b. 7-27-1865, dau. of Persis and Carrie Calhoun, nee Steed.)
- Ch: 1f. Carrie Grissim, b. 2-23-1888. d. 3-11-1939. Interment in Family Plot, Rome, Smith Co., Tenn. m: Louis Walker, 3-27-1909, Wilson County, Tenn. (b. 10-9-1884, son of Wryland and Novella Walker, nee Robertson.) Attorney. Res: Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Mattie Walker, b. 3-31-1910. m: Comer Donnell. Res: Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Comer Lewis Donnell, b. 10-15-1940.
2h. Martha Donnell, b. 5-12-1945.
- 2g. Grissim Hill Walker, b. 6-12-1918. m:------. Res: Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. Lewis Walker, b. 4-30-1951.
2h. Carolyn Walker, b. 2-26-1953.
- 3g. Carrie Robertson Walker, b. 2-21-1920. m: N.B. Dozier, Jr. Res: Piedmont Ave., Rocky Mount, N.C.
- Ch: 1h. Lewis Dozier, b. 10-30-1948.
2h. Elizabeth Carolyn Dozier, b. 6-5-1951.
3h. Robert Evans Dozier, b. 6-15-1953.
- 2f. James Goodner Grissim, Jr., b. 10-8-1894, Smith Co., Tenn. Retired Farmer and Contractor. Presbyterian. Res: 2301 Hillsboro Rd., Nashville, Tenn. Also has a winter home at 226 -22nd Ave., St. Petersburg, Fla. m: Cynthia Gardenshire, (b. 6-5-1896, dau. John Hawsell and Eliza Gardenshire, nee Snodgrass.)
- Ch: 1g. James Gardenshire Grissim, b. 2-21-1918. Res: 967 -67 Terrace South, St. Petersburg, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Cynthia Grissim, b. 12-8-1948.
2h. James Goodner Grissim III, b. 4-21-1952.
3h. Mary Stephens Grissim, b. 4-21-1956.
- 2g. Martha Jerolyn Grissim, b. 9-25-1922. m: Dr. J.W. Ellis. Res: 5144 Stanford Dr., Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1h. James Wood Ellis, b. 8-5-1948.
2h. Jerry Ellis, b. May 1952.
3h. Catherine Clark Ellis, b. 4-12-1954.
- 3g. Mary Eliza Grissim, b. 6-1-1925. m: Dan J. Pipkin. Res: 852 Snell Isle Blvd., St. Petersburg, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Dan Pipkin, d. age 6.
- 4g. John M. Grissim b. 7-17-1927. m: Jean Foster.
- Ch: 1h. John Mitchell Grissim, b. 7-9-1954.
2h. Jean Marie Grissim, b. 2-1-1958.
- 3f. Nina Grissim, b. 3-9-1890, Rome, Tenn. Smith Co. m: Thomas Puryear, 11-15-1916, at Rome, Tenn. Farmer, Baptist. Son of Dr. Joseph R. and Connie Puryear, nee Barton. Res: Rt. #2, Lebanon, Tenn.
- Ch: 1g. Thomas R. Puryear, M.D., b. 10-5-1918. m: Katherine Louise Graves, 10-10-1950. Res: East Main St., Lebanon, Tenn. No issue.
2g. Eleanor Goodner Puryear, b. 1-25-1921. d. 10-26-1936.
- 8e. Olivia J. Grissim, b. abt. 1850. m: Henry B. McCall, 1-28-1868. (d. abt. 1899.) Resided in or near Union City, Obion Co., Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. Murray McCall.
2f. James McCall. Resided at one time in Birmingham, Ala.
3f. Carrie McCall. m: Jack Hooper.
4f. Birdie McCall. m: a Mr. Campbell.
5f. Sallie McCall. m: a Mr. Campbell. (No other information could be secured on this McCall family. Contact with them had been lost for some years.)
- 9e. William W. Grissim, b. 5-1-1852. Removed from Tenn. to Calif. and lived near his sister, Eugenia. No issue.
- 10e. Sammie F. Grissim, b. 2-20-1857. Removed from Tenn. to Calif. and resided near his sister, Eugenia, and his brother, William. No issue.
- 11e. Carrie Grissim, b. 10-29-1859. d. 11-18-1872. Interment in Nashville, Tenn.
- 12e. Gertrude Grissim, b. 9-1-1862. d. 11-18-1921. Interment in Nashville, Tenn. m: Charles Blackman, a Grain Dealer. Resided in Nashville, Tenn.
- Ch: 1f. Bessie Blackman, b. 11-2-1881. m: Claude Mann, 11-1-1899, at Nashville, Tenn. (b. 1-23-1877. d. 9-4-1938. Son of Thomas and Annie H. Mann.) Newspaper Publisher. Postmaster under Pres. Wilson's Administration. Methodist. Res: 345 Pine Bluff Ave., Malvern, Ark.
- Ch: 1g. Annie Gertrude Mann, b. 2-22-1905. m: Glenn Lewis Teeter. Res: Rt. #5, Malvern, Ark.

- Ch: 1h. Lewis Mann Teeter, b. 5-22-1932. Attended Southern State College; a grad. of Univ. of Missouri School of Journalism. Employed by General Electric Co. in Public Relations, Schnectady, N. Y. m: Marcia Ann MacDonald, 5-17-1958, in Christ Church, Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills, Mich. Dau. of Stuart Ames MacDonald of New Baltimore, Mich. Marcia is a grad. of Ecole Internationale, Geneva, Switzerland, and of Stephens College, Columbia, Mo. Res: 5 Union, Schnectady, N. Y. No issue.
- 2h. John Allen Teeter, b. 4-1-1934.
- 3h. Rebecca Jane Teeter, B. 1-12-1942.
- 2g. Eliz. Mann, b. 6-7-1906. m: Cliff William Bridgers. Res: Hope, Ark. Methodist.
- Ch: 1h. Eliz. Bridgers, b. 11-2-1934. Grad. of Hendrix College in Conway, Ark. Member of Cardinal Key and Mu Phi Sorority. m: Bob G. Jones, son of Ernest Jones of Dimmit, Tex. Attended Texas Tech. in Lubbock, Tex. Res: Dimmitt, Tex. No issue.
- 2h. Cliff William Bridgers, Jr., b. 3-31-1938.
- 3g. Claudia Mann, b. 5-12-1914. m: John Wesley Mason, at Malvern, Ark. Res: 20 Cherry Lane, Malvern, Ark. No issue.
- 2f. Charles S. Blackman, b. 7-26-1886, Nashville, Tenn. Retired. Member of Church of Christ. Res: 1403 Stratton Ave., Nashville, Tenn. m: Ruth Morrow; 3-16-1908. (b. 11-18-1889. dau. of N. F. Morrow)
- Ch: 1g. Charles S. Blackman, Jr., b. 1-6-1911. Salesman. In Armed Forces two years. m: Anna Cotten, 5-20-1937, at Nashville, Tenn. (dau. of Harvey T. and Bernice Cotten, b. 8-24-1906.) Res: Warner Park Apts., Nashville, Tenn. No issue.
- 3f. Lillian Gertrude Blackman, b. 11-12-1893, Nashville, Tenn. m: Willard Taylor, 12-24-1915. (b. 9-19-1892, son of Jefferson and Laura Taylor.) Clerk at I. C. R. R. Methodist. Res: 7910 Ingleside Ave., Chicago, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Willard R. Taylor, Jr., b. 11-25-1918. m: June Hannah. (b. 7-22-1921) Res: 10242 Forest Ave., Chicago, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Kent Phillip Taylor, b. 5-29-1945.
- 2h. Randall Taylor, b. 3-1-1947.
- 3h. Karen Sue Taylor, b. 1-19-1949.
- 4h. Scott Taylor, b. 6-29-1951.
- 2g. George Blackman Taylor, b. 3-19-1920. m: Betty Lambert. (b. 8-24-1920) Res: 14214 Parnell Ave., Riverdale, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Dennie W. Taylor, b. 10-9-1942.
- 2h. Russell G. Taylor, B. 6-10-1949.
- 3d. John Fite Goodner, b. 7-6-1822. d. abt. 1871. Interred at Alexandria, Tenn. m: Nancy C. Floyd, 3-6-1849. (b. 9-4-1830. d. 10-17-1850.) Mrs. Nancy Goodner died at childbirth; baby died also. Mr. Goodner never remarried. No issue.
- John Fite Goodner served in both the Mexican War and in the Civil War. In the Mexican War he served first as a 2nd Lieut. He was promoted to Capt. at Memphis, Tenn., July 7, 1846, being Capt. of Co. I, 1st Reg. of Tenn. Mounted Infantry. At the outbreak of the Civil War he joined the Confederate forces, May 20, 1861, at Nashville, Tenn., being joined up by Col. J. Pickett. He served in the 7th Reg. of Tenn. Volunteers as Capt. in Co. A, and also in Co. 5. Later he was promoted to Lieut. Col., and somewhat later, on May 23rd, 1862, he received his commission as a full Col. to replace Col. Hatton who had been made a Brig. General. Col. Goodner resigned April 8, 1863. The cause of his resignation is not given, but it was probably due to ill health, since the records show that he received absent leave several times due to illness. He received a furlough of six days from Feb. 22, 1863, by order of Gen. Lee, - this while stationed at Camp Greeg near Fredericksburg, Va. (Confed. Arch. Chap. I, File No. 92, Page 134. National Archives, General Services Admn., Washington, D. C.). The 7th Reg. of Tenn. Volunteers was composed mostly of men from the counties of De Kalb and Smith. The illness which

Col. John Fite Goodner
Courtesy Mrs. Wenzola Kiger

apparently caused Col. Goodner's resignation from the Confederate service remained with him after the War. He died about 1871, and was interred at Alexandria, Tenn. In August of that year, a letter written by a relative to a friend stated, "Not long since Col. Goodner died - poor man, doubtless he is a happier spirit, he suffered for years as you know".

As a matter of interest, herewith follow copies of several letters he wrote while in service to Miss Lizzie Floyd, a sister to his deceased wife. The originals of these letters are in the possession of Mrs. Florrie Metcalf of Sparta, Tenn. Miss Lizzie Floyd, the recipient of these letters, later became the wife of C. W. L. Hale, father of Will T. Hale, who wrote the

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COPY OF LETTER FROM COL. JOHN F. GOODNER (C.S.A.) TO MISS LIZZIE FLOYD.

"Camp Trousdale,
June 18th, 1861.

Miss Lizzie:

I have an opportunity to send a letter this morning to Lebanon to be mailed, which will facilitate its progress very much. I have not time to write much, but thinking you would like to hear from your friends here I have concluded to drop you a line however brief it may be. We are generally well, some measles in camp not more than 100 cases this morning and one death yesterday from Capt. Murray's Company. Your brothers are both well and my health is good. Our Regt. is improving in the drill very fast and is (I think) the finest ever saw. I have so much to do in drilling and commanding and running to Nashville to get up the accoutrements for the Regt. that I scarcely have time to write. I would have written you several times before now but for want of time. I understand that you are getting us a Stand of Colors to be presented to our Company, and I want you and several of the young ladies to come over here and present it to us. You can leave Nashville or Galatin in the morning, come up here in the cars stay till evening and then go back to either place by dark. We have a great many lady visitors here every day from all the towns around in the adjoining counties. If you come, come as soon as you can for we will probably leave here in a few days to go to Missouri or any other place where we may be needed. We are holding ourselves in readiness to march at any moment when called on, and I don't care how soon. I am anxious to confront the enemy on the battle fronts. I am satisfied that our Regt. will cover itself with honor and chivalrie renown whenever it has a chance. Another reason for moving is that our boys are importuning us continually to go home to see the friends and we cannot let them go. So if we get 2 or 3 hundred miles away from home they will abandon the idea of going home. Our officers have all been home but myself and because I am a single man they say I must remain in command of the Regt. Well I don't want to come home as long as my services are needed here. But if we should remain here 3 or 4 weeks longer by that time we will have the discipline of the Regt. so complete that I can leave for a few days without injuring the service, and come home for a day or two, but I have no idea that we will remain here more than a week longer. Lon. Lincoln is well and in fine spirits.

Write me and give me the news and say whether you will come over the 1st next week. Direct your letter to Camp Trousdale, Richland Station.

Yours etc.,

John F. Goodner."

"Camp Trousdale,
June 28th, 1861.

Miss Lizzie:

I received yours a few days ago and was glad to hear from you and to know that you are still in good spirits and hope for your friends who have enlisted in the glorious cause of Southern independence. I am sorry that Capt. Wright misunderstood the rights of his company and thwarted the patriotic intentions of the young ladies of Alexandria, in preparing and presenting a Banner to the gallant band who have abandoned the ease and comfort of home for their countries cause. It would have given me great pleasure to have received and defended that banner through the bloody scens it might have passed, and returned it at the close of the war to the same hands that presented it, as a testimonial of our valor and loyalty to the south. Our company is certainly entitled to a banner, which can be carried on all company drill occasions, and when the Company is acting independent of the Regiment which is frequently the case.

I can not tell how long we will remain here. We are under orders to be ready to march at a moment's warning. So we may be hurried away from here with but an hour to prepare. The probabilities are now that we will remain here until after the 4th of July when Lincoln's Congress will meet, and determine whether they will prosecute the war longer or acknowledge our independence and treat with us. You see from the public prints that there is various opinions entertained on this subject. Some think Lincoln will sue for peace in less that three months, while others think he will avail himself of the incoming Congress to raise additional troops and supplies to enable him to carry on the war more vigorously. Be that as it may, I care not, for I am satisfied that if all the southern troops are such as our Regiment defeat will be his lot in every engagement. If you have any taste for military display, it would please you to see our Regiment in the field. It is the brag Regt. from what I can learn in the state.

Our troops are generally healthy except measles and mumps which prevail in great abundance. Your brothers are both in fine health and enjoying themselves. Well I have had Will excused from drill only when he chooses to go. Bob needs no excuse, he is a stout and hardy as a mule. I am already now for the conflict. Got the finest horse in camp finely equipped. Had me a saddle made in Nashville for which I paid 65 dollars, with a pair of Navy repeaters on the holsters, a good sword, and luckily found me a very smart Negro goy a few days ago. He is a good cook and waits on me finely. My lady friends at Galatin send me all kinds of vegetables and sweetmeats on the cars every day, and then above all when they visit us and go to the parade field they compliment me by saying that I am the finest looking officer in the field. That tickles my vanity very much you know, for you always accuse me of being vain. We are living first rate but the amount of drill we are doing

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in the continual fog of dust and excessive heat is bearing hard on a good many of the weaker constitutions, but it don't hurt me. I believe I am the best man for all work ever invented. Well, that is my ambition it to be equal to or commensurate with any task that may devolve on me. I suppose you hear a great many slanderous reports about us put in circulation by the cowardly wretches who prefer living an ignominious and disgraceful life. I know ther are those who are by nature so degraded, low and grovelling that they despise any and everyone who breathes a laudable ambition. You have such among you I suppose as there is no community free of them, but their vicious slang is like the hoot of the night owl, it is without echo.

Tell Mother I am well and expect to come home again some of these days, but cannot tell when. You must write me often as I like to hear from you. The men write nothing but business letters and my only chance to get the news really is from my lady correspondents.

John F. Goodner. "

Camp at Big Springs, Pocahontas Co., Va.
August 10th 1861.

"Miss Lizzie:

Thinking that you would like to hear something from the army of the South in this region, this "benighted region", I may say, I avail myself of this moment to write you as it may be the last opportunity that I will have for sometime. Since we left the railroad at Millboro we have traveled on foot over the biggest mountains in Va. Some 80 or 100 miles, passing on our march by the Bath Allum Springs and the warm Sulphur, both magnificently improved and have heretofore accomodated thousands of visitors through the warm season, but they are desolate now in consequence of the near approach of Lincoln's troops. All this portion of Virginia is a continuous range of mountaines rising apparently to the clouds with very narrow deep vallies and but few inhabitants, who live principally on beef milk and butter. The women have all fled from the enemy and a great many of the few men in the county have either been impressed into the army or fled to avoid it. It rains in torrents every day and we have been wet so often and have slept in the mud on the wet cold ground until we look more like hogs than men, yet our troops continue healthy except for measles and mumps of which it seems we will never get through with. We are now encamped at the foot of one of the spires of Cheat Mountain about 8 miles from the enemy who are fortified on the mountain in the narrow pass. We are awaiting to get a sufficiency of Flour and Salt hauled here from the rail road to allow us to advance on them. We are eating short allowances of beef now just as we can go out on the farms and find it and slaughter it, with a very scant allowance of salt. I have been able so far to get butter at 30 cents per pound to put on my beef when I broil it, which does prtty well you know especially as we cannot get lard to fry it in.

But this will all be right in the end, all we want now is to get at the Yankees and take revenge of them for all this danger and toil, and when ever you hear of our Regiment being in a fight you may expect to hear of much blood shed and many of your acquaintances and friends killed, for we intend to do our duty and fight like heroes let the consequences be what they may. We will move forward in less than a week and unless the Yankees retreat you will soon hear of our being in a fight. As for my part I don't want to survive a subjugation of my country, although the many friends who are dear to me, and with whom I would like to spend the remainder of my days in peace and quiet, no, let me fall first and be left on these tall craggy mountains to be devoured by the hungry wolf and fierce panther, with nothing left to mark my place, or prolong my history more than a new mountain legend, saying here "fell a poor fellow fighting for his native south". This is the kind of spirit I have tried to instill into the minds of the soldiers under my command, and I am happy to say that my efforts have been entirely successful. I believe it is as good a Regiment as ever marshalled in any land at any time. Our scouts brought in six prisoners today from Lincoln's army and killed one in the skirmish. We do not know the exact strength of our enemy in these mountains but from the best information we can get it is 15 or 20 thousand. Our force is not so large here. We have about 4 thousand here and Savages & Fulton's Regiments will be here in a day or two which will make this collumn up to 66 hundred, Then Genls. Floyd and Wise have about 12 thousand in the Kanahwa Valley about 40 miles from here, which can unite with us if necessary. This force will be amply sufficient for to cut our way through to Crafton on the Ohio and Baltimore rail road from thence we intend to go to the Aurelia House 10 miles from Baltimore then to Washington City and Attack it on the opposite side from where Boregard will make a simultaneous attack. If we succeed in this it will be the grandest Flank movement ever made, and will cut off Lincoln, put an end to the war and cover our army with imperishable renown. But before this can be accomplished there must be much toil, hard fighting, and blood shed, death and suffering beyond contemplation.

You should be proud of your brothers you have no idea what soldiers they make always ready, never sick, never complain, never murmur, there is none better.

Our company are all well now except Theodore Moore and he is improving he got poisoned drinking of a sip of water on Elk Mountain which oozed out from the roots of this mountain laurel. I thought for two days he would die, but now his prospects to recover are very good.

I would like to hear from you but you won't write me. I have never received but one letter from you since I left home and that while at Camp Trousdale. I have written you twice since. I don't write to you because I think you care anything for me or would care to hear from me, but because I know you have sympathies with this army and brothers in it you love, and I know they are careless about writing, and I know furthermore that the war is the all absorbing topic of conversation in Tennessee as it is everywhere else, and it is a pleasure to me to give you any information that I may have about it. I cannot help but feel an interest in you and your happiness, although you may have none for me. I would sacrifice a thousand

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lives if I had them before you should be maltreated and abused as the women in this country were before our army came in to protect them. Now Lincoln's plan to overrun Va. and march through it into Tennessee and subjugate our noble state and winter at Memphis this next winter. Just think of it an army of lawless vagabonds as his is marching through Ten. thieving robbing and violating all the rights of civilized society. But I hope his troops will never reach our borders, at least, until every true southern man has been leveled to the dust.

I would like to know the result of the elections in Ten. I know however that your father is elected for I cannot believe that the people of De Kalb would at this the most perilous moment of our State's history, elect to her general assembly such men as were opposing him.

We are cut off from the ballance of the world here, do not get any newspapers and know but little of what is going on even at Richmond. We will have a pony express running in a few days from here to Huntersville which will bring us letters from that place. So if you should write any letters to anyone in our Regiment direct them to Huntersville, Pocahontas Co., Va., as that is the nearest office to us. You should put on the letter also the number of the Regiment, for instance W. F. Floyd, 7th Regt. Ten. Vol.

It is now late at night and I don't know but we will have to try Cheat Mountain tomorrow. Give my respects to your Ma & Pa.

I have to send this letter by hand to some P.O. probably to Nashville as there is a gentleman here who will start home tomorrow to that place, so I cannot pay postage on it so you must excuse me. I will frank it under Will's name to relieve you of the embarrassment that it would give you to receive a letter with my name on the outside of it.

I would be pleased to hear from you at any time. If however it does not suit your will I must forego that pleasure.

Yours respectfully,

Jno. F. Goodner."

Camp Valley Mountain
August 29th, 1861.

Miss Lizzie:

I rec'd yours of blank date yesterday and read it with a great deal of pleasure I assure you, and pronounce it without hesitation the best document that I ever saw from your pen. Its style and diction is good, and had it been a little more perspicuous I would know what Mat you mean when you speak of Mat wishing that Will and myself should write in her album. I shall suppose, however, that Miss Mat Snodgrass is the lady alluded to, and have to regret very much that you and her postponed your visit so long. Not that I could have written anything in her album worth putting on record, but on account of having to forego the pleasure of your company in our camps. For I venture nothing in saying that it would have gladdened many hearts to have met you just on the eve of leaving for this state. But postponement of action is not uncommon for you.

I did not intend answering your letter so soon, but you gave me some such good cuts in it that I think it merits a speedy reply. The paragraph about my "spirits flagging" and the "Budget of village gossip" was so good that I read it to Gen'l. Anderson, Col. Whitthorne, and Hatton and others, and they all pronounced it elegant, beautiful and well said, and Jo Pickett even grew eloquent over it declaring that he intended to court the girl that wrote it if he got back to Ten. so you may look out for a new Beau. Then when I said that I read your letter with pleasure I mean all that I say. For it is well written and I cannot help but admire brains wherever I meet with them. Maj. Howard reads us frequently fine sentences from his wife's letters to him, which are generally admired by the literacy of our crowd, but none of them receive a more hearty eulogy than yours. I am proud of it. I do acknowledge that my spirits or hope of doing good have "flagged" but my patriotism is really stronger. I came into the army with the hope and desire of rendering aid to the great and glorious cause of Southern independencs, prompted by principle religiously believing that the time had arrived when we were justifiable in resisting northern aggression with the bayonet, and even at the expense of this once unparaled republic. I expected and sought a position where I could do something consequently to be sent up in these mountains where it rains for a solid month without ceasing, even for a day, rendering the mountain roads impassible. Cooped up as we are can neither go forward nor backward, without anything to eat scarcely and our men falling with sickness every day. I frankly confess that it does rather damp my courage, & I am not alone in this for we all feel that there is a strong possibility that this campaign will be a failure, for the winter is now close upon us, and we learn from what few citizens there are that winter sets in here in this climate very cold by the first of October, hence we have but four weeks now to opperate in and the roads are so bad that we cannot get a sufficiency of supplies to enable us to go on the enemy. We were reduced yesterday to two days supplies no more flour nearer than 80 miles of us except a train of waggons which was stuck in the mud on the way. I took 15 men and went and met the waggons, worked the road, prized and pulled at the waggons until I got 38 of them into camp, which will increase our bread rations 2 or 3 days more. We are making every effort in our power to accumulate a store of provisions sufficient to justify us in moving forward, this we have been trying to do for three weeks but it has rained all the time and the roads have got so bad that it is all we can do to keep enough on hand to keep us from starving. Now when you look at all the facts connected with us, you see at once that every one who desires to meet the foe & drive them out of Virginia must from the force of the Circumstance, become somewhat discouraged. We intend to hold on and keep trying to go forward until these mountains become locked up in ice and until we eat all the beef in them, for that is our principal diet. If there is any troops in the world who can endure and be merry under all these adverse circumstances, it is our Brigade. Our boys are anxious to ad-

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vance upon the enemy and depend on taking supplies from them, but Genl. Lee will not hazard so much, for they may have but little more than we, and then if we should meet with a repulse our troops would die of starvation. They are strongly entrenched and fortified in Cheat Mountain Gap about 20 miles from us with a portion of their force, and the remainder of them on a few miles further at Huttonsville. I was present at a council with Genls. Lee, Loring and Anderson a few days ago and I discover their intention is to turn the left flank of the enemy by marching around the mountain and attacking their rear position first which is at Huttonsville. This movement will be made just as soon as we can get ten days rations on hand. Could it have been made sooner it would have been better for us, for they are receiving reinforcements which gives them a double advantage of us, both in numbers and a fortified position. We feel sanguine of success and are anxious to try them at any odds --- for my part I intend to do my duty if I fall. I asked you to give me the village gossip, not because I considered you had any proficiencie or talent for it, more than I knew your means of ascertaining it was superior to almost anyone else., as you are or were formerly in communication with the old Chief, Old S----- Pardon me, and we will quit even on that question. I know you never tell anything you hear, more prudent than most of your sex, but I have heard a great many reports afloat there about us some about me of course which is as usual public property, and I merely wished to know what they had new about me for I was certain if there was anything that you and your Ma would be the first to hear it. But you would let a report float around heinous enough to hang me & never tell me of it.

Well tell Miss Mat to reserve the two leaves for me and if I get home I will write some of my prettyest for her. I think I will be rich enough in imagination by that time to write poetry. I have forgotten all about what I wrote in Miss Emma's album, I expect though it is something very nice, probably filched from some book or newspaper.

We caught two of the enemies scouts yesterday and one of their spies today. I would not be surprised if the spy looks up a rope in a day or two. Will and Bob are both very well, are are doing finely. Bob slipped out the Guard Lines last night and went to the only settler in miles of us and stold the last bee gum the old fellow had, got stung and is very fearful of being found out. I told him if he would give as much honey as I could eat I would not tell on him so I took dinner with him today. Huntersville will be our post office for some time, in fact we will send a mounted soldier there three times a week to bring up our letters, and the mails are regular to that place so you will direct all your letters to us at that place until further advised. Please write me again at your leisure. I want to see if you can write another as good as the last one. If you have no "Gossip" fill up with something else, anything from you will be interesting, & don't say that you have nothing to write for if you will just take up your pen and begin you will think of something.

Remember me to your relatives & give my love to Miss Mat.

Believe me your friend

Jno. F. Goodner"

Camp Green Brier Bridge, Va.
Oct. 28th, 1861.

Miss Lizzie: It has been sometime since I have had the opportunity of writing any letters home. We are gone to Sewell Mountain just four weeks, during which time I had neither pen ink or paper. We left all baggage and went in haste, or as the military phrase is in double quick time, to meet Genl. Rosengrans who was driving Genls. Wise and Floyd before him. We met him at Sewel Mountain and he declined to fight, and retreated back beyond the Ganley River. Our troops were unable to pursue him, for the want of something to eat and in consequence of the roads being cut up and torn to pieces so that it was impossible to carry the essential munitions of war. So that expedition was played out. After resting three days and getting filled up on green chestnuts, a courier came from Genl. Jackson commanding at Monterey and one also from Genl. Donalson commanding at this place, with dispatches asking aid, for the enemy was making a forward move from Cheat Mountain and Huttonville in such numbers that they would be surrounded. Consequently our three Ten. Regiments was put on a double quick march back to Green Brier a distance of 90 miles. We made it in four days and lost but one man who died of neumonia, and left 15 others on the way sick. So here we are without anything to eat. We had breakfast yesterday morning and nothing since but parched corn. I have divided the corn with my horse and am trying to make up my share in- to ly hominy. I am anticipating a fine repast of it for supper this evening. Our waggons are gone for Flour and we hope some of them will get here this evening, but the most of them will have to go to Millboro a distance of 60 miles and it will take them 6 or 8 days to return. There is 70 Barrels of flour at Huntersville which will make about two days rations for the troops here, and that is our only chance until the wagons can get back from Millboro. There is no danger of starving or of even suffering much, for there is nothing like getting use to things. If we can get one good feed of beef and bread every 24 hours we do very well and don't complain now since we have become accustome to it.

The union men here informed the Yankees that reinforcements were coming to Genl. Donalson and they turned and run back to their fastness's in Cheat Mountain. Now we are here with no enemy in 20 miles of us and cold weather on us very heavy frost and ice at nights and but few blankets. Our new clothes has not reached us yet, but they are at the railroad but we cannot get wagons to hall them out to us, as it takes all the wagons that can be procured to bring provisions to keep us from starving. The campaign in Northwestern Va. is certainly over for this season. The Yankee forces are falling back to the Ohio River evidently with a view of going to Ky. or some softer climate for a winter Campaign. We think we will either be ordered to Ky. or down on the Southern Coast in a few days. We have sent such a request to the authorities at Richmond. The idea of staying in these mountains all the winter is mortifying to our troops, and well it may be for many a one of them will never get away from here. The great desire of our troops is to go to some place where we can have an

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active campaign and fighting during the winter. Such cannot be expected here, as the roads climate weather and every natural element forbids it. I prefer going to Kentucky, for I believe the true policy for us to pursue is to throw right at once enough troops into Ky. to force their way to Louisville, take it, take it, at all hazards let it cost what it may and hold it. We can do it before Christmas, we have railroad facilities there which will enable us to carry men provisions and all the munitions necessary to lay a regular siege to the city and burn it up rather than let it remain in the possession of the Yankees. Then from that front if we wish we can carry the war into "Africa". I believe we are able to burn Cincinnati and invade Ohio. Our people are vastly superior to them in point of courage as is manifest in every engagement. The Battle of Leesburg is a living demonstration of that fact. And they with superior forces have run from us up here all the time unless where they are fortified in mountain passes where one man is equal to five attacking. If we could have got them out of their secure places and could have gotten to them we would have run them out of Va. before now. But such are the difficulties here that it is impossible to get to them with more provisions than just what the soldier can carry on his back, and when the soldier loads himself with his gun and ammunition blankets and five days rations of bread and beef and marches 15 or 20 miles a day, he soon fails under it and becomes unfitted for duty. This we have had to do here in all to fight them. We are awaiting orders to go somewhere. There are several Virginia Regiments here who are amply sufficient to guard all this country during the winter, for the Yankees cannot advance across these mountains in the winter months and they will not attempt such a thing. Then why not let us go to somewhere, where we can do something. We have already lost from sickness as many men as we would have lost from an ordinary battle. These arguments are conclusive and I am fully persuaded that they will have the proper wright with the authorities at Richmond, and we will get orders in a few days for Ky. or the Southern coast. It is quite apparent from the great activity in the navy yards of the north, that the policy of Lincoln will be to attempt to land a large land force on the southern coast at some point and make a winter campaign on the interior of the south. This being the opinion generally held by our leading men we may be held at some eligible point in reserve to go meet that force as soon as we can learn the point they intend to attack.

I received a letter from you 5 or 6 weeks ago just as we were starting to Sewell Mountain and have not had an opportunity to answer till now. I have not received any letters now for five weeks. I think my friends treat me bad, for just as soon as I stop writing they stop writing to me. Now they can write whenever they choose and I cannot. I have no candles at nights and if I had the wind would blow them out. Frequently have no paper, ink, and you have no idea how difficult it is to get even paper and envelopes in this country the little stores that we sometimes meet with is certainly out of everything of the kind. We passed through Lewisburg on our march here, a place as large as Lebanon and could not buy a pair of shoes socks or a hat, no paper, no envelopes or anything else except some mean whiskey and tobacco, hence you must excuse us if we are sometimes remiss in writing. But such is not the case with you. I was glad to get your letter and hear from you. I would be glad to see you all and spend a few days at home with you, but I do not calculate on such a thing soon. Will and Rob are both well and standing it finely, in fact all the boys from Tenn. are well, but Rob Bone we left him at Frankford on our march to this place. He is considerably reduced and is suffering with a bad cough. We left Atwell with him to nurse him he does fine in that position. Welmouth is still there, was left there as we went to Sewell Mountain he is well all to weakness he had typhoid fever and was confined to his bed about 4 weeks. We have about 20 of Wrights Co. at the Healing Springs sent there to the Hospital sick. They are all getting well I learn. I would like to hear from you again, and I scarcely know where to tell you to direct your letter to, but will say to Huntersville, and if I am not on that line it will be forwarded to me. Give my love to all my Lady friends and tell them to write to me, for one letter from a lady is considered worth a half dozen from men here in point of news. Remember me to Miss Mat Snodgrass and say to her that I hope she is happy in her

"Cot beside the rippling stream,
Where maple grove and bluebell flowers
Shall bud and bloom in Nature's bowers
Like spirit thoughts that rise in dreams"

And I will do all that I can to return her own dear Atwell to her as soon as his term of service expires. Tell our friends to write to us for now is the time that we need something to keep our spirits up. The excitement of battle has died out, with the approach of winter, and these long nights, a good part of which we have to sit up by the large log fires to keep warm, causes us to meditate much in the solemn hour of midnight when all are quiet, and when all the

Weary days of anguish that have haunted me for years
When my morns are spent in laughter, and my eyes are spent in tears,
When for every deceit I acted, scalding bitter tears were shed,
In the stillness of the midnight, when I mourn the hopes t'were dead.

With the hope of seeing you all at home again and mingling with you pleasantly

I am very respectfully Jno. F. Goodner. "

Headquarters 7th Tennessee
On the Rappahannock, Va.
March 9th, 1863.

Miss Lizzie:

I received your letter today by Rob and have an opportunity to send letters here tomorrow by a young man named Grif-

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fin who lives in Wilson Co. Therefore I avail myself of the opportunity to answer your very enigmatical letter. I scarcely know what to learn from it, or how to understand it. However, I discover this much from it that you have become the especial eulogist and defender of Genl. Morgan's Cavalry. This I would scarcely expect of one so brave as you have been heretofore considered. It may be perhaps that it is their running qualities that you admire so much, for I understand that they double quicked from an inferior force of abolition. Thieves headed by the scum of all creation, Stokes arabs. If such be true, I would almost distrust the loyalty, much less the fidelity of a young lady who would thus strangle her patriotism to defend a flying Lieutenant who perchance may be a transient lover. I would say, however, that if you should lose him, you had better look in Owl Hollow up about Snow's Hill for him for I am told that is a favorite hiding place for him when the enemies and destroyers of your homes and happiness gets in pursuit. I am told, moreover that you, Miss Josie and Miss Pattie Cartwright are having a gay time with these renegades from their Countries Cause in this its greatest time of need and distress. I would not feed such men, in fact they are an injury to the Country, for their presence among you invites the enemy in, and when they come, your gallant admirers run away and leaves their dear little sweethearts to their own defense. Shame! Shame! and this too by the very girls that I do so much esteem. Oh, how I had the skeleton of the old 7th there. I'd give you a sample of soldiering that you might admire, instead of wasting your "fragrance on the desert air", or what is worse, on your enemies co-partners in the destruction of your homes.

Well, give my highest regards to Old Sister. I know she has not become contaminated with the evil spirits that infest your country. I shall expect her to stand firm as the rocks of Gibraltar and plead in angelic tones for her country, in behalf of the worthy sons, instead of running off with the unworthy.

Now if I had the time and space on this sheet I would tell you something about Miss Edmonia Lawrence, my Virginia sweetheart. Oh, she is delightful, black hair, dark liquid eyes, snowy white skin, pretty round teeth as white and nicely set as though they were pearl, medium size weighing 110, fine figure, pretty foot, etc. Intelligent, plays and sings well, amiable and sweet in disposition, social and easy in society, yet modest and discreet, with a handsome estate, and can say Our Father who art in heaven. She is the Bell of this Country and generally admired by the tasty gentlemen in this army, and strange to say, I am the favorite with her above the hundreds of admirers. She lives about one and a half miles from our camp and consequently I go to see her 2 or 3 times a week. She always gives me a good supper at 9 o'clock at night and that is a great inducement too, I'll have you know. Well, now this may all be so for there is no accounting for a woman's taste, even well raised women, or you and Josie and Pat would never have roosted so much lower of late. I have not determined to marry her yet. In fact I have not made up my mind to love her yet, more than I do her good suppers. But she is really admirable and has a very correct appreciation of men, preferring to esteem those most who have won their selves to promotion by hard fought battles in their countries service, instead of running for it, John Gilpin races.

Now I must close this letter for it was written in rather an ill mood and contains more complaint and crimination than I usually make. I am happy to say that my health is tolerable. I am anxious at times to live through this war, at other times I care but little about it. I want to avenge as many of the wrongs committed against those I love as I can, for I really believe he who kills the greatest number of abolition thieves and their abettors is the best Christian and when I shall have fully done my duty in that respect I shall not be afraid to die. We have a heavy task before us this summer and thousands who are living today will bite the dust before six months elapse.

I hope you will excuse my animadversions towards your Kentucky friends and cheer them if you can to efficiency and usefulness. I would be glad to see you but that is not in reach now, hence I must be content with my lot. I know you will answer this the first opportunity, if for nothing else to quarrel with me. So let me hear from you. I will be glad even if it is a quarrel.

Jno. F. Goodner. "

4d. Louisa Domell Goodner, b. 3-31-1825. d. 2-12-1912, in McKinney, Tex. Interred in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, Tex. m: 1st: Robert Dowell, 10-6-1841. (b. abt. 1820. Interred in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, Tex.) Merchant and Farmer. Had moved from Alexandria, Tenn. to McKinney, Texas shortly after marriage. d. of small pox.

Ch: 1e. Martha Dowell, b. abt. 1842-3. m: James Harrison Kitching, 2-2-1870, at Alexandria, Tenn. (b. 5-28-1840. d. 8-11-1893. Interred in Alexandria, Tenn.)

Ch: 1f. Lulu Kitching, b. 5-26-1873. d. 12-25-1882, at age 9. Interred Alexandria, Tenn.
2f. Infant Son. Died at birth, 8-30-1871.

3f. Ella Kitching, b. 12-14-1878, at Alexandria, Tenn. d. 7-28-1897, McKinney, Tex. at age 18. Not married.

4f. Robert Kitching, b. 1-16-1875, at Alexandria, Tenn. d. 5-24-1931, McKinney, Tex. Interred in Pecan Grove Cemetery at McKinney. Single.

5f. Jesse Kitching, b. 2-6-1877, Alexandria, Tenn. d. 11-18-1951, Dallas, Tex. m: Carrie Peevy Leigh, 10-18-1921, Dallas, Tex. (b. Dalhart, Tex.) Both interred in Lural Land Cemetery, Dallas, Tex. No issue.

6f. Hallie Kitching, b. 7-24-1881, Alexandria, Tenn. m: Fred B. Miesenhelder, 8-27-1918, McKinney, Tex. (b. 4-7-1877.) Contractor and Builder. Res: 119 East Wallace St., Gonzales, Texas. No issue.

7f. Edith Kitching, b. 4-21-1884, Alexandria, Tenn. m: Washington K Penn. (d. 9-18-1950 at McKinney, Tex. Interred in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, Tex.) Res: of Mrs. Edith Penn: McKinney, Texas.

Ch: 1g. Washington K. Penn III, b. 12-17-1922. District Mgr. Prudential Life Ins.

- Co., Dallas, Texas. Single.
- 8f. James Goodner Kitching, b. 8-9-1887, Alexandria, Tenn. m: Bess Haydon, 9-14-1913. Res: Van Alstyne, Texas.
Ch: 1g. James H. Kitching, b. 3-15-1916. Address unknown. No issue.
- 2e. Jennie Dowell, b. abt. 1848. m: W.J. Stokes. (d. De Kalb Co., Tenn.) Dry Goods Merchant in McKinney, Texas.
Ch: 1f. Katie Stokes, d. childhood. Interred McKinney, Texas.
2f. Maude Stokes, d. childhood. Interred McKinney, Texas.
3f. James B. Stokes, b. 9-5-1877. d. 3-8-1956, Lancaster, Texas. Interment in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, Tex. Methodist. He was Cotton Broker. m: Julia A. Giriard, 1910, (dau. of Minnie K. Giriard.) b. 1897, St. Joe, Mo.
Ch: 1g. James W. Stokes, b. 3-12-1911, Dallas, Tex. In U.S. Navy 21 years. Was Chief Petty Officer. Grad. of U.S.N. Electronic School, College Level. Now an Electronic Engineer at Almagordo, N.M. Single. Res: Temporary - 1611 Indiana Ave., Almagordo, N.M. Permanent - 218 N. "L" St., Harlingen, Texas.
- 3e. Robert F. Dowell, b. 4-23-1850. d. 11-24-1924. Interred in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, Tex. Served as Sec'y. for City of McKinney, Tex., for 30 years. m: Tollie Throckmorton, d. 1892.
Ch: 1f. Hugh Dowell, d. 7-20-1897. Single. Interment McKinney, Texas.
2f. Annie Dowell, d. 2-20-1920, in McKinney, Tex. m: T.P. West. No rec'd. of issue.
- Louisa Donnel Goodner m: 2nd: Col. N.D. Allison of McKinney, Tex.
Ch: 4e. James Allison, d. Galveston, Tex. m: Gertha Fairchild. No issue.
5e. Lulu Allison. Died in her youth, unmarried.
- 5d. Nancy Jane Goodner, b. 4-12-1827. d. 7-12-1894. m: James Nesbet Cartwright, 3-20-1844. (b. 3-28-1818. d. 10-16-1895.) Both Interred in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Lebanon, Wilson Co., Tenn. ("Tennessee Records" by Acklen.) No issue.
- 6d. Amanda Ray Goodner, b. 12-2-1830. d. 3-25-1895 at Alexandria, Tenn. Interred in Alexandria. m: James M. Baird, 11-23-1848, Alexandria, Tenn. (b. 7-24-1825. d. 4-23-1880. Interred in Alexandria, Tenn.) Merchant.
Ch: 1e. Etta Baird, b. 8-13-1851. d. 11-15-1878. (Shortly after marriage.) m: Dr. Burton. No issue.
2e. Ophelia Baird, b. 9-14-1853, Alexandria, Tenn. d. 6-27-1912. m: Byron Bell, 12-22-1875, Alexandria. (b. 9-13-1850. d. 2-4-1934.) Teacher. Hotel Keeper. Merchant. Resided in Alexandria, Tenn. Both interred in Alexandria.
Ch: 1f. Carrie Bell, b. 11-13-1880, Alexandria, Tenn. d. 7-9-1919. m: Dib Dinges, 1-21-1901. (d. 5-4-1958.)
Ch: 1g. David Byron Dinges, b. 11-25-1901. d. 1956. Banker and Merchant. Res. in Lebanon, Tenn. m: Lucille Olds, 5-21-1921, dau. R.L. Olds. Mrs. Dinges resides in Lebanon, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. David Byron Dinges, Jr., b. 12-24-1926. Photographer. Navy. m: Carrie Beard, 11-20-1953. Res: 906 Main St., Alamosa, Colo.
Ch: 1i. Ren'ee Dinges, b. 9-21-1954.
2i. Karen Dinges, b. 1-21-1955.
3i. Carrie Dinges, b. 8-17-1957.
2f. Anne Ray Bell, b. 11-26-1884. Single. Res: Alexandria, Tenn.
3f. Willette Bell, b. 2-19-1889. d. 6-30-1906, Alexandria, Tenn. Single.
- 3e. Emma Caroline (Carrie) Baird, b. 3-14-1859, Alexandria, Tenn. d. 9-6-1946. m: W.W. Jones.
Ch: 1f. Dr. Baird Jones, b. 8-20-1887. d. 12-19-1944. Resided at 108 E. Burton St., Murfreesboro, Tenn. m: Ruth Quisenberry, 4-10-1918. (b. 7-31-1893.)
Ch: 1g. Ruth Baird Jones, b. 7-29-1925. Res: 108 E. Burton St., Murfreesboro, Tenn.
- 7d. James Brown Goodner, b. 6-2-1833. d. 1850. Went to Calif. in "Gold Rush". Died en route or after arrival, age 17.
- 8d. Thomas Conrad Goodner, b. 3-24-1837. d. 11-3-1916. Born at Alexandria, Tenn. Attended Irving College near McMinnville, Tenn., and Lebanon Law School at Lebanon, Tenn., afterwards known as Cumberland Univ., graduating in 1857. Went to Manchester, Coffey Co., Texas, in 1857, and engaged in the practice of law. At outbreak of the Civil War, he returned home and raised a Company from Wilson and De Kalb Co., Tenn.; was elected Capt. in the Confederate Army. Co. K., 24th Regiment of Tenn. Volunteers. Company K left Alexandria the latter part of 1861. (Goodspeed's Tenn. History, P. 852.) After the termination of the War he remained in Nashville, Tenn., for one year, and then moved to McKinney, Collin Co., Tex., Dec. 11, 1866. He became briefly connected with the law office of Throckmorton and Brown, J.W. Throckmorton being at the time Governor of the State; the following August he formed a law partnership with James H. Jenkins under the name of "Jenkins and Goodner." This lasted ten years, when Goodner was elected Co. Judge. He held that office nine years. In 1884, he retired from the Judgeship and resumed the practice of law. In 1887, he became Vice-Pres. and Asst. Cashier of the Collin Co. Nat'l Bank, holding that position for fourteen years until retirement. Also was a farm owner, and a merchant. In politics he was a Democrat, and was a member of the State Convention which nominated Dick Hubbard for Governorship. Member of the First Methodist Church and served as Stewart and Trustee. He was made a Mason in Tenn. in 1866; demitted

to St. John's Lodge in McKinney in 1867. Was member of Royal Arch Masons, and active in Masonic Work. He died at his residence on South Tennessee St., and was interred in the Pecan Grove Cemetery with Masonic services. m: Jennie Box, 12-14-1871. (b. 2-22-1850. d. 1-27-1917.) Dau. of Stephen and Tabitha Box, nee Bristow, and a half sister to Capt. J.H. Jenkins, who for some 10 yrs. was a law partner of Thomas C.

Ch: 1e. Mary Goodner, b. 5-6-1875, McKinney, Tex. d. 4-6-1951. m: Judge William Folsom Moore, 12-17-1896. (b. 10-28-1868. d. 11-3-1956.) Judge Moore was born in Starkville, Lamar Co., Tex., a son of Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Moore, nee Neal. He attended schools in Blossom, Prairie, Deport, and Clarksville. Entered Washington and Lee Univ. in 1888. Was proficient in Latin, debating and speaking. Entered Univ. of Texas in 1890, grad. with honors in 1892. Beta Theta Pi, Pres. of Rusk Literary Society, Baptist, Mason, Knights Templar, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Paris, Tex., Schools, Member of the Chamber of Commerce, was a State Legislator, and served as first Asst. Attorney-General and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court for Texas in 1940, serving out the unexpired term of Chief-Justice C.F. Cureton. Died at age 88. Interred in Evergreen Cemetery, Paris, Texas.

Ch: 1f. Blanche Moore, b. 9-10-1899. d. 2-10-1920. Died while attending Ward-Belmont School in Nashville, Tenn.

2f. Marjie Lou Moore, b. 8-25-1902, Paris, Tex. Attended Ward-Belmont School in Nashville, Tenn. m: Dudley Crawford Hubbard, 2-23-1929, Paris, Tex. (d. 9-15-1933, son of August C. and Eugenia Hubbard, nee Moss.) Mrs. Hubbard resides at 711 Pine Bluff St., Paris, Texas.

Ch: 1g. Mary Goodner Moore Hubbard, b. 3-6-1933, Paris, Tex. Attended Ward-Belmont School, Nashville, Tenn., and Southern Methodist Univ., Dallas, Tex. Pi Beta Phi. Member D.A.R., No. 426522. m: Dwight Allen Free, Jr., 6-26-1954, son Dwight Allen Free, Sr. and Marguerite Free, nee Agey of Dallas and Houston, Tex. Mr. Free, Jr., a grad. of Southern Methodist Univ., with M.S. in Geology. Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Employed as a geologist with Continental Oil Co., Houston, Tex. Res: 5406 Schumacher, Houston 27, Texas.

Ch: 1h. Hardy Moore Free, b. 7-9-1955. d. 7-13-1955.

2h. Dudley Agey Free, b. 7-9-1955. Twin of Hardy.

3h. Mary Margery Free, b. 12-25-1956.

3f. Hardy Goodner Moore, b. 3-20-1906, Paris, Tex. Atty. Partner in law firm of "Moore & Moore" in Paris, Tex., with offices in First Nat'l Bank Bldg. Res: Paris, Tex., 2213 Hubbard. m: Athalie Louise Millican, 5-25-1931, dau. of Oliver H. and Athalie Millican, nee North, of Austin, Texas.

Ch: 1g. Athalie North Moore, b. 6-25-1933. m: William James Lipscomb, 12-28-1954, Paris, Tex., in Holy Cross Episcopal Church. Mr. Lipscomb a grad. of Paschal High School in Ft. Worth, and Univ. of Tex. Kappa Alpha Fraternity. Mrs. Lipscomb a grad. of Paris (Tex.) High School, and Univ. of Tex. Also attended Penn Hall Jr. College at Chambersburg, Pa. Kappa Gama Sorority. Res: 500 Calhoun, Houston, Tex. No issue as of 1958.

4f. Mary Josephine Moore, b. 9-1-1908, Paris, Tex. m: Daniel Foltz Searight, 1-30-1940. Son of William F. Searight of Austin, Tex. Daniel F. is a retired Pres. of the Walter Tips Hardware Co., a wholesale firm. No issue.

2e. Blanche Goodner, b. 3-7-1876, McKinney, Texas. d. 3-19-1883.

3e. Thomas Conrad Goodner, Jr., b. 2-3-1883. d. 4-5-1932. Worked in bank as a young man. Later was in partnership with his bro. in the Goodner Coal and Grain Co. After he removed to Dallas, he was a bookkeeper and auditor for the American Ice Co. until his decease. Episcopalian. m: Ethel Abernathy. (b. 1-9-1885. d. 5-23-1925. Interred in McKinney, Tex. Dau. of Judge M.G. Abernathy)

Ch: 1f. Jennie Belle Goodner, b. 12-4-1911, McKinney, Tex. m: Wm. Chas. Jones, 8-14-1937, Dallas, Tex. Salesman. Episcopalian. (b. 9-23-1908, son Robert F. Jones) Res: 4716 St. John's Dr., Dallas, Texas. No issue.

2f. Donna Martha Goodner, b. 6-17-1918, McKinney, Tex. m: Dr. Tom R. Turner, 8-29-1941, McKinney, Tex. Grad. of Baylor Medical College, Minnesota Univ., specializing in Neurology and Psychiatry. (b. 5-19-1917, son L.W. Turner, Arp, Tex.) Res: 1831 E. 31st Place, Tulsa, Okla.

Ch: 1g. Nancy Ethel Turner, b. 1-26-1944.

2g. Ann Rosamond Turner, b. 7-19-1946.

3g. Richard Leonard Turner, b. 2-11-1951.

Thomas Conrad Goodner, Jr., m: 2nd: Mrs. Marguerite Cook Jones. She lives in Amarillo, Tex.

Ch: 3f. Thomas Conrad Goodner, III, b. 1-7-1930. d. 6-5-1948. While a student at Tex. Tech., he was working in the oil fields at Phillips, & his death was due to accidental burns there.

4e. James Box Goodner, b. 8-7-1888. d. 4-10-1946. Res. in McKinney, Tex. m: Vera Belden, 2-7-1914, dau. J.O. Belden of McKinney, Tex.

Ch: 1f. Mary Ann Goodner, b. 12-21-1918. m: C.E. Lane, 6-3-1951. (Dec'd) No issue.

2f. James Box Goodner, Jr., b. 9-22-1921. d. 4-11-1944. Attended Univ. of Texas. En-

listed in Army Air Force W.W.II. Received commission as 2nd Lieut. at Victorville, Calif., in Oct. 1943, as Bombadier and Navagator. Overseas in Feb. 1944. He made one mission over France, one over Belgium, and on his third mission over Germany was shot down near the town of Brunswick. Received posthumously the Purple Heart, Pres. Citation, and State of Texas Citation. In June of 1949, his remains were returned to the United States and re-interred with honors in the Pecan Grove Cemetery at McKinney, Texas. m: May Mathis, 10-28-1943, dau. of James R. Dikes. No issue.

6c. JANE ANN GOODNER

Extremely little information is known about Jane Ann, also called Jeanne and Genney, the 6th child of Conrad and Elizabeth Scherrer Goodner. She was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, January 9th, 1794. She was taken by her parents to Smith County, Tennessee, in their move to that place in the latter part of 1804 or the early part of 1805. She was a young lady of seventeen or eighteen years of age when she accompanied her parents in their move from Tennessee to Illinois Territory in 1811 or 1812.

She never married, and it appears that she continued to live with the old folks until they passed away, and then lived with Elijah, her brother, visiting around among her other brothers from time to time, possibly making extended visits. It is known that she was living with Benjamin in 1860.

She died in Washington County, Illinois, but the date is not known, and neither is her burial place. Since so many of the Washington County Goodners lie buried in the Greenwood Cemetery in Nashville, it is likely that she was interred there. She was evidently living with "old" Elijah at the time of her decease.

In the fall of 1817, when David made a visit to his parents, she accompanied him back to Tennessee for a visit with her relatives there, evidently residing with John, as David's letter states that she went on to Carthage with James, Kathy, and Godfrey. She returned to Illinois after a visit of unknown duration.

Her name appears in several real estate transactions in St. Clair County, Illinois, as follows:-

Feb. 25, 1830. Conrad Goodner and wife to Jane Ann Goodner. Deed, Part of Section 3, Twp. 1 S, Range 9. Book F, Page 257.

Sept. 30, 1830. Elizabeth Goodner to Jane Ann Goodner. Deed, Section 3, Twp. 1S, Range 9. Book F, Page 468.

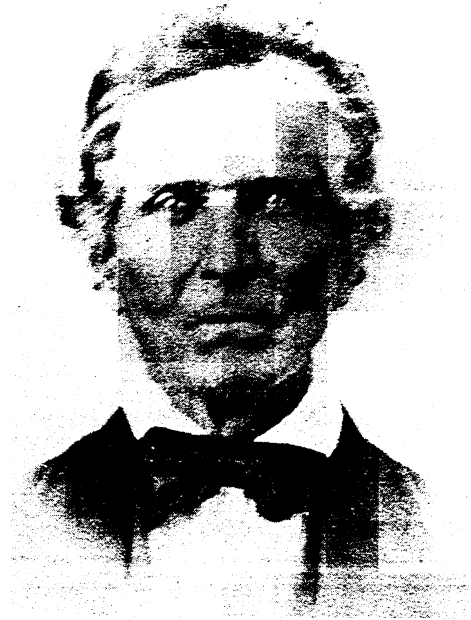
Sept. 30, 1830. Conrad Goodner and wife to Jane Ann Goodner. Deed, Part of Section 3, Twp. 1 S, Range 9. Book F, Page 468.

May 8, 1837. Jane Ann Goodner to Nic. Schubert. Deed, Part of Section 3, Twp. 1 S, Range 9. Book I, Page 366.

Sept. 30, 1831. Jane Ann Goodner to Elijah Goodner. Deed, Part of Section 3, Twp. 1 S, Range 9. Book F, Page 468.

Benjamin Goodner, the 7th child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, June 4th, 1795. Here he remained until he was almost nine years of age, when in May of 1804, his father sold the farm on which they were living and moved away. It is thought that they lived in Greene County for awhile, but if so their stay there was brief, for they moved to Smith County, Tennessee, shortly after their removal from Sullivan County. Benjamin then re-

ceived the first rudiments of education in the backwoods schools of Sullivan County. The family remained in Smith County until about 1811 or 1812, when they removed to the Illinois Territory. Benjamin, being then 16 or 17 years of age, accompanied them. In 1813 the family was living in Johnson County, Illinois Territory, residing near old Fort Massac. They lived here a year or so, and then removed to Randolph County, and from there to St. Clair Co., where they finally made their permanent resting place. Benjamin therefore obtained what education he could in the Tennessee Counties of Sullivan & Smith, and in Johnson and St. Clair Counties. The first requisite in those early pioneering days was to make a living, and in this Benjamin helped his father on the farm. Schools were backward as was the case in all new communities. Illinois was a part of the Indiana Territory from 1800 to 1809, when it was created into the Illinois Territory. It did not achieve statehood until the year 1818.



Rev. Benjamin Goodner
Courtesy Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit

On April 7th, 1816, probably a year after the family's arrival in St. Clair County, Benjamin married, lacking two months of being 21 years of age. His bride was his first cousin, Nancy Jackson, a daughter of Catherine Goodner and William Jackson, residents of the county of Hardin in Illinois, where the marriage occurred. Nancy was born in 1798 in Guilford County, North Carolina. The Jackson family must have been neighbors to the Goodners in Johnson County for the children to become so intimately acquainted that two of the Jackson girls would marry two of the Goodner boys. He brought his bride back to St. Clair County, but it is not known whether he established his own home at that time or whether he continued to live with his parents. It was ten years later, in February of 1826, that he purchased his first piece of property in St. Clair, a part of Section 15, Township one. The farm on which he lived for many years and on which he reared to maturity a large family was located about four miles south-east of Centerville, now called Millstadt, about one or one and a half miles south of the farm of Joshua Lacey. The farm of John

Lacey was close by that of Joshua's, and I mention this because a son of John Lacey married one of Benjamin's daughters.

Benjamin early leaned toward religion. He was active in the Methodist Church. In one of his Bibles in my possession appears the following notation, -"In 1829 was licensed to exhort, in 1837 licensed to preach, and in 1844 was ordained deacon by Bishop Morris and local Elder by Bishop E. R. Ames in 1852". He preached in the Old Union Meeting House located about two miles east of the present town of Millstadt on the Millstadt-Belleville road, holding services alternately with the preacher of another denomination, both preaching to the same congregation, which speaks much of a broad mindedness in those days that few thought to exist.

Quoting from the "History of St. Clair County, Ill.", by Brink McDonough & Co. of Philadelphia, printed in 1881, the following quotation is of interest:-

"Centerville District. Joshua Hughes was the first blacksmith as well as the first coal operator. His smithy was opened in 1829. He took out coal from a hillside about a half mile southeast of Centerville in 1830. This bank was afterwards transferred to and operated by Benjamin Goodner. It has long since been abandoned". Another item of interest states that "The Union Meeting House was the first house of worship, built in 1824, about two miles northeast of Centerville (Millstadt). The first cemetery was there also, and the first interment was on Oct. 1st, 1823." The meeting house has long since been destroyed, but the cemetery, now known as the old Union Cemetery, is still being used for a few burials, and is in a fair state of condition.

In politics, Benjamin was a Whig, and later a Republican, but there is no evidence that he was ever active politically. In his declining years, he moved to the town of Centerville (Millstadt).

By his wife, Nancy he had fifteen children, ten living to maturity. She died June 12th, 1845, and was interred in the old Union Cemetery. Probably motivated by the demands of a large household, Benjamin married shortly after the death of Nancy, on Nov. 25, 1845, Mrs. Susannah Ryan, a widow with two daughters of her own and one adopted daughter. Susannah was the widow of John Ryan, to whom she had been married on Jan. 28th, 1830. She was born May 9th, 1810 in Virginia; her maiden name was Gaul. Of her two daughters, Livonia married Charles Gooding, a brother to the Cornelius who married Luverba Goodner, the eldest daughter of Benjamin. Charles and Cornelius were sons of Robert Gooding, and brothers to Mrs. Joshua Lacey. The other daughter, Margaret, died of "lung fever", Aug. 14th, 1852, unmarried. The adopted daughter, Mary Ralston, married Elijah Goodner, a son of Benjamin.

While Benjamin was a preacher in the Methodist Church he made his living farming, and did quite well indeed. He and Charles Gooding together bought one of the first machines in their area to cut wheat. This was in 1852. It must have

been what later was called a "header", which cut the wheat, which was then stacked ready for the thresher. It was probably one of the early forms of the reaper as invented by McCormick.

Benjamin died Dec. 12th, 1863 at the age of 68 years, and was interred beside his wife, Nancy, in the old Union Cemetery near Millstadt. Stones had been placed at the head of both of their graves, but in 1956 when I visited the cemetery I noticed that his stone was missing, probably removed by vandals. Nancy's was still standing.

Susannah died many years later on June 11th, 1884, at the residence of William Heinzelman in Belleville, Illinois. She was interred in the Wilson Cemetery near Columbia, Monroe County, Ill., where her first husband was buried, as well as many of her relatives. She was then 74 years of age. There was no issue by this second marriage.

Daniel Stookey and William J. Goodner were the administrators of Benjamin's estate, and I give below the copy of the letter Daniel wrote to William regarding the sale of the personal estate of Benjamin:-

Letter addressed to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Adams Co., Ill.

" Dear Brother-in-law:-

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 13th, 1864.

I have just returned from attending the sale and had a hard time of it, the railroads were so blocked up that I had fears that I would not reach there in time for the sale, but fortunately I got to Belleville the night before the sale and rode down to the place in the night through snow drifts that got my horse down and me off of him, but I finally made the trip but found the property partly appraised and no cryer or clerk employed and the appraisers to hunt up again. So I arose at three in the morning and started Lewy after McCulley, John Lacey after John Weible, and myself after a cryer which I found North of David Phillipse. Well enough of that. Suffice it to say that I managed to bring things up to time and went ahead with the sale according to advertisements and had a tolerable fair sale and got through with the selling the same day but was a couple or three days getting things finally settled up. John H. Lacey clerked and was very useful in assisting me in getting things finally wound up. I also had John Weible to assist me. I shall here give you a statement of the report that I made to the Court.

Total am't of Sale Bill	\$1695.85
Money on hand as reported by you	355.25
Note on hand as reported by you	249.40

The Court requires you to give the amount of each note separate and when due, what interest, whether good, doubtful or worthless. I have appointed the 24th day of March as the day for settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate, a notice of which I herewith enclose. I think of nothing further to inform you of at present. We are all enjoying reasonable health. We, or at least one of us, will have to attend at day of settlement.

Respectfully yours,
"D. Stookey."

N.B. Write soon and inform me if you can attend to the Settlement or will I have to attend. D.S."

The real estate was sold by the heirs as follows:-

Lot 1 and more, Aug. 4, 1866, to Daniel Muskopt, Sec. 15, Twp. 1S, Range 9. As recorded in Book K4, Page 42. St. Clair County, Ill.

Tract of land to Henry Buecher, Feb. 1st, 1867. Sec. 14, Twp. 1S, Range 9. As recorded in Book I4, Page 175, St. Clair Co., Ill.

Susannah Goodner, widow, evidently went to Belleville to live, for on June 13th, 1870 she purchased from James M. Stookey a piece of property there in the Ralph Addition, as recorded in Book K, Page 273, being Lot No. 87.

Following is the data on the children of Benjamin and Nancy, and of their progeny as far as it has been possible to obtain it:

(I refer the reader to the Chapter labeled "Letters", which contains copies of several letters written by Benjamin to his sons, which are very interesting and informative.)

The following four pages contain fac-similies of the Family Record in a Bible of Rev. Benjamin Goodner, now in the possession of Mrs. Hester Ann Pape of La Jolla, California, to whom I am indebted for permission to photograph these old valuable records. Benjamin had two Bibles; the other is in my possession, having come down to me from my father.

(H. W. Lacey.)

FAMILY RECORD.	
<u>Births</u>	<u>Births</u>
Benjamin Goodner the son of Conrad and Elizabeth Goodner was born June the 4th 1795	Elijah Goodner was born June the 3rd 1820.
Nancy Goodner Daughter of William and Catherine Jackson was born A.D. 1798	Suzerba Goodner was born March the 31st. 1823
The children of Benjamin and Nancy Goodner follows	Caroline Goodner was born June the 26th. 1825
Salliston Goodner was born January the 25th 1817	John Adam Clarke Goodner was born May the 15th. 1827
William Jackson Goodner was born October the 9th. 1818	Benjamin Franklin Goodner was born June the 25th. 1829
	Joseph Benson Goodner was born May the 14th. 1831
	George Washington Goodner was born May the 13th. 1832

FAMILY RECORD.

Age
Barry
Miss

Nancy Ester Goodner
was born October the
24th A.D. 1835

David Andrew Goodner
was born December
20th A.D. 1838.

Salinda Goodner was born
April the 28th A.D. 1844

Died Nov 10-1866
Being a daughter of
Benjamin Goodner
Married John H Lacey
November 20-1860

Three Children born them
Elmer
Butler
William

FAMILY RECORD.

<u>Marriages</u>	
Benjamin Goodner and Nancy Jackson were joined in mar- riage on the 7th of April A.D. 1816	Caroline Goodner was married to Daniel Stodkey Dec. the 14th. 1845
Sally Ann Goodner was married to Thomas M. Cracken Oct. the 20th. 1836	Elijah Goodner was married to Mary Ralston March the 5th. 1846
Luverba Goodner was married to Cornelius Gooding Dec. 21st 1848	William J. Goodner was married to Mary Moore Feb. the 14th
William J. Goodner was married to Mary Wolcomb March the 7th. 1844	William J. Goodner & Penella A. Cox were married in Melrose, Adams. Oct. 2. 1851
Benjamin Goodner was married to Susannah Ryan Nov. the 25th. 1845	

Deaths		FAMILY RECORD.	
David Andrew Goodner departed this life July the 15th A.D. 1841		Benjamin Goodner departed this life December the 12 th 1863	
Mary Goodner consort of William J. Goodner departed this life Ereb. the 10th. 1845.		Jusannan Goodner died July 11 th 1884	
Nancy Goodner consort of Benjamin Goodner departed this life June the 12th. 1845		Caroline Stooker died at Harrisburg Pa Jan 13 th 1887.	
Nancy Mester Goodner departed this life Jan. the 6th. 1846		Salinda Lacy died in St Louis Mo Nov 10 th 1886	
Mary Jane Goodner. Second wife of William Goodner departed this life September the 2 nd 1847		William J. Goodner died June 1 st 1893 in Bogard. Mo.	
		Benjamin Franklin Goodner died at Oakland Calif 4-15-52	
		Joseph Benson Goodner died at Spokane Wash 11-25-1917	
		Jeanette Ann Goodner Third wife of William Goodner died 1882.	

7c. Benjamin Goodner (1795-1863) - Nancy Jackson (1798-1845)

1d. Sally Ann Goodner (1817-1849)
m: Thomas W. McCracken (1814-1861)

- 1e. Benjamin Milus McCracken (1837-1843)
- 2e. James Washington McCracken (1839-1910)
- 3e. William Lytle McCracken (1841-1883)
- 4e. Henry Benson McCracken (1843-1870)
- 5e. Marshall McCracken
- 6e. Thos. Franklin McCracken (1846-1899)
- 7e. Child. d. next day.

2d. William Jackson Goodner (1818-1893)
m: Jeanetta Ann Cox (1833-1912)

- 1e. Laura Goodner (1854-1878)
- 2e. Julia Goodner (1855-1920)
- 3e. William Gooding Goodner (1856-1934)
- 4e. Lizzie Goodner (1858-)
- 5e. Hester Ann Goodner (1860-1905)

3d. Elijah Goodner (1820-1886)
m: Mary Ralston (1828-1897)

- 1e. Thos. Jefferson Goodner (1846-1927)
- 2e. Benj. Walker Goodner (1848-1857)
- 3e. Joseph Glosky Goodner (1850-1874)
- 4e. Hugh Comstock Goodner (1852-1937)
- 5e. William Elder Goodner (1854-1925)
- 6e. Charles Wooster Goodner (1856-1934)
- 7e. Clarinda Belle Goodner (1858-1881)
- 8e. Lucy May Goodner (1862-1868)
- 9e. Lewis Elmer Goodner (1864-1881)
- 10e. Mary Florence Goodner (1867-1945)

4d., 5d., 6d. Triplets. Born Prematurely.
All died.

7d. Luverba Goodner (1823-)
m: Cornelius Gooding (1817-1896)

- 1e. William Baylis (Bud) Gooding
- 2e. Chas. Houston Gooding (1846-1924)
- 3e. Mary Jane Gooding (1850-1937)

8d. Caroline Goodner (1825-1887)
m: Daniel Stookey (1820-1907)

- 1e. Hester Adeline Stookey (1846-1853)
- 2e. Lewis Stookey (1848-1933)
- 3e. Cornelius G. Stookey (1851-1852)
- 4e. Daniel Wesley Stookey (1853-1932)
- 5e. Mary Caroline Stookey (1856-1944)
- 6e. William James Stookey (1861-1880)
- 7e. Florence H. Stookey (1863-1939)

9d. John Adams Clark Goodner (1827-1876)
m: Rose Ann West - Martha J. Turner.

- 1e. Edwin Fulton Goodner, (1853-1871)
- 2e. Martha Goodner (1854-d. young)
- 3e. Clara Luella Goodner (1856-1882)
- 4e. Laura Florence Goodner (1858-1947)
- 5e. Stover Lincoln Goodner (1860-1922)
- 6e. Nora Goodner (1866-)
- 7e. Keelen Goodner (1870-1938)
- 8e. Cloyd Goodner (1870-1944) Twins.
- 9e. May C. Goodner

10d. Benjamin Franklin Goodner (1829-1852)

11d. Joseph Benson Goodner (1831-1917)
m: Sarah Frances Campbell (1844-1930)

- 1e. Ada Gertrude Goodner (1866-1951)
- 2e. Augusta Kate Goodner (1867-1877)
- 3e. Effie Caroline Goodner (1868-1913)
- 4e. Wealthy Alma Goodner (1872-)
- 5e. Franklin Agassez Goodner (1874-1945)
- 6e. Nora Etta Goodner (1876-)
- 7e. Florence Blanche Goodner (1878-)
- 8e. William Benjamin Goodner (1880-1958)
- 9e. Joseph Campbell Goodner (1884-)

12d. George Washington Goodner (1833-1922)
m: Mary Huff - Alice E. Dempsey

- 1e. George Wilbur Goodner (1863-1921)
- 2e. John Lewis Goodner (1871-1947)
- 3e. Nellie Goodner (1872-1875)
- 4e. Lenna Goodner (1875-)
- 5e. James Moody Goodner (1881-1888)
- 6e. William Raphael Goodner (1883-1959)

13d. Nancy Hester Goodner (1835-1846)

14d. David Andrew Goodner (1838-1841)

15d. Salinda Goodner (1841-1886)
m: Dr. John Hansbrough Lacey (1838-1891)

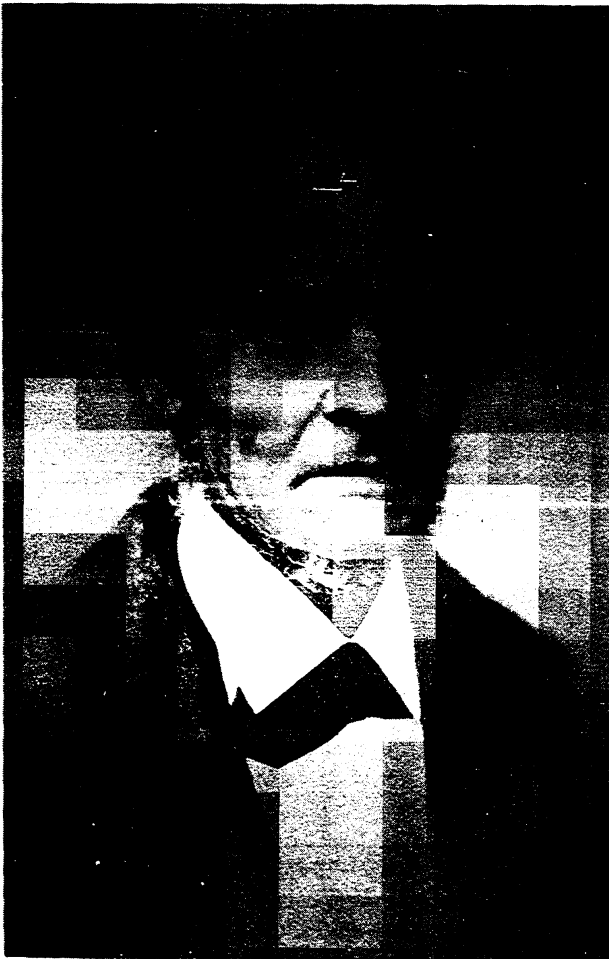
- 1e. Elmer Ellsworth Lacey (1861-1921)
- 2e. John Benjamin Lacey (1863-1924)
- 3e. William Milton Lacey (1867-1910)

- 7c. Rev. Benjamin Goodner, b. Sullivan Co., Tenn., 6-4-1795. d. 12-12-1863, St. Clair Co., Ill. Interred in Old Union Cemetery on the Millstadt-Belleville Rd., St. Clair Co., Ill. Farmer and preacher in the Methodist Church. m: his first cousin, Nancy Jackson, 4-7-1816, Hardin Co., Ill. (b. 1798, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 6-12-1845, St. Clair Co., Ill., dau. of William Jackson and Catherine Jackson, nee Goodner, both from Guilford Co., N.C. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, St. Clair Co., Ill.)
- Ch: 1d. Sarah ("Sally") Ann Goodner, b. 1-25-1817, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 6-25-1849, Washington Co., Ill. m: Thos. M. McCracken, 10-20-1836, St. Clair Co., Ill., Richard Randle, Minister. (b. 2-23-1814. d. 2-25-1861, from lung fever, St. Clair Co., Ill. Teacher and farmer. Taught school in Richmond, Washington Co., Ill.) Sallie's death resulted from childbirth.
- Ch: 1e. Benjamin Milus McCracken, b. 12-21-1837. d. 10-13-1843.
- 2e. James Washington McCracken, b. 4-3-1839. d. 1-29-1910. m: Eliz. E. Patterson, 9-20-1866. (b. 5-19-1847. d. 6-9-1923.) Moved to Warrensburg, Macon Co., Ill., in 1886, from Nashville, Ill., where they had been living. Both interred in the Ill. Cemetery near Warrensburg.
- Ch: 1f. Charles Wayne McCracken, b. 12-16-1867. d. 12-5-1946. Interred in Illini Cemetery, near Warrensburg, Ill. Single
- 2f. William Thomas McCracken, b. 9-4-1871, Washington, Ill. d. 2-4-1934. Interred in Eaton, Colo. m: Anna Hurick, 2-9-1904. (b. 4-24-1877. d. 7-17-1956.)
- Ch: 1g. Ruth Marie McCracken, b. 12-26-1908, Eaton, Colo. m: 1st: Eldo Schoeflin, 6-3-1928, Denver, Colo. Div'd.
- Ch: 1h. Eldo Earl Schoeflin, b. 9-12-1931, in Denver, Colo. Marital m: 2nd: Joseph Ambrose, 5-25-1945. Div'd. 9-24-1953. Res: Ruth Marie 9302 E. Olive, Bellflower. Calif. No issue.
- 2g. Edward Arthur McCracken, b. 5-10-1910, Eaton, Colo. Milk Salesman. Lutheran. m: Emma Amelia Schneider, 1-17-1934. (b. 1-29-1914, dau. of Alex. Schneider) Res: 6681 E. 72nd Pl., Derby, Colo.
- Ch: 1h. Edward McCracken, 12-13-1934. Subnormal child. Is in an institution.
- 2h. Joan McCracken, b. 9-19-1936, at Eaton, Colo. m: Clifford R. Hoffman, 6-10-1955. Res: 5400 E. 65th Way, Derby, Colo.
- Ch: 1i. Vicky Jo Hoffman, b. 2-4-1956, Denver, Colo.
- 2i. Carrie Ann Hoffman, b. 4-17-1958, Denver, Colo.
- 3h. Shirley McCracken, b. 10-1-1938, Denver, Colo. m: Gene S. Brink. Res: 7281 E. 75th St., Derby, Colo. No issue.
- 4h. Patricia McCracken, b. 3-23-1941, Longmont, Colo.
- 5h. Audray McCracken, b. 3-3-1943, Derby, Colo.
- 3g. Howard William McCracken, b. 4-4-1914, Eaton, Colo. Aircraft Mechanic. Methodist. Army Air Force, 5-3-1943 to 2-13-1946. m: Auby Marlin Mohler, 8-20-1946. (b. 7-2-1921, dau. Cora Auby Penwick.) Auby had two children by a previous marriage, Marianne Mohler and Larry F. Mohler. Res: 9275 Dalberg, Bellflower, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Charles Howard McCracken, b. 1-27-1949.
- 3f. Amanda Myrtle McCracken, b. 9-16-1873. Living 1958. m: 1st: Frank M. Cressler, 9-10-1890. (b. 2-15-1861. d. 12-21-1900.)
- Ch: 1g. George W. Cressler, b. 7-12-1891, near Decatur, Ill. Fireman with City Fire Department, Portland, Ore., for 31 years. Retired as of 1958. W.W.I - Navy. Member of First Christian Church. m: Doris M. Jones, 9-6-1925, Portland, Ore. (b. 10-28-1898, dau. William Arthur Jones.) Res: 6922 87th St., Portland 6, Ore.
- Ch: 1h. Frank Arthur Cressler, b. 5-11-1927, Portland, Ore. W.W.II, Army. Shipping Supervisor with Iron Fireman, Electronic Div., Portland, Ore. m: Carole Lee Niles, 6-6-1953. (b. 12-3-1933, dau. Harry Robert Niles.) Lutheran. Res: 42 S. E. 79th St., Portland, Ore.
- Ch: 1i. Lynne Marie Cressler, b. 7-10-1953.
- 2i. Laurel Rose Cressler, b. 6-1-1954.
- 3i. Robert George Cressler, b. 7-5-1957.
- 2h. Leontine Edith Cressler, b. 1-24-1928, Scapoose, Ore. m: John Phillip Casey. (b. 4-5-1922, son of Leo William Casey.), Mitchell, S.D., W.W.II - Navy, Sept. 1942 - Mar. 1946. Policeman at Berkeley, Calif. Res: 27556 Gainsville Ave., Hayward, Calif.
- Ch: 1i. Mary Katherine Casey, b. 4-14-1954.
- 3h. Leila Marie Cressler, b. 5-25-1935, Corvallis, Ore., m: Robert Harry Niles (b. 8-23-1935, son of Harry Robert Niles, and brother to Carole Lee Niles above. Lutheran. W.W.II, paratrooper, 2 yrs. Res: 123 S. E. 97th St., Portland, Ore. Grocery Clerk.

- Ch: 1i. Terrie Christine Niles, b. 1-14-1952.
- 2g. Mimmie Cressler, b. 9-12-1894, near Decatur, Ill. m: Elmer B. Kerr, 3-4-1914. (b. 9-7-1883. d. 4-12-1917, son of John and Julia Kerr. Interred in Rose City Cemetery, Portland, Ore.) Bookkeeper.
- Ch: 1h. Virginia Bell Kerr, b. 2-20-1916. m: Raymond Cuttle, 10-5-1945, Clatskanie, Ore. (b. 10-1-1914, son of Harry and Eliz. Cuttle) Metalsmith. Res: 116 11th St., Apt. 757, Seattle 22, Wash.
- Ch: 1i. Kim Alan Cuttle, b. 2-4-1947, Ionia, Mich.
2i. Candace Eliz. Cuttle, b. 2-20-1948, Seattle, Wash.
- Mimmie Cressler Kerr m: 2nd: Walter W. Laughlin, 11-1-1919. (b. 8-2-1889) Res: 4014 1st N. E., Seattle 5, Wash.
- Ch: 2h. Benjamin Francis Laughlin, b. 7-21-1920, Kelso, Wash. Res: 4014 1st, N. E., Seattle 5, Wash. Teacher. Member Central Baptist Church. Single.
- 3g. Alberta Cressler, b. 12-16-1896, Warrensburg, Ill., Macon Co. m: Lloyd Bisbey, 5-18-1926, at St. Helens, Ore. (b. 1-16-1882, Galena, Kan., son of George and Ella Bisbey) City Fireman. Member of National Guard. Protestant. Mr. Bisbey deceased. Alberta is a Registered Nurse, and has one adopted dau. and two step children. No children of her own. Res: 1421 S. E. Birch, Portland 14, Ore.
- Amanda Myrtle m: 2nd: Job Davis, 3-24-1902. (b. 10-30-1867. d. 8-5-1951.) He was a machinist. Amanda is living with her dau. at Rt. #1, Box 430, Eagle Point, Ore.
- Ch: 4g. Eulia Davis, b. 12-22-1903, Oak Point, Wash. m: Marshall Minter, 6-25-1927. (b. 11-9-1891, son of Robert Riley Minter.) W.W.I. Farmer. Member of Penecostal Church. Res: Rt. #1, Box 430, Eagle Point, Ore. Her mother is now living with Eulia.
- Ch: 1h. Robert Riley Minter, b. 6-12-1934. m: Wynona Mae Womelsdorf, 8-10-1956. (b. 6-20-1940) Res: 360 1/2 Berrydale Ave., Medford, Ore.
- Ch: 1i. Teresa Louise Minter, b. 8-27-1957.
2h. George Lawrence Minter, (b. 6-21-1937. Twin.
3h. John David Minter, b. 6-21-1937. George and John are identical twins.
- 5g. Ruth Davis, b. 6-20-1906, Oak Point, Wash. School Teacher before marriage. m: William F. Haldeman, 6-20-1928, at Carlton, Ore. (b. 7-28-1896, son of Christian Haldeman). W.W.I. Experimental Mechanic. Member of Latter Day Saints. Res; 7019 54th Ave., N. E., Seattle 5, Wash.
- Ch: 1h. Virginia Ann Haldeman, b. 6-5-1932, at Eugene, Wash. m: Donald H. Dickinson, 3-29-1952, at San Antonio, Tex. (b. 11-25-1929, son of Charles). Teacher. Member of Latter Day Sts. Air Force in Korean War. Res: 20010 8th Ave., South, Seattle, Wash.
- Ch: 1i. Barbara Jo Dickinson, b. 8-3-1953, at San Antonio, Tex.
2i. Karin Susanne Dickinson, b. 8-30-1956, at Wenatchee, Wash.
- 4f. Carrie Ann McCracken, b. 10-6-1875. d. 4-22-1876.
- 5f. Mary Florence McCracken, b. 7-27-1877. d. 5-25-1880.
- 6f. Fred Eakin McCracken, b. 11-18-1879. d. 9-30-1953. Interred Coos Bay, Ore. Attorney. Resided at Salt Lake City, Butte, Opheim, and Harlem, Mont., and Coquille, Ore. m: Mary Grimes Hobbs, 11-18-1924. (b. 5-24-1906). Res: Mrs. McCracken; Seattle, Wash.
- Ch: 1g. John Clifford McCracken, b. 9-9-1925, Opheim, Mont. Insurance Agent for All State Ins. Co. W.W.II, Air Corp. Dec. 1943 to Nov. 1945. Episcopalian. m: Marilyn Joyce Jones, 7-17-1949. (b. 3-2-1931, dau. of Walter and Edna Jones.) Res: 195 Cunningham Lane, Salem, Ore.
- Ch: 1h. Dale James McCracken, b. 10-12-1950.
2h. Scott McCracken, b. 2-10-1953.
3h. Leslie Ann McCracken, b. 9-19-1954. (dau.)
4h. Stephanie Jo McCracken, b. 11-5-1956.
5h. Lynn Joyce McCracken, b. 9-12-1958.
- 2g. Eulia Ruth McCracken, b. 6-8-1927, Opheim, Mont. m: George L. Johnson, 9-28-1946, Louisville, Ky. (b. 1-6-1928, son of George Rieger and Ruby Stonecypher Rieger. Div'd. Stepfather - Ernie Johnson.) Army - June 1946 to Nov. 1948. Principal of Elementary School. Res: Box 294, Coquille, Ore.
- Ch: 1h. Tamara Rae Johnson, b. 7-9-1948.
2h. Patricia Ann Johnson, b. 1-15-1950.

- 3h. Michael George Johnson, b. 1-18-1954.
- 3g. James Edward McCracken, b. 7-26-1930, Harlem Mont. d. March 1934, Portland, Ore.
- 7f. Eulia Moreen McCracken, b. 10-25-1882, Washington Co., Ill. Lived in Chicago, and was a Registered Nurse. Was successively a Congregationalist and member of Bryn Mawr Community while in Chicago. Retired 1958. Single. Res: 6002 Northside Dr., Los Angeles, Calif.
- 8f. Carl Johnson McCracken, b. 10-7-1891. d. 10-10-1946. Never married. Interred in Veterans Cemetery, Santelle, Los Angeles, Calif. Interment in Veterans Cemetery indicates military service.
- 3e. William Lytle McCracken, b. 3-3-1841. d. 1-22-1883, age 42. George Washington Goodner, in visiting the family in 1861, said that William was 5'8", or 9", tall, and weighed about 130 lbs. Married and had a son and dau., both now deceased. No further data.
- 4e. Henry Benson McCracken, b. 2-16-1843. d. 1-4-1870, age 26. In 1861, in a visit to the family, Geo. Washington Goodner described him as "short and stout. No Goodner in him." Single.
- 5e. Marshall McCracken, b. abt. 1844. Died young.
- 6e. Thomas Franklin McCracken, b. 4-5-1846. d. 9-29-1899, age 53. In 1861, in visiting the family, Geo. Washington Goodner described Thomas as "small but pert and sociable". Farmer. Resided in Amboy, Lee County, Ill. His farm is now owned by his son, Lee. Thomas first lived in Champaign Co., Ill., removing to farm near Amboy in 1895. m: Delia Jane Wheatley, 1-20-1882. (b. 2-26-1861. d. 5-12-1933, dau. of Reece Wheatley.) Both interred in Prairie Repose Cemetery, Amboy, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Grace McCracken, b. 10-20-1882, Rantoul, Ill. d. 12-5-1956. m: 1st: Norman H. Green, 12-17-1902. (d. 2-4-1914. Interred in Prairie Repose Cemetery, Amboy, Ill.) Farmer. Methodist. Grace is also interred in Prairie Repose Cemetery.
- Ch: 1g. Doris Green, b. 6-19-1911, Amboy, Ill. m: Herbert Methren Barton, 12-25-1937. (b. 3-5-1912, son of John and Anna Barton. d. 2-4-1957, Denver, Colo., interred there.) Occupation: Live Insurance. Methodist. Res: 2300 Jasmine, Denver, Colo.
- Ch: 1h. Robert John Barton, b. 7-20-1940.
- 2h. Douglas Herbert Barton, b. 3-29-1943.
- 3h. Betty Ann Barton, b. 5-4-1949.
- 2g. Zelda Green, b. 11-1-1913, Amboy, Ill. m: Jack William Boatsma, 10-20-1936, Amboy, Ill. (b. 1-19-1913). In Retail Furniture business. Member of Dutch Reformed Church of America. Res: 1215 Main St., Pella, Ia.
- Ch: 1h. Beverly Boatsma, b. 4-24-1942.
- Grace m: 2nd: Charles G. Buckingham, 2-14-1924. Resided in Amboy, Ill. No issue.
- 2f. Lytle McCracken, b. 8-30-1884, Champaign, Ill. Retired as of 1958. Res: 5385 Garland Ave., Detroit, Mich. m: Lena Winkler, Chicago, Ill. (b. 1884, dau. Mrs. Mary Winkler.) No issue.
- 3f. Ray Franklin McCracken, b. 2-26-1887, in Dewey, Champaign Co., Ill. Retired farmer, 1958. Methodist. Res: 310 S. 2nd St., Ore., Ogle Co., Ill. m: 1st: Mary Adele Berry, 2-26-1914. Deceased. (b. 9-17-1882, dau. of Philo and Ruth Berry.)
- 1g. Eliz. McCracken, b. 12-6-1915, near Amboy, Ill. m: Walter John Carl Zimmerman, 4-9-1937, Rockford, Ill. (b. 9-11-1916, son of Charles.) Assembler. Presbyterian. Res: Rt. #1, Ore., Ogle Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Wayne Alan Zimmerman, b. 1-28-1944.
- 2h. Craig Thomas Zimmerman, b. 9-12-1948.
- 2g. Douglas McCracken, b. 9-19-1917, Amboy, Lee Co., Ill. W.W.II-Army 9-6-1940 to 11-5-1945. Farmer. Methodist. m: Janie O. Brandon, 5-6-1944. (b. 5-12-1919, dau. of Maggie M. Grandon.) Res: Rt. #1, Egan, Ogle Co., Ill. No issue.
- 3g. Frances McCracken, b. 5-15-1919, Lee Center, Lee Co., Ill. m: John Daniel Rosenberg, 9-9-1939. (b. 12-15-1915, son of Reinder J. Rosenberg). W. W. II - Navy. Lieut. 1944 to 1946. Regional Sales Manager. Res: 2067 Black Fox Drive, Atlanta, Ga.
- Ch: 1h. John Francis Rosenberg, b. 9-5-1941.
- 2h. Janice Adell Rosenberg, b. 10-30-1943.
- 3h. Jean Ellen Rosenberg, b. 3-15-1947.
- 4h. James Dennis Rosenberg, b. 8-6-1953.
- 4g. Mary Ellen McCracken, b. 12-13-1920. Single. Res: 1116 Wash. Blvd., Oak Park, Ill.
- 5g. Ray Franklin McCracken, Jr., b. 8-22-1922, near Ore., Ogle Co., Ill. Farmer. Protestant. m: Marian Kelsee, 6-24-1944. (b. 7-11-1926, dau. Mrs. Carrie E. Eyrick) Res: Rt. #1, Oregon, Ogle Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Joyce McCracken, b. 12-18-1946.

- 2h. Phyllis Irene McCracken, b. 1-28-1949.
 3h. Kathleen Rae McCracken, b. 5-20-1950.
 4h. Ray Franklin McCracken III, b. 1-21-1954.
- 4f. Winifred E. McCracken, b. 7-7-1889, Rantoul, Champaign Co., Ill. Retired Teacher. Res: Rest Haven, Dixon, Lee Co., Ill. Single.
- 5f. Roy Sharpless McCracken, b. 11-17-1891, Rantoul, Champaign, Co. Ill. Farmer. Methodist. m: Mayme Marie Schroeder, 1-9-1919. (b. 3-18-1895, dau. Fred Schroeder). Res: R.F.D., Amboy, Lee Co., Ill. No issue.
- 6f. Eldie Lee McCracken, b. 1-20-1894, Rantoul, Champaign Co., Ill. Farmer. Methodist. m: Anita Muriel Trout, 1916, in Methodist parsonage, Dixon, Lee Co., Ill. (b. 9-26-1897, dau. J. A. Trout) Res: R.F.D., Amboy, Lee Co., Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Marian McCracken, m: ----- Hindricks. Res: South Mason, Amboy, Ill.
 2g. Kenneth McCracken, R. R. #2, Amboy, Ill.
 3g. Maxine McCracken, m: ----- Faley. Res: 1002 Chestnut St., Dixon, Ill.
- 7f. Glenn McCracken, b. 8-19-1897, Amboy, Lee Co., Ill. Pianist. Instructor of piano at Michigan State Univ., 1928 to 1933. Resided in Chicago most of his life. W.W.I. Moved to Tucson, Ariz., in 1953, and is semi-retired. m: Freda H. Haas, 6-28-1930. (b. 3-26-1898, dau. of Phillip J. Haas.) Res: 635 E. 4th St., Tucson, Ariz. No issue. (Spent two yrs. in a vagabond trip around the world, most of it spent in the South Seas and the Orient.)
- 7e. Child, d. at birth. Mother was lost too.
 (Thomas M. McCracken m: 2nd: Matilda Goodner Lynch, March 1850. She was a dau. of Jacob Goodner, and the widow of Matthew K. Lynch. See Chapter on Jacob Goodner (son of Conrad) as to progeny.)
- 2d. William Jackson Goodner, b. 10-9-1818, St. Clair Co., Ill. D. 6-1-1893, in Bogard, Mo. Went overland to Calif. in about 1849 with a large company, by wagon train, of which trip he delighted to tell. The journey



William Jackson Goodner



Jeanetta Ann Cox Goodner

Courtesy Mrs. Hester Ann Pape

took him by way of St. Joseph, Mo., from which place he wrote his father. Also sent letters while en route. Letters were dated April 30th, June 3rd, Sept. 3rd, and Dec. 19th, all in 1849. While in Calif. he received his mail first at Sacramento, then Hangtown, and then again at Sacramento. He did not remain long in

Calif., for in Feb. of 1851, he was back in Centerville (Millstadt), Ill. In 1853, his address was Payson, Adams Co., Ill., and he was still there as late as Jan. of 1882. This is shown by his correspondence. Sometime later he moved to Bogard, Mo., after living in Carrollton, Mo., for awhile, to which place he had moved in 1884. He was interred in Bogard Mo., but his remains were later removed to Topeka, Kan., year 1913, and re-interred there, with the original headstone. Near him are buried his wife, Jeanetta, his dau., Lizzie Moorehouse, and Frank Moorehouse, her husband, also Hester and her husband, Dr. Grundy. m: 1st: Mary Holcomb, 3-7-1844, Samuel Rogers, Minister, St. Clair Co., Ill. She died 2-10-1845. No issue. m: 2nd: Mary Jane Moore, 2-4-1847. She died 9-2-1847. m: 3rd: Jeanetta Ann Cox, 10-2-1851, in Melrose, Adams Co., Ill. (b. 4-8-1833, Adams Co., Ill. d. 8-7-1912, in Topeka, Kan. Dau. of Matthew Cox and Sarah Cox, nee Brown. Sarah Brown was the dau. of John Gooding and Francis Lemmon, her marriage to Mr. Cox being her second.)

Ch: 1e. Laura Goodner, b. 3-17-1854, Adams Co., Ill. d. 4-22-1878. Interred in Falls Creek Cemetery, Adams Co., Ill. She was a fine pianist. Attended college for women in Jacksonville, Ill. Death was caused by results of childbirth. m: Robert Rankin, 11-17-1874.

Ch: 1f. May Rankin, b. 5-14-1875. d. 5-16-1875.

2f. Myrtle Bell Rankin, b. 4-7-1878. d. 9-26-1878.

2e. Julia Goodner, b. 2-6-1855, Adams Co., Ill. d. 8-21-1920, San Diego, Calif. m: Richard Hening Baker, 3-5-1879. Born 4-18-1845, in Hampshire Co., Va., later known as Mineral Co., W. Va. Left Va. in 1851. He was the son of George and Anne (Lyons) Baker. Went with his parents to Payson Co., Ill., and then to Adams Co., Ill. After his marriage, he moved to Pike Co., Ill., where he remained until he was 60 years of age, when he moved to Madison Co., Ala., purchasing there 800 acres of land. This was about 1909 or 1910. Hugh C. Goodner visited them there and remained with them some time. In 1913, he sold out and moved to San Diego, Calif. He died 7-16-1916. Both he and Julia are interred in the New Payson Cemetery, San Diego, Calif.

Ch: 1f. Mary Ethyl Baker, b. 1-2-1880, Adams Co., Ill. d. 10-15-1952, Los Angeles, Calif. m: William Harrison Taggart, 11-23-1915, San Francisco, Calif. (b. 1-1-1881, Topeka, Kan. a relative to Tom Taggart of Ind., the politician. Resided in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Ch: 1g. Virginia Baker Taggart, b. 11-6-1919. m: Emmett Willis Fowler, Jr., 5-29-1949. (b. 8-31-1915, Terminal Island, Calif., son Emmett Willis Fowler, Sr. and Sara Jane Mitchell. Mr. Fowler, Sr., b. Whitewood, S. D.; Sara Jane b. Penn.) Lieut. Commander Submarine Service, W.W.II. Veteran of 12 patrols. Res: 8497 La Jolla Shores Dr., La Jolla, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Sara Jane Fowler, b. 12-4-1950, Tokoma Park, Montgomery Co., Md.

2f. Hester Ann Baker, b. 9-12-1883, Pike Co., Ill. m: Charles F. Pape, 12-10-1927. (b. 3-9-1871, Chicago, Ill. d. 4-12-1953, Santa Barbara, Calif. Son of Carsten Pape, a Civil War Veteran.) World famous dahlia grower, and developer of new and more beautiful species, some of which he named Mrs. Hester A. Pape, Black Monarch, Virginia B. Taggart, Eastern Star, Gold Coin, Hollywood Star, Pat n'Dee, Gold Spot, and Our Friend. Generously gave away many thousands of his best blossoms and seed, and transmitted freely of the knowledge he had gathered in the many years of the growing and developing of prize blooms. Res: Mrs. Hester A. Pape, 8497 La Jolla Shores Drive, La Jolla, Calif. No issue.

3e. Lizzie Goodner, b. 1-25-1858. Interred in Topeka, Kan. m: Frank Morehouse, 9-8-1888. Interred in Topeka, Kan. Resided in Topeka, all his married life, I believe.

Ch: 1f. Raymond Lyons Morehouse, b. 10-4-1898. m: Mary Enright, 1-1-1929. Res: 2609 Ave. R., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ch: 1g. Richard Nelson Morehouse, b. 12-21-1930, Brooklyn, N. Y. Served in the Korean Campaign 2 years. Presently in the publishing business. Baptist. Single. Res: 2609 Ave. R., Brooklyn, N. Y.

2g. Esther Lizzie Morehouse, b. 8-10-1902. Resided in Topeka, Kan. until retirement. For years was greatly interested in Y.W.C.A. work. Never married. Presently is in Government employ in San Antonio, Tex. Res: 1334 W. Mulberry St., San Antonio, Tex.

4e. William Gooding Goodner, b. 7-30-1856, Ill. d. 1-30-1934, Modesto, Calif. Possessed the old Scherrer document and letter, and one of the Benjamin Goodner Bibles, which passed at his death to his son, Henry. m: 1st: Anna Evans, 1-2-1880. Div'd. Then resided with Charles.

Ch: 1f. Charles Stewart Goodner, b. 9-23-1881. d. 10-13-1958, Los Angeles. Grad. Univ. of Washington in Pharmacy. Married and divorced. Resided at 1017 S. Bonnie Brae Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. No issue.

2f. Henry Evans Goodner, b. 10-27-1883. d. 12-8-1953, Los Angeles, Calif. Prescription Clerk for Owl Drug Co. in Los Angeles. Single. Resided for a time in San Gabriel, 607 S. Putney St.

William Gooding Goodner m: 2nd: Frances Brooks, 5-20-1901. Resided in Los Angeles, Calif. No issue.

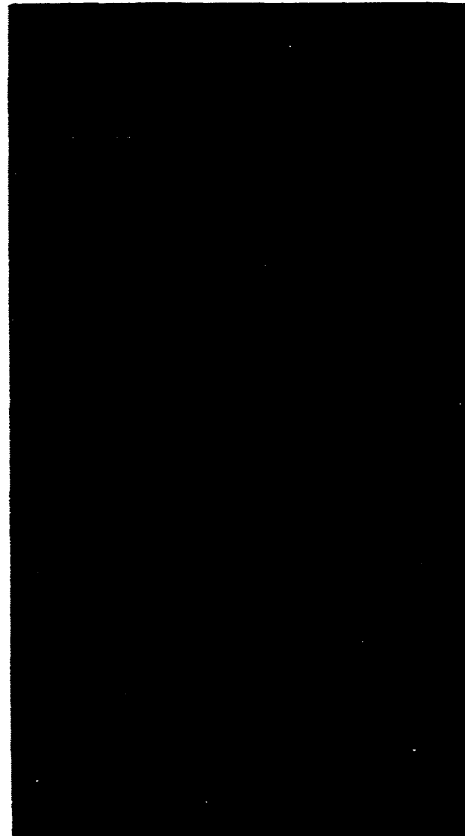
5e. Hester Ann Goodner, b. 3-26-1860. d. 8-20-1905. Interred in Topeka, Kan. m: Albert Gundry,

3-12-1889, a jeweler. Resided in Topeka, Kan. No issue.

- 3d. Elijah Goodner, b. 6-3-1820, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 10-27-1886. Resided after marriage in Washington Co., Ill. Had misfortune of losing his home and possessions in a cyclone, which left him in poor circumstances. Resided for a time on a farm 7 miles north of Ashley, Ill. A farmer all his life. In politics, Republican. m: Mary Ralston, 3-5-1846, an adopted dau. of Mrs. Susannah Ryan, the second wife of Rev. Benjamin Goodner. She was born in 1828 in Ill. d. 2-16-1897. Elijah Was fatally injured, and his wife seriously so, when returning home one day in their wagon with a load of material, including lumber, as I understand it. In going down a hill at a fairly rapid pace the load slid forward and pushed Elijah off his seat and under the feet of the horses, who becoming excited kicked. Elijah was struck in the head, which injuries proved fatal. Mrs. Goodner recovered. In hurrying to the side of her brother in an open buggy, his sister, Salinda Goodner Lacey, took pneumonia, from which she failed to recover, -so one death lead to another.



Mary Ralston Goodner



Hugh Comstock Goodner

- 1e. Thomas Jefferson Goodner, b. 12-17-1846, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. 12-11-1927, Denver, Colo., where he resided at 263 Quitman St., 1924. Served in the Union Army in Civil War. m: 1st: Emma Julia Rowe, 3-5-1884. m: 2nd: Margaret McCullough, 8-11-1911. No issue by either marriage.
- 2e. Benjamin Walker Goodner, b. 8-15-1848, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. 7-5-1857. Interred in Old Union Cemetery on Millstadt-Belleville Rd., St. Clair Co., Ill.
- 3e. Joseph Glosky Goodner, b. 10-13-1850. d. 6-7-1874. No issue.
- 4e. Hugh Comstock Goodner, b. 8-6-1852, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. by accidental death 1-7-1937, Ft. Myers, Fla. Interred in the Ft. Myers Cemetery, Ft. Myers, Fla., Grave Space No. 30. Lot No. 1, Block 19. In attempting to cross a street he failed to notice an oncoming car, and was actually only lightly bumped, but at his age, he died from shock. A barber by trade. He was a rover, always on the "go", never content to assume the responsibilities of a home, so never married. He worked for awhile at the State Hospital in Anna, Ill. Lived for some years in St. Louis, and with his cousin, Elmer E. Lacey for some time. He was a great hand at making things and was a fine carver with a pen knife, Carved an oxen team hitched to a cart out of one piece of wood and took first prize at the Worlds Fair in St. Louis. Loved to cut out horse shoes. He was a fine, lovable gentleman, and was loved by all who knew him. The people in Ft. Myers called him "Dad" Goodner.
- 5e. William Elder Goodner, 11-4-1854, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. 11-18-1925. Barber. m: Jennie (Genevery) Logan, a dau. of Martha Goodner Logan, a dau. of Godfrey Goodner, thus a second cousin. They were residents of Richview, Washington Co., Ill. Jenny died 2-22-1894. Ch: 1f. Harry Elbert Goodner, b. 5-14-1884. d. 2-2-1918, age 33 years. He was a teacher,

- and had title of professor. Also worked for the Bell Telephone Co. and resided in East St. Louis, Ill. Was a resident at the State Hospital in Anna, Ill., for a time before his death, and was interred there. m: Bertha Kanetzer, 1-22-1907.
- Ch: 1g. Vivian Goodner, b. 1-19-1908. After the death of her father, her mother's parents took her and reared her. They resided her. They resided in East St. Louis, Ill. No further data.
- 2f. Mabel Goodner, b. 2-25-1886. d. 10-2-1956. Interred in Genoa, Ill. m: G. S. ("Doc") Forster. Living in 1959. In 1925, they resided in Long Beach, Calif., but later returned to Illinois.
- Ch: 1g. Ruth Forster, b. 8-4-1917, at Long Beach, Calif. m: James Prothero, 4-25-1936, in Long Beach, Calif. (b. 3-14-1910, son of Herbert E. Prothero of Twin Falls, Idaho). Steel cutter. Members of the Methodist Church. Res: Rt. #1, Genoa, De Kalb Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Janna Tjestina Prothero, b. 7-11-1937.
2h. Michael Ralph Prothero, b. 10-27-1942.
3h. David William Prothero, b. 12-30-1943.
4h. Catherina Eliz. Prothero, b. 8-17-1948.
- 2g. Ralph W. Forster, b. 9-3-1918. d. 3-1-1941, a suicide. Cause unknown to the writer. Never married.
- 3f. Violet Goodner, b. 3-3-1889. d. 2-1-1919. m: Harry Potter. Resided at time of death in Seattle, Wash.
- Ch: 1g. Edythe Goodner Potter, b. 4-21-1917. d. age 17.
- 4f. Ethel Goodner, b. 11-26-1892. Because of death of her mother, she was reared by her grandmother, Martha Goodner Logan. m: C. Emil Lindgren, 9-6-1913. Res: 13134 Pipeline Ave., Chino, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Dorothy Rae Lindgren, b. 6-12-1925, Oakland, Calif. Resided with mother in 1944 at 2944 76th Ave., Oakland, Calif. m: Milton Smith Storey, 6-18-1948. Insurance Agent. Member of First Presbyterian Church at Pomona, Calif. Res: 2957 Glencrest, Pomona, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Linda Rae Storey, b. 10-1-1952.
2h. Paula Ann Storey, b. 11-7-1953.
3h. Robin Milton Storey, b. 5-3-1956.
- 6e. Charles Wooster Goodner, b. 9-18-1856, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. Farmer. After retirement, resided in Alton, Ill., at 425 George St., year 1924. m: Florence Ida Smith, 6-28-1880, in Richview, Washington Co., Ill., W. F. Brown, Minister. (b. 1861, Tipton Co., Ind., dau. of John and Mary Moore Smith of Richview, Ill.)
- Ch: 1f. Blanche Goodner, b. 11-8-1886. m: Herbert Maddox. Her residence in 1940 was "The Harper House", 1334 N. Harper Ave., Hollywood, Calif. A letter to that address was returned. Later I was given the information that she had returned to Ill., address unknown. Was unable to locate.
- Ch: 1g. Marjorie Maddox, b. 11-27-1909.
- 2f. Lemie C. Goodner, b. 7-15-1891. m: Clifton Johnston. Resided in 1940 at 539 S. Manhattan Pl., Los Angeles, Calif. It was reported that they had returned to Ill. Unable to locate.
- Ch: 1g. Henry Johnston, b. 11-12-1917.
- 3f. Charlene Goodner, b. 6-28-1897. m: Ivan Coultas, 7-14-1915. Resided for years in St. Louis, but no longer living there. Unable to locate.
- Ch: 1g. Thomas Coultas, b. 4-17-1916, St. Louis, Mo.
2g. Elizabeth Coultas, b. 4-18-1919, St. Louis, Mo.
- 4f. Grace I. Goodner, b. 11-28-1899. m: Carl William Hale. Unable to locate.
- Ch: 1g. Donald Carl Hale, b. 11-15-1923.
2g. Kenneth Goodner Hale, b. 12-13-1924.
3g. William Robert Hale, b. 8-12-1927.
- 7e. Clarinda Belle Goodner, b. 5-30-1858. d. 3-14-1881. Single.
- 8e. Lucy May Goodner, b. 7-8-1862. d. 8-15-1868.
- 9e. Lewis Elmer Goodner, b. 1-18-1864. d. 3-5-1881, age 17.
- 10e. Mary Florence Goodner, b. 4-8-1867. d. 12-26-1945, Chicago, Ill. m: Walter B. Collins, 11-8-1890. Resided in Chicago, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Arnold ("Bunch") Collins, b. 12-9-1892. m: Mary Lou -----. Last known address was care of Midway Post No. 881, 5512 Harper Ave., Chicago 37, Ill. A letter to that address brought back the information that he was deceased: this was in 1958.
- Ch: 1g. Alvin Collins, b. abt. 1928. Unable to locate.
- 2f. Florence Collins. No data.

4d.)

5d.) Triplets, born prematurely. None survived.

6d.)

- 7d. Luverba Goodner, b. 3-31-1823. Date of death no known. Interred Old Union Cemetery. m: Cornelius Gooding, * 12-21-1843, St. Clair Co., Ill., Samuel Rogers, Minister. (b. 1-24-1817. d. 2-8-1896., son of Robert and Mary Gooding.) Farmer.
- Ch: 1e. William Baylis ("Bud") Gooding, b. abt. 1845. Died in youth. Interred in Old Union Cemetery of Millstadt-Belleville Rd., St. Clair Co., Ill.
- 2e. Mary Jane Gooding, b. 6-25-1850, Jacksonville, Ill. d. Jan. 1937. m: James Knott. Resided in West Point, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Charles Sproul Knott, b. Nov. 1873. d. Sept. 9th, 1957. Foreman in Railway Shops. Resided in Pocatello, Idaho, and is interred there. Never married.
- 2f. Cornelius Gooding Knott, b. 7-9-1875. Married, but has no issue. Residing in Chicago, Ill.
- 3f. Dr. William Henry Knott, b. 1-7-1877. Physician and surgeon. Reared in West Point, Hancock Co., Ill. Grad. of Medicine from the old Keokuk Medical College of Physicians and Surgeons at Keokuk, Iowa. This college started back in 1849 and sold out to Drake Univ. at Des Moines, Iowa, in 1911. Grad. in 1903. Started practice in Keokuk and remained there for 4 yrs. First wife is buried there. Moved to Jasper, Mo., later and has been practicing there for many yrs. Has the reputation of bringing more babies into the world than any other doctor in Mo. m: 1st: Katherine E. Rollins, d. 1928. Interred Keokuk, Iowa. m: 2nd: ----- (No issue by 2nd marriage)
- Ch: 1g. Eugene Rollins Knott, b. 5-17-1908, Keokuk, Iowa. Attended college for 2 yrs. in Carthage, Mo., and 2 yrs. in Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky. Also attended the Joplin Business College, Joplin, Mo. Had 4 yrs. of Arts and Sciences, and was a licensed mortician for 13 yrs. in various Mo. towns. Moved to Calif., 3-3-1943. Present occupation, - Assembly Plant Foreman, Methodist. Single. Res: 145 E. Tujunga St., Burgank, Calif.
- 4f. Walter Glen Knott, b. 8-24-1883. Mail Carrier in Ellensburg, Washington, to which point he moved from Ill. many yrs. ago. m: Effie May Scott, 9-26-1884. (Dec'd.) Res: Rt. #4, Box 335, Puyallup, Wash.
- Ch: 1g. Paul Knott, b. 8-29-1905, West Point, Ill. Bldg. Contractor. Res: 4017 S. Wright St., Tacoma, Wash. m: Lillian Ruth Abelson, 7-17-1927. (b. 12-2-1907, dau. Emil J. and Olina Abelson.)
- Ch: 1h. Barbara Jean Knott, b. 8-1-1929. m: James Kenlough Harris, 2-23-1957. Res: 711 North I St., Tacoma, Wash. No issue.
- 2h. Gayle Raelene Knott, b. 5-24-1938.
- 3h. Walter Paul Knott, b. 6-7-1949.
- 2g. Pauline Knott, b. 11-2-1910, Ellensburg, Wash. m: Melvin J. Patterson. (b. 9-18-1906, son of William B. and Margaret A. Caryl Patterson.) Mail Carrier. Protestant. Res: 2018 Willow Lane, Tacoma, Wash.
- Ch: 1h. Robert Glen Patterson, b. 5-20-1933. m: Ann Evonne Friberg, 6-12-1953. Res: 1522 North Oakes, Tacoma, Wash.
- Ch: 1i. Michael Gregg Patterson, b. 3-29-1954.
- 2i. Mark Allan Patterson, b. 9-25-1956.
- 3g. Mildred B. Knott, b. 11-1-1915, at Malden, Wash. m: 1st. Alexander McBeath, Jr. (b. 4-20-1913, Canada. Killed in an accident 2-27-1947.)
- Ch: 1h. Gary Walter McBeath, b. 4-13-1943, Tacoma, Wash. (At time of mother's 2nd marriage his name was changed to Morris.) m: 2nd: Stanley D. Morris. (b. 12-29-1910, son of Worthy J. Morris). Owner of Acme Auto Glass Co. Protestant. Res: 3536 E. Roosevelt Ave., Tacoma, Wash. No issue.
- 5f. Emma Knott, b. 1874. d. infancy.
- 3e. Charles Houston Gooding, b. 8-8-1846. d. 9-16-1924. Resided in Boulder, Colo. No issue.
- 8d. Caroline Goodner, b. 6-26-1825, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 1-3-1887, Harristown, Macon Co., Ill. m: Daniel Stookey, * 12-4-1845. (b. 3-6-1820. d. 10-7-1907, Harristown, Ill.) Farmer and Saw Mill Operator. Interred Harristown, Ill. Caroline was left handed and passed that trait on to many of her descendants.
- Ch: 1e. Hester Adaline Stookey, b. 9-28-1846. d. 4-22-1953.
- 2e. Lewis Stookey, b. 10-20-1848, Ill. d. 5-23-1933, in San Diego, Calif. Interment in Harristown, Ill., services by Rev. A. M. Wells at Harristown M. E. Church. m: 1st: Leona Childs, 9-11-1879. (b. 2-26-1856, dau. of John S. and Catherine Childs, nee Brown, in Sangamon Co., Ill. d. 2-7-1921, Milwaukee, Wisc.) Mr. Stookey attended Shurtliff College, Alton, Ill. Farmer.
- Ch: 1f. Marshall Childs Stookey, b. 10-11-1881, Macon Co., Ill. Grad. Univ. of Ill. as Civil Engineer. Member of Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Surveyor on the Continental Divide for the Northern Pacific Railroad. Returned to Harristown and settled on the old Stookey homeplace, known as the "Homestead", a farm originally consisting of 40 acres, purchased by his grandfather, Daniel Stookey, from money left to him from his father's estate, to which acreage he added substantially in his lifetime. Marshall was successful in farming, and gave all his children a college education. He retired from farming in

* See Appendix.

Jan. of 1946. He is a 32^o Mason, Knights Templar, and a Shriner. Methodist. In 1920, he was a member of the County Board of Supervisors, Macon County, and in his second term was Chairman. m: Mildred Wilkinson, 9-3-1913. (b. 7-1-1890, at Emporia, Kan., dau. of Nathan S. and Cordelia Wilkinson, nee Price. Sister to Nathan Wilkinson, who married Helen Stookey.) Res: The Homestead, Harristown, Macon Co., Ill.)



Daniel Stookey
Courtesy Marshall Childs Stookey



Caroline Goodner Stookey

- Ch: 1g. Margaret Caroline Stookey, b. 7-9-1914, Harristown, Ill. Teacher in Lombard Junior High School, in Galesburg, Ill. m: Charles Edwin Hurst, 8-21-1954, at Harristown, Ill. (b. 7-8-1921, son of Charles Clive Hurst.) Certified Public Accountant. Methodist. W. W. II, Navigator in Air Force. Res: Mountain View Apts., B-3, Presque Isle, Maine. No issue.
- 2g. Mary Elizabeth Stookey, b. 9-6-1916, Harristown, Ill. m: Robert Owen, 6-17-1942, Harristown, Ill. Attorney. W.W.II, Capt., Air Force 6 yrs. Methodist. Res: 303 Delmar, Decatur, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. David Allan Owen, b. 3-19-1943.
2h. Ann Pearl Owen, b. 8-23-1946.
3h. Daniel Peter Owen, b. 7-15-1950.
4h. Robert Marshall Owen, b. 4-6-1952.
- 3g. Nancy Stookey, b. 1-3-1920, Decatur, Ill. m: Lt. Col. Albert Hunter, 6-7-1942, at Harristown, Ill. (b. 4-26-1917, at Assumption, Ill. Son of Marion A. Hunter.) Grad. U. S. Military Academy, 1942, and commissioned 2nd Lieut. in Artillery. Served in 98th Inf. Div., 1942 to 1946, 30 mos. overseas. Instructor in National Guard in Greensboro, N. C. 1947 to 1949. Took Advanced Armored Course at Ft. Knox, 1949 to 1950. Served in 1st Corp. Artillery, 1950 and 1951, at Ft. Knox and in Korea. Commander 17th Field Artillery Battalion in Korea. Stationed with Army Hdqs., in Tokyo, Yokahoma, 1952 and 1953. 1st Army Hdqs., Governors Island, N. Y., 1954-1955. Attended Command and General Staff School at Ft. Levenworth, Kan., 1955 and 1956. Sent to Georgetown Univ., Washington, D. C., for Masters Degree in International Relations, Sept. 1956 to Feb. 1958. At present stationed in Pentagon in Washington, D. C., in Plans ODCSOPS. Awards: Army Commendation Ribbon: Bronze Star with Two Oak Leaves: O. B. L. (British Government) Res: 1554 N. Jefferson, Arlington, Va.
- Ch: 1h. Thomas Edward Hunter, b. 7-3-1944.

2h. Marsha Eliz. Hunter, b. 12-10-1947.

3h. James Albert Hunter, b. 8-5-1949.

4h. Melissa Anne Hunter, b. 4-26-1956.

4g. Marcia Stookey, b. 10-6-1924, Harriston, Macon Co., Ill. m: John Christian Johnsen, 1948. Div'd. 1951. Marcia res. at The Homestead, Harristown, Ill.

Ch: 1h. Joanna Johnsen, b. 7-14-1949.

m: 2nd: Richard Cole, 8-8-1959. (b. 10-7-1928, son of Donald Cole, Rt. #3, Decatur, Ill.) Farmer. Army 1952 to 1953.

5g. Daniel Stookey, b. 1-10-1926, Harristown, Ill. Grad. Univ. of Ill. with a B. F. A. Degree in Industrial Design, with majors in sculpture & design. Member Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Occupation, designer. Accepting position with Chicago Hardware Foundry Co., North Chicago, at Waukegan, Ill., as Manager of Product & Development. Army - 3-1/2 yrs. in Continental and Foreign Service. m: Derelys Arlene Anderson, 11-17-1951, Moline, Ill. (b. 5-17-1930, dau. of Carl and Ruth Anderson.)

Ch: 1h. Lewis Stookey, b. 2-1-1954.

2h. Greta Stookey, b. 4-30-1955.

3h. Erik Stookey, b. 6-14-1958.

2f. Helen Stookey, b. 6-15-1883, Macon Co., Ill. D.A.R. #112257. m: Nathan Wilkinson, abt. 1906. (b. 3-21-1878, son Nathan S. & Cordelia Wilkinson, nee Price, Strawn, Kan.) Retired from Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co., Milwaukee, Wis. Res: 1204 Glenview, Wauwatosa 3.

Ch: 1g. Helen Jean Wilkinson, b. 10-29-1908. m: Kneeland A. Godfrey. Lawyer.

Res: 14280 Woodlawn Circle, Elm Grove, Wisc.

Ch: 1h. Kneeland A. Godfrey, Jr., b. 1-3-1933. Single. Res: 102 Bellevue St., Chicago, Ill.

2h. Thomas Wilkinson Godfrey, b. 7-1-1934.

3h. William Godfrey, b. 1938.

4h. Sarah Jean Godfrey, b. 1942.

2g. Nathan Stookey Wilkinson, b. 2-13-1910. Architect. Formerly with Giffelo and Vallett, Architects, Detroit, Mich., and residing in Grosse Point, Mich. Presently has own architectural firm in Seattle, Wash. m: Dorothy Ball. Res: 1265 38th Ave., East, Seattle, Wash. Zone 2. No issue.

3g. David Price Wilkinson, b. 4-20-1916. d. 1-2-1920.

4g. Anne Louise Wilkinson, b. 9-19-1922. m: Dale Morgan, Jr., Photographer. Res: Wauwatosa, Wisc.

Ch: 1h. Barbara Dale Morgan, b. 1945.

2h. Glenn Morgan, b. 1947. Twin of Betsy.

3h. Betsy Morgan, b. 1947. Twin of Glenn.

3f. Annis Stookey (1885-1887)

3e. Cornelius G. Stookey, b. 5-28-1851. d. 5-20-1852. Interred in Old Union Cemetery on Millstadt-Belleville Rd., 2 miles east of Millstadt, in St. Clair County, Ill.

4e. Daniel Wesley Stookey, b. 10-1-1853, in Centerville, now Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 9-21-1932. Interred in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Grad. of Univ. of Illinois in Ceramics. Became a brick manufacturer in Buffalo, Sangamon Co., Author of articles on ceramics in ceramic magazines. Moved to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and entered into the tile

business there. m: Angie Lee Dunnock, 3-7-1883, at Mechanicsburg, Ill. (b. 12-2-1852. d. 1-9-1932, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Interred there.)

Ch: 1f. Margaret Mantle Stookey, b. 5-28-1884, at Buffalo, Sangamon Co., Ill. Gymnasium and dance teacher, at Lombard College, Galesburg, Ill., and at Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo., as well as at Northland College, Ashland, Wisc. Took charge of European Tours visiting European Dance Festivals, for many years, and saw many Olympics. In her college work, she earned quite a reputation as a director of folk dance festivals, involving all feminine students. As a hobby she collected dolls in native costume on her European trips. An article appeared on this in the St. Louis Globe Democrat, Jan. 10th, 1937. Single. Res: 1265-2nd Ave. E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

2f. Daniel Dunnock Stookey, b. 6-20-1886, Buffalo, N.Y. Real Estate Broker. m: Ruth Gibson, 1-10-1913, Chicago, Ill. (b. 7-14-1893, dau. of Lewis and Amy Gibson.) Methodists. Res: Thorpe, Wisc.

Ch: 1g. Daniel Wesley Stookey, b. 10-6-1913, Thorpe, Wisc. Was studying in Los Angeles, Calif., for a Degree in Certified Public Accountancy when he went to the Phillipines and became an instructor in the Phillipine Army with rank of Captain. Was there at the outbreak of hostilities with Japan. Was in



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- the Corregidor battle, and taken prisoner, and was in the infamous Bataan Death March. He was taken to Japan and believed to have been sent to the mines, where it is believed that he died. No official data has come through concerning his fate. He was not married.
- 2g. Ruth Margaret Stookey, b. 2-19-1915, Thorpe, Wisc. m: Douglas Lyle Taft, (b. 7-27-1916, son of Guy and Edith Taft.) in Milwaukee, Wisc. Salesman. Res: 941 Mahtomedi Ave., Mahtomedi, Minn.
Ch: 1h. Ruth Jane Taft, b. 7-27-1943.
2h. Pamela Elizabeth Taft, b. 12-20-1946.
- 3f. Carlisle Wesley Stookey, b. 8-8-1889, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Salesman. Methodist. m: Vera Lucile Held, 10-12-1914, at Boone, Iowa. (b. 12-24-1893, dau. of Harry C. and Evelyn Held, nee Parks) Res: 1265-2nd Ave. East, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Ch: 1g. Dorothy Ann Stookey, b. 11-30-1920, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. m: Ferris Jeffrey Howland, 8-8-1942, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. (b. 11-5-1919, Rock Island, Ill., son of Glen Ferris Howland.) With Civil Aeronautics Administration. Was in the Air Force for 2 years as an Air Cadet. Methodist. Res: 804 Moly Dr., Falls Church, Va.
Ch: 1h. Paula Lynn Howland, b. 2-5-1948.
2h. Daniel Ferris Howland, b. 10-1-1949.
3h. Dianne Howland, b. 2-6-1953.
- 2g. Carol Lynn Stookey, b. 11-4-1926, Keystone, Benton Co., Iowa. m: Wilfred Lammerand, 12-7-1949, Bato, Fla. (b. 12-5-1925, at Manchester, N.H.) Methodist. Res: 1265 2nd. Ave. E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Occupation - Cook. No issue.
- 4f. Lewis Lynn Stookey, b. 6-17-1891, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. d. 9-15-1957, Mobile, Ala., where he is interred. Was a Musical Instructor and resided at 252 Park Terrace, Mobile, Ala. m: Francis Tinsley, 10-15-1928. (b. 1-25-1907.)
Ch: 1g. Dr. James Lynn Stookey, b. 1-20-1930, High Point, N.C. Grad. Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala., with Degree of D.V.M. Practicing Veterinarian. Served as 1st. Lieut. Army, Veterinary Corp., 3-1/2 years. Methodists. m: Mary Alice Davis, 6-28-1952, Lucedale, Miss. (b. 1-9-1933 at Mobile, Ala., dau. of Alice Church Davis.) Res: P.O. Box 187, Lawrenceburg, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Jeffery Lynn Stookey, b. 4-7-1953.
2h. Daniel Lee Stookey, b. 1-3-1955.
3h. Victoria Louise Stookey, b. 8-16-1958.
- 2g. Stanley F. Stookey, b. 4-1-1938. Res. at home, 252 Park Terrace, Mobile, Ala.
- 5f. Keith James Stookey, b. 10-15-1892. d. 8-19-1923. Lost his life by drowning in the Cedar River, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- 6f. Dorothy Stookey, b. 1-1-1895. d. 2-4-1895.
- 5e. Mary Caroline Stookey, b. 8-9-1856, Bloomington, Ill. d. 3-9-1944. m: Rev. Edwin Barton Randle, 8-25-1881. (b. 12-15-1852. d. 9-20-1918.) Methodist Minister. Was a Presiding Elder at one time. Resided in Danville, Ill., Kansas, Ill., Paris and Springfield, Ill.
Ch: 1f. Lalah Randle, b. 3-12-1886, Kansas, Ill. Author of "Our Mountain Tops", a short romantic novel, written at Banff, Canada. m: Everett Warner, 6-25-1914. (b. 12-13-1883.) Attorney. Partner in firm of Warner, Clark & Warner. Western Reserve Bldg., Muncie, Ind.
Ch: 1g. Richard Randle Warner, b. 6-2-1915. d. 6-5-1915, Muncie, Ind.
2g. Edwin Everett Warner, b. 8-9-1916, Muncie, Ind. Grad. 1938 De Pauw Univ., A.B., and from Northwestern Univ. with J.D., School of Law. Attorney with the law firm of Warner, Clark & Warner, Western Reserve Bldg., Muncie, Ind. W.W.II - 3 years. Res: 312 Shady Lane, Muncie, Ind. m: 1st: Olive Louise Tilley, 12-14-1941. (b. 6-14-1921. d. 10-7-1952, from polio. Dau. Baker Cole Tilley and Louise Tilley, nee Wiegand. The Tilleys are descendants of Tilley, the Mayflower passenger.)
Ch: 1h. William Randle Warner, b. 3-8-1945.
2h. Katherine Louise Warner, b. 6-14-1947.
m: 2nd: Ada Clare Speckman, 10-17-1953. (b. 11-8-1917, dau. of Judge Lawrence S. Speckman and Clare Speckman, nee Bache, of Louisville, Ky. Ada is a descendant of Benjamin Franklin through his daughter, Sarah Franklin Bache.) No issue.
- 3g. Mary Caroline Warner, b. 3-12-1919, Muncie, Ind. m: Overton Sacksteder III, 12-30-1941. (b. 8-19-1918, son of Overton Sacksteder, Jr., and May Sacksteder, nee Krieger.) Overton Sacksteder III was formerly connected with the General Lamps Mfg. Corp. in association with his father, in El-

- wood, Ind. Left that employment and attended Berkell Divinity School (Episcopal) at New Haven, Conn. Ordained in summer of 1956, received his degree in 1957, and is Rector of the Episcopal Church at Clinton, Conn. Res: 83 E. Main St., Clinton, Conn.
- Ch: 1h. Ruth May Sacksteder, b. 6-4-1944.
 2h. Overton Sacksteder, IV, b. 7-10-1946.
 3h. Stephen Warner Sacksteder, b. 4-14-1950.
 4h. Mary Ann Sacksteder, b. 6-19-1953.
- 4g. John Rollin Warner, b. 6-3-1921, Muncie, Ind. Grad. De Pauw Univ., A. B., 1942. W.W.II, 3 years, Army. Asst. Sales Mgr. of Serrick Corp., Muncie, Ind. m: Lucy Jane Baker, (b. 6-27-1929, dau. of Griffith Stephenson Baker and Charlene Baker, nee Arbaugh.) Res: 3600 Silver Lane, Muncie, Ind.
- Ch: 1h. Nancy Jane Warner, b. 6-23-1954. d. 8-15-1956.
 2h. Sarah Ann Warner, b. 12-2-1955.
- 2f. Foster Stookey Randle, b. 9-15-1888, at Paris, Ill. Infantry Officer in W.W.I, service in France and United States. Was High School Principal for 37 years - Madison, Wisc. High School. Now retired. Res: 410 Marston Ave., Madison, Wisc. m: Helen Ruth Prewett, 8-14-1914. (b. 2-11-1892, Gridley, Kansas, dau. of Daniel V. and Elmora Prewett, nee Ives.)
- Ch: 1g. Robert Bernard Randle, b. 7-5-1915, at Aurora, Ill. Grad. Madison, Wis., High School, and Univ. of Wisconsin, 1938, Bachelor of Philosophy. Master of Arts Degree, Univ. of Calif., 1950. Commissioned 2nd. Lieut., 10-1-1941; 1st. Lieut. 1942; Capt. 1942; Major, 11-16-1944; Lieut. Colonel 7-7-1951. Service: Ft. Monmouth, N.J., Camp Crowder, Mo., Western Signal Corp School, Davis, Calif. W.W.II, European Theatre; Office Chief Signal Officer, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Production Chief, Army Pictorial Center, Long Island, N.Y. Signal Advisor with Korean Military Advisory Group, Korea, 16 months; Chief Motion Picture Branch, Army Pictorial Service Div., Pentagon 3 years, assigned to Office of Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D.C. Was integrated into regular Army in 1947. m: Eleanor M. Joyce, 10-6-1941, Red Bank, N.J. (Dau. Lawrence Sylvester Joyce, who died 1915 in Madison, Wisc.) Res: 6538-28th North, Arlington, Va.
- Ch: 1h. Penelope Joyce Randle, b. 7-29-1942, Joplin, Mo.
 2h. Robert Bernard Randle, II, b. 1-6-1948, at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C.
 3h. Michael Thomas Randle, b. 3-17-1951, St. Albans Naval Hospital, Madison, Wisc.
- 2g. Foster Stookey Randle, Jr., b. 8-11-1916, Globe, Ariz. Investment Counselor in charge of Texas Office of Scudder, Stevens and Clark of Boston, Mass. W.W.II, Pilot Air Force, 1940 to 1945, with service in Africa and Far East. Discharged as Lieut. Colonel. m: Bonnie Harris of Dallas, Tex., 12-10-1954. (b. 7-15-1916, Dallas, Tex.) Res: 6421 Preston Pl., Apt. #12, Dallas, 5, Texas. No issue.
- 3g. Helen Ruth Randle, b. 5-5-1929, Madison, Wisc. Housewife and High School Teacher of English at Wesby High School, Wesby, Wisc. m: Warren Chamberlain, 6-7-1953, Madison, Wisc. (b. 11-14-1926) Teacher and Coach at Viroqua High School, Viroqua, Wis. W.W.II, Navy, 1944 to 1946. Lutheran. Son of Cletus B. Chamberlain. Res: 331 Lincoln Terrace, Viroqua, Wisc.
- Ch: 1h. Jeffrey Randle Chamberlain, b. 4-27-1955, at Viroqua, Wisc.
- 3f. Edwin Hubert Randle, b. 10-11-1894, Springfield, Ill. Grad. of Western Military Academy, Alton, Ill.; De Pauw Univ., Greencastle, Ind., 1917; First Reserve Officers Training Camp, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind. Commissioned 2nd Lieut. Infantry, Regular Army, 8-9-1917. Promoted to 1st Lieut. immediately, and to Capt. (temporary) 6-18-1918; to Capt. (permanent) 7-19-1920; to Major 8-1-1935; to Lieut. Col. 8-9-1940, and to Brigadier General June 1943. Service: 49th Infantry Regiment at Camp Merritt, N.J.; to France with Regiment July 1918. In Oct. 1918, was transferred to 6th Infantry Regiment of 5th Division; commanded D Company Meuse-Argonne Sector; wounded by machine gun bullets, hospitalized, returned to 6th Regiment in Army of Occupation, Jan. 1919. Awarded Silver Star and Purple Heart for gallantry in action in Meuse-Argonne offensive. Attended Queens College, Oxford, England. Assigned to 20th Infantry at Ft. Benjamin Harrison in Indiana, Jan. 1920, and moved with that Regiment Oct. 1920 to Camp Travis, San Antonio, Tex. In Sept. 1923 was transferred to 25th Infantry Regiment, Camp Stephen D. Little,



Nogales, Ariz, and the following year transferred to 1st Battalion of that Regiment at Camp Harry J. Jones, Douglas, Ariz. In Sept. 1927 was transferred to Infantry School at Fort Benning, Ga., to take Company Officers course, and graduated in May of 1928. Was then assigned to Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., as Asst. Professor of Military Science and Tactics, and following year became Professor of Military Science and Tactics. In Aug. 1934, was assigned to Post of San Juan, Puerto Rico, as Plans & Training Officer and Intelligence Officer for 65th Infantry Regiment and U.S. troops in Puerto Rico. In 1935 given command of 1st Battalion 25th Infantry. In July 1936, returned to the U. S. and assigned to Fort Wadsworth, N. Y., as Officer in Charge of Works Projects Administration for Fort Wadsworth and Miller Field. Then assigned in Nov. 1936, to the command of 3rd Battalion, 18th Infantry, Ft. Wadsworth and in Oct. 1937 became Post Adjutant. In Aug. 1938, was assigned to R. O. T. C. duty at the Pennsylvania State College for 2 years. In July 1940 was ordered to Fort Bragg, N. C., and assigned to 47th Infantry Regiment, 9th Division, as Battalion Commander and Staff Officer, and in Feb. 1942 became Regimental Commander and promoted through rank of Lt. Colonel to Colonel. In Oct. 1942, his Regimental Combat team sailed from Hampton Roads as part of the task force for Safi, French Morocco; mission assault landing and capture of town to establish a beach head, under cover of which Gen. Ernest Harmon was to land the 2nd Armored Div. Mission successfully accomplished, - operation started before daylight and accomplished by afternoon. Received award of second Silver Star Medal for that accomplishment. Following this operation, his combat team

Edwin Hubert Randle
Brigadier General, United States Army, Retired.

(Reproduced from a painting.)

marched 200 miles by foot up the coast of Morocco to Port Lyautey. In Feb. 1943, his Division moved to Tunisia, participating in the operations at El Guettar, for which he was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross. He was in the operations in Sedjeanne Valley and his regiment captured the city of Bizerte. In June 1943, at close of African campaign, he was returned to the United States, promoted to Brig. General, and assigned to 77th Infantry Division as Asst. Div. Commander, - a new untried Division. In March of 1944, he accompanied this 77th Infantry Division to the Pacific area and saw actions at Guam, Leyte, and Okinawa. Received respectively for these operations the Legion of Merit Medal, Third Silver Star and Bronze Star Medal, and second Legion of Merit and Navy Commendation Ribbon. Was present with Ernie Pyle on the Island of Ie Shima when Ernie was killed. After VJ Day was rushed by plane and destroyer to Island of Hokkaido to organize and operate the military government on that island and to prepare for the arrival of his Division in occupation forces. Headed the Military Government there until Jan. 1946, repatriating some 30,000 Korean and 70,000 Chinese slave labor coal miners, for which he received third Legion of Merit Medal. In March of 1946, he returned to the United States and assigned to Headquarters of the Second Army at Fort George G. Meade, Md. At his own request, in June of 1948, retired from Army after 31 years of active service. General Randle is now retired and lives in Clearwater, Florida, Belleair, 503 Althea Road. m: Emily Agnes Karns, 10-8-1920. (b. 10-15-1898.)

Ch:

1g. Emily Ruth Randle, b. 12-29-1930. d. 1950.

6e. William James Stookey, b. 4-10-1861. d. 8-22-1880. Death due to malaria contracted while

attending college.

- 7e. Florence H. Stookey, b. 10-4-1863, Bloomington, Ill. d. 1-1-1939 from cancer. Studied art at the School of Fine Arts, Boston, Mass. Was quite gifted along that line. m: Prof. Samuel Milton Lutz, 10-24-1888. (b. 7-22-1850, Carlisle, Pa. d. 7-27-1923.) Prof. Lutz was a Singing Master, and had a Music Store in Decatur, Ill. Was well loved in Decatur; in his honor a chorus of 1000 voices still sing the Messiah annually. He is well remembered as being a fine musician and a fine man.



Florence Stookey Lutz

- Ch: 1f. Caroline Stookey Lutz, b. 10-1-1889. Professor of English for 27 years at Westhampton College, University of Richmond, Va. Single. Res: 5816 York Rd., Richmond, Va.
 2f. Helen Stookey Lutz, b. 10-13-1890. d. 11-19-1891.
 3f. Robert Stookey Lutz, b. 8-12-1894, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill. Electrical Engineer. Saw service in South America and Cuba. At the age of 40 he left the occupation of Electrical Engineer and became an optometrist, which profession he continued for some 20 years, selling out at the age of 60. He then turned to painting professionally, at which he still is engaged. m: Claire Jean Thiebaut, a French girl, 8-28-1921, at Santiago, Chile, S.A. (b. 1-14-1895, Lyon, France) Res: 244 Ave. G., Billings, Mont. No issue.
 4f. Eloise Stookey Lutz, b. 2-12-1898, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill. m: James Russell McDonald, 6-21-1921, Decatur, Ill. (b. 1-11-1898.) Res: 1332 Wood St., Decatur, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Carolyn McDonald, b. 4-3-1923. m: George Alexander McAlister, a Canadian, 8-1-1945, a resident of London, Ontario. In Public Relation and

Advertising with Prudential Life Insurance Co. Res: 315 Rosewell Ave., Toronto, Canada.

- Ch: 1h. Steven Alexander McAlister, b. 6-23-1946.
 2h. David Fred McAlister, b. 9-9-1947.
 3h. Kenneth Russell McAlister, b. 7-7-1949.
 4h. Andrew McDonald McAlister, b. 11-14-1950.
 5h. Mark George McAlister, b. 5-24-1952.

- 2g. Annette McDonald, b. 5-16-1924. m: Frank R. Sutherland, 6-19-1946. Ceramic Engineer. Res: 511 Rainbow Dr., Kokomo, Ind.

- Ch: 1h. Douglas Robert Sutherland, b. 4-5-1950.
 2h. Michael George Sutherland, b. 9-1-1951.
 3h. Karen Jo Sutherland, b. 4-1-1954.
 4h. Craig Russell Sutherland, b. 10-28-1956.

- 5f. Daniel Stookey Lutz, b. 7-7-1906, Decatur, Ill. Artist. Winner of Beaux Arts Prize at the Chicago Art Institute the year he graduated, which gave him a year of study in Europe, from which he returned with two assets, further skill and a Van Dyke beard. He played the bassoon in the Chicago Civic Orchestra while attending the Art Institute. He became an instructor at the Univ. of California, where he taught for many years, later becoming a professional artist with his own studio. His paintings have been purchased by many famous people, including Vladimir Horowitz, Arturo Rubenstein, Jascha Heifetz, Ray Milland, and Bing Crosby. The Encyclopaedia Britannica purchased one of his paintings for reproduction in one of their issues. Won honorable mention in the Carnegie International Exhibition in 1943. Some of his paintings are "Golden Chariot" (Enc. Britannica Collection), "I Got a Harp" (Carnegie), and "Jacob's Ladder". See Magazine of Art, Dec. 1943. m: Dorothy Best, 8-17-1932. (b. 2-20-1913) Grad. of Milliken Univ. 1929. Res: 794 Mt. Washington Drive, Los Angeles, Calif. No issue.

- 9d. John Adams Clark Goodner b. 5-14-1827, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 5-13-1876, Jefferson Co., Ill. Brick Mason and farmer. Troubled with ill health all his life. Thought of going to California as a young man but never did, - got married instead. Was living in Washington Co., Ill., in 1850, and in 1860; was living back with his father in the "old loom house", which had been fixed up for him. In Sept. of 1861, he moved to Centerville, now Millstadt, Ill., later moving to Jefferson Co., where he followed farming. He quit the occupation of brick mason in 1949, because of ill health. Owned some property in Jefferson Co. He left no will at his death, but letters of Administration of his estate are on file in Jefferson Co., Ill., in Book 2, Pages 105 and 106. These list the following articles:-

5 head of horses	1 Wagon
2 cows	Farming Utensils
About 8 head of hogs	Household and Kitchen Furniture, etc.

All valued at about five hundred dollars. Elijah Goodner, Uncle, was Administrator. Surviving heirs

were Martha J. Goodner, his widow, Laura F. Goodner, Ella Goodner, Stover L. Goodner, Nora C. Goodner, Cloyd Goodner, Kelon Goodner, and May C. Goodner. m: 1st: Rose Ann West, 2-22-1853. Died prior to 1865.

- Ch: 1e. Edwin Fulton Goodner, b. 1853. d. 1871, age 18.
 2e. Martha Goodner, b. 1854. died as a child.
 3e. Clara Luella Goodner, b. 1856. d. 1882, age 26. m: Lewis McKnight.
 Ch: 1f. Gideon McKnight. No data.
 2f. Frank McKnight. No data.
 3f. Child, name not known.
 4e. Laura Florence Goodner, b. 7-28-1858. d. 7-3-1947. Interred in Decatur, Ill. Was residing in Quincy, Ill., in 1937. m: 1st: Mr. McKnight. Died in 3 weeks of "Lung fever". m: 2nd: Hiram French (1842-1929) a "Down East" Yankee. Farmer, a man of high repute. Served in the Union Army in the Civil War and was a prisoner in the "famous" Andersonville Prison, of which experiences he wrote a small book. Brother of the famous sculptor, Henry French, for whom he named his son.



Hiram French



Laura Goodner French

- Ch: 1f. Henry Grant French, b. 9-29-1882, in Harristown, Ill. Employed as an engineer by General Electric Co., until retirement in 1947. He then became General Supervisor for the Mohawk Development Service, Inc. Res: 2141 Plaza, Schnectady, N.Y. m: 1st: Louise Dryer, 6-30-1907, dau. of S.W. and Mary E. Dryer. Louise dec'd.
 Ch: 1g. Eleanor Margaret French, b. 4-29-1915. Executive Secretary to the Pres. of Alfred A. Knopf, Inc., of New York City. Single. Res: 535 E. 72nd St., New York, N.Y.
 Henry Grant French m: 2nd:------. Deceased. m: 3rd: Pauline Buchanan, 12-26-1958, at Ballston Spa, N.Y. (b. 1902)
 2f. Charles Sherman French, b. 5-19-1890. d. Sept. 1926. Injured as a child in a fall out of a chair, which left him with a crooked spine. Sign Painter. m: Lela-----
 No issue.
 5e. Stover Lincoln Goodner, b. 1860, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 10-21-1922, St. Louis, Mo. m: Rowena E. Barnes, 3-6-1893, Belleville, Ill. (d. 5-3-1932, St. Louis, Mo.) Resided in St. Louis. No issue.
 John Adams Clark Goodner m: 2nd: Martha J. Turner, 3-23-1865, Jefferson Co., Ill.
 Ch: 6e. Nora C. Goodner, b. 1866. d. abt. 1947-1957. m: Mr. Howard. Resided in 1947 at 1827 N. 8th St., Springfield, Ill. A letter addressed there in 1957 was returned. She was apparently deceased. No record of issue.
 7e. Keelen Goodner, b. 1870. d. 7-24-1938, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill. Crippled in both legs as

a child by poliomyelitis and lost the use of both limbs. Then they did not know what the disease was, and relatives spent considerable sums of money on medicines in an effort to bring back the use of his legs, as he had to crawl on his hands and knees. He was kept much by others, especially Caroline Goodner Stookey. As he matured into manhood, he used a wheeled cart to get around in and did fairly well. He established a delivery service in a very small way, which he built up to considerable proportions and became quite a successful business man, accumulating a substantial estate. He lived in Decatur, Ill., Macon Co., where he died at the age of 68 years. He never married. His will is on file in Macon Co., in Book Z, pages 64 and 65. It reads as follows:-

"LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF KEELAN GOODNER"

I, Keelan Goodner, of the City of Decatur, County of Macon and State of Illinois, being of sound mind and memory and under no legal restriction or disabilities, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last WILL AND TESTAMENT.

(FIRST) I order and direct that my Executor, hereinafter named, shall reduce to cash all notes, bonds and other evidences of value of which I may be possessed at the time of my decease and also that he pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be done.

(SECOND) I give, devise and bequeath to the Methodist Church of Buffalo, Illinois, the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000.00).

(THIRD) I give, devise and bequeath to my sister, Nora Caroline Howard, of the City of Springfield, Illinois, the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12000.00).

(FOURTH) After the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses, and also the above mentioned bequests, it is my will and desire that the balance of my estate shall be divided among my heirs, according to the laws of distribution of the State of Illinois.

(LASTLY) I hereby make, constitute and appoint, my friend, Robert S. Mathews, of Buffalo, Illinois, to be the Executor, of this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, hereby revoking any and all Wills, by me made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this the Tenth day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand, Nine Hundred and Thirty Five.

"Keelen Goodner"

Seal.

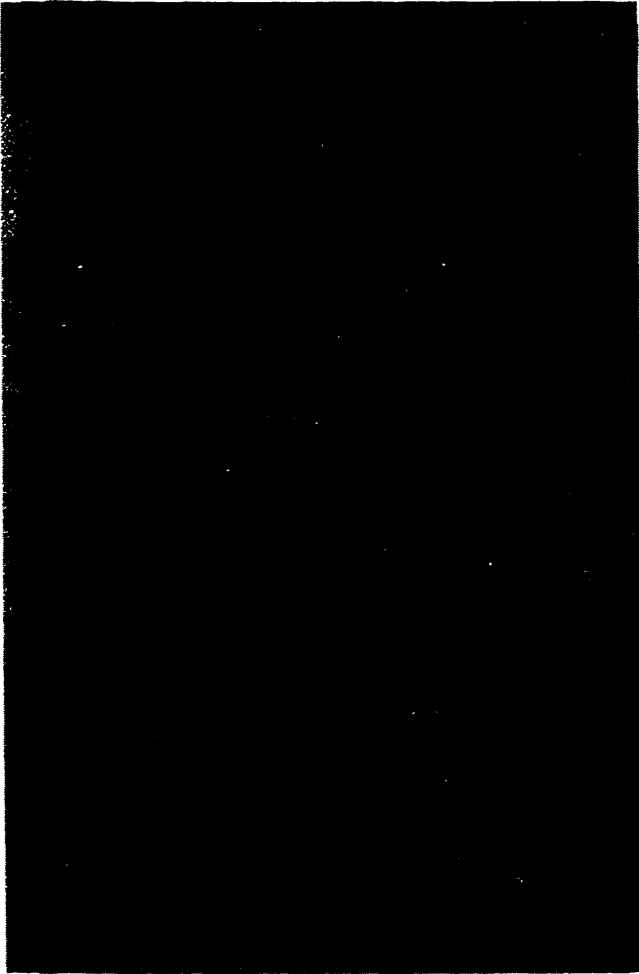
This instrument, consisting of two sheets, was on the day of the date thereof, signed, sealed, published and declared by Keelen Goodner, to be his LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have signed our names as witnesses thereto, believing the said Keelen Goodner to be at the time of so subscribing our names, of sound mind and memory.

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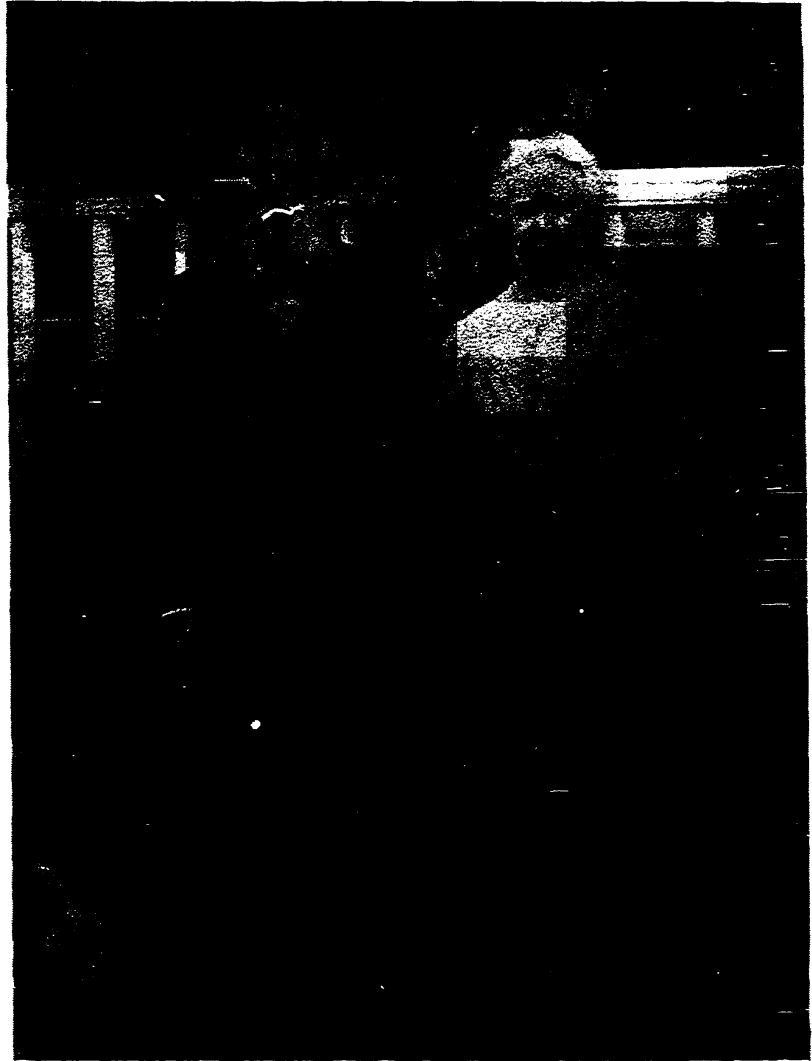
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- 8e. Cloyd Goodner, b. 1870. Twin of Keelen. d. abt. 1944. Married and had issue, believed to be two or three daughters. Is thought to have lived in Riverton, Sangamon Co., Ill. at one time.
- 9e. May C. Goodner, No data, except that she is given as one of the heirs in the administration of the estate of her father, which was in the 1876. It is thought that she died in childhood.
- 10d. Benjamin Franklin Goodner, b. 6-25-1829, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 4-15-1852, San Francisco, Calif. Interred in the San Francisco Cemetery, Lot No. 1728. Grew to manhood on the farm. At the age of 22 he set out with his brother, Joseph Benson, and his cousin, Daniel Jackson, for the gold fields of California. They traveled by boat on the Mississippi River to New Orleans, leaving St. Louis Feb. 10th, taking ten days to reach New Orleans. They then took boat to Chagres, via Havana. Partly by rail & partly by foot they reached Panama. By sailing vessel, they reached San Francisco. In crossing the isthmus, Benjamin contracted Panama Fever, which resulted in his death shortly after arriving in San Francisco. He was not married.
- 11d. Joseph Benson Goodner, b. 5-14-1831, in St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 11-25-1917, Spokane, Wash. At the age of 20, in company with his brother, Benjamin Franklin, and cousin, Daniel Jackson, he went to the California gold fields by river steamer to New Orleans, arriving there Feb. 20th, 1852. Took ship to Chagres by way of Havana, and arrived at Chagres March 8th. Crossing the isthmus, took a sailing vessel to



Joseph Benson Goodner
Age 35



Joseph Benson Goodner and Sarah Campbell Goodner
on their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Courtesy of Mrs. Margaret Wendler Bond.

San Francisco, the fare being \$132.50. Via steamer it was \$200.00. His brother, Benjamin Franklin, contracted the Panama fever on the isthmus, which resulted in his death shortly after reaching San Francisco. It was Joseph's sad mission to bury him, and it was a subject about which he never liked to talk in after years.

Joseph remained in California working the gold fields for a period of nine years, with varying success and disappointment. He returned to Illinois in July of 1861, and joined up with the Union Army in October of that year. On Feb. 2nd, 1862, he was Orderly Sergeant in Co. E, 9th Regiment of Missouri Volunteers, and in August of 1862 he was stationed in Helena, Arkansas, in St. Louis Co. A, 3rd Illinois Cavalry, under Col. McCrellis, and was still there on Dec. 20th. July 29th, 1863, found him stationed at Vicksburg, Miss., and on June 20th, 1864, he was at Port Hudson. We know this from letters mailed back home. He served out the duration of the war and was honorably discharged.

On March 18, 1866, he married Sarah Frances Campbell (1844-1930) in Richview, Washington Co., Ill., and moved to Cherokee Co., Kansas, remaining there for eleven years, at which place six of his children were born. In 1877, he with his family started west by wagon train intending to go to Calif., but according to his granddaughter, Margaret Wendler Bond, friends accompanying them on the journey talked him into going to the State of Washington, to Wala Walla. His daughter, Florence, was born in Whitman Co., Washington, his son, William, in Spokane, and Joseph, his youngest, was born in Otis Orchards, Washington.

He died in Spokane, Wash., Nov. 25th, 1917, at the ripe old age of 86 years. His wife followed him some years later, in 1930, she too reaching the age of 86 golden years. To them were born nine children, whose names follow, along with their progeny, as far as we have been able to obtain them.

Ch: 1e. Ada Gertrude Goodner, b. 12-18-1866, Cherokee Co., Kan., d. 5-15-1951. Interment in Cypress Lawn Mausoleum, San Francisco. m: Charles A. Wendler, 12-12-1892. (b. 3-30-1867. d. 9-20-1942. Interred in Spokane, Wash.) Resided in Spokane, Wash. Mr. Wendler was an insurance agent.

Ch: 1f. Edwin Goodner Wendler, b. 4-21-1894, Spokane, Wash. Civilian employee at the

- Naval Ship Yards. m: Elsa -----, a widow, in San Francisco, Calif. Res: 3049 Mariquita St., Long Beach, Calif. No issue.
- 2f. Margaret Wendler, b. 9-20-1896, Spokane, Washington. m: Cecil W. Bond, 9-20-1921, San Francisco, Calif. (b. 8-14-1894.) Banker. Manager of the American Trust Co. San Francisco. Res: 1500 Oak St., San Mateo, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Stuart Joseph Bond, b. 2-13-1923. d. 1-12-1925.
2g. Arthur Edwin Bond, b. 10-18-1926. Lumber Broker with Glenwood Lumber Co., Cloverdale, Calif. m: Bonnie Louise Joseph, 7-1-1950, Hillsborough, Calif. (b. 4-16-1926 at Beaver, Utah.) Res: 501 Haehl St., Cloverdale.
Ch: 1h. Zachary Bruce Bond, b. 12-20-1951, Healdsburg, Calif.
2h. Nancy Carol Bond, b. 7-18-1954, Healdsburg, Calif.
- 3g. Sarah Margaret Bond, b. 3-7-1930. m: Donald Shafor Catterson, 8-18-1951, at Burlingame, Calif. (b. 1-15-1927, Denver, Colo.) Executor Vice-Pres. of Calor Gas Co. of 114 Sansom St., San Francisco, Calif. Res: 970 Black Mountain Court, Los Altos, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Donald Frehn Catterson, b. 7-7-1952, Lawrence, Kan.
2h. Sarah Margaret Catterson, b. 5-11-1954, Lawrence, Kan.
3h. Jane Stuart Catterson, b. 2-18-1956, at San Mateo, Calif.
- 2e. Augusta Kate Goodner, b. 11-1-1868. d. 4-8-1877.
- 3e. Effie Caroline Goodner, b. 6-14-1870, Cherokee Co., Kan. d. 7-22-1913, South Bend, Ind. Interred in South Bend, Ind. m: F.C. Graham, 4-17-1887, at Spokane, Wash. (After the death of Effie, F.C. Graham m: 2nd: Clara B. Bollman of Ellensburg, Wash., dau. Moses Bollman.)
Ch: 1f. Edna Alma Graham, b. 1-16-1888. d. 8-14-1930. m. Clyde J. Chaffins, 11-11-1912. Res: Mr. Chaffins: 1515 N. Woodruff, Dishman 15, Wash.
Ch: 1g. Clyde Jean Chaffins, Jr., b. 1-3-1914, Sandpoint, Idaho. Grad. Engineer. m: Wanda O. Nelson, 7-4-1938, at Seattle, Wash. (b. 4-20-1917, Seattle, Wash., dau. Carl G. Nelson.) Res: 9026 Lake Washington Blvd., Bellevue, Washington.
Ch: 1h. Susan Marie Chaffins, b. 9-7-1939.
2h. John Craig Chaffins, b. 9-23-1942.
- 2g. Marcia Joan Chaffins, b. 1-26-1922, Spokane, Wash. m: Ralph Dale, 1-2-1942, at Wenatchie, Wash. (b. 3-11-1913, at Kissimmee, Fla., son of Harry R. Dale.) Residential Contractor and Builder. Res: 12322 Emarada Drive, Santa Ana, Calif. Members Christian Church.
Ch: 1h. Marc Alan Dale, b. 8-11-1943.
2h. Steven James Dale, b. 11-12-1946.
3h. Kenneth Ervin Dale, b. 9-27-1948.
4h. Douglas Alfred Dale, b. 5-28-1952.
5h. Joan Wendy Dale, b. 10-12-1954.
6h. Randolph Winn Dale, b. 3-10-1957.
- 2f. Dove Gertrude Graham, b. 3-4-1891, Spokane, Wash. m: James Carey, 9-10-1910. Woodworker. Resided in Elmira, Idaho. Present address: Box 224, Bonners Ferry, Id.
Ch: 1g. James D. Carey, b. 8-17-1912. Bartender. Married and separated. Res: Bonners Ferry, Idaho. Box 71.
Ch: 1h. Barbara Carey, b. 8-14-1937. m: Richard Wiggins, 8-4-1957.
Ch: 1i. Debora Jo Wiggins, b. 11-21-1958.
- 2g. Fred Carey, b. 7-2-1914, at McCarthen, Idaho. Construction Worker. Protestant. m: Patricia Wilson, 9-17-1937. (b. 1-27-1920, dau. of Ed. Wilson.) Res: 1231 Idaho St., Lewiston, Idaho.
Ch: 1h. Michael Carey, b. 11-19-1941.
2h. David Carey, b. 12-7-1944.
- 3g. William Carey, b. 6-15-1916, McArthur, Idaho. Logger. Protestant. Air Force, 6-14-1941 to 10-12-1945. Single. Res: Box 224 Bonners Ferry, Id.
- 4g. John R. Carey, b. 10-11-1926. Timber Foreman. Served with 1387th Infantry in European and Asiatic Theaters. Member Trinity Lutheran. m: Yvonne Onestott. Res: Box 174, Dolores, Colo.
Ch: 1h. Mari Lynn Carey, b. 6-29-1947.
2h. John Robert Carey, b. 2-28-1956.
3h. Kiven Bruce Carey, b. 9-12-1957.
- 5g. Elsie Gertrude Carey, b. 7-17-1928. m: John C. Eastlund, April 1947. Producer Manager in Super Market. Member Trinity Lutheran Church. Res: W. 1811 Kiernan, Spokane, Wash.
Ch: 1h. Donard Richard Eastlund, b. 2-19-1949.
2h. Carol Ann Eastlund, b. 2-9-1951.
3h. Joan Elizabeth Eastlund, b. 12-28-1952.
4h. Carey Dee Eastlund, b. 8-1-1953.

- Effie Caroline m: 2nd: Robert Nicar, 5-15-1900. No issue.
- 4e. Wealthy Alma Goodner, b. 1-3-1872, Cherokee Co., Kan. Dec'd. m: W.L. Thomas, 7-5-1897, Spokane, Wash. Resided in 1935 in Otis Orchard, Was., but believe resided later in Spokane, Wash.
Ch: 1f. Llewellyn Benson Thomas, b. 8-7-1901, Spokane, Wash. Married and has issue. Res: W 407-28th Ave., Spokane, Wash. No further data.
- 5e. Franklin Agassez Goodner, b. 3-9-1874, Cherokee Co., Kan. d. 11-1-1945. Farmer. Methodist. Resided in Spokane, and later in Klamath Falls, Ore., where he is interred in Lakeville Cemetery. m: Edna May Gorrie, 1900, Seattle, Wash. (b. 10-22-1883, Minnesota) Daughter of Gordon Gorrie.
Ch: 1f. Edna Blanche Goodner, b. 10-28-1900, Seattle, Wash. m: Edmund Whiting Gowen, 6-26-1923, San Jose, Calif. (b. 4-24-1889, Klamath Falls, Ore.) Farmer. Episcopalian. W.W.I. -2 yrs. 20th Engineers. Resided in 1935 in Sprague River, Ore. Present address: 1855 Portland St., Klamath Falls, Ore.
Ch: 1g. Helen Edna Gowen, b. 7-2-1929. m: Donald J. Horsley, 8-20-1950, at Bonanza, Ore. Distributor of Petroleum Products. Air Force, 4 years. Episcopal. Res: 1855 Portland St., Klamath Falls, Ore. No issue.
2f. Helen Goodner, b. 1-11-1902, Seattle, Wash. Single. Res: 2116 Brush St., Oakland 12, Calif.
- 6e. Nora Etta Goodner, b. 3-14-1876, Cherokee Co., Kan. Killed in an automobile accident. m: Edwin Craig Paterson, 7-22-1900, Otis Orchard, Wash. (d. 9-3-1917. Mrs. Paterson resided in 1935 in Hollywood, Calif.
Ch: 1f. Etta Ruth Paterson, b. 8-28-1902, Spokane, Wash. d. Aug., 1934, at Corona, Calif. Interment at Glendale, Calif. m: F.A. Stearns. No record of issue.
2f. Florence Grace Paterson, b. 3-23-1904, Spokane, Wash. d. 9-11-1925, Spokane, Wash. Single.
3f. Edwin Goodner Paterson, b. 4-18-1906, Spokane, Wash. Resided in 1935 in Hollywood, Calif. Dec'd. as of 1958.
4f. David William Paterson, b. 8-19-1911, Spokane, Wash. m: Bessie Knight, Santa Margarita, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Peter Van Dyke Paterson, b. 10-2-1943. Res: Not known.
5f. Joseph Benson Paterson, b. 9-12-1913, Spokane, Wash. Married but name of wife not known. Res: 8856 Encino Ave., North Ridge, Calif.
- 7e. Florence Blanche Goodner, b. 1-14-1878, Palouse, Whitman Co., Wash. m: Henry L. Hope, 4-6-1902, San Francisco, Calif. Resided in Seattle, in 1935. Present address: 1032 S. W. 12th Portland, Ore.
Ch: 1f. Gloria Frances Hope, b. 6-9-1903, Portland, Ore. m: Charles C. Casey, 3-25-1922, Spokane, Wash. (b. 10-25-1891, d. 1-15-1953.) Mr. Casey was an Automobile Sales Manager. Lutheran. Gloria res. at 3327 S.W. 11th St., Portland, 1, Ore.
Ch: 1g. Gloria Eileen Casey, b. 12-13-1923, Seattle, Wash. m: Leo John Malarkey, Jr., 4-21-1946, Portland, Ore. Sales Representative for Simpson Lumber Co. Catholic. W.W.II. Army Air Corp. Res: 2916 N.E. 117 Ave., Portland, Ore.
Ch: 1h. William Thomas Malarkey, b. 2-26-1947.
2h. John Charles Malarkey, b. 9-8-1949.
2g. Shirley Jane Casey, b. 5-23-1926, Seattle, Wash. m: Edgar Allan McDonald, Jr., 9-29-1946, Portland, Ore. Sec'y-Treas., The Irwin-Hodson Co., Printers and Lithographers. W.W.II, Coast Guard. Catholic. Res: 2724 N.E. 35 Place, Portland, Ore.
Ch: 1h. Terry Allan McDonald, b. 7-27-1947.
2h. Timothy Joseph McDonald, b. 8-21-1949.
3h. Mark Steven McDonald, b. 6-5-1951.
3g. Marilyn Patricia Casey, b. 7-17-1930, Portland, Ore. m: Alan Ambrose Paget, 3-24-1951, Portland, Ore. Investments. Episcopalian. W.W.II, Army. Res: 10306 S.W. Radcliffe Rd., Portland, Ore.
Ch: 1h. Pamela Anne Paget, b. 3-17-1953.
2h. Amy Lou Paget, b. 4-2-1956.
- 8e. William Benjamin Goodner, b. 1-9-1880, Spokane, Wash. d. 10-18-1958, San Diego, Calif. m: Dorothy Bradshaw, 1-26-1921, Milwaukee, Wisc. Dorothy d. abt. 11-19-1959. Res: 275 W. Spruce St., San Diego 3, Calif. No issue.
- 9e. Joseph Campbell Goodner, b. 12-13-1884, Otis Orchard, Wash. Orchardist. Res: Rt. #1, Wenatchie, Wash. m: Vera Leone Fullerton, 6-29-1915, Otis Orchards, Wash. (b. 5-14-1889. d. 11-17-1918, Dau. of Charles Fremont Fullerton.) Retired.
Ch: 1f. Charles Fullerton Goodner, b. 7-13-1916, Spokane, Wash. Transportation Supervisor. W.W.II, Naval Air Transport Service. m: Amelia May Schovaers, 9-7-1941, Seattle, Wash., dau. of Ralph Schovaers.) Res: 509 Basswood, Richland, Wash.

- Ch: 1g. Joanna Laurel Goodner, b. 6-20-1942.
 2g. Ray Schovaers Goodner, b. 3-28-1947.
- m: 2nd: Margaret Audrey Cronkhite, 9-2-1920, Seattle, Wash., dau. Thomas G. Cronkhite.
- Ch: 2f. Theodore Chester Goodner, ("Ted C."), b. 7-10-1921, Tappenhish, Wash. Railway Trainman, conductor's rating, C & N.W. Railway. W.W.II, 8th Air Force. m: Jane De Caster, 11-10-1943, at Lincoln, Neb., dau. of Henry De Caster. Res: 723 9th St., Green Bay, Wisc.
- Ch: 1g. David Charles Goodner, b. 2-27-1946.
 2g. Dale Henry Goodner, b. 4-7-1948.
 3g. Linda Jane Goodner, b. 8-15-1951.
 4g. Lora Jo Goodner, b. 12-3-1953.
 5g. Roy Leo Goodner, b. 5-17-1956.
- 3f. Leo Joseph Goodner, b. 4-29-1925, Lodi, Calif. Orchardist. W.W.II, Navy-4 years. m: Ramona Wendling, 6-17-1946 at Merced, Calif., dau. Robert Wendling. Res: Rt. #5, Box 5151, Wenatchie, Wash.
- Ch: 1g. Michael Joseph Goodner, b. 1-30-1953.
 2g. Thomas Leo Goodner, b. 5-25-1956.
- 4f. Lila Wilhelmina Goodner, b. 3-6-1928, Hanford, Calif. m: Leroy Pierce, 3-10-1946, Carson City, Nev. W.W.II, Army, K-9 Corps. Res: Rt. #1, Box 214, Placerville, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Susan Lee Pierce, b. 3-16-1947, Placerville, Calif.
 2g. Judy Lynne Pierce, b. 8-20-1948, Sacramento, Calif.
 3g. Gazelle Linette Pierce, b. 12-17-1951, Placerville, Calif.
 4g. Lora Rosanne Pierce, b. 1-31-1953, Exeter, Calif.
- 12d. George Washington Goodner, b. 5-13-1833, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 4-11-1922, Quincy, Ill., at Old Soldiers Home. Remained on his father's farm until reaching manhood. In March of 1861 was residing in Macon Co., Ill., where he was farming, although not yet married. He enlisted in the Union Army and was sworn in Aug. 6, 1862 at Decatur, Ill., and was assigned to Capt. Eyman's Co., Co. E. He was taken ill and his Company had to leave him behind, and did not call for him until the early part of 1863. In the meantime, he married Mary Huff, a neighbor some three miles from his farm.



George Washington Goodner
 Courtesy of Mrs. David K. Tudor

Mary Huff, born 10-19-1839. Daughter of John Huff (b. 1816.), and Lucy Lowe (b. 1817.). Lucy Lowe was daughter of John Lowe (b. 1786) and Mary Hughes (b. 1786). John Lowe was son of Jacob Lowe (b. 1760), and Nancy Warner (b. 1765). Nancy was a second cousin to General George Washington, and the granddaughter of George Warner, whose sister, Mildred, married Lawrence Washington, grandfather of George Washington. George Warner and sister, Mildred Warner Washington, were children of Col. Augustine Warner (1642-1681) and Mildred Reade, daughter of Col. George Reade of Gloucester.

On March 30th, 1863, Private Goodner reported to Springfield for transportation to his Regiment. On April 11th was stationed at Youngs Point, La., in the 116th Illinois Regiment. Was in the Siege of Vicksburg. Was also stationed at Corinth, Miss., and at Cherokee Station, Alabama. Remained in the army until discharged. Was in Sherman's March to the Sea. While in Tennessee, he made a memorial visit to John Goodner of Cleveland, Tenn., his first cousin, having breakfast with John and his wife. This was in 1863 or 1864.

He had an unusually fine voice and sang a great deal. He and three of his brothers - I do not know which ones - formed a quartet, an excellent one, and they sang around a great deal. George played his own accompaniment. Many Goodners were musically inclined, it seems, and George's daughter, Lenna, possessed a wonderful voice.

George was the first in the family to take an intense interest in the family genealogy, and we today owe much to him in searching out family connections when many of the older members were still alive. Except for the family tree that he constructed, the difficulties in writing a family history today would have been almost un-surmountable.

At his death he was laid to rest in the Mt. Greenwood Cemetery in Decatur, Ill. The last few years of his life were rather tiring for him, as he became almost blind from cataracts.

He married twice, first Mary Huff, and secondly to Alice E. Dempsey. Issue by Mary Huff, who died 7-14-1877.

Ch: 1e. George Wilbur Goodner, b. 9-30-1863, Illinois. d. 5-28-1921, at Carruth-

ersville, Mo., where he was interred. Printer. m: Bonnie Stout (b. Memphis, Mo.) Divorced.
Ch: 1f. Nellie Goodner, b. 3-20-1886. m: Louis Sutterlin, Chicago.

Ch: 1g. Harriet Sutterlin, b. 4-10-1905, Chicago, Ill. m: Charles De Lisle, 6-30-1928, Los Angeles, Calif. Contact has been lost, and unable to locate.

George Wilber Goodner m: 2nd: Nellie----- No issue.

2e. John Lewis Goodner, b. 4-24-1871, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill. d. 6-20-1947, Denver, Colo., from coronary thrombosis. Salesman selling soda fountains. Interred in Denver, Colo. m: 1st: Emma Becker, Jan. 1894. (d. Nov. 1894) No issue. m: 2nd: Lucy Messera. No issue. m: 3rd: Elizabeth Dusenbury.

Ch: 1f. Maurice Goodner, Adopted.

3e. Nellie Goodner, b. 1872, Decatur, Ill. d. 4-3-1875.

4e. Lenna Goodner, b. 4-27-1875, Decatur, Macon Co., Ill. m: Frank Hathaway Goit, 9-4-1906, Chicago, Ill. (d. 1-24-1953, in Sarasota, Fla.) Lenna was educated in the schools of Macon Co., Ill., and in Quincy, Ill. Grad. of Gen City Business College, Quincy. Was employed in Chicago as secretary to Mr. Montgomery Ward of the mail order firm. Later was employed by Lyon & Healy Music Co. of Chicago in their Pipe Organ Dept. while studying voice. Was employed by the Chicago Record and the Chicago Daily News in their Home Study Circle Library Project, and by the Chicago Office of the Univ. Society Pub. Co. of New York City. Later was active in the Univ. Extension Course Lectures in Cook Co., Ill., of the Chicago Univ. Member of the Apollo Club of 400 singers for six years, and also the Lyric Club, a sixteen member group selected from the Apollo Club, which was considered the finest choral organization in the Central States. Sang in church choirs, and also filled several engagements in Chautaugaus throughout the South, including Florida. Club woman; Editor of a Woman's Club Bulletin. Was Chicago's North Side Representative on the 1933 Chicago World's Fair Committee on Finances. Served on the Draft Board, World War I. Writes articles and poems, mostly on the subject of Peace, a few of which appeared in the Suwannee River Anthology of Southern poets, commemorating Stephen Foster upon placing of his bust in the Hall of Fame, Washington, D.C. Has travelled extensively in U.S., Mexico, Canada, and Cuba, meeting personally such noted persons as Mme. Schuman-Heink, Calvin Coolidge, Clara Barton, Ada Rehan, Wm. Jennings Bryan, Booker T. Washington, Lauritz Melchoir, and other noted singers and actors. Charter member of the International Chorus, St. Petersburg, Fla., and the Order of the Amaranth, Sarasota, Fla. Interests: music, books, archeology, and mineralogy. Collector of odd objects, gem stones, historical, and family data. Member of the D.A.R. Resides at 2015



Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit
(At Approximate age of 85 years)

S. Orange St., Sarasota, Fla.

Ch: 1f. Janice Moe Goit, adopted. m: Roy Edward Key. Res: 2015 S. Orange St., Sarasota.

George Washington Goodner m: 2nd: Alice E. Dempsey, Jan. 1881.

Ch: 5e. James Moody Goodner, b. 11-5-1881. d. 2-7-1888. Interred Decatur, Ill.

6e. William Raphael Goodner, b. 3-25-1883, Macon Co., Ill. d. at home of son, New York, 1-10-1959. Interred in Holy Mount Cemetery (Eastchester) Westchester Co., N.Y. m: Clara Tetard, 4-23-1879, Denver, Colo. Roman Catholic. She was born in Quincy, Ill., and now living with her son.

Ch: 1f. John Tetard Goodner, b. 10-29-1912, Denver, Colo. M.D. with offices in New York City at 444 East 68th St. Res: 1 Birch Rd., Bronxville, N.Y. Catholic. Interested in Goodner Family Genealogy. m: Helen Mathilde Gardiner, 4-29-1942, New York City. (b. 9-17-1917, Port Washington, Long Island, N.Y.)

Ch: 1g. Marylou Bernadette Goodner, b. 9-1-1953, New York City.

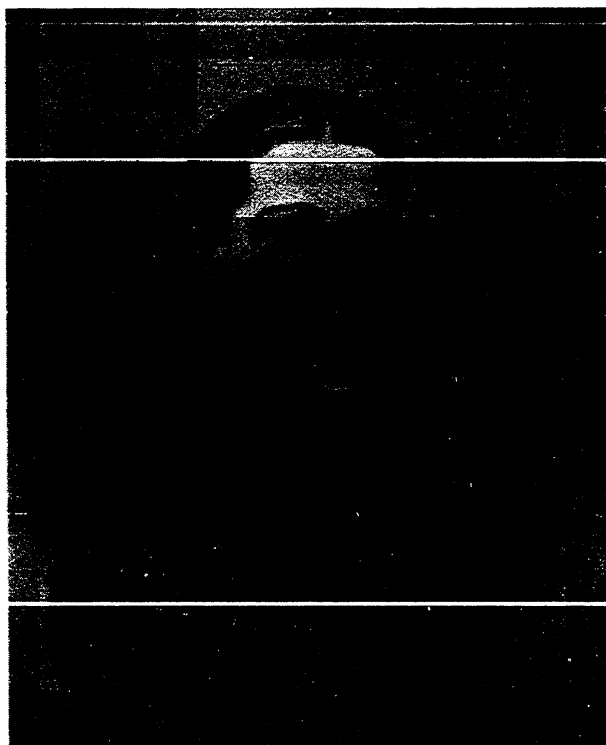
2f. Mary Georgeanne ("Jean") Goodner, b. 9-2-1916, Chicago, Ill. m: Harry S. Faus. 8-2-1940, New York City.

Ch: 1g. Henry S. Faus, b. 1-7-1944, Coronado, Calif.

2g. Nancy Faus, b. 11-20-1952, Philadelphia, Pa.

3g. Susan Faus, b. 1-6-1954, Philadelphia, Pa.

- 13d. Nancy Hester Goodner, b. 10-28-1835. d. 1-6-1846, St. Clair Co., Ill. Interred in Old Union Cemetery on Millstadt-Belleville Road, about 2 miles east of Millstadt, Ill.
- 14d. David Andrew Goodner, b. 12-20-1838, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 7-15-1841 in St. Clair Co. Interred in Old Union Cemetery about two miles east of Millstadt, Ill., on the Millstadt-Belleville Road.
- 15d. Salinda Goodner, b. 4-28-1841, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 11-20-1886, St. Louis, Mo. Interred in Lacey Lot in Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis. Her death resulted from pneumonia contracted while driving in an open buggy through Illinois to visit the bedside of her brother, Elijah, who was injured fatally in a horse and wagon accident. m: Dr. John H. Lacey, *11-20-1860, St. Clair Co., Ill. (b. 10-3-1838. St. Clair Co., Ill. d. St. Louis 4-14-1891, son of John and Lydia Primm * Lacey.) John H. Lacey served in the 149th Illinois as Sergeant Major. Discharged at Dalton, Ga. When first married resided in Centerville, now known as Millstadt, Ill., where he clerked in the store of George Seiber. In 1861, he joined Fremont's Body Guards, but folks on both sides broke up the arrangement. After John's return from the Army, they resided in Jacksonville, Ill., for awhile, where he engaged in the livery business. After this he moved to St. Louis and took a medical course at the St. Louis Medical College, graduating as an M.D. Began practice in Catawissa, Mo., but later removed to St. Louis in order that his children might receive proper education. John died from cerebral hemorrhage and was interred beside Salinda in the Lacey Lot in Bellefontaine Cemetery. They were members of St. Lukes Methodist Church, later of the Water Tower M.E. Church. Salinda was an active church worker and reared her children in the strict discipline of the Methodist faith and doctrines.



Salinda Goodner Lacey



Dr. John Hansbrough Lacey

- Ch: 1e. Elmer Ellsworth Lacey, b. 11-1-1861, Centerville, now Millstadt, Ill. d. 12-5-1921, Webster Groves, Mo. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis. Attended public schools in St. Clair Co., Ill., Jacksonville, Ill., and Calvey and Catawissa, Mo. Graduated from the Jones Commercial College at the age of 19. He completed the course in the shortest time of any previous student, and was also the youngest graduate. He was immediately offered, and accepted, a teaching job in the institution. Became active in Sunday School Work, and became Superintendent of the Water Tower M.E. Church in North St. Louis, and later of the Dr. Fry Memorial Church in Clifton Heights in St. Louis. Became interested in politics, and was appointed Asst. Dept. Auditor of St. Louis under Capt. Isaac Mason, and was also a member at one time of the St. Louis Board of Education, and Chairman of the Study Committee. In 1900 moved to Springfield, Mo., and became partner and manager of the Queen City Business College, where he remained for four years, being also active in Church work there. In 1905, he accepted the position of General Secretary of the Missouri Sunday School Assn., with offices



Elmer E. and Minnie A. Lacey

in St. Louis, to which place he returned, taking up his residence in the suburban town of Webster Groves. This position he held for several years, finally resigning to resume teaching. He became an instructor in the Soldan and McKinley High Schools in St. Louis, later giving up teaching at Soldan, devoting his full time to teaching bookkeeping at McKinley High. He was a recognized authority on bookkeeping and auditing. He was President of the St. Louis Sunday School Union, President of the Springfield (Mo.) Sunday School Union, President and later Treasurer of the St. Louis Teachers Assn. He died of coronary thrombosis at his residence in Webster Groves. m: Minnie Almeda Long, * Springfield, Ohio, 12-28-1887, at St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Thomas Collett, Pastor. Minnie A. Long was born in Clark Co., Ohio, 2-8-1868, and died 11-11-1953, Dayton, Ohio, interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, by side of her husband. She was a daughter of John A. Long, (son of George) and Susannah Taggart, daughter of Jesse, all natives of Washington and Frederick Counties, Md. To them were born eight children.

Ch: 1f. Elmer Leslie Lacey, b. 6-14-1889, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in St. Louis, Springfield, and Webster Groves, Mo. Grad. Webster Groves High School 1909, and Washington Univ., 1913, School of Engineering, B.S. Degree, Valedictorian. Taught for two years in Joplin, Mo., High School and was Director of Athletics. Returned to Washington and took post grad. work, earning an A.M. Degree in Economics. Member of Theta Xi Fraternity, and was for years Treasurer of the Theta Xi National Fraternity and Member of the Grand Lodge, 12 yrs. Went to Calcutta, India, and was Secretary of the Angus Jute Co., a subsidiary of Bemis Bros. Bag Co. Remained there for seven years, resigning because of ill health; returned to St. Louis and be-

came connected with Bemis Bros. Bag Co. Later entered the investment business with Gatch Bros., Jordan, and McKinney, and with their successors, Geo. H. Walker & Co., which position he held until retirement in 1958. Member of the Missouri Athletic Club. Editor for many years of the St. Louis Bank Manual. m: Margaret McIntyre, *6-9-1928, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 11-26-1901, Chicopee, Mass., dau. of Harry H. McIntyre and Margaret Ann Smith, *a descendant of Gov. William Bradford of the Plymouth Colony, and member of the Mayflower Society. Res: P.O. Box 385, Stanley Estates, Estes Park, Colo. Ch:

1g. Elmer Bradford Lacey, b. 1-23-1933, St. Louis, Mo. Graduate of St. Louis Country Day School, Amherst College, Amherst, Mass., Cum Laude, A.B. Theta Xi Fraternity. Served with Air Force as 1st Lieut. Presently Master at the Casady Day School in Oklahoma City, Okla. Member of Missouri Athletic Club of St. Louis, and Society of Mayflower Descendants of Missouri. m: Nancy Lou Atkins, *9-5-1959, at Denver, Colo., at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. Daughter of William Atkins of Denver, Colo., formerly of St. Louis. She is graduate of Mary Institute, St. Louis, and Univ. of Colorado, Cum laude. Phi Beta Kappa and Delta Sigma Rho. She is a sister to William Allen Atkins, Jr., and the niece of Mrs. James Smith Legg, both of Webster Groves, Mo., the grand niece of Mrs. Walter Edwards and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Atkins of St. Louis. Their courtship began and marriage occurred while both were attending the Univ. of Colorado, earning their Masters Degree. Res: 1715 Andover Court, Oklahoma City, Okla.

2f. Hubert Wesley Lacey, b. 10-31-1891, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in St. Louis, Springfield, and Webster Groves, Mo. Grad. Webster Groves High School, 1911. Attended Washington University St. Louis, School of Engineering. Salesman for the old Derby Desk Co., The Chas. S. Blood Furniture Co., and the Globe-Wernicke Co., St. Louis branch, each of these firms successor to the former. Salesman for Certainteed Products Co., in states of Kentucky, Nebraska, Arkansas, and Illinois, for two years, and for like period was a salesman in the automobile business in Chicago. In 1921, became associated with The Ruberoid Co. of New York City as traveling representative with headquarters in Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, which position he held for 35 years

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and from which he retired Nov. 1st, 1956. Presbyterian. 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Valley of Dayton. Antioch Shrine. Dayton, Ohio. Member Sons of the American Revolution. Res: 7240 Union School House Rd., Dayton, 24, Ohio. m: 1st: Pauline Lillian Bollman, 9-27-1912, Carlinville, Ill. (b. 3-4-1889, St. Louis. d. 1-8-1917, St. Louis, Interment in Lacey Lot, Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis. Daughter of Oscar Henry Bollman* and Pauline Schuler*, both of St. Louis.)

- Ch: 1g. Hubert Bollman Lacey, b. 1-23-1914, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in Webster Groves, Mo., and Dayton, Ohio. Attended Stivers High School and Parker Co-operative School, grad. of later, Dayton, O. Employed for several years in the Eternit Plant of The Ruberoid Co., St. Louis, Mo., and then the Curtis-Wright St. Louis Plant as foreman. Served as pilot in U.S. Air Corp., W.W.II. After the war, went into the dry cleaning business in Columbus, Ohio, which he later sold, and became associated with North American Aviation, Inc., at Columbus, which position he presently holds. 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Member of Shrine, Columbus, Ohio. Presbyterian. Hobby, model airplanes. Res: 409 Arden Road, Columbus, Ohio. m: 1st: Ruth Roberts, 8-9-1941, St. Louis, Mo. Divorced. No issue. m: 2nd: Mrs. Helen Willson, nee Shreiner, 5-13-1946, at Columbus, Ohio, a divorcee with one child, Judy. No issue.
- 2g. Norman Long Lacey, b. 9-8-1915, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in Webster Groves, Mo., and Dayton, Ohio, Grad. of Stivers High School, Dayton. Attended Univ. of Dayton. Salesman for the National Cash Register Co., Columbus, Ohio. 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Member of Shrine, Columbus, Ohio. W.W.II, Army, 31st Batt. 8th, Regiment. Presbyterian. Res: 420 Mimring Road, Columbus, Ohio. m: 1st: Laura Jane Deady, 7-1-1939, at Dayton, Ohio, at Westminster Presbyterian Church. Dau. of John B. Deady and wife, nee Long. Resided in Dayton, Ohio, San Bernardino, Los Angeles, Calif. Divorced.
- Ch: 1h. Paula Jean Lacey, b. 9-24-1940, Dayton, Ohio. Attended public schools in Dayton, Ohio, and Ohio State Univ. at Columbus, as art student. Presently employed in art department of North American Aviation. m: John H. Wening, 11-18-1958, at Richmond, Indiana. (b. 3-26-1931, son of Herman E. and Mary L. Wening, nee Walkey) Both students at Ohio State Univ. when they married. Mr. Wening now employed by North American Aviation, Inc., Columbus, Ohio. Res: 77 Fairway Blvd., Apt. H., Columbus, Ohio. No issue.
- 2h. Bonnie Sue Lacey, b. 2-9-1943, Dayton, Ohio. Student, residing with mother in San Francisco, who married secondly in Los Angeles, Eddie Edmunds, now deceased.

Norman Long Lacey m: 2nd: Marjorie Randall of Xenia, O., at Columbus, O., 8-14-1952, at residence of a cousin, Mrs. Minnie A. Benson (Mrs. Carl G.) Marjorie was born 4-27-1916. No issue.

Hubert Wesley Lacey m: 2nd: Martha Adelaide Cordes, 10-1-1924, Dayton, Ohio, in parsonage of Grace M. E. Church. (b. 1-6-1904, Cincinnati, O., dau. of Harry Hancock Cordes* and Selma Bohsdorf, of Montgomery, O., both of German extraction.) Eastern Star, Ladies Oriental Shrine. Walnut Grove Country Club. Member Westminster Presbyterian Church. No issue.

- 3f. Gladys Lacey, b. 8-20-1893, St. Louis, Mo. d. 8-21-1937, St. Louis. Interment in Lacey Lot Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis. Attended schools in Webster Groves, Mo. m: Ferdinand Oscar Bollman, 4-25-1912, at Jefferson City, Mo. (b. 6-8-1893, son of Oscar Henry Bollman,* and Pauline Schuler Bollman,* brother to Pauline L. Bollman, all of St. Louis, Mo. Divorced. Mr. Bollman remarried and resides in Colorado Springs, Colo. Resided in St. Louis and Colorado Springs. Mr. Bollman was in the automobile repair business for many years in both St. Louis and Colorado Springs, and is presently in the real estate business.

Ch: 1g. Ferdinand Lacey Bollman, b. 3-31-1913, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in Colorado Springs, Colo. Foreman of Electrical Production Department of the Incina Plant of San Diego Gas and Electric Co. of San Diego, Calif. Member of Carlsbad Union Church, - formerly Presbyterian. m: Betsy Drena Ross, 9-10-1937, at Colorado Springs, Colo., dau. of Glen Robert Ross and wife, who is now Mrs. Geo. L. Flagg.) Res: 5098 Carlsbad Blvd., Carlsbad, California.

Ch: 1h. Betty Jean Bollman, b. 1-8-1940, Pasadena, Calif. Attended Carlsbad Junior College. m: Joseph Carl Cassidy, 8-23-1959, Carlsbad, Calif., at Carlsbad Union Church. (son of Carl Cas-

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- sidy, of Riddle, Ore.) Res: 1777 Yucca Rd., Carlsbad, Calif.*
 2h. Sue Ann Bollman, b. 5-20-1943, Pasadena, Calif.*
 2g. Gladys Martha Bollman, b. 2-22-1916, St. Louis, Mo. m: 1st: James A. Hayes of St. Louis, Catholic. Divorced.
 Ch: 1h. James Hayes, b. 7-16-1932, St. Louis, Mo. Reared by his grandmother Hayes. m: Jane Sifford, 2-2-1957, at Florissant, Mo. (b. 6-26-1937, Dudley, Mo.) Catholic. Res: St. Louis.
 Ch: 1i. Carolyn Jane Hayes, b. 1-18-1958, St. Louis.
 m: 2nd: Warren R. Salender, 7-2-1938, Clayton, Mo. Jeweler and Watch Repair. Mrs. Lacey is owner and operator of a gift shop in El Cajon, Calif., at 2234 Fletcher Parkway. Res: 5514 Conneticut, La Mesa, Calif.
 Ch: 2h. Warren R. Salender, Jr., b. 11-23-1942, San Diego, Calif.
 3h. Sandra Joy Salender, b. 8-2-1945, San Diego, Calif.
 4f. Clifton Primm Lacey, b. 2-12-1895, St. Louis, Clifton Heights, Mo. Grad. Webster Groves High School and Washington Univ., St. Louis. W.W.I. Attended Officers Training School at Niagra Falls, N.Y., as a civilian candidate, Officers Training;



Lacey Family Group. Mother Lacey's 80th Birthday.
 Rear: Elmer L., Clifton P., Hubert W., Shelby R.
 Sitting: Webster O., Mother Lacey, Wilbur Goodner.

3rd Co., 4th Provisional Training Reg., 8-27-1917 to 11-26-1917. Commissioned 2nd Lieut., Infantry Section. Officers Reserve Corp. Assigned to active duty 11-27-1917, to France, to Co. K, 9th Infantry, Regular Army. Saw action in Toulon-Troyon & Chateau-Thierry sectors. Was Battalion Scout and Intelligence Officer. Appointed Instructor in bayonet, sniping, and intelligence in 1st Corp School, Gondrecourt, France. Transferred to 3rd Corp. School later, Clamecy, Nievre, France, as Instructor in sniping, observation and intelligence, at which school his brother, Lt. Wilbur Goodner Lacey, was also stationed. Commissioned 1st Lieut., 4-11-1919, in 9th U.S. Infantry, Co. K. For a time was in Co. F, 314th Ammunition Train, and after armistice was in Army of Occupation in Germany. Discharged as 1st Lieut. at Camp Dodge, Iowa, 10-26-1919. Returned to St. Louis and attended Washington Univ., graduating in 1922 with B.S. Degree. In 1923, moved to Dayton, Ohio, and was employed by General Motors Frigidaire Division. Later went with Serval, Inc., and moved to Evansville, Ind.

At the outbreak of W.W.II, enlisted and received commission as Major in Air Corp., 4-26-1942, at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City, Okla. Went on active duty 5-9-1942 at Wright-Patterson A.F.B., Dayton, Ohio, as Chief of Transport and Cargo Unit, Production Control Section, Airplane Follow Up, under Col. Don. Hutchings. Transferred to Air Service Command, Patterson Field, and assigned from there to Army Air Force Depot at Lodi, N.J., 10-1-1942, as Commanding Officer. Assigned to Headquarters Squad., 42nd. Service Group, for over-seas duty, sailing from U.S. in Nov. of 1942, and sent to England, as Commanding Officer of 9th Air Force Command Group, located near London, where he served out the War. Returned to U.S., 9-5-1945, New York City, on the U.S.S. General Brooke. Processed at Camp Atterbury, Ind. Had been advanced from rank of Major to that of Lieut. Colonel, and discharged as a full Colonel. Re-enlisted almost immediately, within one month, as Master Sergeant, and assigned to Wright-Patterson A.F.B., Dayton, Ohio. Assigned then to Germany to R M Air Base, 60th Air Police Squad., as Supply Officer. Attended meeting of "Shriners" in Heidelberg in July of 1954. After serving 18 months in Germany, returned to U.S., 1955, and assigned to 58th Air Defense Div., Wright-Patterson A.F.B. Sent to Seward A.F.B. at Smyrna, Tenn. and later to Wurtsmith A.F.B. at Oscoda, Michigan, where he is serving at present. 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Antioch Shrine, Dayton, Ohio. Sigma Chi. Presbyterian. Military address: 412th Fighter Group, Box 268N, Wurtsmith A.F.B., Oscoda,

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Mich. Permanent address: 1511 N. Euclid Ave., Dayton, O. m: Mary A. Perry, 6-20-1922, St. Louis, Mo., dau. of Earl C. Perry of Webster Groves, Mo. b. 2-3-1902.

Ch: 1g. Clifton Perry Lacey, b. 3-23-1929, Dayton, O. Grad. Fairmont High School; attended Univ. of Dayton. Grad. of Ohio State Univ. Served as Lieut. of Air Force and was stationed in Alaska. Presently employed in Personnel Dept., Moraine Products Div., of General Motors, Dayton, O. Taking post-graduate course at Univ. of Dayton. Res: 1511 N. Euclid Ave., Dayton, Ohio. m: Betty Jean Nafzger, 12-20-1952, at Worthington, O., (dau. of Harold James Nafzger of Worthington. Grad. of Ohio State Univ.) 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Valley of Dayton. Presbyterian.

Ch: 1h. Bret Perry Lacey, b. 3-11-1959. d. 3-21-1959. Interred in Memorial Park, Dayton, Ohio.

2h. Brent Perry Lacey, b. 8-24-1960, Dayton, O.

2g. Thomas Earl Lacey, b. 1-26-1932, Dayton, O. Methodist. 32° Mason, Scottish Rite, Valley of Dayton. Enlisted in U.S. Air Force as a career man; stationed first at Columbus at Lockbourne A.F.B., then assigned to Base at Torrejon, Spain, about 18 miles from Madrid. Asst. Fire Chief at Base: Address: S/Sgt., AF 23568785, 3870th ABC, APO, N. Y. C. 283. m: Rosetta Marie Gray, 11-27-1954, Dayton, O., at Holy Family Church Dayton, O. Catholic, and dau. of Lawrence P. Gray of Dayton, Ohio.

Ch: 1h. Rhonda Ann Lacey, b. 12-29-1955, Dayton, Ohio.

5f. Wilbur Goodner Lacey, b. 3-16-1896, at Clifton Heights, St. Louis, Mo. Attended schools in Webster Groves and Rock Hill, Mo. Enlisted in Navy, at age 15, under assumed name of Lester McCourtney. Records in Navy afterwards changed to correct name. Enlisted in Lincoln, Neb., and assigned to Naval Training Station at Goat Island, San Francisco, Calif., where he remained for four months. During his enlistment of four yrs. served on the U.S.S. South Dakota, U.S.S. Colorado, U.S.S. Cleveland, and the receiving ship, U.S.S. St. Louis. Served in the Nicaraguan Campaign of 1912, and was one of the landing party at Port of Corinte, Nicaragua, which progressed to Chinandego and Leon. Saw service at both of these places during remainder of campaign. During the revolution in Mexico in 1914 and 1915 was in the patrol fleet that patrolled the sea coast of Central America, principally that of Mexico. On one of these trips he jumped overboard and rescued a shipmate from drowning, for which he received a letter of commendation from the then Secretary of the Navy, Josephus Daniels. While on the U.S.S. Dakota, was on a good will trip to Guam, Hawaii Islands, Phillipines, China, and Japan. Honorably discharged as Coxwain, 7-12-1915. When trouble with Mexico developed, enlisted in the Missouri National Guard, and was assigned to 138th Infantry, 6-19-1916, at St. Louis, Headquarters Co. Served as Private in the Mounted Scouts on Mexican border, and also was on the body guard of the Regimental Commander, Col. Arthur Donnelly. Appointed Sergeant in 138th Infantry, 10-5-1917. His regiment was ordered to France during the outbreak of W.W.I., 1918, saw immediate action, and was in the group that captured the first German prisoners in his Regiment. Was in the Hilsen-first Sector, Alsace Lorraine. For bravery in action was commissioned 2nd Lieut., 9-30-1918, and assigned to Officers Training School at Lange, France, where his brother, Lt. Clifton P. Lacey, was also assigned. Later assigned to Headquarters Co., Stokes Mortar and 37 MM Platoons, 306th Inf., 77th Div., and participated in the Meuse-Argonne Offensive, 9-29-1918, serving throughout this action and until signing of the armistice, 11-11-1918. Arrived back in U.S. in May of 1919, and honorably discharged at Camp Upton, N. Y., 5-12-1919. After discharge was commissioned Lieut. of Aviation Section, Signal Corp., to rank as such from 2-10-1920, Officers Reserve Corp. Returned to St. Louis and engaged in commercial life. Presently connected with the National Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis Section, as salesman for "Nations Business". Res: 308 Clara Ave., St. Louis, 12, Mo. m: Eleanor Janzow, 10-4-1923, St. Charles, Mo. Dau. of Otto E. and Ellen S. Janzow of St. Louis, Mo. No issue.

6f. Shelby Richeson Lacey, b. 10-5-1898, in Clifton Heights, St. Louis, Mo. Attended schools in Webster Groves, Mo., and is Grad. of Webster Groves High School. Was employed for a time in the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, later becoming associated with the St. Louis Post Dispatch, where he is still employed now being in the advertising section. Presbyterian. W.W.I., Private K. Co., Air Service, stationed at St. Paul, Minn. enlisting 11-6-1918. m: Olive Muriell Bopp, 10-5-1929, Webster Groves, Mo., dau. of Edward W. Bopp and Lyda Linss* of Webster Groves, both deceased. Res: 492 E. Big Bend Road, Webster Groves, Mo.

Ch: 1g. Edward Bopp Lacey, b. 10-22-1934, St. Louis, Mo. Grad. of Webster Groves High School, and Washington Univ., St. Louis, School of Engineering, 1956. Member Theta Xi. Employed by Emerson Electric Co. of St. Louis. Single. Residing at home.

7f. Webster Officer Lacey, b. 3-19-1900, Clifton Heights, St. Louis, Mo. Attended public schools in Webster Groves, Mo. W.W.I., enlisting as chauffeur, Private, 1st. Class, Aviation Corp., Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, Mo., 2-27-1918. Transferred to Kelly Field, 3-10-1918, San Antonio, Texas, where he attended a mechanical school on Airplane construction. Finished prescribed course and received title of M. S. E., - Master Signal Electrician. In Sept. 1918, was ordered to New York City for embarkation to France, but en route was ordered to Dorr Field, Arcadia, Fla., and assigned to 109th Aero Squadron. Upon signing of armistice received honorable discharge, returning to St. Louis. He became associated for a short time with the St. Louis Post Dispatch, later with the Standard Oil Co. as a station manager. A few years later made a connection with the Long Lines Dept. of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., 11-5-1920, serving as paymaster and clerk to 11-20-1926, when he became connected with the Legal Dept. in St. Louis. He is still connected with the St. Louis Office of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. m: Marguerite (Peggy) Houston Miller, 10-27-1926, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 7-15-1903, dau. of Henry and Margaret Brady *See Appendix.

Miller*, St. Louis, Mr. Miller was former Vice-Pres. and Manager of the Wabash Railroad, and later until retirement Pres. of the Terminal Railway Assn., St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Lacey is Protestant and Marguerite is Catholic. Res: 620 S. Rock Hill Rd., Webster Groves, Mo.

Ch: 1g. Webster Officer Lacey, Jr., b. 10-14-1931, St. Louis. Attended Parochial Schools, Christian Brothers College, and St. Louis Univ., grad. there with a degree in Meteorologist. Employed for a time at Lambert Field, St. Louis, as meteorologist. Now taking special courses for a teaching career. Res: 620 S. Rock Hill Rd., Webster Groves, Mo.

8f. Ruth Lacey, b. 5-3-1903, Springfield, Mo. d. 11-9-1927, Dayton, O. Interment in Lacey Lot, Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, Mo. Death due from general streptococcus infection. Member of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Dayton, Ohio.

2e. John Benjamin ("Butler") Lacey, b. 6-13-1863, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 11-12-1924, Denver, Colorado. Interred in Fairmont Cemetery. Suffered severely from migraine headaches, and in one of these attacks, particularly severe, he took his own life. He was an expert machinist for the Denver and Rio Grand Railroad. m: Olive (Mary) Van Sickle, 12-31-1889, St. Louis, Mo., dau. of J.O. Van Sickle of St. Louis. Resided in Denver, Colo. After the death of John, Olive married a second and a third time, of whom one husband was Fred Schroeter, 1938. Her fourth marriage was to Virgil Stork, a man much younger than she. Res: Box 16, Morrison, Colorado.

Ch: 1f. Milton Van Sickle Lacey, b. 11-9-1890, St. Louis, Mo. d. 9-29-1959, South Gate (Los Angeles) Calif., from coronary thrombosis. Journey machinist. m: Madge B. Long, 6-30-1914, Denver, Colo. (b. 7-19-1895, dau. of Philip D. Long and Nellie Blanch Kendall of Denver, Colo.) Resided for years at 8975 Hildreth, South Gate, Calif. Milton was a Mason. Interred in Inglewood Cemetery. After death of Milton, Mrs. Lacey sold the home place and now resides at 16511 South Garfield, Paramount, Calif.

Ch: 1g. Wilbur De Witt Lacey, b. 3-7-1915. d. 9-12-1944, Los Angeles, Calif. Interred in Inglewood Cemetery in Los Angeles. m: Charlene Rebecca----. Res. widow: 60 Liberty Blvd., South Gate, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Sandra Lee Lacey, b. 1-20-1942.

2h. Linda Rae Lacey, b. 7-24-1944.

2g. Norma E. Lacey, b. 10-23-1923. m: Charles Neville Righton, 9-27-1944. Res: 6056 Lincoln, Hollydale, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Joan L. Righton, b. 6-4-1945.

2h. Charles Lacey Righton, b. 12-29-1947.

2f. Ruthevan Hansbrough Lacey, b. 12-12-1892, St. Louis, Mo. d. 9-23-1950, Denver, Colo. m: Cochen Leedham, 6-6-1924, Denver, Colo., where they resided.

Ch: 1g. Mariqrace Lacey, b. ---. m: Mr. Plasch. Res: 15610 E. Stanbrook, La Mirada, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Stephen Plasch, b. 1945.

2h. Sandra Plasch, b. 1950.

3h. Scot Plasch, b. 1952.

4h. Susan Plasch, b. 1954.

3f. Mildred E. Lacey, b. 2-12-1894, St. Louis, Mo. d. 3-25-1945, Denver, Colo. Was shot and killed in the kitchen of her home, 3879 Tennyson St. m: Benjamin I. Craig, 1-12-1915, but was separated from him at the time of her death. No issue.

4f. Mary Lacey, b. 9-18-1908. d. 9-6-1926. Denver, Colo.

5f. John Benjamin Lacey, Jr., b. 7-6-1904. d. 8-19-1959, Denver. Interment in Fairmont Cemetery, Masonic Funeral; Mr. Lacey was a 32^o Mason, a member of Cooper Lodge #172, F & A. M. Services by Mackey Chapter Rose Croix No. 1. Owned and operated the Pioneer Drug Store, 1744 E. Evans, Denver. Shortly after eleven o'clock on the night of Aug. 19th, 1959, he had closed his store, and as he approached his car to go home, he was shot and killed by a man hiding in his car. The murderer, one James Carlos Pigg, an ex-convict, was apprehended, and after several hearings was judged insane and committed to the State Hospital at Pueblo, but on an executive order from Gov. Steve McNichols was transferred to the State Prison at Canon City. John m: 1st: Catherine Prendergast, 10-14-1927, Denver. Later divorced.

Ch: 1g. John Stanton Lacey, b. 1928. d. Jan. 1938, Denver, Colo., from diphtheria. Interment in Fairmont Cemetery, Denver, Colo.

2g. Dorothy Lacey, b. ---. m: Thomas O. Moline. Res: 4130 Fenton St., Mountain View, Denver, Colo.

3g. James E. Lacey, b. 1937, Denver, Colo. Student at Univ. of Colo. Res. at 4074 Ames St., Denver, Colo., probably with his mother.

m: 2nd: Garland Bothel, dau. of Clifford Bothel. Res. of widow: 2105 S. Ogden Ave., Denver, Colo.

Ch: 4g. Ronald (Ronnie) Lacey, b. 1948, Denver, Colo.

3e. William Milton Lacey, b. 3-21-1867, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 8-17-1910, San Francisco, Calif. Interment in the Little Lot in Cypress Lawn Cemetery, San Mateo, Calif. Death was due to a heart condition, believed to have been congenital. Moved to San Francisco in 1885, at the age of 18. Later entered the real estate business, having his own office. m: Grace Little, 7-9-1902, dau. of David Little of San Francisco. Some time after Milton's death, Grace married again, - name of husband not known. No issue.

*See Appendix.

HANNAH GRINADE GOODNER

8c. Hannah Grinade Goodner, eighth child of Conrad and Elizabeth Scherrer Goodner, was born in Sullivan Co., Tenn. in 1796. She was a small child when the family moved to Smith Co., Tenn., in or about 1804. She accompanied her parents to the Illinois Territory in 1811 or 1812 when they migrated there, but lived only a few years. She died at the age of 18, which would have been in 1814, and apparently in Johnson or Randolph County. Cause of her death is not known.

GODFREY GOODNER

9c. Godfrey Goodner, the ninth child of Conrad and Elizabeth Scherrer Goodner, was born Feb. 10th, 1798 in Sullivan Co., Tennessee. He was named after his mother's favorite brother, Godfrey Scherrer. He received his early education in Smith County, Tennessee, to which place his parents had moved about 1804. His later education was received in the counties of Randolph, Johnson, and St. Clair Co., Illinois Territory, at which places his parents resided. The family moved from Tennessee about 1811 or 1812. Their final resting place was in St. Clair County, and here Godfrey remained until he was of the age of 19, when he went to Tennessee and probably worked for his brother, David, learning the trade of tanner. David had paid a visit to his parents in the year 1817, in the fall, and Godfrey accompanied him back to Tennessee.

He remained in Tennessee, and in August of 1823, he married Elizabeth Orr Sanson, whose parentage is not now known. Elizabeth was born in 1803, presumably in Tennessee, and died in Washington Co., Ill., in 1854, and interred there. In what county in Tennessee the marriage occurred is not known.

Nothing much is known of Godfrey's youth, but his daughter, Martha, told this tale of his childhood. It seems that old Mother Scherer was living with Conrad and Elizabeth when Godfrey was a small child, and Mother Godfrey took a particular liking to Godfrey if for no other reason than that he was named after one of her sons whom she thought was just about perfect. Thus Godfrey became her favorite grandchild; she pampered him and gave him so much attention that he was soon spoiled, and he early learned to take advantage of her special affection. Whenever he fell down he would scream, and his grandmother would then come and pick him up and make over him. This soon became a sort of routine, until one day he fell down in the barn and started the usual screaming, whereupon his mother who happened to be nearby, came up with whip and took the situation in hand, so forcibly that there were no more such "carrings on".

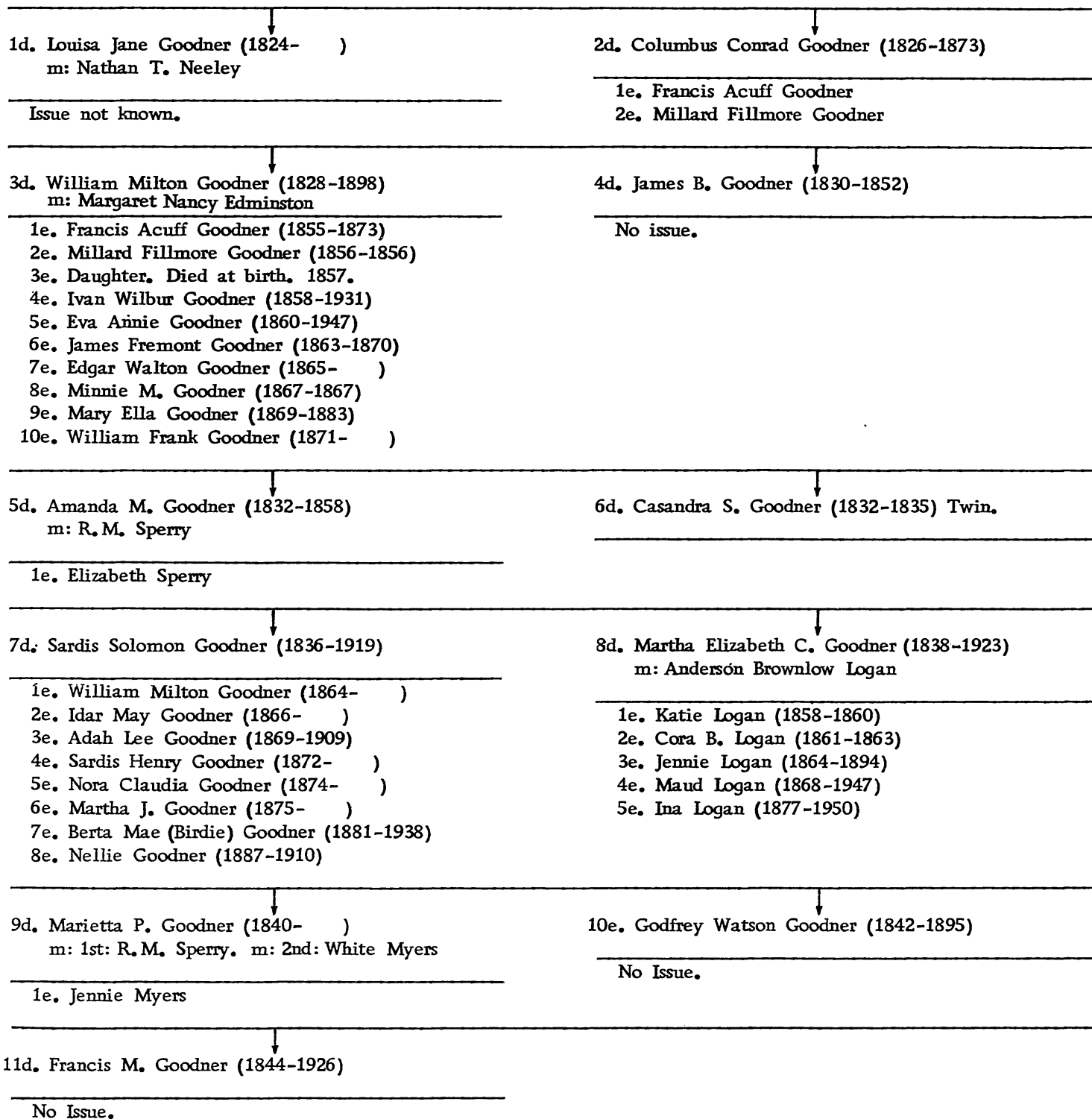
From the best evidence that we can gather, Godfrey and Elizabeth first made their home in Fayette County, residing near Moscow, as their first three children are reported to have been born there. They then moved to Hardin County, Tenn., where the balance of their children were born, living there until 1848, when he sold his farm and again moved to Fayette County, near Moscow, where they stayed for five years. In 1853, he moved to Washington County, Illinois. In the following year his wife died, and was interred in Washington County. According to data in the files in Jefferson County, Illinois, he married Lucinda Allen, March 13, 1855, the ceremony being performed by Justice of the Peace, John R. Satterfield. We have no information as to the outcome of this marriage, but apparently it was not successful. His daughter, Martha, makes no mention of it in the several letters she wrote her nephew, Milton P. Goodner. She wrote that in 1855 he sold out in Washington County and went to Texas to visit his first wife's relatives, who had removed from Tennessee to east Texas in 1838. He returned to Illinois but did not stay, again returning to Texas. Discontentment seemed to stalk him for he again returned to Washington County, Illinois, but apparently he was not satisfied to remain there, and removed to Madison, Arkansas, St. Francis County, where his son, Sardis was living. Sardis was married but had no children, - his wife was dying of consumption. He was in business with his brother-in-law, engaged in the wholesaling and retailing of merchandise.

Godfrey became interested in having a store of his own, so took what money he had and opened up a grocery store in a spot not too close not too far from Madison, and began to prosper in a small way. He boarded for a time with a family close by but soon found the man dishonest. Here I quote from a letter written by his daughter, Martha, to Milton P. Goodner, her nephew; "And this man was owing father 60 dollars. By and by father wanted him to pay what he owed him. That made this man mad, and he came one day to where father was boarding and brought a drunken officer with him, pretending that father owed him 60 dollars for board, which was false as Judas. He and that drunken officer went to the barn and took father's fine saddle horse out ready bridled and saddled ready to ride and father knew nothing about it. But as they marched out with the horse father saw them and went out to them and said, "Gentlemen, that is my horse". The drunken officer drew out his pistol and deliberately shot father through the lungs. There was witness to the murder. Both men fled the country and the officer took father's horse and never did come back. The other man came back after awhile but he had better never come back. Sardis said the whole country was enraged to the extreme. That was about the time that A. Lincoln was elected President the first time. All this was down in Ark." Apparently the murderer was never apprehended, in fact, it appears that no attempt was made to track him down, and the man who did return was not brought to trial, as Martha does not mention it. There was a feeling among some of his brothers at the time that his strong Union views may have had something to do with the murder, but there is nothing in Martha's letter to indicate it. The murder occurred in 1860, and it must have been in November or December. Godfrey was undoubtedly interred in St. Francis County and probably near Madison, where Sardis was living.

In disposing of his property in Washington County, Illinois, in 1855, Godfrey sold a tract of land on Sept. 3rd, to Samuel K. and Geo. W. Allen, possibly some kin to Lucinda Allen, his second wife. On Oct. 5th, 1855, in Washington County, he sold a tract of land to Silas T. Howard, which was recorded March 3, 1856.

To Godfrey and Elizabeth were born eleven children, the chart of which, together with their progeny, as far as we have been able to secure them, follow.

9c. Godfrey Goodner (1798-1860) - Elizabeth Orr Sanson (1802-1854)



9c. Godfrey Goodner, b. 2-10-1798, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 1860, St. Francis County, Ark., near Madison. Farmer, Tanner and Merchant. Resided in Hickman Co., Tenn., near Moscow, Fayette Co., Tenn., Washington Co., Ill., and St. Francis Co., Ark. m: Elizabeth Orr Sanson, in Tenn., August 1823. (b. 1802 or 1803. d. 1854, Washington Co., Ill.) See biographical sketch preceding.

Ch: 1d. Louisa Jane Goodner, b. 1824, near Moscow, Fayette Co., Tenn. m: Nathan T. Neeley of Grandville, Tenn., in 1845, possibly in De Kalb Co., Tenn., where she had gone to visit her Goodner relatives. It is believed that they resided in Granville, which place is no longer shown on the maps. It is believed to have been either in Smith or De Kalb Counties. By this marriage there were six children, none of whose names are known. The youngest child, a daughter, married a Dr. E.M. Burton, who at the time of marriage was a merchant in Grandville, Tenn., apparently becoming a doctor later. They had one son, Emerson Burton, born 1882, who in 1905 resided in Chestnut Mound, R.R. # 1, Tenn., but who was deceased by 1925. Chestnut Mound is no longer shown on present day maps. There is no record of a family.

2d. Columbus Conrad Goodner, b. 1825, near Moscow, Fayette Co., Tenn. d. 1873. Residence at time of death not known, but which apparently was Washington Co., Ill. m: Elizabeth Love Goodner, his first cousin, 10-15-1851, Washington Co., Ill., J.A. Robinson, Minister. Elizabeth was the daughter of Elijah and Mary (Gore) Goodner of Washington Co., Ill. Elizabeth died in 1856.

Ch: 1e. Francis Acuff ("Frank") Goodner, b. abt. 1852. Died young, age 18.

2e. Millard Fillmore Goodner, b. abt. 1854, Washington Co., Ill. No data, -except that his name is listed as an heir in the Administration of the Estate of his grandfather, Elijah, who died in 1892. In that year, so the papers state, Millard was not a resident of Illinois, -but unfortunately his address was not given. Unable to obtain any record of his family. He reportedly moved to Texas.

3d. William Milton Goodner, b. 2-24-1828, near Moscow, Fayette Co., Tenn. d. 4-27-1898, at Larned, Kan. and interred there. His career was quite an interesting one. As a young man and prior to his marriage, he lived with the family of Rev. Benjamin Goodner, who was a Methodist Minister, which fact, and probably through the influence of Benjamin, he later became a Methodist minister himself. He attended McKendee College in Lebanon, Ill. m: Margaret Nancy Edminston, 3-27-1855; place of marriage not known, but indications point to the fact that it must have been in Texas. Margaret born 11-13-1835; d. 6-11-1869. She was a descendant of David Edminston of South Carolina, a soldier in the Revolutionary War. In 1860, we find William Milton living in Edgar Co., Ill., listed as a Methodist Preacher in the census of that year. In his household there is listed his wife, Margaret, and his son, Ivan. It is thought that his first son, Frances Acuff, was left with his wife's parents in Texas, where they resided. William moved around quite a bit. He preached for a number of years in the Lake cities of Erie, Pennsylvania, Chicago, and Detroit. His affiliation was with the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which he was a Minister, and for 12 years was a member of the Southern Illinois Conference. He enlisted in the Union Army, Sept. 10, 1861, in Co. E, 66th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and was discharged honorably on March 17, 1862 on account of disabilities incurred in the service, from which he never fully recovered and which finally caused his death. His theological views changed somewhat during the War, and he left the M.E. Church and joined the Swedenborgian, or New Jerusalem Church. In 1879, he was sent by that Church to Larned, Kansas, as a missionary. Politically he was a Republican, but later became a member of the Populist party. Was an unsuccessful candidate for the State Senate in 1888 in Kansas. He was a persuasive and powerful speaker. He was living in Chicago in 1871 at the time of the great Chicago fire, but happened to be out of the city at the time. He finally begged a ride into the city in the cab of an engine. His granddaughter, Alice Tyler Humphreys, writes that he was a wonderfully good man, kind and jolly. He died in Larned, Kansas, and was interred in the Larned Cemetery under the auspices of the G.A.R.

Ch: 1e. Francis Acuff Goodner, b. abt. 1855. He is reputed to have died at age 18. He was left with the Edminston family in Texas. As a matter of interest, and speculation, Goodner Driver of Midland, Texas, a descendant of Godfrey, writes that in 1924 he met a Bill Goodner, who resided in Brady, or Menard, Texas, who stated that he was a grandson of William Milton Goodner, and that his father had been left with the Edminston family to raise. All my efforts to locate this Bill Goodner were unsuccessful. Since all of the other grandchildren of William Milton are accounted for, this one must have been the son of Francis Acuff.

2e. Millard Fillmore Goodner, b. 3-17-1856. d. 3-25-1856. Texas, probably.

3e. Daughter, b. 3-27-1857. Died at birth.

4e. Ivan Wilbur Goodner, b. 7-24-1858, in Walnut Grove, McDonough Co., Ill. d. 11-16-1931, Seattle, Wash. At the close of the Civil War he was living near La Porte, Indiana, apparently with his mother. When his mother died in 1869, he lived with Berry Edminston, a relative of his mother. His father, having married again, apparently took him back into his household; in 1871, he was living in Chicago, at the time of the great fire; was cash boy at Marshall-Fields. In 1872, he was living in Grand Rapids, Michigan; went to Chicago and shipped as cabin boy on a steamer running to Ogdenburgh, N.Y., - the Northern Transportation Co. line of boats. He remained with this company for 4 years, advancing to Chief Stewart, with the same duties as Purser. At the age of 18, in 1876, he was in Brattleboro, Vermont, employed as packing assistant for Estey Organ Co., advancing to reed filer. He was sent by the Company to New York City to study shorthand, and became the first stenographer of the Company, serving them in all eight years. On Sept. 16th, 1880, he married Minnie Ada Perry, who was born 5-24-1860, in Bolton, Vermont. She lived as a girl in North Adams, Mass., and later in Sherbourne Falls, Mass. Moved to West Brattleboro, Vermont, and there met Mr. Goodner. She later became a member of the Eastern Star, in Pierre, 1899, and was Worthy Matron in 1907. In 1884, Ivan Wilbur moved to Yanktown, Dakota Territory, and received an appointment as Of-

ficial Court Reporter, 5th Judicial District, which consisted of 23 counties. He located at Pierre, S.D. When the Judge was removed from office, he moved to Huron, receiving appointment by the new Judge in 1885. This Judge was promoted to Governor in 1887, and Ivan became his private secretary at Bismark. Later in year the incoming new Judge reappointed him as Court Reporter. He became Clerk of the Supreme Court in 1889 and moved back to Pierre. He was Official Reporter of Debates at the Constitutional Conventions of 1888 and 1889 at Sioux Falls, S.D. In 1890, became Grand Secretary of L.O.O.F. for South Dakota, and Grand Master in 1896. In that year, he resigned as Clerk of Supreme Court to study law, moving to Lincoln, Neb., in 1908. He studied law at the Univ. Law School, graduating in 1897. He practiced law at Pierre, S.D., and became City Attorney. Was State's Attorney for Hughes County, 4 yrs., and Regent of Board of Education for 6 years until 1900. He was made a Mason in 1890 at Pierre, and later was a Royal Arch Mason, Knight Templar, and member of the Shrine. He served as Grand Master of A.F. & A.M. He entered into a law partnership with his son, Milton, first at Pierre, then later in Seattle, Wash., to which city he had moved. In 1910, he came a Lecturer at Law in the Univ. of Washington, and in 1912 was made a Professor of Law there. Was a State Senator in 1907 in South Dakota. He died in 1931, and was interred in Seattle, Wash. His wife followed him in death in two years, passing away in 1933.

Ch: 1f. Ivan Edgar Goodner, b. 6-14-1881, in Vermont. d. 1945 in Washington, D.C. and interred there. Mining and Civil Engineer. In 1925, was Manager of the De Laval Engine Co. in Los Angeles, Calif. m: Fara Johnston in 1909, who is now living with daughter, Elizabeth Burger at 5554 Morella, North Hollywood, Calif.

Ch: 1g. Elizabeth Ada Goodner, b. 9-16-1911, in Alaska. m: Harry Martin Burger. Div'd. 1958. Res: 5554 Morella, North Hollywood, Calif. No rec'd issue.

2g. Ruth Sarah Goodner, b. 9-29-1914, Goldfield, Nevada. m: 1st: Mr. Gaylord. Div'd. in 1933 or 1934.

Ch: 1h. Ruth Janette Gaylord, b. 9-6-1932.

2h. Michael Milton Gaylord, b. 8-14-1934.

m: 2nd: Paul Spink, 10-18-1941, at Hollywood, Calif. (b. 10-31-1917, son of Charles Raymond Spink.) Design Engineer. Presbyterian. Res: 684 W. Harriet, Altadena, Calif.

Ch: 3h. Laurelee Ann Spink, b. 8-30-1948.

4h. Kimberly Charles Spink, b. 7-14-1953.

5h. Kevin Jeffery Spink, b. 7-10-1955.

3g. Ivan Edgar Goodner, Jr., b. 10-31-1917, at Paradise, Butte Co., Calif. Electrical Engineer. Protestant. Navy from 1945 to 1946, m: Yvette S. McCurdy, 2-19-1939. (b. 4-5-1920, dau. Howard and Juliet McCurdy.) Divorced 1957. Res: 1123 Olive Lane, La Canada, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Georgia ("Gigi") Ann Goodner, b. 3-24-1944.

2h. Sharon ("Sherrie") S. Goodner, b. 8-18-1941.

(Daughters living with father.)

2f. Minnie Mabel Goodner, b. July 1883. d. 5-31-1884.

3f. Milton Perry Goodner, b. 8-21-1884. Attorney. Was in law partnership with his father in both Pierre, S.D. and in Seattle, Washington. From 1908 to 1917 was engaged in the real estate business. During First World War was Executive Secretary of Washington State Council of Defense. For two years after the war was Director of the State Veterans Welfare Commission. In 1925, returned to the real estate business, operating under the name of the "Goodner Investment Co.". As of 1958 - retired. Was active for some time in the compilation of Goodner family data and construction of the "Goodner Family Tree". m: Grace Burke, dau. of Charles H. Burke, who in 1925 was United States Indian Commissioner with offices in Washington, D.C. Res: 8347 Wabash Avenue, Seattle, 18, Washington.

Ch: 1g. Josephine Ruth Goodner, b. 3-11-1913, m: La Verne Jaynes, 1942, at Edmonds, Wash. Teacher. Res: 8420-55th Ave., South, Seattle 18, Wash.

Ch: 1h. Janet Claire Jaynes, b. 7-5-1944, Seattle, Washington.

2h. Carolyn Grace Jaynes, b. 4-4-1947, Seattle, Washington

2g. Mary Burke Goodner, b. 11-15-1916. m: John Madding, 12-27-1941. Res: 704 Pebble Beach Dr., Crescent City, Calif.

Ch: 1h. Susan Mary Madding, b. 12-11-1945, Seattle, Wash.

2h. Andrew John Madding, b. 11-20-1947, Sedro-Wodley, Wash.

4f. Grace Emily Goodner, b. 1-18-1888, S.D. m: Matthew G. Berge, 9-22-1915. (b. 5-7-1878. d. 10-26-1953.) Grad. of Univ. of Washington, and Matthew Grad. Univ. of Wisconsin. Resided for a time in Portland, Ore. Res: 134-20 87th Ave., Richmond Hill, N.Y.

Ch: 1g. Raymond Goodner Berge, b. 6-25-1917. Grad. of Columbia Univ. Radio Engineer with Radio Marine Corp. of America. In "Design". m: Helen Galland, 6-8-1946. (b. 4-3-1924.) Res: 154 Saville Rd., Mineola, N.Y.

Ch: 1h. Judith Marie Berge, b. 5-8-1947.

2g. Marian Francis Berge, b. 8-28-1918. Grad. of Hunter College, New York City. Phi Beta Kappa, Senior Year. m: Robert C. Savage, 7-29-1943. (b.

- 10-22-1921) Grad. New York Univ. Naval Reserve W.W.II, serving on an L.S.T. as Lieut., Junior Grade. Now employed by Adams & Porter Marine Ins. Co. Res: 14 Thea Lane, Huntington, N.Y.
- Ch: 1h. Barbara Catherine Savage, b. 10-8-1944.
 2h. Carolyn Grace Savage, b. 4-29-1948.
 3h. Christine Louise Savage, b. 5-18-1950.
 4h. Patricia Jean Savage, b. 10-25-1955.
- 5f. Minnie Ruth Goodner, b. 1-24-1891. d. 1-29-1899.
- 6f. Ernest Francis Goodner, b. 7-27-1898, S.D. Engineer. Pres. of The American Gilsonite Co., Salt Lake City, Utah. m: Carolyn Russell Krum, 1922. (b. 11-3-1901, Spokane, Wash., dau. Charles Franklin Krum, b. 10-26-1863, in Catawissa, Columbia Co., Pa., son of Nathan Edgar Krum and Caroline Krum, nee Kaslmer. Her mother was Emilie Marie Simon, dau. Charles and Amanda Le Maire Simon, b. 12-3-1865 (abt.) in New York City.) Res: 1754 Oakridge Dr., Salt Lake City 6, Utah.
- Ch: 1g. Ernest Krum Goodner, b. 8-16-1924, Spokane, Wash. Grad. Univ. of California School of Medicine, San Francisco. Captain in Med. Corp., U.S. Army, 1953 to 1955. In 1957, was attending Univ. of California, specializing in Ophthalmology. MD. m: Marjorie Astrid Ruedi, 6-27-1947. (b. 9-12-1923, Oakland, Calif. Dau. Christian V. and Astrid O. Ruedi.) Office: 1500 5th Ave. Res: 761 Stewart Ave., San Francisco, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Carolyn Astrid Goodner, b. 8-16-1948.
 2h. Ernest Christian Goodner, b. 3-21-1951.
 3h. Anne Catherine Goodner, b. 6-24-1955.
- 2g. Charles Joseph Goodner, b. 8-19-1929, Seattle, Wash. M.D. Grad. Univ. of Utah Med. School. Air Force Reserve as Medical Officer. m: 1st:---- Divorced. m: 2nd: Oakley Comstock, 6-10-1951. (b. 5-12-1931, New Haven, Conn., dau. Stephen and Helen Brown Comstock. Res: 203 Dudley Rd., Newton Centre, Mass.
- 5e. Eva Annie Goodner, b. 7-26-1860, at Paris, Edgar Co., Ill. d. 5-30-1947 at Emporia, Kan., at the home of Albert Norton Tyler II, her son. Confined to wheel chair for several years before her death due to a series of "strokes". m: Albert Norton Tyler, 8-22-1879, at Detroit, Mich., Rev. Geo. Fields of the New Jerusalem Church, Minister. (b. 8-3-1856. d. 6-26-1945 of heart attack.) Farmer and breeder of registered Hereford cattle and registered Hampshire swine, near Reading, Kan. He was born in Henry, Marshall Co., Ill.)
- Ch: 1f. Daisy Tyler, b. 10-4-1880. d. 1-2-1881.
- 2f. Minnie Ella Tyler, b. 4-18-1882. d. 6-27-1910. m: Walter Emerson Rush, 9-4-1902. (d. July 1910)
- Ch: 1g. Dorothy Elythe Rush, b. Feb. 1902. Larned, Kan. d. 7-11-1906.
- 2g. Aileen Doris Rush, b. 2-24-1909. m: 1st: Birtle E. Pinkston, 11-8-1924, Scott City, Kan.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Ellan Pinkston, b. 6-6-1926, Healy, Kan. m: Edward J. Kieronski, 2-9-1944, Chicago, Ill. Ch: None. m: 2nd: Lee Roy Sisk, 5-15-1947, at Yuma, Ariz.
- Ch: 1i. Roy Wayne Sisk, b. 1-30-1949, Arkansas City, Kan.
 2i. Edward Allen Sisk, b. 10-10-1953, Arcadia, Calif.
 3i. Joyce Diana Sisk, b. 9-13-1955, Arcadia, Calif. (Twin)
 4i. Royce Dennis Sisk, b. 9-13-1955, Arcadia, Calif. (Twin)
- Div'd from Lee Roy Sisk. m: 3rd: Edmond Eady, 4-28-1956, at Reno, Nev.
- Ch: 5i. Larry Linn Eady, b. 6-17-1957, Oakland, Calif. (Twin)
 6i. Gerry Lee Eady, b. 6-17-1957, Oakland, Calif. (Twin)
- 2h. Walter Nelson Pinkston, b. 8-5-1931, Healy, Kan. In Military Service. m: Lucille Hemery, 1-20-1951, Wellington, Kan.
- Ch: 1i. Walter Nelson Pinkston, Jr., b. 6-15-1953, Salina, Kan.
- 3h. Keith Elvan Pinkston, b. 1-7-1938, Wichita, Kan. Single. Res: Hayward, Calif.
- Aileen Rush Pinkston divorced. m: 2nd: B.E. Cornelison, 10-22-1945, at Newton, Kan. Res: Arkansas City, Kan., General Delivery.
- Ch: 4h. Dorothy Aileen Cornelison, b. 10-13-1946, Wichita, Kan.
- 3f. Albert Norton Tyler II, b. 5-22-1883. m: Beulah Tot Ely, 12-16-1913, at Maxwell, N.M. (b. 8-4-1883) Res: 505 Rural St., Emporia, Kansas.
- Ch: 1g. Beuberta Alto Tyler, b. 8-22-1921. Grad. Emporia High School, and Emporia State Teachers College with B.S. Degree. m: Paul Landwehr, Emporia, Kansas. Res: 31 Tillman Ave., San Jose, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Paul Anthony Landwehr, b. 5-15-1947.
- 2g. Albert Norton Tyler III, b. 9-11-1924. Grad. Emporia, Kan. High School,

- and Univ. of Texas with B.S. Degree. Geologist for Sun Oil Co., San Antonio, Texas. Air Force W.W.II. Purple Heart. m: Bobbie Jean Ross, 12-21-1947, Partridge, Kan. Res: 9815 Chiswell St., Dallas 18, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Jonnie Jo Tyler, b. 8-16-1950.
 2h. Katherine Ann Tyler, b. 6-7-1952.
 3h. Rodney Wayne Tyler, b. 3-2-1955.
- 3g. Addison Ely Tyler, b. 9-30-1926, Emporia, Kan. Attended Pittsburgh State Teachers College at Pittsburgh, Kan. W.W.II, Army. Served overseas. Pressman on the Wichita Beacon, Wichita, Kansas. Single.
- 4f. Clarinda Margaret Tyler, b. 8-4-1885. d. 7-22-1957, at Wingfield, Kan. Served in Kansas State Training School at Wingfield, Kansas. Single.
- 5f. Milton Howard Tyler, b. 1-17-1887, Larned, Kan. Killed by lightning at Emporia, Kansas, 9-9-1943. m: Pansy E. Miller, 7-19-1908, at Larned, Kan. Div'd. 1909.
- Ch: 1g. Eva Alice Tyler, b. 6-16-1909. m: Jack Walsh. Born at Craig-na-managh, County Kilkenny, Ireland. Came to America at age 16 with his sister to work on a farm of Aunt in Kansas.
- Ch: 1h. Avaline Walsh, b. 8-6-1928, at North Platte, Neb. m: Kelly Sowards, 9-20-1947, Manassa, Colo. Navy 1944-1946. Service on L.S.T. in Pacific. Civil Engineer. Grad. of Univ. of Colo. Raising Hereford cattle with brother. Res: Box 65, Manassa, Colo.
- Ch: 1i. Melody Coleen Sowards, b. 2-18-1949.
 2i. Shaum Kelly Sowards, b. 11-19-1956.
- Milton Howard Tyler m: 2nd: Mrs. Reba Benz, 1-24-1934, Kansas City, Mo.
- Ch: 2g. Clari Anqi Tyler, b. 1-4-1935. m: Dale Fletcher, 12-29-1953, Las Vegas, Nev. Res: 3288 Strathmore, Ventura, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Allan Dale Fletcher, b. 11-16-1954.
- 3g. Patricia Tyler, b. 3-5-1936. Nurse in Leavenworth, Kan. Single.
- 4g. Milton Peroy Tyler, b. 7-9-1938. In Military service - 1957.
- 5g. Reba Colleen Tyler, b. 3-3-1941.
- 6f. Eva Angie Tyler, b. 6-15-1889. d. 10-1-1932, from childbirth. m: Leonard Jones, 1-24-1918, at Galensville, Wisc.
- Ch: 1g. Evangeline Jones, b. 10-31-1918. m: Joe Purdom. Res: 1044 Garden Ave., Marysville, Calif.
- Ch: 1h. Eva Dawn Purdom, b. 9-18-1945.
 2h. Kelly Purdom, b. 10-6-1947.
- 2g. Wayne Jones, b. 2-2-1921. U.S. Secret Service (1957). Married in Rome, Italy. Other data not known.
- 3g. Marjorie Elizabeth Jones, b. 3-10-1929, Galesville, Wisc. m: Guy Franklin 11-11-1947. Heavy Engineer. Res: 1044 Arbagia Rd., Marysville, Calif. Divorced.
- Ch: 1h. Guy Michael Franklin, b. 7-9-1949, Sacramento, Calif.
 2h. Sharanne Gail Franklin, b. 5-26-1950, Sacramento, Calif.
 3h. Gary Leon Franklin, b. 7-31-1951, Sacramento, Calif.
- (Note: Marjorie is engaged to be married in August of 1959 to Jos. H. Johnson, a locomotive engineer for the Southern Pacific Railway.)
- 4g. Bonnie May Jones, b. 10-1-1932. Single. Residing in Wisconsin.
- 7f. Mary Alice Tyler, b. 7-21-1891, Larned, Kan., Pawnee County. m: Franklin Luther Humphreys, 11-29-1916. (b. 7-16-1879). Married at Methodist Church, Raton, N. M. Mr. Humphreys was born in Monigan Springs, Mo., and is now a retired cattle buyer and feeder. Res: Box 801, Raton, N.M. No issue.
- 6e. James Fremont Goodner, b. 7-22-1863. d. 10-23-1870, possibly at Chicago.
- 7e. Edgar Walton Goodner, b. 4-1-1865. Died during Spanish-American War. Enlisted in Spanish-American War and never returned. Was seriously ill with typhoid fever, his wife receiving official notice of this, but no official word ever came of his death, and none could be obtained from the War Dept. m: Mary Elizabeth Davenport of State Center, Iowa, in 1886 or 1887. Resided in Denver, Colo., Algona, Iowa, and St. Paul, Minn. After Mr. Goodner failed to return from the war, Mrs. Goodner obtained a divorce, since there was no official ruling on Mr. Goodner's death. She then married Dr. Clinton H. Scott of Breckenridge, Colo., who legally adopted Vera and Gaylord. It is because of this that they carry below the name of Scott, but for the sake of clarity I have also included the name of Goodner.
- Ch: 1f. Vera Goodner Scott, b. 8-5-1888, Denver, Colo. m: Willis Scudder Georgia, 12-10-1912, St. Marys, Elk Co., Pa. Res: 110 Wordsworth Ave., Altoona, Pa.
- Ch: 1g. Willis Scudder Georgia, Jr., b. 5-17-1914. Attended Hobert College, Geneva, N. Y., 2 years. W.W.II, U.S. Army, Pacific Theatre, rating of Captain. In a dispatch from Weishien airdome, Shantung Province, China, at close of the war, Capt. Georgia's name is mentioned as one of the

volunteer teams flying supplies to American prisoners of war held by the Japanese. The message stated that "among those who landed at this Japanese-held airfield to bring supplies to 1500 American and British in Japanese prison camps is Capt. Willis Georgia." Capt. Georgia was associated with his father until several years prior to this when he located in the midwest. He was engaged in teaching at Northwestern Univ., Chicago, when he entered the service. He was assigned to the Army Office of Strategic Service. Saw service in several theatres during the war and in the establishment of two beach heads. m: Gladys Swanter of Berkeley, Calif. (Her 2nd marriage.) Is now in Government employ, Wash., D.C.
Ch: 1h. Willis Scudder Georgia III, b. 9-18-1950, Washington, D.C.
2h. Jeffrey Davenport Georgia, b. 1-17-1956, Washington, D.C.

2g. Mary Elizabeth Georgia, b. 3-30-1921. Attended Penn. State at State College, Pa. m: John Pfouts Stevens. Grad. Penn. State. W.W.II, Army, rank-Officer. With United States Steel Corp. in Pittsburgh, Pa. Res: Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ch: 1h. John Pfouts Stevens III, b. 9-14-1942, San Francisco, Calif.
2h. Scudder Georgia Stevens, b. 5-12-1944, San Francisco, Calif.
3h. Peter Jeffery Stevens, b. 11-22-1948, at Pittsburgh, Pa.

2f. Gaylord Glenn ("Gail") Goodner Scott, b. 2-27-1897, Algona, Iowa. Married and divorced. No issue. Died in 1952, and interred in Arlington National Cemetery, Wash., D.C.

8e. Minnie M. Goodner, b. 3-3-1867. d. 9-13-1867.

9e. Mary Ella Goodner, b. 5-27-1869. d. Oct. 1883, age 14. Was adopted when one week old by George Bamlet of Detroit, her mother having died apparently from childbirth, 2 weeks after birth of Mary.

William Milton Goodner m: 2nd: Rosalie Du Bois, 12-21-1869, apparently in Detroit. Parentage of Miss Du Bois not known.

10e. William Frank Goodner, b. 4-10-1871. Date of death not known. Was a photographer, and worked his trade in New York City and in New Britton, Conn. Lived in New York City in 1906. m: Marie Elizabeth Miller, 1902, in New York City. (b. 3-29-1888, New York City, dau. of Augustus Miller and Anna Elsa Miller, nee Cheek, both Germans, married in New York City in 1885.)

Ch: 1f. Carol Goodner, b. 5-30-1904, New York City. An actress of note. Made her first appearance on the stage on tour in 1908, at the age of four, as one of the Dutch children in the "Red Mill", with Montgomery and Stone. Made tours with mother, also an actress, for five years. Later engaged in films for a few years, and also appeared in vaudeville. Appeared later in New York City in September 1923 in the "Music Box Review". First attracted attention when she appeared in the Ambassador in New York City in February of 1926, as Catherine Rogers in "The Great Gatsby". Made her first appearance in London, 8-30-1927, at the Garrick Theatre, when she played Jane Watson in "The Butter and Egg Man". Also played Miss Baxter in "Skin Deep", and Miss Carruthers in "Passing Brompton Road". Some other plays she appeared in were "The Black Ace", "Yesterdays Harvest", "The First Mrs. Fraser", "Late Night Final", "Dinner at Eight", "Double Door", "The Man Who Came to Dinner", and "Deep Are the Roots". m: 1st: Thomas Marshall of New York City, a real estate man. Divorced, she later married Frederic Hunter. Mailing address: Actor's Guild, 45 W. 47th St., New York City. No issue of record.

4d. James B. Goodner, b. 1830. d. 1852. No issue. Place of interment unknown.

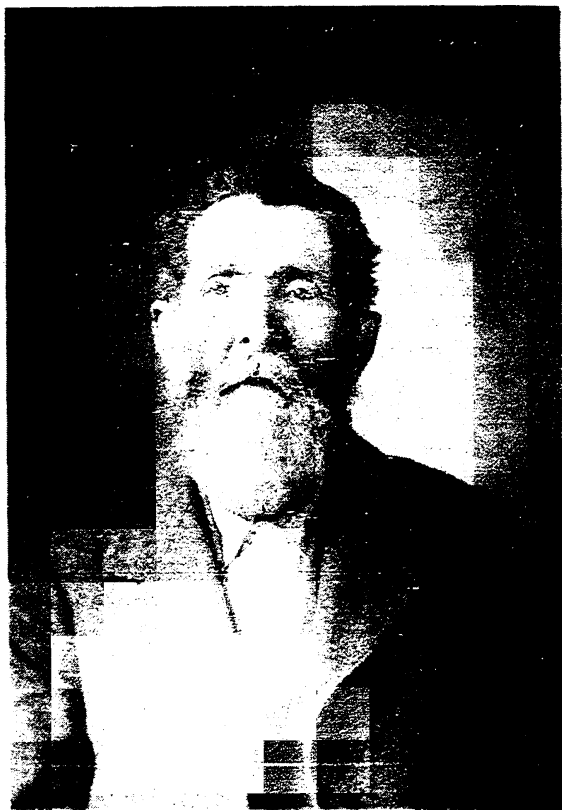
5d. Amanda M. Goodner, b. 1832. d. 1858. Place of residence and interment unknown. m: Richard M. Sperry, 1850.

Ch: 1e. Elizabeth Sperry, d. abt. 1852.

6d. Casandra S. Goodner, b. 1832. d. 1835. Twin of Amanda.

7d. Sardis Solomon Goodner, b. 10-2-1832, in Tennessee, possibly in Hardin Co. d. Midland, Texas, latter part of 1918 or 1919, at home of his daughter, Birdie Goodner Driver. Was Confederate soldier. Resided in or near Madison, St. Francis Co., Ark., after marriage, where he and his brother-in-law owned a general wholesale and retail store. This was in the year 1860, but it is not known when he first started the business or how long it endured. His wife at the time was dying of consumption. She was formerly A. Gregory. It is not known where they were married, nor do we have any information as to her parentage. After Civil War he moved to Texas and resided near Luma, or in Luma. He married 2nd: a "Miss M. L.", whom I believe to have been Martha L., since in the old family papers there was a poem written and signed by "Martha L. Goodner". Shortly after the Civil War he began to lose the sight of his eyes, but did not lose it completely. He could see to get around, but was unable to see sufficiently well to read and write. Probably interred in Midland, Texas. His second marriage occurred in about 1862 or 1863, but where we do not know. No data could be obtained on the parentage of second wife.

Ch: 1e. William Milton Goodner, b. 10-27-1864.



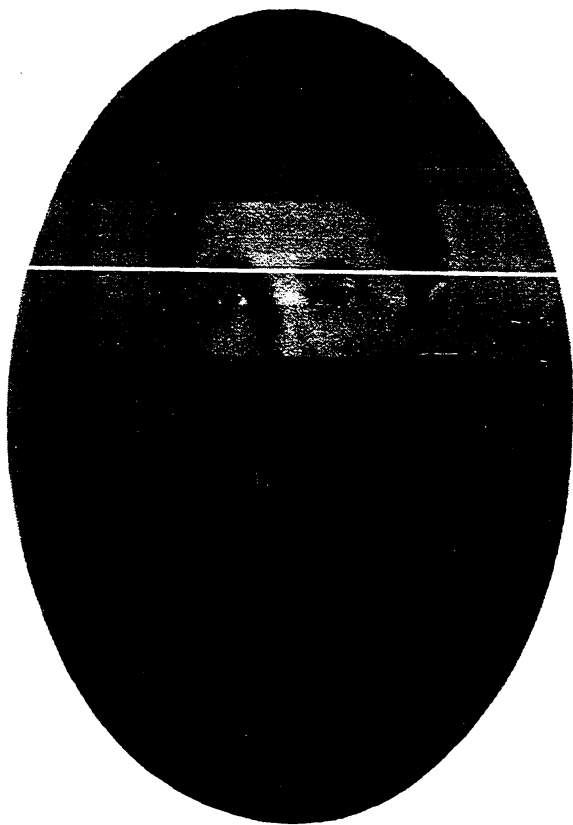
Sardis Solomon Goodner
(Courtesy of Mrs. Ethel Goodner Lindgren)

- 2e. Idar May Goodner, b. 5-3-1866.
(Mrs. Vernah Scott of Richardson, Texas, daughter of Nellie Gray Goodner Harmon, wrote that she remembers her Aunt Birdie speaking of William Milton and Idar May, and that as she remembers it they lived in the adjoining county of Navarro. A letter sent to the County Clerk of this county inquiring as to any Goodner family residing within the co., brought the reply that he was unable to find any.) It is remembered hazily that both had families, but no further information could be obtained.
- 3e. Adah Lee Goodner, b. 12-17-1869, in Ark. d. 6-10-1909. m: William Foster Reader, abt. 1892. (b. 9-13-1861) Farmer and Stockman. Resided in or near Tennessee Colony, Texas, and both probably interred there.
- Ch: 1f. Iva L. Reader, b. 12-24-1888. d. 4-11-1889.
2f. Annie Reader, b. abt. 1890. d. 7-13-1925. m: Fletcher S. Weisinger, Aug. 1910. (d. abt. 1953/4.) Both interred in Guiceland Cemetery, Houston Co., Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Eldridge Weisinger, b. 12-19-1911, Tenn. Colony, Texas. Cook. Baptist. Military Service - 15 years. m: Madeline L. Warick, 8-11-1956, Corning, N.Y. (b. 2-22-1908, Corning, N.Y.) Res: P.O. Box 265, Air Way Heights, Spokane, Wash. No issue.
2g. Irene Weisinger, b. abt. 1913, m: Mr. Wilson. Resided last known at Riverside, Calif. Unable to locate.
3g. Grady Weisinger, b. 6-15-1914, at Grape-land, Texas. Truck Contractor. Baptist.
- Res: Rt. #1, Elkhart Highway, Palestine, Texas. m: Jacqueline Fullerton, 8-1-1935. (b. 7-2-1920, dau. Francis Fullerton.)
- Ch: 1h. Annie Mae Weisinger, b. 10-30-1936. m:-----Bray. Res: Rt. #1, Box 115, Palestine, Texas.
2h. Patricia Yvonne Weisinger, b. 4-30-1939, m:-----Speake. Last known address 604 Tyler St., Athens, Texas. A letter sent there was returned.
3h. Grady Junior Weisinger, b. 11-23-1941.
4h. Jimmie Lee Weisinger, b. 11-9-1943.
5h. Jerry Lynn Weisinger, b. 8-21-1945.
6h. Jo Ann Weisinger, b. 8-7-1948.
7h. Larry Dean Weisinger, b. 8-27-1950.
8h. Danny Dail Weisinger, b. 6-14-1952.
9h. Jackie Ray Weisinger, b. 2-3-1955.
10h. Rickie Don Weisinger, b. 11-24-1956.
- 4g. Lee Weisinger, b. 9-30-1915, Rockhill Community, Houston Co., Texas. Shop Foreman. Baptist. m: Lemma B. Lummus, 9-10-1935, Grosbeck, Tex. (b. 11-28-1919, dau. Mary Frances Jones.) Res: 226 N. Main St., Kermit, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Virginia Weisinger, b. 11-5-1936. m: Jimmie Ray Hockersmith. Res: 608 W. Bryan, Kermit, Texas.
2h. Shirley Fay Weisinger, b. 12-26-1941.
3h. Betty Lou Weisinger, b. 7-21-1943.
4h. Diann Bell Weisinger, b. 9-10-1948.
5h. Virgil Lee Weisinger, b. 8-6-1954.
6h. Cynthia Lynn Weisinger, b. 11-12-1957.
- 5g. Hattie Weisinger, b. 6-6-1919. Reared in the State Orphans Home in Corsicana, Texas, from age 5-1/2 years. m: Raymond Dorset Keowyn, 4-6-1940. Operator of a Pecan Shelling Plant, Grain Storage Warehouse, and a Hardware and Appliance Store. Res: Gordon, Texas. No issue.
- 6g. Jim Weisinger, b. 4-3-1923, Midlothian, Texas. In Refrigeration business with A & B Electric Service, Seymour, Texas. Baptist. Res: 610 E. Idaho St., Seymour, Texas. Army, 3-1-1941 to 9-21-1945. m: Mary E. Pye, 4-12-1956, Lovington, N.M. (b. 5-3-1923, dau. Jim and Ethyl Pye.) No ch.
- 3f. Lillie Reader, b. 10-30-1892, Tennessee Colony, Texas. m: James Allen Woolverton, 3-19-1916. Farmer and Stockman. Members Christian Church. Res: Tenn. Colony, Tex.

- Ch: 1g. Billie Foster Woolverton, b. 1-26-1917, Tennessee Colony, Texas. Truck Driver. Navy, 4 years: 1-31-1941 to 12-5-1945. American Area, Asiatic-Pacific Area, Phillipine Liberation. Okinawa Gunto Operation. Received Victory Medal. m: Annie Kate Valentine, 1-8-1949. (b. 11-2-1918, dau. H. L. Valentine.), a widow, or divorcee, with one child named Lucy L. Spears. Res: 1312 Hays St., Palestine, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Jack Foster Woolverton, b. 1-16-1949.
- 2g. Nuel Albert Woolverton, b. 8-19-1918, Tennessee Colony, Texas. Entered Army 1-16-1941, and discharged 11-11-1945 as S/Sgt. Served with Mars Task Force in China, India, and Burma, and was in much action. Member of 124th Cav. Regiment. Refinery Gauger. Baptist. Res: 4845 Johnson Dr., Corpus Christi, Tex. m: June L. Poole, 6-22-1946. (b. 6-22-1929, dau. Herbert Poole.)
Ch: 1h. Celia Ann Woolverton, b. 4-1-1947.
2h. Herby Dale Woolverton, b. 11-27-1949.
3h. James Allen Woolverton, b. 5-3-1951.
- 4f. Sardis Solomon Reader, b. 12-20-1894, Waco, Texas. m: Betty Mondy, 11-15-1916. (b. 5-15-1894, dau. T.W. Mondy of Ruston, La.) Baptists. Mr. Reader suffered a heart attack in 1953 and has been inactive since. Res: 810 Jones St., Ruston, La.
Ch: 1g. Claud Leon Reader, b. 11-24-1917, Palestine, Texas, Tennessee Colony. Baptist. Dist. Mgr. Jackson Cookie Co. m: Margaret Tinsley, 4-15-1939, Ruston, La. (b. 5-8-1916, dau. T.W. Tinsley.) Res: 52-53 Nantuckett St., Jackson, Miss.
Ch: 1h. Robert Leon Reader, b. 12-23-1939.
2h. Margaret Elizabeth Reader, b. 7-27-1942.
3h. Nancy Claudine Reader, b. 7-11-1944.
4h. Gloria Jean Reader, b. 1-11-1946.
- 2g. Ruth Reader, b. 10-23-1919, Palestine, Texas. m: Amos Ard, 6-13-1936, Ruston, La. (b. 11-8-1911, son William Ard, Husser, La.) Dairy Farmer. Baptist. Separated 2-22-1951. Div'd 9-9-1957. Address of Ruth: Amite, La., care of General Delivery.
Ch: 1h. Betty Ruth Ard, b. 3-10-1937.
2h. Carlton Ard, b. 10-5-1940.
3h. Amos Lamar Ard, b. 10-18-1944.
4h. Gordon Lynn Ard, b. 2-1-1950.
- 3g. J.C. Reader, b. 10-21-1923. Res: Ruston, La. No data.
- 4g. Lula Mae Reader, b. 11-2-1927, Ruston, La. m: George Lester Dobbs, 10-18-1946, Ruston, La. (b. 12-4-1919, son George W. Dobbs of Tuscaloosa, Ala.) Painter. Baptist. Army April 1921 to Nov. 1945. Res: Rt. #2, Ruston, La.
Ch: 1h. Sharon Lee Dobbs, b. 8-28-1947.
- 5f. Kattie Reader, b. 4-30-1896. d. 7-11-1925. m: Mr. Mondy. (b. 12-1-1895.) Ranch Foreman for Buckner's Black Angus Cattle Ranch in East Texas.
Ch: 1g. Ada Mondy, b. 12-3-1916, Tennessee Colony, Texas. m: Norris Van Zile, 10-18-1939. (b. 5-1-1914, son Dale Van Zile.) Postal Clerk in Postoffice at Monroe, La. Address: Box 695, Monroe, La. Ada is a nurse. Methodist.
Ch: 1h. George Daniel Van Zile, b. 5-19-1941.
2h. Larry Mathew Van Zile, b. 9-23-1942.
3h. Patrick Sherman Van Zile, b. 7-27-1944.
4h. Richard Warren Van Zile, b. 1-23-1948.
5h. Peggy Jane Van Zile, b. 7-5-1950.
- 2g. Glendon Mondy, b. abt. 1918. Career Man in Navy. Res: East Maumee St., Angola, Indiana. No data.
- 3g. George Mondy, b. abt. 1920. Career Man in Navy. Master Sgt., #2044-6575, U.S.A. Elm, MAAG, Box 28, Navy 150, c/o F.P.O., San Francisco, Calif.
- 6f. Rubie Reader, b. 9-21-1897. d. 1-15-1898.
- 7f. Lynn Joseph Reader, b. 2-17-1899, Tenn. Colony, Tex. Mechanic. Baptist. W.W.I, 2 years. m: La Veta Medford, 6-9-1926. (b. 10-27-1904, dau. Duane U. Medford.) Res: Rt. #1, Box 650, San Angelo, Texas.
Ch: 1g. L. J. Reader, b. 11-20-1927. Deceased.
2g. Jane Reader, b. 6-16-1929. Residing at home. Single.
3g. Willie Duane Reader, b. 8-1-1931. Single. At Home.
- 8f. Jabe C. Reader, b. 8-17-1901. d. 9-25-1940. (Killed by a train.) m: Jewell Fairchild. (Deceased) No issue.
- 9f. Infant daughter. d. infancy.

- 10f. Royal Reader, b. 5-20-1905. d. 5-20-1905)
- 11f. Reagan Reader, b. 5-20-1905. d. 5-24-1905.) Twins.
- 12f. Zack T. Reader, b. 10-13-1906, Anderson Co., Texas. Checker at Coca Cola Bottling Plant. Member Lakeview Christian Church. Res: 7 West 27th St., San Angelo, Texas. m: Mary Januett Fleenor, 6-26-1925. (b. 1-6-1907, dau. William and Lillian Fleenor.)
- Ch: 1g. Rev. Charles Walter Reader, b. 4-16-1926, Midland, Tex. Pastor, Minister of Education, Huntington Park Christian Church. Served in Navy 1944 to 6-3-1946. m: Ida Ruth Mills, 11-26-1945, Ft. Worth, Texas. (b. 6-2-1934, dau. S.A. Mills.) Res: 2538 E. 57th St., Huntington Park, California.
- Ch: 1h. Carole Jean Reader, b. 7-15-1947.
2h. Jimmie Lee Reader, b. 8-26-1948.
3h. David Paul Reader, b. 1-6-1958.
- 2g. Adah Belle Reader, b. 1-19-1928, Midland, Tex. m: Buford Arnold Mattox, 5-26-1948, Gilmer, Tex. (b. 4-1-1921, son Dalton and Nolie Mattox.) Military service-Army 1943 to 1945. Invalided because of Multiple Sclerosis. Buford Member of Church of Christ in Graceton, Texas, place of birth, and Adah Belle member First Christian Church, Longview, Tex. Res: Rt. #5, Gilmer, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Viola Mattox, b. 12-7-1953.
2h. Shirley Ann Mattox, b. 8-10-1955.
- 3g. Le Roy Reader, b. 4-13-1930. Career Man in Navy. m: Elva Loretta Swafford, 5-23-1954. (b. 1-17-1933, dau. of M.P. Riggs of San Angelo, Texas.) Res: 1805 Moringrise Pl., S.E., Albuquerque, N.M. Married in Holly Springs, Miss.
- Ch: 1h. Phylis Rae Reader, b. 9-1-1950.
2h. Roy Lee Reader, b. 10-23-1954.
- 4g. David Hubert Reader, b. 10-4-1932, Midland, Tex. Millworker. Member Christian Church. Marines - 3 years. Res: Rt. #1, Box 71, Eagle Point, Ore. m: Glenna Gaylene O'Dell, 8-10-1956, Los Angeles, Calif. (b. 7-2-1934, dau. Glenn and Mable O'Dell.)
- Ch: 1h. Brett Marshall Reader, b. 12-9-1958.
- 13f. Lee Reader, b. 6-7-1909. d. 10-21-1908.
- 4e. Sardis Henry Goodner, b. 2-20-1872. No data.
- 5e. Nora Claudia Goodner, b. 1-8-1874. No data.
- 6e. Martha J. Goodner, b. 6-7-1875. No data.
- Sardis Solomon Goodner m: 3rd: Amanda Melissa Hendrix.
- Ch: 7e. Birdie Goodner, (Berta Mae), b. 7-13-1881. d. 5-30-1938. Interred in Fairview Cemetery, Midland, Tex. m: Washington Berry Driver, abt. 1900. (b. 3-30-1876. d. 2-2-1925) Both interred in Fairview Cemetery, Midland, Tex., near which place they resided. Farmer.
- Ch: 1f. Goodner Carroll Driver, b. 5-4-1902. Electrician. Member First Christian Church. m: Joyce Smith, 8-1-1923. (b. 4-14-1903, dau. T.H. Smith.) Res; Midland, Tex., Box 308.
- Ch: 1g. Griffin Driver, (dau.), b. 1-28-1926. m: John R. Allen, Jr., 10-21-1951, Sparta, Ill. (b. 1-30-1921, Sparta.) Navy-6-18-1943 to 5-20-1946. In Naval Reserve. Res: 119 S. Maple, Sparta, Ill. No issue.
- 2g. Irma Eugenia Driver, b. 12-29-1931. m: 1st: Donald Ray Kirk, 4-6-1951. Divorced 1956.
- Ch: 1h. Donald Ray Kirk, Jr., b. 4-1-1953, Midland, Tex.
m: 2nd: Ronald L. Parker, 11-17-1956, Lovington, N.M. (b. 12-23-1927, son Raymond and Florence Parker.) Draftsman for Ohio Oil Co., and co-partner in "Parkers Used Cars". Methodist. Served in Army. Res: 4404 Erie Dr., Midland, Texas.
- Ch: 2h. Raymond Carroll Parker, b. 8-17-1959.
- 2f. Nellie Lee Driver, b. 7-30-1903. d. 2-6-1925. m: Mr. Klebold. No issue.
- 3f. Godfrey Washington Driver, b. 6-29-1905. d. 8-24-1909.
- 4f. Reginald Manning Driver, b. 1-9-1907. d. 1-29-1925.
- 5f. Berta Earl Driver, (Son), b. 4-20-1909. d. 5-4-1909.
- 6f. Richmond Caleb Driver, b. 9-20-1910. d. 2-6-1925.
- 7f. Adah Agnes Driver, b. 8-15-1913. m: Vernon Holton Heidleberg. Res: 825 N. Venice, Tuscon, Ariz.
- Ch: 1g. Melissa Vernon Heidleberg, b. 6-4-1933. m: Theron Clifford Carnefix, 11-21-1956. Res: 1521 N. Euclid, Tuscon, Ariz.
- Ch: 1h. Daughter. b. 11-21-1957.
- 2g. Billie Lee Heidleberg, b. 1-12-1936. m: Donald Wayne Johnson, 6-10-

1956. Res: 825 N. Venice, Tuscon, Ariz.
 Ch: 1h. Donald Wayne Johnson, Jr., b. 4-27-1957.
 2h. David Lee Johnson, b. 5-26-1958.
- 3g. Nathan Lila Heidleberg (dau., b. 5-12-1937. m: Edward J.C. Allen, 7-1-1959. Mailing Address: 825 N. Venice, Tucson, Ariz.
- 4g. Richmond Jacob Heidleberg, b. 6-3-1948.
- 5g. Lincoln Karuso Heidleberg, b. 2-17-1952. d. 2-12-1953.
- 8f. Sardis Levi Driver, b. 8-19-1914, Freestone Co., Texas. Lineman. W.W.II. Member Christian Church. m: Cleo Mirdell Thompson, 7-2-1938. (b. 7-23-1920, dau. G.L. Thompson.) Married in Tyler, Texas. Res: 3000 Allgeyer Ave. El Monte, Calif.
 Ch: 1g. Leslie Berry Driver, b. 9-4-1941.
 2g. Sandra Kay Driver, b. 4-21-1946.
 3g. Carl Jake Driver, b. 10-23-1947.
- 8e. Nellie Gray Goodner, b. 2-2-1887, Luna, Texas. (Not now on map.) d. 8-7-1910. Interred in Teague, Texas. m: John Harmon. (b. 4-16-1884, Laneville, Tex. d. 8-24-1947, Hillsboro, Tex. Son of La Fayette and Francis Ann Autry Harmon.)
 Ch: 1f. Vernah Harmon, b. 12-20-1904. m: Thomas Eugene Scott, * 8-7-1922, at Grosbeck, Tex. Div'd 1942. Vernah employed as Librarian in Dallas Public Schools. Res: 330 Pittman, Richardson, Texas.
 Ch: 1g. Campbell Goodner Scott, b. 10-18-1923. m: Ulyssa Marie Thurston, 3-6-1948. (b. 11-23-1929, dau. Mason Lewis and Ona Ulyssa Barron Scott, of Covington, Tex.) Res: 4615 West Storey, Midland, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Pamela Nell Scott, b. 12-3-1948, Dallas, Texas.
 2h. Rebecca Lynn Scott, b. 1-20-1952, Corpus Christi, Texas.
 3h. Janice Elizabeth Scott, b. 9-9-1954, Corpus Christi, Texas.
 2g. Thomas Eugene Scott, b. 2-21-1927. m: Cornelia Kelly, 9-1-1953. (b. 8-10-1927, Gallatin, Tenn., dau. Mrs. Eugenia Chenauly Kelly, who married William Howard Hitchcock of Gallatin, Tenn., and adopted Cornelia.) Res: 3776 Van Ness, Dallas, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Eugenia Hitchcock Scott, b. 5-29-1954, Dallas.
 2h. Thomas Eugene Scott, II, b. 10-15-1957.
- *(Thos. Eugene Scott, b. 3-28-1896, son of John T. Scott and Eugenia Scott, nee Campbell, of Gulfport, Miss. Civil Engineer. W.W.I.)
- 8d. Martha Elizabeth C. Goodner, b. 2-1-1838, Hardin Co., Tenn. d. 1923, Oakland, Calif. m: Anderson Brownlow Logan, 11-15-1856, in Washington Co., Ill. (b. 5-4-1834, Tennessee. d. 3-12-1878, Edwardsburg, Mich. Father's name not known. Mother's name was McAfee) Resided in Richview, Washington Co., Ill., and possibly in Edwardsburg, Mich., since Mr. Logan died there. Later in life, in 1922, Martha removed to Oakland, Calif., and resided at 2944 Juno St. She is undoubtedly interred there in Oakland.
- Martha Elizabeth C. Goodner Logan. (1838-1923.) Wife of Anderson Brownlow Logan. Taken in the year 1899, at age of 61 years. (Courtesy of Mrs. Ethel Goodner Lindgren.)
- Ch: 1e. Katie Logan, b. 9-25-1858. d. 7-19-1860, Richview, Ill.
 2e. Cora B. Logan, b. 6-12-1861, Richview, Ill. d. 4-12-1863.
 3e. Jennie Logan, b. 9-9-1864. d. 2-22-1894, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. m: William Elder Goodner, (1854-1925), son of Elijah Goodner, son of Rev. Benjamin Goodner. For descendants of this union, please turn to Chapter on Rev. Benjamin Goodner, P. 282.
 4e. Maud Logan, b. 9-28-1868, Richview, Ill. d. 1947. m: Robert Burns Martin, 3-31-1898. (b. 8-26-1873, Willow Springs, Wisc. d. 9-3-1941, Topeka, Kan., son of John Cobin and Mary Ellen Schellenger Martin. Marriage occurred in Trinidad, Colo.
 Ch: 1f. Robert Martin, b. 4-4-1902, Dodgeville, Wisc. d. at birth.
 2f. Hazel Irene Martin, b. 3-31-1903, Dodgeville, Wisc. m: Gibson Wells Putnam, 10-27-1930, Topeka, Kan. (b. 6-14-1909,



Martha Goodner Logan

Topeka, Kan., son Harry Wells Putnam and Louise Putnam, nee Gibson.) Resided at one time in Kansas City, Kan. Present Res: 709 N. 5th St., Ottumwa, Iowa. Separated.

Ch: 1g. Dale Martin Putnam, b. 4-5-1939, Topeka, Kansas.

3f. Charles Schellenger Martin, b. 8-20-1905. d. same day.

4f. John Charles Martin, b. 6-28-1906, Madison, Wisc. Proprietor of a Bookkeeping and Tax service, known as "At-Ur-Dor" Service, located at 2617 N. 18th St., Kansas City, Kansas. W.W.II, Navy; rank - Lieut. m: Marian Scott, 6-16-1932, Topeka, Kansas. (b. 6-4-1903, Burlingame, Kan., dau. Charles and Hattie Scott.)

Ch: 1g. Sara Jane Martin, b. 6-26-1933, Topeka, Kan. m: J. James Hill. Res: 2934 N. 58th St., Kansas City, 4, Kan.

Ch: 1h. Robert Hill, b. 8-22-1949.

2h. Joseph Richard Hill, b. 8-4-1951.

3h. Donald James Hill, b. 6-8-1953.

4h. Dianne Jane Hill, b. 6-23-1954.

5h. John Thomas Hill, b. 9-12-1956. d. 6-3-1957.

6h. Thomas John Hill, b. 10-15-1958.

2g. Roberta Anne Martin, b. 8-14-1940, Topeka, Kan. Student in Junior College - 1959.

5e. Ina Logan, b. 5-15-1877, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. d. 1-11-1950. Interred at Childress, Texas. m: D. Selwyn Harrington, 1897. (b. 4-28-1874, son Daniel Webster Harrington.) Resided in 1922 at Texpline, Tex.; later Amarillo, Tex. Mr. Harrington now residing at 504 13th St. N.W., Childress, Tex. Retired Railroad conductor. Presbyterian. Ina and Mr. Harrington married at Trinidad, Colo., 5-25-1897.

Ch: 1f. Ralph Brownlow Harrington, b. 3-12-1898, Trinidad, Colo. Lieut. Colonel, Retired. Served in both W.W.I and W.W.II, and in Korean Campaign, rating, Captain, later Lieut. Colonel. Received the following decorations and medals; Bronze Star, W.W.I Victory Medal, American Theatre Medal, European-African Mediterranean Theatre Medal (3 Campaign Stars), Army of Occupation Medal (Germany), W.W.II Victory Medal, National Defense Medal, Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Armed Forces Reserve Medal (over 30 years), United Nations Service Medal. Present status: Lt. Colonel, U.S. Army, Retired. Res: 6791 Obispo Ave., Long Beach 5, Calif. m: Mildred McGovney, 2-22-1923, El Centro, Calif. (b. 4-26-1900, dau. Albert and Mary Warth McGovney of Nevada, Mo.) Members of Presbyterian Church. No issue.

9d. Marietta P. Goodner, b. Feb. 1840. Date of death not known. m: 1st: R.M. Sperry, former husband of deceased sister, Amanda. No issue. m: 2nd: White Myers.

Ch: 1e. Jennie Myers, m: Clarence Kiger. Served term in prison - cause not known. Jennie resided in her older years (1906) at 1404 Jefferson St., Nashville, Tenn.

Ch: 1f. Andrew White Kiger.

2f. Marietta Pearl Kiger.

10d. Godfrey Watson Goodner, b. 1842. d. 1895. Apparently never married.

11d. Francis M. ("Frank") Goodner, b. 10-11-1844. d. 7-30-1926, Tennessee Colony, Texas. In his younger days, he was known as "Little Godfrey", so I have been informed, but I am wondering if this did not refer to his brother, Godfrey. It is reported among some old family letters, that during the Civil War, he joined a company of miners in St. Clair Co., Ill., where he resided, and went to the arsenal. There he found Benson Goodner. He left his company and joined Capt. Stookey's Company of 9th Missouri Volunteers, Infantry, in Oct. 1861. He was stationed for a time in Booneville, Mo. He made this change in order to be in the same Co. as Benson Goodner. The official record in the Vet. Administration, Washington, D.C., gave me the following report as of Oct. 23rd, 1958:

"Francis M. Goodner, born Hardin Co., Tenn., Nov. 29th, 1844. Enrolled at St. Louis, Mo. Aug. 2nd, 1861, in the 59th Ill. Volunteers and was honorably discharged at New Braunfels, Tex., on Dec. 8th, 1865. Died July 30th, 1926 in Tenn. Colony. His widow, Alice Goodner, has been receiving a pension of \$65.00 per month since his death. Her present address is Rt. #1, Tennessee Colony, Texas."

Mr. Goodner married twice, the name of his 1st wife is not known. He married 2nd: Alice Hilton, 5-18-1904, at Palestine, Tex. (b. 11-21-1873 at Charleston, S.C., dau. Miles Hilton.) Res. of widow: Rt. #1, Tennessee Colony, Tex. Mr. Goodner was a farmer and a member of the Baptist Church. He is buried at Tenn. Colony, Tex., where his great niece, Mrs. Lillie Woolverton is presently living. There were no children by either marriage.



Francis M. Goodner (1844-1926)
Courtesy of Mrs. Francis M. Goodner

10c. Very little is known about the life of Francis Acuff Goodner, the 10th child of Conrad & Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner. He was born in Sullivan County, Tennessee, on the 26th of December, 1799, moved with parents at a tender age to Smith County, Tennessee, and from there to Illinois Territory, at which time he was twelve or thirteen years of age, so his boyhood was spent in Tennessee and his youth in Illinois. He grew up on the farm, and remained a farmer all of his life.

On November 1st, 1821, in St. Clair County, Illinois, he married Elizabeth Jackson, a first cousin and a daughter of William and Catherine (Goodner) Jackson, the ceremony being performed by Joseph Patterson. Previously a sister of Elizabeth, Nancy, had married Benjamin Goodner, a brother of Francis Acuff. Francis remained in St. Clair County for quite a few years after his marriage, but in the year 1847, he was living in Washington County, Illinois. In February of that year, he purchased a tract of land from Demsy Kennedy, possibly some relation to the Edward Cannady (Kennedy) who married his daughter, Harriett Sophronia. (Book E, Page 482). The date of the instrument was Feb. 15, 1847, and date of Record Feb. 19, 1848. He later bought other pieces of property as indicated in his will disposing of them.

In February 1853, he drew up his will, and passed away that same month, apparently from an illness of some kind, - age 53, still a young man. His wife died in 1863, intestate. A copy of the will of Francis Acuff follows. In the administration of the estate of Elizabeth in 1863, the survivors are given as James J. Goodner, George W. Goodner, Emily Livesay, and Harriett S. Kennedy. Why none of the children of the deceased daughter, Polina Phillips, were not shown as heirs is not known. Polina lost her mind, and died during the Civil War period, prior to the date of death of Elizabeth, and I have been informed, in a sanitarium. Francis and Elizabeth were buried in Washington County, Illinois, but the name of the cemetery is unknown to me.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANCIS ACUFF GOODNER. WASHINGTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

"State of Illinois)
Washington County) February 2, A.D. 1853.

To all to whom these presents may concern, know ye that I, Francis A. Goodner, who is of sound mind and memory but in feeble health of body, and knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life, do hereby make this my last will and testament after committing my soul to God who gave it, do hereby will or bequeath to Elizabeth my wife, the following lots or tracts of land, to have and to hold as her dower of land during her natural life, known and described as follows, the west half and the north half of the east half of the southwest quarter of Section eleven, west half of the northwest quarter of Section eleven, and the southwest quarter of northwest quarter of Section two, all in Township two South and Range two west; and do will Paulina and Emily and James J. Goodner the following lots or tracts of land, the east half of the northwest quarter of section eleven and the west half of the northeast quarter of Section eleven and the west half of the southeast quarter of Section two, and all in the township two South Range two west, and do hereby will to Harriett S. Goodner the following described lands known as the northeast quarter of Southwest fourth of Section two and the southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section two, all in township two south Range two west, and also to the said Harriett S. Goodner at her mother's death the west half of the northwest quarter of Section eleven, town two south Range two west, and do hereby will to my son, George W. Goodner, at the death of his mother, to have and to hold forever the following described parcel of land known as the west half of the north half of the east half of Southwest of Section Eleven and Southwest quarter of Northwest quarter of Section two, all in township two South Range two West.

I do hereby will to Harriett S. Goodner one sorrel colt two years old last spring called blaze and do will to George W. Goodner one sorrel yearling hors colt, and I do further will to Harriett S. and George W. Goodner two hundred dollars expressly for the purpose to pay the tax on the lands I hereby will to them, which money is to be kept laid out and the interest with so much of the principal as may be necessary is to be applied from year to year in paying the tax on their land, and if any of the money remain on hand when they become of age it is to be divided equally between they two and I do further appoint Elizabeth Goodner, my wife, Executrix of this Will and especially of the money and lands willed to my two youngest children, and I do hereby will all the remaining part of my estate after the paying of all just debts to Elizabeth, my wife, and to use it as she may wish or desire, in testimony whereof I have here unto fixed my hand and seal this the day and year first above written.

Signed in the presents of
"G.W. Hotchkiss"
"Elijah Goodner"

N.B. I further order that my wife shall not be required to give security as Executrix of this will on her bond."

Signed: "Francis A. Goodner."

(Note: Original spelling of the above will has been adhered to)

"State of Illinois
Washington County

On this 26th day of February 1853, personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the County Court of Said County, G.W. Hotchkiss and Elijah Goodner, the subscribing witnesses, -----et., etc.
Subscribed and Sworn before me this 26th Day of February, Signed "G.W. Hotchkiss"
A.D. 1853. Amos Watts, Clerk CC. Washington County, Ill. "Elijah Goodner"

The Administration Papers included Bond posted by Elizabeth Goodner, signed by her X mark.

"A True and perfect inventory of the Personal Property of F.A. Goodner, Dec'd., as follows, to wit:

Eight head of Horses	\$ 320.00
15 head of cattle	150.00
35 head of sheep	55.00
17 head of hogs	20.00
One Two Horse Waggon	50.00
1 Cairrage	30.00
Value of other Property	50.00
Cash on Hand	360.00
Notes Dew	180.00
Note Dew 1st June next	40.00
Account of Wayman Doubtful	<u>12.65</u>
	\$1247.65

March the 21st, 1853.

her
Elizabeth X Goodner
mark
Executrix of F.A. Goodner, Dec'd.

Sept. 23, 1861.

"Received of Elizabeth Goodner, Executrix of will of F.A. Goodner one hundred dollars in full of all demands for money willed to me.

Signed: "Harriett Cannady"

Elizabeth Goodner posted bond in the amount of \$4000.00. The original will and papers are in the vault in the in the Court House, Washington County, Nashville, Illinois.

Elizabeth Goodner, widow of Francis A. Goodner, died in 1863, and James J. Goodner was appointed Administrator.

Survivors were: James J. Goodner
George W. Goodner
Emily Livesay
Harriett S. Kennedy.

Administration papers are in the vault of the Court House at Nashville, Washington County, Illinois. They include the bill of sale of all personal effects, to whom sold and amount of each transaction, together with a list of notes due, amounting in all to \$2202.36. Among the papers was a receipt signed by H.B. Lacey (or H.B. Lucey) for \$13.00 for care of Elizabeth. Administrator's Bond in the amount of \$4000.00 was signed by :

James J. Goodner
George W. Goodner
William E. Livesay.

10c. Francis Acuff Goodner (1799-1853) - Elizabeth Jackson (1803-1863)

1d. Paulina Goodner (1822-1861/5)
m: William Roe Phillips.

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- 1e. Polk Phillips
 - 2e. Frank Phillips
 - 3e. Richard Phillips
 - 4e. Lucy Phillips
 - 5e. Sallie Phillips
 - 6e. Hattie Phillips

2d. Emily Goodner (1825-1884)
m: William Edmond Livesay (1823-1884)

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- 1e. Jackson Lafayette Livesay (1845-1930)
 - 2e. Sarah E. Livesay (1847-1875)
 - 3e. Wilber R. Livesay (1849-1887)
 - 4e. Gentry F. Livesay (1851-)
 - 5e. Tillman H. Livesay (1854-1900)
 - 6e. Dovey H. Livesay (1857-1933)
 - 7e. Mattie F. Livesay (1860-1879)
 - 8e. Lena B. Livesay (1862-1863)
 - 9e. James Sherman Livesay (1864-)

3d. Ranson Goodner.

Died Young.

4d. James Jackson Goodner (1827-1889)

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- 1e. Erastus Wentworth Goodner (1850-)
 - 2e. Hulda Zillicia Goodner (1852-)
 - 3e. Howard B. Goodner (1853-1937)
 - 4e. James Hedding Goodner (1854-inf.)
 - 5e. Mary Alma Goodner (1857-1934)
 - 6e. Martha Nevada Goodner (1859-1943)
 - 7e. Rachael Eliz. Goodner (1863-inf.)
 - 8e. Homer Caldwell Goodner (1865-1926)
 - 9e. Maude Goodner (1868-1930)
 - 10e. Bird Goodner (1871-1940)
 - 11e. John White Goodner (1874-inf.)
 - 12e. Pluma Goodner (1877-inf.)
 - 13e. Child Name unknown. d. inf.
 - 14e. George Romana Goodner (abt. 1880-)
 - 15e. Child. Name unknown. d. inf.
 - 16e. Child. Name unknown. d. inf.

5d. Harriett Sophronia Goodner (1838-)
m: 1st: Edward Cannady (Kennedy)
m: 2nd: Mr. Shanks.

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- 1e. Emory Shanks.

6d. George W. Goodner (1840-1916)

No issue.

- 10c. Francis ("Frank") Acuff Goodner, b. 12-26-1799, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. Feb., 1853, Washington Co., Ill. m: Elizabeth Jackson, 11-21-1821. (b. abt. 1802/3 N.C. d. 1863, Washington Co., Ill.) Elizabeth was his first cousin. Farmer. Interred in Washington County, Ill. See biographical sketch for more details.
- Ch: 1d. Paulina ("Polina") Goodner, b. abt. 1822. d. during Civil War Period in Richview, Ill. m: Capt. William Roe Phillips, 5-14-1843, Washington Co., Ill., James Walker, L.D. (Marriage record gives name as William M. Phillips) Farmer. Made their home in Washington Co., Ill., until at least after the Civil War. The children, with exception of Polk, are reported to have moved to Nebraska and Minnesota, but all efforts to locate them have been unsuccessful. In 1925, Milton Perry Goodner made careful search for descendants, but was unable to locate any.
- Ch: 1e. Polk Phillips, b. abt. 1844. Is reported to have been in the Union Forces in the Civil War, and was lost returning home on a boat, on furlough. An inquiry to the General Services Administration in Washington revealed that they had no record of any service.
- 2e. Frank Phillips, b. abt. 1846. Reported to have gone to Nebraska and engaged in politics.
- 3e. Richard Phillips, b. abt. 1848. Also reported to have gone to Nebraska, and to have engaged in politics.
- 4e. Lucy Phillips. Married and moved to Minnesota. b. abt. 1850.
- 5e. Sallie Phillips, b. abt. 1852.
- 6e. Hattie Phillips, b. abt. 1854.
- 2d. Emily Goodner, b. 3-2-1825, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. 11-7-1876. Possibly Washington Co., Ill. m: William Edmond Livesay, * 8-1-1844, Washington Co., Ill., by Thomas F. White, J.P. (b. 11-14-1823. d. 8-1-1884) Resided in Washington Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1e. Jackson Lafayette Livesay, b. 9-28-1845. d. 8-25-1930, Centralia, Ill. In retail grocery and provision store in Centralia, Ill., even at the age of 80. m: 1st: Emmer Lingram, 6-12-1871, Richview, Ill. (d. 9-8-1910.)
- Ch: 1f. Halsey Odel Livesay, b. 4-2-1872. d. 10-28-1872.
- 2f. Edmond Clyde Livesay, b. 4-2-1873. d. 6-21-1935, Centralia, Ill. m: Grace Herrin. No issue.
- 3f. Ruby Livesay, b. 11-26-1874. d. 3-16-1945, Chicago, Ill. m: William Severns, 7-5-1900. d. 2-10-1947. Resided in Chicago at 4638 Kenwood.
- Ch: 1g. Roger La Fayette Severns, b. 1-20-1906, Centralia, Ill. Grad. of Beloit College, with B.A. Degree; Grad of Chicago-Kent College of Law, LL.B., and LL.M. Grad. Univ. of Chicago, J.D. Member of American Bar Assn., Illinois State Bar Assn., Chicago Bar Assn., American Foreign Law Society, The Law Club. On faculty of Chicago-Kent College of Law since 1933, and also served as instructor at Univ. of Chicago Law School. TKE. Author of "Judicial History of Illinois and the Early Northwest", undertaken for Illinois State Bar Assn. Member of law firm of Parkhill, Severns, and Stansell, Suite 1517, 111 West Washington St., Chicago, Ill. Res: 5624 Kenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill. m: Margaret Louise Lauritzen, 6-18-1932, at Rockford, Ill, dau. H.N. and Mabel Lauritzen. Episcopalian.
- Ch: 1h. Roger La Fayette Severns, Jr., b. 12-20-1940.
- 2h. William Lauritzen Severns, b. 5-24-1944.
- 4f. Fay Livesay, b. 12-24-1877. d. 10-8-1878.
- 5f. Guy Cullom Livesay, b. 6-15-1881. d. 4-4-1948. m: Elizabeth Kaney, 1-9-1912. Was in the Casualty Insurance business in Centralia, Ill. No issue.
- 6f. Otis Logan Livesay, b. 12-6-1883. d. 12-6-1959, St. Louis. Became connected with Anheuser-Busch Brewing Co. of St. Louis in 1910 as Junior Clerk and stenographer in the Treasury Department, from which position he rose in gradual stages to Paymaster, then Chief Cashier, and in 1935 to Asst. Treasurer. In 1940, he became Treasurer, which position he held until death. Was Director of Manufacturers Bank & Trust Co. of St. Louis. m: Jeanette Isabel Jeffry, 8-15-1917. (b. 9-15-1887). Res: 5979 Arsenal, St. Louis 9, Mo.
- Ch: 1g. Jane Livesay, b. 8-30-1918, St. Louis, Mo. m: Kenneth Fleet Guerrant, 6-26-1948. (b. 4-11-1915. Res: 5971 N. Cuba Court, St. Louis 9, Mo.
- Ch: 1h. Janet Guerrant, b. 5-15-
- 2g. Charles Jackson Livesay, b. 1-26-1922, St. Louis, Mo. Res: 120 Peeke Ave., Kirkwood 20, Mo. m: 1st: Sarah Grimsley, 8-6-1943. (b. 8-9-1925) Divorced 3-12-1953.
- Ch: 1h. Donna Lynn Livesay, b. 2-28-1948.
- m: 2nd: Rheta Stinson, 4-24-1954. (b. 2-4-1917)
- Ch: 2h. Audrey Jane Livesay, b. 2-16-1955.
- 3h. Charles Jackson Livesay, Jr., b. 6-3-1957.
- 7f. Frank Grant Livesay, b. 1-31-1886. d. 7-26-1927. m: Florence Yerly, 11-21-1914, Zeigler, Ill. Resided in Zeigler. No issue.
- 8f. Millie Bassie Livesay, b. 3-26-1887, Centralia, Ill. d. 5-26-1953. m; Louis Weigel, 10-12-1908.

*See Appendix.

- Ch: 1g. L. Jackson Weigel, b. 8-16-1915. d. 9-19-1942. Interred in Centralia, Ill. Was a First Lieut. at time of death.
- 9f. Conrad Goodner Livesay, b. 5-26-1889. d. 9-5-1889.
- 10f. Child, b. 1-27-1892. d. 8-27-1892.
- 11f. Winifred Octavia Livesay, b. 1-18-1895. d. 1959. m: Harvey T. Clark, 10-2-1923. Resided in Chicago. She is now invalided and living with her brother Otis in St. Louis. No issue.
- Jackson Lafayette Livesay m: 2nd: Belle Shipley, 10-10-1920. d. 2-11-1922. No issue. m: 3rd: Addie Henry, 5-30-1923, of Irvington, Ill. No issue.
- 2e. Sarah E. Livesay, b. 8-13-1847. d. 10-30-1875. Single.
- 3e. Wilber R. Livesay, b. 10-4-1849. d. 8-19-1887. Single.
- 4e. Gentry F. Livesay, b. 12-11-1851. Single.
- 5e. Tillman H. Livesay, b. 7-19-1854. d. 1900. No data.
- 6e. Dovey H. Livesay, b. 2-14-1857. d. Nov. 1933. m: William Kiersey, 1879. (b. 1843, Oswego, Kansas.) Went to St. Louis, Missouri, in 1890, and to California in January 1934. William died St. Louis, Mo., 1-15-1921.
- Ch: 1f. Jean Kiersey, b. 11-11-1880, Oswego, Kan. d. 3-30-1934, at St. Louis, Mo. Protestant. Single. Interred in Mt. Hope Cemetery, St. Louis County, Mo. Was employed as Secretary and Treasurer.
- 2f. Lois Kiersey, b. 3-29-1894, St. Louis, Mo. Nurse. m: Robert Leonard Heisler, 9-14-1929, St. Louis, Mo. (b. Godfrey, Ill., dec'd 1958) Was a Deputy Collector of Licenses. Protestant. Lois res. 1722-1/2 W. 45th St., Los Angeles, Calif. No issue.
- 7e. Mattie F. Livesay, b. 8-25-1860. d. 1879. Single.
- 8e. Lena B. Livesay, b. 3-1-1862. d. 12-4-1863.
- 9e. James Sherman Livesay, b. 11-10-1864, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. d. 1-10-1927, Calif. Interred in Alta Mesa, Santa Clara Co., Calif. Druggist. Methodist. m: Nannie McPherson. (b. 5-9-1852. Pulaski Co., Va. d. 2-17-1936. Interred in Alta Mesa, Santa Clara Co., Calif. dau. of Rev. J.S. McPherson.)
- Ch: 1f. Lillian Lois Livesay, b. 3-24-1891. d. 12-7-1891.
- 2f. Joseph Paul Livesay, * b. 7-20-1892, Hiawatha, Dundy Co., Neb. Disability Insurance Officer for State of California. Res: 170 N. 34th St., San Jose, Calif. Business address: P.O. Box 637, San Jose, Calif. m: 1st: Louise Marie Hobart, 6-19-1915.
- Ch: 1g. Paul Hobart Livesay, b. 3-31-1916.
m: 2nd: Emma Launa Hawkins, 4-18-1929, Fairmont, W. Va.
- Ch: 2g. Don B. Livesay, b. 1-14-1933. Teacher of Music in S.C.C. Schools.
- 3f. Ruth Ann Livesay, b. Nov. 1893. d. 8-17-1894.
- 4f. James Russell Livesay, b. 3-6-1896. Single. Res: 7007 Lumkershim Blvd., North Hollywood, Calif.
- 5f. Marjorie Eileen Livesay*, b. 6-28-1900, in Boulder, Colo. Apparently married three times. 1st: Mr. Ramsey.
Ch: 1g. Jack Ramsey. Res: Palmdale, Calif.
m: 2nd: Mr. Tuxford. m: 3rd: R.H. Goracke. Res: 3939 Franklin, La Crescenta, Calif. No issue.
- 6f. Lafayette McPherson Livesay, * b. 1-2-1905. d. 1-6-1958.
- 3d. Ranson Goodner, b. abt. 1826. Died in youth.
- 4d. James Jackson Goodner, b. 7-6-1827, Washington Co., Ill. d. 10-20-1889, Kan. in politics, Republican. Because of a severe drought condition that prevailed in "Little Egypt" in Illinois, where he lived, removed to Kansas and settled in Cherokee County. He was the first County Clerk in that County. Resided near Sherman City. Was farmer and cattle man. Died of a heart attack while looking after his cattle. m: 1st: Canzada Foster, 1849. (b. 5-7-1830. d. abt. 1859.)
- Ch: 1e. Erastus Wentworth Goodner, b. 1850, in Illinois. d. abt. 1897 in Indian Territory, near Chelsea. m; Mrs. Housworth, a widow with several children. No issue.
- 2e. Hulda Zillicia Goodner, b. 1-15-1852, Ill. m: William Crayton Drake. Had 5 children, - 4 girls and one boy. Names of girls unknown.
- Ch: 1f. James E. Drake. m:-----
Ch: 1g. Evert R. Drake. Resided in Aurora, Ill.
- 3e. Howard Bloomington Goodner, b. 4-4-1853, Ill. d. 1937. m: Ola Spencer. (d. 4-22-1922) Res: Baxter Springs, Kansas.
- Ch: 1f. Dr. Kenneth Howard Goodner, b. 1-18-1902, in McCune, Kan. Dr. Goodner has become a well known authority in the field of Bacteriology, and is an instructor at the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia. Professor of Bacteriology and Immunology. I quote from "American Men of Science", 1949, by Jacques Cattell.
"Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia 7, Pa. Bacteriology. McCune, Kan. Jan. 18, 1902. A.B. Kansas, 1923, M.A. 1925. Ph.D. (Bacteriology) Harvard, 1929. Instructor of Bacteriology Rhode Island State College, 1926; bacteriology and immunology, school, Public health, Harvard 1929 and 1930; Assistant at Rocke-

*See Appendix.

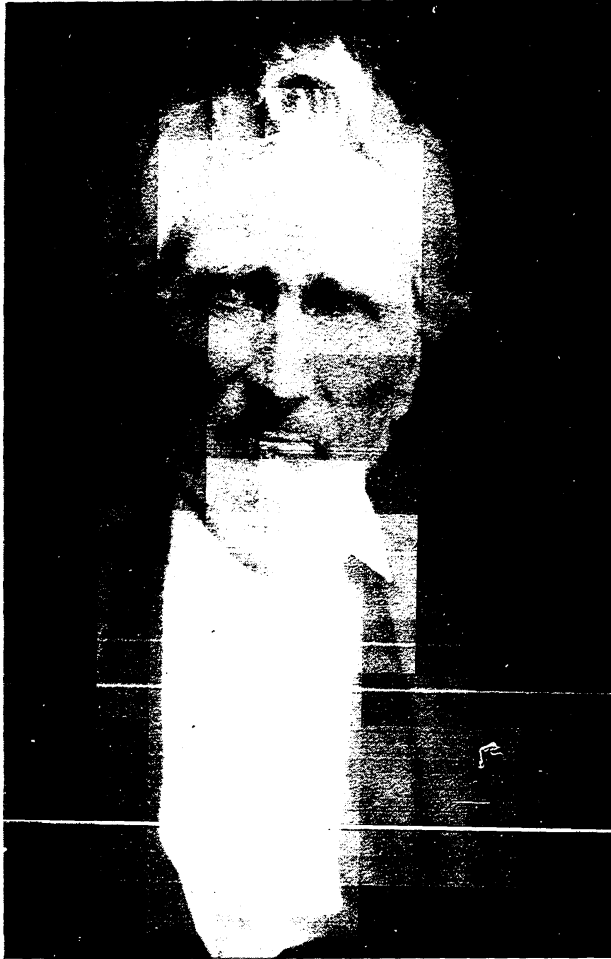
feller Institute 1930 to 1934; associate 1934 to 1938. Associate member 1938 to 1940; member of Field Staff, int. health div. Rockefeller Foundation 1940 to 1946. Prof. of Bacteriology, Jefferson Medical College, 1946 to present. A.A. Soc. Bacteriology; Infections of respiratory tract; yellow fever; preparation of Biogigicals; experimental intradermal pneumo-coccus infection in rabbits." Single.

- 4e. James Hedding Goodner, b. 12-2-1854, Illinois. d. infancy.
- 5e. Mary Alma Goodner, b. 1-4-1857, Ill., Washington Co. d. 1-5-1934. m: Albert James Watson. (b. 6-19-1853, Morgan Co., Ill. d. 12-11-1929) Resided Wier City and Pittsburg, Cherokee Co., Kansas.
 Ch: 1f. Nena Watson, b. 10-20-1874. d. 11-11-1892.
 2f. Wyatt De Wayne Watson, b. 7-8-1878. No data.
 3f. Claude Dore Watson, b. 3-17-1881. d. 12-13-1955. No data.
 4f. Clyde Wyviel Watson, b. 8-16-1884. d. 5-5-1902.
 5f. Lloyd De Witt Watson, b. 7-4-1888. No data.
 6f. Carl Otto Watson, b. 12-31-1892. d. 11-13-1956. No data.
 7f. Neva Watson, b. 3-27-1895. m: Stephen Elliott. Res: Pittsburg, Kan.
 Ch: 1g. Stephen Elliott, Jr.
- 6e. Martha Nevada Goodner, b. 3-26-1859, in Ill. d. abt. 1943. Generally known as "Kate". m: William Howard. Resided in Kansas for awhile, and then moved to Calif., residing in Ventura in 1925. Had 2 boys and 3 girls. The name of only one son is known, - Clyde Howard who died in California in 1956. Unable to locate this branch.
- James Jackson Goodner m: 2nd: Elizabeth M. White, 10-9-1862, Washington Co., Ill., ceremony by J.H. Robinson, J.P. or M.G. (b. 10-29-1833, dau. of Judge Thomas H. White, who as born June 1808 in Georgia and who died 11-28-1871 in Washington Co., Ill.)
- Ch: 7e. Rachael Elizabeth Goodner, b. 10-2-1863, Washington Co., Ill. d. infancy.
- 8e. Homer Caldwell Goodner, b. 9-11-1865, Washington Co., Ill. d. 9-30-1926, on his farm near Broken Arrow, Okla. Interred at Park Grove Cemetery, Broken Arrow, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Hat-tie Letitia Rhoades, 2-21-1889, in Kansas, Labette Co. (b. 12-9-1871, Jersey Co., Ill. d. 5-1-1955, Broken Arrow, Okla., dau. of Samuel A. Rhoades and Martha Rhoades, nee Pegues.) Re-moved to Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory in 1891; to Labette Co., Kan. in 1898; to Tulsa Co., Okla. 1903.
 Ch: 1f. Glacyl Goodner, b. 1-12-1890. d. 11-20-1890, Cherokee Co., Kan. (Twin.)
 2f. Cecil Goodner, b. 1-12-1890. d. 6-20-1890. Cherokee Co., Kan. (Twin.)
 3f. Mabel Edith Goodner, b. 4-18-1891, Indian Territory, now Rogers Co., Okla. d. 3-4-1921, Okmulgee Co., Okla. m: R.O. Sallee, 1909, Tulsa County, Okla.
 Ch: 1g. Eugene Homer Sallee, b. 3-2-1910, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Louise Stafford, Aug. 1932, Rogers Co., Okla. (b. 5-7-1916, Wagoner Co., Okla. Sister to Lorena Stafford who married Fred Mark Goodner.) Res: 1311 Griffith, Las Vegas, Nevada.
 Ch: 1h. Joan Sallee, b. 12-6-1936, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Richard G. Snyder, 11-26-1955, Las Vegas, Nev. Res: 4216 Los Lomas, Las Vegas, Nevada.
 2g. Howard E. Sallee, b. 7-22-1912, Tulsa Co., Okla. d. 5-4-1953. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, Santa Monica, Calif. Single.
- 4f. Melvin Evert Goodner, b. 4-18-1891, Indian Territory, now Rogers Co., Okla. m: Lenora Stafford, 6-16-1911, Tulsa Co., Okla. (b. 9-14-1891, Grafton, Jersey Co., Ill. Retired. Res: Rt. #1, Broken Arrow, Okla. A twin of Mable Edith.
 Ch: 1g. Lawrence Goodner, b. 12-28-1912, Pawnee Co., Neb. m: Ollie Robertson, Oct. 1933, Tulsa Co., Okla. Res: 1108 McDonald St., Wilmington, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Donald Goodner, b. 8-1-1934, Tulsa Co., Okla.
 2h. Joyce Goodner, b. 2-13-1938, Calif. m: John W. Severs, 3-14-1958. In Navy. Res: 1108 McDonald St., Wilmington, Calif.
- 2g. Veda Goodner, b. 6-30-1914. Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Earl Perkins, Sept. 1931. (b. 9-2-1909, Tulsa Co., Okla.) Res: Rt. #1, Broken Arrow, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Dolores Perkins, b. 8-18-1932.
- 3g. Thyra Marie Goodner, b. 11-11-1915, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Edward Grisham, 7-3-1937, Tulsa Co., Okla. (b. 9-5-1913, Arkansas.) Technician, Electronic Instruments. Res: 1020 N. Delaware Pl., Tulsa, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. James Grisham, b. 5-12-1942.
 2h. Alice Marie Grisham, b. 1-20-1948, Tulsa, Okla.
- 4g. Genevieve Goodner, b. 4-26-1922, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: James W. Edwards 1-28-1946. (b. 1-5-1922, McIntosh Co., Okla.) Mgr. Meat Dept. Sipes Food Market. Res: 1141 N. New Haven, Tulsa, Okla.
 Ch: 1h. Michael Edwards, b. 12-24-1950, Tulsa Co., Okla.
 2h. Lenora Sue Edwards, b. 1-13-1952.
 3h. Lyndell Edwards, b. 7-11-1954.

- 5f. Paul Rhoades Goodner, b. 7-28-1893, Indian Territory, now Rogers Co., Okla. m: Mrs. Effie Lomax, Nov. 1957, at Nowata, Okla. Res: 1217 S. Galveston St., Tulsa, Okla. No issue.
- 6f. Raymond James Goodner, b. 12-3-1896, Indian Territory. Electrical Contractor. m: Bulah Martin. Res: 423 E. College, Broken Arrow, Okla. No issue.
- 7f. Miner Goodner, b. 9-15-1898, Labette Co., Kan. Oil Field Worker. m: Virgie Brooks, 7-2-1918. (b. 7-18-1896, Fayetteville, Ark.) Res: Seminole, Okla. 1023 N. Park.
Ch: 1g. Esther Goodner, b. 11-28-1921, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Milton Graves, 1946, Earlsboro, Okla. (b. 12-21-1921, Salisbury, Vermont.) Res: Tennessee. Construction Worker.
Ch: 1h. Larry Graves, b. 7-13-1947, Decatur, Ill.
2h. Janet Graves, b. 6-15-1950, West Bend, Wisc.
3h. Richard Wayne Graves, b. 6-18-1955, Baton Rouge, La.
- 2g. Betty Goodner, b. 9-10-1924, Okmulgee Co., Okla. m: William Lewis, 1945, Seminole, Okla. (b. 12-6-1923, Texas. Res: 20530 Budlong, Torrance, California.
Ch: 1h. James Lewis, b. 12-8-1946, Seminole, Okla.
2h. John Lewis, b. 9-24-1949, San Pedro, Calif.
- 3g. Louise Goodner, b. 12-8-1926, Okmulgee Co., Okla. m: E. C. Eidsen, 1946 (b. Seminole, Okla.) Res: Calif., Quincy. Box 88.
Ch: 1h. Jenny Eidsen, b. 7-28-1947, Paso Robles, Calif.
2h. Cheryl Eidsen, b. 7-27-1949, Oroville, Calif.
3h. Mary Eidsen, b. 4-27-1953, Chico, Calif.
4h. "Baby" Eidsen, b. 5-22-1955, Chico, Calif. Invalid since birth.
- 8f. Nannie Goodner, b. 9-15-1898, Labette Co., Kan. m: Pinckney Winslow Barnes, 12-2-1917, Tulsa Co., Okla. (b. 11-25-1897, Eljay, Ga.) Res: 1217 S. Galveston St., Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Marquerite Lucille Barnes, b. 10-5-1919, Tulsa, Okla. m: Henry Allen Zerby, 5-12-1940, at Ft. Scott, Kan. Div'd abt. 1948. Mrs. Zerby is Secretary to E. E. Fogelson, Dallas 4, Tex. Res: 10642 Sylvia Dr., Dallas, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Zara Rozelle Zerby, b. 6-1-1942, Tulsa, Okla.
2h. Michael Allen Zerby, b. 6-11-1944, Yakima, Wash.
- 2g. Louis Edgar Barnes, b. 6-5-1921, Tulsa, Okla. Tax Attorney, Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Co. m: Claudine Shofner, 5-4-1942 at Southern Pines, N. C. (b. 9-21-1922, Tulsa, Okla.) Res: 4640 E. 37th St., Tulsa, Okla. No issue.
- 3g. William Winslow Barnes, b. 12-20-1922, Tulsa, Okla. Mgr. Meat Dept. Sipes Food Market. m: Dorothy Jane Hughes, 1939, Tulsa, Okla. (b. 11-12-1922, Tulsa, Okla.) Res: 4007 E. 26th St., Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1h. William Winslow Barnes, Jr., b. 8-23-1940, Tulsa, Okla. m: Betty Ann Cummings, 6-11-1958.
- 4g. Pinckney Eugene Barnes, b. 11-29-1926. d. 12-31-1926.
- 5g. Betty Ann Barnes, b. 10-19-1929, Tulsa, Okla. m: Hobart Putnam, Jr., 6-25-1948, Tulsa, Okla. (b. 8-5-1926, Tulsa, Okla.) Salesman of Pharmaceutical Products. Res: Wichita, Kan., 1624 Wilson Rd., Zone 4.
Ch: 1h. James Steven Putman, b. 11-29-1950, Tulsa, Okla.
2h. Stanley Eugene Putman, b. 11-9-1952, Tulsa, Okla.
3h. Randall Edward Putman, b. 4-3-1956, Tulsa, Okla.
4h. Sandra Gene Putman, b. 8-29-1957, Wichita, Kan.
- 9f. Ralph W. Goodner, b. 4-6-1900, Labette Co., Kan. Service Station Owner. m: Laura Spradling, 4-22-1918, Tulsa Co., Okla. (b. 9-6-1901, Purdif, Ark.) Ralph died of a heart attack 4-29-1958. Res. of widow: 502 E. Elgin, Broken Arrow, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Gladys Goodner, b. 7-20-1920, Broken Arrow, Okla. m: Ralph Vaughn, 12-23-1937. (b. 9-10-1916, Vian, Okla.) Owns Service Station. Res: 3562 S. Sandusky, Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Cheree Vaughn, b. 9-10-1946, Broken Arrow, Okla.
- 2g. Pauline Goodner, b. 1-11-1921, Broken Arrow, Okla. Single. Executive Sec'y Texas Co., Tulsa, Okla. Res: 6760 E. 26th St., Tulsa, Okla.
- 3g. James Clifford Goodner, b. 12-12-1923, Broken Arrow, Okla. Owns Service Station. m: Betty Peck, 6-23-1951, at Tahlequah, Okla. Res. Broken Arrow, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Teri Lynn Goodner, b. 11-5-1955.
- 4g. Helen Goodner, b. 1-1-1926, Broken Arrow, Okla. m: Melvin Keller, 5-2-1945. (b. 4-29-1925), Farmer and Stockman. Res: R. R., Broken Arrow.
Ch: 1h. Stanley Keller, b. 4-7-1946, Broken Arrow, Okla.
2h. Alan Keller, b. 8-22-1947, Broken Arrow, Okla.
3h. Russell Keller, b. 10-9-1955, Broken Arrow, Okla.

- 5g. Mary Jo Goodner, b. 9-3-1929, Broken Arrow, Okla. m: John Waggoner, 1945. (b. 8-21-1928) Clerical-Bookkeeper. Res: Broken Arrow, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Johnny Ray Waggoner, b. 5-27-1946, Broken Arrow, Okla.
2h. Rex Waggoner, b. 10-11-1948.
- 10f. Fred Mark Goodner, b. 9-25-1902, Labette Co., Kan. Shop-Bethlehem Steel Co., Tulsa, Okla. m: Lorena Stafford, 8-22-1929, Okmulgee Co., Okla. (b. 9-20-1911, Wagoner Co., Okla.) Res: 6919 E. Virgin St., Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Gerald Goodner, b. 10-28-1931. d. 7-2-1945, by drowning, Tulsa, Okla.
- 11f. Freda Goodner, b. 9-25-1902, Labette Co., Kansas. m: Charles Ross Brown, 6-25-1925, Okmulgee Co., Okla. (b. 10-31-1892, Aurora Co., S.D.) Res: 1140 S. Quebec St., Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Charles Roswell Brown, b. 11-11-1932, Tulsa, Okla.
- 12f. Hattie Goodner, b. 9-12-1907, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Leonard Rich, 1927. Proprietor of Leonards' Department Store, Vinita, Okla. Res: Vinita, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Leonard Rich, Jr., b. 4-28-1930, Vinita, Okla. Accountant with Phillips Petroleum Co., Bartlesville, Okla. m: Marilyn Williamson, 11-30-1952, Vinita, Okla. Res: Bartlesville, Okla.
Ch: 1h. Michael Rich, b. 1954, Vinita, Okla.
2h. Ronald Rich, b. June 1956, Bartlesville, Okla.
3h. Son, ----- b. 7-11-1958.
- 13f. Homer Goodner, Jr., b. 9-12-1907. d. 2-10-1908, Tulsa, Okla.
- 14f. Nell Goodner, b. 2-1-1910, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Ralph W. Pfeiffer, 12-31-1932. (b. Kansas) Kansas City, Mo. Res: Ponca City, Okla. No issue.
- 15f. William Homer Goodner, b. 1-27-1916, Tulsa, Okla. Industrial Relations-Service Pipeline Co., Tulsa, Okla. m: Ada Benedict (b. 4-24-1918, Tulsa Co., Okla.) Res: 1207 S. Florence Place, Tulsa, Okla.
Ch: 1g. Beverly Sue Goodner, b. 8-3-1936, Tulsa Co., Okla. m: Jerry Gay. Div'd 1955.
Ch: 1h. William Anthony Gay, b. 12-4-1954, Tulsa, Okla.
m: 2nd: Walter Oseland, 6-1-1956, Tulsa (b. St. Louis, Mo.) No issue.
2g. Reesa Dianne Goodner, b. 5-17-1946, Tulsa, Okla.
- 9e. Maude Goodner, b. 6-13-1868, Illinois. m: John Perry. Resided Warren, Ariz. and Bisbee, Ariz. No issue.
- 10e. Bird ("Birdy") Goodner, b. 9-22-1871. d. 3-4-1940. m: W.E. Topping. Clerical worker for a lumber company. He made a "run" into Okla. in 1890, staked out a claim, but did not settle there. Family lived later in the State of Washington, and then moved to Los Angeles, where they were living in 1925. He died abt. 1942.
Ch: 1f. Crete Topping, b. abt. 1891 in Kansas, Suffered from tuberculosis. Never married. Crete was a daughter.
- 11e. John White Goodner, b. 8-28-1874. d. infancy.
- 12e. Pluma Goodner, b. 1-20-1877. d. infancy.
- 13e. Child. Name unknown. d. at birth. (abt. 1878)
- James Jackson Goodner m: 3rd: Elizabeth Shelly. Apparently she had been married previously and her name was Harris. She had a sister, Mrs. Thurie Culp who lived in Stella, Mo., and a brother Benjamin Shelly of Joplin, Mo. She died many years after James Jackson, passing away in Seattle, Wash. 8-8-1930. She was born in 1848.
Ch: 14e. George Romana Goodner, b. abt. 1880. Resided in Seattle, Wash., 1925. m:-----
Ch: 1f. Barbara Jean Goodner, Resided in 1925 at 2400 - 42nd St. North, Seattle, Wash. A letter sent to this address was returned in 1957.
- 15e. Child. Name unknown. d. infancy.
- 16e. Child. Name unknown. d. infancy.
- 5d. Harriett Sophronia Goodner, b. 1838. m: 1st: Edward Cannady (Kennedy), 8-9-1862, Washington Co., Ill., Rev. D. Ogelsby officiating. No issue. m: 2nd: Mr. Shanks.
Ch: 1e. Emory Shanks. m: ----- Resided in Malplewood (St. Louis), Mo., and later in Seattle, Wash., where they resided in 1925. Moved later to Rosemead, Calif. Where they lived at time of death is now known.
Ch: 1f. Charles E. Shanks, b. 9-5-1897. m: Elsa Ehrlicher, St. Louis, Mo. No issue.
2f. William Warren Shanks, b. 10-27-1902. m: Vera Schneiders of St. Louis, Mo.
Ch: 1g. William Warren Shanks, Jr., No data.
3f. Frank H. Shanks, b. 3-12-1905. No data.
4f. Gracie Shanks, b. 12-2-1912. No data.
- 6d. Dr. George W. Goodner, b. 1840. d. 5-5-1916. Surgeon and Physician. Grad. Northwestern Univ. Medical School. Was sent to Europe to study sanitary conditions in the Franco-Prussian War. Resided later in Chicago. Became a paralytic later in life. His death resulted from accidental burns. (See Journal American Med. Assn., Vol. 67.) m: Mona----- No issue.

11c. Elijah Goodner, the eleventh child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Sullivan County, Tenn.,



Elijah Goodner
Reproduced from an old tintype,
through courtesy of Geo. E.H. Goodner.

Jan. 21st, 1804. Some believe that he was born in Smith Co., Tenn., and there is good reason for that belief. In November of 1803, his father sold his farm in Sullivan County to Benjamin Lee, but it was not recorded until May 27th, 1804. There is an uncertainty as to when his parents moved from Sullivan County. If Conrad moved from Sullivan Co. immediately after the sale, then Elijah would have been born in Smith Co., if Conrad went there without stopping elsewhere. If he remained in Sullivan until after the deed was recorded, then Elijah would have been born in Sullivan County.

When he was about eight years of age, his parents moved again, this time to Johnson Co., Ill. A short time later they moved to St. Clair County, Illinois, where they remained. So it was in Illinois that Elijah received his education, such as was then obtainable in the small country schools of the period. He remained on his father's farm until his marriage to Mary Gore, which occurred on Dec. 16th, 1823, in Johnson Co., Ill., at which time he was lacking about a month of being 19 years of age. It is thought that the young couple remained with his parents for a few years.

The Gore family were from Tennessee. Nothing more is known of them except that Mary had a brother by the name of Tom.

Elijah followed the profession of farming. He was hard-working and industrious, and became a successful land owner. He remained in St. Clair County until the year 1832, when he sold his farm and moved to Washington County. While he was in St. Clair, he was an Ensign in the Militia. Reproduced below is a "Muster Call" sent to the writer's great grandfather, John Lacey.

In Washington County, Elijah first owned and operated a saw mill. This he sold after a few years, moving then on a farm where he remained until 1854, at which time he moved to Jefferson County, settling on a farm there. He remained on the farm until the close of the Civil War, when he removed to Belle Rive. In the meantime, his wife, Mary, had died, and on Nov. 8th, 1852, he married secondly Mary Curlee Vann in Perry Co., Ill. It is not known when his second wife died, but after her death, Elijah

Mrs. John Lacey, you are hereby notified to attend musters for the present year. - Battalion on the fourth day of April at the house of Abraham Sman. - Company musters on the first Saturdays in April, June and August. at the house of Robert Gooding. also Regimental muster on the twelfth of October near West's mill. you are required to attend each of the above named places at the hour of ten o'clock A.M. armed and equipped as the law directs. There will be a court of inquiry held on the 29. and 30th. of October at the town of Belleville. - March the 23rd. 1825. Elijah Goodner Ensign

made his home with his son, James Thompson Goodner, who was residing in Irvington, Washington Co., where he passed away March 2nd, 1892 at the ripe old age of 88, being the longest lived of all of his brothers and sisters. (See "Portrait and Biographical Record of Clinton, Washington, Marion, and Jefferson Counties, Illinois", Chapman Publishing Co., Chicago 1894) For thirteen years prior to his death, Elijah was deprived of his sight.

It was about the time that his father lost his farm in St. Clair County because of lack of good title that Elijah moved to Washington County. He had lived in the same neighborhood as did his father. On moving, he took his parents with him, and they resided with him until their death. He settled about three miles south of Nashville. Moving to Washington Co. at the same time was his brother, Francis, and his sister, Elizabeth, and her husband, John Holcomb. Jacob was already living in Washington County. Benjamin was then the only brother still living in St. Clair County. Elijah is interred in the New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill.

The records show that Elijah bought land in Washington County as early as 1833, which was prior to the time that he moved there. His name appears numerous times in real estate transactions, indicating that he must have dealt in real estate to some extent. Some of his early purchases are the following:-

Elijah Goodner, Grantee, Carey Morgan, Grantor. Date of Instrument 9-20-1839. Date of Record 8-13-1840. Book B, Page 447.

Elijah Goodner, Grantee, James A. Brown, Grantor. Date of Instrument 3-23-1843. Date of Record 6-17-1844. Book D, Page 162.

Elijah Goodner, Grantee, Wm. D. Mitchell, Grantor. Date of Instrument 12-17-1844. Date of Record 12-30-1844. Book D, Page 251.

Elijah Goodner, Grantee, John W. Holcomb, Grantor. Date of Instrument 12-27-1844. Date of Record 1-6-1845. Book D, Page 261.

Elijah Goodner, Grantee, Sheriff Vernor, Grantor. Date of Instrument 7-13-1846. Date of Record 8-20-1846. Book E, Page 138.

Elijah died interstate, but Administration papers covering his Estate are on file in Jefferson County, Ill. They reveal the following information:-

Date of death: March 2nd, 1892.

He left no widow.

Richard G. Wall, Administrator.

State of Illinois) SS.

Jefferson County) County Court of Jefferson County to the December Term, A.D. 1894.

Richard G. Wall, Adm. of the Estate of Elijah Goodner Dec'd.

vs.	James T. Goodner	William R. Bennett	James M. McReynolds
	Rose A. Cherry	Ella Guthrie	Elsa L. Crowder
	Marinda E. Ham	Samuel T. Laird	Albert McReynolds
	Laura A. Wall	Sarah A. Shields	Elmer Crowder
	William B. Goodner	Cora E. Laird	Orpha Shipley
	Nettie A. Foster	Millard Goodner	Lillie McMahan.

Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debts.

Affadavit of the non-residence of William H. Goodner, Sarah A. Shields, Cora E. Laird, Lillie McMahan, & Millard Goodner. Real Estate consisted of lots numbered two, three, and four on Block #24 in the village of Belle Rive, Ill., Jefferson County. Mt. Vernon, Ill., Sept. 26th, 1894. Thos. E. Westcott, Clerk.

The Administration papers show that William R. Bennett was a lunatic in the insane asylum in Anna, Ill.

Surviving children were: James T. Goodner, Rose A. Cherry, Marinda E. Ham, Laura A. Wall and William B. Goodner.

Surviving grandchildren were: Nettie A. Foster, James McReynolds, Albert McReynolds, Orpha Shipley, and William R. Bennett, and children of Sarah C. McReynolds (nee Goodner), dec'd, and Ella (Elsa) Guthrie, Samuel T. Laird, Sarah A. Shields and Cora E. Laird, grandchildren and children of Martha A. Laird (nee Goodner) deceased.

Elsa D. Crowder served with summons by Sheriff in Menard County.

William A. Bennett served with summons by Sheriff of Union County.

That William B. Goodner, Sarah A. Shields, Cora E. Laird, Lillie McMahan, and Millard Goodner are non-residents of Illinois. William B. Goodner resided in Howard, Elk County, Kansas. Sarah A. Shields resided in Evergreen, Ala. Cora E. Laird resided in Evansville, Indiana, and Lillie McMahan resided in New Decatur, Ala.

James T. Goodner put in a claim against the estate for:

Dec. 3rd, 1894.

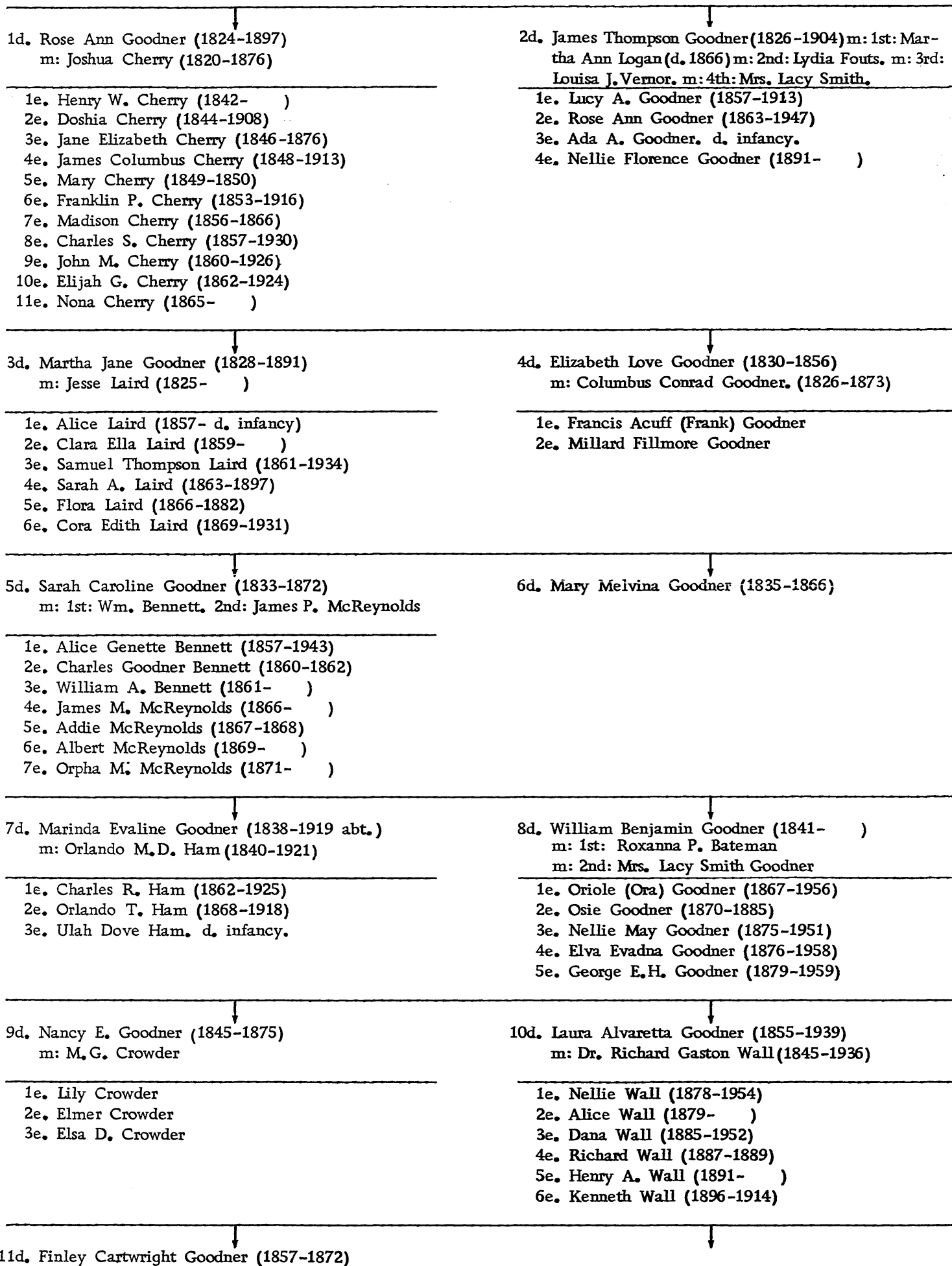
To boarding and clothing, deceased, from May 1890 to March 2nd, 1892,		
22 months at \$10.00 per month		\$220.00

Laura A. Wall had claim against the estate of:-

To money loaned 1867	\$100.00	
By cash paid, Sept. 25th, 1891	20.00	80.00

Elijah had nine children by his first wife and two by his second. Their record follows:-

11c. Elijah Goodner (1804-1892) - Mary Gore 1st - Mary Curlee Vann 2nd.



- 11c. Elijah Goodner, b. 1-21-1804, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 3-2-1892, Irvington, Wash. Co., Ill. Interred in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill. Farmer. m: 1st: Mary Gore, 12-16-1823, in Johnson Co., Ill. (b. Tennessee)
- Ch: 1d. Rose Ann Goodner, b. 2-15-1824, Near Belleville, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 10-15-1897, from diabetes. Interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Joshua Cherry, 6-17-1814, Washington Co., Ill (County records give date of marriage, or date of recording as 7-12-1841, Abner Jolliff, Minister. (b. 3-26-1820. d. 9-20-1876). Resided in Jefferson Co., Ill., 20 years prior to death of Rose Ann, six of which were in Mt. Vernon. Rose Ann was formerly a Baptist, but later changed to the M.E. Church.
- Ch: 1e. Henry W. Cherry, b. 3-24-1842. m: Miss A.M. Patterson. Res. in Howell, Ind., in 1897.
- Ch: 1f. William Cherry, Married and had 2 daughters. Res. in Chicago. No further data.
- 2f. Claude Cherry, Resided in Springfield, Mo. No further data.
- 3f. Guy Cherry, Also resided in Springfield, Mo. No further data.
- 4f. Mae Cherry, m: Levington Logan. Issue- two daughters. No further data.
- 2e. Doshia (Docia) Cherry, b. 12-12-1843. d. 2-28-1908. m: Mr. Foster. Res. in Carthage, Mo.
- Ch: 1f. Clara Foster, m: H. Wilber. Resided in Carthage, Mo., Main & Highland Aves.
- Ch: 1g. Ural Goodner Wilber, b. 1-7-1889, Carthage, Mo. No data.
- 3e. Jane Elizabeth Cherry b. 11-1-1846. d. 1876. m: Mr. Hogsland.
- 4e. James Columbus Cherry, b. 5-9-1851, Washington or Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 11-17-1913. m: Alice Johnson. Resided in Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Frank Clawson Cherry, b. 6-28-1888, Jefferson Co., Ill. Farmer. Res: Rt. #2, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Hazel A. Sargent, 6-25-1911, Dix, Ill. (b. 11-4-1893, dau. George and Avrilla Sargent of Mt. Vernon, Ill.)
- Ch: 1g. Helen Arvilla Cherry, b. 10-21-1916. m: Carl Heinzmann, 11-20-1936, at Salem, Ill. (b. 1-22-1915, son of Otto and Isabelle Heinzmann of Shattuc, Ill.) Service Station Owner and Operator. Members of First Methodist Church. Res: Carlyle, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Frankie Carl Heinzmann, b. 9-25-1949.
- 2h. Phylis Ann Heinzmann, b. 2-6-1938. m: Rev. Douglas Johnson, 6-8-1956, son of Noel Johnson of Trenton, Ill. Both are now attending Boston University at Boston, Mass. No issue.
- 2g. Neil Franklin Cherry, b. 9-23-1919, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Disabled War Veteran. Military Service- 40 months. Methodist. m: Virginia L. Thereow, 12-7-1946, at Carlyle, Ill. (b. 6-26-1922, dau. Louis and Sadie Thereow of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) Res: Rt. #2, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Arvilla Sue Cherry, b. 12-21-1948.
- 2h. Carolyn Jean Cherry, b. 11-22-1953.
- 3g. John Hall Cherry, b. 10-26-1922, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Farmer. Member First Free Will Baptist Church. m: Anna Faye Duncan, 7-8-1939, at Morganfield, Ky. (b. 12-6-1924, dau. Arval Duncan of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) Res: Rt. #2, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. John Paul Cherry, b. 6-2-1947.
- 2h. Wayne Lee Cherry, b. 8-2-1951.
- 2f. Ethel Cherry, b. 11-3-1889, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Harry Dickinson, 3-16-1913, at Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 12-11-1882. d. 10-30-1956; interred in Memorial Park, Centralia, Ill. Son of Horace and Sarah Virginia Dickinson, nee Stover, of Walnut Hill, Ill.) Mr. Dickinson was an elementary school teacher and railroader. Ethel was also a teacher in an elementary school, and taught until 1917 or 1918. Methodists. Ethel resides at 320 N. Pine, Centralia, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Velma Dickinson, b. 12-19-1914, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Dr. Woodrow Wilson Davidson, M.D., 5-4-1935, at Waterloo, Ill. (b. 12-3-1912, son of Mrs. Inez Davidson and the late J.F. Davidson of Boulder, Ill., postoffice address of which is Shattuc, Clinton Co.) Physician and Surgeon. Grad. of Univ. of Illinois Med. School. Served as Capt. in Army Medical Corp. in the Korean campaign. Dr. Davidson taught school 11 years before studying medicine. In addition to an M.D. degree in Medicine, he has an A.B. degree in Education and a B.S. degree. At the time he entered the service in the Korean Campaign, he was a resident of Chicago. After his discharge he started practice in Centralia, Ill., and has an additional office in Sandoval. Mrs. Davidson has done secretarial work for some 25 years with the Du Pont Co., U.S. Rubber Co., Stromberg-Carlson Co., and U.S. Treasury. Is presently serving as Safety Chairman of the Wonam's Auxiliary to the Illinois State Medical Society. Res: 1250 East Calumet St., Centralia, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Karen Davidson, b. 7-24-1950, Chicago, Ill.
- 2g. Wilbur Cherry Dickinson, b. 12-20-1918. Employed by the Zenith Corp., Chicago, Ill. Single. Permanent Address: 320 N. Pine, Centralia, Ill.
- 3f. Ray Cherry, b. 12-9- , Mt. Vernon, Ill. Farmer. m: Etta Hamblen, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Res: Rt. #3, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

- Ch: 1g. Gertie Mae Cherry, b. 5-6-1915. m: Keith Ater, Res: Dix, Ill.
 2g. Denton Cherry, b. 7-2-1917. Res: Shammon, Ill.
 3g. Nellis Edward Cherry, b. 10-27-1922. Res: Shannon, Ill.
- 5e. Mary Cherry, b. 1849. d. 1850.
- 6e. Franklin P. Cherry, b. 1853. d. 1916, Porot Co., Texas. Resided in Indian Territory, 1897. m:--.
 Ch: 1f. James Cherry. No data.
 2f. Nona Cherry. No data.
 3f. Daughter.
- 7e. Madison Cherry, b. 1856. d. 1866.
- 8e. Charles S. Cherry, b. 12-23-1857. d. 8-27-1930. m: Gertrude Johnson. (d. 5-9-1958) Resided in Mt. Vernon, Ill. Mrs. Cherry lived for years at 220 S. 17th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. No issue.
- 9e. John M. Cherry, b. 1-1-1860, in Jefferson or Washington Co., Ill. d. 7-5-1926, at Hot Springs, Ark. m: Mina Weaver. Resided in 1897 in Louisville, Ky.
 Ch: 1f. Clyde Cherry. Now deceased. No issue.
 2f. Roy Cherry. Deceased. No issue.
- 10e. Elijah G. Cherry, b. 4-24-1862, in Jefferson or Washington Co., Ill. d. 6-1-1924, Houston, Tex. m: Addie----- Resided in Pinckneyville, Ill., Chicago, Ill., and finally Texas, presumably Houston. Had several children, the names of only two being known.
 Ch: 1f. Paul Cherry.
 2f. Gladys Cherry.
- 11e. Nona Cherry, b. 10-21-1865. m: Robert Parmlee. Moved to Texas, location unknown. Nona was a teacher in an Elementary school in Mt. Vernon, Ill. before her marriage. Sometime shortly after 1897, they moved to Texas.
 Ch: 1f. Glyndon C. Parmlee. No data.
 (A great deal of the above information was taken from the Cherry Bible now in the possession of Ray Cherry, copied by Mrs. Harry Coleman (nee Inez Johnson), a half sister to Gertrude, wife of Chas. S. Cherry, and whose aunt, Alice Johnson, married James Cherry. Grateful acknowledgment is given to Mrs. Coleman, whose address is 520 S. 17th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.)
- 2d. James Thompson Goodner, b. 7-26-1826, near Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 5-15-1904, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. Farmer. Went with father to Washington Co., when a boy of six or seven years of age. On maturity engaged in farming in Howlton Township. In 1868, moved from the farm to Irvington, Ill., and opened up a drug and general merchandise store. He was formerly a Whig in politics, later becoming a Republican in 1856. Served as Justice of the Peace. m: 1st: Martha (Margaret) Ann Logan, * 2-6-1856, Washington Co., Ill., by H.H. Talbott, J.P. (b. Tennessee; d. 1866).
 Ch: 1e. Lucy A. Goodner, b. 8-4-1856, Wash. Co., Ill. d. Sept. 1913. m: J.O. Fouts, 1-1-1882, Irvington, Wash. Co., Ill., G.W. Butler, Minister. (b. 1851, son of David and Elizabeth Gudge Fouts. b. in Ind. Parents moved to Wash. Co., Irvington, Ill.) No issue.
- 2e. Rose Ann (Rosanna) Goodner, b. 3-3-1863, Wash. Co., Ill. d. 10-24-1947, Los Angeles, Calif. Interred in Rose Hills Cemetery, Whittier, Calif. m: Edwin R. Bingham, 10-8-1884, Centralia, Ill. (b. 12-26-1863, Ill. d. 12-23-1907, Denver, Colo. Interred in Riverside Cemetery, Denver, Colo.) Moved west shortly after marriage. An Accountant.
 Ch: 1f. Guy Edwin Bingham, b. 4-3-1887, in Brighton, or Denver, Colo. Salesman. Has been an invalid for years. m: Helen Hinckley, 6-26-1913, Denver, Colo., dau. Jean Kimball Hinckley. Res: 2475-1/2 River Road, Eugene, Wash.
 Ch: 1g. Edwin Ralph Bingham. No data.
 2f. Elzey Goodner Bingham, b. 10-10-1889, Denver, Colo. W.W.I, 318th Engineer Corp. Served in France and Army of Occupation. Machinist. Resided in Los Angeles, Calif. d. 3-7-1950. Interred in Rose Hills Cemetery, Whittier, Calif. Apparently Single.
 3f. Helen Eldora Bingham, b. 1-24-1893, Denver, Colo. m: William F. Crane, 6-8-1915. (b. 7-24-1890) Oil Company Executive. Born in Lander, Wyo. Res: 713 San Salvatore Pl., San Gabriel, Calif.
 Ch: 1g. Rosanna Jean Crane, b. 4-3-1922, Denver, Colo. m: Robert Lowell Parker, 7-24-1943. (b. 1-29-1920) Attorney, Res: 1501 Meadow Lane, South Pasadena, Calif.
 Ch: 1h. Sherrill Parker, b. 7-18-1945.
 2h. David Alan Parker, b. 7-16-1948.
 3h. Douglas Robert Parker, b. 10-20-1952.
- 4f. Burton Twombly Bingham, b. 5-9-1900, Denver, Colo. Machinist. m: Hazel Henderson. Res: 2047 Parkway Dr., El Monte, Calif. No issue.
- 5f. Rolland James Bingham, b. 1-22-1903, Denver, Colo. Surveyor. m: Kathryn Berlin. 2-20-1926, Glendale, Calif. Dau. James Berlin. Res: 3900 Bernice Pl., Los Angeles, Calif.
 Ch: 1g. Joan Louise Bingham, b. 12-4-1928.
 2g. Barbara Ann Bingham, b. 3-31-1931.
 3g. Kathryn Jane Bingham, b. 12-4-1935.

- James Thompson Goodner m: 2nd: Lydia Fouts, 6-18-1868, Washington Co., Ill., John Leaper, Minister.
 Ch: None. m: 3rd: Louisa J. (Nancy) Vernor, 12-11-1873, Washington Co., Ill., M. House, Minister. Dau. Mitchell Vernor, a farmer of German descent. Nancy Died.
 Ch: 3e. Ada A. Goodner, d. infancy.
 m: 4th: Mrs. Lacy Smith, nee Carolyn Newman, dau. Martin Newman, a prominent farmer, and his wife, the former Hannah Logan. (b. 8-4-1851. d. 8-25-1887, in Washington Co., Ill., near Hoyleston.) Mrs. Smith had two children by her previous marriage, Thomas M. Smith and Ide Smith.
 Ch: 4e. Nellie Florence Goodner, b. 8-2-1891. m: Rivers M. Randle, 8-12-1914, Weatherford, Okla. b. 9-11-1889, Newburg, Ala. Methodist. Superintendant of Public Schools, Weatherford, Okla., 1926. Res: 2625 Cashion Pl., Oklahoma City 12, Okla.
 Ch: 1f. Carolyn Elizabeth Randle, b. 12-25-1915, Clinton, Iowa. d. 7-15-1940, Oklahoma City, Okla. m: Howard H. Hayes, 9-23-1935, Weatherford, Okla. Member of St. Lukes Church.
 Ch: 1g. Mary Lynn Hayes, b. 7-29-1936.
 2f. William Wilbur Randle, b. 1-16-1918. d. 12-22-1920.
 3f. David Morgan Randle, b. 5-10-1923, Weatherford, Okla. W.W.II. Killed in action, 11-5-1943, European Theatre.
- 3d. Martha Jane Goodner, b. 11-18-1828, near Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 1891, undoubtedly in Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Jesse Laird, 5-19-1856. Resided in Belle Rive and in Mt. Vernon, Ill. In 1864, Mr. Laird was a Circuit preacher, and probably also farmed. He was born 4-7-1825 in Macon Co., N.C., a son of David Laird, a native of Virginia, who emigrated to Jefferson Co., Ill., and died there. Jesse also was a stockman, and was quite successful in his work. His mothers' name was Elizabeth Tumbleson. Methodist. He owned 280 acres of land in Jefferson County.
 Ch: 1e. Alice Laird, b. 1857. d. infancy.
 2e. Clara Ella Laird, b. 2-23-1859. m: Dell Guthrie of Belle Rive, Ill.
 Ch: 1f. Lota Guthrie. Died in Los Angeles, Calif. No record of marriage.
 2f. Frank Guthrie. No record.
 3e. Samuel Thompson Laird, b. 7-11-1861, Washington Co., Ill. d. 9-23-1934. Interred in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill., near where he resided. Farmer. Methodist. m: Nellie Temperance Davenport, (b. 12-16-1866. d. 11-21-1952, dau. of Lorenzo Dowell Davenport of Belle Rive, Ill. Interred in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill.)
 Ch: 1f. Bonnie Nell Laird, b. 9-17-1885, Belle Rive, Ill. m: S. Alexander Smith, 9-19-1923, at Mitchell, S.D. Mr. Smith died 7-26-1951 at New Hall, Calif., and interred in Forest Lawn Cemetery near Los Angeles. He was born 11-13-1880, son of William Hedge of Ky. He was a grain dealer. Bonnie Laird Smith resides at 601 Harrison St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. No issue.
 2f. Jesse Davenport Laird, b. 11-29-1887, Belle Rive, Ill. d. 4-5-1958, at Mt. Vernon, Ill. Interred in "Old Shiloh" Cemetery. m: Mabel Schellhouse, 2-25-1913, in Bluford, Ill. (b. 10-29-1896, dau. of Gustave Schellhase, or Schelhase.) Widow is living with son, Jack.
 Ch: 1g. Jack Elwood Laird, b. 10-28-1920, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Lineman. Served in Air Corp. Protestant. m: Alice Mangus. (b. in McLeansboro, Ill., dau. of Aud Mangus.) Res: 401 Apdyke Ave., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Randy Keith Laird. Single. Residing at home.
 m: 2nd; Jeanne Hails, Aug. 1938, Henderson, Ky. (b. 3-14-1920, dau. of Roy M. Hails of Muskogee, Okla.)
 Ch: 2h. David Daniel Laird, b. 3-18-1939, Mt. Vernon, Jefferson Co., Ill. Psychiatric Aide at the Veterans Hospital, Tinley Park, Ill.
 m: Jean Ing Morgan, 8-12-1957, Shawneetown, Gallatin Co., Ill. (b. 7-16-1939, dau. of Frank B. Morgan of Mt. Vernon, Ill.)
 Res: Veterans Hospital, Tinley Park, Ill. No issue.
- 3f. Frank Samuel Laird, b. 4-30-1890. d. 4-16-1899. Interred in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill.
 4f. Charlie Earl Laird, b. 5-30-1892, Belle Rive, Ill. Farmer. Methodist. Moved to S. Dakota in 1914. Single. Res: Box 11, Fulton, South Dakota.
 5f. Alma Clara Laird, b. 9-23-1894, Belle Rive, Ill. m: George Clifton, 12-25-1912, Bluford, Jefferson Co., Ill. (b. 2-17-1888, Mt. Vernon, Ill., son of Thomas Franklin Clifton of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: R.R., Opdyke, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Margaret Clifton, b. 9-22-1913, m: Noble William Shelton, son of William of Mt. Vernon, Ill. Methodist. Res: Opdyke, Ill. No issue.
 2g. Nell Katherine Clifton, b. 6-3-1916. m: Paul Virgil Williamson, son of John J. of Opdyke, Ill. Methodist. Res: Opdyke, Ill. No issue.
- 6f. Martha Gladys Laird, b. 3-20-1897, Belle Rive, Ill. m: Charles Frank Baker, 3-23-1921, Belle Rive. (b. 11-19-1887, son of Charles Alfonso and Florence Grimes Baker of Belle Rive.) Telegraph Operator. W.W.I. Methodist. Res: Belle Rive, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Laura Nell Baker, b. 2-21-1923. m: Dallas Theodore Shelton, 10-18-1942,

- at Perryville, Mo. With Illinois State Police. Res: Dahlgren, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Janet Sue Shelton, b. 7-23-1946.
 2h. Linda Ann Shelton, b. 7-9-1950.
- 2g. Frank Grimes Baker, b. 7-11-1929. Salesman for the Hammond Sheet Metal Co. of St. Louis, Mo. Res: 1010 S. 23rd St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Shirley Smith, 6-24-1950, Belle Rive, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Sue Ann Baker, b. 10-10-1951.
- 7f. Wilber Shields Laird, b. 6-26-1900, Belle Rive, Ill. m: Jewel Mullinax, 7-6-1935, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Res: 915 S. 17th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- 8f. Clarence Robinson Laird, b. 1-29-1903, near Mt. Vernon, Ill. Carpenter. Member of Church of Christ. m: Helen Moore, 6-22-1931, Holabird, S.D. (b. 9-1-1912 at Harold, S.D., dau. of Elmer Clyde and Daisy May Moore.) Res: 544 Wisconsin, N.W., Huron, S.D. The Moore family was from Scottsbluff, Nebraska.
 Ch: 1g. Gloria Mae Laird, b. 7-23-1932, South Dakota. m: Donald Jandl. Res: Rt. #3, Sioux Falls, S.D.
 2g. Shirley Nell Laird, b. 10-22-1942.
- 9f. Raymond Harney Laird, b. 5-20-1905, near Mt. Vernon, Ill. Farmer. m: Hazel Smith, 3-8-1930, Mitchell, S.D. (b. 12-24-1907, dau. George and Lulu Smith of Mitchell, S.D.) Res: Fulton, S.D.
 Ch: 1g. Wayne Edward Laird, b. 10-15-1930, Mitchell, S.D. Farmer. Methodist. m: Connie Mae Usher, 11-30-1949, Sioux Falls, S.D. (b. 12-6-1930, dau. J.K. and Judith Usher of Mitchell, S.D.) Res: R.F.D.#2, Mitchell, S.D.
 Ch: 1h. Judy Rae Laird, b. 7-13-1950.
 2h. Peggy Ann Laird, b. 9-18-1951.
- 2g. Beverly Ann Laird, b. 8-30-1932, Mitchell, S.D. m: Leonard Rowley, 10-10-1951, Fulton, S.D. (b. 9-23-1928, son of Fred Rowley.) Served in Army 3-20-1951 to 1953. Methodist. Farmer. Res: R.F.D., Fulton, S.D.
 Ch: 1h. Vickie Lynn Rowley, b. 9-26-1953. Fulton, S.D.
 2h. Gary Raymond Rowley, b. 6-14-1954. Fulton, S.D.
 3h. Laurie Ann Rowley, b. 1-4-1956. Fulton, S.D.
- 3g. Leonard Eugene Laird, b. 11-16-1934, Mitchell, S.D. Farmer. Methodist. m: Elayne Lunders, 4-10-1953. (b. 3-11-1933, dau. of L.H. Lunders of Denver, Colo.) Res: Fulton, S.D.
 Ch: 1h. Wayne Douglas Laird, b. 8-4-1954.
 2h. Jeffrey Charles Laird, b. 1-11-1956.
 3h. Ginger Elayne Laird, b. 4-9-1957.
 4h. Kathleen Ann Laird, b. 5-6-1959.
- 4e. Sarah A. Laird, b. 2-3-1863, Belle Rive, Ill. d. 2-14-1897, Evergreen, Ala., and interred there. m: Henry A. Shields, 12-31-1879. (b. 12-18-1849 in Pennsylvania, son of Henry C. Shields, a native of Ireland.) Mason. Member of I.O.G.T. Republican. Had no formal education; worked in railroading, being a Section Boss from 1869 to 1873, in Illinois, Jefferson County. Entered U. S. Army, serving until 1878, and then again took up railroading. Was active in Sunday School work, and was Sunday School Superintendent. Resided in Jefferson Co., Ill., and in Evergreen, Ala., where he died 12-4-1923. Interred in that city. After the death of Sarah, her sister, Cora cared for the small children left at her death. She later married Mr. Shields.
 Ch: 1f. Henry Laird Shields, b. 10-24-1880. d. 12-31-1954. Roadmaster for Louisville and Nashville Railway. Resided in Guntersville, Ala., at time of death. Interred in Birmingham, Ala. m: Jewell Musette Hunter, 4-10-1901, Evergreen, Ala. (b. 8-1-1880, dau. Dr. William A. Hunter.) Res. of Mrs. Shields: 122 Academy Blvd., Monroeville, Ala.
 Ch: 1g. Henry Hunter Shields, b. 4-7-1903, Evergreen, Ala. d. 7-7-1903. Interred in Evergreen, Ala.
 2g. Cecil Inge Shields, b. 11-29-1904, Evergreen, Ala. d. 10-31-1948, in Birmingham, Ala. Interred in Birmingham, in Elwood Cemetery. Death resulted from a coronary attack, his first. m: Loulah Alma Bowdon. (b. 11-8-1907, Calera, Ala.) After death of Mr. Shields Loulah married Edward Charles Lee, 3-9-1952, a native of St. Clair Co., Ala.
 Ch: 1g. Sherry Lynn Shields, b. 10-10-1935, Birmingham, Ala.
- 3g. Alma Cathleen Shields, b. 8-20-1907, Bay Minette, Ala. m: Robert Earle Binion, 6-19-1933, Birmingham, Ala. (b. 1-5-1899, son of Robert Pinkney and Laura Binion, nee Kelly of Georgiana, Ala.) Executive Vice-President of a bank. W.W.I. Methodist. Res: 10 Pecan Place, Monroeville, Ala.
 Ch: 1h. Barbara Earle Binion, b. 3-10-1938, Birmingham, Ala. m: Percy Morris Beard, 3-14-1959. (b. 3-31-1936, Opelika, Ala.) Res: 10 Pecan Pl., Monroeville, Ala.
 2h. Carol Cathleen Binion, b. 3-15-1943, at Birmingham, Ala.

- 4g. Ernest Laird Shields, b. 4-20-1910. d. 5-12-1912. Interred in Evergreen.
- 5g. Terence Bishop Shields, b. 6-20-1913, Anniston, Ala. Staff Sergeant in W.W.II. Killed in England 7-4-1948. Interred in Birmingham, Ala.
- 6g. Forest Hadden Shields, b. 11-15-1915, Anniston, Ala. Owner of a Grain Company and a contracting company. Methodist. Saw service in the Navy. m: Ada Beard Powers, 1-17-1941, Birmingham, Ala. (b. 5-19-1918, dau. of Dr. Thomas W. Powers of Birmingham, Ala.) Res. Rt. #1, Box 275, Sunset Dr., Guntersville, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Sandra Ann Shields, b. 7-17-1942, Mobile, Ala.
2h. Diane Marie Shields, b. 1-19-1945, Mobile, Ala.
3h. Terence Henry Shields, b. 5-25-1951, Guntersville, Ala.
- 7g. William Feagin Shields, b. 4-2-1918, Anniston, Ala. d. 1-27-1919.
- 2f. Alma Belle Shields, b. 9-20-1884. d. 3-21-1958. Interred in Evergreen, Ala. m: John McFarland. (b. 1-29-1880, Dalton, Ga. d. 10-18-1948. Interred in Evergreen, Ala.) Railroader - Supervisor. Resided in Evergreen, Ala. and New Orleans, La.
Ch: 1g. William Albert McFarland. Res: 1220 Delery St., New Orleans, La. No further data.
- 2g. Margaret McFarland, b. 11-14-1908, Evergreen, Ala. m: Roy Lilley, 7-4-1933, Jefferson Parish, New Orleans, La. (b. 5-16-1908, son of Oliver R. and Rosella Lilley, nee Patton.) Res: Apt. 502, 4815 Allen St., New Orleans 22, La. Military Service: Lieut. Colonel Army QMC and Tc. With Veterans Administration Hospital, Canteen Officer, New Orleans, La. Member of Reserve. Baptist.
Ch: 1h. Sara Patton Lilley, b. 9-7-1935. m: Paul J. Hubbell, Res: 3124 49th St., Metairie, La.
Ch: 1i. Paul J. Hubbell III, b. 7-25-1954.
2i. Michael Roy Hubbell, b. 9-11-1956.
3i. Cheryl Diane Hubbell, b. 9-27-1957.
4i. Steven John Hubbell, b. 12-19-1958.
2h. Roy Stuart Lilley, b. 7-29-1937.
- 3g. Mary Nell McFarland, b. 1-22-1911, Evergreen, Ala. m: Cameron C. McCann, 7-25-1935, New Orleans, La. (b. 12-17-1901, son of William S. McCann of New Orleans, La.) Attorney. Methodist. Res: 1172 City Park Ave., New Orleans, La. No issue.
- 3f. Mary Jane ("Minnie") Shields, b. 4-1-1887, Belle Rive, Ill. m: Clifford Henderson, 4-18-1906, Evergreen, Ala. (b. 9-16-1883, Evergreen, Ala. son of Joel and Ada Henderson of Evergreen.) Retired Railroad Conductor. Methodist. Res: 140 S. Madison Terrace, Montgomery 7, Ala.
Ch: 1g. Sarah Elizabeth Henderson, b. 1-29-1908, Evergreen, Ala. d. 7-26-1908.
2g. Clarabel Henderson, b. 3-18-1909, Evergreen, Ala. m: Roderick Coulson Woodruff, July 1928. Divorced. Res. of Clarabel: 259 Shadyside Lane, Montgomery, Ala.
Ch: 1h. Jeanne Woodruff, b. 7-5-1929, Montgomery, Ala. m: Samuel Keplinger Fleenor. Res: 396 Vescova Dr., Memphis, Tenn.
Ch: 1i. Clifford Jefferson Fleenor, b. 9-21-1952, Montgomery, Ala.
2i. Samuel Keplinger Fleenor, Jr., b. 2-24-1954, Memphis, Tenn.
- 3g. Clifford Shields Henderson, b. 5-20-1919, Montgomery, Ala. m: Audrey Penn Holman, 8-31-1941. (b. 1-29-1919) Res: 3042 Pelzer Ave., Montgomery, Ala.
Ch: 1g. Bruce Shields Henderson, b. 10-21-1946, Montgomery, Ala.
2g. Michael Holman Henderson, b. 10-9-1950, Montgomery, Ala.
- 4f. Charles Robson Shields, b. 4-13-1891. Whereabout unknown. Was in "railroading". m: Myrtice Leegan, (b. 5-10-1897. d. 10-12-1932. Interred in Pensacola, Fla.) Res. in Alabama and in Pensacola, Fla.
Ch: 1g. Henry Robson Shields, b. 10-31-1918. Single. Res: 47-51 38th St., Long Island, N. Y.
2g. Wyona Shields, 9-9-1916, at Big Sandy, Tenn. m: Paul Lampi, 7-2-1942, at Metairie, La. (b. 6-14-1906, son of Sakris and Margaret Lampi of Calumet, Mich.) In Heating Business. Navy - 1942 to 1946. Methodists. Res: 469 Colton Ave., Detroit 3, Mich. No issue.
3g. Doris Edna Shields, b. 2-16-1926, Montgomery, Ala. m: Robert Eugene Fortier, 2-6-1947, New Orleans, La. (b. 10-13-1919, son of Eugene John Fortier of New Orleans.) Fighter Pilot, 8th Air Force, 1941 to 1945, rating of Captain. Now Nuclear Engineer. Methodist. Res: 23220 Sylvan St.,

Woodland Hills, California.

Ch: 1h. Robert Laird Fortier, b. 3-28-1955.

5f. Terance Guthrie Shields, b. 4-28-1893, Evergreen, Ala. Merchant and Planter. Methodist. m: Wyona Carter, 8-21-1916, Evergreen, Ala. (b. 1-29-1893, dau. of C.E. Carter of Mexia, Ala.) Res: 613 Chaffe St., P.O. Box 924, Talledega, Ala. No issue.

5e. Flora Laird, b. 7-23-1866. d. 10-10-1882.

6e. Cora Edith Laird, b. 2-9-1869, Belle Rive, Ill. d. 12-20-1931, Anniston, Ala. Was living in Evansville, Ind. in 1892. Later removed to Evergreen, Ala. and lived with her sister, Sarah A. Shields. After the death of Sarah, she took care of her sister's small children and on August 24th, 1898, married her sister's widower, Henry A. Shields, at Evergreen, Ala. Mr. Shields was a Roadmaster for Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Ch: 1f. Edith Shields, b. 6-23-1901, at Evergreen, Ala. m: 1st: William Joseph Dunn, 2-14-1922. (b. 8-14-1900, son of Henry Wright Dunn and Gilma Dunn, nee Robertson, d. 1-19-1930.) Resided in Anniston, Ala.

Ch: 1g. Carolyn Dunn, b. 6-3-1924, Evergreen, Ala. m: Dr. Edward Henderson McGehee, 9-10-1946, at Mobile, Ala. (b. 7-24-1921, son of Dr. Paul Duncan McGehee of Mobile, Ala.) Grad. Univ. of Pennsylvania and Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, with M.D. Degree. Res: 819 East Gravers Lane, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ch: 1h. Edward Henderson McGehee, Jr., b. 9-25-1949.

2h. James Laird McGehee, b. 9-22-1952.

3h. Virginia McDuffie McGehee, b. 9-13-1955.

4h. Sarah Shields McGehee, b. 9-22-1956.

m: 2nd: Ben W. Wildman, 5-12-1944, Anniston, Ala. (b. 5-15-1903, son of Alexander James Wildman and Rachel Wildman, nee Whitaker.) Division Auditor for Alabama Power Company. Episcopal. Res: Box 621 B, Spanish Point, Mobile, Ala. No issue.

4d. Elizabeth Love Goodner, b. 12-14-1830, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 12-4-1856. m: Columbus Conrad Goodner, a cousin, 10-16-1851, Washington Co., Ill., J.A. Robinson, Minister. Columbus Conrad, son of Godfrey Goodner, born 1826, died 1873.

Ch: 1e. Francis Acuff Goodner, No data, but must have been deceased by 1892, as name is not given in the list of heirs of his grandfather, Elijah Goodner, whose estate was administered in that year.

2e. Millard Fillmore Goodner, b. abt. 1855/6. In 1892 he was living outside the State of Illinois, as so stated in the administration of the estate of his grandfather, Elijah Goodner, but his address was not given, and we have no record of his residence at that time. Likewise, we have no record of his marriage or his children, but it is believed that he did have issue, with residence in Texas.

5d. Sarah Caroline Goodner, b. 4-11-1833, Wash. Co., Ill. d. 12-13-1872, in either Washington or Jefferson Co., Ill. m: 1st: William Nimrod Bennett, 1-28-1857. He was fatally stabbed in January of 1862 while trying to stop a fight between two men. (b. 1-29-1832, son of Levi Bennett (b. 2-13-1811) and Nancy Bennett (b. 3-17-1812).)

Ch: 1e. Alice Genette ("Nettie A.") Bennett, b. 11-4-1857, in probably Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 2-20-1943, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Frank Emmerson Foster, 2-19-1879. (b. 9-11-1857. d. 1-20-1939) Both are interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Mr. Foster was at first a farmer, later entered business in Mt. Vernon, becoming Mayor of the city. He was a son of Judge Jared Foster & Orphia Ann Dennison of Seymour, Ind. Judge Foster was a resident of Jefferson County.

Ch: 1f. William C. Foster, b. 2-1-1880. Died at birth.

2f. Maudie C. Foster, b. 4-13-1881, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 1-4-1908. m: Mr. Holland. No further data.

3f. Raymond R. Foster, b. 12-1-1882, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 4-30-1936, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Edna Zimmerman. Resided in Mt. Vernon, Jefferson Co., Ill.

Ch: 1g. Velma Foster, b. 5-7-1907, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 12-21-1953. m: Harry Lee Bishop. Resided in Mt. Vernon, where Velma is interred.

Ch: 1h. Norma Bishop, b. 11-6-1927, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: James Paul Ranmar, 8-4-1942, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 4-22-1924, son of James Ranmar of Mt. Vernon, Ill. Employed by Standard Tire Co. in Mt. Vernon. Served in Air Force with 33 months service. Protestant. Res: 17 Rushton Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Ch: 1i. Madelyne Carole Ranmar, b. 3-5-1943.

2i. Paul Everett Ranmar, b. 4-25-1947.

2h. Tony Bishop, m: Mr. Lemon. Res: 610 W. Roselawn, Danville, Ill. No issue.

3h. Harry Lee Bishop, Jr., b. 12-12-1934, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Sheet Metal Worker. Protestant. m: Shelly Jean Sparks, 8-14-1953, Corinth, Miss. (b. 10-25-1936, dau. of Jesse Sparks of Paducah, Ky.) Res: Mt. Vernon, Ill.

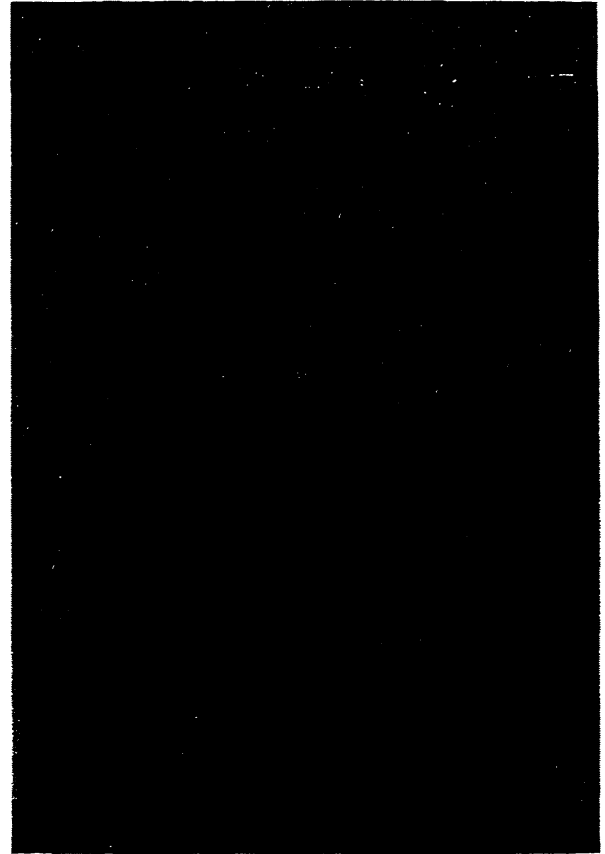
Ch: 1i. Velma Estell Bishop, b. 4-5-1954.

- 2i. Russell Wayne Bishop, b. 2-28-1958.
 3i. Leigh Ann Bishop, b. 5-1-1959.
- 2g. Vernon Russell Foster, b. 7-19-1910, Mt. Vernon, Ill. W.W.II. Pilot in Air Force, and Instructor, - 1942 to 1945. Baptist. m: Alma Stroud, 1932, (b. 7-16-1911, dau. of Meridan Stroud.) Nashville, Tenn. Res: Box 621, Tipton, Okla. No issue.
- 4f. Arthur Clyde Foster, b. 7-29-1884, Jefferson Co., Ill. Retired. Methodist. m: Martha Anna Boyles, 1-1-1909. (b. 1-8-1882.) Res: Rt. #1, Dix, Jefferson Co., Ill.
 Ch: 1g. Murland Arthur Foster, b. 10-9-1909, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Farmer. Methodist. m: Martha Marie Mack, 10-23-1929, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 1-13-1911, dau. John H. and Mary K. Mack.) Res: Rt. #5, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Wendell Eugene Foster, b. 1-4-1931. d. 2-23-1951.
 2h. Alice Marie Foster, b. 6-13-1933. m: Carl L. Stubler. Res: Rt. #5, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- 2g. Waldo Emmerson Foster, b. 1-31-1912, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Owner and Operator of a Grocery Store. Methodist. Res: Dix, Ill. m: Wilma Lucille Ramsey, Sept. 1933, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 4-15-1916, dau. Frank Ramsey of Mt. Vernon, Ill.)
 Ch: 1h. Teddy Joe Foster, b. 9-7-1936. m: Marylyn Sue Barker. Res: 408 N. Springer, Carbondale, Ill.
 2h. Barbara Kay Foster, b. 2-7-1944.
 3h. Carson E. Foster, b. 9-16-1949. Killed in an automobile accident in March 1958.
- 3g. Martha Helen Foster, b. 9-26-1914, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: Nicola Ricardo Altieri, 12-30-1939, at Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 5-27-1904, son of Leonard Altieri of Roseto Valforte, Italy.) Professional Photographer. Methodist. Served in U. S. Army Dec. 1923 to Dec. 1926. Res: 1101 Highland, Joliet, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Leonard Arthur Altieri, b. 5-10-1942.
 2h. Marian Sue Altieri, b. 6-16-1943.
- 5f. Rade M. Foster, b. 8-13-1891, near Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Guy M. Summers, 9-21-1913, at Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 9-10-1889, son of William S. and Ida Newby Summers of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) Proprietor of a Variety Store. Methodist. Res: 800 North St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Ch: 1g. William Foster Summers, b. 12-30-1915, Mt. Vernon, Ill. W.W.II, 5 yrs. Merchant. Methodist. m: Tuella Ifaffl, 2-10-1948, at Menominee, Mich. (b. 7-15-1921, dau. of William Pfaffl of Menominee, Mich.) Res: 322 N. 8th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. David Foster Summers, b. 2-10-1953.
 2h. Brian Michael Summers, b. 6-6-1958.
- 2g. Robert G. Summers, b. 11-27-1922, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Military Service - Feb. 1943 to March 1946. Methodist. Personnel Officer at Univ. of Illinois. m: Lemma Doraine Janney, 8-9-1947, at Fayetteville, N.C. (b. 10-11-1928, dau. Moir and Vila Janney of Leaksville, N.C.) Res: 909 W. Oregon, Urbana, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Gyan Rade Summers, b. 10-1-1950.
 2h. Robert Jared Summers, b. 9-22-1956.
- 2e. Charles Goodner Bennett, b. 4-15-1860. d. 7-12-1862.
- 3e. William R. Bennett, b. 11-13-1861. (Middle initial also given as "A" and "H." in Administration papers of Estate of Elijah Goodner.) According to these same Administration Papers, William was a lunatic in the asylum in Anna, Ill., in 1892. Date of death unknown.
 Sarah Goodner Bennett m: 2nd: James P. McReynolds, 10-12-1864.
 Ch: 4e. James M. McReynolds, b. 2-22-1866. No data.
 5e. Addie McReynolds, b. 11-11-1867. d. 2-6-1868.
 6e. Albert McReynolds, b. 4-20-1869. No data.
 7e. Orpha M. McReynolds, b. 12-1-1871. m: Mr. Shipley. No further data.
- 6d. Mary Melvina Goodner, b. 5-28-1835. d. 2-10-1866.
- 7d. Marinda Evaline Goodner, b. 5-28-1838, Washington Co., Ill. d. abt. 1917/9. m: Orlando M.D. Ham, 2-10-1861, born 7-4-1840 in Jefferson Co., Ill.; died 1921. Both Marinda and Orlando are interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Mt. Vernon, Ill., buried beside each other. Orlando was the son of James Ham, who was born in Kentucky in 1805 and who died in 1845, and his mother was Frances T. Crisel, a native of Gallatin Co., Ill., born 2-8-1817 and who was a daughter of Henry Crisel and the former Sally Truss, natives of N. Carolina. Orlando was Township Collector, and the Hams were members of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Orlando had a brother, Christopher Devalcourt Ham, who was organizer of the Ham National Bank. The Ham homestead was at Ham's Grove, near the site of the present town of Opdyke. The earliest members of the family in Jefferson County appear to have been Moses and James, Moses being the father of James and the grandfather of Orlando and Christopher.



Marinda Goodner Ham

(Courtesy of Mrs. Ethel Cherry Dickinson)



Orlando M. D. Ham

- Ch: 1e. Charles R. Ham, b. 11-22-1862, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. Nov. 1948. Resided in or near Opdyke, Ill. m: Maud Cornelius. (b. 1866. d. 6-4-1947, dau. of H. C. Cornelius.)
- Ch: 1f. Rev. E. C. Ham, b. 10-6-1902, near Opdyke, Jefferson Co., Ill. Minister of the Free Methodist Church. m: Miss Polen, 6-24-1922 at Norris City, Ill. (b. 12-30-1901, dau. of Edd. and Bessie Polen.) Res: 609 D. 19th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. No issue.
- 2f. Grace Ham. m: Mr. Todd. Res: Sullivan, Ill.
- 3f. Lora Ham. Deceased. No data.
- 4f. Clarence Ham. Deceased. No data.
- 2e. Orlando T. ("Orley") Ham, b. 1-18-1868, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 12-6-1918, a victim of the raging influenza at that time. Interred in Opdyke, Ill. m: Clara Harlowe ("Pearl") Holder. (b. 4-22-1868. d. 3-27-1948, dau. of Solomon and Elizabeth Holder.)
- Ch: 1f. Pearl Beatrice Ham, b. 9-23-1894, Opdyke, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: T. Otto McPherson, 9-2-1913, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 2-25-1887, son of John and Florence McPherson of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) In Music Business. Pearl is a member of the M.E. Church and Mr. McPherson is a Baptist. Res: 102 N. 13th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. J. Ham McPherson, b. 4-15-1916, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Construction Executive. Grad. Univ. of Illinois. Member of R.O.T.C. Refused commission because of eye injury. Methodist. m: Althea Fern Cameron, 6-12-1940. (b. 6-24-1921, dau. of Tom and Opal Cameron of Beardstown, Ill.) Res: 1001 Randall, Beeville, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Beatrice Fern McPherson, b. 6-2-1942, Peoria, Ill.
- 2h. Thomas Charles McPherson, b. 8-14-1945, at St. Louis, Mo.
- 3h. Deborah Dora McPherson, b. 8-29-1953, at Harlingen, Texas.
- 3e. Ulah Dove Ham, d. infancy.
- 8d. William Benjamin Goodner, b. 9-14-1841, Wash. Co., Ill. Date of death not known. In 1892 was living in Howard, Elk Co., Kansas, previous to which he lived for some years in Jefferson Co., Ill. There is a possibility that he returned to Illinois after the death of his first wife, as a place of residence, for in 1905 he was in Jefferson Co., Ill., in which year he married there his second wife. His residence at time of death is not known. m: 1st: Roxanna P. Bateman, of Virginia, 1-10-1867, Jefferson Co., Ill., J.A. Richardson, minister.
- Ch: 1e. Oriole ("Ora") Goodner, b. 10-28-1867, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 7-18-1956. m: Wallace Hornaday, 1904. (d. 1909) Florist. Born in Cook Co., Ill. Member of Congregational Church. Ora was in the stationery business with her sister, Elva, in Lawton, Okla., in 1925 and for a number of yrs. thereafter, under the trade name of "The Goodner Book and Stationery Co." Ora apparently died in Lawton, Okla., and is no doubt interred there.

- Ch: 1f. Evelyn Janet Hornaday, b. 4-6-1909. m: Lloyd C. Dawson, 12-29-1926. (b. 10-15-1907, Green Co., Texas. Son of Clayborn and Tina Dawson, nee Overman) Farmer. Baptist. Res: 109-1/2 N. 8th St., St. Joseph, Mo.
- Ch: 1g. Lloyd Harvey Dawson, b. 7-30-1930, Lawton, Okla. In 1957 was in the military service, Army, stationed in Germany.
- 2g. William Robert Dawson, b. 7-29-1933, Lawton, Okla. Military service - Army. m: Gerda Martha Hagerman, Apr. 1952, in Germany, while stationed there in the Army of Occupation. Res: 4206 Lamont St., Corpus Christi, Tex.
- Ch: 1h. Robert Frank Dawson, b. 4-21-1953.
- 2h. William David Dawson, b. 4-7-1956.
- 3g. Dorothy Dolores Dawson, b. abt. 1935. m: Thomas Harvey Moreland, 1953, Cook Co., Ill. Res: 109-1/2 N. 8th St., St. Joseph, Mo.
- Ch: 1h. Rosalind Jeanette Moreland, b. 8-21-1954, Wichita Falls, Tex.
- 2e. Osie Goodner, b. 8-24-1870. d. 8-24-1885.
- 3e. Nellie May Goodner, b. 4-30-1875. Was deceased in 1951. m: Albert Krumm, 1918. Resided in Weatherford, Okla. No issue.
- 4e. Elva Evadna Goodner, b. 12-11-1876. d. June 1958, Lawton, Okla. m: O.O. Kirkham, 1903, Lawton, Okla. (d. 5-24-1944) Was in the Stationery business with sister, Ora, operating under the trade name of "The Goodner Book and Stationery Co.", in Lawton, Okla., with O.O. Kirkham as manager.
- Ch: 1f. Roxanna Louise Kirkham, b. 10-1-1910. Single. Principal of an Elementary School in Lawton, Okla.
- 5e. George Elijah Ham Goodner, b. 5-25-1879, d. 9-3-1959, Weatherford, Okla. Was an auditor in Washington, D.C. in 1924, with residence in Cherrydale, Va. Later became an attorney, and specialized as a Tax Consultant from 1917 on to date of retirement, on such particular problems as those involving consolidations, and natural resources in the whole field of mining, oil, gas, coal, timber, water power, non-metals, etc. His office was in the Muncie Bldg., Washington, D.C. He retired in 1956 to his old home town of Weatherford, Okla., residing at 600 North Broadway. m: 1st: Mrs. Etta S. Woodside, nee Henrietta Sylvester. (d. Sept. 1949)
- Ch: 1f. Helen Goodner, b. 6-17-1909. Grad. in law in Spring of 1934, and was associated with her father until 1953. After grad. in 1934, she and her sister, Henrietta, spent 3 mos. in Europe. About this time she passed the bar examination. m: Judge George T. Washington, 7-18-1953, Washington, D.C. An attorney and Judge of the United States Ct. of Appeals for the District of Columbia. Judge Geo. T. Washington is a descendant of John Augustine Washington, a brother to our first President, George Washington. Res: 4000 Cathedral Ave., N.W., Apt. 801B, Washington, D.C. No issue.
- 2f. Henrietta Goodner, b. 7-17-1912. Spent 3 mos. in Europe in 1935. m: 1st: Mack Tate.
- Ch: 1g. Conrad McCall Tate, b. 5-20-1940.
- 2g. Catherine Lynne Tate, b. 8-26-1943.
- 3g. Richard Goodner Tate, b. 1-29-1946.
- m: 2nd: Conrad H. Goodwin, Jr., 11-28-1953, Philadelphia, Pa. (b. 3-13-1919, son of Rev. Conrad Harrison Goodwin.) The three children of Henrietta have been legally adopted by Mr. Goodwin, and now carry the Goodwin name. Res: c/o Rectory of Christ Church, St. Peters Parish, Easton, Md. No issue by second marriage.
- 3f. Ruth Goodner, b. 1-16-1919. d. 1926.
- George E.H. Goodner m: 2nd: Helen Hughes, who survives him.
- William Benjamin Goodner m: 2nd: Mrs. Lacy Smith Goodner, nee Carolyn Newman, widow of his brother, James Thompson Goodner, 2-2-1905, Washington Co., Ill., O.F. Culver, Minister. No issue.
- 9d. Nancy Emaline Goodner, b. 7-28-1845, Washington Co., Ill. d. 12-31-1875, possibly in Jefferson Co., Ill. m: M.G. Crowder, 8-9-1866. Resided in Jefferson Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1e. Lily Crowder, abt. 1868. m: Mr. McMahon. Resided in 1892 in New Decatur, Ala. Later resided in Beech Grove, Indiana, now a part of Indianapolis. Reported to have had two children, names not known.
- 2e. Elmer Crowder. no data.
- 3e. Elsa D. Crowder, Resided in Menard Co., Ill., in 1892. No further data.
- Elijah Goodner m: 2nd: Mary Curlee Vann, 11-8-1852, in Perry Co., Ill. (b. 3-18-1813)
- Ch: 10d. Laura Alvaretta Goodner, b. 8-21-1855. d. 7-3-1939. Interred in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill. m: Dr. Richard Gaston Wall, 11-9-1875, son Joseph Henry Wall & Elizabeth (Grant) Wall, born 1819. Grad. of Miami Medical College, Cincinnati, Ohio. Resided near Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. He acted as Administrator of the Estate of Elijah Goodner. Dr. Wall was born 11-9-1845, and died 2-6-1936, interment in New Hope Cemetery, Belle Rive, Ill.,
- Ch: 1e. Nellie Wall, b. 3-24-1878, near Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 3-27-1954. Interred in Belle Rive, Ill. m: Lewis E. Weaver, abt. 1899-1900. (b. 9-19-1878. d. 5-1-1955. Interred in Clinton, Ill.) Building Contractor. Resided in Decatur, Macon Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Laura Weaver, b. 5-26-1901, Hamilton Co., Ill. m: George B. Newman, 6-10-1925, Decatur, Ill. (b. 5-26-1892, son of John H.M. and Lou C. Newman.) Carpenter. Served

- in Army. Methodists. Res: Rt. #4, Xenia, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. George Berkley Newman, Jr., b. 6-1-1926, Decatur, Ill. Student. Navy, 9-13-1944 to 6-20-1946. m: Bernita Helen May Bushart, 8-28-1949. (b. 2-18-1931, dau. George Boone May and Lena Bushart. Adopted by Wilbur Bushart) Res: Rt. #1, Westfield, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Sharon Lee Newman, b. 9-2-1953.
2h. Connie Sue Newman, b. 9-27-1955.
3h. Denise Kay Newman, b. 12-20-1956.
- 2g. Lauretta C. Newman, b. 1-10-1928, Decatur, Ill. m: Paul Albert Williams 9-23-1951, Forsyth, Macon Co., Ill. (b. 4-24-1919, son of Walter Williams deceased, of Humboldt, Ill.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: Rt. #3, Arcola, Ill.
- Ch: 1h. Paula Jean Williams, b. 7-29-1952.
2h. Beverly Joan Williams, b. 8-10-1954.
3h. Vanessa June Williams, b. 10-24-1957.
- 2e. Alice Wall, b. 10-8-1879, Belle Rive, Ill. Living -1959 -at North Liberty, Iowa. m: John J. Hager, abt. 1900. (b. 11-9-1870. d. 1-20-1958. Son of Hiram and Elizabeth Hager.) Farmer and Painter. Resided when first married at Belle Rive, Ill. Later moved to Normal, Ill., and then to Iowa. Mr. Hager is interred in North Liberty, Iowa.
- Ch: 1f. Nannie Ivalene Hager, b. 10-7-1901, Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: 1st: Earl Tho. Baldrige, 3-10-1923, at Cravat, Jefferson Co., Ill. (b. 7-12-1903, at Cravat, Ill., son of Charles and Ella Baldrige of Cravat, Ill.)
- Ch: 1g. Sylvia Fae Baldrige, b. 3-24-1924. m: Mr. La Brun. Mailing address: Rt. #4, Iowa City, Iowa, c/o Mrs. Ora Sexton.
- m: 2nd: Ora Sexton, 1-3-1930, at Kahoka, Mo. (b. 4-5-1893, son of Arthur and Carrie Sexton of Iowa City, Iowa. Both deceased.) Farmer. Methodist. Res: Rt. #4, Iowa City, Iowa.
- Ch: 2g. Ora Leroy Sexton, b. 1-24-1931, At home.
3g. Larry Howard Sexton, b. 9-30-1941, Iowa City, Iowa.
- 2f. Clarence Henry Hager, b. 10-7-1909, Belle Rive, Ill. Contractor. Member of Seventh Day Adventist Church. m: Mildred E. Cadwallader, 11-28-1935, at Nashua. (b. 11-6-1911, dau. of Ernest and Blanch Cadwallader of La Jara, Colo.) Res: 1111 Westchester Dr., Nashville, Tenn. No issue.
- 3f. Gertie Hager. Res: P.O. Box 461, Poplar Bluff, Mo.
- 4f. Harry Hager, *b. 11-12-1913, Belle Rive, Ill. Res: 2070 Garfield St., Dubuque, Iowa.
- 5f. Berdel Hager, b. 2-5-1918, Belle Rive, Ill. Machinist. Navy- April 1941 to Sept. 1945. W.W.II. Methodist. m: Gelen Grace Rose, 9-30-1950, at Kenwood Parsonage in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. (b. 6-22-1911, dau. William and Grace Rose of Manlius, Bureau Co., Ill.) Res: 3005 Bowling, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. No issue.
- 6f. Nellie Hager, d. infancy.
- 7f. Walter Hager, d. infancy.
- 8f. Laura Mildred Hager, d. infancy.
- 3e. Dana Wall, b. 6-21-1885, Belle Rive, Ill. d. 1-17-1952. m: Edna Lynn (d. 4-11-1931)
- Ch: 1f. Walter Lynn Wall. Res: N.S.A. Eur. APO No. 757, New York, N.Y.
2f. Mary Wall. m: Mr. De Volld. Res: R.R. #3, Port Rd., Ravenna, Ohio.
- 4e. Richard Wall, b. 1887. d. 1889.
- 5e. Henry A. Wall, b. 5-22-1891, Belle Rive, Ill. Carpenter, now retired. Methodist. m: Violet Varner, 10-10-1926, Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. (b. 3-31-1903, dau. of Florence and Emma Varner.) Resided in St. Louis in 1927 and 1928, and except for that time resided in Belle Rive, Ill., until 1942, when moved to Hillsdale, Ind. Retired in 1956, built a home in Interlaken, Fla., where he now lives with Mrs. Wall. Address: P.O. Box 202. Mason. W.W.I. Veteran, and member of American Legion. Served 6-24-1918 to 6-4-1919 in Co. E, 131st Infantry, 33rd Division.
- Ch: 1f. Betty Florence Wall, b. 12-3-1928. m: Robert Nickle, 12-9-1950. (b. 11-2-1915, son of Charles Nickle of Montezuma, Ind.) Machinist. Res: 1003 Walnut St., Clinton, Ind.
- Ch: 1g. Linda Florence Nickle, b. 1-4-1940, Clinton, Ind.
2g. Terry Date Nickle, b. 8-13-1951, Clinton, Ind.
3g. Stanley Ray Nickle, b. 4-14-1953, Clinton, Ind.
4g. Jinix ("Jinks") Ann Nickle, b. 5-29-1954, Clinton, Ind.
- 2f. James Henry Wall, b. 10-7-1931. m: Delores Costella, 5-31-1958. Res: 557 Walnut St., Clinton, Ind. No issue.
- 3f. Max Varner Wall, b. 2-21-1933. m: Judy Hood, 6-9-1957. Res: Broadland, Champaign Co., Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Jeffrey Lin Wall, b. 1958.
- 6e. Kenneth Wall, b. 1896. d. 1914.
- 11d. Finley Cartwright Goodner, b. 7-28-1857. d. 9-29-1872.

*See Appendix.

12c. Elizabeth Goodner (1806-1839) - John Wesley Holcomb (1801-)

 1d. Joseph A. Holcomb (1824-)

Never Married.

 2d. Elizabeth Ann Holcomb (1830-1922)
 m: Cornelius Gooding.

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- 1e. America Adelia Gooding (1855-1944)
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- 2e. Homer Louis Gooding (1857-1942)
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- 3e. Robert Abraham Gooding (1865-1926)
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- 4e. Lillie Mae Gooding (1868 abt. -1892)
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- 5e. Fred C. Gooding (1870-1957)
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- 6e. Effie Maude Gooding (1873-1949)
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 3d. Mary Jane Holcomb (1832-1898)
 m: Aaron Stookey (1824-1895)

No issue.

 4d. Jacob Van Cleve Holcomb (1835-1925)

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- 1e. Elma Holcomb (1861-1951)
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 5d. Francis Garrett Holcomb (1837-)
 m: Sarah Catherine Cochran (1839-1919)

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- 1e. Charles Van Cleve Holcomb (1858-1940)
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- 2e. Ida May Holcomb (1862-1919)
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- 3e. Nora Belle Holcomb (1871-1873)
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- 4e. Mary Nevada Holcomb (1873-)
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- 5e. Clara Vanetta Holcomb (1876-1882)
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 6d. Cicero Holcomb (1839-)

No issue.

- 12c. Elizabeth Goodner, the 12th child of Conrad and Elizabeth (Scherrer) Goodner, was born in Smith County, Tennessee, on either Jan. 11th or June 11th, 1806. Both dates have been given to me. When she was about six years of age, the family moved to Illinois Territory, settling in Randolph, then Johnson County, and finally in about 1815 in St. Clair Co., Illinois. Two dates have been given to me as the time of her death. One is August 13th, 1839, the year in which her last child was born. The other date is Jan. 13th, 1843. I am inclined to believe that the 1839 date is the correct one. On Jan. 8th, 1823, lacking three days of being 17 years of age, she married John Wesley Holcomb, a tanner. He was born April 15th, 1801. They remained in St. Clair County until the year 1832, when they moved to Washington County with her brothers, Elijah and Francis. One brother, Jacob, was already living in Washington Co., residing near Nashville. Here they remained until her death. This is the report given in a letter to George Washington Goodner, but apparently she and John did not move to Washington County until after 1835, for her son Jacob, was born in Beardstown in St. Clair in March of 1835, as reported to me by his granddaughter. Places of interment not known. Ch: 1d. Joseph A. Holcomb, b. 10-31-1824, St. Clair County, Ill. Date of death not known. He is reported to have gone to California and to have never married.
- 2d. Elizabeth Ann (Betty) Holcomb, b. 2-12-1830, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 3-15-1922 in Jasper, Mo., and interred there. m: Cornelius Gooding, *5-3-1853, whose first wife was Luverba Goodner, a daughter of Benjamin. Places of residence not definitely known, but from the fact that some of the children were born in West Point, Ill., and that she died at Jasper, Mo., it is safe to assume that they lived at both places. At her death she was 92 years of age, and presumably Cornelius preceded her in death. We do not know his place of interment.
- Ch: 1e. America Adelia ("Ada") Gooding, b. 10-25-1855, West Point, Ill. d. 3-15-1944. Interred in Trinidad, Colorado. m: James Abraham Rhoades, 12-18-1880, West Point, Ill. (b. 4-10-1856, son Elijah Rhoades.) Interred in Trinidad, Colo. He was a merchant.
- Ch: 1f. Lillie Maud Rhoades, b. 4-10-1884. d. 3-27-1912. Interred in Boulder, Colorado. m: Kingsley C. Baker. Deceased. No issue.
- 2f. Bert Harold Rhoades, b. 6-9-1888. d. 12-2-1929. Interred in Trinidad, Colo. Pharmacist. Member of Christian Church. m: 1st: Roberta McGinity, abt. 1910, dau. John and Eva McGinity. John McGinity is interred in Trinidad.
- Ch: 1g. Bert H. Rhoades, Jr., b. 4-5-1912, Manitou, Colo. Industrial Engineer. Baptist. m: Leila Seaga, 9-29-1934, at Sapula, Okla. (b. 9-17-1908, dau. W.T. and Winnie Lee Seaga. W.T. Seaga was from Arkansas and Winnie Lee was from Mississippi.) Res: 1616 - 47th Ave., Oakland, Calif. No issue.
- 2g. Nancy Louise Rhoades, b. Oct. 1920, Bartlesville, Okla. m: Frederick S. Victor, Oct. 1940, Bartlesville, Okla. (b. Feb. 1919, son Frederick, Sr., Wyandotte, Okla.) In Gasoline Supply Business. Members of the Christian Church. Res: 5105 Meadow Ridge, Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Victor served in the Navy.
- Ch: 1h. Fredrick Grant Victor, b. Aug. 1942.
2h. Judith Louise Victor, b. Oct. 1945.
3h. David Alan Victor, b. July 1948.
- m: 2nd: Elsie Mae Klump. (b. 3-20-1893, dau. of Absalom Henry Klump.)
- 3g. Kathryn Marie Rhoades, b. 11-6-1928, Skyatoke, Okla. m: Joseph Frank Vallone, 9-6-1946, Raton, N.M. (b. 12-23-1913, son of Frank Vallone, of Palermo, Italy.) Res: 2215 N. Custer, Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- Ch: 1h. Jo Ann Vallone, b. 8-19-1948.
2h. Joseph Bert Vallone, b. 3-13-1951.
- 3f. Alma Rhoades, b. 12-10-1889, West Point, Ill. m: Maurice Elmer Goodpasture, 8-15-1907, Columbus, Kansas. (b. 12-4-1886. d. 2-27-1956. Son of James J. Goodpasture. Interred in Trinidad, Colo.) Chief Dispatcher for C & S R. R. Co. Members of the Christian Church. Res: Alma: 903-1/2 San Pedro, Trinidad, Colo. No issue.
- 2e. Homer Louis Gooding, b. 8-15-1857, West Point, Ill. (?) (d. 5-21-1942. Interred in Ft. Collins, Colo. m: Nettie Linn. (b. 7-31-1865. d. 5-13-1929. Interred in Ft. Collins, Colo.)
- Ch: 1f. Elsie Gooding, b. 9-15-1888, Olatha, Kansas. m: Wilber Le Roy Cheney, 4-18-1906, Grinnell, Kan. (b. North English, Iowa., son of Horace Omar Cheney). Carpenter. Members of Christian Church. Res: 737 Sunny Hills Rd., Fullerton, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Vida Margaret Cheney, b. 7-3-1907. m: Mr. Curtis. Res: Rist Canyon, Bellevue, Colorado.
- 2g. Velma Marjorie Cheney, b. 1-16-1909. m: Mr. Dixon. Res: Rt. #2, Box 246, Ft. Collins, Colorado.
- 3g. Ralph Robert Cheney, b. 2-26-1911, Ft. Collins, Colo. Res: 501 E. Orangethorpe, Anaheim, Calif.
- 4g. Pebble Frances Cheney, b. 11-23-1916. m: Mr. Grizzle. Res: Ft. Collins, Colorado.
- 2f. Maude Alice Gooding, b. 10-24-1892, Bucyrus, Kan. m: Herman Fauber, 8-26-1916. (b. 4-1-1892, son of Charles Fauber.) With Experimental Station, Colorado State Univ. Presbyterian. Res: 715 Washington St., Ft. Collins, Colo. No issue.
- *See Appendix.
- 3e. Dr. Robert Abraham Gooding, b. 10-10-1865. d. 10-11-1923, Ft. Collins, Colo. Grad. of the

Old Keokuk Medical College of Physicians and Surgeons, Keokuk, Iowa, in 1887. Resided at one time in Jasper, Mo. and aided Dr. W.H. Knott, a cousin, through medical school. Interred in Ft. Collins, Colo. in: Mary E. Dodd, abt. 1889. (b. 10-7-1865. d. Jan. 1924. Dau. Thomas & Henretta Dodd.)

- Ch: 1f. Edna Gooding, b. 12-22-1890, Jasper, Mo. m: Frank H. O'Neill, 5-8-1917, Ft. Collins, Colo. Meat Cutter. (b. 10-26-1893, son of John M. O'Neill and Annie Lacey.) Res: 2925 Paseo del Refugio, Santa Barbara, Calif.
- Ch: 1g. Frank H. O'Neill, Jr., b. 6-1-1918, Ft. Collins, Colo. District School Superintendent. Protestant. Served in Air Force. m: Phoebe Elizabeth Green, 3-29-1942, Los Angeles, Calif. (b. 1-3-1915, dau. Otto T. Green, Green City, Mo.) Res: Rt. #4, Box 500, Bakersfield, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Brian Green O'Neill, b. 12-31-1946.
- 2g. Richard H. O'Neill, b. 12-17-1923, Ft. Collins, Colo. W.W.II, 1942 to 1946. Teacher. Member Protestant Episcopal Church. m: Joanne Ross Fleming, 8-25-1951, Pasadena, Calif. (b. 6-22-1923, dau. Goldwin Fleming of Toronto, Canada.) Res: 686 Mariposa Ave., Sierra Madre, Calif.
Ch: 1h. David Alan O'Neill, b. 6-28-1953.
2h. Robert John O'Neill, b. 2-6-1955.
- 2f. Ralph Gooding, b. 9-14-1892. d. 1932. Interred in Ft. Collins, Colo. Salesman. m: Grace Kiersey, dau. Elizabeth Kiersey. Res: Mrs. Gooding: 1061 E. Broadway, Long Beach, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Mary Gooding, b. 1-11-1922, El Paso, Tex. m: Robert Leo Whitehey, 5-13-1948, Las Vegas, N.M. (b. 8-13-1921, son George Whitehey of Pennsylvania.) Army Veteran. Episcopalian. Res: 2366 Tevis, Long Beach, Calif.
- 2g. Patricia Gooding, b. 8-21-1924, El Paso, Texas. m: Merle Kinne. Res: 2477 Petahuma, Long Beach, Calif.
- 4e. Lillie Mae Gooding, b. 6-25-1868 abt. d. 1-1-1892. Interred in West Point, Ill. m: Dr. George Slusher, M.D. No issue.
- 5e. Fred C. Gooding, b. 4-19-1870, Hancock Co., Ill. d. 12-16-1957. Resided in or near Ft. Collins, Colo., and undoubtedly interred there. Farmer. m: Sophia Thompson. (b. 2-13-1874, Jasper, Mo.) Sophia is residing at 321 E. Laurel, Ft. Collins, Colo.
- Ch: 1f. Dr. Cloyd L. Gooding, b. 2-3-1899, Carthage, Mo. Attended country schools some 25 to 50 miles from Ft. Collins, Colo., while living with parents on a cattle ranch. From Fall of 1915 to April 1920 attended Colo. School of Agriculture, a Preparatory School at Ft. Collins. Attended the Veterinary Dept. of Colo. Agriculture, Ft. Collins, and Kan. Agriculture from 1920 to 1926, grad. from Colo. Agriculture College in June of 1926 with a D.V.M. Degree. Accepted a position with the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Meat Inspection Service, July 12, 1926, at San Francisco. In Fall of 1927 was transferred to field service at Sacramento, Calif., and assigned to livestock disease control program for State of Calif. In 1944 was transferred to Washington, D.C., as Assistant in Charge, and 1952 was appointed Chief of Animal Inspection and Quarantine Branch, Agriculture Research Service, Dept. of Agriculture. In 1956, at his own request, was transferred back to Calif. in Charge of Animal Disease and Eradication Division, and Animal Inspection and Quarantine Division, Dept. of Agriculture, for State of Calif. Is due for retirement at the end of 1959. Member of the Christian Church. m: Beulah M. Parrish, 2-5-1927, Sacramento, Calif.) b. 7-11-1898, dau. of Edward Parrish of Union Star, Mo.) Res: 3842 Berrendo Dr., Sacramento, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Jere Lee Gooding, b. 1-17-1930, Red Bluff, Calif. Salesman. m: Charlotte Wigfield, 11-9-1949, Forestville, Md. (b. 10-23-1932, dau. James Wigfield of Columbus, O.) Res: 4731 Melvin Dr., Carmichael, Calif.
Ch: 1h. Richard Lee Gooding, b. 6-24-1950.
2h. Jere Wayne Gooding, b. 7-17-1951.
3h. Lynn Marie Gooding, b. 7-19-1952.
4h. Cheryl Ann Gooding, b. 3-21-1954.
- (This is the second marriage for Beulah Parrish. Her first marriage was to a Mr. Griggs of Windsor, Colo. by whom she had a daughter, Eleanor, who married Joseph Cecil Craig, and who lives at 3220 Sunview Ave., Sacramento 21, Calif.)
- 2f. Vera Henriette Gooding, b. 8-31-1902, Jasper, Mo. m: Clarence L. March, 7-16-1923, at Ft. Collins, Colo. (b. 2-10-1903, son of Cyrus E. and Clara S. March.) Owner and Manager of Apartments. W.W.II, Coast Guard 1942 to 1944. Methodist. Res: 261 P.V. Dr., West, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.
Ch: 1g. Lester William March, b. 7-8-1924, Ault, Colo. Holds Masters Degree in Psychology, and is presently an Instructor. W.W.II, Navy 1942 to 1946. Mailing Address: 261 P.V. Dr., West, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.
- 3f. Alvin Gooding, b. 9-7-1904, Ft. Collins, Colo. With Colorado State Univ. Served in Army. Single. Res: 321 E. Laurel St., Ft. Collins, Colorado.

- 4f. Bert Gooding, b. 10-19-1906. Served in Army. Engineering Aid. Methodist. Single.
Res: 321 E. Laurel, Ft. Collins, Colo.
- 6e. Effie Maude Gooding, b. 6-23-1873. d. 12-28-1949. Interred in Carthage, Mo. m: Mont. B. Fairfield of Jasper, Mo. Salesman. Presbyterian. d. 8-30-1953. Resided in Carthage, Mo., and was a successful business man.
Ch: 1f. Rodney M. Fairfield, b. 5-27-1899, Jasper, Mo. Attorney. Grad. of Carthage, Mo., High School, 1916. Univ. of Missouri, 1920, with A.B. Degree. Pres. of Senior Class. Grad. of Harvard Law School, 1923, with LLB Degree. Practiced in St. Louis, Mo. Member of Harvard Club, Missouri Athletic Club, Member and Past Pres. of the Algonquin Golf Club, as well as holding various other offices there. Active in various Social and Civic organizations. Resided for many yrs. in Algonquin Woods, Webster Groves, Mo. Retired in 1958 and moved to Carthage, Mo., his boyhood home. W.W.I, 2nd Lieut. Field Artillery. Presbyterian. m: Edwina Schieck, 9-14-1929, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 9-7-1905, dau. Edwin Schieck of St. Louis.) Res: Rt. #3, Box 440, Carthage, Mo.
Ch: 1g. John M. Fairfield, b. 2-15-1933, St. Louis, Mo. Grad. Dartmouth, 1954, with A.B. Degree, Cum Laude in Physics. Lieut. J.G. Navy, 1954 to 1958. Grad. Univ. of Chicago with M.A. Degree. Res: 50 Lincoln, Poughkeepsie, New York.
2g. Elizabeth Fairfield, b. 5-8-1936, St. Louis, Mo. Attended Sweetbrier College, 1954-1956. Univ. of Missouri, Grad. 1958, A.B. Degree. Member of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority. Residing at home 1958.
- 3d. Mary Jane Holcomb, b. 9-19-1832, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 1898. m: Aaron Stookey, * 1-15-1857. (b. 7-18-1824, son of Simon and Hannah Stookey, nee Gooding. Aaron was known as Junior. d. 9-13-1895.) Apparently resided in Washington Co., Ill. After Aaron's death, Mary Jane moved to Kansas and resided with her half brother, Christopher Columbus, or Columbus Conrad, - the name is given both ways. Simon Stookey father of Aaron, was the son of Daniel Stookey and Barbara Whetstone. (Marriage date of Mary Jane and Aaron Stookey is given in another report as 2-3-1852.) No issue.
- 4d. Jacob Van Cleve Holcomb, b. 3-17-1835, Beardstown, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. June 1925, Denver, Colo. Moved from Richview, Washington Co., Ill., in 1875 or 1876, to Colorado and went into business with a Mr. David May in Leadville, Colo., which later became the May Dept. Stores of Denver. m:-----
Ch: 1e. Elma Holcomb, b. 7-22-1861, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. d. 11-14-1951. Interred in Fairmont, Denver, Colo. m: Matthew Huggins, abt. 1885. (b. 10-29-1859, Washington Co., Ill. d. 10-14-1899. Interred in Mt. Hope Cemetery, East St. Louis, Ill.) Resided in Denver, Colo. Pharmacist.
Ch: 1f. Corrine H. Huggins, b. 10-29-1886, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. m: Hollister F. Blayney. (b. 8-22-1880. d. 5-12-1950. Interred in Fairmont Cemetery, Denver, Colo.) Cattle Buyer. Former resident of Chicago, Ill. Corrine lives at 816 Pearl St., Denver 3, Colorado. No issue.
2f. Winifred Huggins, b. 9-15-1891, in Richview, Washington Co., Ill. Single. Resides at Granby, Grand Co., Colorado.
- 5d. Francis Garrett Holcomb, b. 9-15-1837, in either St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. Date and place of death not known. m: Sarah Catherine Cochran, 1-15-1857, Richview, Washington Co., Ill. (b. 10-26-1839, near St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., Mo. d. 11-13-1919, Kansas City, Mo.)
Ch: 1e. Charles Van Cleve Holcomb, b. 12-31-1858, Washington Co., Ill. d. 9-4-1940, Henrietta, Mo. m: Martha Taylor, in Mt. Vernon, Ill. Resided in Kansas City, Mo. No issue.
2e. Ida Mae Holcomb, b. 12-10-1862, Mt. Vernon, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. Nov. 1930, in Salt Lake City, Utah. Interment in Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: William Robert Parkes. (b. 11-8-1866, St. Louis, Mo. d. 5-26-1934, Louisville, Ky.) Resided in Salt Lake City in 1926 and was District Supervisor for the Pullman Palace Car Co.
Ch: 1f. Charles Holcomb Parkes, b. 3-14-1896. Assistant to the Pres. of the Southern Railway Co. in Washington, D.C. m: Lucye Graveley Walker of Roanoke, Va. Res: Washington, D.C. No issue.
3e. Nora Belle Holcomb, b. 12-5-1871. d. 8-3-1873.
4e. Mary Nevada Holcomb, b. 3-1-1873. m: William Leonard Dickerson, 8-12-1919, at Spring Hill, Johnson Co., Kan. Res. in Independence & in Henrietta, Ray Co., Mo. P.O. Box 503. No issue.
5e. Clara Vanetta Holcomb, b. 11-26-1876. d. 9-1-1882.
- 6d. Cicero Holcomb, b. 3-18-1839, St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. Never married. Date of death and place of residence unknown.

After death of Elizabeth Goodner Holcomb, in 1839 or in 1843, whichever is the correct date, John Wesley Holcomb married secondly Mary A. Whittenberg Newman, by whom he had a son, Christopher Columbus Holcomb, b. 5-15-1845. d. 1-26-1917. Christopher had two children, one of whom was a daughter who married J.A. Newton and who lived in Quay, Oklahoma in 1926. A second child of John Wesley and Mary was Margaret Pauline Holcomb, b. 10-7-1849, who married J.H. Davis in Greenville, Ill. Mary died, and John Wesley married thirdly, Sarah Bernice House, by whom he had six children, namely Martha Nevada, Livonia ("Vona"), Micajah ("Cager"), William, Etta and Ulyssis Grant Holcomb, who later became Sheriff of Jefferson Co., Ill., with residence in Mt. Vernon.

*See Appendix.

4b. Catherine Goodner, was apparently the youngest child of the parent immigrant Goodner family. Estimating her birth from the known births of some of her children - she was younger than her brother, Conrad - it would appear that she was born somewhere between the years 1760 and 1765, either in Germany or in America; it is now known which. Nothing is known of her youth except that she grew to womanhood on the farms of her parents, first in Orange County, and later possibly in Guilford County, N. C. the latter farm being in the vicinity of Gibsonville, where they probably attended the old Friedens Church, used jointly by the Lutheran and German Reformed denominations.

In a year not definitely determined, but possibly about 1783, she married a William Jackson in Guilford County, a member of a Scotch-Irish family that early settled in that part of Orange County which in 1770 was set off into Guilford. The Jackson family was found to have been in Orange County as early as 1755, for the names of several were found on the List of Taxables for that year. These early Jacksons were Benjamin, John, Thomas and Isaac. The parentage of William Jackson is not known. All available records in Orange and Guilford Counties have been searched, as well as those in the Archives of History in Raleigh. No wills or administrations could be located for the period prior to 1800. The only information found which might refer to Catherine's husband was a record of a deed to two lots in the village of Hillsborough wherein William Jackson, Jr., conveys "to my honored father, James Jackson", two lots in the town of Hillsborough, consisting of two acres, for 300 Pounds. The date of the deed was Oct. 14th, 1786. (Book 2, Page 449.) Witnesses to the deed were John Collins and Jacob Jackson.

The Jacksons were without doubt a part of the exodus of Scotch-Irish and Germans who migrated from Pennsylvania to Orange County in the middle of the 18th century. Land became scarce in Pennsylvania, and what was purchasable was high in price. The Alleghanies presented a formidable barrier to travel westward, and even if the difficulties of travel could have been surmounted there remained the incessant danger of Indian warfare. Thus the logical expansion route was southward, through Virginia to North Carolina. Some of the migrating families settled in Virginia, but many thousands moved on to the Carolinas, a vast number of them settled in the counties of Orange, Rowan, & Anson. These counties were about 1770 to 1780 broken up and the counties of Guilford, Caswell, Chatham, Randolph, and Surry were formed. In 1767, Orange County included parts of the present counties of Guilford, Rockingham, Randolph, Wake and all of Person, Caswell, Durham, Chatham and Alamance. In that year, before the division of the county, it was estimated that Orange County had a population of 13,000 whites and 700 negroes.

In the year 1779, a William Jackson is shown on the Tax List as having taxable property in the amount of \$1869.80, and a James Jackson having taxable property in the amount of \$2590.30. In 1783, William Jackson is shown as a resident of Caswell District and owning 100 acres of land; also a William Jackson as owning 187 acres in the same district. In 1788, William Jackson, in the District of Hillsborough, is shown as owning 187 acres of land east of the Appalachians, probably the same 187 acres previously mentioned. For the year 1783, Isaac Jackson is shown as owning 200 acres, and James Jackson 900 acres, both of whom resided in the Hillsborough district. William Jackson is shown as owning 200 acres in Orange, and a William Jackson, Sr., shown as owning lands as well as two lots in the village of Hillsborough. It should be noted here that the use of the terms "senior" and "junior" in those days did not necessarily mean father and son. They more frequently meant the elder and the younger.

In the 1800 census returns of Guilford County, N. C., there are two William Jackson families listed; one appears as "Senior", and one merely the name. It is the latter one in which we are interested, since it seems to fit the family of William and Catherine fairly well. The residence of both of these Williams was in the Salisbury District, which is the same district in which the Goodners lived. It is most likely therefore that the family shown as being that of "William Jackson" is that of William and Catherine Goodner Jackson. The return was made as follows:-

William Jackson.

1 White Male over 45. William	Date of birth: Before 1755.
2 White Males - 10 to 16 years.	Lucius: Born abt. 1784-1794.
	Andrew: ditto
2 White Males under 10 years.	Abner: Born abt. 1791-1800
	Ansel: ditto
1 White Female 26-40 years.	Catherine: Born 1760-1774.
2 White Females under 10 years.	Mary: Born abt. 1795.
	Nancy: Born 1798.

In the case of Lucius, Abner, and Ansel, we have no documentary evidence that they were sons of William and Catherine. Abner lived a very close neighbor to Elizabeth Jackson Goodner (Mrs. Francis Acuff Goodner.) The 1830 census of Pope Co., Illinois, reveal that three, and possibly four, of the above lived close together. But this will be gone into in detail later, when the subject of all of the children is undertaken.

Shortly after 1800, William and Catherine left North Carolina. They may have gone to Sullivan County, Tennessee, where Conrad Goodner was living. Records there show that on Aug. 15th, 1801, a William Jackson purchased from Jacob Job a tract of land consisting of 75 acres on Kindrick's Creek. (Book 3, Page 384) I was unable to find any sale of this tract by William Jackson up to the year 1825, when I stopped searching, since by that date William and Catherine were residents of Illinois. In 1823, in Sullivan County, a John Jackson bought from William Goddard 97-3/4 acres of land which lay on Reedy Creek, which may have lain adjacent to Conrad's old property, for it too was on the Reedy Creek. This Goddard transaction is interesting in that a daughter of Catherine Scherrer Jordan, a sister to Conrad Goodner's wife, Elizabeth, married a Joseph Goddard, all of whom being at one time residents of Sullivan County.

Other Jacksons in Sullivan County, Tennessee, in the early days of its' formation, were a Peter Jackson, who on Oct. 25th, 1786, purchased from Samuel Job an 87 acre tract on Kindrick's Creek, and who later received a grant from the State of North Carolina for 75 acres lying on the same creek. Thomas Jackson in 1810, and John Jackson in 1822, were residents

and property owners on dates given. Since Sullivan County was largely settled by people from North Carolina, it is logical to assume that the Jacksons emigrated there, preceding and following the Jordons, Scherrers, Goodners, Goddards, etc.

It is unknown in what year William and Catherine Jackson reached Illinois, but we do know that they were living in Pope County in 1813 or 1814, for in one of those years and in that county, in an area later made into Hardin County, their daughter, Mary, married Alfred Wood. Mary stated this at age 60 when she made application for bounty land on the services of Alfred Wood in the War of 1812. William and Catherine may have accompanied Conrad and Elizabeth Goodner from Sullivan County, Tennessee, to Smith County, Tennessee, thence to Johnson Co., Ill., for the ties of the two families must have been very close for two sons of Conrad to have claimed in marriage two daughters of William and Catherine. There are some in the family who believe that they resided in or near Paducah, Kentucky, for a while. If their place of residence was on the Illinois side of the Ohio River, then they would have been living close to Conrad and Elizabeth Goodner, for they were for a short time, a year or two perhaps, living within a short distance of old Fort Massac, as that was their postoffice.

The early records of Pope, Hardin and Gallatin Counties were destroyed by fire, eliminating the possibilities of tracing the family lines through those sources. The first census of Illinois was taken in 1820, and the Pope County, Illinois, census fails to show any William Jackson, although it does show three known sons of his, George, John, and Andrew. It is known that William died in middle life, for in an old newspaper article written by Adam Clark Johnson and published in the Mt. Vernon, (Illinois) Star, in Jefferson County, in a series by him on the early settlers of the territory, from the year 1858 to 1865, there appears the item under the heading of William Wood:-

"Besides the children already mentioned, he left two sons, Alfred and Anderson. Alfred married a Jackson. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Jane Jackson (Mary's mother), after her first husband's death, married the then somewhat noted Dr. Chipps."

These newspaper articles were saved by Amos Thompson Lacey and preserved by his family, who recently turned them over to the Mt. Vernon Public Library. Whether the name "Jane" which is used by Mr. Johnson in referring to Mary's mother is in error, or whether it is one that she used as a nickname, we do not know, but there is no question as to the person to whom he refers in the article. We lack information on Dr. Chipps. We do not know who he was or where he lived, but presumably it was in Jefferson County or close by. This is the last mention we have of Catherine, and we do not know when she died or where she was buried. Neither do we have the date of death or place of burial of William Jackson.

There is a widespread tradition among the descendants of William and Catherine Goodner Jackson that William was related to President Andrew Jackson and that the children were cousins of his. This has intrigued the writer considerably, as well as it has a good many others of the family, for we are all interested in possible relationship with a man who was so outstanding in this country's history, both as a general and as a President. I have spent much time endeavoring to ascertain where the possible relationship existed. In similar situations where cousinly relationship was claimed by our forebears, I have learned that in claiming to be cousins they often did not mean first cousins, and that in some cases the relationship existed through marriage only. In this case, however, the relationship was claimed as being "blood cousins."

Biographers of President Andrew Jackson's life dwell very little on his genealogy, simply because so very little was known about his forebears and very little could be learned. After Pres. Jackson became famous, many people claimed relationship to him. It must be remembered that Andrew's father died before he was born, and that his mother died while he was quite young, so any knowledge that Andrew might have obtained through his mother must have been very little. It is not surprising therefore that when he became President interest in his family was generated. In Buell's "History of Andrew Jackson, Vol. 1, page 32-33, there appears the following:

"Andrew Jackson, while President, is quoted as having said:

'Yes, as far as I know, I have not a single blood relative bearing the name of Jackson, either here or there.' This was in reply to a statement made by a Virginia lady who had done considerable research on the Jackson heritage, that the family seemed to be extinct in Carrickfergus (in Ireland) in Belfast, the locale of the family."

The family may have been extinct in Carrickfergus, but not elsewhere, for there appears to have been many of his Jackson family in this country of whom Andrew himself was not aware, which is understandable under the circumstances of his orphanage at so early a time in his life. It appears to be a human trait that we do not become interested in our ancestors until we are grown and have families of our own, and even then not until late in life when we have the time to ponder such things.

Andrew Jackson had two brothers, Hugh and Robert, both of whom died young unmarried. In the "Life of Andrew Jackson" by Marquis James (1938), it states that Andrew Jackson, emigrant to America, and father of the President, came from Lame, County Antrim, Ireland, in April or May of 1765. He is reported to have first settled along Conowingo Creek in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania, along which many other Scotch-Irish families had settled. He moved to the Waxhaw Settlements in South Carolina almost immediately. Two years later he received injuries caused by great strain in lifting a log that resulted in his death. He was the son of a comfortably well off linen weaver and merchant in Carrickfergus, North Ireland. It states that he had a brother, Hugh, who had been a soldier in His Majesty's Regiment of Foot, who had been with Braddock in Virginia, Wolfe at Quebec, and with Amherst at the surrender of Montreal. He fought Cherokees in the Waxhaws, and hunted with the docile Catawbas. He returned home and married, and tried to get his wife to move to the new country, but she refused. He became a weaver and merchant, evidently following the trade of his father. He died when young Andy was 15 years of age, leaving him a legacy of three or four hundred pounds Sterling, which quite a substantial sum in those days. No mention was made of any issue this Hugh Jackson might have had.

The article also stated that Andrew, Sr., had another brother Samuel, who was a sea captain, and that he finally settled in Philadelphia. No record of his descendants have been found, but he must have had issue.

From the 1895 Volume of the "Scotch-Irish in America", the official publication of the Scotch-Irish Society, page 320, we find there a statement that the grandfather of President Andrew was a Joseph Jackson, that he was born about the year 1690, and that he lived in County Antrim, Ireland, and that he became a physician and lived in Newton, Limavady, County of Derry, Ireland, that he was married three times, and that Andrew, Sr., and Hugh were born of his first wife. The account of the occupation of Pres. Andrew's father here is at variance with that given by Buell. The article is as follows:-

"Elijah McCaughey of Sioux City, Iowa, whose name was presented to the Scotch-Irish Convention at Des Moines for membership by William H. Gordon of Sioux City, is a regular descendant of Scotch-Irish ancestry, and is by historic and lineal descent a second cousin to Gen. Andrew Jackson (Old Hickory). A sketch of family history connecting the Jackson and McCaughey family, giving the origin and relationship of the two, shows that about the year 1690 Joseph Jackson was born in County Antrim, Ireland, grew to manhood, became a prominent physician in Newton, Limavady, County Derry, Ireland. He was married three times. His third wife was Lady Mary Carr, sister of Lord James Carr. The fruit of this marriage was one daughter, Margaret. She was born in 1746. At mature years she married, on November 28, 1769, one William McCaughey of Newton, Limavady, County Derry, Ireland. Her mother was of the nobility. This William McCaughey was the grandfather of the aforesaid Elijah E. McCaughey. He and his family emigrated to America in 1773, and located in Chester Co., Pa. As stated above, Dr. Joseph Jackson married three times. By his first wife he had one child named Andrew, who at mature years became one of what was called the "United Men". They were Republicans and were hostile to the Government in certain measures, and had to flee their native country at a moment's warning. He came with his wife and two sons, Hugh and Robert, to South Carolina, and located over the North Carolina line in the 'Wax-haw' Settlement. This was in the year 1765, and he died not many years afterwards, leaving his wife and family in limited circumstances. Prior to his death, to wit, on March 15, 1767, -another son was born in North Carolina, who was called Andrew, and he in 1828, or rather 1829, became President of the United States. He is known as 'Old Hickory'. History tells us that there was at this time no regular way of travel to Washington. General Jackson left his home -the Hermitage -in Tennessee the latter part of January, 1829, and traveled in a four horse coach with twelve mounted men as escorts. The line of travel was through Eastern Kentucky by way of Cincinnati, thence through Ohio, Pennsylvania and Maryland over the National Pike, stopping in Ohio and resting with the father and mother of the said E. S. McCaughey. Then and there the full family history and relationship was fully and familiarly called to mind by the parties then present."

In some respects the article above is at variance with other authorities in at least two instances. In Appletons' Cyclopaedia of American Biography (1888) it states that Pres. Andrew's father died before he was born, and gives the name of his grandfather as Hugh. The author of this article may have confused the name of Andrew's uncle with that of his grandfather.

In the Daughters of the American Revolution Lineage Records, Vol. 17, page 260, it gives the lineage record of Mrs. J. S. (Rachel D.) Suggs, born in Clarksville, Ohio, D.A.R. No. 16710. It states that she is a direct descendant of David Jackson, an Uncle of Pres. Andrew Jackson, and the article reads as follows:-

"David Jackson, (1730-1811), Uncle of Pres. Andrew Jackson. Born Derry County, Ireland. Died Lancaster County, Pa. Lost hand at the Battle of Trenton.

1. William Dysart m: Lucinda Henderson.
2. Thomas Henderson m: Jane Jackson.
3. Robert Jackson m: Elizabeth McCorkle.
4. David Jackson.

In the St. Louis Public Library there is a pamphlet entitled "A Memorial of Julius C. Jackson and His Wife", by Harriet Jackson, compiled by Clayton Keith in 1910. This pamphlet states that an Elisha Jackson emigrated to America before the Revolutionary War and settled in North Carolina. He had a son, Christopher, who was a first cousin to General Andrew Jackson, so the article states, who was born Jan. 8, 1768, and who died July 22, 1831. Christopher married a Catherine Rhodes, April 27, 1790, in Ohio County, Kentucky, near Hartford, or what is now Hartford. Catherine was born July 19, 1768 and died Oct. 30, 1857. They had twelve children, as follows:-

1. Elizabeth Jackson. m: John Mason of Kentucky.
2. Julius C. Jackson.
3. Mary Jackson. m: Thomas Render.
4. Ann Jackson. m: Elias Jackson (No relation)
5. Hanna Jackson. m: William White (Marian Co., Mo.)
6. Christopher Jackson.
7. Gabriel Jackson.
8. Cynthia Jackson. m: William Thomas.
9. Catherine Jackson.
10. Providence Jackson. m: Norman H. Eidson.
11. Rebecca Jackson. m: Jesse Moman in Kentucky.
12. Rachel Jackson. m: John Chilton in 1830.

In the Genealogy of the Lacey Family, and also in that of the Goodner Genealogy, we have reference to a Major Cornelius Gooding, an Englishman, who emigrated to America after the Revolution, who settled first in Virginia, removing shortly to Kentucky, where he married Margaret (Peggy) Scott, whose mother was Sarah Jackson, reputed to have been a relative of President Andrew Jackson.

Then from the Compendium of American Genealogy, Vol. VI, page 376, we have the following:-

"Major James Chambers, from Scotland to South Carolina, was a Revolutionary War soldier. Later killed by Indians, and buried at Lows Ford, near Spartansburg, S.C. He had married Elizabeth Jackson, a first cousin to Pres. Andrew Jackson. A descendant of this union is Mrs. Roscoe Hill McClure, born in Sevier County, Tenn., Aug. 16, 1902. Residence: Lee Heights, Bristol, Va., Nee Anna Rule Atchley."

From all of these instances - and more must exist - it is evident, that if they be true, "Old Hickory" had many kinfolk by the name of Jackson in this country of whom he was not aware. And of these, it would appear that the most logical connection of the Jacksons who settled in Orange Co., N.C., with any of the above would be with the David Jackson (1730-1811) who settled in Chester Co., Pa., and died in Lancaster Co., Pa. It was from this section of Pennsylvania that the many Scotch-Irish came in their exodus to Orange County and to other sections in North Carolina. It is altogether possible that Benjamin, Isaac, Thomas and John, who settled in Orange as early as 1755, were sons of this David. Perhaps further investigation may shed some light on this.

It might be well to mention here that President Andrew Jackson's mother was Elizabeth Hutchinson (died 1782). She had five sisters, all of whom lived in the vicinity of the Waxhaw Settlement in South Carolina. They were:-

1. Jennet Hutchinson. m: James Crawford in America.
2. Grace Hutchinson. m: James Crow in America.
3. Mary Hutchinson. m: John Lessley in America.
4. Sarah Hutchinson. m: Samuel Lessley.
5. Margaret Hutchinson. (the eldest) m: George McKemey in Ireland.

We do not have complete record of all the children of William and Catherine Goodner Jackson. We are positive of six, and these are Andrew, Mary, Nancy, George, John, and Elizabeth. Others who may have been their issue, but which so far remain unproven, are Lucius, Abner, Ansel, and possibly David. In the charts following, only the proven issue is being shown, but it is well to remember that there were other children, and these are probably shown in the census returns shown at the end of the volume. It has not been possible to obtain the necessary information to ascertain the relationship of the other Jacksons shown to William and Catherine. For additional information on the Jacksons turn to the census records and to the Appendix.

4b. Catherine Goodner (abt. 1760-) - William Jackson (abt. 1755-)

1c. Andrew Jackson, (abt. 1790-1800)
m: Elizabeth----- (b. 1795)

- 1d. Son. b. abt. 1815
- 2d. Daughter. b. abt. 1816.
- 3d. Son, b. abt. 1817.
- 4d. Daughter. b. abt. 1818.
- 5d. Son. b. abt. 1819.
- 6d. Son, b. abt. 1820. Daniel?
- 7d. Andrew Jackson, Jr. b. abt. 1825.
- 8d. Marion Jackson, b. abt. 1829.
- 9d. Elizabeth Jackson, b. abt. 1831.
- 10d. Stephan Jackson, b. abt. 1832.
- 11d. Nancy Jackson, b. abt. 1837.

2c. Mary Jackson (1795-1879)
m: Alfred Wood (d. 1829)

- 1d. William Wood (1815-1882)
- 2d. Leonard W. Wood (1816-1889)
- 3d. James Wood (1817-1889)
- 4d. Jane Wood
- 5d. Elizabeth Wood (1822-1880)
- 6d. Nancy Wood (1825-1915)
- 7d. Richard Wood

3c. Nancy Jackson (1798-1845)
m: Rev. Benjamin Goodner

- 1d. Sally Ann Goodner (1817-1849)
- 2d. William Jackson Goodner (1818-1893)
- 3d. Elijah Goodner (1820-1886)
- 4d.)
- 5d.) Triplets. Still born.
- 6d.)
- 7d. Luverba Goodner (1823-)
- 8d. Caroline Goodner (1825-1887)
- 9d. John Adams Clark Goodner (1827-1876)
- 10d. Benj. Franklin Goodner (1829-1852)
- 11d. Joseph Benson Goodner (1831-1917)
- 12d. George Washington Goodner (1833-1922)
- 13d. Nancy Hester Goodner (1835-1846)
- 14d. David Andrew Goodner (1838-1841)
- 15d. Salinda Goodner (1841-1886)

4c. George Jackson (abt. 1790/1800-)
m:-----

- 1d. Daughter, b. abt. 1815/6
- 2d. Daughter, b. abt. 1815-20
- 3d. Daughter, b. abt. 1815-20
- 4d. Son, b. abt. 1815/20
- 5d. Son, b. abt. 1820/5
- 6d. Son, b. abt. 1820/5
- 7d. Daughter, b. abt. 1825/30
- 8d. Daughter, b. abt. 1825/30
- 9d. Daughter, b. abt. 1825/30

5c. John Jackson, b. abt. 1790-1800.
m: -----

- 1d. Son, b. abt. 1810/20
- 2d. Son, b. abt. 1810/20
- 3d. Daughter, b. abt. 1810/20

6c. Elizabeth Jackson (1802/3-1863)
m: Francis Acuff Goodner (1799-1853)

- 1d. Paulina Goodner (1822-1864 abt.)
- 2d. Emily Goodner (1825-1876)
- 3d. Ranson Goodner (abt. 1826-d. small)
- 4d. James Jackson Goodner (1827-1889)
- 5d. Harriett Sophronia Goodner (1838)
- 6d. George W. Goodner (1841-1916)

4b. Catherine Goodner, b. abt. 1760/5, in Orange Co., N.C., or in Germany. d. Illinois, date unknown. Place of interment unknown. m: 1st: William Jackson, abt. 1783, Guilford Co., N.C. William died in about middle age, after which she married Dr. Chipps, by whom she had no issue. The following issue is not the total of her brood, but they are all on whom we have definite knowledge.

1c. Andrew Jackson, b. abt. 1790-1800, Guilford Co., N.C. d. in Pope or Hardin Co., Ill., btw. 1840 and 1850. Farmer. m: Elizabeth------(b. Tennessee, abt. 1795) Resided in that part of Pope Co. afterwards cut off and formed into Hardin Co.

Ch: 1d. Son, b. abt. 1815. Think this was Tyra Jackson.

2d. Daughter, b. abt. 1816.

3d. Son, b. abt. 1817.

4d. Daughter, b. 1818.

5d. Son, b. 1819.

6d. Son, b. 1820. Think this was Daniel Jackson, who went to California Gold Fields with cousins Benj. Franklin Goodner and Joseph Benson Goodner. No further data obtainable.

7d. Andrew Jackson, Jr., b. abt. 1825, Illinois.

8d. Marion Jackson, b. abt. 1829, Illinois. Went to California Gold Fields with cousins, Benjamin Franklin Goodner and Joseph Benson Goodner, and with his brother, Daniel Jackson, in 1852. From there it is reported that he moved to Australia. We have no further data on him.

9d. Elizabeth Jackson, b. abt. 1831, Illinois.

10d. Stephan Jackson, b. abt. 1832, Illinois.

11d. Nancy Jackson, b. abt. 1837, Illinois.

2c. Mary Jackson, b. 1795, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1-1-1879, Jefferson Co., Ill. Little is known of her youth, except that when quite small she accompanied her parents in their migration from North Carolina to Tennessee, which was shortly after 1802 or 1803. She lacked schooling as she was unable to sign her name. Was called "Granny Jackson" in later years by members of the family. Her death occurred in the home of her son, William, eldest of the children. m: Alfred Wood, Sept. 1814, in Gallatin Co., then Illinois Territory, this according to her statement made at age 60, in her application for bounty lands, made possible by the services of Alfred in the War of 1812. However, in her application for a pension, made on the 23rd of June, 1871, at age 74, she states that she was married in November 1813 or 1814, in what was then Hardin County. Facsimiles of these papers are being reproduced. There are variations in some of the facts given in her applications, but it would appear to be that more credence should be given to the first one, made when she was 60 years of age, and thus in great possession of her memory. At the time she made application for a pension she was living with her daughter, Elizabeth Troutt, wife of Jacob, who resided eight miles west of Mt. Vernon. In her later years, she was portly. Her grandson, William Thomas Wood, told his daughter that Mary - Granny Jackson - was about 5 feet tall and about as broad as she was tall.

Mary and Alfred apparently remained in Gallatin County for a few years after their marriage. Their first child, William, was born there in 1814 or 1815, and he is credited with being the first white child born in the county. Leonard W. was their second child, born March 25, 1816, and apparently in Gallatin County. The balance of their children were born in Jefferson County, and all born before 1829, the year of Alfred's death. Mary gives the date of death as March 7th, 1829 in her first application and 1828 in her second application for pension, but again greater credence should be given to statements made in the earlier application.

Alfred met a somewhat tragic death. He and his son, William, had gone to the woods about two miles from their home, in what is now Shiloh Township, to cut a bee tree. This was at a point near the present Mayberry Bridge. In falling, the tree struck a sapling which diverted its path, and it struck and killed Alfred instantly. William returned home and he and his mother went to Shiloh neighborhood for help to bring back the body. He was buried in the Old Union burying grounds, which was probably the only existing place of burial at the time. In order to reach the burial site, they had to carry the remains across a creek over a "foot log". This is the tradition in the family, but in the "Recollections of Jefferson County and Its' People" by Adam Clark Johnson, previously mentioned, it has this to say about the circumstance:-

"Alfred Wood met a melancholy fate. He and Uncle Lewis Johnson were out in the woods in 1828, making sugar; not far from camp they found a bee tree, and on falling it a limb hung, broke off, and fell upon Woods, killing him instantly. He was brought to Union for burial, although the creek was so high, there being no bridge, that Jesse A. Dees, and some other stout men had to construct a raft for the little procession to cross on."

Alfred Wood was born about the year 1785, a son of William, popularly known as "Roaring Billy Wood, and the widow Hawkins, and was undoubtedly born in Georgia, from whence they came. They settled for a time near Shawneetown on the Ohio River in Gallatin County. Alfred served in the War of 1812. Mary stated that he was a Lieut. in the Company of Capt. Trousdale of Illinois Volunteers, commanded by Col. Phillip Tramel, and that he mustered into service on or about the 5th day of September, 1812, at Saline Licks in Gallatin County, in the then Territory of Illinois, that he continued in service for 28 days, when he resigned. He then re-enlisted as a Private in a Company commanded by Capt. McHenry, Rangers under the command of Col. Whitesides, on or about Oct. 3rd, 1812, continuing in this service for 60 days. He joined the Rangers at Ft. Edwards. She further stated that he was honorably discharged, but she did not know the date. The above statements were made by Mary in her application for bounty land on July 2nd, 1855, at which time she was 60 years of age. There was some delay in processing her application, pending proof of his service, which later was substantiated by a Certificate from the Treasury Department, dated Jan. 7th, 1858, which is being reproduced. This certificate shows service in Captain Willis Gargraves Company of Illinois Mi-

Application of Mary Jackson Wood for Bounty Lands on Service War of 1812 of Her Husband, Alfred Wood.

I, the undersigned Clerk of the
 Court for said County
 do hereby certify and empower
 the undersigned to do and execute
 the same in and for said County
 of said State of Illinois who being
 residing to said district that
 of Alfred Wood who was
 in the company of
 Captain Forsdale in the
 1st Illinois Volunteers commanded by Colonel
 Forsdale in the war of 1812
 and that he was mustered into
 the United States on the 1st day of
 September A.D. 1812 and at
 the date lies in said County in
 the then Territory now the State of Illinois
 and continued in actual service in said war
 about twenty eight days after he resigned
 his commission in Captain Forsdale's
 company as a private in the company comman-
 ded by Captain McHenry's Company under
 the Whitesides. That she joined Captain
 Forsdale's Company on a boat the 3rd
 of October A.D. 1812 and continued
 in service about fifty days being
 discharged from the
 service at Fort Edwards,
 and discharged from the
 service at what
 place within

can she recollect where he was discharged,
 the first in States that she was married to the
 said Alfred Wood in Gallatin county,
 Illinois (then Territory) in September A.D.
 1814. That her name before her said marriage
 was Mary Jackson. She has said that she
 died in Jefferson County Ill. on the 7th day
 of March 18th 1839. She makes this decla-
 ration for the purpose of obtaining the Bounty
 to which she may be entitled under
 act approved March 3rd 1855.

Henry Wood
 William B. Anderson

The undersigned and others being assistants of
 the court in and for the State of Illinois on the
 14th day of March 1855 have read the foregoing
 declaration and affidavit and believe the same to
 be true and correct and in presence and
 presence of the undersigned and others do hereby
 certify that she is the lawful widow of
 the said deceased.

William B. Anderson
 Thomas S. Leary

State of Illinois
 Jefferson County

The foregoing declaration and affidavit was
 sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and year first above
 written and I certify that I know the affiant to be credible
 persons, that the claimant is the person she represents
 herself to be and that I have no interest in this claim.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed
 my name and the Seal of said County
 at the place and year first above written.

John S. Bogen
 Clerk of said County

RE-EXAMINED BOUNTY LAND CLAIM.

No. 20827

Treasury Department,
THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

May 7 1858.

"Alfred Todd"
Willis Congrove's
from the 5th Sep 1

served in Captain
Company M; Militia
until the 10 Nov 182,

Wm J. ...

Third Auditor.

COMMISSIONER OF LANDS,

Department of the Interior.

Examined by
Shaw

Application of Mary Jackson Wood for Pension, 1871, on Services of her husband, Alfred Wood, in the War of 1812.

WAR OF 1812. DECLARATION OF A WIDOW FOR PENSION.

To be executed before Judge or Clerk of Court.

State of Illinois }
County of Jefferson } ss

On this 23rd day of June A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy-one personally appeared before me Clerk of the County Court a Court of Record in and for the County and State aforesaid, Mary Wood aged Seventy Four years, a resident of Jefferson County, State of Illinois, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is the widow of Alfred Wood, who served the full period of sixty days in the (1) Military service of the United States in the War of 1812, and who was the identical Alfred Wood who (2) enlisted in Captain (the then) Hargrave Company, 1st Dragoon Regiment, ... Brigade, ... Division, at ... on the ... day of ... 1812, and was honorably discharged at ... on the ... day of ... 1812; that (3) ...

... that she was married under the name of Mary Jackson to said Alfred Wood on the ... day of ... A. D. 1813, by Samuel ... there being no legal barrier to such marriage; that her said husband died at ... on the ... day of ... 1828, and that she has not remarried since his death; that at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States did she or her said husband adhere to the cause of the enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort, or exercised the functions of any office whatever under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; that she will support the Constitution of the United States; that she is not in receipt of a pension under any previous act; that she makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension rolls of the United States, under the provisions of the act approved February 14, 1871, and hereby constitutes and appoints, with full power of substitution and re-appointment, Norman B. Smith of Washington Dc her true and lawful attorney, to prosecute her claim, and obtain the pension certificate that may be issued; that her post office is at Mt Vernon County of Jefferson State of Illinois; that her domicile or place of abode is at Jacob ...

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ATTEST: S. H. ... Mary X Wood Applicant.

Notarial - Military ... Note: ... can be made before a J. P., Notary Public or other officer.

litia from the 5th of September until the 10th of November 1812. Appended to the file was a paper indicating that Mary was granted 160 acres of land, Dec. 11th, 1866, Grant No. 105603.

On June 23rd, 1871, Mary filed application for a pension. In this application, she stated that Alfred was discharged at Equality, Gallatin Co., Illinois, on or about November or December 1812. This application was covered by Application File No. WC 1847. Some facts as given in this application differ from those Mary made in her application for bounty land. No statement accompanied these papers to indicate the amount of the pension received, but according to information given by a descendant it amounted to \$12.00 per month. For additional information on the Wood family, see the Appendix.

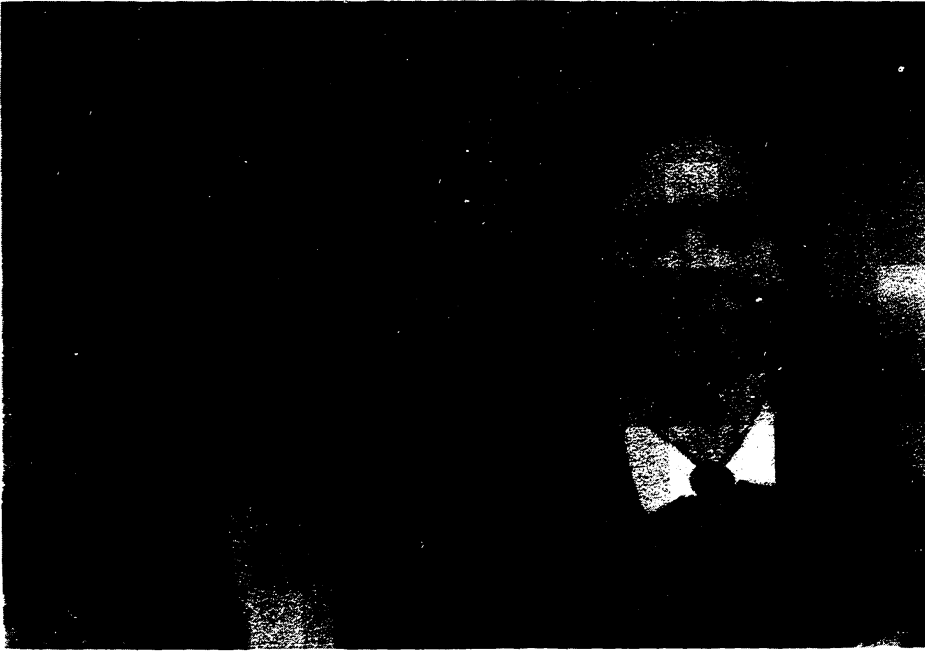
According to one of her descendants, Mary, after the death of her husband, had a child out of wedlock, whom they called Leonard, and that the father was Judge Jesse A. Dees, who was a married man at the time. Information is lacking as to what happened to the boy.

Mary died Jan. 1st, 1879, and was interred in the Reynolds Cemetery, east of Woodlawn, Illinois. Her grave is marked by a stone which bears the inscription, "Mary Alfred Wood." To Mary Jackson and Alfred Wood were born seven children.

- Ch: 1d. William Wood, b. abt. 1815, in Gallatin Co., Ill. d. 1882, Jefferson Co., Ill. Farmer. Resided near Woodlawn, Ill. m: Elizabeth Bedford, 11-17-1841, Jefferson Co., Ill. by Noah Johnston, J.P.
- Ch: 1e. James Wood, b. abt. 1845, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 4-10-1878. Interred in West Salem, Edwards Co., Ill. m: Laura Anna Lacey, 9-19-1870, in Woodlawn, Ill. (b. 9-12-1851, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 3-14-1933, St. Louis, Mo. Dau. of Thomas Benton Lacey* and Eliza McCully Lacey. Thomas was son of Joshua and Malinda Gooding Lacey.) James was interred in Woodlawn, Ill.
- Ch: 1f. Jennie Elizabeth Wood, b. 12-21-1872, d. Feb. 1942. m: 1st: Edward Melcher, 6-29-1907, St. Louis, Mo. He died 2-17-1916, St. Louis, Mo. No record of issue. m: 2nd: Gay Robinson of Woodlawn, Ill., 7-9-1927. No further record.
- 2f. Joseph Eugene Wood, b. 8-7-1875, Woodlawn, Ill. Res: Woodlawn, Ill. Section Worker. m: Nancy Jane Scarborough, Mt. Vernon, Ill., dau. of James Farmer of Ina, Jefferson Co., Ill. Nancy is deceased; interred in Woodlawn, Ill. No issue.
- (After death of James Wood, Laura Anna, m: 2nd: Lewis Troutt, 12-27-1880, issue being two children, - Ida Pearl Troutt, who married Lawrence A. Thompson, and Malinda Troutt, who married William Ferguson. Both are now widows and residing at 4926 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Mo.)
- 2e. Lewis Wood, b. 11-14-1847, Woodlawn, Ill. d. 9-28-1930. Interred in Rose Hill Cemetery, Tyler, Texas. Farmer. Moved from Illinois and settled in Kemp, Texas. m: Permelia E. Laney. (b. 4-25-1852. d. 3-18-1936, dau. Robert Laney of Woodlawn, Ill. Permelia interred in Tyler)
- Ch: 1f. William Harvey Wood, b. 8-19-1880, Woodlawn, Ill. Master Barber, now retired. Res: 115 West Gold St., Tyler, Texas. Baptist. m: Annie May Smith, 12-22-1909, Jacksonville, Texas. (b. 11-25-1887, dau. Frank Smith of Kilgor, Texas.)
- Ch: 1g. Nelva Jacc Wood, b. 1-18-1912, Kenedy, Texas. m: G. Spence Adams, 7-20-1937, Tyler, Texas. Resided for a time in Corpus Christi, Texas. Now residing at 302 Mill St., Alton, Ill. Mr. Adams was born 3-25-1911, son of Roy E. of Centralia, Ill. He is an Electrical Engineer with Arthur G. McKee. Methodist. Was a Civil Employee in Navy. Nelva m: 1st: Lloyd Leigh McCorkle, 8-14-1930 at Texarkana, Ark.
- Ch: 1h. Lloyd Leigh McCorkle, Jr., b. 5-14-1932, Tyler, Texas. Officially adopted by Nelva's 2nd husband, Gordon Spence Adams. m: Erna Lorraine Meiners, 7-1-1950. (b. 11-15-1932, dau. Joe and Erna Meiners.) Res: 1145 Bernice Dr., Corpus Christi, Tex.
- Ch: 1i. Patricia Anne Adams, b. 12-20-1951.
- 2i. Don Paul Adams, b. 2-9-1955.
- 2g. Bill Duward Wood, b. 1-7-1916, Kenedy, Texas. State Senator. Res: 925 W. 9th St., Tyler, Texas. Office: Petroleum Bldg., S. Broadway, Tyler, Texas. Grad. Univ. of Texas in Law. Attorney, Clemency Div., Sec'y. of State, State of Texas. Was Asst. County Attorney of Smith Co., Tex. 3-1/2 years. Representative to Texas State Legislature for two terms, and State Representative for 6 years. Presently, State Senator. Baptist. Democrat. m: Evalyn May Gainen, 5-13-1951, Temple, Texas. (b. 9-13-1919, dau. Irwin Gainen of Midlothian, Ellis Co., Texas.) Her 2nd: marriage, having a daughter, Linda, born 2-12-1945, who is now using the name Wood.
- Ch: 1h. Don Charles Wood, b. 12-1-1952.
- 2h. Billie May Wood, b. 2-22-1955.
- 3g. Capt. Don. B.M. Wood, b. 9-2-1918, Tyler, Texas. Fighter Pilot. Lost in action July 8, 1943, being shot down in action off the coast of Sicily, while escorting bombers in the battle of Sicily, Battle of Tunisia. Also had served with the British 8th Army, and was pilot of a Warhawk. When Tunis and Bizerte fell he had 28 hours and 55 minutes of Combat hours and 20 sorties to his credit. Was awarded the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters. Grad. of Tyler High School; attended Univ. of Texas in 1939 and 1940. Was employed by the Magnolia Oil Co., as a geological clerk, prior to enlist-

ing in the Army Air Force in April, 1941. Meanwhile he had received a reserve commission as a Second Lieut. in the Field Artillery, as a member of CMTC at Camp Bullis. Trained at Ryan School, San Diego, Moffett Fld. and Mather Field, Calif. Awarded his wings 12-12-1941. Overseas in late February by air, and went into combat shortly after arrival in Middle East. He was a leader of A Flight of his Squadron. Promoted to Captain May 26. Was not married.

- 3e. Harriett Wood, b. 11-29-1849. d. 4-27-1918, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Daniel Laney, Woodlawn, Ill.
 Ch: 1f. Andrew Jackson Laney, b. 8-29-1868, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 12-29-1951. Interred in Oddfellows Cemetery, Woodlawn, Ill. Railroader. Baptist. Resided Woodlawn, Ill. m: Emma Etta Flanagan, (b. 1-3-1874. d. 10-4-1902, dau. of Hugh Flanagan of Woodlawn, Ill.)
 Ch: 1g. Ruth Laney, b. 4-2-1894, Woodlawn, Ill. m: Charlie Ragan, 12-21-1911, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Railroader. Baptist. Res: Woodlawn, Ill. (Ragan b. 1-7-1887, son of John Warren Ragan of Cobden, Ill.)
 Ch: 1h. Charles Ragan, b. 9-15-1912. Res: 517 N. 30th St., East St. Louis, Ill.
 2h. Doloras Ragan, b. 1-10-1916. d. 10-27-1938.
 3h. Dorothy Ragan, b. 12-29-1918. m: Mr. Williams. Res: Woodlawn, Ill.
 4h. Charlotte Ragan, b. 1-15-1920. m: Mr. Pigg. Res: Box 888, Sidney, Montana.
 2g. Beatrice Laney, b. abt. 1896. m: Mr. Busby. Res: Sailor and Soldiers Home Quincy, Ill.
 3g. Nona Laney, b. abt. 1898. Single. Res: Woodlawn, Ill.
 4g. Lou Etta Laney, m: Mr. Gaebe. Res: Woodlawn, Ill.
 2f. Charles Laney, b. 1-20-1875. Barber. m: Elizabeth Zarn. (b. 6-29-1875, dau. Fred Zarn of Chandlerville, Ill. Res: 1326 S. Main St., Jacksonville, Ill.)
 Ch: 1g. Lawrence Laney, b. 10-18-1904. Res: 5551 N. Mason Ave., Chicago, Ill.
 2g. Mildred Laney, b. 11-10-1908, Jacksonville, Ill. m: James Thomas Hayes, 3-17-1934, Springfield, Ill. (b. Murrayville, Ill., son of George M. Hayes) Truck Driver. Members of First Baptist Church. Res: 1326 S. Main St., Jacksonville, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Lawrence Leland Hayes, b. 6-7-1940.
 (Mr. Hayes had a son, Robert Thomas Hayes, b. 5-22-1929 by a former marriage.)
 4e. Malissa Wood, b. 5-24-1854, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 5-3-1950. Interred in I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Woodlawn, Ill. m: Dr. James H. Watson, 7-31-1870, at Woodlawn, Ill. (b. 7-30-1846, d. Aug. 1930. Son of John H. Watson, a native of Henrico Co., Va., and Elizabeth Rankin, formerly of Tennessee. Interred in I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Woodlawn, Ill.)
 Ch: 1f. Thomas Bertrand Watson, d. 10-2-1898. No issue.
 2f. Fern Watson. Single. Res: 208 N. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. One of the prime promoters of the Wood Family Reunion held annually in Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 3f. Neva Elizabeth Watson. Single. Res. with Fern, at 208 N. 10th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 5e. William Wood, Jr., b. 10-2-1861, Jefferson Co., Ill. d. 10-19-1947. Interred in I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Woodlawn, Ill. m: Mary Jane Ballard, Woodlawn, Ill. (b. 9-25-1862. d. 8-21-1920, dau. of Mary Adline Ballard of Difficult, Tenn. Interred in I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Woodlawn, Ill.)
 Ch: 1f. Morton Wood, b. 9-29-1882, Woodlawn, Ill. Banker. Member of M.E. Church. m: Alta Belle Norris, 11-7-1907. (b. March 1894, dau. of E.J. and Emma Norris of Waltonville, Ill. Res: Woodlawn, Ill.)
 Ch: 1g. Mary Edith Wood, b. 8-29-1920, Woodlawn, Ill. m: Mr. Jaco.
 2f. Carter H. Wood, Dec'd.
 3f. Clyde Wood, Dec'd.
 4f. Elizabeth Wood, Dec'd.
 6e. Emory Wood, b. Jefferson Co., Ill. Dec'd. Married. Name of wife now known. Resided in Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Ch: 1f. Emma Gail Wood. m: Mr. Gaskins. Res: 509 S. 18th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. No data.
 7e. Lina Wood, b. Jefferson Co., Ill. Dec'd. m: Mr. Parmelee.
 Ch: 1f. Ray Parmelee. Res: P.O.Box, Helena, Ark. No further data.
 2d. Leonard William Wood, b. 3-25-1816, Gallatin Co., Ill. d. 12-24-1889, in Kaufman Co., Texas. Farmer. m: 1st: Harriet McKinney, 3-25-1841, Jefferson Co., Ill., ceremony performed by John Trott, J.P. Harriet died without issue. m: 2nd: Permelia Green, 9-25-1856, Jefferson Co., Ill., ceremony performed by John H. Watson, J.P. Permelia Green was traditionally a relative of General Nathaniel Green of Revolutionary War fame. Leonard purchased 80 acres of land from Edmund D. Dufur, 6-20-1845, on which he apparently made his home. He lived on his farm place for about 16 years. About the year 1867, he sold his



Leonard Wm. Wood (1816-1889), and his wife Permelia Green (1828-1886).

farm to John Oliver Lacey and moved to Kansas, where his stay was brief, and then moved on to Texas, settling near Alvarado in Johnson County, where he remained for a short time. He then moved to Chatfield, Nacarro County, and then to Henderson and Kaufman Counties, making the latter one his permanent resting place. Of interest is a copy of a letter he wrote in 1851, while still a resident of Illinois, to his cousin, William J. Goodner, also of Illinois.

" February 22nd, 1851.

I now take the opportunity to write you a few lines to let you know that we are all well at present, hoping that these lines may find you all enjoying the same Blessings. I have nerve to write to you. We have had a grate cry about the Road Railroad but I think that question is about settled. It will go I suppose in about nine miles of me. William I want you to come over to my sugar Camp some of these days and get

a Beite of sugar and tell me what you mak abawling. I want you to write me what a man Can mak one day with another By Hawling with a Good soan of Horses. Now I have a good farm, but I Cant mak money out of it and you know I am a great hand to talk about making money. Be Shure to write and let me know what I can mak with that kind ova team and let me know what I haft to pay for House rents an fire wood. I thought I would rent my farm and Com on there an hawl flower this summer provided you think I could make two or three Hundred dollars Clear of all Expense.

You must look over Bad Spelling and writing. So no more at present.

Your affectionate Cosin,

Leonard W. Wood."

His daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Pratt, wrote me that their home in Kansas was constructed with hewn walnut logs. When they left Missouri and headed for Texas, they traveled with a train of wagons consisting of thirteen families headed by Captain June Peak. In passing through "old Indian territory", they placed their wagons in a circle, tied the horses to the wagons, and slept within the enclosure, to better protect themselves against the Indians. The train of wagons forded the Red River near Durant, Oklahoma, and the Trinity River at the foot of what is now Commerce Street in Dallas, which was then small and of little importance.

While Leonard was still in Jefferson Co., Illinois, he was appointed guardian of an Alfred Wood, over 14 years of age, and Robert Wood, under 14 years of age. It is not known just who these boys were, and how long the guardianship lasted. To the union of Leonard W. & Permelia Green Wood there were born six children.

- Ch: 1e. William Thomas Wood, b. 10-14-1857, Centralia, Ill. d. 2-5-1941, Tolosa, Tex. Farmer & stock raiser. In middle life moved to Kemp, Tex. Interred in Cemetery in Kemp. Member of Christian Church. m: Emma King, 4-29-1880, near Tolosa, Tex., a granddaughter of John Baker, preemtor of a league of land embracing the whole of "Baker's Prairie". Emma also interred in Kemp, Tex.
- Ch: 1f. Mary Permelia Wood, b. 2-16-1881. m: H. Bryant Todd, 5-9-1906. Resided on Rt. #3, Kemp, Texas.
- Ch: 1g. Howard Odell Todd, m: Sophia----- Res: 2600 Ave. H. Ft. Worth, Texas.
- Ch: 1h. Mary Todd. Res: Rt. #3, Kemp, Texas.
- 2h. Howard Barry Todd, b. 1943. d. Feb. 1958, muscular dystrophy.
- 2f. Maude Ellen Wood, b. 11-3-1883. Single. Res: Kemp, Texas. Box 225.
- 3f. Gary Francis Wood, b. 11-30-1885. m: Guss Canada, 12-27-1910. Res: Kemp, Tex., Box 225.
- Ch: 1g. Ema Will Canada. m: Alma Grasham. Res: Kemp, Texas. No issue.
- 4f. John Rodney Wood, b. 3-13-1888. m: Martha ("Mattie") Williamson, dau. Amos Williamson. Divorced. Res: Kemp, Texas. Box 225.
- Ch: 1g. Leonard Reed Wood. m: Helen----. Res: 801 Colony Blvd., Meloirie, Fla.
- Ch: 1h. Carla Wood.
- 2h. Jerolyn Wood.
- 2g. Catherine Wood. m: Tom Morrison. Res: Kemp, Texas.

- Ch: 1h. Chris Morrison.
2h. Tom Morrison, Jr.
- 3g. Amos ("Jack") William Wood. M/Sgt. m: Faustine----. Res: Kemp, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Margaret Ann Wood.
- 4g. Patty Margaret Wood. m: Charles Wright. No issue.
5g. Johnnie Royal Wood. Single. Res: Kemp, Texas.
- 5f. Jessie Lillian Wood, b. 7-9-1891. m: H. Gady Wilson. Res: 824 W. Cedar St., Durant, Oklahoma.
Ch: 1g. Erma Lee Wilson, m: E. E. Gaines. Res: Denison, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Robert Gaines)
2h. John ("Jack") Gaines) Twins.
3h. James Gaines
- 2g. H. Gady Wilson, Jr. m: Lillie Bell. Res: 809 N. 8th St., Durant, Okla. No issue.
- 3g. Woodrow Wilson, m: Mary-----
Ch: 1h. Mary Wilson,
2h. H. G. ("Hank") Wilson, Jr.
- 2e. John G. Wood, b. 7-22-1859. d. 1-27-1884. Never married.
- 3e. Jesse A. Wood, b. 6-24-1862. d. 5-29-1909. Interred in Ranger, Texas. m: Addie Todd, 1897. b. 4-9-1871. Dec'd.)
Ch: 1f. Meredith Bryant Wood, b. Nov. 1896. Died 2-12-1919, while in service in W.W.I. Remains shipped to Kemp, Texas, several yrs. later and re-interred. Not married.
- 2f. Clifford Dewey Wood, b. 6-22-1898. d. Sept. 1954. m: Ida Lee. No issue.
- 3f. Lena Harvey Wood, b. 7-26-1900, Galveston, Texas. m: 1st: Herman J. Turner, 5-1-1923, Ennis, Texas. (b. 4-1-1900, son of Wesley and Mary Turner.) Railroader.
Ch: 1g. Jackie Wood Turner, b. 8-5-1929.
m: 2nd: Lawrence ("Larry") A. Meador. Formerly resided at 1091 Hawthorne, Redding, Calif. Present Address: c/o M. K. G., Box 1, Andimeshk, Iran, Persia.
- 4f. Lloyd Wood, b. 10-5-1902, in Kemp, Kaufman Co., Texas. Electrician. Baptist. Navy from 1920 to 1925. m: Katie Seago, 5-12-1932, dau. of Doss Seado. Divorced. Res: 2830 Lindstone St., Houston 3, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Katherine Lee Wood, b. 10-10-1933, San Diego, Calif. m: William Van Riper. Res: 1607 Green St., Edna, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Kent Lloyd Van Riper, b. 6-15-1956.
2h. Katie Lee Van Riper, b. 8-17-1958.
- 5f. Emma Anna Wood, b. 3-27-1909, d. 9-12-1941. m: Larry Shields. Res: Ennis, Tex. No issue.
- 4e. Charles E. Wood, b. 6-21-1864. d. 1-31-1884. Single.
- 5e. James F. Wood, b. 11-18-1866. d. 7-3-1876. Born in Illinois.
- 6e. Mary Ann Wood, b. 1-29-1869, Illinois. m: Jofe Pratt, abt. 1886. Mr. Pratt deceased, but Mary resides with daughter, Mrs. Edith Pratt Price, Rt. #1, Santa Anna, Texas.
Ch: 1f. Willie A. Pratt (Dau.) b. -----, d. 6-22-1944. m: Bill West. He resides Rt. 2, Box 161, Coleman, Texas.
Ch: 1g. Mary West, b. 12-8-1918, at Talpa, Texas. m: E. J. Hall, 3-29-1948, San Antonio, Texas. (b. 10-25-1903, son of J. O. Hall of Kenedy, Texas.) Res: Rt. #1, Box 274, Hitchcock, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Marilyn Hall, b. 9-22-1948, Galveston, Texas.
2h. William Joseph Hall, b. 5-13-1950, Galveston, Texas.
- 2g. Maurise West, b. 4-29-1921, Talpa, Texas. m: William Harvey Moore, 8-1-1941, at Coleman, Texas. (b. 3-9-1919, son of T. W. Moore of Rt. #2, Comanche, Texas) Res: 2643 East 11th St., Odessa, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Jerry Wayne Moore, b. 10-27-1947.
William Harvey Moore is associated with Porter Earnest Motor Co. Served in Air Corp. 4-1-1941 to 11-13-1945. Members of Immanuel Baptist Church.
- 2f. Effie J. Pratt, b. 1-7-1888. m: William Grimes, 10-27-1912. (b. 5-1-1888. d. 5-2-1941.) Res: Effie Pratt Grimes, - Talpa, Texas.
Ch: 1g. James Pratt Grimes, b. 7-17-1922. m: Rowena Sims (b. 5-20-1920.) Res: Box 664, Orange, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Linda Jeanne Grimes, b. 8-14-1946.
2h. Janet Ellen Grimes, b. 5-19-1950.
- 2g. Donald Allan Grimes, b. 11-18-1925, Valera, Texas. m: Nola Nichter. (b. 12-30-1924.) Res: 7622 Moss Rose, Houston 12, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Kenneth Wayne Grimes, b. 5-31-1952, Houston, Texas.
- 3g. Dale Eugene Grimes, b. 9-13-1913, Talpa, Texas. m: Elizabeth Kincaid, 6-20-1937, Crowell, Texas. Res: 3613-44th St., Lubbock, Texas.
Ch: 1h. Elizabeth Jean Grimes, b. 1-6-1943, Jacksonville, Texas.



Mary Ann Pratt, wife of Jofe Pratt, and daughter of William Leonard Wood, at the age of 90 years and 5 mos.

- 2h. Robert Dale Grimes, b. 1-22-1945, Edinburg, Texas.
 3h. Margaret Zell Grimes, b. 9-15-1951, Del Rio, Texas.
- 4g. Billie Joe Grimes, b. 7-22-1920, Novice, Texas. m: Billy Joe Rudd, 10-17-1942. (b. 10-24-1916, Dallas, Texas, son of John Mallary and Vallye Chapman Rudd.) Res: 7734 Brumbly, Houston 12, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Carol Elizabeth Rudd, b. 8-10-1944, Newcastle, Wyo.
 2h. Jane Ellen Rudd, b. 10-30-1946, Houston, Texas.
 3h. John Mark Rudd, b. 3-31-1953, Houston, Texas.
- 3f. John Bell Pratt, b. 2-9-1886. m: Annie Lee Tate (b. 10-13-1892) Res: 4212 Bowie St., San Angelo, Texas.
 Ch: 1g. John Bell Pratt, Jr., b. 12-18-1916. m: Roberta FASTER. No issue.
 2g. Nara Laverne Pratt, b. 4-3-1920. m: Ammon Fulenwider.
 Ch: 1h. Ronnie Fulenwider, b. 9-26-1950.
 3g. Charles Mack Pratt, b. 1-7-1923. Single. At Home.
 4g. Thomas Jean Pratt, b. 1-17-1925. Single. At Home.
 5g. Dorothea Nell Pratt, b. 7-22-1927. m: Richard Blanchard.
 Ch: 1h. Timothy Blanchard, b. 1-30-1954.
 6g. Patsy Jean Pratt, b. 1-20-1932. At Home.
 7g. Brenda Joy Pratt, b. 4-13-1941.
 8g. Norma Yvonne Pratt, b. ----. m: Billy W. Varner. Res: 4212 Bowie St., San Angelo, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Terry Jean Varner.
 2h. Donna Kaye Varner.
 3h. Leslie J. Varner.
- 4f. Edith Pratt, b. 8-25-1896. Texas. m: A.O. Price. (b. 2-9-1890, Savannah, Tenn., Son of William Franklin Price.) Was in the plumbing business in Overton, Texas, for some time, but sold out in 1958 and moved to Santa Anna, Texas, and engaged in farming and stock raising. Methodist. Res: Rt. #1, Santa Anna, Texas.
 Ch: 1g. Haskell Don Price, b. 6-28-1917, Coleman, Texas. Served in Navy from 10-25-1942 to 11-7-1945, with 19 months in Pacific Theatre. Salesman for American Supply Co. Methodist. m: Edna Earle Lawrence, 11-10-1941, dau. of F.R. Lawrence of Arp, Texas. Res: 100 Price St., Overton, Texas.
 Ch: 1h. Haskell Dan Price, b. 8-25-1944.
 2h. James Arthur Price, b. 3-13-1946.
 3h. Eva Jane Price, b. 1-24-1953.
 4h. Jina ("Kim") Price, b. 6-29-1956.
- 3d. James Wood, b. 3-30-1817, Saline Co., Ill. d. 1889, Jefferson Co., Ill. Farmer. Resided in Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Margaret Dial (Dyer), ("Peggy Ann"), 3-21-1844, Jefferson Co., Ill. She died prior to James.
 Ch: 1e. Frances Marion Wood. No further data.
 2e. John Wood. No data.
 3e. Franklin Pierce Wood, b. 9-15-1853, Woodlawn, Ill. d. 2-20-1920. Interred in Old Shiloh Cemetery. Resided in Woodlawn, Ill. m: Ida Alice Mayfield, 6-3-1877. (b. 3-13-1859. d. 10-10-1920. Interred in Old Shiloh Cemetery. Dau. Isaac Mayfield of Woodlawn, Ill.)
 Ch: 1f. Gertie Wood, b. 10-17-1883, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Walter Windfield Heaney, 9-9-1904, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 4-15-1886, son of James Edward Heaney of Mendon, Ill.) Employee of the waterworks at Mt. Vernon, Ill. Res: 316 S. 22nd. St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. Methodists.
 Ch: 1g. Glenn Franklin Heaney, b. 7-1-1905. Married. Res: 1214 Chicago St., Peoria, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Glenna Kay Heaney. m: Mr. Patterson.
 2g. Howard Kenneth Heaney, b. 12-20-1916. Res: 421 S. 23rd. St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. Married.
 Ch: 1h. James Robert Heaney
 2h. Richard Howard Heaney
- 2f. John Benton Wood, b. 3-12-1886, Jefferson Co., Ill. Retired. m: Edna Peal Pircey, 2-14-1909. (b. 4-11-1893, dau. John Pircey) Res: Rt. #5, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 3f. Lydia Wood, b. 12-27-1885, Woodlawn, Ill. m: Joseph Jethro Smith, 1-17-1917, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (b. 1893 at Fair Play, Mo., son of Oliver P. Smith, who was born in Ind.) Retired Railroader. Protestant. Res: 1807 Hillview, Centralia, Washington.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JAMES WOOD OF JEFFERSON CO., ILLINOIS

"In the name of God, Amen.

I, James Wood of Casner Township, Jefferson County, Illinois, being of sound mind and memory do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament, in the following manner, that is to say:

First, I direct that all my personal property and the following real estate, viz. The East half of the North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section Thirty one Town. Two, Range Two East of the 3rd P. M. Jefferson County, Illinois, and the South half of the North West quarter of the South East Quarter of Section Thirty Five Town. Two, Range One East of the 3rd Principal Meridian in Jefferson County, Illinois, shall be sold six months after my death or as soon after the expiration of Six Months as practicable, and out of the proceeds of such sale all my just debts shall be paid and the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars set aside to purchase a monument for my grave. My debts and the Hundred and Fifty dollars to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of my personal estate if there be sufficient. If there be anything left from the sale of my personal estate after the payment of my just debts and the hundred and fifty dollars, I direct that it shall be divided into Seven equal parts and one part given to my Son, Francis M., one part to my son, John, one part to my son, Pierce, one part to the heirs of My daughter, Alice, deceased, one part to my son, Rhodam, one part to my Son, Isaac N., and one part to my daughter, Ammie.

I further direct that the proceeds of the Sale of the real estate above described shall be divided into Six equal parts, One part to be given to each of my sons, Francis M., John, Pierce, Rhodam, Isaac N., and one part to the heirs of my daughter, Alice.

2nd. I give and bequeath to Louis Lacey and Bessie Lacey, children of my daughter, Alice deceased, the South West Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section Thirty One Town. Two, East of the Third Principal Meridian in Jefferson County, Illinois.

3rd. I hereby appoint John H. Watkins of Casner Township, Jefferson County, Illinois, Trustee, and direct that all monies derived from the proceeds of the sale of real and personal estate as hereinbefore provided shall be paid into his hands that shall be the share of Louis and Bessie Lacey, the aforesaid heirs of my daughter, Alice, that is to say, their share shall be paid into his hands and he shall have full control of the real estate herein bequeathed to the said Louis and Bessie Lacey, collect the rents and loan all monies coming into his hands as Trustee hereunder on Good security, until such time as that Bessie Lacey shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, when he shall equally divide all of value in his hands as such Trustee, between the said Louis and Bessie Lacey, Provided that if either of them shall die, the survivor shall receive the whole, and if both shall die before Bessie shall reach the age of twenty-one years, then in that event the land shall be sold and the proceeds of such sale, together with all other monies in the hands of the Trustee hereunder shall be equally divided amongst my remaining heirs, Provided further that said Trustee shall pay out no money for the use and benefit of such children until he shall pay out the full sum as directed.

4th. I desire that the Executors hereinafter appointed shall carry out any agreement I shall have made with any of my heirs to furnish them Horses or tools with which to make a crop, Provided that if at any time they shall find that such horses or tools are not receiving proper care or attention then the Executors shall take possession thereof.

5th. The balance of my real estate I have disposed of by deeds, which said deeds I have placed in the hands of my nephew, William C. Wood, whom I direct to place in the hands of the proper owners immediately after my death, the deeds that belong to them severally.

Lastly, I hereby nominate and appoint John H. Watkins and James H. Payne to be Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19th day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Nine.

his
James X Wood
mark

The foregoing and above instrument consisting of one sheet was at the date thereof Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the said James Wood to be his last Will and testament in presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto, he the said James Wood acknowledged to us and declared this to be his last Will and testament.

Signed: James H. Watson, of Woodlawn,
James Troutt, of Woodlawn, Ill.

(Above Will and document filed June 6th, 1889. Will Book A, pages 272, 273, and 274. Allen C. Tanner, County Clerk, by W. Satterfield, Deputy.)

(The town of Mt. Vernon, Illinois, as was most of the whole of Jefferson County, was formed by settlers from Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina, and South Carolina.)

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- Ch: 1g. Geraldine Smith, b. 2-16-1921, Ipava, Ill. m: Edmond H. Stultz. Res: 1518 W. First St., Aberdeen, Wash.
 Ch: 1h. Luana Kay Stultz, b. 5-31-1943
 2h. Linda Sue Stultz, b. 5-5-1948
- 4f. Jesse M. Wood, b. 1-1-1892, Woodlawn, Ill. School Teacher. Methodist. Served in W.W.I., 5th Div., 61st Infantry. m: Lillie Mae Crowder, 1-31-1925. (b. 9-13-1904, dau. of Rev. James Crowder of Mt. Vernon, Ill.) Res: 825 S. 20th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- Ch: 1g. Jack L. Wood, b. 1-22-1926, Mt. Vernon, Ill. Foreman. Methodist. m: Alberta J. Rodville. (b. 5-3-1929, dau. Stanley and Mary Rodville of Buckner, Ill.) Res: 1625 Chestnut St., Arlington Heights, Ill.
 Ch: 1h. Sherry Lynn Wood, b. 9-19-1948
 2h. Janet Lee Wood, b. 1-26-1959
- 2g. Norma Jean Wood, m: Mr. McKenney. Res: 1433 Mark Dr., Freeport, Ill.
 3g. James Pierce Wood, Res: 184 Harrison, Napa, Calif.
 4g. Robert Ray Wood. Serving with Armed Forces. Presently stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.
 5g. James Wood. Deceased.
 6g. Unnamed son. Died at birth.
 7g. Cleaveland Wood. Deceased.
 8g. Ollie Wood. Deceased. m: Mr. McMeen.
 Ch: 1h. Loren A. McMeen, Res: 600 S. 22nd St., Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- 4e. Rhodam Wood. No data.
 5e. Isaac N. Wood. No data.
 6e. William Wood. Not mentioned in father's will. Must have died young.
 7e. Alice Wood, b. d. 1-5-1882, Mt. Vernon, Ill. m: John Oliver Lacey, 1-10-1874. (Jefferson Co. records give date of marriage 2-2-1874, with ceremony performed by James R. Driver, J. P. The later date may be that of registration). Mr. Lacey was a carpenter, b. 5-9-1850, Woodlawn, Ill., son of Thomas Benton Lacey* and Eliza McCully. Died 2-7-1927.
 Ch: 1f. Lewis Cunningham Lacey, b. 12-1-1874. d. 5-10-1928. No data.
 2f. Bessie Lacey, b. 2-8-1878. d. 7-20-1954, St. Louis, Mo. Interred in Valhalla Cemetery, St. Louis, Mo. m: William A. Todd, 8-8-1901 (b. 12-13-1879, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 7-10-1952, St. Louis, Mo. Interred there.) Resided for a time in Milwaukee, Wisc., and then St. Louis.
 Ch: 1g. Margaret Victorine Todd, b. 5-12-1902, St. Louis, Mo. m: Harold P. Davison, 4-23-1925, St. Louis, Mo. (b. 11-24-1899, at O'Fallon, Ill.). Grad. Washington Univ. St. Louis. Executive Officer of National Society of Theta Xi. Members Trinity Presbyterian Church. Res: 7155 Stanford, University City 5, Mo.
 Ch: 1h. Jack Todd Davison, b. 5-12-1929, St. Louis, Mo. Teacher in Choate School. m: Diana Katnack, 4-21-1951, at Long Island, N. Y. Dau. of Fred Katnack. Formerly resided in Groton, Mass. Res: Wallingford, Conn.
 Ch: 1i. Deborah Susan Davison, b. 10-29-1951, St. Louis, Mo.
 2i. Harold Philip Davison, b. 12-12-1952, Groton, Mass.
 3i. Melissa Jean Davison, b. 1-21-1954, Groton, Mass.
 2h. Margaret ("Peggy") Ann Davison, b. 3-2-1931, St. Louis, Mo. m: Clifford F. McClure, Jr., 6-25-1952, St. Louis. (b. 9-17-1930, St. Louis) Methodists. Res: 20 Enfield Rd., St. Louis 24.
 Ch: 1i. Thomas Todd McClure, b. 1-20-1955. St. Louis, Mo.
 2i. Robert Tod McClure, b. 8-27-1956, St. Louis, Mo.
 3i. Margaret Susan McClure, b. 3-18-1958.
- (After the death of Alice in 1882, John Oliver Lacey married Margaret Ann Hauss, and had three children, - Clarence Oliver Lacey, Honora Althea Lacey, and Florence Eliza Lacey, all of Mt. Vernon, Ill.)
- 8e. Annie Wood. No data.
- 4d. Jane Wood, b. abt. 1819/20. m: James Reynolds (Runnels). Very little is known about this family. The following information was given to me by Mary Ann Wood Pratt, dau. of Leonard W. Wood. Jane and James Reynolds lived in Jefferson Co., Ill., at least for a time, and may have resided there all their lives.
 Ch: 1e. Henry Reynolds. Date of birth and death unknown. b. Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Rose Webb. Moved to Texas and stayed for awhile with Leonard W. Wood, in either Henderson or Kaufman County.

This was probably around 1870. They then bought land in Burnet Co., Texas, and moved there.

- Ch: 1f. Ranson Reynolds, b. Ill., Jefferson Co., Married and had issue.
 2f. Riley Reynolds, b. Texas, at home of Leonard W. Wood, in either Henderson or Kaufman Co. Married and had issue.
 3f. Son. Name not known, but married and had issue.
 4f. Daughter. Name not known, but married and had issue.
 2e. "Pink" Reynolds, b. Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Mary Webb, sister of Rose Webb, who married Henry above. Moved to Texas with Henry and to Burnet Co. No issue.
 3e. Daughter. m: Turner Webb, brother to Rose and Mary. Accompanied Henry and "Pink" to Texas, and apparently resided in Burnet Co. Ch: None.

- 5d. Elizabeth Wood, b. 1822. d. 1880. m: Jacob Troutt. Resided about seven miles west of Mt. Vernon. No further data.
 6d. Nancy (Anna) Wood, b. 1825. d. 1915. m: William Dodds. No further data.
 7d. Richard Wood. Married, and had at least one child.
 Ch: 1e. William Wood Resided on a farm near Woodlawn, Jefferson Co., Ill.
- 3c. Nancy Jackson, b. 1798, Guilford Co., N. C. d. 6-12-1845, St. Clair Co., Ill. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, located on Millstadt-Belleville Road, about two miles east of Millstadt. m: Rev. Benjamin Goodner, her first cousin, 4-7-1816, Hardin Co., Ill. (b. 6-4-1795, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 12-12-1863, St. Clair Co., Ill. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, by side of wife, Nancy.)
 Ch: 1d. Sally Ann Goodner, b. 1-25-1817, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 6-25-1849, Washington Co., Ill. m: Thomas M. McCracken, 10-20-1836, St. Clair Co., Ill.
 2d. William Jackson Goodner, b. 10-9-1818, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 6-1-1893, in Bogard, Mo. m: 1st: Mary Holcomb, 3-7-1844, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 2-10-1845. m: 2nd: Mary Jane Moore, 2-4-1847. d. 9-2-1847. m: 3rd: Jeanette Ann Cox, 10-2-1851, in Melrose, Adams Co., Ill. (b. 4-8-1833, Adams Co., Ill. d. 8-7-1912, in Topeka, Kansas. Dau. of Matthew Cox and Sarah Cox, nee Brown.)
 3d. Elijah Goodner, b. 6-3-1820, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 10-27-1886, Washington Co., Ill. m: Mary Ralston, 3-5-1846, (1828-1897). Resided Washington Co., Ill.
 4d, 5d, 6d. Triplets born prematurely. d. at birth.
 7d. Luverba Goodner, b. 3-31-1823, St. Clair Co., Ill. Date of death not known. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, located about two miles east of Millstadt on Millstadt-Belleville Road. m: Cornelius Gooding, 12-21-1843, St. Clair Co., Ill. (b. 1-24-1817. d. 2-8-1896, son of Robert and Mary Gooding.
 8d. Caroline Goodner, b. 6-26-1825, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 1-3-1887, Harristown, Macon Co., Ill. m: Daniel Stookey, 12-4-1845. (b. 3-6-1820. d. 10-7-1907. Both interred in Harristown, Ill.
 9d. John Adams Clark Goodner, b. 5-14-1817, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 5-13-1876, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: 1st: Rose Ann West, 2-22-1853. d. prior to 1865. m: 2nd: Martha J. Turner, 3-23-1865, Jefferson Co., Ill.
 10d. Benjamin Franklin Goodner, b. 6-25-1829, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 4-15-1852, San Francisco, Calif., a victim of Panama fever, contracted in Panama while en route to the California Gold Fields.
 11d. Joseph Benson Goodner, b. 5-14-1831, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 11-25-1917, in Spokane, Wash. m: Sarah Frances Campbell (1844-1930), in Richview, Washington Co., Ill. Moved first to Kansas and then to State of Washington.
 12d. George Washington Goodner, b. 5-13-1833, Washington Co., Ill. d. 4-11-1922, Quincy, Ill. m: 1st: Mary Huff, (d. 7-14-1877). m: 2nd Alice E. Dempsey. He lies interred in Mt. Greenwood Cemetery, Decatur, Ill.
 13d. Nancy Hester Goodner, b. 10-28-1835. d. 1-6-1846, St. Clair Co., Ill. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, located about two miles east of Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill., on the Millstadt-Belleville Road.
 14d. David Andrew Goodner, b. 12-20-1838, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 7-15-1841. Interred in Old Union Cemetery, St. Clair Co., Ill.
 15d. Salinda Goodner, b. 4-28-1841, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 11-20-1886, St. Louis, Mo. m: John Hansbrough Lacey, 11-20-1860, St. Clair Co., Ill. (b. 10-3-1838. d. 4-14-1891, St. Louis. Son of John Lacey and Lydia Lacey, nee Primm.) Both interred in Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis.
- (For the complete record of the descendants of Nancy Jackson and Rev. Benjamin Goodner, see chart of Conrad Goodner)
- 4c. George Jackson, b. abt. 1790-1800, North Carolina. Name of wife not known. b. 1790-1800. Resided in Pope Co., Ill., in that portion which was later cut off and made into Hardin Co. He is shown in the 1820 and 1830 census of Pope Co. as head of a household, and in the 1830 census with nine children. He is not shown in the 1840 or 1850 census of Hardin County, or in th 1850 census of Washington or Jefferson Counties, Ill. It is a question therefore whether he was deceased or moved to other parts. His issue as given in the 1830 census of Pope Co. is as follows:-
 Ch: 1d. 1 Daughter. b. abt. 1815/6.
 2d. 1 Daughter. b. bwt. 1815-1820.
 3d. 1 Daughter. b. bwt. 1815-1820.
 4d. 1 Son. b. bwt. 1815-1820.
 5d. 1 Son. b. bwt. 1820-1825.
 6d. 1 Son. b. abt. 1820-1825.
 7d. 1 Daughter b. bwt. 1825-1830.
 8d. 1 Daughter b. bwt. 1825-1830.
 9d. 1 Daughter b. bwt. 1825-1830.
- 5c. John Jackson, b. abt. 1800-1804. Name of wife not known, b. 1794-1800. Resided in Pope Co., Ill., in 1820, and so

shown in census report for that year. He is not shown in the 1830 census. He apparently moved away, but we do not know where. According to the 1820 census, at which time he was between the ages of 16 and 20, he had three children.

Ch: 1d. 1 Son b. 1810-1820.

2d. 1 Son b. 1810-1820.

3d. 1 Daughter b. 1810-1820.

- 6c. Elizabeth Jackson, b. abt. 1802-3, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1863, Washington Co., Ill. m: Francis Acuff Goodner, her first cousin, 11-21-1821, apparently in Hardin Co., Ill. (Francis b. 12-26-1799, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. Feb. 1853, Washington Co., Ill.

Ch: 1d. Paulina (Polina) Goodner, b. abt. 1822. d. during Civil War period, m: Capt. William Roe Phillips, 5-14-1843, Washington Co., Ill. Resided in Washington Co., Ill.

2d. Emily Goodner, b. 3-2-1825, in St. Clair or Washington Co., Ill. d. 11-7-1876. m: William Edmond Live-
say, 8-1-1844, Washington Co., Ill. Resided in Washington Co., Ill.

3d. Ranson Goodner, b. abt. 1826. Died in youth.

4d. James Jackson Goodner, b. 7-6-1827, Washington Co., Ill. d. 10-20-1889, Kansas. m: 1st: Canzada Foster, 1849. (b. 5-7-1830. d. 1859.) m: 2nd: Elizabeth M. White, 10-9-1862, Washington Co., Ill. (b. 10-29-1833, dau. Judge Thomas H. White.) James moved to Kan., in Cherokee Co., and became a cattle man.

5d. Harriett Sophronia Goodner, b. 1838. Date of death not known. m: 1st: Edward Cannady (Kennedy), 8-9-1862, Washington Co., Ill. m: 2nd: Mr. Shanks.

6d. Dr. George W. Goodner, b. 1840, Washington Co., Ill. d. 5-5-1916, Chicago, Ill. Surgeon and Physi-
cian. Grad. of Northwestern Univ. Medical School. m: Mona -----.

(For complete record of the descendants of Elizabeth Jackson and Francis Acuff Goodner, see the chart of Conrad Goodner.)

Jewell Goodner, (Jacob Goodner, Son of Mary.) (From Page 64.)

- 3g. Jewell Goodner, b. 7-23-1917, Colorado. m: Horace Elmer Gibson, 5-4-1940, Denver, Colo. Son of H. E. Gibson, Sr., of Pueblo, Colo. Printer. Served in 15th Air Force W. W. II (Italy). Res: 1803 Garwood, Pueblo, Colo.
 Ch: 1h. Gary Lee Gibson, b. 12-7-1943
 2h. Susan Josephine Gibson, b. 7-6-1946
 3h. Richard Harry Gibson, b. 1-13-1949
 4h. William Robert Gibson, b. 3-14-1951
 5h. Constance Elizabeth Gibson, b. 6-25-1952
 6h. Jewelie Ann Gibson, b. 7-16-1955
 7h. Kevin Forrest Gibson, b. 12-13-1956

(Received too late to include in regular chart)

Real Estate Transfers.Dearborn Co., Ind.

Eliza J. Goodner, Grantee. James H. Gray, Grantor. Date: 3-3-1882. Filed 5-4-1885.

Switzerland Co., Ind.

Jacob Goodner, Grantee. United States, Grantor. Date: 10-22-1825. 77 Acres. E 1/2 of S. E. 1/4 of Sec. 25, T 3 R 2.

Benjamin Goodner, Grantee. Ebenezer Gray, Grantor. Date: 12-27-1858. W. D.

Daniel Goodner, Grantee. John H. Chittenden, Grantor. Date: 8-27-1829. W. D.

John Goodner, Grantee. William S. Pate, Grantor. Date: 1-17-1848. Quit Claim.

John Goodner, Grantee. Arthur Humphrey, Grantor. Date: 1-17-1848. Quit Claim.

John Goodner, Grantee. S. Pate, Grantor, and Enos Ellis. Date: 10-9-1839. W. D.

William Goodner, Grantee. Hathorne Evans, Grantor. Date: 9-22-1849.

William W. Goodner, Grantee. Henry J. Banta, Grantor. Date: 9-2-1857.

Jacob Goodner, Grantor, Jackson Goodner, Grantee. Date: 4-18-1838. W. D. 80 acres.

Jackson Goodner, Grantor, Henry Voris, Grantee. Date: 1-5-1847. W. D.

Daniel Goodner, Grantor, Thos. Adams, Grantee. Date: 12-22-1846. W. D.

William D. Goodner, Grantor, Ezree Kemp, Grantee. Date: 10-31-1851. W. D.

Jane Goodner, Grantor, Daniel Conner, Grantee. Date: 1-28-1853. Quit Claim.

Daniel Goodner, Grantor, Enoch Himna, Grantee. Date: 9-27-1859. W. D.

Jacob Goodner, Grantor, Stephen A. Cole, Grantee. Date: 3-5-1861. Quit Claim.

Ohio County, Ind.

<u>Grantor</u>	<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Instrument</u>
Eliza J. Goodner	Henry Clatte	9-19-1870	W. D.
W. W. Goodner	Eliza Goodner	5-2-1870	Q. C.
William W. Goodner	Wm. Dennis	4-2-1873	W. D.
Andrew J. and Virginia May Goodner	James T. Smith	9-2-1873	W. D.
Henry Goodner, et a.	Timothy Conner	11-15-1873	Q. C.
Eliza J. Goodner	John Dennis	4-10-1875	W. D.
Andrew Goodner	Marian Conaway	10-31-1881	W. D.
V. M. Goodner	C. McMarble	6-25-1889	W. D.
John P. Goodner	Fred Kitterbrink	11-12-1888	
Polly Goodner	Geo. W. Heatn	4-11-1889	
Wm. D. Goodner and wife, Edith	Wm. Dorrell	2-1-1855	W. D.

Vermilion Co., Ill.

Othniel Preston	Walter Goodner	9-9-1831	W. D.
William Peters	Walter Goodner	1-21-1833	W. D.
Elisha Chambers	Walter Goodner	2-5-1834	W. D.
John Ricketts	Michael Goodner	12-8-1838	W. D.
Evert Vanvickle	Jacob Goodner	9-26-1834	W. D.
Seth Mills	David Goodner	2-10-1837	W. D.
Walter Goodner	David Goodner	1-1-1844	W. D.

THE SCHERRER FAMILY. * (SCHERER, SHERER, SHEARER, ETC)

The earliest known ancestor of Elizabeth Scherrer, wife of Conrad Goodner, was Nicholas Scherrer, born about the year 1700, and who lived in the village of Oberbetsbach, Germany, which was located far up the Rhine River in the Province of Rheinland, a place which was undoubtedly the scene of his birth. He was a small farmer, owning about 40 acres of land. The name of his wife is not known, but we do know the date of her death, which occurred on St. Gertrude's Day, Nov. 15,

1763. Nicholas died the following year in 1764.

The original spelling of the name, as revealed in the old German letter to Elizabeth's father, was Scherrer, but subsequently it has been spelled in various ways, such as Scherer, Sherer, Shearer, Sheerer, Sharer, Shear, Sheer. The spelling adopted by most members of the family is now Sherer.

Nicholas had three children, George Theobold, Jacob Daniel (father of Elizabeth), and a daughter whose name is not known, but who evidently married and resided in Oberbetsbach or close by. She was still living with the father and mother in 1763, and received far too large a dowry to meet with the approval of George Theobold.

George Theobold married twice. His first wife was Catherine Elizabeth, by whom he had two daughters, - Marie Elizabeth, and Catherine Salome. After the death of Catherine Elizabeth in 1756, George Theobold married in December of 1758, Angelia Miller, the daughter of Jochem Miller, a village official. By her he had two sons, John Ludwig and John Jacob. Evidently George Theobold remained on the farm and died there. What happened to the sons, we do not know.

The other son was Jacob Daniel Scherrer. According to the old German Letter of Recommendation, which will be reproduced in fac-simile and in translation later, he was born in Oberbetsbach in 1730. According to some descendants, his birth occurred Feb. 2, 1726. As far as is known to me the only documentary evidence of his birth date is in the old letter of recommendation, and I do not know what authority was used in establishing his date of birth as the earlier date given. Jacob Daniel grew to manhood on the farm of his father, but did not follow the occupation of farming. Instead he took up an apprenticeship in tailoring, and after due time mastered the trade and became a full journeyman. On August 31st, 1751 he received a "Letter of Recommendation" testifying to his having learned the trade to the satisfaction of the Master Tailor. This document is still in the hands of descendants after 200 years, and is greatly cherished by its present owner, who kindly loaned it to me to have it photostated. It is herewith reproduced in fac-simile. This document is of the highest importance, both historically and genealogically.

The translation of this interesting document, as given in the Scherrer Family Genealogical Journal, is as follows:

"Letter of Recommendation"

"We, The Sworn Masters of Tailoring in the town of Ottweiler, do hereby certify that the present Jacob Daniel Sherrer, born in Ober-bets-bach, 21 years ago, of average stature, brown hair, has learned the Tailoring trade to the satisfaction of Master Michael Grawang, and has shown himself industrious and truthful. We the undersigned wish to recommend him.

Ottweiler, Aug. 31st, 1751.

Signed: W. H. Gerber. Local Supreme Master.
John Michael Martin, Becoming Master.
John Adams Wagner
John Jacob Eber-Gassett.

(Seal) Established 1707.

The black blotch shown in the photostat is the seal of the order stamped in red wax. In the center of the seal are figures of two men, indicating styles of garments; also a pair of shears, and around the border of the seal are the words "Established 1707".

This is the oldest document in the family. Although yellow with age, it is in surprisingly good condition after 200 years. It was evidently carried by Jacob Daniel Scherrer on his journey down the Rhine to Rotterdam, thence by boat to Portsmouth, England, and then by boat to America. Cherished by him during his lifetime, or for some 44 years, at his death it was guarded and treasured by his widow, Hannah Sophia, and by her turned over to her son, Christian, in Preble County, Ohio. In 1835, he sent it to his sister, Elizabeth Goodner, in Washington Co., Ill. After her death it came into the possession of her son, Benjamin Goodner; on his death in St. Clair Co., Ill., in 1863, it passed into the hands of his son, William J. Goodner, and upon his death in 1893, it fell into the possession of his son, William Gooding Goodner. It is now in the possession of Mrs. Hester Ann Pape, nee Baker, 8497 La Jolla Shores Drive, La Jolla, Calif. Mrs. Pape is the daughter of Julia Goodner Baker, who was a daughter of William J. Goodner.

In May of 1752, Jacob Daniel Scherrer embarked on the Richard and Mary from Rotterdam, with a stop at Portsmouth, and arrived at Philadelphia Sept. 26th, 1752. Master of the ship was John Moor. Jacob probably went to Berks Co., or he may have stayed in Philadelphia. However, in a few years he had his bride-to-be, Hannah Sophia Dick, come to this country, and it is reported that he paid for part of the cost of the trip. They were married, according to one report, Oct. 7th, 1755. Their first child was born in 1759, -some say in Pennsylvania and some say in Delaware, with the latter place seeming to be the correct one. In the year 1763, we find him in Orange County, North Carolina, residing in that portion of the county which was cut off in 1770 and formed into the county of Guilford. He resided near Gibsonville, his farm being located to the north of Rock Creek. He and his family attended Friedens Church, sometimes called "Shoemaker's Church", located two miles north of Gibsonville. This church in these early days not only served the Lutherans but also the German Reformed denomination.

Hannah Sophia Dick was not of the same Dick family that resided in Guilford County and still do to this day. They were de-

scendants of a William Dick, a man of Scotch-Irish lineage, who migrated to Orange County about the year 1755, coming from the Scotch-Irish settlement in Pennsylvania. Records reveal quite a few of the name of Dick of German lineage, the ship lists of arrivals containing several of them. There is a belief among some of the family, to which belief I adhere, that the Scherrers and Dicks of Germany are descendants of families that escaped from Scotland during the period of religious persecutions, fled first to Holland, and thence to Germany. This would account for both families being found in both Scotland and Germany.

Friedens Church, which is still in existence and still prosperous, was about the first place of worship in that part of Orange County, and which after 1770, was in Guilford County. There worshiped the early families of Scherrers, Goodners, Tickers, Smiths, the Tades, Jordans, and no doubt other families whose names are familiar to us, such as the Goddards, the Mosers, Brownings, etc. In later years some of the Scherrers were ministers of the church, namely Rev. Jacob Scherer, and Rev. Simeon Scherer.

Here in this area, which even today is rather a beautiful countryside, with rolling hills and pastures, Jacob Daniel lived out his days, farming and following the trade of making hats, and raising a large family of nine children. He died Sept. 25th, 1795, and was laid to rest in the graveyard of the Friedens Church. Next to his resting place lie the graves of his son, Frederick, and wife Barbara. A stone was placed over the spot years later by Simon P. Scherer, M.D. This stone carried the inscription that both father and son were Revolutionary War Soldiers.

In the year 1764, Jacob Daniel received from his brother in Germany a letter that reveals a great deal of the conditions at home, the death of the father and mother, the high burden of taxes and forced labor, and the dissatisfaction of George with problems of making a living. This letter, kept by succeeding members of the family with the same tender care as was the letter of recommendation, is reproduced in fac-simile, with translation. It also is yellow with age, with the ink growing dim in spots.

The following translation of this old German letter was made principally by Rev. M.G.G. Scherer, and is taken from the Scherrer Family Genealogical Journal, published by Dr. A.T. Scherer in 1909.

"First of all, Greetings to you heartily and much beloved brother Jacob Daniel Scherrer, as well as to thy wife and children. I will write to you now how it is with us, and how I am, but I expect an answer from you. It is eight years the present Easter 1764 that I took charge of the farm and have not made anything but rather lost by degrees. My first wife, Catherine Elizabeth, died eight years ago, but I have two children by her - two daughters, namely, Marie Elizabeth, the older, and the younger, Catherine Salome. Six years ago, two weeks before Christmas, I married again, and from this union have come two sons, named John Ludwig the older, and John Jacob the younger. (One sentence omitted.) She (my wife) is Angelia Miller, daughter of the village official, Jochem Christian Miller. As for us, we are all, thank God, well and hearty. Mother died on St. Gertrude's Day (Nov. 15th) 1763, and father one week before Shrove Tuesday of the present year, 1764. Eternal thanks be to the Almighty that He has relieved me of this burden, for which I have long sighed. Had he lived longer he would have reduced me to poverty. I never had any peace and was constantly obliged to resort to litigation with him so that I wished well nigh a thousand times that this might end. I could truly say, "father and mother have deserted me but the Lord careth for me." Unable to support myself any longer, I was constrained and compelled to sell my house and land and move to you in the new country. When the bargain was closed it was recorded by the baliff and then carried by him to the county judiciary at Ottweiler. It was reported to me that I would have to supplicate to my prince for a certificate of dismissal from his allegiance. Thus I had to have written a supplication to my most serene Prince and Lord. When therefore, I brought my application to the county judiciary he replied that I would not be permitted to leave the country but that the Prince had promised that the things should again improve in the land. He would recall all objectionable regulations. I, however, refused and entered into a disputation during which the judiciary said that if I should leave the country without securing a certificate of dismissal from the Prince, all my property would be confiscated and seized by the Prince, and the same thing would happen to my brother's possessions. Then I answered that the Prince could not confiscate my brother's possessions, because when he left those regulations were not in force. Now because of the great excitement everywhere about the "new country", no one is permitted to take even one Kroutser along. Not being permitted to take anything along, I was obliged to take charge again of my house and land, for I did not want to leave everything behind with wife and children for a strange land as Jacob did when he fled from his brother Esau, having nothing but a staff.

Dear brother, since the Prince is going to confiscate your inheritance I write you not to return on account of your inheritance. I beg of you, dear brother, to have the goodness at your first opportunity to write me or come yourself, that I may know what to do regarding your inheritance; whether you wish to give it to the Prince or give it to me. In the later case I would petition my most serene Prince and Lord accordingly.

Dear brother, please write me if I may still be able to secure a position where you are, and how one may get to your country. One is not able to take anything along, and it is well nigh impossible to live here. The Prince is very exacting - we have much compulsory service to render - every week, forced labor or help in the chase.

I have two-thirds of our estate, that is about 30 acres, for which I am obliged to pay annually to the Prince 18 to 19 Ruchstaller and five Gulden socage money. For two whole years we have had to survey the land (Lansmisseri). Our former system of taxation has been done away with. We now have the direct taxation and we are so over burdened that we find it difficult to exist. Our forest is gone - the Frankenholzer forest is cut down and turned into charcoal, the grove called Hoh-

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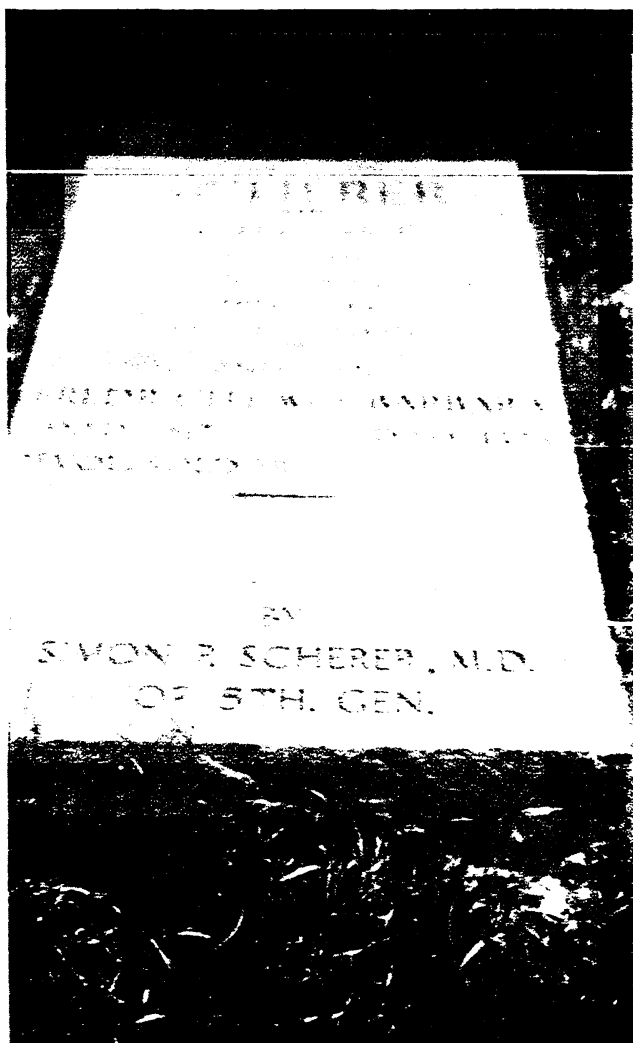
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wældchen is cut away and made into cord wood and sold to the surrounding villages. Thus we have nothing but fallow ground and plats of misfortune. Now I will write to you why we have had the lawsuit. Father, mother and our sister kept together and suppressed me because I did not give my consent that father bestowed so much on our sister, especially the dowry, while we have nothing. I reproached him about it, but the judiciary upheld his part, and said that he could do as he pleased with his things. Now I know nothing more to write you except that the peace of God which passeth all understanding keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus, our Lord, and the God of peace sanctify us through and through, and the God of peace keep us from this time forth to Eternity. I remain your faithful servant and dear brother, George Theobold Scherrer, unto death. We wish all a thousand times goodnight. Oberbetsbach, April 19th, 1764.

Your letter written to me I received Feb. 27th. Father was dead seven days when I received the letter. My letter was written to you April 19th, 1764, and I carried the letter to Zweibrucken to John Nicholas Hibner, who went to his brother at Krumbach, where George Hibner is staying with his father. Now I know nothing more to write at this time except the peace of God which passeth all understanding keep all our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus unto Eternal Life, Amen. We wish you all many thousand times good night. Unto God alone be the glory. The piece of money of which you wrote to me in your letter I have given to your God parents."

Ober-bets-bach does not show on present day maps, but the town of Ottweiler does. It lies in the Saar, about fifteen miles north and east of Saarbrucken. About nine miles southeast of Ottweiler is the town of Homburg, and by tradition among some of Conrad Goodner descendants he was born in Homburg, that being the seat of the family. Homburg also lies in the Saar. During the Napoleonic wars the town of Ottweiler was captured by the French and some of the old castles there were burned, and some of their occupants perished on the guillotine. There is a very good article on the Saar in the February, 1935, issue of National Geographic Magazine, although it does not mention Ober-bets-bach. This small village must have been very close, however, to Ottweiler, since the judiciary there had charge over Ober-bets-bach.

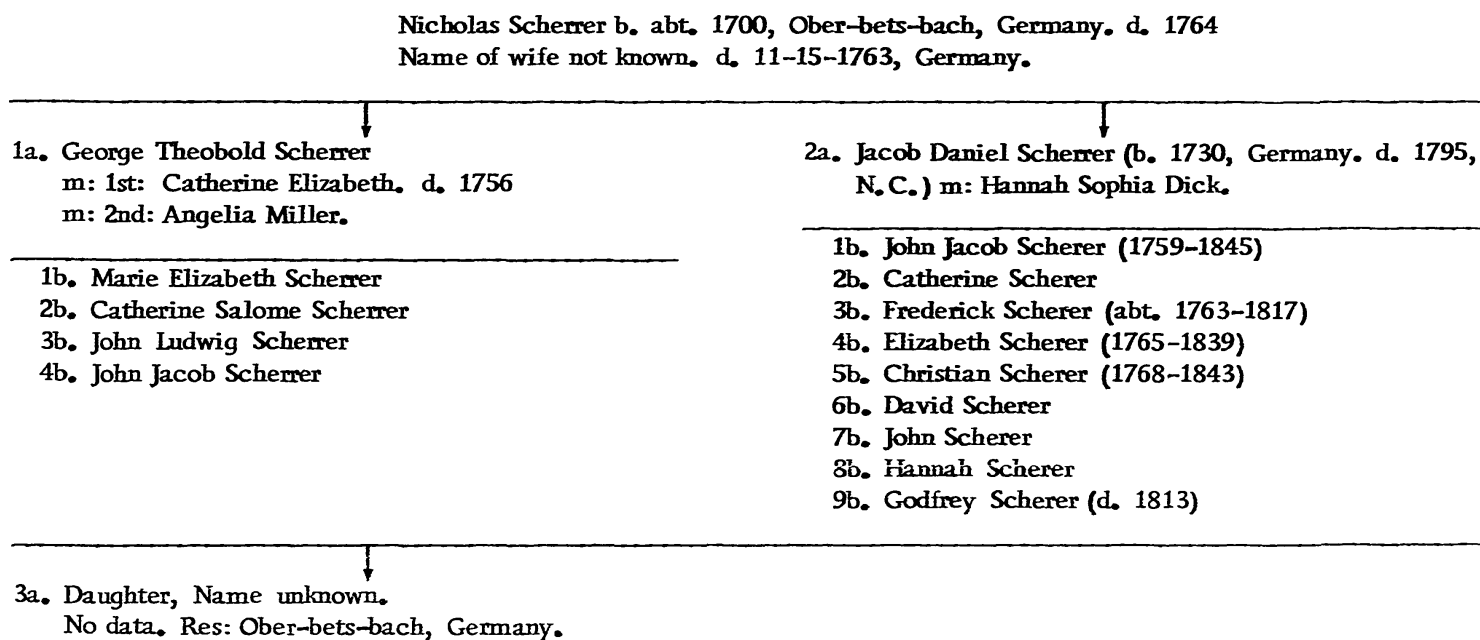


Two Views of the Stone Marker Over the Graves of Jacob Daniel Scherer and His Son, Frederick, and Wife, Barbara, Friedens Church, Guilford Co., N.C. The Author is Shown in the One Picture by the Grave Site.

Hannah Sophia, after the death of Jacob Daniel in 1795, continued to live on the farm of 195 acres until 1801, when she and sons, Jacob, Jr., and John, Christian, and David sold it to Henry Strader for the sum of \$600.00. Why the other children were not parties to the deed is not known. Hannah Sophia, soon after this, went to live with her daughter, Elizabeth Goodner

in Tennessee, and when they moved on to southern Illinois, it is thought that she accompanied them. It is known that she made her home with her son, Godfrey, until his death in 1813, unmarried. She then lived with her son, Christian, in Preble County, Ohio, and was still living with him at the time of her death at the very ripe old age of 95 years. At her request she was buried in one corner of his homestead. Her grave carries no marker. She was still living in 1825, but apparently died a few years later. Her great grandson, Rev. Ambrose H. Scherer, in his family record, stated: "Great Grand Mother, Hannah Sophia Scherer: birth place, Germany; descent, German; education, good German; occupation, housewifery; politics, Whig; religion, Lutheran; stature, portly; complexion, fair; health, very good; disease, old age; place of burial, Preble Co., Ohio; age 105 years; was left a widow in her old age. She, together with her sons and families, emigrated to the State of Ohio in the early history of that state. She was of the Dick family, - a highly respectable and intelligent family of Germany. Jacob Scherer, her grandson, was a Lutheran minister and all the other members of that family were members of that church". While this statement gives her age at time of death as 105 years, Mrs. Aaron Sherer, a daughter-in-law of Christian, shortly before her death before 1909, stated that she thought Hannah Sophia could not have been over age 95 at death, which appears to be about right.

The ancestral chart of the Scherrer family, as we have it, is as follows:--



While we are interested mainly in the descendants of Jacob Daniel and Hannah Sophia, one cannot help but ponder over the fate and fortunes of George Theobald and his descendants in the period of French occupation of the Sarr, beginning in the year 1793 and continuing for 15 years. George Theobald may have been deceased by then, but his children, and those of his sister, were undoubtedly still living in the area, with perhaps John Ludwig residing on the old home place.

So far as we have them, we will show on the following chart the descendants of Jacob Daniel and Hannah down to and including the fourth generation from them:--

1b. John Jacob Scherer, b. 9-14-1759, in Delaware, or Pennsylvania. d. 3-20-1845, Preble Co., Ohio. It is reported that he enlisted in the Continental Army in Berks Co., Pa., and that he served three or four tours. Farmer and hatter. Moved to Preble Co., Ohio, in 1806. Also preached in Lutheran Church, and made hats for the Quakers in the vicinity. Died at home of his daughter, Elizabeth (Mrs. Adam Miller), a mile west of New Hope, Preble Co., Ohio. m: Catherine Smith, 2-12-1782, Guilford Co., N.C., daughter of Andrew Smith of Guilford Co. Resided on farm on Reedy Fork Creek in Guilford County until removal to Ohio. Catherine died 12-17-1826, age 64 years and 2 months. Both interred in Scherer Cemetery located on the old home farm, later known as the Quill farm, Preble County, Ohio. Their issue was as follows:

Ch: 1c. David Scherer, b. 5-1-1782, Guilford Co., N.C. Believe this date is in error, and the year should be 1785, as records on file in Guilford Co., N.C., show that marriage occurred of his parents Feb. 12, 1782. d. 9-10-1857. Interred in Mount Hope Cemetery, Huntington, Ind. Farmer and Preacher. Licensed to preach in the German Reformed Church, in Baltimore, Md., 1823. Became pastor at Shanesville, Tuscarawas Co., Ohio, serving from 1827 to 1839. In 1840 removed to Huntington, Ind., and continued to farm and preach. m: Barbara La Rose, abt. 1803/4, dau. Rev. John Jacob La Rose, of French descent, who moved to Montgomery Co., Ohio, from North Carolina in 1804. Barbara died 7-8-1851.

Ch: 1d. Catherine Scherer. m: Mr. Gephart.
2d. Rachel Scherer. m: Mr. Shutt.
3d. David L. Scherer.
4d. Benjamin Scherer.
5d. Jacob Scherer.
6d. Elizabeth Scherer. m: Mr. Gephart.

- 2c. Anna Maria Sherer, b. 3-2-1786, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 4-3-1845. Interred in Bethel Cemetery, Clay Twp., Cass Co., Ind. m: Philip La Rose, son of Rev. John Jacob La Rose, and brother to Barbara, who married David Sherer. Resided in Montgomery Co. and Preble Co., Ohio and in Logansport, Ind. Philip d. 3-2-1871.
- Ch: 1d. Jacob S. La Rose, b. 3-18-1809, Montgomery Co., Ohio. d. 1812, Preble Co., Ohio.
 2d. Hannah S. La Rose, b. 4-11-1813, Died infancy.
 3d. Mary Ann S. La Rose, b. 11-29-1814. d. 10-24-1858.
 4d. Noah S. La Rose, b. 5-27-1817. d. 4-5-1886.
 5d. David S. La Rose, b. 9-24-1820. d. 2-26-1835.
 6d. Joshua S. La Rose, b. 10-31-1823.
 7d. John S. La Rose, b. 5-20-1826.
- 3c. Daniel Jacob Sherer, b. 5-19-1784, Guilford Co., N.C. d. June 1866, Edgar Co., Ill. Interred in Goshen Cemetery, near Grandview, Edgar Co., Ill. Moved to Ohio in 1806, and resided near Eaton in Preble Co.; removed to Edgar Co., Ill., in 1858. m: Catherine Yeazel. (d. 7-20-1870. Pike Co., Ill. Interred near Griggsville in Pike Co., Ill. Evidently was res. with one of her children at time of death. m: 3-24-1811, Preble Co., Ohio.
- Ch: 1d. Mary Sherer.
 2d. Levi Sherer.
 3d. Jacob Sherer.
 4d. Daniel Jackson Sherer.
 5d. Martin Sherer.
 6d. Catherine Sherer.
 7d. Susanna Sherer.
 8d. Elizabeth Sherer.
 9d. Polly Sherer.
 10d. Rachel Sherer.
 11d. Anna Sherer.
- 4c. Mary Barbara Sherer, b. 9-30-1788, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 9-25-1848, Preble Co., Ohio. m: John Spacht of Eaton, Preble Co., Ohio. (b. 10-17-1783, Pa., son of Anthony Spacht and wife, who was a Miss Marshall. Mary Barbara d. 9-25-1848. Member of "New Light" or Christian Church. Interred in "Spacht" Cemetery. Resided in Washington Twp. m: 3-10-1808, Preble Co., Ohio.
- Ch: 1d. Lucinda Spacht. m: Mr. Day. Resided in Preble Co., Ohio
 2d. Samuel Spacht.
 3d. Elizabeth Spacht.
 4d. Hannah Spacht.
 5d. John Spacht.
 6d. Isaac Spacht.
 7d. Jacob Spacht.
 8d. James M. Spacht.
 9d. Milton Spacht.
 10d. Child. d. infancy.
 11d. Child. d. infancy.
- 5c. Hannah Sherer, b. 12-7-1790, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 2-17-1818, Preble Co., Ohio. Interment in Sherer Cemetery, Washington Twp., Preble Co., Ohio. m: Lewis La Rose, son of Rev. John Jacob La Rose. He was born 2-22-1786. d. 1850. Interment in Lutheran Cemetery, West Alexandria, Preble Co., Ohio.
- Ch: 1d. Samuel La Rose
 2d. Sarah La Rose
 3d. Lewis La Rose, Jr.
- 6c. Salome Sherer, b. abt. 1792, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1860, supposedly in Iowa. m: Daniel Whitesell. No further data.
- 7c. Rachel Sherer, b. abt. 1795, Guilford Co., N.C. d. age 18. Interment Sherer Cemetery, Preble Co., O. Single.
- 8c. Elizabeth Sherer, b. 1-7-1803, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 5-1-1868, Buchanan Co., Iowa. m: Adam Miller, 1821/2, son of John Adam and Catherine Miller, and born 3-17-1797, Rockingham Co., Va. Resided in Warren Co. and Preble Co., Ohio; in 1859, moved to Buchanan Co., Iowa.
- Ch: 1d. Sarah Miller, b. 9-29-1823, Warren Co., Ohio, d. 5-20-1892, Iowa.
 2d. Cornelius Miller, b. 3-20-1825, Warren Co., Ohio. d. May 1895, Iowa.
 3d. Adam Miller, b. 9-16-1826, Warren Co., Ohio. d. 1895, Wooster, Ohio.
 4d. John A. Miller, b. 7-26-1828, Warren Co., Ohio. d. Sept. 1857, Ohio
 5d. David Miller, b. 4-8-1831, Preble Co., Ohio. d. 1-7-1909, Oregon.
 6d. Samuel Miller, b. 5-23-1833, Preble Co., Ohio. Living in 1909 in Independence, Iowa.
 7d. Mary Elizabeth Miller, b. 3-13-1838, Preble Co., Ohio. d. 5-17-1908, Gales Creek, Oregon.
- 9c. Jesse Sherer, b. abt. 1804/5, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1888. Interred in Sherer Cemetery, located on the old Sherer homestead, known later as the "Quill" farm, Preble Co., Ohio, five miles northwest of Eaton. Lutheran, member of the old Zion Lutheran Church, located five miles north of Eaton on the Greenville Pike. Farmer. m: Mary Strader, abt. 1820/2, Preble Co., Ohio. Dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth Strader who came from Guilford Co., N.C. to Preble Co., Ohio, in 1809. To this union were born thirteen children; we have

the names of only six.

- Ch: 1d. Jacob Scherer, b. 9-7-1825. d. 4-20-1902.
 2d. Elizabeth Scherer, b. 8-15-1831. m: Mr. Irick.
 3d. David Scherer, b. 1838.
 4d. Amanda Scherer, b. 8-28-1840. d. 10-7-1901. m: Mr. Harshman.
 5d. Jesse Scherer, Jr., b. 1841. d. 7-7-1909.
 6d. Mary Jane Scherer. m: Mr. Pense.
 (Judge Paul Scherer of Dayton, Ohio, Hugh A. Scherer of Columbus, Ohio, b. 1901, and Grace Scherer Brower Mitchell of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., are of this line.)
- 2b. Catherine Scherer, b. abt. 1760, possibly in Pennsylvania. m: John Jordan in Guilford County, N.C., reportedly born in Germany, and to have taken part in the Revolutionary War. Resided for a time in Guilford County, and then migrated to Sullivan Co., Tenn., where they were living in 1800. From there they moved to Knox Co., and then to Blount, apparently residing near the county line between the two. Most of their children resided near the Salem Church in Knox County, a few miles from Knoxville.
- Ch: 1c. Sophia Jordan. No record.
 2c. Lydia Jordan. m: Mr. Tracener. No further record.
 3c. Catherine Jordan. m: Daniel Hommel. Lived and died in Knox Co., Tenn.
- Ch: 1d. Henry Hommel
 2d. John Hommel
 3d. Abraham Hommel
 4d. Margaret Hommel
 5d. Catherine Hommel
 6d. Mary Elizabeth Hommel
 7d. Malinda Hommel
 8d. Rebecca Hommel
 9d. Daniel C. Hommel, b. 11-6-1830.
 10d. Elcany Hommel
 11d. Helen Hommel
 12d. Amanda Hommel
- 4c. Elizabeth Jordan. m: Joseph Goddard. Resided near the county line between Knox and Blount Counties.
- Ch: 1d. John Goddard, b. 5-6-1805.
 2d. Joseph Goddard, Jr., b. 9-11-1806.
 3d. Catherine Goddard, b. 10-11-1808.
 4d. Samuel Goddard, b. 9-19-1810.
 5d. William Goddard, b. 8-13-1812.
 6d. Elizabeth Goddard, b. 8-14-1814.
 7d. David Goddard, b. 8-24-1816.
 8d. Polly Goddard.
 9d. Andrew Goddard, b. 1823.
- 5c. Hannah Jordan. m: John Giffin. Resided at various times in Knox and Blount Counties, Tenn.
- Ch: 1d. Hazel Giffin
 2d. Mariah Giffin
 3d. Bartley Giffin
 4d. John Clayborne Giffin
 5d. Pryor Lee Giffin
 6d. Catherine Giffin
 7d. Holston Giffin
- 6c. John Jordan. m: Martha Gound.
- Ch: 1d. Thomas Jordan
 2d. William Jordan
 3d. Daniel Jordan
 4d. Bunnell Jordan
 5d. Catherine Jordan
 6d. Henrietta Jordan
 7d. Amanda Jordan
 8d. Alzena Jordan, b. 12-6-1832.
- 3b. Frederick Scherer (Scherer), b. 1763, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1817, Guilford Co., N.C. Farmer and manufacturer of hats. Resided on farm on Rock Creek, Guilford Co., N.C. a few miles north of Gibsonville. m: Barbara Smith, abt. 1783, Guilford Co., dau. Andrew Smith. Died 1824. Both interred in Friedens Church Cemetery, two miles north of Gibsonville. Lutherans. Private in North Carolina Line, 1st Reg. Enlisted in 1782 in Capt. Raifords' Company and served for 18 months. To this union was born:
- Ch: 1c. Jacob Scherer, b. 2-7-1785, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 3-2-1860, near Columbus, Texas. Lutheran Minister, and farmer. Preached in both the German and English languages. Traveled extensively, on one trip making 1600 miles by horseback to Ohio, Indiana, and Tennessee. Preached the first sermon in Dayton, Ohio, in the German language. Was minister of churches in Guilford, Orange, and Lincoln Counties, North Carolina, in Wythe Co., Va., and near Columbus, Texas. His farm in Guilford Co., North Carolina, was located

- south of Givsonville. The Whitsett Institute is located on his home place. m: 1st: Elizabeth Moser, 5-14-1810, Orange Co., N.C. At her death, he married a widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Spoon, nee Grieson, or Greeson, a woman much younger than he. It is not known, except for the first two, which children were born to which wife. Three of his sons, Gideon, Simeon, and John Jacob, became ministers. In the publication, "Who's Who in America", 1930, it gives the genealogy of James Augustin Brown Sherer, a grandson, and here we learn that Simeon was born of Elizabeth Moser, which is evidence that at least four of the children were by her. Issue of Jacob is as follows:- (Note fac-simile of old letter)
- Ch: 1d. Gideon Sherer, b. abt. 1811/12, Guilford Co., N.C. Became a Minister.
 2d. Lee Sherer, b. abt. 1813, Guilford Co., N.C.
 3d. Rachael Sherer, b. abt. 1815, Guilford Co., N.C.
 4d. Simeon Scherer, b. 1819, Guilford Co., N.C. d. 1876. Lutheran Minister at Rowan Co., N.C. Was interred at Friedens Church Cemetery, located two miles north of Gibsonville, Guilford Co., N.C. m: 1st: Mary A. Davis. m: 2nd: Sarah A. J. Roseman. m: 3rd: Harriett Isabelle James, nee Brown, a widow, born 1828. died 1902. Issue by 2nd and 3rd marriage.
- Ch: 1e. M. Gideon G. Scherer, b. 3-16-1861. Minister Lutheran Church. m: Miss Ehrman of Va., 1886. Resided at 129 Corning St., Charleston, S.C. Sec'y The United Lutheran Church of America. Later office at 39 E. 35th St., New York, New York.
 Ch: 1f. Child. Died infancy.
 2f. Child. Died infancy.
 3f. Paul Ehrman Scherer, b. 6-22-1906.
 2e. James Augustin Brown Scherer, b. 5-22-1870, Salisbury, N.C. Named after the well known Lutheran Minister. Listed in the 1930 edition of "Who's Who in America". Resided 1930 at 2175 Green St., San Francisco, Calif. Married. Director of the Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, Calif.
 Ch: 1f. Paul Armand Scherer, Res: 1930: Rogue Farm, Central Point, Oregon.
- 5d. Michael Moser Sherer
 6d. Mary Ann Sherer
 7d. Elizabeth Caroline Sherer
 8d. John Jacob Sherer. Lutheran Minister.
 9d. Catherine Sherer.
 10d. Luther Sherer
 11d. Daniel Sherer
 12d. Amelia Sherer
- 2c. Andrew Sherer, b. abt. 1787, Guilford Co., N.C. m: 1st: Eva Moser, dau. of Michael, and sister to Elizabeth, who married his brother Jacob. His two children were by her. At her death he married a Miss or Mrs. Lovy. No children by second marriage.
 Ch: 1d. Levina Sherer, b. 2-22-1812, Guilford Co., N.C.
 2d. Delphina Sherer, b. 9-8-1817, Guilford Co., N.C.
- 3c. Frederick Sherer, Jr., abt. 1788/9, Guilford Co., N.C. m: Margaret ("Peggy") Clapp, 1-24-1811, Orange Co., N.C., Daniel Moser, Surety. (Dau. Barney Clapp.)
 Ch: 1d. Nellie Sherer, b. 10-16-1811.
 2d. Sarah Sherer, b. 1-12-1813.
 3d. Barnhart Sherer, b. 2-11-1814.
 4d. Daniel Sherer, b. 9-7-1815.
 5d. Joanna Sherer, b. 11-13-1816.
 6d. Tallitha Sherer, b. 3-22-1818.
 7d. Jacob Sherer, b. 4-7-1819.
 8d. Ralph Sherer, b. 9-9-1820.
 9d. Frederick Sherer (III), b. 2-22-1822.
 10d. Simeon Sherer, b. 2-19-1825.
 11d. Peggy Ann Sherer, b. 6-24-1826.
 12d. James Smith Sherer, b. 9-23-1827.
 13d. Polly Minerva Sherer, b. 5-13-1829.
 14d. Mary Emily Sherer, b. 5-8-1831.
 15d. David Sherer, b. 10-13-1832.
 16d. Judy Caroline Sherer, b. 12-27-1832.
- 4c. Daniel Sherer, b. abt. 1790/2, Guilford Co., N.C. m: Rachel Kaempffer, abt. 1815.
 Ch: 1d. Jacob Sherer, b. 11-25-1816.
 2d. Helena Sherer, b. 10-8-1818.
 3d. John F. Sherer, b. 7-25-1820.
 4d. Susannah Sherer, b. 8-2-1822.
 5d. Louisa R. Sherer, b. 4-1-1825.
 6d. Peggy M. Sherer, b. 2-2-1828.
 7d. Daniel M. Sherer, b. 5-3-1830.
 8d. Sophia L. Sherer, b. 10-27-1832.
 9d. Rebecca A. Sherer, b. 5-31-1834.

- 10d. Julia Sherer, b. 8-3-1836.
 11d. Sarah A. M. Sherer, b. 4-27-1839.
 12d. Martin Luther Sherer, b. 2-8-1842
- 5c. Susanna Sherer, * b. abt. 1792/3, Guilford Co., N. C. Died Single.
 6c. Hannah Sophia Sherer, b. abt. 1794, Guilford Co., N. C. m: John Rivers.
 Ch: 1d. Elizabeth Rivers
 2d. Barbara Rivers
 3d. Jonas Rivers
 4d. Nancy Rivers
 5d. Rebecca Rivers
 6d. John Rivers, Jr.
 7d. Eli Sherer Rivers) Twins.
 8d. Elijah Roberson Rivers)
 9d. Rachel Rivers
 10d. Catherine Rivers
 11d. Eliza Rivers
- 7c. John Sherer, b. abt. 1794, Guilford Co., N. C. m: Margaret Reitzel
 Ch: 1d. Matilda Sherer
 2d. Ambrose H. Sherer
 3d. Benjamin Franklin Sherer, Married.
 Ch: 1e. A. T. Scherer, (The spelling he adopted). Publisher of the Scherrer Family Genealogical Journals. Resided in 1910 at 648 Holly Ave., Indianapolis, Ind. Died shortly after 1910. Believed he left no issue.
 4d. Sarah Catherine Sherer
 5d. Matthew E. Sherer
 6d. Luther Sherer
 7d. Margaret C. Sherer
 8d. Hannah Sophia Sherer
 9d. John B. Sherer
 10d. Loammi Sherer
 11d. Philip Melancthon Sherer
 John Sherer m: 2nd: Susan Robinson.
 12d. Daniel D. Sherer
 13d. Josephus Sherer
 14d. Loephus Trester Sherer
 15d. Lora Sherer
 16d. Robert Sherer
 17d. Laura Sherer
- 8c. David Sherer, b. abt. 1796, Guilford Co., N. C. Name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1d. Jacob Sherer
 2d. Manuel Sherer
 3d. John Sherer
 4d. David Sherer
 5d. Joseph Sherer
 6d. William Sherer
 7d. George Sherer
 8d. Jane Sherer
 9d. Margaret Sherer
 10d. Elizabeth Sherer
 11d. Matilda Sherer
 12d. Mary Sherer
- 9c. Nancy Sherer, b. abt. 1798, Guilford Co., N. C. m: Frederick Suits
 Ch: 1d. Eli Suits
 2d. Jacob Suits
 3d. Rhoda Suits
 4d. Doskey Suits
 5d. Gideon Suits
 6d. James Suits
- 10c. Eli Sherer, b. abt. 1800, Guilford Co., N. C. m: 1st: Miss Duke.
 Ch: 1d. Milas Sherer
 2d. Thomas Sherer
 3d. Eli Sherer, Jr.
 4d. John Jacob Sherer
 5d. Rufus Sherer
 6d. Catherine Sherer

* Probably same as Barbara.

7d. Sophia Sherer

Eli Sherer m: 2nd: Lovina Cress.

8d. Child. Died at birth.

- 4b. Elizabeth Scherrer, b. 6-25-1765, Guilford Co., N. C. d. Washington Co., Ill., 4-12-1839. m: Conrad Goodner, 1782, Guilford Co., N. C. Removed to Sullivan Co., Tenn., before 1790, and from there about 1804 to Smith Co., Tenn., and in 1811 or 1812 to Johnson Co., Ill. Territory. A few years later settled permanently in St. Clair Co., Ill. Both died at the home of their son, Elijah, in Washington Co., Ill., and were buried a few miles south of Nashville, Ill.

- Ch: 1c. John Goodner, b. 12-17-1783, St. Clair Co., Ill. d. 1-1-1861, Bradley Co., Tenn.
 2c. Sally Goodner, b. 5-21-1786, Guilford Co., N. C. d. 1-27-1872, Tenn.
 3c. David Goodner, b. 10-26-1788, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. Nov. 1848, Madison Co., Ala.
 4c. Jacob Goodner, b. 7-3-1790, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 6-18-1869, Washington Co., Ill.
 5c. James Goodner, b. 2-6-1792, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 2-3-1883, near Nashville, Tenn.
 6c. Jane A. Goodner, b. 1-9-1794, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. Washington Co., Ill.
 7c. Benjamin Goodner, b. 6-4-1795, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 12-12-1863, St. Clair Co., Ill.
 8c. Godfrey Goodner, b. 2-10-1798, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 1860, St. Francis Co., Ark.
 9c. Francis Acuff Goodner, b. 12-26-1799, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. Feb. 1853, Washington Co., Ill.
 10c. Hannah Granade Goodner, b. 2-7-1801. Never married. d. 1819.
 11c. Elijah Goodner, b. 1-27-1804, Sullivan Co., Tenn. d. 3-2-1892, Washington Co., Ill.
 12c. Elizabeth Goodner, b. 6-11-1806, Smith Co., Tenn. d. 1839 or 1843, Washington Co., Ill.
 (For the complete record of Elizabeth, see chapter on Conrad Goodner)

- 5b. Christian Sherer, b. 5-6-1768, Guilford Co., N. C. d. 11-19-1843, Preble Co., Ohio. m: Nellie -----, Guilford Co., N. C. Moved to Preble Co., Ohio, between the years 1801 and 1814. Possibly moved when others did in 1806. Farmer, Lutheran. Resided near the town of Gratis, on the county line between Preble and Butler Counties. Nellie, his wife, died previous to 1819, for on June 1819, he married again, a Mrs. Sarah Wilson, whose maiden name was Lyon. It was her third marriage, her first was to a Mr. Taylor, by whom she had a dau., Jane. All of Christian's children were by Nellie, except Hannah, who was by Sarah. Besides farming, Christian also preached the gospel. He was interred in the cemetery of the United Brethern Church of Somerville, Butler Co., Ohio, of which he had been pastor. Sarah, his wife, died 6-4-1854.

- Ch: 1c. John Sherer. Married and moved to Ill., on the Vermilion River. Possibly in Vermilion or Edgar County.
 2c. David Sherer. Married, and moved to Ill., along with John.
 3c. Aaron Sherer, b. abt. 1810. m: Jane Wilson, 3-20-1831, Preble Co., Ohio. Resided about 17 miles from Gratis, Ohio. Both Aaron and wife are buried in the cemetery at the United Brethern Church at Sommerville, Ohio, in Butler Co.
 4c. Solomon Sherer. Moved in older age to Calif. d. Honey Lake Valley, Calif. age over 80 years. m: Mary Geeding, 12-10-1826, Preble Co., Ohio. Moved to Lee County, Iowa, and lived for years near Keokuk. A cousin described him as "one of the humblest, purest and best of Christian gentlemen, one of the salt of the earth". Mrs. Sherer was called "Aunt Mariah"; she was a skilled weaver and excelled in handiwork and in the making and finishing of clothes. She kept her whole family well supplied. Solomon was a farmer. The following list of the children may not be complete and are not necessarily given in relation to date of birth.

- Ch: 1d. Manassah Sherer. Moved to western Iowa, perhaps Madison Co.
 2d. Josiah Sherer. Reported to have gone to California.
 3d. Sino Sherer.
 4d. Harmon Sherer
 5d. Matilda Sherer
 6d. Medina Sherer, m: Mr. Pitts. As a widow lived in Keokuk, Iowa.
 7d. Sarah Sherer
 8d. Harriett Sherer

- 6b. David Sherer, b. abt. 1770, Guilford Co., N. C. m: Esther Bowman. Moved to Johnson Co., Ill., and lived out his time there farming. Interred near Vienna, Ill. d. 1839-1845. The names of their children following may not be given in their order of birth.

- Ch: 1c. John Sherer, m: Tempy Johnson. John d. abt. 1846. Interred near Vienna, Ill.
 Ch: 1d. David E. Sherer, m: Maggie. David d. 6-14-1887. *(See note on following page.)
 2d. Green Sherer
 3d. James Sherer. Never had a family. Served in the Union Forces during the Civil War and died while a prisoner at Anderson Prison.
 4d. Perry Sherer. Married. name of wife not known.
 Ch: 1e. Son. Died somewhat early.
 2e. Edgar Sherer. Resided in Mound City, Pulaski Co., Ill.
 3e. Bud Sherer. Resided in Mound City, Pulaski Co., Ill.
 5d. Malissa Sherer, m: Mr. Davis.
 2c. David Sherer, Jr., m: Elizabeth Diel. Resided in Vienna, Ill.
 3c. James Sheerer, m: Catherine Resinkooper. (adopted this spelling.)
 Ch: 1d. Joel Sheerer. Resided in Patterson, Mo.
 2d. John Sheerer. Resided in Patterson, Mo.
 3d. Daughter, m: Francis Davis. Resided in Fredericktown, Mo.

- 4c. Zawpy Sheerer, m: John Whitesides
 5c. Hetty Sheerer, m: 1st: Mr. McHenry. Had several children. m: 2nd: Samuel Vaughn.
 6c. Elizabeth Sheerer, m: Jackson Simpson.
 7c. Jane Sheerer, m: Thomas Johnson.
 8c. Mary Sheerer, m: Dennis Clay. No issue.

(* David E. Sherer (Sheerer) m: Maggie -----. Was in the Dry Good business in Vienna, Ill. He was a cripple, caused by an injury while a boy. He was breaking in a team of oxen, when the cart struck a root, throwing him from the seat. His hip struck a stump, causing a white swelling, confining him to his bed for five years. In healing it left one leg shorter than the other. Among their children were Dr. Walter W. Sheerer of New Burnside, Ill., and J. C. Sheerer of 809 Choctaw St., El Reno, Okla.)

- 7b. John Sherer, or Sheerer. Married and lived in Johnson Co., Ill., for a time, and is reported to have gone from there to the Red River country in Texas. He is supposed to have raised a family.
 8b. Godfrey Sherer, b. abt. 1775. Moved to Ill. and established a home there close by to where his sister, Elizabeth Goodner, lived at the time, which was in Johnson Co., Ill. He never married; the mother, Hannah Sophia, lived with him. He died 1813. Place of burial must have been Johnson Co., Ill.

(This information on the Scherer family is taken in most part from the Scherrer Family Genealogical Journals, published by A. T. Scherer of Indianapolis, Ind., in 1909 and 1910. These appeared in four numbers. The sudden death of Mr. Scherer about 1911 prevented additional volumes from being printed.)

- 9b. Hannah Sherer, b. abt. 1777/8, Guilford Co., N. C. m: 12-19-1797, Guilford Co., N. C., David Tade, traditionally of Holland Dutch stock, b. abt. 1770. From N. C. Lived in Tenn. and Ky.; crossed into Ill. Territory at Shawneetown in 1808, and moved on to what is now Jefferson Co., residing in Mt. Vernon. Tade held a Commission from the Gov. of Ill. in the Black Hawk War. He remained in Jefferson Co. until 1825 or so, and then moved on to Tazewell Co., in the north-central part of the State, where he remained a while, and then moved on to Iowa, settling in Bentonsport. Here he became the first Justice of the Peace and built the first frame house. David Tade died at the very ripe old age of 93, which would make the approximate year of death 1863. He was buried in a cemetery in Bentonsport alongside his wife, who had died previously. To this union were born ten children.
 Ch: 1c. Sophia Tade, b. abt. 1798, in Ky. m: William Finch, Jefferson Co., Ill., Resided in Jefferson Co. the balance of their lives. Have record of one child.
 Ch: 1d. Sarah Finch, b. 1824, Jefferson Co., Ill. m: Daniel Edward Lynch, 11-13-1859, Jefferson Co., Ill. Sarah was still living in 1908, age 84, in Evansville, Ind. Husband was deceased.
 2c. Celia Tade, b. abt. 1800, in Ky. m: 1st: Mr. Hanna, m: 2nd: Mr. Farley. Probably first marriage occurred in Jefferson Co., Ill. Moved to Oregon after her second marriage, and remained there the balance of her life.
 Ch: 1d. D. B. Hanna.
 2d. Silas Farley)
 3d. David Farley) All resided in Oregon.
 4d. John Tade Farley)
 3c. Polly Tade, b. abt. 1802, in Ky. m: Mr. Farley, probably a brother to Celia's husband. Nothing more known except that she died in San Diego, Calif.
 4c. John Tade, b. 5-4-1804, Ky. d. 1890, Decatur Co., Kansas. m: Martha E. Davis, Jefferson Co., Ill., dau. of James E. Davis, a Cumberland Presbyterian Minister. Nine of their twelve children lived to maturity.
 Ch: 1d. James Alfred Tade, b. probably in Jefferson Co., Ill. Served in Union Army. Moved to Iowa and resided near Harrisburg, Van Buren Co.
 2d. George W. Tade, Moved to Iowa with parents, and made his home near Harrisburg.
 3d. John David Tade. Reported to have been born in Tenn., and to have died near Knoxville and buried there. At one time was County Treasurer of Oberlin County, Kansas.
 4d. Rev. Ewing Ogden Tade, b. 6-28-1828, Jefferson Co., Ill., in Mt. Vernon, Was for 40 years a minister in the Congregational Church, and for a time was also a professor of mathematics and Superintendant of the City and County schools. Was for two years a Chaplain in the Union Army. In 1907 was a resident of La Jolla, Calif. His son, at the time, was in the Treasury Department in Washington, D. C., and a dau. was living in Fresno, Calif. Neither of their names are known.
 5d. Benjamin Franklin Tade, b. abt. 1830. Resided in 1907 in Sacramento, Calif. Have record of one son.
 Ch: 1e. Frank Tade, Professor. Resided in Sacramento, Calif.
 6d. Capt. William Anderson Tade, b. 1842. Name of wife not known. Served 5 years in Union Army, being discharged with rank of Captain. Was a member of the 23rd General Assembly in the Iowa Legislature. Lost his right arm after the war. Resided in Hillsboro, Iowa. Baptist.
 7d. Susan Tade, m: Mr. Marshall. Resided in Kansas City, Kansas.
 8d. Daughter, m: L. T. Davidson. Resided in Hillsboro, Iowa.
 9d. Mary Tade, m: G. K. Dewey. Resided in Dawson, Nebraska.
 5c. Elizabeth Tade, Interred in Tazewell Co., Ill. Evidently single.
 6c. Eliza Tade, Died and interred in Tazewell Co., Ill. Single.
 7c. Susan Tade, b. abt. 1810. m: Mr. Estes. Resided in Oregon. Interred in Drain Center, Oregon.

- Ch: 1d. Ed. Augustus Estes. Resided in Oregon.
 2d. George Estes. Resided in Oregon.
- 8c. William Anderson Tade. Was one of the early gold seekers in the famous Calif. Gold Rush. Died 1851 in or near Auburn, Placer Co., Calif. No heirs.
- 9c. Delinda Tade. Interred in Bentonsport, Iowa. Evidently never married.
- 10c. Lucinda Tade. b. abt. 1814/5. m: Simpson Snapp. Interred in Ft. Madison, Iowa.
- Ch: 1d. David Snapp. Resided in Carson, Iowa.
 2d. Ed. Snapp. Resided in Macedonia, Iowa.
 3d. George Snapp. Resided in Macedonia, Iowa.

(From the "Surnames of Scotland", 1946, New York Public Library, we find that the name of Sherer, Shearer, Shearar, derives from the medieval English "scherare", meaning one who dresses the pile of cloth, a shearer; in Latin, charters rendered cissor, or scissore. The first appearance of record of the name in Scotland is the year 1464, when the name appeared as Scherer. It again appeared in documents in 1612 as Sherer. Many families from Scotland fled from their native country during the religious persecutions there and went to Holland, and thence to Germany. Our family of Scherer may have been one of these families, as might also have been the family of Dick, which is also a Scotch name.)

Some Dick Immigrants from Germany, taken from "Pennsylvania German Pioneers", by Strassburger-Hinke.

Petter Dick. Ship Phoenix. Capt. John Spurrier. Took usual Qualification before Mayor of Philadelphia, Oct. 1, 1754. From Rotterdam, last from Cowes. 11 Roman "Catholicks", 25 Menonists. Swissers-300 Souls, 554 Freights. From Franconia, Palatanite, Zweybreck. (Vol. 1, Page 633.)

Peter Dick. List 233 A. Ship "Two Brothers". Thomas Arnot, Master. From Rotterdam, - from the Electorate Palatine and Triers, Hapsburg. 1754.

Philip Dick. List 149C. Aug. 15, 1750. Took Qualification before Mayor of Philadelphia. Ship "Royal Union". Clement Johann Peter Nicholson, Commander. From Rotterdam, last from Portsmouth in England. 350 Whole Freight, 500 Souls. Dick.

Friderick Dick. List 132C. Took Qualification at Court House, Philadelphia, 1749, 15th^{ber} Ship "Edinburg", James Russell, Master. From Rotterdam, last from Portsmouth. 360 Whole Freights from the Palatanite.

George Dick. (H.D.) List 157C. Took Qualification, Philadelphia, Sept. 29, 1750, Mayor Thomas Lawrence, Esq. Ship "Osgood". Capt. William Wilkie, Master. From Rotterdam, last from Cowes. Persons 486.

Jacob Dick. List 158C. Took Qualifications 8^{ber} 17, 1750, Philadelphia. Brigantine
 Nicklas Dick. "Sally". Capt. William Hassleton. From City of London.

Doctor Elisha Cullen Dick, a Quaker, and obviously of German extration, moved from Philadelphia to Alexandria, Virginia, sometime prior to the year 1783. He was one of the organizers of the first Masonic Lodge No. 39, and served as Secretary of the first meeting of that Lodge, Feb. 25th, 1783, and was the last Worshipful Master under the Pennsylvania jurisdiction. In 1789, Dick succeeded General Washington as Worshipful Master of the Masonic Lodge No. 22, and as such laid the corner stone of the District of Columbia in 1791. With his Lodge as Escort of Honor, he accompanied General Washington and assisted in laying the corner stone of the National Capital in 1793. He was one of the physicians beside Washington's bedside when he died, and opposed at the time the blood letting of Washington which so weakened him and hastened his death. He was over-ruled by the other and older physicians. He presided at the funeral Lodge called Dec. 16th, 1799, and was a member of the Committee on Arrangements incidental to the burial ceremonies. He also performed the Masonic services at the funeral, Dec. 18, 1799. Dick's silk Masonic apron, worn at the funeral of Washington, his medicine scales, and some of his medical books are now the valuable possessions of the Lodge of which he was Master. He died in 1828, and was buried in the Quaker Cemetery on Queen Street, Alexandria, Va. (From a pamphlet entitled "A Memorial to Washington, the Mason", by the Alexander Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. and A. M.)

Since it is evident that the Dick family of which Dr. Dick was a member was of German extraction, and who were residents of Philadelphia, the thought is an interesting one that his family might have been connected with the family of Hannah Sophia Dick, wife of Jacob Daniel Scherrer. I doubt if the relationship was a close one, otherwise such a close friendship by a member of the family with so famous a person as Washington would not have gone unnoticed or unsung in the Scherrer

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Following is a fac-simile of a letter of Rev. Jacob Sherer in the 1813, and sent by a Mr. Waggoner to Conrad Goodner, John and David Sherer, in Johnson Co., Ill., a most historic document.

The Oil of Grace on them. for what will
 the empty lamps of profession profit us?
 Nothing. Let us also guard against that Un-
 Christian Spirit that has at this time creep
 into the Church, I mean taking our own
 affections & the workings of Nature for
 the work of the holy Spirit. I think
 much of the Bodily exercise & the confu-
 sions in Congregations which has all been de-
 scribed to the good Spirit by many of late
 years has been & is delusion. The Apo. Paul
 says: Bodily exercise profiteth little, but god-
 liness is profitable to all things. & hath the pro-
 mise of this life & the life to come; An Evange-
 lical love to God & man, Meekness, humility
 & patience in all manner of sufferings are
 the things which adorn the Christian Religion.
 I have but little expectation that we shall see
 another in this world — let us through the grace of
 God to make sure work for Clarity, that
 we may meet each other at the right hand of
 Christ where only those will appear who had
 in this world that Faith which worketh by
 Love, which hath good works, Math. 25.
 Let us always be led by the Spirit with the word of God
 let us receive nothing new and unscriptural
 let us prove our Ideas with the same & let us
 nourish our Children with it. let us instruct
 them well in the fundamental Doctrines of Re-
 ligion that they may be able to distinguish

truth from error — for unless this is
 done now will they be able to do so. we are
 living in a critical time, both as it relates
 to Civil & Religious matters. Let us see
 the Signs of the time, and prepare for trials
 let us through Gods Grace become & remain
 Publicans, Beggars at the Throne of Grace; our
 infirmities must not keep us from Christ
 but drive us to him at all times — for we
 are & will be poor Sinners in this world, whe-
 ther we see & feel it or not, it is a Scripture
 truth to which all true Christians can & will
 witness with Paul, Rom. 7.
 Last Spring I traveled three months as Mis-
 sionary Preacher; I went as far as in the State
 of Ohio and saw our Friends there in good State
 of health; I stayed but 10 days among them.
 Uncle Christian still preaches the Gospel; they
 appear to be satisfied & wish to hear from
 you. This day after Preaching I wrote a
 letter to them; as a Neighbour of mine will start
 in the morning for the Settlement where
 they live, namely, Prebble County near
Cater Post Office. I informed them in my
 letter of what I had heard of you. Our wheat
 is but sorry & Corn not very good, yet
 I hope we shall have enough to do us.
 M. Try to write to us often by the mail if
 you can or any way — inform^{me} in your
 first letter how to direct my letters to you.

Letters to me must be directed as follows
 Jacob Scherer — Post Office
Office Guilford County N. C.
 NB. This letter is to be sent to all our friends
 in your Parts. Pardon my boldness; remember
 me in your Prayers & send letters to me.
 Father & Mother gives their best Compliments
 to you all — so do I & mine. Wrote in haste
 by your unworthy Friends & loving Nephew
 Jacob Scherer

Mr. Conrad Good
 David & John Scherer

family traditions. However, in those days it was easy to lose contacts with cousins.

Rachel Ann Harper, wife of Kenneth P. Schinstine, died from the effects of childbirth, March 7, 1960. Interred in the Air Force Academy Cemetery, Colorado Springs, Colo. The child survived, - Karen Elaine Schinstine, b. 3-6-1960. Both children are living with their grandmother Schinstine in Easton, Pa. (Page 156)

Jeri Lane Robinson, daughter of William H. and Wilma Robinson, was born 7-21-1959 in Columbus, Ga. Mr. Robinson has returned to this country from Germany, is in the Armed Forces, and making that his career. (John Goodner, Page 141)

Daniel Wesley Robinson, Sgt. in U. S. Army, married Annette Neuman, 8-8-1959, in St. Michel's Church at Schwabisch Hill-Hassental, Breitackerweg, Germany. She is the daughter of Mrs. Johanna Neuman of that city and the late Herr Neuman. (John Goodner, Page 142)

Ida Robinson Adamson died in San Antonio, Texas, and was interred in Portland, Tenn., Wilson County. Oscar Adamson, her son, who preceded her in death by a few weeks, was also interred in Portland, Tenn. (John Goodner, Page 143)

Martha Goodner York. Subsequent to the completion of the manuscript, some additional information was obtained from census records in Washington, and we now have a list of Martha's children as shown in the 1860 census returns. The name of her husband does not show, indicating that he was deceased by then, and as the year of birth of the last child was 1852, indications are that he died shortly after that year. Living with Martha was her father, John Goodner, whose age was given as 78. The names of the children as given are as follows:- Their place of residence was Bradley Co., Tenn.

1e. Caroline York, b. 1846

3e. Lotty York, b. 1850

2e. Nancy York, b. 1848

4e. Martha York, b. 1852

(John Goodner, Page 167)

Andrew Jackson Goodner. The 1860 census returns show a daughter living in the household of Andrew Jackson Goodner, whose name we have not had. This daughter, Nancy E., date of birth given as 1855, born between the dates of birth of Sarah and James Gilbert, apparently died young, since there is no account of her. (John Goodner, Page 168)

Sarah Dianne Warren, dau. Sarah La Verne Goodner Warren and Thos. Limeul Warren, married Stephen L. Bright, Jr., son of Stephen L. Bright, Sr., and the late Mrs. Bright. Rev. Samuel D. Goodner, grandfather, and Rev. Frank Witt performed the ceremony at the Kingswood Baptist Church, Chattanooga, Tenn., 1959. (John Goodner, Page 194)

Farris Eugene Goodner was the son of George Goodner and Lillie Leota Mosier of Old James County, now Hamilton County, Tenn., date of birth being Aug. 12, 1908. The birth certificate states that he was the first child of the mother, whose birthplace was Madisonville, Tenn. The birthplace of George is given as Berchwood, Tenn., of which the correct spelling is Birchwood. George Goodner and Lillie Leota Mosier were married possibly in 1907, and no doubt in Old James County. Unfortunately all of the Old James County records were destroyed by fire, so no official records are available. There appears to have been only one George Goodner of that generation in Old James County at that time, and he was George Washington Goodner, Jr., (born abt. 1867. d. 9-16-1935, in Chattanooga), a son of George Washington Goodner, Sr., and Jane Cofer. (q.v.) Farris Eugene Goodner was born in Old James County, now Hamilton County. He died in Chattanooga, Tenn., 9-19-1958. He was a member of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, District No. 57, and was a member of the Wilson Street Baptist Church. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery. He resided at 1722 Rubio St. His mother and a son survived him. He married Beulah Mae Weir (b. 9-8-1908, dau. of Charles Weir of Chattanooga) Issue by this marriage:

- 1g. James Kenneth Goodner, b. 3-24-1930, Lenoir City, Tenn. Employed by the Du Pont Co. Baptist. Served in Air Force 4 years. m: Betty Jean Stanley, 12-27-1951, Chattanooga. (b. 10-8-1931, Chattanooga, dau. Clarence Cornelius Stanley) Res: 3108 4th Ave. Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ch: 1h. Sandra Lynn Goodner, b. abt. 1953.

Blooming Goodner, son of David. There is a record in Orphans Court, Book No. 8, page 145, date 11-5-1840, Madison Co., Ala., of the credentials of Blooming Goodner as a Minister of the Gospel in the Methodist Episcopal Church. (David Goodner, Page 168)

Charlotte Kemp, wife of Jacob Goodner, son of John, was one of nine children born to Murphy and Sarah Kemp. Murphy Kemp was born 3-21-1770, and Sarah was born 4-22-1775. Their children were as follows:-

1. Jinks Kemp	b. 1-27-1792	6. Lucy Kemp	b. 2-9-1809
2. Burrel Kemp	b. 4-7-1794	7. John Kemp	b. 4-22-1812
3. Tabitha Kemp	b. 8-25-1800	8. Charlotte Kemp	b. 2-27-1815
4. Nancy Kemp	b. 4-1-1801	9. Sallie Kemp	b. 6-15-1819
5. William Kemp	b. 11-22-1807		

(John Goodner, Page 145)

M. E. Goodner, widow, was appointed the Executrix of the estate of her husband, Madison Monroe Goodner, whose will, dated 7-2-1874, was filed in Washington Co., Ill. His widow was willed all of his property. The following is a report of the Executrix:-

Cash on hand at decease	\$ 1634.67
Amount of widow's selection	713.00
Amount of notes and accounts inventoried	7143.80
Amount of Supplemental Inventory	488.20
85 shares of Building and Loan Stock	368.20
	<u>\$ 10347.87</u>
<u>Paid Out.</u>	
Widow's Award	1467.00
Adjustment Notice	4.00
Claim of T. J. Vernor	13.70
Attorney Fee	150.00
Court Cost	12.70
Final Settlement Notice	4.00
6% Commission on \$10,347.87	620.87
	<u>\$ 2272.27</u>

Executrix' Oath filed March Court Term, 1888. Final Settlement to widow made 6-6-1890 for \$7576.60, at which time she was residing in Chicago, as indicated by her receipt. (Jacob Goodner, Page 226)

Delmas Emory Martin. Supplemental information received too late to include in the chart. Church denomination, Methodist; served as a member of the Board of Trustees and Board of Stewards. Teacher of Boy's Sunday School Classes. Democrat. Served ten years on the Selective Service System as an uncompensated member, for which he received a certificate of Appreciation from President Dwight D. Eisenhower. Served as Chairman on the Mayes County, Okla., N. R. A. Chairman of Red Cross. Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. 32^o Mason. Member of Sigma Nu Fraternity. Consular and Advisor of Boy Scouts. Great grandson of Capt. Joseph L. Martin of the Confederate Army, who fought in the Battle of Military Ford, which was on his own property, and which was the only major Civil War engagement in Oklahoma. (Jacob Goodner, Page 238)

Martha (Margaret) Ann Logan, wife of James T. Goodner, was a cousin to Berry Edminston, whose mother and Martha's mother were sisters. The name of Martha's mother was Mary Ann Edminston; she married a Logan, who was a cousin. The name of Berry's mother was Martha Edminston; she married James Edminston, a first cousin. This information is from Martha Goodner Logan's letter of May 16, 1922 to M. P. Goodner. (Godfrey Goodner, Page 324)

Gooding Family.

The immigrant Gooding of this family was one Major Cornelius Gooding, born in England, and who came to this country after the termination of the Revolutionary War. He first settled in the State of Virginia, and thence moved to Kentucky, where he married Margaret (Peggy) Scott, a dau. of a Mr. Scott and Sarah Jackson Scott, Sarah being traditionally a relative of President Andrew Jackson. They resided for many years in Fleming County, Ky., about twelve miles from the present town of Flemingsburg, where they reared a family of ten children, as follows:-

1. Elizabeth Gooding, b. 7-13-1787, Fleming Co., Ky. m: James Glass.
2. Abraham (Abram) Gooding, b. 2-14-1789. b. ditto. married and remained in Fleming Co., Ky.

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| 3. Robert Gooding, b. 5-9-1791, Fleming Co., Ky. | m: Fanny Jones. |
| 4. Mary Gooding, b. 7-28-1793. | ditto m: James Mauzy |
| 5. Sarah Gooding, b. 12-22-1795. | " m: a Mr. Mauzy |
| 6. Nancy Gooding, b. 3-7-1798. | " m: a Mr. Mauzy |
| 7. Selah Gooding, b. 1-27-1800. | " m: John Whitesides |
| 8. Hannah Gooding, b. 1-12-1802. | " m: Simon Stookey |
| 9. Malinda Gooding, b. 11-1-1804. | " m: Joshua Lacey |
| 10. Lucinda Gooding, b. 1-7-1807. | " m: James Harrison. |

All of the children, with the exception of Abram, accompanied the father to St. Clair Co., Ill., about the year 1816, his wife Peggy having died in 1808 in Ky. Cornelius boarded for a time with Mrs. Ann Rankin Lacey, near Centerville (Millstadt), St. Clair Co., the widow on Linel Lacey and the mother of Joshua, who married a dau. of Cornelius. Cornelius taught school near Belleville, and then "entered" land, and the present town of Centerville (Millstadt), or a portion of it, is laid out on the land which was once his farm. The date of his death is not known, but he lies buried in the Old Union Cemetery located on the Millstadt-Belleville Road, about two miles east of Millstadt.

THE STOOKEY FAMILY

Taken from "A Genealogy of the Descendants of Simon Stookey I, Simon Stookey II, and Daniel Stookey I, In America 1685 to 1936" by Walter C. Stookey from material collected by Charles A. Stookey and Walter C. Stookey.

Simon Stookey I, settled at New Rochelle, N. Y., northeast of New York City, on Long Island Sound in 1685. This record is taken from the French Huguenots or Hollander's Church records of New Rochelle, N. Y.

The name is variously spelled, viz: Stucky, Stookey, Stuckey, Stooke, Stuck, Stich, Stick, Stocki, and in Switzerland, Stucki. Of the branch in which we are especially interested, the spelling is Stookey, adopted by Daniel Stookey and his brother, Abraham, who settled in Ross County, Ohio.

Simon Stookey II, settled in Virginia in 1755, and married Barbara Fox. Their children were as follows:-

1. Jacob Stuckey, b. 3-4-1761. Settled in Berkeley Co., Virginia, now West Va.
2. Susannah Stuckey, b. 3-4-1761. (Twin of Jacob)
3. Charles Stuckey, b. 12-6-1762.
4. Samuel Stuckey, b. 11-6-1764. Settled in Stark County, Ohio.
5. Abram Stuckey. Birth date not known.
6. David Stuckey, b. 7-6-1767.
7. Margaret Stuckey, b. Feb. 1769.
8. Catherine Stuckey, b. July 1770.
9. Simon Stuckey, b. 1-21-1772. Settled in Bedford County, Pa.
10. Daniel Stookey, b. 3-16-1773. Settled in St. Clair Co., Ill.
11. John Stuckey, b. Sept. 1775.
12. Elizabeth Stuckey, b. July 1777.
13. Maria Stuckey, b. 2-27-1779.

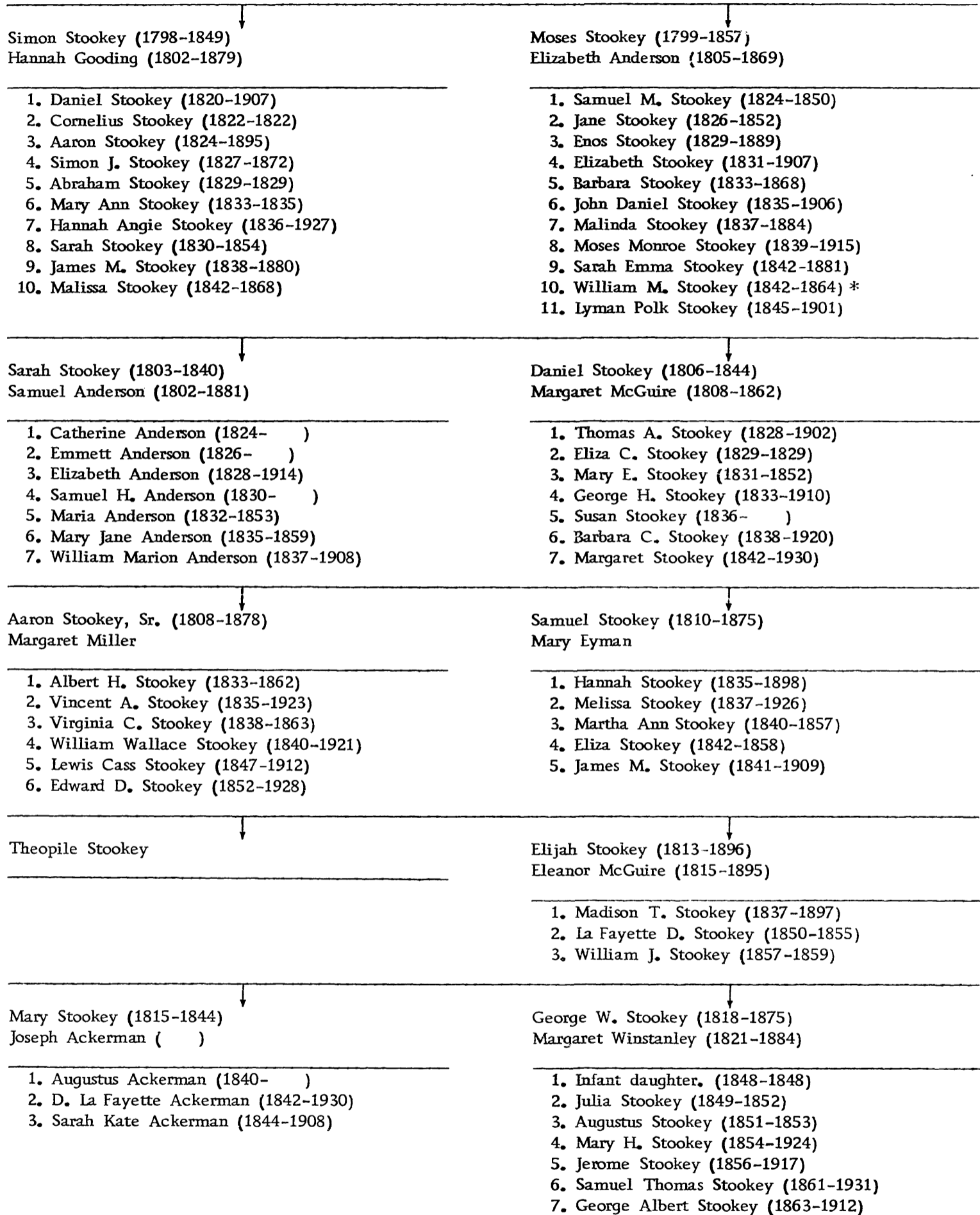
Simon Stuckey II's will is on file in Hagerstown, Washington Co., Md., in Liber A. Page 127. It is drawn up Dec. 26th, 1785 and recorded Feb. 4, 1786. Witnesses to the will were Jacob Sibert and George Helsler (Helson). Final settlement of the estate was made on March 17, 1796, total value being 2233 Pounds 9 Shillings and 4 Pence.

Daniel Stookey, son of Simon II, was born near Hagerstown, Md., March 16, 1773. His wife was Barbara Whetstone, whom he married March 16, 1797. She was born April 20th, 1774, in Virginia. Of this union eight sons and two daughters were born, as follows:

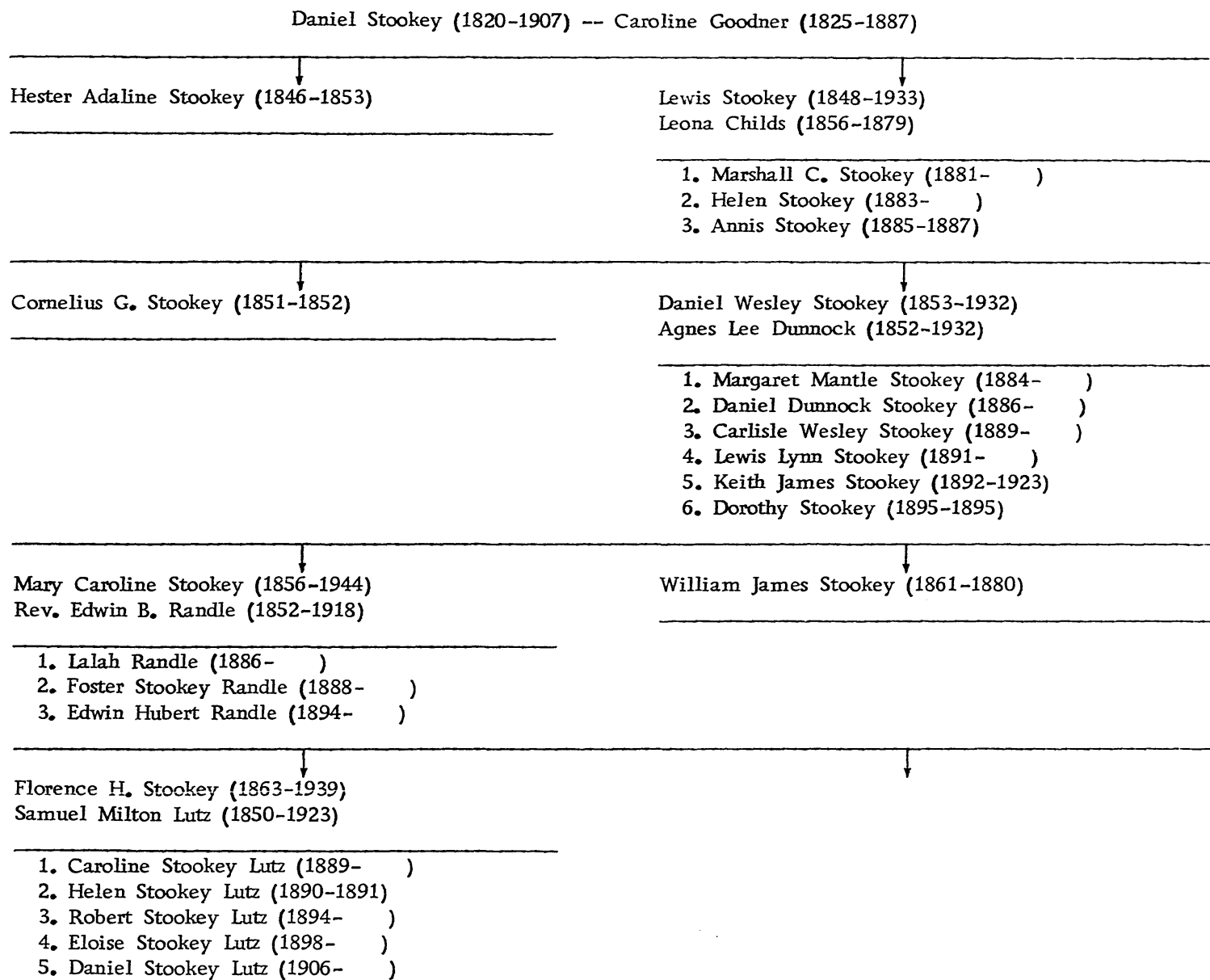
1. Simon Stookey, b. 1-6-1798 in Virginia, Married Hannah Gooding.
2. Moses Stookey, b. 1-23-1799, in Virginia.
3. Sarah Stookey, b. in St. Clair Co., Ill.
4. Daniel Stookey, b. 4-30-1803, St. Clair Co., Ill.
5. Aaron Stookey, b. 9-22-1808, St. Clair Co., Ill.
6. Samuel Stookey, b. 1-3-1810, St. Clair Co., Ill.
7. Theophile Stookey, b. St. Clair Co., Ill.
8. Elijah Stookey, b. 9-29-1813, St. Clair Co., Ill.
9. Mary Stookey, b. 9-26-1815, St. Clair Co., Ill.
10. George W. Stookey, b. 10-18-1818, St. Clair Co., Ill.

Daniel died 9-25-1835, and his wife, Barbara, died 9-23-1849, interment of both being in the Stookey Cemetery on the old Stookey homestead. They made their home in Virginia until 1800, then moved to Ross County, Ohio, where they remained for awhile, and finally moved to St. Clair County, Ill., settling about two miles west of the present town of Belleville.

Daniel Stookey (1773-1835) -- Barbara Whetstone (1774-1849)



*Twin. Born following day.



The Stookey Homestead at Harristown, Illinois. The home of Daniel & Caroline Goodner Stookey. Built in 1874. Courtesy of Marshall Childs Stookey, present owner and occupant.



Primm (Prim, Prime, Pryme) Family. Lydia Primm, wife of John Lacey, was born in Stafford Co., Va., 7-31-1801, one of 17 children of John Prim (1750-1837), and Elizabeth Hansbrough. John Prim was the third son of John Prim, Sr., and Margaret Welch, who were married in Stafford Co., Va., 9-9-1739. John Prim, Sr., was born in England about 1715, possibly in Hatfield Chase, Yorkshire, the seat of this branch of the Prim family. His father was Abraham de la Pryme, born in Hatfield Chase, and who moved to the Isle of Man in 1725, from whence his son, John, emigrated to the colony of Virginia sometime prior to 1739, residing in Stafford County. To John Prim, Sr., and his wife, Margaret Welch, were born five children, -William, b. 7-28-1740, Ann, b. 9-15-1746, John, Jr., b. 5-17-1750, Thomas, b. 12-13-1751, & James b. 1752.

Shortly after the year 1801, John and his family, save William, moved to St. Clair Co., Illinois, which was then the Territory of Indiana, where he remained the balance of his life. The "History of St. Clair Co., Illinois", by Brink McDonough & Co., (1881), states that he first settled in New Design in 1803, and remained there several years before moving to his final home in St. Clair Co., a few miles southwest of Belleville. His pension papers give his date of removal from Virginia to Illinois as 1801. He served in the Virginia Militia on tours in the years 1776, 1778, 1779, and 1781, and was present in the Virginia forces at the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown. He left the service after first guarding the prisoners surrendered in their march to Winchester, Virginia. He received a pension for his services in 1835. He died 3-12-1837, age nearly 87 years; his wife, Elizabeth, had died a few years previous, 10-25-1832. Both were interred on their home place.

The Prim family is of ancient lineage, and is traceable back to the 12th century, when Alexander de la Pryme, then known as Priem, a gentleman of the town of Ypres, Flanders, now Belgium, was granted a patent of nobility by the Roman Pontiff, Eugene III, for meritorious service during the Second Crusade. Eugene III was Pope between the years 1145 and 1153. The Second Crusade was started in 1147 and ended in 1148. The family was one of the foremost families of Ypres and so remained for five or six hundred years. Ypres at that time was a town of 200,000 population, and was noted chiefly for its lace and fine linen. It has gradually declined in importance and size until in 1904 it had only a population of 17,000. The family was quite wealthy, and were active in the administration of the city, several members of the family having been members of the magistracy at one time or another.

Some of the family embraced the reformed religion, and were thereby persecuted. Many of the Protestant inhabitants of Flanders were killed. The persecution by the vengeful Cardinal Richelieu made life so uncertain and untenable that some 80 families fled to England in 1628 and 1629, among which was Charles de la Pryme, whose father, who also accompanied him, was Matthew. They settled in the Levels of Hatfield Chase, which is in the West Riding of Yorkshire, about ten miles from the town of Thome. This was a low marshy country, but it was drained by the engineer Vermuyden, in which enterprise the Prymes spent much money. Charles married a widow, Prudence Coquely, by whom he had several children, the sons being, Abraham, Matthias, and David, all of whom are mentioned as legatees in the will of Charles, dated Dec. 27th, 1669, and proven in court Jan. 10th, 1670. They Prymes claim to have been the oldest of the Huguenot families in England, and this may be as there is a record of a Margaret Prim, wife of John Prim, (dec'd) who was a resident of London in 1618, having then been a resident 37 years, making the date of their immigration to London 1581. She was born in Abassa, Flanders. One branch of the family settled in Norfolk County, and the graveyard of St. Andrews Church contain many members of these old Primes, as this branch spelled their name.

Hansbrough Family: The first of this family who came to America and from whom, Elizabeth, wife of John Primm came, was according to one source, considered the most reliable, to have been a John Hansborough who settled in Virginia in 1640, and traditionally a native of Holland. Other sources believe that the first of the family was Morias Hansbrough shown in the 1704 Quit Rent Rolls of King & Queen Co., Va. Elizabeth, according to the best information, was a daughter of Peter Hansbrough and Lydia Smith, both of Stafford Co., married in Stafford 5-27-1752. Lydia was a daughter of Henry Smith (b. 1712) and Sarah Crosby, she being a daughter of Daniel and a granddaughter of George Crosby.

Lacey Family. This family descends from one of three brothers, William, Thomas, or Nathaniel Lacey, who settled among the French Huguenots in Manikintown in the very early part of the 18th century. The family is traditionally of French Huguenot stock, of a family that escaped from France during the religious persecutions, either following or preceding the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes in 1685. They settled in or near Wales, again according to tradition. The name as used in France was "de Lacy". Manikintown was situated in what is now Goochland County. Elliott Lacey ("Lacy") a son of one of the three brothers, was the sire of the Lacey family that settled in St. Clair Co., Ill., about 1809, or so. Elliott was a soldier in the Virginia Militia in the Revolutionary, and lost his life in the service. His oldest son, Elliott, Jr., also was in the Virginia Militia and likewise lost his life. Elliott, Sr., married a Miss Brown, of French parentage, and had the following children:-

1. Elliott Lacey (Lacy). Killed in the Revolutionary War.
2. Nationel Lacey. m: Amy Barker.
3. Kaner Lacey. m: Miss Brown, a first cousin.
4. Burley Lacey. m: Judith Brown, a first cousin, and a sister to the Miss Brown who married his brother, Kaner. Marriage occurred in Bedford Co., Va., in 1786. These Brown girls are supposed to have been daughters of Thomas Brown.
5. Linel Lacey. m: Ann Rankin, on French Broad River, Tenn. abt. 1789. Their issue:
 - a. John Lacey, (1791-1862) m: Lydia Primm, dau. John Primm of Virginia. (Their only surviving son married Salinda Goodner, dau. of Benjamin)
 - b. Stephen Lacey (1793-1821) m: Elizabeth Primm. (dau. of John Primm)
 - c. Caleb Lacey (1795-) m: Elizabeth Johnston. (dau. John Johnston & Polly Chaffin of Tenn.)

- d. Joshua Lacey (1798-1858) m: Malinta Gooding, dau. of Cornelius.
- e. Thomas Lacey (1800-1879) m: Mary Greathouse.
- f. James Lacey (1802-1866) m: Nancy Mosby Johnston. (dau. John Johnston & Polly Chaffin of Tenn.)
- g. Elijah Lacey (1804-1886) m: Ruth McDonald Locke.
- 6. Kate Lacey. m: George Hubbard.
- 7. Elizabeth Lacey. m: Elisha Baldwin
- 8. Mary (Polly) Lacey. m: William Baldwin.

Ann Rankin, wife of Linel Lacey, was a daughter of Thomas Rankin and Isabella Clendenin. Thomas Rankin was a native of Pennsylvania who had removed to Tennessee. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary forces, Pennsylvania Line. Isabella was a daughter of John Clendenin (1704-1797), and Janet Huston. Isabella's brother, John, married Elizabeth Caldwell, a sister of Martha who married Patrick Calhoun and became parents of the famous statesman, John C. Calhoun. Janet Huston, traditionally, was of the same family as Samuel Houston of Texas fame. Linel and Ann remained in Tennessee several yrs., and then just prior to 1800 moved to Livingston Co., Kentucky, remaining there until about 1808 or 1809, when he removed to St. Clair Co., Ill. His brothers, Nathaniel, Kaner, and Burley had been living in Livingston Co., Kentucky, previous to Linel going there. They too moved to Illinois, but resided in Wayne, Gallatin, and Hardin Counties.



THE LACEY HOMESTEAD NEAR MILLSTADT, ILLINOIS

(The higher portion is the original log structure built probably abt. 1815.)

Margaret McIntyre Lacey (Mrs. Elmer Leslie Lacey). Descends from Gov. William Bradford, of Plymouth Colony, Mass., and is a member of the Mayflower Society. The line of descent is as follows;

1. Gov. William Bradford (Bap. 1590-1657). m: 1st: at Leyden, Holland, in 1613, Dorothy May (1597-1620), dau. John. m: 2nd: in Plymouth, Mass., in 1623, Alice Carpenter Southworth (1590-1670), widow, Edward Southworth.
2. William Bradford, (1624-1704). m: Alice Richards, 1651. (1637-1671), dau. Thomas.
3. Alice Bradford (1661-1745) m: at Dedham, Mass., 1680, Rev. William Adams, b. Ipswich, Mass., 5-27-1650. d. at Dedham, Mass., 8-17-1685. Son of William Adams from England.
4. Alice Adams, b. Dedham, Mass., 4-23-1682. d. Endfield, Conn., 2-19-1735. m: 1-7-1701, Nathaniel Collins, Jr., b. Middletown, Conn., 6-13-1677. d. at Endfield, Conn., 12-31-1756.
5. Alice Collins, b. Endfield, Conn., 3-14-1716. d. at Windfield, Conn. m: 1-15-1735/6, at Endfield, Conn., Nathaniel Parsons, b. Endfield, Conn., 3-5-1709. d. Endfield.
6. William Parsons, b. Endfield, Conn., 3-13-1750. d. at Warehouse Point, Conn., 5-29-1819. m: Abigail Wright 8-24-1775, b. Endfield, Conn., 8-24-1755. d. East Windsor, Conn., Jan. 1837.
7. Roxanna Parsons, b. East Windsor, Conn., 3-3-1779. d. Warehouse Point, Conn., 12-19-1848. m: at Endfield, Conn., 8-10-1801, Eliphlet Smith, b. West Springfield, Mass., 7-6-1774. d. Warehouse Point, Conn., 7-26-1829.
8. Hiram Smith, b. Hartford, Conn., 12-11-1807. d. Warehouse Point, Conn., 2-16-1891. m: 6-17-1833, Lucy Ann Bell, b. South Glastonbury, Conn., 8-26-1809. d. Warehouse Point Conn., 9-11-1876.
9. Charlotte Smith, b. Warehouse Point, Conn., 4-10-1839. d. Chicopee, Mass., 3-10-1905. m: Warehouse Point, Conn., 10-31-1864, Warren Smith, b. Vernon, Conn., 10-7-1837; d. Chicopee, Mass., 12-1-1903.
10. Margaret Ann Smith, b. Chicopee, Mass., 7-20-1867. d. St. Louis, Mo., 12-15-1957. m: Harry Herbert McIntyre, b. Chester, Vermont, 5-24-1866. d. St. Louis, Mo. Date of marriage 12-3-1890.
11. Margaret Thompson McIntyre, b. Chicopee, Mass., 11-26-1901. m: Elmer Leslie Lacey, St. Louis, Mo., 6-9-1928. b. St. Louis, Mo., 6-14-1889, son of Elmer Ellsworth Lacey and Minnie Almeada Long. Res: Box 385, Estes Park, Colo.
12. Elmer Bradford Lacey, b. 1-23-1933, St. Louis, Mo. m: Nancy Lou Atkins, 9-5-1959, Denver, Colo., b. 10-

15-1936, Indianapolis, Ind., dau. of William Allen Atkins (b. 10-26-1909) and Nancy Lou Hunter (b. 1-13-1909)
Res: 1715 Andover Court, Oklahoma City, Okla.

James Francis Etherton. (Jacob Goodner. Page 230)

Married Julia Ann Blackwood of Murphysboro, Illinois, 3-19-1960, in the First Baptist Church in Murphysboro. She is a daughter of Ralph Blackwood of Murphysboro, Ill.

Bollman Family: The earliest known progenitor of this Bollman family was one Henry Bollman, born 2-16-1823 in the "old country", presumably Alsace-Lorraine. He was German. He married in Alsace-Lorraine, Marie H. Grave, b. 10-7-1832, d. 6-10-1915, St. Louis, Mo., dau. of one Grave' and Bertha Hepke Tietzel, who was born in 1813 in Alsace-Lorraine, and died in St. Louis in 1899, interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. The Grave' family was of French extraction. Henry Bollman died in St. Louis 12-27-1890, interment in Bollman Lot in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Mr. Bollman was fine musician and composer and wrote many beautiful hymns for the Catholic Church, although he himself was Lutheran. Henry Bollman and wife came to this country sometime before 1851 and settled in Bardstown, Ky., where his children were born. He there-fore remained there for several years, removing to St. Louis some time after the termination of the Civil War. Marie H., his wife, died 6-10-1915, interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery, in Bollman Lot. Besides being a composer of classical music and an organist, Mr. Bollman was proficient in the violin, and played in the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, and became a concert guitarist. He established the Bollman Music Co., which later became the Bollman Bros. Piano Co. They had the following children:

1. Oscar Henry Bollman, b. 11-13-1851, Bardstown, Ky. m: Pauline Schuler.
2. Bertha G. Bollman, b. 1855, Bardstown, Ky. m: William Bollman. No relation.
3. Otto Bollman, b. 8-20-1857, Bardstown, Ky. m: Amie Ruckert.
4. Herman H. Bollman, b. 1860, Bardstown, Ky. m: Nellie Kampe.

All remained in St. Louis with the exception of Bertha, who moved to the eastern part of the country sometime after her marriage. Later in life Otto Bollman removed to California, making his home in Los Angeles.

Schuler Family: John Jacob Schuler, the earliest known member of the family, was born in Zweibrücken, Germany, 7-17-1820. He married Anna Maria Pale, b. 1-1-1827, Ichelheim, Germany. d. St. Louis 4-21-1908. John Jacob emigrated to the United States sometime prior to the Civil War, with brothers David and Arnold, coming in a sailing vessel which took 103 days to cross. They lived for a while in Philadelphia, then moved to St. Louis where they lived for a time, then moved to Belleville, Ill., and then back to St. Louis. He died 1-6-1896. John Jacob and Anna Maria had a large family as follows:

1. Henrietta Schuler, b. St. Louis, 1-10-1850. m: Charles W. Ohm.
2. John George Schuler, b. 1-25-1855, St. Louis. m: Ida Behrens.
3. Anna Ida Schuler, b. 1-7-1860. m: Louis Hammerstein.
4. Lena Louise Schuler, b. 1-4-1862, St. Louis, Mo. m: Henry Burg.
5. Pauline Schuler, b. 12-3-1864, St. Louis. m: Oscar Henry Bollman.
6. Elizabeth Schuler, b. 3-20-1866, St. Louis. m: George Ed. Gruen.
7. Matilda Schuler, b. 8-22-1869. d. 4-20-1952. m: Rudolph H. Bohle, the St. Louis, Mo. General Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co.
8. Josephine Schuler, b. 10-14-1871, St. Louis, Mo. d. 10-6-1926. m: Andrew J. Leineke.

Pauline, No. 5 above, the mother of Pauline Lillian Bollman who married Hubert W. Lacey, was a noted contralto. She took up singing at the age of 14, and made her first public appearance when she sang the "Messiah". She studied under Madam Emeline Petipa, who had come from Paris. She sang in the St. Louis Symphony, Saengerfest, and the Liederkrantz Club, and prior to her death she had sung in the choir of the Second Baptist Church in St. Louis for 25 years. She married Oscar H. Bollman at the age of 23 years. Died suddenly 11-23-1924, shortly after arriving home from church service. Her husband died a few years later in Colorado Springs, Colo., and was interred there, but she was buried in the Bollman Lot in the Bellefontaine Cemetery in St. Louis.

Livesay. (Material received too late to be included in the main manuscript.)

Joseph Paul Livesay, was married first to Louise Marie Hobart, 6-19-1915, at Palo Alto, Calif. She was born 3-31-1895, dau. of Senator and Mrs. Alva C. Hobart. They were divorced, after having one child. Married secondly, Emma Launa Hawkins, 4-16-1929, at Fairmont, West Va. She was born 4-28-1895, dau. of Thomas Arlie Hawkins of Morgantown, West Va. Presbyterians. Address of son, Don B. Livesay, 500 So. Cypress St., San Jose, Calif. Address of Paul Hobart Livesay not known.

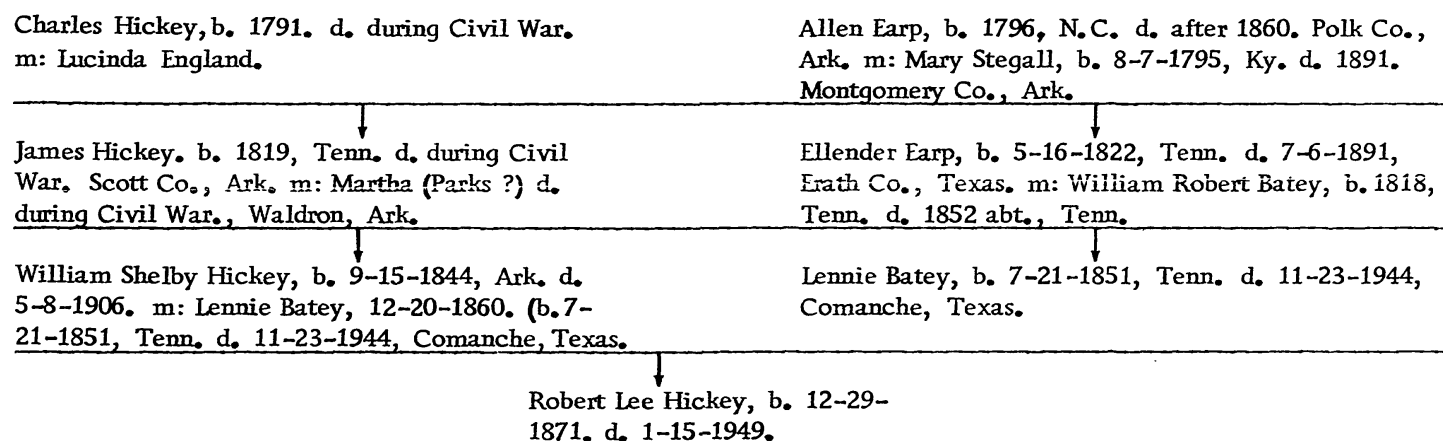
Marjorie Eileen Livesay married first Richard Ramsey, by whom she had one son, Jack Ramsey, who is married and resides at 38615 Ladelle, Palmdale, Calif. Marjorie married secondly, William Albert Tuxford. They were divorced, and she

married thirdly, Ronnie H. Goracke. Marjorie was Sec'y of History and a Faculty Member of Stanford Univ., Palo Alto, Calif. Lafayette McPherson Livesay married and has two sons, Robert Livesay of Martinez, Calif., and Jim Livesay of Oroville, California.

"The Livesay family is of English origin, spelled both Livesay and Livesey. A member of this family, Sir Michael Livesay of London, was one of the signers of the death warrant of Charles I. Livesays resided in London and Kent, also at Stawton Hall, Lincoln County, at which place they were called Livesay of Livesay. Livesay is the name of a township in the parish of Blackburn, Lancaster Co., England, where the family name appears to have originated. Livesays emigrated to America some time during the 18th century, and located in Virginia near the North Carolina line. A coat of arms was granted to the Livesay or Livesey family of Lancaster, England, in 1664, which was : Arms-Urgent, a lion rampant, guls between three trefoils slipped verticle. Crest - a Lion's Gamb erased gules and translated from the heraldic language this coat armor is Silver---Urgent, Red Gules, Green Vert, symbolism of colors, sincerity, deathless courage, hope and loyalty". (Milton P. Goodner) Jos. Paul Livesay writes that his forebears came to this country in 1627.

Louis Hoffmeister was born in Germany, Dec. 29, 1863, and died in Rifle, Colo., in 1942. He married Lillie Miller in 1893; she was born 1870 and died in 1941, apparently in Rifle, Colo. She was a daughter of Christopher C. Miller, born in Germany in 1840 and who died apparently in Rifle, Colo., in 1911. He had married Minnie Arndt, born in Germany in 1852, and died in Rifle, Colo., in 1920. Before moving to Rifle they had been residents of Central City, Colo. (Jacob Goodner, Page 62)

Hickey Family Chart (Henry Goodner, Pages 98-100)



Elizabeth Jane Logan was born in Clark Co., Ark., in 1836, and died in Oden, Ark., 9-15-1877. She was the daughter of William Logan and Eliza Denton, a widow whose maiden name was Wingfield. William Logan was born in Missouri 8-4-1807, and died 5-5-1838. He married Mrs. Eliza Denton, 1-30-1831, in Arkansas, and they resided in Clark Co., Ark. Eliza was born about 1809 in Tennessee, and died after 1870 in Montgomery Co., Ark. Pages 90-99)

The Wilhite Family: From information submitted by Elmer L. Goodner of Oklahoma City, Okla., from data which apparently was gathered by W. E. Wilhite in 1945, the following is submitted:

George Wilhite was probably the son of Julius and Margaret Wilhite, nee Rise, and was born about 1790, possibly in Greene Co., Tenn. He married twice, the name of his first wife being unknown. His second marriage was to Nancy Guinn, Oct. 24, 1822, in Knox Co., Tenn. Nancy was born in 1794; her parentage was not given. George Wilhite probably migrated to Morgan Co., Ala., with his brothers, John and Ezekiel, about 1816 to 1818, or possibly somewhat later. Records in Morgan County in 1823 show that such a man was road supervisor there at the time. Later he moved to Tippah Co., Miss., and was in Marion Co., Tenn., in 1830. He died in Tippah Co., Miss., 1854 to 1856, and was interred in the Providence Cemetery near Tiplersville, Miss. The following issue is gathered from census reports and other sources and are not guaranteed, but which is constructed with due diligence and to the best of subject's ability.

1. Julius Wilhite, b. 1818, Marion Co., (?), Tenn. m: abt. 1836, in Tippah Co., Miss., Miss Mary Fryar. b. 1822, Bedford Co., Tenn.
2. John Calvin Wilhite, b. 1822. m: abt. 1842, Tippah Co., Miss., Nancy Fryar. b. 1824, Bedford Co., Tenn.
3. Daniel Wilhite, b. 1824. m: Rosanna-----1st. m: 2nd: Mary Ann Smallwood, b. 1826.
4. Elizabeth Jane Wilhite, b. abt. 1824. m: David Milton Goodner.
5. Martha Wilhite.
6. William H. Wilhite, b. abt. 1826, Morgan Co., Ala. m: Mary S. Jones.

7. Miriam Lorraine Wilhite, b. 6-22-1828. m: Henry Smith Goodner.
8. Hugh M. Wilhite, b. abt. 1830.
9. King W. Wilhite, b. abt. 1831.
10. Margaret Wilhite, b. abt. 1835.

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- 6g. Floyd Goodner, b. 7-25-1902, Oden, Ark. In Road Construction Work. Baptist. Res: General Delivery, Mena, Ark. m: Anne Bryant, July 1930. (b. 1909, dau. of Albert Bryant)
- Ch: 1h. Floyd Rex Goodner, b. 7-4-1937, Mt. Ida, Ark. In Army.
 2h. Ruth Ann Goodner, b. 2-2-1939, Mt. Ida, Ark. In Army.
 3h. Iva Jane Goodner, b. 2-14-1942. At home.
- (Received after manuscript was closed. From "Henry Goodner", Pages 102-103)
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Monroe Goodner. Because of lack of information, it has not been possible to identify this family in relation to any of the known Goodner branches. Mr. Edward T. Goodner, son of Monroe, was unable to give me the name of his grandfather. It is my personal opinion that it derives from either one of the two sons of Mary and Peter (?) Goodner, - namely Henry or Jacob. The following is the only data known.

A Goodner, whose given name is not known, resided in Virginia, and moved to Pittsburgh, Pa. The name of his wife is not known. He had three children, - Monroe, Emma and Mary (Mollie) all of whom resided at one time in Pittsburgh. Their issue is as follows:-

1. Monroe Goodner, b. abt. 1875. m: Mary Lally. Moved from Virginia to Pittsburgh, Pa., where he supposedly died.
 Ch: a. John Goodner, Dec'd.
 Ch: 1a. Daughter. m: De Wolfe. Resides in Detroit, Mich.
 2a. Clifford R. Goodner, Resides 20871 Norwood, Harper Woods, Detroit, Mich.
 b. Edward T. Goodner, b. 11-26-1900. Inspector for City of Cincinnati, Ohio. Res: R.R. #1, Box 18, Hamersville, Ohio.
 2. Emma Goodner, Dec'd. m: John Sexton. Resided, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1914. m: in Pittsburgh in 1914.
 3. Mary ("Mollie") Goodner, Dec'd. m: Mr. Burke. Resided in Pittsburgh, Pa.
 Ch: a. Thomas Burke. Resided in Pittsburgh, Pa., in the Hazelwood Section. Unable to locate.
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Some Additional Data on the Jackson Family.

Orange Co., N.C.

Isaac Jackson conveyed to Thomas Jackson on Sept. 8, 1755, 350 acres of land for 10 Pounds current money of Virginia, being the same tract of land that Isaac Jackson received from Rt. Hon. John Gant Granville. In this deed, Isaac is listed as a farmer. Book 1, Page 120. Witnesses to the deed were Benjamin Jackson and James Jackson.

May 28th, 1798. William Jackson, Jr., by Sheriff, conveyed to James Jackson, 94 acres of land on the south side of Forsters' Creek, adjoining lands of James Jackson, Jonathan Nichols, Sr., and William Jackson, Sr. Andrew Murdock was Sheriff. (Book 7, Page 91)

In the 1755 Tax List of Orange County, N.C., the following Jacksons were shown:

Benjamin Jackson.	With 2 White in family.
John Jackson	With 1 White in family.
Thomas Jackson	With 1 White in family.
Isaac Jackson	With 2 White in family.

From the fact that two of the above show only two people in the family, and two only show one, we gather that they were young, two recently married and two single. There were no Goodners shown in this list. The following notation was made on the returns: "The number of souls is about 1113, 983 being white and 130 negroes. Think about 30 soles concealed themselves, and about 20 whose names appear twice."

In 1788, the following appear as land owners:-

William Jackson.	100 acres in the Hillsborough District.
	187 acres East of the Appalachians, Dist. of Hillsborough.
Isaac Jackson.	200 acres in the Hillsborough District.
James Jackson.	900 acres in the Hillsborough District.

In 1791, Chatham District:-

William Jackson.	200 acres.
Samuel Smith	564 acres.
Widow Smith	200 acres.

James Tate	100 acres.
John Browning	225 acres.
Andrew Smith	189 acres.
John Tate	300 acres.

Names other than Jackson are given because of the ties these families had with the Scherrers and Goodners.

On May 24, 1813, James Jackson, Sr., conveyed to James Jackson, Jr., a tract of land. (Book 14, Page 485) This deed was made after William Jackson, and wife Catherine Goodner, had removed from North Carolina, and the transaction is given merely as a matter of information to indicate that James Jackson, Sr., father of a "William Jackson", remained in Orange County, and apparently passed the remainder of his days there. This is probably the same James Jackson, who died in 1822 and whose will was probated that year, giving the following devisees:-

William Jackson	Elizabeth Jackson
Jacob Jackson	Ruth Jackson
James Jackson	Susannah Latta

Isaac Jackson died in 1820, and his will probated in Aug. 1820. Book D, Page 58. The devisees were:-

James Jackson	Elizabeth Jackson
Ruth Jackson	Sarah Cloud.

In 1814, another Isaac Jackson died. Will was probated Nov. 1814. Book D, Page 412. Devisees were:-

Levi Jackson	Netty Williams
Jacob Jackson	Elizabeth Cain
Benoni Jackson	Mary Thompson
James Jackson	Elizabeth Randles.

In the North Carolina Gazette, dated Thursday, Feb. 16, 1786, Hillsboro, the following notice appeared:

"The subscriber hereby requests that all those who are indebted to him in accounts for the past year to come and make immediate payment, as no further indulgence will be given.

Hillsboro, Feb. 16, 1786.

William Jackson. "

Jacksons in Guilford Co., N.C.
Marriage Bonds.

George Jackson and Sarah Barker. April 6, 1772. Surety: John Barker. Witness: Tilman Dixon.

Andrew Jackson and Nancy Bridges. March 5, 1792. Surety: Joseph Summers.

John Jackson and Elizabeth Millis. April 22, 1799. Surety: Nicholas Millis.

May Court 1785.

William Jackson served as juror in case of John Hamilton vs. David Allerson. (P. 151).

A deed from William Jackson and wife to Jos. Lester for 224 acres of land was proven by oath of John Starrat, and on motion was registered. (P. 157)

In a suit filed by William Jackson vs. William Hall, in Nov. Court 1785, the jury found for the Plaintiff.

Records shown in the Minutes of the May Court 1782 show that William Jackson was appointed Constable in Mr. Brown's District.

In Feb. 1789 Court, Andrew Jackson proved a deed from Isaac Maxwell to William Jackson for 220 acres of land. (P. 31 of Minute Book No. 2)

On Page 32, of the same Book, Matthew Maroney proved a deed from William Jackson to Andrew Jackson for 220 acres of land.

Jackson Records in Sullivan Co., Tenn. Early Ones Only.

Peter Jackson bought from Samuel Job 87 acres on Kindrick Creek, date of Oct. 25, 1786. Recorded Sept. 11, 1789. (Book 1, Page 297)

Peter Jackson received a land grant from the State of North Carolina for 75 acres on Kindrick's Creek, June 27, 1793, recorded June 24, 1794. (Book 2, Page 671)

William Jackson bought from Jacob Job 75 acres on Kindrick's Creek, deed dated Aug. 15, 1800, recorded June 24, 1801. Book 3, Page 384. (I was unable to find any sale of this property by William up to the year 1825, at which time William Jackson, husband of Catherine, was living in Illinois. Thus this William may or may not be the same as Catherine's husband.)

Robert Jackson received a land grant from the State of North Carolina for 50 acres, date of June 27, 1793, recorded Nov. 22, 1803. (Book 4, Page 533.)

Thomas Jackson bought from Henry Feltner 110 acres, deed dated Aug. 29, 1810, recorded Nov. 29, 1810. (Book 6, P. 104)

John Jackson bought from William Goddard 97-3/4 acres on Reedy Creek, deed dated July 23, 1822, recorded Feb. 7, 1823.

(Book 9, Page 291). (Note: Conrad Goodner's property was also located on Reedy's Ford.)

Gallatin County, Illinois. Records of Marriages taken from "Marriage Licenses Issued in Gallatin County, Illinois, From 1813 through 1838", by Lucy Bender.

Jane Jackson and Alexander Cox.	April 10, 1820
Thomas Jackson and Polly Niver (By consent of father, David Niver)	Aug. 21, 1827
Nancy Jackson and Philemon Norris	Sept. 30, 1828
Lucas Jackson and Ellen East	Oct. 4, 1829
Mary Jackson (Widow) and Demshew Williams (By consent of father, Jasper Sears)	July 23, 1831
Mary Jackson and David Sharp	Oct. 11, 1832

Jefferson County, Illinois. Some early Jackson marriages.

Ansel Jackson and Sally Hambelin	June 24, 1834
William Jackson and Louisa C. Barrickman	Dec. 10, 1846. John G. Wallis, J.P.
Schern R. Jackson and Sophia A. Daniels	Nov. 12, 1862. Henry Breeze, J.P.
Moses Jackson and Mary A. Branson	Jan. 29, 1862. B.E. Wells, J.P.
Monroe Jackson and Sarah E. Davis	Nov. 22, 1863. Thos. Dale, M.G.
Lawson Jackson and Mrs. Elmira Crosnoe	June 21, 1855. Thos. B. Lacey, J.P.
John Jackson and Polly Ann Looney	June 21, 1855. Silas M. Williams, M.G.

Wood Family: The Wood family were from Georgia. I quote from "Recollections of Jefferson County and It's People", by Adam Clark Johnson, a series of articles published in the Mount Vernon Star, 1858 to 1865, which clippings were preserved by the family of Amos Thompson Lacey and lately presented to the Mt. Vernon Public Library.

"At a very early date, John and George Jackson came up from Pope County, 15 miles above Golconda, and settled at the north end of West Long Prairie. They soon became dissatisfied and went back, but not before John's brother-in-law, Alfred Woods and Alfred's father, William Woods, had come up about 1821.

William Woods, or "Roaring Billy", was originally from Georgia, but had settled on the Ohio River near Elizabethtown. His wife had been a widow Hawkins, and had two Hawkins children, Henry and Harvey, I think, and a daughter, Mrs. Bobo on Red River not far from the Tennessee and Kentucky line. Wood left two children on the Ohio, Hal, who married a O'Malveny, and Judy, who had married Lorril or Laurel Harrison. "Roaring Billy" got his name from his peculiar manner of halloing when intoxicated. He died in 1825, and his remains rest at Old Union. He was a man of a great deal of natural dignity, and a share of what is now known as gas. Besides the children already mentioned he left two sons Alfred and Anderson. Alfred married a Jackson. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Jane Jackson (Mary's mother), after her first husband's death, married the then somewhat noted Dr. Chipps."

"Anderson Wood married Martha, daughter of Jacob Norton. Jacob vetoed but they were unanimous and the bill passed over his veto, as usual. Martha was at the gap, milking the cows: Anderson rode up, Martha jumped up behind him, and away they went. When Norton moved away, not a great while after, Woods went with him, but in a few years returned, and in 1836 was a candidate for the Legislature. He died the same year as Ab Estes, south side of the public square - taken sick suddenly while in town and dying in less than 24 hours. Norton came and took W's family to the "Hatchie" in southwest Tennessee. (When Norton left Alfred Wood bought his place)".

In "Perrins History" it states that "In the Spring of 1824, the wife of Felix McBride was buried at Union Cemetery, close beside the grave of "Roarin Billy" Wood. (P. 291), and also stated that he came to the County of Jefferson about 1819, and raised a large family. (P. 346). The dates given do not correspond with those given in the article by Johnson.

"Roaring Billy Wood, while in Jefferson Co., Ill., had a stable of quarter horses, and he had Thomas Lacey ride them in the "Muster Day" meets. This Thomas Lacey was a son of Linel and Ann Rankin Lacey, who had lived for a while on the Red River in Tennessee, from whence the Widow Hawkins came, and it is barely possible that the Hawkins and Lacey families were acquainted before they came to Illinois.

Wood Marriages in Jefferson Co., Ill. on Record Up to 1863.

Wood, Robert A. and Martha Norton	9-2-1823. Zadock Casey, M.G.
Wood, James H. and Rachel Black	8-24-1831. Harvey T. Pace, Esq.
Wood, John D. and Henrietta Fulton	1-10-1833. Orceneth Fisher, M.G.
Wood, Leonard W. and Harriett McKinney	3-25-1841. John Trott, J.P.
Wood, William and Elizabeth Bedford	11-17-1841. Noah Johnston, J.P.
Wood, James and Peggy Ann Dial	3-21-1844. S. Patterson, J.P.

Wood, B. T. and P. C. Casey	9-16-1846.	John T. Johnson, M.G.
Wood, George Marian and Mary Catherine Elliston	3-7-1851.	Napoleon Bolling, J.P.
Wood, Samuel and Marsena Williams	2-4-1852.	Wm. B. Johnson, J.P.
Wood, Edward B. and Velinda R. V. Casey	10-6-1852.	Wm. W. Mitchell, M.G.
Wood, Francis M. and Sarah M. Byard	9-7-1855.	T. M. Casey, J.P.
Wood, Leonard W. and Permelia Green	9-25-1856.	John H. Watson, J.P.
Wood, William and Viva N. Vance	2-25-1859.	Wm. F. Scott, J.P.
Wood, Francis M. and Alice C. Cunningham	4-26-1860.	John W. Lane, M.G.
Wood, Francis M. and Susan J. Fry	7-17-1861.	B.E. Wells, J.P.
Wood, Martin V. and Mahula Haney	3-7-1863.	Robt. S. Young, J.P.
Wood, Zacariah W. and Perlina Meadors	8-13-1863.	B.E. Wells, J.P.

Chronological Formation of Pertinent Illinois Counties.

St. Clair	1809	Union	1818
Williamson	1809	Franklin	1818
Randolph	1809	Washington	1818
Johnson	1812	Jefferson	1819
Gallatin	1812	Wayne	1819
Edwards	1814	Hamilton	1821
White	1815	Wabash	1824
Pope	1816	Vermilion	1836
Jackson	1816	Perry	1827
Monroe	1816	Hardin	1839
Saline	1817	Massac	1843

Some Goodners whose Family Connection Has Not Been Definitely Established.

In addition to those already mentioned elsewhere, there are some Goodners, whose names we find in various records, whose exact relationship with known lines have not been definitely established. There is no question about a relationship existing, - the difficulty being that some lines are incomplete.

In the official census records of Vermilion Co., Ill., we find the following whom we cannot place:-

John Goodner. Census 1860, age 40 (b. 1820), Birthplace Indiana. Having real property in the amount of \$58,000.00 and personal property of \$9,000.00, living in Blount Township. Listed in his household were:-

June (wife),	age 35.	b. 1825	Born Ind.
Marion Goodner	age 15.	b. 1845	Born Ind.
Jackson Goodner	age 10.	b. 1850	Born Ill.
James Goodner	age 9.	b. 1851	Born Ill.
Catherine Goodner	age 5.	b. 1855	Born Ill.
Fairmont Goodner	age 3.	b. 1857	Born Ill.

(This family is not shown in the 1870 census of Vermilion, and therefore we conclude they moved away.)

Elisher Goodner, Census 1860, age 34 (b. 1836), birthplace Illinois. Lived in Blount Township. In his household were the following:-

Polly A. Goodner (wife)	age 30.	b. 1830	Born Ill.
Samuel Goodner	age 12.	b. 1848	Born Ill.
Cleantha A. Goodner	age 10.	b. 1850	Born Ill.
Lafayette A. Goodner	age 8.	b. 1852	Born Ill.
Geo. Washington Goodner	age 5.	b. 1855	Born Ill.
Andrew Jackson Goodner	age 5.	b. 1855	Born Ill.
Ezoniah Goodner	age 3.	b. 1857	Born Ill.
Labinia Belle Goodner	age 1.	b. 1859	Born Ill.

This family is shown in the 1870 census of Vermilion with Polly A. as head of the household, indicating that the father, Elisher, died between the dates on which the two censuses were taken. Mrs. Huldah Finley in her chart shows Elisher to be the son of Joel Goodner, but this does not correspond with known sons of Joel. Therefore the matter is unsettled.

Ephriam Goodner, 1860 census, age 37 (b. 1823), birthplace Ohio, occupation, wagon maker, living in Elwood Township. In his household is listed the following:-

Mary A. Goodner (wife)	age 35.	b. 1825	Born Tenn.
Hannah Goodner	age 9.	b. 1851	Born Ill.

John C. Goodner	age 4	b. 1856	Born Ill.
Ackey Goodner	age 9/12	b. 1859/60	Born Ill.

Simon Goodner, 1860 census, age 50 (b. 1810), birthplace Ohio, living in Middlefork. In his household are listed:-

Elizabeth Goodner (wife)	age 35.	b. 1825	Born Ohio
William Goodner	age 18.	b. 1842	Born Ind.
John Goodner	age 17.	b. 1843	Born Ind.
Elizabeth Goodner	age 5.	b. 1855	Born Ill.
Arthur Goodner	age 5.	b. 1855	Born Ill.
Rhoda Goodner	age 7.	b. 1853	Born Ill.

(Neither of the families of Ephriam and Simon are shown in the 1870 census of Vermilion County, indicating removal to other locations.)

Caroline Goodner, age 13, (b. 1847), birthplace Illinois, listed with family of Anthony Gephart, and wife, Ellen, in Elwood Township.

Susan Goodner, age 15 (b. 1845) Census 1860. Living with family of Leonard Hathaway, in which was also living a George Swisher and Elizabeth Swisher, the latter being the Elizabeth who was a sister to Walter Goodner.

Ella Goodner, 1870 Census, age 20 (b. 1850), birthplace Illinois, listed in family of John and Virna Newton, in Georgetown Township. Ella, on 3-25-1880, married in Vermilion County, Ulysses Grant Pangburn, John J. Cosatt, Minister.

Mary A. Goodner, 1870 census, age 23 (b. 1847), birthplace, Illinois, listed in family of James and Martha Canada in Pilot Township.

Martha Goodner, census 1870, age 18 (b. 1852), birthplace, Illinois, listed in family of Charles and Lucinda Knowland in Vance Township.

Jonathan Goodner, 1860 census, age 47 (b. 1813), birthplace Ohio, and wife, Melinda, age 44 (b. 1816), birthplace Indiana, living in Elwood Township.

Nathan Goodner, 1860 census, age 35 (b. 1825), birthplace Ohio, living with family of Jonathan and Melinda Goodner in Elwood Township.

From Marriage Records of Vermilion Co., Ill. (Identity of Goodners unknown, except for John.)

Lucinda Goodner married Jos. H. Dumbar, 8-9-1849. Henry H. Gunn, Minister.

Mary E. Goodner married David Cosatt, 1-11-1874. Andrew Copeland, Minister.

George E. Goodner, age 51 (b. 1862), married Mary E. Carpenter, age 42 (b. 1871), 8-23-1913, Preston A. Wood, M.G. George E. is shown as being the son of Marshall Goodner and Albina Fowler, and his birthplace given as Fountain Co., Indiana, and occupation carpenter. Mary E. is shown as having been the daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Dein) Carpenter.

Catherine Goodner, wife of William Parnell of Clay Co., Ill., had a daughter, Eliza A. Lenover, born 1848 in Clay Co., supposedly, who married John Goodner, 2-15-1888, in Georgetown, Ill. This was John's 3rd marriage, and may have been Eliza's second.

Ohio County, Indiana. Census 1860.

William Goodner, age 26 (b. 1834), birthplace, Indiana, and wife, Elvira, age 23, (b. 1837), birthplace Indiana, and one child, Lorrie Bell, age 2, (b. 1858)

Jane Goodner, age 45, (b. 1825, 1870 census, shown living with family of Richard and Ann Martin, in Rising Sun, Randolph Township.

Long-Taggart-Slaymaker. John A. Long, father of Minnie Long Lacey, was born in Frederick Co., Md., 11-10-1825, and died in Clark Co., Ohio, 7-2-1904, interment in the New Carlisle Cemetery, New Carlisle, Ohio. He followed farming all his life. He married in either Frederick or Washington County, Md., Susannah Taggart, 12-16-1847. They had ten children of whom Minnie was the youngest. John was a son of George Long and Elizabeth Hawver (Hauver) of Frederick and Washington Co., Md. George was a shoemaker by trade, and was a veteran of the War of 1812, for which service he re-

ceived a pension. George Long was born in Frederick Co., Md., 4-4-1796. His parentage has not been definitely established at this writing. He died in Smithsburg, Washington Co., Md., 2-10-1888, lacking two months of being 92 years of age. He was interred in the Smithsburg Cemetery, Smithsburg, Md.

Elizabeth, his wife, born 10-27 or 28-1795, was a daughter of George Hauver, Sr., of Frederick Co., Md. She married George Long, 11-22-1817, Frederick Co., Md. She died 11-3-1851, Smithsburg, Md., and was interred in the Lutheran Church Cemetery there. George Hauver, Sr. was a great grandson of Christian Hawver (Hauver) the original emigrant. Both the Longs and Hauvers were of German stock.

Jesse Taggart, the father of Susannah Taggart, wife of John A. Long, was born in Pennsylvania in 1785. He died in Washington County, Md., between the years 1850 and 1860, as did his wife, who was the former Susannah Slaymaker of Frederick Co., Md. Susannah was born in 1792, in Lancaster Co., Pa., a daughter of William Slaymaker, born Lancaster Co., Pa., about 1764, and his first cousin, Agilis Slaymaker.

William Slaymaker was a son of John Slaymaker (1733-1796) and Elizabeth White (d. 1803) of Lancaster County, Pa. He served as waggoner in the ill fated Braddock Campaign in the French and Indian War, and was also a soldier in the Revolutionary War. In 1776 he marched at the head of a company to Bergen, New Jersey, and took part in the skirmish of Chestnut Hill under General Bull when Bull was taken prisoner. In 1777 he was in Capt. John Boyd's Battalion of Lancaster Co. Militia.

John Slaymaker was the third son of Matthias Slaymaker (Schleiermacher), who was born in Hesse Castle, Germany, and emigrated to America in 1710, settling in Lancaster County on a tract of 1000 acres, which he purchased from the London Company. He married in Germany Catherine-----, and had five sons and two daughters. He died in 1762 at an advanced age and was buried in the old Leacock Cemetery at the Leacock Presbyterian Church near the city of Lancaster, Pa., the burial site of many of the family. The date of birth of Matthias is estimated at about 1685.

Agilis Slaymaker, wife of William Slaymaker and mother of Susannah Taggart, was a daughter of Daniel Slaymaker (d. 1801) of Lancaster Co., Pa., and his wife, Agilis Young. Daniel was also in the Braddock Campaign, with his brother John, and was a soldier in the Revolutionary War, serving in the Lancaster County Militia. He married Agilis Young, whose parents came from North Ireland and settled in the Cumberland Valley near Shippensburg. During an Indian uprising the families fled for their lives, and her parents moved to Lancaster County. John and Daniel, together with their wives, lie buried in the Leacock Cemetery at the Leacock Presbyterian Church near Lancaster, Pa.

Flora Mae Ice Howard m: 2nd: Newell Vernon Dean, 6-18-1957, (b. 10-18-1910, son of John Dean.) Farmer. Baptist. Res: Rt. #1, Bonita, Texas. Ch: 2c. Clela Jay Dean, b. 1951. (Page 219)

Cassidy. (Received too late for inclusion in main copy) P. 300. Ch: 1i. Russell Daun Cassidy, b. 6-26-1960.

Bollman. (Page 300). Suc Ann Bollman m: James Nelson Bowen, 10-24-1959. (b. 12-1-1940) Ch: 1i: Timothy Alan Bowen, b. 7-22-1960.

Bopp-Linss.(P. 301.) Edward W. Bopp, b. 1-28-1878, Baldwin, Mo., one of nine children of Henry Bopp and Marie Louise Kessler of St. Louis, Mo. d. Webster Groves, Mo., 1950-1955. Son of Sebastian Bopp and Mary Milt, immigrants from Darmstadt, Germany. Sebastian Bopp settled in Bonhomme Twp., St. Louis County, acquiring 160 acres of land which he farmed until 1876, when he sold it and purchased the old Kessler farm of 150 acres near Baldwin, Mo. Religion, - Methodist. Henry Bopp entered 100 acres of land, property of his wife, gradually increasing his holdings to 500 acres, all of which he sold in 1916 to the Calla Lilly Dairy. Henry m: Mary Louise Kessler 1-3-1871. (d. 9-22-1902. Dau. Louis Kessler) Henry later -6-23-1907- m: Mrs. F.M. Turley, nee Mary Lincoln Lane, dau. of Col. G.M. Lane, formerly a U. S. Marshall and a member of the Legislature. The Lanes came from Ohio in 1873, and Mary had 3 children by Mr. Turley. Edward W. Bopp m: Lyda Linss, 11-26-1902, St. Louis Co., Mo. She was one of nine children of Oscar Linss and Olive Andrea, d. 1959 at home of dau. Mrs. Ollie Lacey in Webster Groves, Mo. Oscar Linss was born in Augusta, Mo. Olive Andrea was dau. of Frederick Andrae (Interred Boxley Cemetery near Gumbo, Mo.), and granddaughter of Cornelius Andrae (Interred Bonhomme Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Bonhomme Twp., St. Louis Co., Mo.)

Miller-Brady.(P. 301.) Marguerite Houston Miller was one of nine children of Henry Miller and Margaret Brady. Henry Miller, b. 1864, Hannibal, Mo., son of Phil Miller, street commissioner, and immigrant, with his wife, from Switzerland.

Henry's start in life was humble, starting at 15 as a boilermaker's apprentice in the old Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad. His progress was rapid, and after holding various jobs with various roads he became general superintendant of the Burlington Lines, later Vice-President and General Manager of the Wabash Railroad. In 1917, he was appointed by President Wilson as Vice-Chairman of the Stevens Commission to rehabilitate the Russian railroads, at which time he was still with the Wabash. In 1920, he became President of the Terminal Railroad Association in St. Louis, which position he held until retirement. He died 4-22-1956, age 93 years, interment in Calvary Cemetery Mausoleum, St. Louis. His wife, Margaret Brady, (b. 7-7-1864, Hannibal, Mo. d. 1937, St. Louis.) was the 4th child of Patrick Brady and Mary Dolan, both of the Catholic faith. Patrick was born in 1830 in County Longford, Leinster, Ireland, and emigrated to this country in 1856, settling in Chicago. Mary Dolan, born abt. 1828 in County Leitrim, Connaught, Ireland, came to this country, ostensibly with her parents, in 1846. She and Patrick were married in Chicago in 1857, and shortly thereafter moved to Hannibal, Mo. Patrick died in 1880, and Mary in 1900, in Hannibal, where they were interred.

The "Goodner Estate".

This history would not be complete if mention was not made of the "Goodner estate". It seems that almost every one in the Goodner clan has heard at one time or another something about an "estate", or inheritance, and the subject has had, and still does, some appealing and fascinating facets, although to be realistic we must recognize that we are now too far removed from the time and place to profit from pursuing it, except in-so-far as to what information might be revealed on the family.

The tradition of an "estate" has been at times quite strong in all of the various lines with the possible exception of that of Henry. Among the descendants of Jacob, Walter, and Elizabeth, all children of "Peter" and Mary Goodner, and among those of Conrad, the matter has flared up at various times in past years. Of what the "estate" consisted, the tradition varied between the descendants of the various family branches.

In the case of the descendants of Walter, Jacob, and Elizabeth, it consisted of water frontage (5000 acres according to one statement.), leased for 99 years to the predecessors of the North German Lloyd Steamship Co., and which was used for wharf purposes. Some held to the belief that the lands were located in New York State, and some believed the lands were in Germany, the latter belief seemingly having the greater credence. In the Conrad Goodner line, the "estate" was thought to consist of farming and forest lands. The name Goodner in German was spelled "Güttener", according to records in Conrad's Bible (see Conrad's "Pension Papers"), and has been interpreted as meaning "the owner of an estate".

It was reported that as early as the year 1870 or so there appeared an advertisement, or notice, in some German language newspapers, as well as some in the English language, seeking Goodner heirs. Hugh C. Goodner stated that such a notice appeared in a Belleville, Ill., German language paper. And it was also stated that in the Oct. 19th, 1890 issue of the Cincinnati Volks Blatt, a German language newspaper, an item appeared as follows:-

"To legal heirs of the late Jacob Goodner whose lease expired with W.H. Boock, 1885. Said heirs may file their claims with Hall Page & Co., Counselors in Charge, New York, Newark."

These old Volks Blatt papers are still in the files of the Cincinnati Public Library, fragile with deterioration; they must be handled with great care. I made a careful search for this notice on two occasions, but was unable to locate it. To be sure, my knowledge of the German language is very limited but I felt that I would be able to recognize it through the names mentioned. These old papers possessed no classified format as exist in the newspapers today, and the notice could have appeared anywhere, necessitating a line by line search on every page.

Dr. George W. Goodner, a Conrad descendant, went to Germany during the Franco-Prussian War (1870-1875) to study sanitary conditions in the army, and he was requested while there to investigate the estate story. He was told in Germany that after 100 years estates - unsettled estates I suppose - reverted back to the Government and were placed in an "Education Fund". This caused him to lose interest and he pursued the matter no further. Evidently he was unaware of the possible existence of a long term lease, and was thinking only of a landed estate.

The story of the lease as I have it is that it was entered into in 1801, either by Jacob Goodner or by George Swisher, who at the time was husband of Jacob's sister, Elizabeth. Some have it that it was a Michael Goodner who executed the lease. If the lease expired in 1885, as supposedly stated in the item in the Volks Blatt paper, then it would have made the date of execution in the year 1795, at which time Jacob was not of legal age. It was reported that the lease was in the possession of William Hathaway, a descendant of Elizabeth, and that it became lost when his home was destroyed by fire. It is strange indeed that a paper as highly valuable as this one was reported to have been, involving "millions", should not have been kept in a safety vault. An attorney, G.E. Daniels of Minneapolis, was in 1927 very much interested in pursuing the matter, and wanted, I have been informed, \$150.00 from each family to cover fees and expenses of a trip to Germany. Perhaps the size of the fee offered plus a paid expense trip to Germany was the principle thing in which he was interested. In the course of his work, Mr. Daniels stated that his office was broken into and valuable papers pertaining to the investigation had been stolen.

In reply to a series of questions asked by the attorney, Mr. Daniels, Ike Swisher replied as follows:-

"Boyceville, Wis. R. 1
March 30, 1927

Mr. G.E. Daniels
202 Lincoln Bldg. 3rd St. at Niccolet
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

In response to your letter of the 26th in regard to the above matter, will answer your questions consecutively as follows:

1. I am informed and believe that there is an estate in Germany in which I and other heirs have an interest, by statements made by my Grandmother and Grandfather in regard to same, -further by representations and conversations with Attorneys in New York City. Further, William Hathaway, who is a grandson of the above deceased, informs me that his Grandparents told him of land being located in Germany which would sometime come to the heirs.
2. This estate consists of land, and upon information and belief, will state that it is used for dock purposes by the Lloyd Steamship Company.
3. I have no direct knowledge of the value of said property, only that it has been stated to me by Attorneys from New York that it was worth from forty to sixty million dollars.
4. I am sure I am one of the rightful heirs of the above deceased, as I have traced my ancestry to them; further William Hathaway, who has personal knowledge of his Grandparents, is a cousin to me.
5. I know that this property was leased to the Lloyd Steamship Company, through information obtained from said William Hathaway, who resides here, and whose Grandparents told him of the lease to said company.
6. The Attorneys from New York did not state who they represented.
7. See answer to question 5.
8. Not certain that this estate came from Jacob and Walter Goodner.
9. I do not know whether or not the wife of George Swisher was related to Jacob and Walter Goodner.
10. I am certain that George Swisher's wife was a Goodner before her marriage.
11. I have no absolute proof that this estate is in Germany and no proof of its value except as stated above.
12. I cannot furnish an affidavit that the property is there except insofar as I would state on information and belief that it is there.
13. There are four of us here who will sign affidavit to the effect that on information and belief there is property for the heirs of the above deceased.
14. The names of the four heirs here follows:-

William Hathaway,	Menomonie, Wis. R. 8.
Lewis Emerson,	Knapp, Wis. R. 2
Farrel Hathaway,	Menomonie, Wis. R. 8.
Ike Swisher,	Boyceville, Wis. R. 1.

If there is any further information regarding above please write me.

Yours truly,

Ike Swisher "

Although a considerable amount of time was spent on the matter, especially by Mrs. Hulda Finley of Grand Blanc, Mich., nothing was ever accomplished in the way of tangible results. Interest gradually waned, and there the matter now stands. I never heard mentioned the name of the law firm, or attorneys, whom Mr. Swisher mentions in his letter. My personal knowledge of the matter dates several years later than the year 1927, after interest had greatly subsided.

With no proof of the lease, nothing in the way of evidence, with no knowledge by the family of the names of the principals involved or of the exact location of the property and with no clear ancestral record of descent from the supposed Goodner forebear who executed the document, and with no concerted and determined effort to push the claims of the heirs, the attorneys for the lessee probably arrived at the conclusion that the heirs could not prove their claim in court and that the lessee had nothing to worry about, having conformed to the law requiring proper advertisements in the newspapers. Now with the various changes of government in Germany, their various wars, the devaluation and remonetization of the currency, and taxes, the possibilities of realizing anything money-wise, even in pursuing the matter with the most gifted and influential counsel, is in my opinion non-existent.

As to the tradition in the Conrad Goodner line, I can only say that it is a tradition in the strictest sense. Not one stitch of evidence, not one fact, not even a clue can be found.

In spite of these things, or because of them, there will always be a mixed feeling of curiosity and credulity about the "estate" a speculation as to it's actual existence, and along with it similar curiosity and speculation as to the unsolved identity of the Continental Goodner family.

Harry Hager (Page 334): Saw fiter. Presbyterian. Served 4 years in the Infantry. m: Eunice Armstrong, 2-7-1959, Galena, Ill. (dau. John Armstrong of Hanover, Ill.) No issue.

Harry Hancock Cordes (b. 10-10-1880, Maderia, O. d. 12-21-1951, Montgomery, O. Interred Hopewell Cemetery, Montgomery, O.), seventh child of eight children of Henry William Cordes and Martha Myers. m: Selma Bohsdorf. 10-6-1902, Cincinnati, O. (Page 299)

Henry William Cordes, (Heinrich Wilhelm), born 10-30-1842, Grand-Duchy, of Oldenburg, Germany, emigrated to America prior to Civil War, in which he served as private in the 9th Reg. Ohio Volunteers, Co. B, enlisting at Camp Dennison, 5-27-1861, and discharged 6-7-1864. Re-enlisted 9-13-1864 at Camp Dennison in 183rd Reg. Ohio Volunteers, mustered in 10-17-1864, as Corporal, and was discharged 7-17-1865, at Salisbury, N.C. After discharge resided in Camp Dennison, Madisonville, Maderia, all in Ohio, and in California, Ky. Died 10-29-1903; interred in Camp Dennison, Ohio. m: Martha G. Myers, 10-30-1866, Cincinnati. Martha Griffith Myers was of English extraction, dau. of Henry Myers. After children were all born and grown, he divorced Martha and married Frances Thomson, of whom no issue.

Selma Bohsdorf, wife of Harry Hancock Cordes, born 12-24-1882, Cincinnati, O., dau. of Frederick William Robert Bohsdorf and Adelaide Bookholtz, married Cincinnati, 1879. Frederick was born in Berlin, Germany, 3-27-1852, son of Godfrey Bohsdorf (b. 1806. d. 1867 in Germany) and Caroline Groeshmer. Godfrey was born in Torgau, Germany, and Caroline was born in Albing, Germany. Frederick emigrated to U.S. in 1882, embarking from Germany March 12th, and settled in Cincinnati, where he died about 1922, and interred in Walnut Hills cemetery, where Adelaide, his wife, is also buried.

The antecedents of Henry William Cordes are shown in the detailed chart, which was created after considerable investigation and research by Mrs. Elly Jacobi, nee Jurgens, Ehnerstrasse 160, Oldenburg, Olds., Germany, and sent to Martha Cordes Lacey abt. 1950. Mrs. Jacobi is a descendant of the Cordes family still residing in Germany.

Cord Albers
b. about 1658
+ 24. Okt. 1719.

Sohn:
Meinert Cordes
married 25. June 1722
Elizabeth Cornelius
father: Jacob Cornelius

Meent J t z e n
married with Garbrich N.N.
1602. 1613. 1623.

Ulbern M e e n t z e n
born 1609. 1641. 1658.
married 20. April 1636 with
Alcke Storen auf den Ahnteich

J d e U l b e r s
born 17. March 1646
+ 7. June 1713 married 1)
since 20. April 1672 with Grete Webers
+ 26. Oct. 1681, 2) since 11 Febr. 1682
with Wibke Tebben, 3) since 30. June 1696
with Engel Segebade in Mohrsinger Sande
+ 15. Jan. 1726 in Atens

J d e U l b e r s
born 17.8. 1697.
+ 22. April 1738
married since 19. Oct. 1717 with Frouve
Margarete Franksen aus Burhave born 1702

16 Mr. Uragrob-vater 10. Sept. 1725 Overbeckum † 20. April 1778 15. July 1731	17 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Grete E v l e i s no statements	18 Mr. Uragrob-vater Meinert P e t e r s † 14. Febr. 1724 Overbeckum † 21. Nov. 1800 9. May 1747	19 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Nille Cordlanger no statements	20 Mr. Uragrob-vater Jonann D i e r k s e n no statements	21 Mr. Uragrob-mutter no statements (v. deeds)	22 Mr. Uragrob-vater Anno Geisteden no statements	23 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Stauke Geisteden born? no statements. (v. deeds)	24 Mr. Uragrob-vater Joh. U l b e r s † 1. Febr. 1723 † 1. Febr. 1760 14. Febr. 1744	25 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Catharine Wilms zu Rodden † 1. April 1726 in Roddens † 14. Okt. 1779 Esensham	26 Mr. Uragrob-vater Hayo Hayssen about 1720 † Vaterm. Heilrich Hayssen, Vaterm. v. d. Hosten	27 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Metcke Marie Lürsen † dauth. v. Otto Lürssen, † Twisteru	28 Mr. Uragrob-vater Wilhelm Lunschen † Farmer † 3. Jan. 1724 Bidewarden † 2. Febr. 1782	29 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Helene Martens † 16. April 1729 † 6. July 1801	30 Mr. Uragrob-vater Diedrich Renken † 9. Aug. 1721 † 10. Dec. 1786 4. Aug. 1746	31 Mr. Uragrob-mutter Sophie Altmann † 18. June 1726 † 17. Nov. 1768
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8 Mr. Großvater Cornelius Cordes † Farmer ev. † 9. Febr. 1769 13. April 1788 in Rodenkirchen	9 Mr. Großmutter Frouwe Margarete Peters † Farmer ev. no statements	10 Mr. Großvater Reinhard Dierksen † Hausmann ev. † Indavendorfersande no statements	11 Mr. Großmutter Anna Elisabeth Geisteden † Farmer ev. no statements	12 Mr. Großvater Wilhelm Ulbers † Landwirt ev. † 19. 10. 1754 † 19. März 1799 23. Sept. 1777 Esensham	13 Mr. Großmutter Frouwe Margarete Hayssen † ev. † 30. Daz. 1759 † 28. Febr. 1825	14 Mr. Großvater Heinr. Lunschen † Farmer ev. † 18. July 1752 † 3. Dec. 1827 3. Aug. 1775 in Bidewarden	15 Mr. Großmutter Martha Renken † ev. † 8. Dec. 1757 † 1809
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4 Großvater Johann Hinrich Cordes † Hausmann ev. † 27. April 1792 Overbeckum † 28. March 1867 24. June 1813 Rodenkirchen	5 Großmutter Anna Dierksen † Farmerin ev. † 10. July 1793 Hafendorfersande about 1865	6 Großvater Adde Ulbers † Farmer ev. † 11. Jan. 1788 in Esensham † 31. March 1837 in Abbehausergroden 21. Aug. 1807	7 Großmutter Becke Lunschen, Bidewarden † ev. † 14. März 1790 Bidearden † 18. Okt. 1833 in Abbehausergroden 5. 4.
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SeiGeneklärung:
 B = Beruf, Stand
 Kf = Konfession u. St. der Geburt
 * = geboren □ = gefauft
 + = gestorben □ = begraben
 ∞ = Eheverbindung K = Zahl d. Kinder
 S = Söhne T = Töchter
 Jahreszahlen stets vollständig angeben
 (z. B. nicht: 8. 5. 22, sondern 8. 5. 1822)
 Die Zahlen in den kleinen Quadraten bedeuten:
 Augen: Haare: Gestalt:
 1 blau 9 hellblond 16 groß
 2 grau 10 dunkelblond 17 mittelgroß
 3 hellbraun 11 bräunlich 18 klein
 4 dunkelbraun 12 schwarzbraun 19 schlank
 5 schwarzbraun 13 rot 20 vollschlank
 6 14 21 beiebt
 7.6 15 22 26 Johue, Wucht

Krankheiten:
 23 Herz
 24 Magen
 25 Leber
 26 Lunge
 27 Nieren
 34

Mein Name (Stammung)
 1 Heinrich Wilhelm Cordes
 * 30. Oct. 1842 Hiddingen

Wichtiges und sonstige Veranlagung, Eigenschaften usw. (nach Bedarf ergänzen)
 47 begabt
 48 wenig begabt
 49 strebsam
 50 fleißig
 51 träge
 52 schwerfällig
 53 leichtsinnig
 54 sparfam
 55 faßlich
 56 reichhabend
 57 wahrheitsliebend
 58 ähnslich
 59 egoistisch
 60 aufopfernd
 61 kriminell
 62 wissenschaftlich
 63 praktisch
 64 musikalisch
 65 bildnerisch
 66 dichtend
 67 fechtend
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Todesursachen:
 37 Alter
 38 Herzschlag
 39 Unfall
 40 Krebs
 41 längere Krankheit
 42 Gefallen
 43 Freitod
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Year 1790. Guilford County, North Carolina.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>
Mary Goodner	-	-	3	3	-
Benjamin White	2	2	4	-	-
Michael Finley	2	1	3	-	-
Josiah Findley	1	2	3	-	-
James Findley	1	-	5	-	-
James Cunningham	3	-	1	-	-
John Cunningham	1	1	2	-	3
James Conner	1	2	5	-	-
Joseph Jackson	1	1	3	-	-
Joseph Jackson	1	2	1	-	-
William Jackson	2	-	5	-	-
William Jackson, Jr.	1	2	3	-	-
William Loakey	1	3	5	-	-
John Loakey	2	2	3	-	-
William Downey	1	3	3	-	-

EXPLANATION.
 1. Free White Males and older, including heads of families
 2. Free White Males Under 16.
 3. Free White Females including heads of families
 4. All other free persons.
 5. Slaves of all ages.

All the above in the Salisbury District

Year 1790. Orange County, North Carolina. Hillsborough District.

John Strader)	Data on Family not given
William Jackson)	
William Jackson, Sr.)	
Isaac Jackson)	
James Jackson)	
Jacob Jackson)	
William Jackson)	
John Straders)	
George Straders)	
Henry Straders)	
Jonathan Jordan)	
Robert Jordan)	
Enos Jordan)	
Thomas Jordan)	
Peter Tickel)	
John Tickel)	
Henry White)	
John Pate)	
James Pate- Carpenter)	
Hugh Finley)	
Andrew Smith)	
John Smith)	

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1790. Rockingham County, North Carolina. Salisbury District.

John Conner	2	-	2	-	-
Thomas Conner	1	-	2	-	-
Andrew Conner	3	1	1	-	-
James Conner	2	-	1	-	-
John Cunningham, Jr.	1	-	1	-	-
John Cunningham	1	1	2	-	-
Jos. Cunningham	3	-	3	-	-
William Cunningham	-	-	2	-	-

Year 1800. Guilford County, North Carolina. Salisbury District.

	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>
Henry Goodner	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-
Walter Goodner	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Isaac Fryar	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-
John Swisher	3	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Isaac Fryar	1	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
William Jackson, Sr.	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
William Jackson	2	2	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	2
John Cunningham	2	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	9
Walter Goodner	1	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	8
George Swisher	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-

Year 1800. Orange Co., North Carolina. Hillsboro.

William Lokey	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	-
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Explanation of Numbers above.

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| 1. White males under 10 years | 5. White males over 45 years | 9. Females 26-40 years |
| 2. White males 10-16 years | 6. Females under 10 years | 10. Females over 40 years |
| 3. White males 16-26-years | 7. Females 10-16 years | 11. Free persons of Colored |
| 4. White males 26-45 years | 8. Females 16-26 years | 12. Slaves of all ages |

Year 1810. Washington County, Virginia.

<u>Head of Household</u>	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
Jacob Goodner	1 under 10	1 under 10
	1 10-16	1 10-16
	2 16-26	1 26-45
	1 26-45	

1830. McNairy County, Tennessee.

John C. Goodner	2 under 5	1 10-15
	1 20-30	1 20-30
		1 60-70

1840. Wayne County, Tennessee

John C. Goodner	2 1-5	1 1-5
	1 5-10	1 30-40
	2 10-15	
	1 30-40	

1850. Tippah County, Mississippi.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH.</u>
Thomas Fryar	46	M	Farmer	N. C.
Francis Fryar	40	F		N. C.
Henry Fryar	24	M		Tenn.
John Fryar	21	M		Tenn.
William Fryar	19	M		Tenn.
Martha Fryar	16	F		Miss.
Thomas Fryar	6	M		Miss.
David Goodner	25	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Henry Goodner	22	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Myrna Goodner	22	F		Ala.
David Goodner	2	M		Miss.
Malvina Goodner	3/12	F		Miss.
John C. Goodner	47	M	Farmer	----
Susannah Goodner	45	F		Ga.
James Goodner	17	M		Tenn.
John Goodner	14	M		Tenn.
Malvina Goodner	13	F		Tenn.
Guilford Goodner	11	M		Tenn.
Elinor Goodner	78	F		Md.
David M. Goodner	24	M		Ala.
Thomas Eason Goodner	3	M		Miss.

1860. Montgomery County, Arkansas. (Date of census- 6-18-1860.)

John C. Goodner	57	M	Farmer	N. C.
Susannah Goodner	55	F		N. C.
Guilford Goodner	21	M		Ala.
Margaret Fryar	28	F		Ark.
Joseph Fryar	11	M		Ark.
Margaret Fryar	9	F		Ark.
Eva line Fryar	7	F		Ark.
Cornelius Fryar	4	M		Ark.
James Fryar	2	M		Ark.
Martha Fryar	2/12	F		Ark.
Elijah Fryar	19	M		Ark.
James M. Goodner	27	M		Tenn.
Elizabeth Goodner	24	F		Ark.
John Goodner	6	M	(Son of John C.)	Ark.
William Goodner	3	M		Ark.
Francis Goodner	4/12	M		Ark.
Guilford Goodner	21	M	Farmer	Ark.
Mary E. Goodner	20	F		Tenn.
Amos Ridge	27	M	Farmer	Ala.
Elinor E. Ridge	25	F		----
Sarah M. Ridge	6	F		----
David M. Goodner	34	M	Farmer	Ala.
Elizabeth Goodner	34	F		Tenn.
Mary Goodner	8	F		Ark.
George Goodner	4	M		Ark.
David Goodner	1	M		Ark.
John G. Goodner	24	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Ardena Goodner	18	F		Miss.
Martha Goodner	1	F		Ark.
James Fryar	31	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Margaret Fryar	28	F		Tenn.
Nancy Fryar	8	F		Ark.
Richard Fryar	5	M		Ark.
Milly Fryar	4	F		Ark.
Susan Fryar	18	F		Mo.
Thomas Fryar	36	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Polly Fryar	26	F		Ky.
Isaac Fryar	12	M		Miss.
William Fryar	11	M		Miss.
John Fryar	7	M		Ark.
Martha Fryar	6	F		Ark.
Thomas Fryar	4	M		Ark.
Mary Fryar	3	F		Ark.
Isaac Fryar	61	M	Farmer	N. C.
Nancy Fryar*	70	F		N. C.

* Half sister to John C. Goodner.

1860. Montgomery County, Arkansas, Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Elizabeth Fryar	37	F		Tenn.
John Fryar	35	M		Tenn.
Henry Fryar	22	M		Tenn.
Mary A. Fryar	13	F		Miss.
William Fryar	43	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elizabeth Fryar	33	F		Tenn.
Nancy Fryar	14	F		Miss.
Jane Fryar	12	F		Miss.
Dorcas Fryar	10	F		Ark.
Isaac Fryar	8	M		Ark.
William Fryar	6	M		Ark.
Adina Fryar	4	F		Ark.
Nelly Fryar	2	F		Ark.
William Fryar	19	M		Miss.
Henry S. Goodner	33	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Miriam Goodner	32	F		Tenn.
William Goodner	11	M		Miss.
Amanda Goodner	10	F		Miss.
Susannah Goodner	9	F		Miss.
John C. Goodner	8	M		Ark.
James M. Goodner	6	M		Ark.
Nancy Goodner	5	F		Ark.
Mary Goodner	3	F		Ark.
Lucy Goodner	7/12	F		Ark.

1870. Montgomery County, Arkansas.

Henry S. Goodner	42	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Miriam Goodner	42	F		Tenn.
Amanda Goodner	20	F		Miss.
Susannah Goodner	19	F		Miss.
John Goodner	18	M		Ark.
James Goodner	15	M		Ark.
Nancy Goodner	14	F		Ark.
Lucy Goodner	12	F		Ark.
Elizabeth Goodner	10	F		Ark.
Laurena Goodner	9	F		Ark.
Guilford Goodner	4	M		Ark.
Samuel Goodner	3	M		Ark.
Sarah Goodner	1	F		Ark.
William Goodner				
Elizabeth Goodner				
Sarah L. Goodner				
John C. Goodner	66	M	Farmer	----
Sarah Goodner*	40	F		S. C.
George M. Goodner	6	M		Ark.
Thomas J. Goodner	4	M		Ark.
Nancy A. Goodner	2/12	F		Ark.
* Second wife; children by her.				
David Goodner	44	M	Farmer	Ala.
Elizabeth Goodner	44	F		Ala.
Mary F. Goodner	18	F		Ark.
George M. Goodner	14	M		Ark.
William Goodner	7	M		Ark.
James M. Goodner	37	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elizabeth Goodner	35	F		Ark.
John G. Goodner	16	M		Ark.
William B. Goodner	13	M		Ark.
Guilford D. Goodner	7	M		Ark.
Mary J. Goodner	5	F		Ark.
James M. Goodner	6/12	M		Ark.
John G. Goodner	35	M		Tenn.
Ardena Goodner	29	F		----
Martha A. Goodner	12	F		Ark.
Margaret J. Goodner	6	F		Ark.
James F. Goodner	3	M		Ark.
David D. Goodner	3/12	M		Ark.

1840. Tippah County, Mississippi.

<u>Head of Family</u>	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>
Garret Fryar	2 1-5 years	1 1-5 years
	1 10-15 years	2 5-10 years
	1 50-60 years	2 10-15 years
		1 15-20 years
		1 20-30 years
		1 30-40 years
		1 60-70 years

CENSUS RETURNS

1820. Preble County, Ohio

Head of Family
Walter Goodner

Males
1 under 10 years
2 10-16 years
1 16-26 years
1 45 or over

Females
2 under 10 years
1 10-16 years
1 16-26 years
1 26-45 years

1830. Vermilion County, Illinois.

Walter Goodner

1 5-10 years
1 10-15 years
1 15-20 years
1 50-60 years

1 5-10 years
1 10-15 years
1 15-20 years
1 40-50 years

David Goodner

1 20-30 years

1 20-30 years
1 50-60 years

John Goodner

1 under 5 years
2 5-10 years
1 30-40 years

1 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

1840. Vermilion County, Illinois.

Margaret Goodner

1 10-15 years
2 15-20 years

1 under 5 years
1 30-40 years

Walter Goodner

1 5-10 years
1 15-20 years
1 20-30 years
1 40-50 years

2 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
3 15-20 years
1 30-40 years

Walter Goodner

1 5-10 years
1 15-20 years
1 20-30 years
1 60-70 years

2 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
1 15-20 years
2 20-30 years
1 50-60 years

David Goodner

1 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
1 20-30 years

1 under 5 years
2 5-10 years
1 15-20 years
1 70-80 years

Jacob Goodner

1 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

1 15-20

Michael Goodner

2 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
1 10-15 years
1 30-40 years

1 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
1 30-40 years

1850. Vermilion County, Illinois.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Henry Goodner	60	M	Farmer	N. C.
Nancy Goodner	50	F		Pa.
Joel Goodner	36	M	Farmer	Ohio
Lavinia Goodner	31	F		Ohio
Samuel Goodner	16	M		Ill.
Celia L. Goodner	9	F		Ill.
Henry Goodner	28	M	Farmer	Ill.
Susan Goodner	23	F		Ill.
John Goodner	3	M		Ill.
Amos Goodner	1	M		Ill.
Elizabeth Goodner	1	F		Ill.
Jackson Goodner	29	M	Farmer	Ohio
Martha Goodner	24	F		Ky.
James Goodner	7	M		Ill.
John M. Goodner	6	M		---
Mary A. Goodner	4	F		Ill.
Susannah Goodner	1	F		Ill.
Michael Goodner	44	M	Farmer	Ky.
Katherine Goodner	42	F		Ohio
Jacob Goodner	19	M		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	12	M		Ill.
Margaret A. Goodner	10	F		Ill.
David Goodner	6	M		Ill.
Henry Goodner	3	M		Ill.
Nancy Goodner	1	F		Ill.
Walter Goodner	75	M	Farmer	N. C.
Mary Goodner	55	F		Ky.
Sarah Goodner	13	F		Ind.
Thomas F. Huitt	22	M	Farmer	Ky.
Isabel Huitt	18	F		Ind.
Corbin R. Huitt	62	M	Farmer	Va.

1850. Vermilion County, Illinois, Cont'd. Census Taken Aug. 24, 1850.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Andrew J. Huitt	19	M		Ill.
Eli Hewitt	44	M	Farmer	N. C.
Mary Hewitt	52	F		Ky.
David Hewitt	23	M		Ohio
James Hewitt	16	M		Ill.
Mary Hewitt	14	F		Ill.
Nancy Hewitt	13	F		Ill.
Eleanor Prather	84	F		Ind. ?
Jacob Hewitt	30	M		Ohio
Margaret Hewitt	29	F		Ohio
Samuel Hewitt	11	M		Iowa
William Hewitt	8	M		Ill.
Susan Goodner	15	F		Ill.
George Swisher	76	M	Farmer	N. C.
Elizabeth Swisher	72	F		N. C.
(Listed with family of Leonard Hathaway, age 33, and wife, Eliza., age 30)				
Benjamin Goodner	24	M	Farmer	Ohio
Elizabeth Goodner	24	F		Ohio
Matilda Goodner	6	F		Ill.
Jane Goodner	4	F		Ill.
Martha Goodner	2	F		Ill.
Phoebe Goodner	8/12	F		Ill.
David Goodner	42	M	Farmer	Ky.
Elizabeth Goodner	40	F		Va.
Eli Goodner*	19	M		Ill.
Mary Goodner	16	F		Ill.
Samuel Goodner	12	M		Ill.
Catherine Goodner	10	F		Ill.
America Goodner	8	F		Ill.
Priscilla Goodner	6	F		Ill.
Louisa Goodner	5	F		Ill.
Margaret Goodner	4	F		Ill.
Joseph Goodner	6/12	M		Ill.
* (Note: This must have been William E. b. 1830. d. 11-24-1853)				
<u>1860. Vermilion Co., Illinois.</u>				
G. W. Goodner	22	M	Farmer	Ill.
S. E. Goodner	18	F		Ind.
R. B. Goodner	1	F		Ill.
C. A. Goodner	20	F		Ill.
(Living in Carroll Township)				
Jacob Goodner	28	M	Farmer	Ind.
Maria Goodner	18	F		Ill.
(Living in Blount Township.)				
Henry Goodner	36	M	Farmer	Ill.
Susan Goodner	34	F		Ky.
John Goodner	13	M		Ill.
Amos Goodner	11	M		Ill.
Elizabeth Goodner	11	F		Ill.
Leonard Goodner	9	M		Ill.
Susan Goodner	6	F		Ill.
Margaret Goodner	3	F		Ill.
(Living in Blount Township)				
John Goodner	40	M	Farmer	Ind.
June Goodner	35	F	(Showed Real prop. \$58,000.00 and Pers. \$9000.00)	Ind.
Marion Goodner	15	M		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	10	M		Ill.
James Goodner	9	M		Ill.
Fairmont Goodner	3	M		Ill.
Catherine Goodner	5	F		Ill.
(Living in Blount Township.)				
Elisher Goodner	34	M		Ill.
Polly A. Goodner	30	F		Ill.
Samuel Goodner	12	M		Ill.
Cleantha A. Goodner	10	F		Ill.
Lafayette H. Goodner	8	M		Ill.
George Washington Goodner	5	M		Ill.
Andrew Jackson Goodner	5	M		Ill.
Ezoniah Goodner	3	M		Ill.
Lavinia Belle Goodner	1	F		Ill.
(Living in Blount Township)				
Jacob Hewitt	44	M	Farmer	Ohio
Margaret Hewitt	42	F		Ohio
Samuel Hewitt	20	M		Ill.
William Hewitt	15	M		Ind.
Elwood Twp.				

1860. Vermilion Co., Ill., Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
David Hewitt	32	M	Farmer	Ohio
Sarah Hewitt	24	F		Ill.
Henry E. Hewitt	7	M		Ill.
Amanda Hewitt	6	F		Ill.
June E. Hewitt	1	M		Ill.
John Prather	19	M	Farmer	Ind.
Elwood Twp.				
John Hewitt	30	M	Farmer	Ind.
Emiline Hewitt	26	F		Ind.
Martha Hewitt	5	F		Ind.
Sophia Hewitt	4	F		Ill.
Mary J. Hewitt	2	F		Ill.
Eli Hewitt	64	M	Farmer	N. C.
Mary Hewitt	62	F		N. C.
Margaret Hewitt	25	F		Ill.
James Hewitt	26	M		Ill.
Isaac Hewitt	18	M		Ill.
Reuben Hewitt	12	M		Ill.
Residing in Georgetown Township.				
Eli Hewitt	36	M	Farmer	Ohio
Armanda Hewitt	25	F		Ind.
Mary Hewitt	11	F		Ind.
Lewis Hewitt	8	M		Ind.
Emily Hewitt	5	F		Ind.
Sarah Hewitt	2	F		Ind.
Jane Hewitt	2/12	F		Ind.
Michael Goodner	53	M	Farmer	Ky.
Rachel Goodner	49	F	4500 Real.	Ohio
Jackson Goodner	22	M	9000 Pers.	Ill.
Daniel Goodner (David)	16	M		Ill.
J. Henry Goodner	4	M		Ill.
Nancy Goodner	10	F		Ill.
Living in Blount Township				
Ephrain Goodner	37	M	Wagon Maker	Ohio
Mary A. Goodner	35	F	1000 Real.	Tenn.
Hannah Goodner	9	F	7000 Pers.	Ill.
John C. Goodner	4	M		Ill.
Ackey Goodner	9/12	M		Ill.
Living in Elwood Township				
Johathan Goodner	47	M	Farmer	Ohio
Melinda Goodner	44	F	2000 Pers.	Ind.
Nathan Goodner	35	M	3000 Real.	Ohio
Living in Elwood Township				
Walter Goodner	85	M	Farmer	N. C.
Polly Goodner	65	F		Ky.
Living in Elwood Township				
Benjamin Goodner	35	M	Chair Maker	Ohio
Elizabeth Goodner	35	F		Ohio
Matilda Goodner	15	F		Ill.
Jane Goodner	14	F		Ill.
Phoebe Goodner	10	F		Ill.
William L. Goodner	7	F		Ill.
Nancy A. Goodner	6	F		Ill.
Benjamin Goodner	4	M		Ill.
Permelia Goodner	1	F		Ill.
Living in Elwood Township				
Caroline Goodner	13	F		Ill.
Listed with family of Anthony Gephart and wife, Ellen, in Elwood Township)				
Simon Goodner	50	M		Ohio
Elizabeth Goodner	35	F		Ohio
William Goodner	18	M		Ind.
John Goodner	17	M		Ind.
Elizabeth Goodner	5	F		Ill.
Arthur Goodner	5	M		Ill.
Rhoda Goodner	7	F		Ill.
William Davis	18	M		Ill.
Living in Middlefork				
1870. Vermilion Co., Ill.				
Polly A. Goodner	41	F	Housewife	Ill.
Samuel Goodner	21	M		Ill.
Cleantha J. Goodner	20	F		Ill.
Lafayette Goodner	17	M		Ill.
George Washington Goodner	15	M		Ill.
Andrew Jackson Goodner	15	M		Ill.
Azariah Goodner	13	M		Ill.
Lavinia Goodner (B.)	11	F		Ill.

1870. Vermilion Co., Ill., Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Anna L. Goodner	8	F		Ill.
Mary E. Goodner	5	F		Ill.
Eva Goodner	5/12	F		Ill.
Living in Blount Township				
Joseph Hewitt	20	M	Farmer	Pa.
Listed with family of Jas. S. Sconce and wife, Emma, in Carroll Township.				
Josephus Hewitt	19	M		Pa.
Listed with family of Henry and Germina Graybill in Carroll Township.				
Sarah Huiatt	12	F		Ill.
Charles Huiatt	10	M		Ill.
Franklin Huiatt	7	M		Ill.
Listed with family of William Randall and wife, Artimesa, in Catlin Township.				
David Hewitt	44	M	Farmer	Ill.
Sarah Hewitt	36	F		Ohio
Henry Hewitt	18	M		Ill.
Amanda Hewitt	16	F		Ill.
Louisa Hewitt	12	F		Ill.
James Hewitt	11	M		Ill.
Jane Hewitt	8	F		Ill.
John Hewitt	6	M		Ill.
Julia Hewitt	4	F		Ill.
Angie Hewitt	1	F		Ill.
Pheba Griggs	81	F		N. C.
John Lewman	49	M	Farmer	Ill.
Levi Hewitt	18	M		Ill.
Listed with William H. and Elizabeth Brant in Carroll Township.				
Eli Hewitt	64	M	Farmer (16000 Real.	N. C.
Mary Hewitt	72	F	2000 Pers.)	Ky.
Living in Georgetown Township.				
David Hewitt	59	M	Wagon Maker	N. C.
Ann Hewitt	58	F		Pa.
Jane Huiatt	16	F.		Ill.
Listed with Asbury and Maria McVicker.				
Ben. Goodner	50	M	Farmer	Ill.
Lizzie Goodner	45	F		Ill.
Tillie Goodner	20	F		Ill.
Nancy Goodner	16	F		Ill.
Benjamin Goodner	14	M		Ill.
Jo Goodner	9	M		Ill.
John Goodner	7	M		Ill.
Marta (Arminia) Goodner	6	F		Ill.
Charles Goodner	2	M		Ill.
Elizabeth Goodner	11	F		Ill.
Living in Elwood Township.				
Ella Goodner	20	F		Ill.
Listed with family of John Newton and wife, Virna, in Georgetown Township.				
William Goodner	18	M	Appr. Blacksmith	Ill.
Listed with family of John Bennett and wife, Julia, in Georgetown Township.				
Mary A. Goodner	23	F		Ill.
Listed with family of James Canada and wife, Martha, in Pilot Township.				
Joseph Goodner	21	M		Ill.
Catherine Goodner	24	F		Ill.
Living in Pilot Township.				
George W. Goodner	34	M		Ill.
Rosa B. Goodner	11	F		Ill.
Living in Pilot Township.				
Martha Goodner	18	F		Ill.
Listed with family of Charles Knowland and wife, Lucinda, in Vance Township				

1820. Switzerland County, Indiana.

<u>HEAD OF FAMILY</u>	<u>MALES</u>	<u>FEMALES</u>
George Hewitt	2 under 10 years 1 26-45 years	1 under 10 years. 1 16-26 years.

1830. Switzerland County, Indiana.

Michael Goodner	1 under 5 years 1 20-30 years	1 20-30 years
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1840. Switzerland County, Indiana.

Daniel Goodner	1 under 5 years 1 30-50 years	1 20-30 years
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1840. Switzerland County, Indiana, Cont'd.HEAD OF FAMILY

Jackson Goodner

MALES

1 20-30 years

FEMALES2 under 5 years
1 20-30 years.1850. Switzerland Co., Indiana.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Daniel Goodner	38	M	Farmer	Ky.
Charlotte Goodner	30	F		Ky.
Mary Jane Goodner	14	F		Ind.
Jacob Goodner	11	M		Ind.
Elizabeth A. Goodner	8	F		Ind.
William S. Goodner	5	M		Ind.
Hester A. Goodner	5	F		Ind.
William Goodner	25	M	Farmer	Ky.
Edith Goodner	23	F		Ohio
Anabell Goodner	1	F		Ind.
Mary L. (or J.)	1/12	F		Ind.

1860. Switzerland Co., Indiana.

Daniel Goodner	49	M	Farmer	Ky.
Charlotte Goodner	40	F		Ky.
Hester A. Goodner	15	F		Ind.
William S. Goodner	15	M		Ind.
Emeline Goodner	8	F		Ind.
Isaac M. Goodner	5	M		Ind.
Andrew P. Goodner	3	M		Ind.
Enoch Hindman	38	M	Carpenter	Ind.
Melissa J. Hindman	4	F		Ind.
Residing in Pleasant Township, in Bennington.				
Jacob J. Goodner	21	M	Farmer	Ind.
Jane C.V. Goodner	20	F		Ind.
Alvin P. Goodner	5/12	M		Ind.

1870. Switzerland Co., Indiana.

Elizabeth Goodner	34	F		---
Corilla Goodner	3	F		Ind.
Susan Ullery	77	F		Md.
Living in Allenville, Cotton Township.				
William Goodner	26	M	Farmer	Ind.
Harriett M. Goodner	24	F		Ind.
John F. Goodner	6/12	M		Ind.
Living in Allenville, Cotton Township.				
William S. Goodner	25	M	Farmer	Ind.
Polly Goodner	33	F		Ind.
Luella Goodner	10/12	F		Ind.
Living in East Enterprise, Cotton Township.				
William W. Goodner	37	M	Retired Merchant 5600 Real. 900 Pers.	Ind.
Listed in the household of: Andrew Works and wife, Rosanna, in Allenville, Cotton Township.				
Jacob J. Goodner	30	M		Ind.
Elizabeth Goodner	23	F		Ind.
Living in Bennington, Pleasant Township.				
Daniel Goodner	60	M	Farmer. 6000 Real.	Ky.
Charlotte Goodner	50	F	1600 Pers.	Ky.
Isaac M. Goodner	15	M		Ind.
Andrew P. Goodner	13	M		Ind.
Melissa Hindman	14	F		Ind.

1830. Preble County, Ohio.HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian Shearer

MALES1 20-30 years
1 60-70 yearsFEMALES1 5-10 years
1 15-20 years
1 50-60 years

Jesse Shearer

1 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

1 20-30 years

Daniel Shearer

1 5-10 years
2 10-15 years
1 40-50 years1 under 5 years
2 5-10 years
3 10-15 years
1 30-40 years.1820. Dearborn County, Indiana.

Jacob Goodner

1 under 10 years
2 10-16 years
1 18-26 years
1 26-45 years3 under 10 years
1 10-16 years
1 26-45 years

1830. Dearborn County, Indiana.

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

Jacob Goodner
Randolph Township

MALES

1 5-10 years
1 10-15 years
1 15-20 years
1 50-60 years

FEMALES

1 5-10 years
2 10-15 years
1 40-50 years

John Goodner
Union Township

1 30-40 years

2 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

1840. Dearborn County, Indiana.

John Goodner

2 5-10 years
1 40-50 years

1 under 5 years
1 5-10 years
2 10-15 years
1 30-40 years

Robert Hewitt

1 under 5 years
2 5-10 years
1 40-50 years

1 30-40 years
1 50-60 years

Jesse Hewitt

1 30-40 years

1 5-10 years
1 40-50 years

Robert Hewitt

1 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

1 under 5 years
1 20-30 years

(Ohio County was formed from Dearborn in 1844, and the Goodners resided in that portion formed into Ohio County, consequently no Goodners show in the 1850 census of Dearborn)

(Note: In the 1830 census returns of Dearborn County, a Robert Goodner, Goodnir, or Goodmin appears, age 30-40, wife 20-30, and one female under 5. He resided in Laughy Township. The name is not clear, so name could not be determined exactly. No record was found in court house records of a Robert Goodner, so it is believed the name was meant for Goodman (Goodmin.)

1850. Ohio County, Indiana.

NAME

AGE

SEX

OCCUPATION

PLACE OF BIRTH

John Goodner	50	M	Farmer	N. C.
Jane Goodner	42	F		Pa.
William Goodner	18	M		Ind.
Andrew Goodner	16	M		Ind.
Julia Goodner	14	F		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	35	M	Farmer	Ky.
Sarah Goodner	31	F		Ind.
Mary Goodner	12	F		Ind.
James Goodner	9	M		Ind.
William Goodner	7	M		Ind.
Robert Goodner	5	M		Ind.
Pamelia Goodner	3	F		Ind.
John P. Goodner	1	M		Ind.

1860. Ohio County, Indiana.

Jane Goodner	52	F		Pa.
Julia Goodner	23	F		Ind.
Wilea (?) Goodner	5	M		Ind.
Arthur Goodner	1	M		Ind.
Lenoria Myers Residing in Coopersville.	12	F		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	45	M	Farmer	Ky.
Sarah Jackson	41	F		Ky.
Jane Goodner	20	F		Ind.
James Goodner	18	M		Ind.
Washington Goodner	16	M		Ind.
Robert Goodner	14	M		Ind.
Permelia Goodner (Pamelia)	12	F		Ind.
Piatt Goodner (John Piatt)	10	M		Ind.
Lucinda Goodner	8	F		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	6	M		Ind.
Ida Bell Goodner	4	F		Ind.
Flora Goodner Resided in Coopersville	1	F		Ind.
William Goodner	26	M	Farmer	Ind.
Elvira Goodner	23	F		Ind.
Lorrie Bell Goodner	2	F		Ind.

1870. Ohio County, Indiana.

Jackson Goodner	53	M	Farmer	Ky.
Sarah Goodner	51	F		Ind. (Ky. in 1860)
John Goodner (John Piatt)	19	M		Ind.
Lucinda Goodner	17	F		Ind.
Jackson Goodner	15	M		Ind.
Ida Goodner	12	F		Ind.
Flora Goodner	10	F		Ind.
Joseph Goodner Resided in Aberdeen, Cass Township	6	M		Ind.
William Goodner	39	M	Farmer	Ind.

1870. Ohio County, Indiana, Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Resided in Aberdeen, Cass Township.				
Jane Goodner	45	F		Ind.
Listed in household of Richard and Ann Martin, in Rising Sun, Randolph Township.				
Andrew Goodner	36	M	Farmer	Ind.
Virginia Goodner	25	F		Ind.
John Goodner (James)	2	M		Ind.
William Goodner	1	M		Ind.
Jane Goodner	62	F		Pa.

1860. Edgar County, Illinois.

William M. Goodner	32	M	Methodist Preacher	Tenn.
Margaret A. Goodner	24	F		Tenn.
Ivan W. Goodner	2	M		Ill.

1870. Edgar County, Illinois.

Henry Goodner	22	M	Farmer	Ill.
Listed in the household of Franklin and Leona M. Conner.				

1820. Pope County, Illinois.

<u>HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD</u>	<u>MALES</u>	<u>FEMALES</u>
George Jackson	1 under 10 years 1 16-26 years	3 under 10 years 1 26-45 years
John Jackson	2 under 10 years 1 16-26 years	1 under 10 years 1 10-16 years
Andrew Jackson	3 under 10 years 1 16-26 years	1 under 10 years 1 16-26 years
Jonathan Jackson	1 16-26 years	1 16-26 years
D. Jackson	1 under 10 years 1 26-45 years	1 10-16 years 1 45 or over

1830. Pope County, Illinois.

Lucius Jackson	1 under 5 years 1 5-10 years 1 30-40 years	1 under 5 1 20-30 years
Andrew Jackson	1 under 5 years 2 5-10 years 3 10-15 years 1 40-50 years	1 under 5 years 2 10-15 years 1 40-50 years
George Jackson	2 5-10 years 1 10-15 years 1 30-40 years	3 under 5 years 2 10-15 years 1 15-20 years 1 30-40 years
David Jackson	1 5-10 years 1 30-40 years	1 30-40 years

1840. Pope County, Illinois.

No Jackson families were shown for Pope for this year. The part of Pope County in which the above Jackson families resided was cut off into Hardin County in 1839. However, some Jacksons are shown in the 1850 census; they came up from Tennessee.

Tirey Jackson	1 under 5 1 10-15 1 15-20 1 20-30	1 under 5 1 20-30 1 50-60
Andrew Jackson	2 5-10 1 10-15 1 15-20 1 20-30 1 40-50	1 under 5 1 10-15 1 40-50

1850. Pope County, Illinois.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Richard Jackson	55	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Sarah Jackson	45	F		Tenn.
James Jackson	21	M		Tenn.
Elizabeth Jackson	18	F		Tenn.
Marion Jackson	16	M		Tenn.
David Jackson	15	M		Tenn.
William Jackson	12	M		Tenn.
Caroline Jackson	8	F		Tenn.
John Jackson	6	M		Tenn.
Richard Jackson	4	M		Tenn.

(From the birth dates shown, it is evident that this family did not come up from Tennessee until sometime between 1846 and 1850. Since a Marion Jackson was a first cousin to the children of Benjamin Goodner, the possibility is very good that this Richard was a son of William and Catherine Goodner Jackson)

William Jackson	25	M	Farmer	Ill.
Luisa Jackson	19	F		Ill.

1850. Hardin County, Illinois.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
William Jackson	38	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Barshaba Jackson	30	F		Ill.
John Jackson	9	M		Ill.
George Jackson	6	M		Ill.
Joseph Jackson	2	M		Ill.
Benjamin Jackson	28	M	Farmer	Ill.
Mahala Jackson	28	F		Ohio
Margaret Jackson	5	F		Ill.
Mila Jackson	4	F		Ill.
Charles Jackson	2	M		Ill.
Mary White	32	F		Va.
William White	2	M		Ill.
Malinda Mott	16	F		Ill.
John Jackson	28	M		Tenn.
Emily Jackson	18	F		Ill.
Mary Jackson	17	F		Ill.
Mariah Jackson	16	F		Ill.
John Harper	50	M		Ill.
Susan Harper	48	F		Ga.
Washington Jackson	32	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elizabeth Jackson	27	F		Ill.
Mary Jackson	4	F		Ill.
Julia J. Jackson	1	F		Ill.
Elizabeth Jackson	55	F		Tenn.
Andrew Jackson	25	M		Ill.
Marion Jackson	21	M		Ill.
Elizabeth (?) Jackson	19	F		Ill.
Stephen Jackson	17	M		Ill.
Nancy Jackson	13	F		Ill.
W. P. Jackson	29	M	Farmer	Ill.
Mariah Jackson	32	F		Ill.
Tyra Jackson	37	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elizabeth Jackson	38	F		Ohio
William T. Jackson	12	M		Ill.
Sarah Jackson	10	F		Ill.
John S. Jackson	8	M		Ill.
Eliza Ann Jackson	6	F		Ill.
Andrew S. Jackson	3	M		Ill.
Harriett L. Jackson	1/2	F		Ill.
<u>1850. Washington County, Illinois.</u>				
Sylvania L. Jackson	20	M	Farmer	N. C.
Mary J. Jackson	20	F		Ill.
Abner Jackson	56	M	Farmer	N. C.
Elizabeth Jackson	35	F		Tenn.
Thomas B. Jackson	8	M		Ill.
Emily Jackson	5	F		Ill.
Hannah Jackson	1	F		Ill.
(Note: This family resided nearby to Francis Acuff Goodner, whose wife was Elizabeth Jackson. Abner may have been a brother, or a first cousin, to Elizabeth.)				
Reuben Jackson	27	M	Farmer	Ky.
Susan M. Jackson	22	F		Ind.
Edmond A. Jackson	3	M		Ill.
Mary A. Jackson	1	F		Ill.
Albert G. Jackson	36	M	Brick Mason	Ky.
Rhoda G. Jackson	25	F		Ky.
Martin W. Jackson	14	M		Ill.
Alva A. Jackson	12	M		Ill.
Albert G. Jackson	7	M		Ill.
Nancy J. Jackson	2	F		Ill.
John K. Jackson	4/12	M		Ill.
Sarah A. Robbins	20	F		Ill.
Hiram Jackson	45	M	Farmer	N. C.
Nancy Jackson	45	F		Tenn.
Silas Jackson	20	M		Ind.
Dianah Jackson	14	F		Ind.
Rheba Jackson	12	F		Ill.
William H. M. Jackson	5	M		Ill.
Lehigh Jackson	3	M		Ill.
George W. Jackson	18	M	Farmer	Ind.
Matilda Jackson	15	F		Ind.
Samuel A. Jackson	23	M	Farmer	Ind.
Dolesha Jackson	23	F		Ill.
Louis Jackson	2	M		Ill.

1850. Washington County, Illinois, Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Salem Goodner	30	M	Merchant	Tenn.
Elizabeth N. Goodner	27	F		Tenn.
Lyman T. Goodner	3	M		Tenn.
Anna C. Goodner	2	F		Tenn.
Jacob Goodner	60	M		Tenn.
Susanna Goodner	58	F		N. C.
Lucretia Goodner	18	F		Tenn.
Emily Goodner	17	F		Tenn.
Ninian McCracken	19	M	Farmer	Ill.
James G. McCracken	16	M		Ill.
Benedict Middleton	16	M		Ill.
Elijah Goodner	43	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Mary Goodner	43	F		Tenn.
James Goodner	23	M		Ill.
Martha Goodner	21	F		Ill.
Elizabeth Goodner	19	F		Ill.
Sarah C. Goodner	17	F		Ill.
Mary M. Goodner	15	F		Ill.
Merinda E. Goodner	12	F		Ill.
William B. Goodner	8	M		Ill.
Nancy E. Goodner	5	F		Ill.
Francis A. Goodner	50	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elizabeth Goodner	47	F		N. C.
Harriett S. Goodner	12	F		Ill.
George W. Goodner	10	M		Ill.
James J. Goodner	23	M	Farmer	Ill.
Cansada Goodner	20	F		Ill.
Elijah Goodner	25	M	Farmer	Ill.
Mary Goodner	22	F		Ill.
Thomas F. Goodner	3	M		Ill.
Benjamin W. Goodner	1	M		Ill.

1850. Jefferson County, Illinois.

William Jackson	28	M	Farmer	Ky.
Lavinia Jackson	24	F		Ind.
Lucy Jackson	11/12	F		Ill.
Ansel Jackson	55	M	Farmer	N. C.
Sarah Jackson	35	F		Ind.
James Jackson	20	M		Ill.
Mary J. Jackson	14	F		Ill.
Lydia E. Jackson	12	F		Ill.
Ansel Jackson	10	M		Ill.
Daniel Jackson	8	M		Ill.
Malvina Jackson	4	F		Ill.
Sterling A. Jackson	1	M		Ill.
Pleasant Hamlin	11	M		Ill.

(An Ansel Jackson married Sarah (Sally) Hambelin, 6-24-1834, Jefferson Co., Ill.)

1850. St. Clair County, Illinois.

Joel Jackson	41	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elly Jackson	35	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
James Jackson	17	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
William Jackson	15	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Thomas Jackson	11	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Joseph Jackson	8	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Pheba C. Jackson	6	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Joel Jackson	2	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
John J. Jackson	18	M	Farmer	Ill.
Listed with family of John Irwin, age 38.				
Mary J. Jackson	10	F		Ill.
Listed with family of Reuben Huggins and wife, Nancy, ages 23 and 19.				
Carroll Jackson	10	M		Ill.
Listed with family of A. A. Chewning, age 47, and wife, Elizabeth, age 40.				
John Jackson	17	M		Tenn.
Listed with family of David Hill, age 55, and wife, Isabella, age 50.				
Andrew Jackson	28	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Mary Jackson	27	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
George Jackson	4	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
William Jackson	2	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Resided in 12 Mile Prairie.				
Obediah Jackson	14	M		Tenn.
Resided with Henry Hill, age 30, Methodist Minister, and wife, Sarah, age 28, in 12 Mile Prairie.				
Abraham Jackson	19	M		Tenn.

1850. St. Clair County, Illinois, Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Resided with family of A. J. Thrift, age 35, and wife, Minerva, age 32. In 12 Mile Prairie.				
William Jackson	15	M		Ky.
Resided with Henry Fields, age 60, and wife, Sarah, age 54, in High Prairie.				
Joshua Lacey	51	M	Farmer	Ky.
Melinda Lacey	46	F		Ky.
James Lacey	21	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Thompson Lacey (Amos T.)	16	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Lucinda Lacey	14	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Melinda Lacey	11	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Martha Lacey	9	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Snytha Lacey	7	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Permelia Lacey	3	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Resided in High Prairie. (Joshua Lacey was born on Red River, in Tennessee)				
John Lacey	59	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Lydia Lacey	49	F		Va.
John H. Lacey	12	M		Ill.
Resided in High Prairie.				
Benjamin Goodner	57	M	Farmer	N.C.
Susan Goodner	40	F		Va.
John Goodner	24	M	Farmer	St. Clair Co., Ill.
Benjamin F. Goodner	21	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Joseph Goodner	18	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
George Goodner	16	M		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Salinda Goodner	10	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
Margaret C. Ryne	17	F		St. Clair Co., Ill.
(Note: Benjamin Goodner was born in Sullivan Co., Tenn.)				

1860. St. Clair County, Illinois.

Melinda Lacy	55	F		Ky.
Martha Lacy	18	F		Ill.
Cynthia Lacy	16	F		Ill.
Permelia Lacey	13	F		Ill.
Resided in Millstadt				
John Lacey	68	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Lydia Lacey	59	F		Va.
John H. Lacey	21	M		Ill.
James Lacey	55	M		Ky.
Louis Lacey	14	M		Ill.
Resided in Millstadt Township				
Mary Jackson	50	F		Tenn.
Phoebe Jackson	16	F		Ill.
Andrew Jackson	12	M		Ill.
Jane Jackson	8	F		Ill.
Resided in Lively Township				
John W. Jackson	24	M	Farmer	Ireland
Sarah Jackson	23	F		Pa.
Resided in Marissa Township				
Samuel Jackson	30	M		Ill.
Listed in household of Michael Sauerwenn, age 35, and wife, Mary, born Germany and Ill., respectively. Resided in Fayetteville.				
George Washington Jackson	37	M		Tenn.
Susanna Jackson	36	F		Tenn.
Eliza Jackson	16	F		Mo.
William H. Jackson	13	M		Ill.
Margaret Jackson	8	F		Ill.
Andrew Jackson	4	M		Ill.

(Other Jacksons are listed in this census, but names are not given since they show birth in Ireland, and one Charles, born in Wurtemberg, Germany, with wife, Augustus, born in Prussia.)

1870. St. Clair County, Illinois.

D. C. Jackson	30	M		Tenn.
Erline Jackson	28	F		Ill.
Josephine Jackson	3	F		Ill.
Monroe Jackson	1	M		Ill.
John Jackson	21	M	Farmer	Ill.
Elizabeth Jackson	16	F		Ill.
Jane L. Hill	40	F		Ill.
Elinor Hill	14	F		Ill.
Isabella Hill	16	F		Ill.
Susan Goodner	60	F		Va.
Charles Gooding	45	M	Dealer-Livestock	Ill.
Elizabeth Gooding	39	F		Ill.
Mary Gooding	19	F		Ill.
Robert Gooding	8	M		Ill.
George Gooding	7	M		Ill.

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1870. St. Clair County, Illinois, Cont'd.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>PLACE OF BIRTH</u>
Olivia Gooding	4	F		Ill.
Mary Jackson	38	F		Ill.
Margaret Jackson	15	F		Ill.
Minerva Jackson	13	F		Ill.
John Jackson	4	M		Ill.
(Living with Catherine Bross)				

1860. Bradley County, Tennessee.

G. W. Goodner	35	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Elender Goodner	33	F		Tenn.
Martha Goodner	12	F		Tenn.
Mary Ann (Written Martha)	10	F		Tenn.
Sims (Cyrus) Goodner	8	M		Tenn.
John Goodner	8	M		Tenn.
Dulinda E. Goodner	5	F		Tenn.
Nancy J. Goodner	3	F		Tenn.
Sam Goodner (Isham)	1	M		Tenn.

John Goodner	78	M		Tenn.
Martha York	40	F		Tenn.
Caroline York	14	F		Tenn.
Nancy York	12	F		Tenn.
Lotty York	10	F		Tenn.
Martha York	8	F		Tenn.

(Note: John Goodner, above, was born in N. C.)

A. J. Goodner	38	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Mariah Goodner	27	F		Tenn.
John J. Goodner	14	M		Tenn.
Parella A. Goodner	13	F		Tenn.
Cila J. Goodner	10	F		Tenn.
Sarah E. Goodner	9	F		Tenn.
Nancy E. Goodner	5	F		Tenn.
James G. Goodner	1	M		Tenn.

Jacob Goodner	49	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Charlotte Goodner	45	F		Tenn.
Jas. M. Goodner	21	M		Tenn.
Tibitha Goodner	19	F		Tenn.
Sarah E. Goodner	16	F		Tenn.
Jos. L. Goodner	15	M		Tenn.
Charlotte V. B. Goodner	--	F		Tenn.
J. Wade Goodner	9	M		Tenn.
Martha T. Goodner	7	F		Tenn.
George P. Goodner	5	M		Tenn.
Mary C. Goodner	3	F		Tenn.

Caswell Goodner	27	M	Farmer	Tenn.
Mary L. E. Goodner	27	F		Tenn.
Wm. C. Goodner	1	M		Tenn.

John J. Goodner	27	M		Tenn.
Martha E. Goodner	22	F		Tenn.
Eliza J. Goodner	2	F		Tenn.
Infant	1/12	M		Tenn.

John Goodner	39	M		Tenn.
Nancy Goodner	34	F		Tenn.
Resided in Cleveland				

In addition to copies and fac-similies of letters given elsewhere in this genealogy, the following letters, copies of originals in the possession of various members of the family, have been selected for inclusion also because of their interesting and informative contents.

These letters cover a span of almost a century, and reveal some of the intimate details and thoughts of the writers, giving us an insight into their troubles, their sorrows, their pleasures, and their struggle for a livelihood that only such letters can give. Written uninhibitively, with no thought of course that they would be read by other than the intended recipients, they bring to us a clearer picture of the lives of these past generations. One may often wonder in quiet moments, particularly as we grow older and have time for such meditations, just how our forebears lived and fared; these letters will in a measure satisfy such thoughts.

You will find them very enlightening and well worth reading.

 Following is a true copy of letter from Jacob Sherer to Benjamin Goodner, dated March 8, 1814. Copied from the Scherrer Family Genealogical Journal, Published by A. T. Scherer, January 1909. No. 1, Vol. 1.

"North Carolina, Guilford County, March 8, 1814.

Dear Cousin:- Your letter from the 20th of January last, I received the 13th of February, and read it with much satisfaction. We received Uncle David's letter at the same time and thank him for writing us. Last Thursday we received a letter from Cousin David Goodner, dated January 2nd, 1814, in which he informed us that he and his wife were well, also of the heart-breaking situation in which Uncle Godfrey was a short time before his departure out of this world. In the three letters we read of Uncle Goodner's helpless situation, and are desirous to hear from him again as soon as possible. All of our relations here are enjoying reasonable health at present. Uncle Frederick Smith and his family were sick almost all summer last, one after another, and sometimes two at once. His third child and second daughter died. She was about 16 years old. I preached her funeral from these words: 'Therefore be ye also ready'. Matt. 24: 24. The sickness was a fever. Old Aunt Albert is yet alive and well as can be expected. She lived at father's part of the winter of 1813 and lives at present with one of her daughters, in the Hawfields, if I mistake not. Until the 14th of May next I shall be married four years to Elizabeth Moser, daughter of Michael Moser, who has four or five brothers living in the western countries, some in Tennessee and the State of Ohio. We have two children, the oldest we call Gideon and the youngest Leah. Brother Andrew, who is the next oldest to me, was married before me to my wife's sister and has one child, called Lefina. Brother Frederick, the third brother, married last to Barney Clapp's daughter, Margaret, and has three children, the oldest Nelly, the second, Sally, and the youngest is a boy not baptised yet. Daniel, the fourth brother is single yet and lives with me the most of the time, endeavoring to get some qualifications for the ministry. I have three sisters, all single; two namely, Barbara and Hannah, are grown; the other is small yet, namely, Nancy. Brother John is the oldest boy father has with him now. He begins to plow. David is younger, and Eli is the youngest child. We all have enough to eat and wear. Taxes are getting very high. All that father told me to write concerning Uncle Godfrey's property is that he wishes grandmother to be well taken care of, and that he wants you to write how she is in health, where she is, and whether she can see yet. I am still trying to instruct my congregations out of the word of God, and to practice it myself, but find many difficulties in the way. Many profess religion, but few, I fear, profess and practice it. Many have made bold professions who have turned back and show that they have never had the root of the matter in them, but have been stony ground bearers. Immorality and lukewarmness appears to be increasing, also dangerous errors. Let us all examine ourselves whether we have been upon Christ, the only foundation, whether we have scriptural evidences of our conversion, and whether we see more and more of our sinful hearts and the excellence of Christ. Remember us when you appear in your closets to beg God's blessings. Write to me again as soon as you have read my letter.

N. B. I have had a dispute with James Dick, postmaster on the Alamance, about your and Uncle David's letter. He says they came in the mail and charged 50 cents for the two, but because they came in the short time of 19 days from the time they were started till the time they were at Mr. Dick's, and because there are none of your postoffices mentioned where they were filed, and because the figure 25 on the outside was so plain and new, I believe they were brought by a traveler, therefore I want you to inform me how they were sent, and if not in the mail, who with. I have told Mr. Dick that I would write you on the subject. Therefore direct your next letter: Jacob Sherer, Orange County, Albright's P.O., North Carolina. I conclude with this request that you continue to write me by post and I'll do so too. We all give our best compliments to you all. The peace of God, the Father, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be multiplied to you all. Amen.

N. B. Send this letter to all our relations. To Benjamin Goodner, Fort Massack P. O., Johnson County, Illinois Territory. Marked Pine Hill, March 21st, 1814."

 Copy of letter from Christian Scherer to Elizabeth Goodner, as given in Scherrer Family Genealogical Journal, by A. T. Scherer. Vol. 1, No. 3.

"State of Ohio, Preble Co., April 17, 1822.

Dearly Beloved Friends:- We are once more blest with a happy opportunity of informing you that we are all in a reasonable state of health at present, for which we desire to be thankful, hoping these lines may find you all in the same state of health. We wrote to you twelve months past, and in October last we sent a few lines requesting you to give us the best intelligence you could from David and John Scherer and David Taddend; Have never got any information from you nor them. Mamma with myself have often to lament on account of your not writing us oftener. Mother is yet alive and as well as could be expected, and wishes to be remembered to you all. Jacob Sherrer and family are well as far as I know. August last I received a letter from Jacob Sherrer in North Carolina. Our friends are well at that time. My sons are all single yet and live amongst the family. I have a daughter born to me of my wife Sarah on the ---- day of June last. We call her Hannah. Through the Mercy of God we are blest with all the necessary blessings of life. How thankful then ought we be for this, and more especially for the blessings of the gospel which we enjoy from day to day. Gloomy times we have on account of religion, and why this? Part may be imputed to the hearers, but mostly to the preachers. Many go with the Bible in one hand and the war spirit in their hearts against their sister societies and brethern, holding up discipline or the works of man above the Bible. The members drink in this spirit. The preachers say our discipline is founded on the Bible, but when examined they are alterable, some in one year, some in two, some in four, as they may deem proper to govern their churches. I ask, is the word of God alterable? The answer to me is, No. How, then, can these disciplines be founded on scripture when alterable. No answer. On these questions bishops and elders are silent or make some apology to us that answers no purpose. As for my part, the Bible is my discipline. Oft times I confess my shortcomings before my Lord. Wishing to be in union with all Christian brethern and strive so to be. Let us endeavor to live nearer to the Lord, to love in deeds and not with our tongues only. The Lord enable me to cleanse the inner part and the outer part will cleanse of itself, saith the Lord. Remember us in prayer. I shall add no more, but remain your affectionate brother until death.

"Christian Sherrer".

Addressed: State of Illinois; St. Clair County, Belleville, P. O.
Business, in haste

N. B. My wife and children wish to be remembered to all their inquiring friends and relations. I would wish to be particularly remembered to Brothers Imen* and Stooça* and their families. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen."

* The proper spelling for Imen is Eyman, and for Stooça if Stookey. H. W. Lacey

Copy of letter from Christian Shearer (Sharer) to Mrs. Elizabeth Goodner. Dated June 20, 1825. Taken from the Sherrer Family Genealogical Journal, by A. T. Scherer. Residence of Mrs. Goodner, St. Clair Co., Ill.

"Gratis Township, Preble County, Ohio
June 20, A. D., 1825.

Dear Sister and Brother-in-law: After my best respects to you and yours, I inform you that my family is reasonable well. My companion has been, a few days since, very unwell, but at the present is better. And we live hoping these few lines may find you and yours enjoying good health, which is one of the greatest blessings that we can enjoy here below. Old mother is now living with me, and has been the greater part of the time since she came up. She is growing quite frail and needs attention. Mother still enjoys her religion, and desired it mentioned, and very often finds herself happy in waiting on the Lord. We wish to receive an answer from you as soon as convenient, and in it mother, and myself, would wish to know the progress made in your family in Divine life. I still continue to warn sinners to flee the wrath to come by preaching to them whenever time and opportunity admits me. My sons all remain single in life as yet, living with me. Only last March two of them went to the Sate of Illinois. Three of them own land on the Permelia about ten miles from the salt works: and I do expect them to return home in the fall and likely then to move to that country. Three of my daughters are give in marriage, two of them already been informed of, and one is married to Benjamin Bell. That is Lydia. Mary, my oldest daughter, and her husband are living in the State of Illinois, where my sons are gone. They are all trying to get land of their own in that country, and they will all move there as soon as they can get ready. The Lord has blessed me and my wife with a female child, named Hannah, aged about 4 years the 14th of this inst. We have a plenty to satisfy the bodily requirements of us all. Me and my wife have spent our days together in peace and harmony. She is a good companion, a kind mother and an affectionate daughter-in-law to my mother. Brother Jacob and his family as far as I know are well. No deaths have taken place since you have had information from us. I ----- of the family. I have sent three letters in this two years, and have not received an answer. I want you to send us a letter and direct to Gratis Postoffice, Preble County, Ohio, which postoffice is within one mile of us. I have been very much discouraged by your not writing to us. If you have any knowledge of my sister and brothers mention it in your letter. Nothing more but remembrance of my wife and mother to you and all inquiring friends. The distance we are apart will not admit of our seeing each other any more probably in this life, but if we do not, let us, and may the all-wise Creator of the universe teach us all to live and act so that we may all in a latter day meet and hail each other in the peaceful mansions of glory there to be and remain with our blessed Lord and Savior in a world without end. I subscribe myself your affectionate brother.

"Christian Shearer".

Conrad Goodner.

(Forwarded by the politeness of John Chambers)

 Copy of letter from Christian Sharer to Elizabeth Goodner, Coonrod Goodner, Benjamin Goodner. Taken from the Scherer Family Genealogical Journal by A. T. Scherer. Letter dated November 20, 1835.

"Butler County, Ohio. November 20, 1835.

Beloved Brother and Sister:- These lines are to inform you that we are in moderate health at present, thanks be to God for His mercy, in hopes that these lines may find you in the same state. A short time ago received a letter from you dated August last. In it your request made known to me, I have attended to the business, and have obtained all the testimony that is necessary to go to Germany - his birth, his baptism, and his recommendation from there, and his recommendations as a journeyman, and being master of his trade, but I have no hopes of anything ever being obtained by the reason that I have heard father say that after fifty years it could not be obtained, if the lawful heir did not come within that time that it would fall to the public. I have talked with a man that has collected a great many Dutch claims for his German neighbors and he said it was too long, or if it could it would be a great deal of difficulty. And the principal is but little, only fifty dollars, I heard father say in his lifetime. I will send you all the papers. If you are encouraged to go on, I shall be happy in mind if you get it. I shall assign my right, title, and claim to you, Elizabeth Goodner, of our father, Jacob Daniel Sharer, his claim of heirship of his father, Nicholas Sharer. This much from me, Christian Sharer, your brother. Four days ago I left Brother Jacob; I took your letter to him that you sent to me. He read your letter. I told him what I would do, assign all over to you. He did not say that he would or that he would not. He gave me no satisfaction in that line. He was well and his children and their families as far as he knew. He lives with his son, Daniel, about 18 miles from here. He broke up housekeeping about eight years ago, about two years after the death of his wife, Catherine. If you have hopes of getting it send this, your power of attorney, for there are no more heirs to claim anything. The postage will be high on these letters. I would pay the postage but I fear the letter would miscarry. I have sent letters to you, David Sharer and John Jordan till I am tired, and paid the postage and got no answer. The last letter I got from you was about six years ago. Write to me as soon as you get these papers. If there is anything more that you want me to do for you in this case, you must write it. I can't go to see you, or else I would. I am a lone man on my farm (one short sentence lost by break in the paper). My sons are all married off. Two of them live 200 miles off in the Illinois state. The other one lives 17 miles from me. I am left to shift for myself as touching men's help. The children that Nellie bore me are all married off. The nearest lives nine miles off. I have one daughter living with me that my wife, Sarah, bore me, and an orphan child, a niece. And the last I heard of my children, that is married off, they were in moderate health. I must inform you that I and my wife are striving to make our way to heaven although much tribulation which the Lord promised to his children. I often feel the comfort of my Lord to my soul. I hope and trust that you are endeavoring to make your calling and election sure in the Lord. Direct your letters, State of Ohio, Butler County, Somerville Postoffice. Nothing more at present, but our best respects to you all, Coonrod Goodner, Elizabeth Goodner and family.

Goodner and family from me,

Christian Sharer
 Sarah Sharer.

The address on the above letter was:
 Elizabeth Goodner or Benjamin Goodner, her son,
 living in the State of Illinois, St. Clair
 County, Belleville P.O.
 Somerville, Dec. 22. \$1.50 Postage.

 Copy of letter from Benjamin Goodner to his son, William J. Goodner, while in California in 1849 in the Gold Fields.

"St. Clair Co., Ill. Dec. 6th, 1849.

Dear William:-

Your letters to me of 30th April and 3rd of June came safe to hand which was the last item of news from you until last Thursday when your letter of the 3rd of September arrived with its heart cheering contents. I have the painful news to announce to you that your sister Sally Ann McCracken departed this life on the 25th of June and that her infant son a few days old died a few days before her death. Thomas made a sale forthwith and sold off all his property in the house as well as out of doors. His land and horse excepted, and brought his children to my house on the 25th of July to remain with me until next spring, and what will become of them after then God only knows. Thomas has been to Arkansas and to the Mississippi State for his health, but did not stay long at either place; his health improved very much while traveling. He is now

in Washington county.

John worked at the brick mason trade for a few weeks but his health failed and he came home before harvest and has been here ever since in bad health. He is supposed to be diseased in his liver - is better now.

Elijah is doing well on his farm in Washington County. Cornelius and Daniel, with theirs, are doing well. Your Uncle Godfrey Goodner, who lives in Moscow, West Tenn., had a son come to my house a few weeks ago to go to school in this country; he is at McKendree College and is a pretty shrewd boy in his 22nd year with small means to educate himself. His name is Wm. Milton.

The cholera done an awful work in St. Louis, Belleville and Centreville. Those who died in Centreville and vicinity were chiefly foreigners. Herlaman and wife were the nearest to me that died of Cholera.

We have had a bad crop year here. Wheat nearly ruined with rust and the excessive rains which fell in torrents throughout the summer, cut the corn crops off to less than half of a fair average crop. My corn is all in my largest crib and it is not full. Jacob Holcomb is keeping bachelor's hall on your place, but it is said that his Mother will go and keep house for him soon and leave Jackson and John to manage the old place. Jacob put in some new ground last spring, say 8 acres. I understand that he has sown the farm down to wheat.

Mr. Gooding received a letter from Abram last Thursday. Mr. Wilson had received one from his son but I have not heard of its contents. There has no intelligence of the Momroe boys arrived yet that I know of. Great anxiety prevails here of the thousands of emigrants getting safely through.

Benton Lacey is married to Miss McCully, and is living in Jefferson County. William Agnew to Margaret Nixon, Alfred Crosby to Lucinda Bussell, James Sawyer to I know not who, and James J. Goodner to Miss Foster. Your Uncle David Goodner of Alabama died Nov. 1848.

Write often to me and let us have the truth and the whole truth. It is vexacious that I can't fill two pages to you and you fill'd seven to me. All are well at Present. My standing family is 13; pretty large.

Farewell William

"Benjamin Goodner"

 Copy of letter from Cornelius Glass of St. Clair Co., Ill., to Abram Gooding or William Goodner, 1850, while they were in Hangtown California, during the Gold Rush Days. Letter sent by T. C. Harrison.

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 Dear Friends-

After my best respects and my best wishes for you both, I will inform you that I take this opportunity of addressing you a few lines for information, as well as a desire to hear from you.

I suppose you will have heard of Truscott's death before this reaches you, but if you have not, I will inform you that he died on his passage home, I think on the 2nd of Dec. two days out from Chagres, on board the Steamship Alabama. The Capt. of the vessel took possession of what little effects he left, but afterwards delivered them to Mr. Wm. C. Davis, who brought them home. They consisted of \$115.00 in coin, about \$180.00 in gold dust and two notes on yourselves. We would be glad to know (if you can inform us) how much money he had when he left there. If he worked any while there? How long sick? When taken? How worked? And how this gold dust was obtained by him? And what disposition he made of his interest in the team? And for what these notes were given? All of which you will please write to me when you get this. As I have to see to the administration of his estate, and to know which, it would be some satisfaction to his family who have sustained a great loss in his decease.

I might write you a long letter - but I suppose you will be tired reading letters, as you will get letters from so many of the friends. When you get this, Mr. Thomas, Oglesby Harrison, or Gooding Harrison who carry this, or any of their company can tell the ravages of the cholera or the common occurrences that have taken place since you left, but leave that to be told by some of the many who are going to that country from here this spring if you should luckily see them. Peter Moosekopp and four or five of the sibets* are preparing to leave for the gold diggings this Spring. The gold fever is carrying more off this season than it did last. And the only reason that it does not take me off, I am so situated that I can't leave. The accounts from there vary considerably now. Some say the gold is exhausted and wages fallen and many there are anxious to get away but have not the means, whilst others represent the prospect as flattering as ever. Some say it is a delightful climate, fertile soil, and every way a desirable place to reside, whilst others say it is sterile, rocky, barren, fruitless, unproductive, the climate horrible, and the least desirable of any place on earth. I would be glad to hear what you have to say about these matters. Do you think the country sickly or healthy? Does any one there live by farming? Is it stock country? And how do people subsist there - and cattle and horses? Is there grain raised in the country or is it imported? Or

is all subsisted on the range? The most of those who have returned don't speak very highly of the country, but the most of them stayed so short a time there, they know but little about it. Write to me and write a good description of the climate, seasons, country, and everything pertaining to the matters and things there.

All your friends are in good health so far as I know and getting along pretty much as usual. And all wishing you health and success, at least such is the case with myself. California has caused a stormy time in Congress this winter between the North & the South. Our Union appears almost on the verge of dissolution. And I can not tell you whether California will be admitted or not, or whether there will be a separation of the States - the Slave States forming one Confederacy and the free States another. There will be a convention of the Southern States assembled at Nashville, Tenn., in June next. What it will do is yet to be seen. At present things look very squally.

But I must close, forever remaining

Your Cousin and friend,

Cornelius Glass."

(* This refers to members of the Sibert family. Author.)

(Copy of letter from Benjamin Goodner to his son, William J., in Hangtown, California.)

"Illinois, at home, March 31st, 1850.

Dear William-

It is with some emotion of feeling that I sit down this Sabbath day to write to you. This emotion is caused by the tidings which has reached me of your affliction in your almost solitary condition. If I could indulge in the hope that you are surrounded with kind friends who possessed the means of nursing you I would feel contentment of mind but I hope for the best.

I wrote to you about the first of December, but as it appears to be very uncertain about letters reaching you from here, I think it best to write particulars again. And first, your letters on leaving St. Jo and near Larama and of the 3rd Sept. and 19th Dec. have all been received, as also Abram's letter of 6th Dec. and newspaper came safe to hand.

Sally Ann McCracken departed this life on the 25th of last June and Thomas put his children in my care where they remained till three weeks ago when he married Matilda Linch and took his children home. Since his wife's death his health has become vastly better than it had formerly been.

John quit the brick business last June in consequence of bad health and he has been at my house ever since in poor health, but his health is better and he expects to live with Elijah this season. Elijah and his family are well and well satisfied with their home. John Holcomb's wife died a few weeks ago and he quit keeping house and is living with Harmon Holcomb in Waterloo who has bought out Peter Rogers for eleven thousand dollars on credit. John Agnew (who married Elizabeth Holcomb) and his wife are parted. Joel Holcomb's son, John, met with an accident a few weeks ago, which caused his death; he and two young Morgans were hunting and they came on a deer when Jacob Morgan fired and while he was loading again, Andrew Morgan's gun fired and sent its contents through Holcomb's arm below the elbow without breaking a bone which proved fatal to him. Jackson Holcomb is married to a Miss Kerr and is living on his fathers' old place, and Jacob is intending to live with him this season and his Mother and the three youngest children are living on your farm. Jacob has put in cultivation half or more than half of the ground that he was to clear and has nearly all of the farm in wheat and has dug and walled a well which it is said affords plenty of good water.

James B. Moore told me two weeks ago that he received a letter from his son dated Sacramento, Dec. 5th, in which he stated he intended to start the next day to see you, but from your letter to Daniel Stookey, dated Dec. 19th, which came to Millstadt last Thursday it appears that you did not see him at the time that he mentioned in his letter. John Wilson writes to his people about once a month and the Monroe boys write more sparingly, but I believe that letters from California come here with a good deal of certainty, while ours to you are apt to miscarry. Well this is better than if the thing was reversed for you Californians can imagine your friends here comfortably situated, surrounded with friends and the comforts of life, while we may follow our friends in our imaginations to the wilds of California thousand of miles from civilized life, destitute of all the comforts of life with hard bread, bitter flour and salt pork, and in our imagination we say this is all the nourishment the sick have in California, and worst of all no kind Mother or wife or sister to prepare it for them. Hence you see the propriety of writing every three or four weeks to keep us constantly informed of your well being.

The cholera was severe in its visit to our part of the world; it confined its ravages mostly to the foreign part of our population. Amongst your acquaintances who fell was Herlamann and his wife of the Germans and Stone and his wife and A. Mahan of the Irish, and old father Weible and James Sample and Isaac Mumau of the Americans. Mariah Goodner was married not long ago to Wm. Yost of Franklin Co. William Agnew to Margaret Nixon and James Stanly to a young widow whose

name I know not, and Benton Lacey to Miss McCully.

I would be glad to see you, but as you have been at great expense in getting to and supporting yourself in California, you would do the best in all probability to hold on and try your fortune a while longer before you return. You will have heard long before this letter reaches you that Mr. Truscott died on his return home and Mr. Davis of Belleville who was with him brought his money and papers to Mr. Glass, amongst which was a note on you for \$130.00. It is not necessary for you and Abram to state how your Company matters stand till you return home. If you should think proper to continue longer than till your note comes due to Sharp you can find some safe opportunity to send the money by some one of the Harrison connection or some other safe and trusty friend. I expect to send this letter by the Harrisons who expect to start for California in two days from this time, amongst whom are Hugh Harrison and the two oldest sons of James Harrison, Wm. McBride and Dr. Goheen. There are several Germans about here who are going to California, amongst whom are some of the Sibets and a Mooscup and Fritz Herlamen. Asa Parker also says he is going, of whom beware.

James J. Goodner is married to Miss Foster - William Milton Goodner, a son of Brother Godfrey is a McKendrick's College; he is a sprightly young man of 22. Your relations in this country has had good health generally since you left. My health has been very good and my action has improved and I have been much abler to work than at any former period since my hard sickness.

Do not fail to write once a month or oftener, never mind postage. Your letter of 3rd Sept. came marked 40¢ postage Paid; yours to Daniel is 40¢ also.

Nathan Cox died one year ago and Jeremiah's daughter died about the time that you was at St. Jo, and old Mother Cox last Oct. and Matthew Cox a few weeks ago of lung fever.

Your excellent stepmother continues her offices of kindness to me and mine. Yours in love farewell.

For: W.J. Goodner.

Benjamin Goodner. "

 Copy of Letter to Benjamin Goodner, Millstadt, St. Clair County, Ill., from his Son, William J. Goodner, near Placerville, California, 1850.

"April 14th, A.D. 1850. Near Placerville,
 El Dorado Co., California.

Dear Father-

I take my pen in hand to address you in which I will inform you that my health is good at present and hope these lines will find you enjoying the same good blessing. My mess are well and the health in the country seems to be improving. The weather is delightful, the rains have measurably abated and rural nature has again dressed the forests and landscape in their garb of green and unfolded to the pleasure and support of the California hummingbird her amarantine flowers.

Abram received a letter from his Aunt Fisher of Belleville a few days since which informed us of the death of Mr. Trescott. It is the only intelligence we have had of him since he left us at Hangtown. He was so debilitated when he left us that I was very doubtful whether he would live to get home; before his departure he proposed selling to Abram and me on a credit his part in all we had in partnership except our team and wagon which was the one-half; we being out of money, our team lost, and sick we concluded to comply with his proposal, and therefore gave him our notes drawing interest from date. I asked him if we should find the team and sell it if we must send him his part of the money; says he, no, keep it until you come yourself. We found the team, sold it and wagon and received the money for the same and Abram requests me to take in my possession Mr. Trescott's part which I did, and as he wanted me to keep it until I returned home I shall therefore not be particular about settling it unless I receive proper authority from his family or administrator until I do return. Our partnership cow that we bought across the plain I believe is entirely a loss; we have not found nor heard anything of her since Mr. Trescott left us.

Enoch Moore and I are now partners in mining, and have been doing very well; we worked four days and a half last week and washed out 174 dollars within a short distance of our cabin. We expect to leave here in a week or two is the weather continues dry and warm and go further up in the Mountains seeking better diggins and get in some rich canyon and work there until the waters run down in the rivers and then go on to some river bar and there finish our fortune. There has been a great many of the miners left this part and gone further up in the mountains but I have been told they have gone too early, that the snow and waters are so in the way that they can do but little. I have a much better opinion of the mines than I had when I last wrote to you; new diggins are constantly being discovered almost, and if there is gold here there certainly is further up in the mountains, and as the gold dust is washing constantly down the streams it looks reasonable that the fountain head is high up in the mountains.

Political matters are taking a start here; there was an election held in this county on the first day of this month for the

purpose of locating the county-seat or determining where it should be and to elect county officers. The result of said election I am not in possession of, but the county-seat will be either at Placerville (Hangtown) or Coloma (Sutters Mills) 12 miles from Placerville.

I was over at Webertown on the last day of March about 4 miles from our cabin and heard a sermon preached which is the first preaching I have heard since last fall under a shade tree at Hangtown. The preacher gave out that Mr. Owens would hold his quarterly meeting for this district at Coloma on the third Sunday of this month.

I have deposited in the hands of John P. Crantham the sum of four hundred dollars to carry to Belleville, Ill., where he will leave it in the care of Thomas Harrison or some responsible person connected with his family. Mr. Grantham is a nephew to Mr. Harrison and from what acquaintance I have had with him I judge him to be a very fine man. He is religious and seems not to partake in any of the vices so common in this country. He told me his family and home is in Mount Pleasant, Henry Co., Iowa., and that his father lives in Montgomery Co., Ill. He gave me a receipt for the money and will take a receipt from the person whom he leaves the money with which will be good against the one he give me. He carries money for six per cent, taking dust at 16 doliars to the Ounce and agrees to exchange it for coin at New Orleans or some other place where he can do the best. If you get this letter you may be sure the money is at Belleville for I will send it by him also. I want you to go and get the money and remunerate the person it is left with for their trouble and oblige your son. I cannot tell you when I shall return home. If my health continues good I will probably remain in the mines until the rainy season sets in next fall. I think little about going to Oregon. I have half an ounce of gold dust done up to send you in this letter, I must close. Yours with respect.

To Benjamin Goodner.

William J. Goodner

If you get the money I am sending I want you to go or send some person to see Mr. Sharp and know of him if he is willing to have the mortgage satisfied and square up paying him the interest due on the money I borrowed. I think he will do it as he did not wish to let me have it for more than two years at the time I gave him the mortgage. If he is ready for settlement I want you to attend to it and stop the interest and get the note in your possession. There will likely be a little under or over four hundred dollars, it depending on what the dust is worth at the mint. I think there will be plenty to satisfy all demands and pay you for your trouble excepting Mr. Trescott's accounts. I am much better contented now than I have been since I have been in the mines and if John and Franklin was here I think we could make enough in two years to buy a good farm apiece and fix us to live comfortably for the means is here and labour will get it. I must close. Write.

Yours Truly,

To B. Goodner.

Wm. J. Goodner.

(The above letter contained small pockets made of chamois and wrapped in paper on which was written, "It is about a fair specium of the dry diggins gold dust. Father - I have done up a half an ounce of gold dust which you will please receive as a present. I dug it near the cabbin. The largest piece is worth 90¢.")

Letter from G.W. Goodner to Wm. J. Goodner, Sacramento, Calif., sent via New York. Letter was folded, no envelope and no stamp.

May 26, 1850
St. Clair Co., Ill. At Home.

Dear Brother-

I sit down this day to write you a few lines in which I will let you know that I received a letter from you on the 24th inst. Cornelius Gooding received a letter from Abram on the same day. I will now proceed to let you know that we are all enjoying tolerable health. Father wrote you a letter in December about the first I think; in this letter he wrote of the death of your sister Sally Ann McCracken who died in June last. McCracken brought his children in here where they wintered. In the fall he went down to Arkansas for his health. It improved while he was traveling but when he stopped it got worse. He came back and has taken cayenne pills. Since that his health has improved, and he has gained flesh. I think I heard him say that he weighs a few pounds more than he ever did. He was teaching school sll last winter in Richmond, and this spring was married to your cousin Matilda Linch. He has moved back to his old place and is going on in the farming line rapidly.

Elijah lives out in Washington Co. about three miles from Richmond I think. He has got a good farm out there and is doing well. I wrote to you last spring while you were at St. Jo that John was living with T. Tarr alearning the brickmason trade. He took sick in a few weeks and had to abandon the business. His health has continued bad ever since. He has put in a small crop of beans with Elijah this spring, but is in here now. There is a young Mr. William M. Goodner (son of Godfrey Goodner) going to school at Lebanon, Ill. now. Mr. James Nimerick, Esq., and Phillip Crehere are building a flour mill in Centreville, Ill. Daniel and S.J. Stookey are agoing to run the saw mill this summer.

The cholera was very bad in St. Louis last summer and was tolerable bad in Belleville and Centreville. It did not break out in the country much. We have the finest looking wheat this spring I ever saw. Wheat generally is a good deal

better this spring than common. We have 32 acres of wheat, about 30 of oats and about 24 of corn. Corn, wheat and oats have been higher than half a dollar a bushel. Wheat is a dollar a bushel.

There has been a few weddings since you left. Mr. Jackson Holcomb was married to Miss Carr last winter. Mr. John Glasgow to a Miss Tate. Mr. Benton Lacey to a Miss McCrilly. Also Ruth Henton to a Mr. Evens. Mr. James B. More received a letter from you last winter. Daniel Stookey received a letter from you also. And I heard a day or two ago that T. McCracken and E. Goodner received a letter from you a few weeks ago. I forgot to mention that Father received a letter from you last fall giving a Journal of your trip. Abrams father received a letter from him at the same time. There are a few emigrants going through this summer. Father sent a letter to you by Oglesby Harrison.

I must close as I have nothing of importance to write. Write every now and then and let us know how you are getting along. Excuse all mistakes.

Yours affectionately,
George W. Goodner.

To William J. Goodner

My pen is bad, my ink is worst

My love from you shall never burst.

Postage - 40¢

There was a snow fell the 14th of April 6 or 7 inches deep. "

Letter to Wm. Goodner, Sacramento, Calif. 1850, from Jacob B. Holcomb

" Ill., St. Clair County, June the 16th, 1850.

Dear Sir-

I received your letter yesterday and was happy to hear from you. You say you have got your health again. That is one of the greatest blessings on earth. I moved to your house in September and kept batch alone for about three months. At length mother got to tired of her old place and moved down with me. I grubbed and moled away till I had nearly finished my job but when mother moved that left Jack and John in a bachelor's row. Not long after this Jack tuck to himself a wife. The three lived together on the old place for about one month. About the first of February a son fell so John tuck his rifle and way to the grove in search of game. At length fell in company with Jacob and Andy Morgan; the three came on deer; Jacob Morgan fired at the deer and John's gun snapped; the third was Andy having his gun under his arm; it fired and the ball passed thru John's left arm about two inches below the elbow. He lay sick about two weeks and died. He died the 15th of February. Mary Ann Holcomb is dead and Uncle John Hol. has broke up housekeeping. You say you wanted to know about deaths. The cholera raged here last summer and hundreds of men women and children died but not your connection or mine. At Waterloo about 200 died, mostly Dutch and Irish, and at this time it is in St. Louis.

There has been a great many of our gals married and the rest of them wants to marry. Jackson Holcomb married Becky Ann Carey: Marg'tt Nelson married William Agnue: Andy Nelson married Elizabeth Evermen. Some not married yet, but the folks has it going thru the neighborhood (naborhood) several times that I was married to Miss Marthy Nelson (above "Nelsons" may be Mixon) but it is all a mistake. I now live on the old place. I tuck in about 13 ackers of ground on your place and the rest of it I will have done this fall. I think I will go to Californy. John Goodner says that he is going to and if he does I will go too. John Goodner is living in Washington County. Your father got a letter from you the other day and the money that you sent it amounted to four hundred and 32 Dollars. I think before I ever marry I will see Californy. Nothing should happen me.

Our wheat crop is very good this year, but my wheat was not hardly wuth cutting last year. Last fall I dug a well on your place. I had Jesse Stanly to dig. We dug about 21 feet but the water came in so fast that we couldn't dig any fudder. The water came in about a barrl a hou and we 'oled it up. It is tolable good water and plenty of it. There is a new mill in Waterloo and old James Nimerick has put in a new mill in Centreville.

Everything is going on here about the same as it was when you left here. Harvy Urmelvaney (McElvaney?) got back here some time ago but was unfortunate: he says had 25 hundrad \$ but was stold. He was mared last week to Miss Ann Rose. There was a great many started to Californy last spring but I heard that they are coming back again on the count of gals are not bein soficient for them.

I want you to rite as soon as you can. The connection is all well at present and I hope these few lines may find you in joying the same good bleson. Mis M.C.M. mared M. H. is not mared. Look over my mistakes. I remain your sincier friend tel deth.

Jacob B. Holcomb. "

Joseph Benson Goodner and Benjamin Franklin Goodner, both sons of Rev. Benjamin Goodner, left St. Clair County in 1852

for California by way of boat to New Orleans, to Panama, and thence to San Francisco, for the purpose, I suppose, of taking up mining. Benjamin Franklin took the Panama Fever and died shortly after reaching San Francisco. The following letters I quote in their original spelling, of the incidents of this trip.

"New Orleans, La. Feb. 23, 1852.

Dear Father:- (To Rev. Benj. Goodner, Millstadt, Ill.)

We left St. Louis Feb. 10th, the wind blowing us very hard, blew us against the Illinois shore. There we remained untill about the middle of the next day, then we started down agane and about two hours before sun down we runn on a sand-bar; there we remained until about nine o'clock that night, when a boat came down and pulled us off. We arrived here the twentieth of February; there was about forty passengers on board for California, twenty of them was from Illinois. We have secured our passage to Chagres on the steamship Empire City; she leaves on the twentyfifth. We take steerage passage; we pay thirty-five dollars a piece to Chagres. The Empire is a very large ship and has the name of being a good and fast running ship; she runs to Havana and there we go on to Chagres on another ship. There was four young men came down with us for California from Belleville, three of them are Germans; the other is a Mr. Nolen; he has gone back home, he started with only two hundred dollars; he says it costs to much to git there. We are boarding at Mrs. Hunter's boarding house, there is I think about twelve boarding here that came down with us for California; all are from Illinois except two who are from Mo. they all appere to be very fine honorable men; one of them is a young doctor from Pewlaska, Logan Co., Ill., and is a cousin to Primm Lacey's wife; and ther is a man and wif here for Cal. who cam down withe us from Logan Co., Ill. We all go on the same ship. Our board is one dollar a day. Its very warm here, about as warne as in May in Ill. We are in very good hearth at present. Benson was sick for two or three days comeing down, but is in very good health at present.

So no more but remains, yours trewly,

To: B. Goodner:-

"B. F. Goodner"

The second letter, addressed from Panama.

"Panama, March 14, 1852.

Dear Father:

We left New Orleans Feb. 25th about eight o'clock in the morning and that eavening about three o'clock the fog became so thick we anchored near the mouth of the Mississippi; there we stayed about twenty four hours and started down and in one hour and a half we entered the gulf.

We arived at havana Feb. the 29th a little after sun rise; we stayed there until Wednesday the third of March. We came to Havana on the steam ship Empire City with about four or five hundred passangers. She runs from havana to Chagres and carries all the passengers that comes from New Orleans and New York; the mails from New Orleans and New York meets at havana at the same time and the Ohio brigs them to Chagres. We were so Crowed on the Ohio that we got two meals aday and when we did get them they was not very good. It took them all day and part of the night to get around with two meals, we always filled our pockets every time we went in.

We anchored at Chagres Monday eavening about nine o'clock, March eight and next morning before day we went ashore. I suppose there was about fifty went ashore at Chagres when the Captain ordered the boats off and wood not let any more go ashore there; he took them on to Navy Bay at the railroad and put them off there. The rail road is finished for about twenty miles. Navy Bay is about twelve miles from Chagres. It cost us two dollars apeice from the ship to Chagres and from there to Gorgong five dollars. We left Chagres about nine o'clock in the morning and arrived in Gorgona the next eavening about three o'clock. Them that came on the rail road it cost them four dollars and farom there up to Gorgona it cost them from eight to twelve dollars. The Captain is interested in the rail road, that is the reason he did not wat them to go ashore at Chagres. We left Gorgona about one hour before sun down and came about six miles that eavening; next morning about one o'clock we started agane and arrive here about three o'clock in the eavening. We hired our carpet sacks carid acros at six cents a pound, that was something over one dollar and quarter apeice.

We have baught our tickets on a sail ship, there being no steamers but what is full, the steamer Panama left here the eavening of the twelf with about five hundred and fifty passangers; the steamer Isthmst will leave this eavening with about fur hundred and fifty. The name of our ship is Sarmiento some say she is a very good one and others say she is not. She is advertised to leave on the twentieth and will not take more than two hundred passangers; there has been about one hundred and eighty five tickets sold on her. There is two steamers expected in this week and will leave about the twentyseventh. We may sell out tickets and wait for a steamer as there is a greate many here that has not got the dimes to go on a steamer. Our tickets cost one hundred and thirty two dollars and a half apeice and on the steamers two hundred dollars.

We met with Thomas Morgn, Thomas Sharp, and his brother younger than himself at New Orleans and we are together now and all agoing on the same ship. We are boarding at about seventy five cents a day. We are all in common health at present. I have not been sick any yet, Benson was sick a little but Daniel was nearly all the way acros. Excuse my mistakes so no more but remains your affectionate son,

"B. F. Goodner"

To: Benj. Goodner.

The third letter.

San Francisco, Cal. Apr. 16th, 1852.

Dear Father:

I take my pen in hand this mornig, to inform you of the deth of Franklin; who left us yesterday morning about twenty-five minits past five which was the 15th. He was taken sick aboard the vessail, on or about the twenty-sixth of March; after lieveing Panama with a dire. He went to the Doctor of the vessail and go some medicine which stoped it on him. When he took the fever, which lasted until he died, I think it was about two days after the dire was stoped when he went to a doctor Leads (who was on his way to California who lives in Hogan Co., Ill., we got a 'quainted with him a going to New Orleans) who said that his liver was affected, who giv him medicen to act upon his liver; he continued to doctor him untill we got to this place; we got her on the sixth inst. we first put up at the Atlantic Hotel, it being amog the nearest hotels to the ship landing, wher we remained untill the ninth, when he still seemed to be no better. So I concluded I would look for a better tavern, the one we was at being bilt out over the bay. I then got a spring dray and moved him to the Montgomery House which was the evening of the ninth when he appeared to be better, having taken all the medicen that Leads had left him before he started up the country to Sacramento. Next morning he got up and came down stairs and washed and looked much beter. We had some feares that he had what is called the Panama fever. The Land Lord said we had better send for another doctor, and recommended Doctor Stackpole who has her about three years on this place. He stoped in Panama six months when he was on his way her. We sent for him about ten o'clock that morning who came and called it Panama fever, and left him medicen, but though it was doutful whether he get well, he came in the eavening to see him and said he was doing well anough and thog him doing well anough untill the eavening of the 14th when saw a chang for the worse. He visited him next morning when he giv up all hopes. He was in his right mind most all the time, sometime after wakeing up out of a sleep when he had been dreaming he would talk out of his right mind. He seemed to suffer no pain, ask him how he felt he say tolerable well. The eavening before his deth I sent for Mr. Taylor a Methodist Missionary who came and saw him; his remains was laid in the city grave yard about four o'clock P.M. I am in a bad state feeling to write. I hav requested a christian friend to write to you who will giv you mor satisfaction than I can. So I must stop writing. I am going to start to Sacramento this eavening on my way to the mines, write as soon as you get this letter. I will write soone. I am well, So no more but remains your affectionate son,

To: B. Goodner.

"Joseph B. Goodner"

Note; the penmanship and general appearance of the above letter indicated that the writer must have been under much mental stress and grief.

San Francisco, April 16, 1852.

Mr. Benjamin Goodner: Dear Sir:

I am under the painful necessity of sending you a fiew lines that I was called on by you son Benjamin F. Goodner a fiew hours before his death he seemed to express a wish to have a fiew lines wrote to you.

"D. Gregg".

San Francisco, April the 14th, 1852

Dear Father:

I am very low at present and not expected to get well. I am in the hands of very good treatment, I hope to meet you all in heaven. I want you to take the things that I have at home and distribute them among my brothers and sisters. My cloths and Carpet Sack I give them to Benson. My cloth coat give that to George. I give what money I have hear after my expenses is paid to Benson to use if he needs it and pay it to you when he goes home. This is written acording to my instructions.

Benjamin Franklin Goodner.

Copy of Letter from Geo. Earle to Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair Co., Ill., In Regard to the Death of His Son, Benjamin Franklin Goodner, 1852.

San Francisco, April 16, 1852.

Benjamin Goodner, Esqr.

Dear Sir:-

I have been requested to perform a most painful duty. I was a passenger in bound the same Steamer from Panama to this City with your two sons. A few days after we left Panama Benjamin Franklin was taken ill which terminat'd in the Pan-

ama Fever, and yesterday morning about half past 5 o'clock he passed from this to a better world. He had an experienced physician to attend him, and everything was done for him that could be done in any land, but his time had come, and he must depart. He died at the Montgomery House where I am stopping. Wednesday afternoon the 14th I called in to see him. I found him a very sick man. I thought he could live but a short time, and felt it my duty to warn him of his danger. He took my words very kindly and calmly. He expressed a willingness to die and a hope that he should meet us all in Heaven. We sent for a Methodist Clergyman who came and conversed and prayed with him, and sang a hymn to him. Benjamin was in full possession of his reason, and gave good evidence of an humble hope in the Merits and Blood of a crucified Savior. He died without a struggle, and we have no doubt he is now in the Bosom of his Savior, and that your loss will be his gain, and may God in his goodness santify this bereavement to you. Spiritual and everlasting good. Your Sons remains received a respectable interment last evening at 4 o'clock.

Respectfully and truly,
Yours,
Geo. Earle

(Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Millstadt, Ill. 1852)

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Adams County, Ills., May the 7th, 1852.

Dear brother-

I take the present opportunity of informing you that we are all well at present and hoping these lines may find you enjoying the same blessing. We have had a very cold winter here past and gon and here comes spring with all its bloom deay (?). The wether is fine and warm: the people is plowing, horowing sowing and planting: the prospect for the next crop is good. The prices of produce is low and everything is plenty. We have planted some corn and next week I calcolate to finish. I will have 11 acres of corn to tend and the old women and children to take care of, and that will keep one hand busy. I want you to read this to my brothers and sister and tell them that I have written one letter to them and have not herd anything from them. I want you to tell them to rite to me. They said they would come out soon as the spring opened but I have not seen them yet. The country here is fine. I have the pleasure of plowing good land here. I would advise you to sell them poore broken stowny pints and come out where the land is good. We have meeting every Sunday and we have school here in one half mile. Melvinie Gooding is teaching school here. Your folks are all well as fare as I now. I have not time to wright mutch at present.

You must excuse mistakes.

Wm. Holcomb and Co.

Copy of letter from Rev. Benjamin Goodner to his son, Joseph Benson Goodner, while he was in California (Sacramento) in the days of the Gold Rush.

Illinois, St. Clair County, Oct. 10th, 1852.

Dear Benson-

These lines are to inform you of things that have taken place since I last wrote you which was on the 26th of May, the receipt of which you acknowledged in your letter to me under date of 18th July. I regret that I have not written you oftener, but I will try to mend in this respect.

And first I have the mournful intelligence to communicate of the death of Margaret C. Ryan which took place on the 14th of Aug. at 7 o'clock P.M. She had been confined to her bed from the time I wrote you before up to her death. Her disease was consumption. She left us good evidence of her enchanging mortality, for immortality and eternal life. Matthew Roach has left the shores of time.

William is still living in Centreville but is now out of business in consequence of J. N. Nimreck's mill burning down a few nights ago; it is believed that the mill was burnt by some spiteful person. The Esquire was greatly in debt, but it is said that the mill was insured for \$9000.00, which will probably meet his dues. It is thought that he will build again as he has the offer of all the funds that he will need to enable him to rebuild. He owes me the rist of 60 dollars and to John the rise of 90, and to Mr. Gregg for all of his crop of wheat.

I had 374 1/2 bushels of wheat on the Ryan farm and 340 at home. After all expenses was paid on the Ryan wheat, half the remainder fell to Franklin's estate which was 78 dollars and 30 I allowed for his colt which makes 108 dollars, which gives you 12 dollars as your part of said estate, which I will keep subject to your order.

In your letter to me of the 9th of May which came in due time, you say that expenses while at San Francisco were about eighty-five dollars, and that you had 105 dollars left after paying Franklin's expenses which you will pay me when you get able. Now if you should be successful in making money, and you and Daniel each paid your own expenses out of your own money while detained at San Francisco (for I know not whether each paid his own expenses or whether the expenses was paid out of Franklin's Money) I want you to deduct from the 105 dollars your cash expense while detained at San Francisco with Franklin; and if you succeed well in getting money I want you to do the same by Daniel. Observe I do not want you to pay out one cent to Daniel if it will hinder you in your business or prevent you from getting home, but justice seems to say that those expenses should be paid out of Franklin's money as he has no further use for it.

And I want to know something about Franklin's grave, whether there is a register kept of the graves, and if the graveyard is permanently located, and if his grave can at all times be found, and whether it might be possible for you to procure suitable tombstones and have them set up at his grave with something like the following inscription, - Benjamin F. Goodner, born in Ill, June 25th, 1829. Died April 15th, 1852. You can give me such answers to the above questions as you may be able to collect, and tell me something about Franklin's fare with regard to food, drink, air, and lodging, while on the steamer. I have thought that you and Daniel kept dark on the subject of your sufferings on the vessel lest the truth should give us needless pain, but I think by this time we are prepared for the worst. Just let me say that about the middle of April I dreamed I saw you at some sixty yards distance acoming home bearing all the marks of a heart broken person; at the distance of say 30 yards I concluded it could not be you, you looked so grief stricken, but when you came near I saw that it was you. I asked you where Franklin was, - you said he had passed on up to Robert Leard's country; you gave me no intimation that he would ever return and the thought struck me that I should never see him again, and here the dream ended. I have no doubt but what I had in this dream your real state of feelings presented to my mind at the time.

We have heard nothing from Mr. Sharp's boys since they were at Panama, their father thinks they are lost. Your letter to George of 27th June came safe to hand, also one from Marion to John was received in bad condition, having been exposed to water, also two of Daniel's letters, his second to W. Coon and one to his Father bearing date Aug. 8th had both received a wetting.

Corn crops are not first rate; oats were very good. We have sown the field by the house in wheat which looks fine, and five acres on the west side of the large field has not yet come up. I suppose that George told you in his letter to you dated Aug. 1st, directed to Georgetown, that Charles Gooding and myself bought a large machine for cutting wheat which done good business. The sorrel horse that I got from John for Sam is a first rate work horse in plow or wagon and rides well and George has now rode him to Union to a singing, but he is too headstrong. Joe Stanly is married to a Miss Ogle, and Jim Wilson the coal digger to Miss Barbara Stookey, and Jeremiah Cox to Mrs. Holcomb. Tom Tar's wife is dead. Thompson Agnew has worked for me 2 months, is a good hand but has now left.

Elijah has another son. We have been looking for him and his family on a visit for two weeks but they have not come yet. The Central Railroad runs through his farm. Cornelius Gooding and his boys still have their home at his brother's. Mary Jane is with us, all in good health. Caroline's health has been slender up to this time. John done but little in cutting wheat except hauling water; he has not been quite so able for work this fall as he was last spring, but I think he is slowly improving. George had three or four days of sickness in August but soon got stout again. Myself with the balance of my family have had good health since you left us. Try, Benson, at all hazards to maintain a good moral character; take the advice that I gave you in my other letter. Come home if you cannot make money there. You have ample time to write to us. Let us hear from you often, tell us about your cousins, the Jacksons, and give my best respects to them. Daniel's friends are all well. I requested Sam. Chandler to say in his letter to Major hook that in writing to you I would direct to Caloma but as you still say to direct to Sacramento I will direct there until you order otherwise. A newspaper came to me from Cal. some time ago, and the fellow that sent it has my thanks, be him who he may.

I am looking for a letter from you. Write every four weeks and let Daniel write in two weeks after you, and mention each other in your letters, and by that arrangement we can hear from you every two weeks.

I will close my letter by subscribing myself your real friend and affectionate father.

To: J. B. Goodner
Sacramento City, Calif.

Benjamin Goodner."

(Note by author: The two Jackson boys, Marion and Daniel, mentioned in the letter, are cousins through the boy's father and the mother of Joseph. From the tone of the above letter it would appear that the father of Daniel lived close by. The only Jackson family residing in St. Clair County in 1850 which would qualify was the one of Joel Jackson and wife, Elly, ages 41 and 35 respectively, shown in the 1850 census of St. Clair Co. q.v.)

(Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Esq. Payson, Adams Co., Ill. from his father)

At Home, Sept. 28th, 1853.

Dear William-

Your letter of 21st Aug. was received in due time and read with pleasure. I was gratified to hear of your prosperous journey and of your improving health. George and Martha got home last night from a visit to Washington County. Our friends are a good deal sick with chill and fever, and scarlet fever is amongst the children in that county. Elijah has been sick with chills but had got about again. Mary and one of the children had the ague when George was there. The health of the people in this region is better than in other neighborhoods around, but there has been some ague through this settlement. My own family and friends have thus far had good health.

I am getting along very slowly with my building, the lumber and other materials are mostly on the ground and cellar dug, but workmen cannot be had short of two weeks. The army worm has been in our farms through here and the farmers have been afraid to sow their wheat up to this time. We threshed our wheat two weeks ago and had 511 bushels. I must wait for candle light.

Your money that Mr. Todd owed is in my possession and all in gold. J. N. Nimrick and his Brother has bought Ozel's mill and both have moved to it and are hard at work. He has not paid any of his debts that I know of except to those who bought property at his sale. He paid them as far as their sale bills went. I bought a cart and harness at \$19.50 and Aaron Stookey, Sen. bought a cart and harness at \$30.00 and I took Stookey's note due in nine months and gave Numrick credit for \$49.50 which left not more than ten or twelve dollars behind; he has paid none to John but I think he intends to pay his debts as soon as he can. I have not thought it worth while to go and see him for you, as I had no hope that I would get the money. If you come down after your money he may possibly pay you. Berry Todd has not left your old place yet, or had not a week ago. Noah Miner has paid \$400.00 on it and is wanting possession. I received a line from A. Crosby last mail informing me that he had your obligation for possession on the first of this month and that if Todd did not soon leave he would have to sue for damages to save himself, but I had been to see Miner before I got Crosby's letter and I think the matter will be settled without further trouble.

A letter from D. Gregg to his father dated Aug. 9th stated that they got through the rock with their tunnel but had not got pay for their labour, but had not tested the matter fully at that time. Benson and Daniel had been doing well in a claim that Benson was superintending but Benson thought it was nearly worked out as it had not paid so well the last week. Their health was good. You have heard before this time that Elijah Cox has sold out and has moved to Hancock County. D. Stookey has a contract to furnish 100,000 feet of plank for the Urbana plankroad. Lewis Holt got his leg broke last Friday by helping to load a saw log. James Robinson, Esq's wife died a few days ago.

Corn crops are first rate. The Columbia and Centreville mills are paying 80 cents for wheat at this time. If you cannot come down, write in receipt of this.

My love to you and yours,

Benjamin Goodner.

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For W. J. Goodner.

 Copy of Letter from Rev. Benjamin Goodner, St. Clair Co., Illinois, to his son, William J. Goodner, Payson, Adams Co., Illinois, 1857.

"At home, Jan. 15, 1859.

Dear William-

These lines will inform you that I have not forgotten you, although I have not written to you for some time. I have not heard from you for some months. I have been blest with excellent health since I last wrote to you. I have had a hired man with me for two or three years till the 18th Dec. when my boy left me with a promise to return in two weeks, but he has not returned. He lives at Richview. I have managed my business so as to raise considerable of wheat and corn enough to do me. My crop of wheat the last year was 504 bushels, and last fall I sowed 20 acres and John sowed 11 and about 14 is sown by two other men but the winter is so cold and dry that the wheat appears to be badly injured.

John has had so much affliction in his family that he is kept behind with his creditors. He and his family came on a visit last August and he wanted to sow some wheat to help pay his debts and I let him have 11 acres as already named. His little boy had the dropsy when they came and he appeared to mend under Dr. Romen's treatment while here, but he took violently bad while on the road home and they were compelled to stop in Washington four weeks where a doctor bill of \$20.00 was run up on them. John said in his last letter that he thought his son might possibly get well. John borrowed \$400.00 with me as security to pay for his land, and in three months from that time I paid back \$200.00 of the borrowed money and took John's note for the same with a mortgage on 120 acres of land as security. John's prospects being so poor to make money he thought that he must sell 40 acres of land to enable him to pay his debts out there and come back and rent land to raise wheat on to pay his debts. I wrote to him that I would take his 40 acres and give him up his note and mortgage and pay \$100 of the borrowed money to Mr. Gregg which would leave him \$100 in debt to John Lacey. I had paid \$45 interest

on his notes which also I gave him and to pay for rails and pay a man to haul them with his team to fence the broke ground, that is on the 40 acres and let him till the land free of charge. He has three 40 acres lying in a row - his house on the outside forty and his field on the other which I bought. His field is inclosed with another man's rails in part. I could not see any other way that I could get along with him. I have paid all excepting the fencing of the ground and have fifty or sixty dollars on hand and about 300 bushels of wheat in the granmery.

Jan. 16th- A letter from Elijah dated Dec. 12th said that his son Gilaspie accidently got the point of a knife stuck in his knee on the first day of Nov. and had not walked any since.

T. McCracken has sold his place for \$1200.00 and bought land adjoining his wife's farm near the old camp ground. George brought Salinda home in Nov. and returned in a few days. A letter of Nov. 2nd from Benson stated that he was still at work for J. West and would continue with him till the rains would drive them out of the river and then he would look out for winter business somewhere else. Said that he thought he would come home in May or June if he could collect his money. West was between two and three hundred dollars behind with him. His address is Strawberry Valley, Yuba County.

Write to me and say when you will visit us with your family. We had a light fall of snow on the last day of Dec. which was repeated in a day or so as to be over about one inch deep which is still on the ground and has been some help to our wheat.

In conclusion I have 4 head of horses, 11 head of cattle, 27 head of sheep, 21 head of hogs and not less than 160 chickens. Your Aunt Jane is still with us. All well. Farewell,

B. Goodner.

Jan. 17th: The snow is falling this morning finely, say 3 inches deep at 9 o'clock.

B. G. "

(Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Ill. from his father - 1860)

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At Home, Feb'y. 28th/60.

Dear William-

Some time ago I received a very satisfactory letter from you for which I have my thanks. If I could guide my pen as I once could I would write oftener, but I have to write slow and a small hand, otherwise I cannot govern my pen at all. I have had excellent health for the last twelve months and so has my family. Salinda started two weeks ago on the cars to see her friend in Washington County and will be gone some three weeks yet. Benson's last date was September. He thought that in two months more he could get his claim opened, and if his claim failed to remunerate, he would quit mining. John and his family have had fair health since they have been here. They are living in the old loom house. It has a new shingle roof and sealed overhead. Elijah writes that he is square with the world out there. His youngest is their first daughter. We have had a very pleasant fall except a severe snow storm and bitter cold weather for a few days about the 12th of Nov. but on the first of December winter came on us in earnest - rain, sleet and snow in quick succession to the depth of say four inches almost solid ice which lay until January, and notwithstanding the extreme cold I thought that our wheat was secure under the great sheet of ice, but it was not the case for our wheat is full one half killed in this region and perhaps more. Wheat last year was rather a light crop, corn was good, oats light. I have corn to do me and over 100 bushels of wheat yet to sell to pay hands and our family expenses.

George has so far been unfortunate at farming, and I fear that he will not be able soon to pay his debts as he owes some \$500, the most of it to Salinda and me.

I suppose that you have heard that Daniel Gregg and his Father both died last summer, and also James Jones, Mrs. Gregg's half brother. Write soon. Give my love to your family and bring them down to see us.

No more.

Benj. Goodner.

P. S. A half sheet well filled is better than a whole sheet half full.

B. G. "

(Letter to Benj. Goodner from his son, Benson, 1860)

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Cascade City, May 3rd., '60.

Dear Father-

As I have neglected to answer your letter of Nov. 1 I will try and write you a few lines, hoping when they reach you that they will find you all in the land of the living.

My health has been very good since I last wrote.

Your letter brought some very interesting, but mournful news: among the rest was recorded the death of my old friend and companion Daniel Gregg. I think among the many letters that I have received from you the last had about as little good news as any of your letters, and I have about come to the conclusion that I am doing as well as a majority of your children; a making a liveing and that is about all that I can brag of at present. I am geting along rather slow with my claim, found some ground in the start that did not pay. That was the first ground that we wash, after geting our cut finished, and ground that we had not prospected. The reason that we worked it is because it lay between our cut and the creek. I supposed it would pay something but I hardly think we will come in contact with any more ground but will pay something. All the money that we have taken out is \$375. The most of that we made in the last two weeks, but I cannot tell you how well the claim will pay. There was not much snow fell last winter as the winter before but the snow came very early and lay on the ground until spring. We get the news from St. Louis to Sacramento and San Francisco in nine days by the pony express which has been successful so far in making the trip, and I suppose that when Bates gets to be president that we will soon have a railroad. I claim Mr. Bates as my first choice for that office and somewhat of a Union man at that, as well as a Republican.

I should like very well to pay you a visit sometime this year, but I do not see any chance to get off at present. There are times when passage is very cheap and it would cost not more than \$75 to take me home, but I think that I will hardly do anything else until I leave the mines for good. I had been looking for a letter from Salinda for the last three months, but looked in vain.

I have given you a poor idea of my claim, but as good as I could do until I see into it a little more myself. I promised but little in the start so I am through.

Write or cause some one else to write, and oblige, your son,

Benson. "

Copy of Letter from Rev. Benjamin Goodner to his son, William J. Goodner, Payson, Adams Co., Illinois, 1861.

"At Home. Jan. 6th, 1861.

Dear William-

I have for some months wanted to write to you but my hand trembles so bad that at times I cannot write at all. We have had poor crops of wheat and corn down here. North of here in this County corn is good. It will be with care that I can live on what I raised. Times are very dull.

Salinda was married to John H. Lacey, Nov. 20th. They are living in Centreville and he is a clerk in a store and bids fair to live very fast. They are in a rented house and have some \$140.00 including fine carpets to furnish it. His father wants him to take charge of the farm and live on it but he is not willing to do so.

We have had pretty good health for the last 2 years, as I have no more local news of importance to write I will fill my sheet with extracts from a letter which I received from Benson.

'Pinkards Creek, Oct. 22, '60. Dear Father- As I have not written to any of you for a long time I will now take the opportunity sending you a few lines and hope some one or all of you will be so kind as to send me some in return for I have had no news from home since I received Salinda's letter of last spring. When I last wrote to you I stated that we had taken out but little dust from our claim (this was last May) we were at that time about \$1500.00 in debt which is now paid, we have taken out the rise of \$2000.00 since we commenced washing and expect to take out three or four hundred more in a day or two. The mining laws of Pinkards Creek allows each miner to hold 200 feet in width or from bank to bank running 300 feet along the bed of the Creek that being the amount of ground which constitutes a mining claim. There are four of us in the Co. and we hold seven claims four by preemption and three by purchase which is equivalent to 200 feet with and running twenty one hundred feet along the bed of the creek, and if you was to ask me how much gold there was in the claims and how long it will take to get it out I would tell you that there was not less than twenty-five thousand dollars and how much more I could give but a vague idea. And I suppose that four men could not work the claims short of six years, and perhaps not as soon as that. So you will see that I figure our labor down to about four dollars per day to the hand, but it pays better than that while washing. The claims are covered over with a heavy forrest of large timber and under brush and it requires about as much time to

get rid of the timber as what it does to wash the dirt. I do not know of any claims in this district that I would exchange mine for. Therefore you will come to the conclusion that I am located in a very poor district or else mining is getting to be a very poor business. It is my opinion that this section of the mines are rather below par; and I do not believe that there are more than one miner in twenty-five that is making more than a living and but poor prospects of doing any better. The merchant at strawberry valley (that we traffic with) said that he did not know of any one that had done as well this season as what we have done. So you see that I am as well off as most of my neighbors. I would like to know what the chances are to sell my land on short notice and if they are not very good perhaps it would be as well for you to hold the land for sale for I have no idea of settling on it and if I should I believe that I would always regret it, knowing as much as I do now of the Pacific States. I have been trying to fix upon some time in the next six months but I cannot hit upon any plan as yet, and I cannot say that I will meet with an opportunity unless I sell my claim and there the chances are against me, in finding a ready purchaser and get what the claim is worth. If it were not for some improvements that we expect to make next spring I could make my arrangements so as to leave my claim. You must not look for me until you see me acoming, and do what you think best in regard to the land for the present, and should you not sell and I do not come home soon, I will try and send some money.

The Republicans of California have some hopes of carrying the state for Old Abe Lincoln. Anyhow let the impending crises rest upon whom it may, I am for honest Old Abe.

The P.O. at Cascade is closed so you will please to direct to Strawberry Valley, Yuba. Since I commenced this letter we have taken out four hundred and thirty eight dollars. It seems that all my old correspondents have quit me, and for what reason I cannot say whether it is my poor miserable letters or they consider me past redemption. Tell them that I have one in California, a country where there is land for the landless and a home for the homeless.

Remember me to all of my old friends and neighbors. Write soon and you will oblige,

Your son, Benson. ' 1

You will see that I employed another person to write for me. Mr. Slade a school teacher is boarding with us and he finished copying Benson's letter, which was so interesting that I concluded to give you the whole of it. There is no sale for the land now. I believe his Cal. correspondent is Milton Moore's daughter, for in one of his letters he spoke of his receiving a letter from her, and in another of his private correspondent telling him that there was something to be made by farming.

Write soon, and now accept my best wishes for you and yours.

For W. J. Goodner.

Benjamin Goodner,

(In Benjamin's handwriting in this letter, the penmanship was small and very shaky)

Copy of Letter from George Washington Goodner to William J. Goodner, 1861, both sons of Rev. Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair County, Ill.

Postmarked Decatur, Ill.

Macon County, Ill. March the 28th, 1861.

Dear Brother-

I take this opportunity of writing to you after so long a time. I received your letter of February's in due time. In a few days after I received your letter I went to St. Clair Co. and spent two weeks there and in Washington County together. Father is looking old and breaking pretty fast. John looks weakly and bad as usual; his wife's health was not very good at that time. They have four healthy looking children. Salinda and her John Handsbrough are living in Centreville, he is clerking in a store for George Seiber. They talk like making Centreville their home, which to my mind is folly. It is the last place with me.

Livonia Gooding was slightly recovering from a long spell of sickness, she was not able to sit up much when I was there, her two little boys died in January.

Old Mrs. Bailey was buried while I was there, the rest of the friends and neighbors was well I believe. I only spent a few days in Washington County. Thomas McCracken was buried a week before I got there, his disease was lung fever, his family will remain together with the exception of James, he will shift for himself. I did not get to see him. Will is getting to be quite a man, he is five feet, 8 or 9 inches in height and spare built, weighs about 130 lbs. James they said was not so tall. Benson is low and heavy, stout looking, no Goodner visable about him. Franklin is small of his age, good looking very peert and sociable, as they all are. They are good boys, with good morals.

Elijah's head is quite frosty, otherwise he is not altered much, he has a regiment of stout looking boys with a little girl a true model of Mary in the rear. I had not been there for five years, and Jefferson knew me. Mary looks very stout. I was at Aunt Betsie's, she has had the rheumatics, and was not very well. Sophronia and George is still with her on the old place, also Jim. Jack is there with his children, - you had heard I suppose that he lost his wife, and that Paulina Phillips is at Jacksonville in the insane asylum. Well, I am at home, and have forty acres of good looking wheat, and my renter has thirty five acres that looks ditto. I sold 200 bushels of corn at 20 cts per bushel in the ear. I sold upwards of eight hundred shelled at 24 cts. per bushel and have about 600 bushels to dispose of yet. I cleared some money with my last crop, and will clear a great deal more this season if it is as favorable as last was.

The Political sky is very dark every corner of the union seems to be in a perpetual commotion. the Devil is in the people and it is beyond comprehension where it will all end or how. I wonder what the good Lord is a going to do with us all any how. Some are for Paul, some for Apollis, and some for Jef. Davis. My mind is that the Devil has pretty well run his course, that the time will soon be that he will be chained, as that time nears he gets more malicious in the hearts of the people. I think it will all be for the best. There has been some few sales of land this winter and spring at prices from ten to twenty five dollars per acre. I suppose unimproved prairie can be bought at ten dollars per acre, from four to six and eight miles from timber, farms within three miles of timber cannot be had for less than twenty to thirty dollars per acre, out farther in the prairie they can be bought for a little less, the railroad land was sold at from twelve to seventeen dollars per acre. Come over and see our country. No more at present.

Yours sincerely,

G. W. Goodner. "

Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Ill. from his brother, J.A.C. Goodner, 1861

" Centreville, Ills. Oct. 13, 1861.

Dear Brother-

I received yours dated Sept. and was glad to hear from you and family we are not in very good health at present Rose Ann is still complaining of her breast and Lincoln with a sore mouth fathers and Lacey's are well a late letter from Jackson Stookey says Capt. Stookey and company are quartered at Boonville. They are all well and expected to find work soon. A son of Aaron Stookey is first Lieutenant in that company. Francis M. Goodner is in the same company. He is Uncle Godfrey's youngest son formerly went by the name of little Godfrey. He joined a company of miners and went to the arsenal and finding Benson there left his company and joined Capt. Stookey's. Bert Gooding is in a company that belongs to the same regiment. John H. Lacey is still living in Centreville. He joined Freemont's body guard but the folks on both sides broke up the arrangement. A great many Germans have gone from this part of the country but very few of the Americans. John Weibles son Wm. was out three months. He was in Gen. Seigles retreat. There is but few secessionists in this vicinity. Mr. Glasses is very strong for the Southern Confederacy. Chas Askins and Geo. Garard has a very tender feeling for the rebels. Salem Goodner is a very strong secessionist. He is Sheriff of Washington County. I understand that Gov. Yates had called him to Springfield on account of his principals; if so he will be discharged from his office.

I moved to Centreville about three weeks ago. I rented Jim Nemericks house at \$5 a month. Whether I can live at that rate I am not able to say. I have rented 13 acres of father for wheat of which I am not quite done sowing. I think of going to Jefferson this fall to fence some of my ground. Wheat is only worth 65¢ here in Centreville in hard money. I was told yesterday that the best was worth 80¢ in Belleville. We have a nine months school which commenced the first of this month. Edwin and Clara is going every day. Ed. is beginning to read a little.

I will bring my letter to a close. My hand is so nervous I can hardly write. I saw Joe Cox last Thursday at the Fair in Belleville. He is living with a Mr. Cring in Prairie du Long probably not doing much good. I will stop.

Your brother J.A.C. Goodner. "

Letter from G. W. Goodner to W. J. Goodner.

" Harristown, Ill. January 5, 1862.

Dear Brother,

I seat myself this night to let you know that I am still alive and blest with a reasonable portion of health. We have had a beautiful fall and winter so far. We had a tolerable good snow the Saturday night before Christmas which went off on Christmas night. We have sleet and snow on the ground now. The atmosphere is mild and roads elegant. I have got my corn all gathered. I have about 2200 bushels of that article, which I suppose I will have to keep till next spring or summer.

I had about 700 bushels of wheat, apart of which I have on hand yet.

I sowed about 25 acres of wheat last fall, which is doing well so far, besides that there is about 60 acres more in wheat on my farm. Produce of every kind except wheat is hardly worth hauling to market and wheat is only worth 60 cts. per bushel. I dont know whether I will farm next season or not. Our Prairie is improving finely notwithstanding the hard times.

Dan'l Stookey has got lumber on his farm for house building. I paid them a visit in October. They are all well and seemed to be doing well. I get letters from J.H. & Salinda Lacey occasionally. They have a son which they call Elmer Ellsworth.

Jordan Burkey was married on New Years day to a Miss Haunsley an English girl, and Horatio Eyman to a Miss Salina Miler, thus you see old Bachelors can marry in war times. This goes to prove that I could marry if I would, but I dont think it right to take advantage of our soldier boys that way.

I need not tell you that times are very hard here for that you know as a matter of course. I fear for the future. My pen is so poor that I believe I will close for the present. Give my compliments to Lizzie Whittleton, Jannetta and the friends generally.

I dont know when I will visit you. I would like to do so very much. Please write me a letter when you can make it convenient. I believe this will be the seckond that I have sent you since I received one from you, at any rate it has been a long time since I heard from you.

I remain your affectionate brother.

G. W. Goodner. "

Copy of letter from Salinda Goodner Lacey to her brother, William Jackson Goodner, of Payson, Adams County, Ill. 1862.

" Millstadt, Ill. Feb. 2nd, 1862.

Dear Brother-

As this is Sunday and a day set aside for rest, I thought I could not employ my spare moments to a better advantage than by writing you a few lines, thinking perhaps we might start up a correspondence which if agreeable to you would afford me great satisfaction. I have been thinking for a long time about writing to you, but somehow or other something would always come in the way when I felt in the humor of writing, that I never got started, but I hope these few lines will merit an answer.

Well in the first place the friends are all enjoying tolerable good health. John's wife has been on the grunting order with the toothache, pain in the breast, etc., for some time, but I believe she is about convalescent now. We have had some very cold weather; there is snow on the ground four or five inches deep, it being the third snow we have had this winter. Times are very hard, money is scarce, produce low, merchandise high, and everything represents a doleful aspect. Corn is selling at 20 and 25 cents per bushel, and the best of wheat at 40 cents. The prospect for the next crop is splendid. It is to be hopes that times will get better soon. Although our Army is making slow progress, we think that Providence is on our side and we will finally come out victorious; that the star spangled banner long will wave over the soil of freedom and the home of the brave.

I suppose you have heard before now that Benson returned from California last July and has been in the Army four months; he is Orderly Sargeant in Company E 9th Regiment Missouri Volunteers. We heard last week through the public prints that they had left Otterville, and had gone to Springfield to meet Price. It is supposed that he, Price, will give battle.

The secessionists are very strong in Washington and Jefferson Counties. Salem Goodner is as hot headed a secessionist as you can find. He wants to sell out and go south. We have heard that there was an old man by the name of Goodner, Col. of a Regiment in Jeff Davis' Army - his son was Cap. of a company. We think that the information is reliable. Milton Goodner is Chaplain in the Army one hundred and sixty miles north of St. Louis.

We received a letter week before last from Elijah. They were all well. They call their girl Lucy May. John's are living in Centreville; they talk of moving to Jefferson County in the spring. Father's health is good; his hand trembles so much that he can hardly fashion a letter. He has been at me to write to you for a long time, but this is the first letter I have written in three months.

Horatio Eyman is married to a Miss Miller of Mason County. I want to come up and see you all very much, but I don't know when that time will come. We intend moving to the farm next March. Our little Elmer Elsworth Lacey was three months old yesterday; he has blue eyes, dark hair, and is as fat as a butterball; he weighed just four pounds when he

was one week old.

I would like if you could come down, I want to see you all so much. Give my love to Jeanetta and the children. I have not learned the baby's name as yet. I believe I have written all that would be interesting to you. Excuse poor writing and mistakes as I was hurried, and oblige your sister by an early answer.

Yours affectionately,

Salinda Lacey. "

P.S. The measles are raging all over the neighborhood; Mrs. Evaline Eyman and two of her children are sick with them, and several others.

To: Wm. Goodner.

Letter from G.W. Goodner to W.J. Goodner

" Harristown, Macon Co., Ill. March 10th, '62.

Dear Brother-

I have delayed writing for the want of something to write, and am afraid that I shall fail to interest you now. The folks that are living with me are nearly all sick with measals. I am tolerably well myself. Dan'l Stookey left here about one week ago for home. He finished building a house at that time on his farm. Caroline and the children are well.

The last six weeks has been very severe on wheat in this county. The wheat looks very bad but not certain that it will not sprout out green again. Yesterday we had a shower of rain, which has made the ground very muddy as it is considerably frozen yet.

John Jefferson, a boy who lived (with) Father a year or so when about the age of fifteen was killed at the battle of Fort Donelson, he went with the Decatur boys and was under the gallan Oglesby and a Mr. Bullard who lived just a half mile from me was wounded in the breast, and died last week in Cincinnati.

There were just two men in company A 8th Ill. reg., Oglesby the Colonel who did not receive wounds or bullet holes through their clothes. I received a letter from Cousin Sophronia a few days ago. She writes that the connection in Washington are all well, that Uncle Elijah's Caroline's husband was stabled and killed in a drunken row sometime ago, that Salim Goodner continued to be a secessionist, and his son Mattisson is printing a secession News Paper in Nashville, and that Uncle Jim Goodner is a Colonel in the rebel army, and one of his sons a Captain. I have not heard from Benson for weeks, have not had a letter from St. Clair since early in the winter.

We have had a mild pleasant winter both under foot and above ground, but it now has the appearance of mud and spring weather.

Please write when convenient. No more at present.

Yours in the bonds of affection,

G. W. Goodner. "

Letter from G.W. Goodner to his father, Rev. Benj. Goodner, addressed to Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill. 1862.

" Harristown, Ill. July 27th, 1862.

Dear Father-

On the fifth of this month I mailed a letter with forty dollars in it to you, and one to J.H. Lacey with fifty dollars in it. I should have had an answer before this, but I havent heard a word from them. I am a little uneasy and want you to write as soon as you get this. I am well. There is a company being made up for the war in this Township. Lewis Eyman, Ed. Eyman, and John Eyman have enlisted. Macon Co. has already sent more volunteers than any other county in the United States in proportion to population. I have not stacked my wheat and oats yet. Write sure. No more.

G.W. Goodner. "

Letter from G. W. Goodner to his father, Rev. Benj. Goodner a few days later.

" Decatur, Ill. August 6, '62.

Dear Father,

I will spend a few moments in writing to you. We are all in terrible excitement now. Everybody seems to be in trouble. We are volunteering by the hundred. I have been sworn into service today. I am acquainted with a great many of the company. How I will stand it I don't know, but I must go. We will go into camp about the 15th at camp Butler I suppose. I would like to go down and see you all, but I don't know that I can. I have got so much to attend to, and I want to go to Bloomington in a few days to see Daniel Stookey to make arrangements with him if I can to superintend my affairs here. I will come down if I can get a furlough. We have got a good company. Our officers are to elect yet. I don't know what to do with my team. Had I time I would take them down to you. Perhaps I can get Dan'l to keep them until he can sell them. I go not for pleasure, for it will be the hardest work I ever done, but I go to give my life to save this government.

I shall make up my mind to take the worst, and will trust in one who is able to help in time of trouble, but I must close as the drum is beating for parade.

Truely your son,

G.W. Goodner. "

Letter to Rev. Benj. Goodner from his son, Benson, 1862.

" Helena, Ark. Aug. 23rd, 1862.

Dear Father-

I will write you a few lines today to let you know my whereabouts but I have almost give up all hopes of hearing from home again for we have been making this our headquarters for a month or more and I have written to you since my arrival here and to Lacey also but get no answer.

I am in good health at this time, was taken down with a bilious attack two weeks ago. That and the chills have been taken a wide range among the soldiers lately.

I have received a letter from D. Stookey since I came to the Mississippi that stated that you and old Muff had been plowing corn & that George had enlisted and J.H. Lacey was trying to get up a company, the latter he could not vouch for. General Curtis is here with his army. I have no idea to what point he will be ordered next. I will not give much for the Union if the war lasts another year, but I will wait and see what our six hundred thousand recruits can do before I censure any one. You have had a better opportunity of getting the news than I have so my war news would be useless.

I will send you a twenty dollar bill in this letter if you receive it make use of it for I fear that times with you are hard. Direct your letters to St. Louis Co. A 3rd Ill. Calv. in care of Col. McCrellis.

Your son,

Benson. "

To Rev. Benj. Goodner
Millstadt, Ill.

Letter from G. W. Goodner to W. J. Goodner.

" November the 18th, 1862.

At home Macon County, Ill.

Dear Brother,

It has been a long time since I wrote to you, but I had nothing important to write and was expecting every few days to leave for Dixie, and then I would write. Four weeks ago last night I was taken sick with a chill and from that I had a severe spell of bilious fever. I was then in Camp Macon. After I got better I came out home and took a relapse but not severe. I got the fever broke again in a day or two and now I am able to knock around the house, but as we are having a

rainy and cloudy spell of weather I havent ventured out in the neighborhood yet. The fact is that I mend so slow that I am scarcely notice any change. The camp has been healthy and in the country Town there has been a great deal of sickness this fall, and the people have been very slow to recover. I heard about a week ago that Caroline Stookey was sick but did not learn how bad. Some one in this part had written to Daniel to come down, he wrote back that he could not leave home for Caroline was sick. Will McCracken staid with me saturday night and sunday night. Last night he went to the old man Eyman's and will start south this morning with my team which he is going to take to Father. He has been herding cattle at D. Stookey's farm, the cattle belonging to Nenian McCracken and Sam Stookey.

My regiment went off and left me on the 8th inst. They started for Columbus, Ky., but when they got to Cairo some of them wrote back that they were going to Memphis.. I shall follow as soon as I fully recover my health and get means of transportation. Our regiment is the 116th.

I will give you a list of the names of some of the Officers. N.W. Tupper, Col., J.T. Boyd, L. Col., Froeman Major Capt. Brown, Co. A., Capt. McClurg, Co. B., Capt. White, Co. C., Capt. Lingle, Co. D., Capt. Eyman, Co. E., Capt. Bishop, Co. F., Capt. Davis, Co. G., Capt. Dobson, Co. H., Capt. Forbes, Co. J., Capt. Matticks, Co. K.

Decatur has sent out five Colonels, Col. Oglesby of the 8th, Col. Peugh of the 41st, Col. Smith of the 47th, I think, Col. J.H. Moore (Methodist Preacher stationed at Decatur and a son of Jonathan Moore of Lebanon, I believe) of the 115th, and Col. Tupper of the 116th. Oglesby and Smith are now Brigadier's. Oglesby was wounded in the thigh at the late battle at Corinth and is at home, but is able to walk around. Oglesby, Peugh and Moore are republicans, Smith and Tupper are democrats. Tupper although a democrat is unlike the majority of democrats in this County, he is true to his country, laid aside his politics and kept his men here by the consent of the Governor for the election, made his men some grand speeches, and told them all to vote the union ticket. He is the best speech maker and the best lawyer that Decatur had. His brother a republican was L. Col. of Col. Peugh's regiment, and was killed at the battle of Pittsburg landing. Write as soon as you get this and direct to Harristown, Macon, Ill. and I may get it before I leave, if not it will be forward to me. I belong to Eyman's Co. Co. E, but you may leave that off and merely direct to Harristown. My love to you all.

G. W. Goodner. "

Letter from G.W. Goodner to his father, Rev. Benj. Goodner, addressed to Millstadt, Ill., and postmarked from Decatur, Ill.

" Harristown, Macon Co., Ill. Nov. 27, 1862.

Dear Father,

A few days ago I read a letter which J.H. Lacey wrote to J. Burkey concerning my welfare. Burkey requested me to answer the letter, which I have not hurried to so as I wrote to you not long ago.

Since I wrote I have gradually been on the mend, but get along very slow. I ride about, and work a little, fixing up my fence around my orchard. When I will go to the regiment I cant say, as I have no means of transportation and dont know when I will have. I think I will be able to go in a week. I was in Decatur today and saw two of my comrads, that was left, they are ready to go. We hear from the regiment often, they are at Memphis in possession of secesh houses and have contrabands to cook and wash for them, they write that house flies are very plenty. I saw Major Post of the 8th regiment today, he was taken prisoner at Donelson, and only got home a few weeks ago, he went down to Memphis with the boy's of the 116th. He says that there are a great many soldiers there. I am anxious to follow up and see the army and country. Will McCracken left here last Monday week with my team, and I suppose that you have them ere this. I think that he had a bad time for traveling. You may sell the team and wagon for what you can get, or keep them awhile if you think it best. If you sell them, credit the money on the notes that you have on me, and use it. The weather is very cold now. I got a letter from D. Stookey today. Caroline has been sick but is now about well.

I notice in the Missouri Democrat that the Illinois third Cavalry is in Virginia, and doing some fighting. I had hoped to meet Benson down the Mississippi, and get a transfer to his regiment if I liked the cavalry. I got a letter from J.H. Lacey some weeks ago, and will answer it when I get to the regiment if not before.

Give my friendship and tender regards to all who may enquire after my welfare. Give yourself no uneasiness as to my morals. I know what the army is, and know full well what to expect. I have already had an introduction to what I may see yet of immorality. Yours in bonds of affection,

G.W. Goodner. "

Letter to Rev. Benj. Goodner from his son, Benson, 1862.

" Helena, Ark., Dec. 20th, 1862.

Dear Father-

I suppose it is my duty to write to you if I do not hear from you, and have neglected it too long already.

I am enjoying good health and have had no reason to complain since I last wrote. We are still in camp at Helena where I have spent most of my time since my arrival at the Mississippi. Our regiment has been on several scouts during the time we have made this our headquarters: the last was across into Mississippi to tear up the Mississippi Central R.R. and burn some bridges on that road which was successfully accomplished. There will be a general move from this place down the river in a day or two and the 3rd Ill. is among the number that is going. Part of our camp equipment is already aboard the boats. I do not know where this expedition is going, perhaps to Vicksburg. There are several regiments coming down from Memphis, and looking for the 116th Ill. reg. and may get to see George if he has recovered sufficiently from his sickness to be able to join his reg.

While this is a short letter I have some work to do that must be done and will have to close. Write soon if you can.

Your son,

Benson. "

Letter from G.W. Goodner to W.J. Goodner.

" Cristown, Ill. Feb. 15th / 63.

Dear Brother & Family,

I take the pleasure once more of writing you a few lines, which may be of some interest to you. Several weeks ago I wrote to you, and I believe I told you to direct to Memphis. I havent been sent for and there has been no means provided for me to get to the regiment. The 116th was at Vicksburgh in the attempt to take that place, but did not suffer to any consequence. They then came up the river to Arkansas Post and participated in that battle, their loss was six killed and eleven wounded. Among the killed was Captain Eyman, who was shot in the heart with a minnie ball while doing his duty. He had carried one of his men off the field and returned and was in the act of lying down when he fell.

Perhaps his desire to see as much of the battle as possible caused him to loose his life, for it appears that he was loth to lay down. The 116th are down at Vicksburg again. They have been on the river for about two months and I am sorry to say that nearly nine tenths of them are sick.

The war seems to drag slowly, but I believe it would soon close, if these Northers Copperheads were truly loyal, but I am juberous of war at home before long, unless things take a change. I dont know when I will go to the army, it will be though as soon as they want me bad enough to send for me. Dan'l Stookey was here a few days ago. The family was well when he left. He talks of coming down here, and go to farming. He has about traded his house and lots for some prairie down here.

I was married the 7th of January to Mary Huff. She lives three miles from my farm. We had talked of it a good while ago, but had put it off until the Regiment went and left me. Dan'l said that Benson wrote to him that I was married was the first he heard of it. He thought it a rather round about way to hear much news, so it was. I think farming will be good business next season. I dont think that there will be much old grain on hand next fall when the new crop comes in. The prospects for wheat is very poor here. Corn is worth 40 cts. per bushel now and wheat is \$1.00 and upwards. I wish you to write soon and direct to this office. Tell me if you have heard anything from Cornelius Gooding lately. No more.

G.W. & Mary Goodner. "

(Addressed to W.J. Goodner, Payson, Adams Co., Ill.)

Letter from G.W. Goodner to his brother, W.J. Goodner, 1863.

" Youngs Point, La. April 13, 1863.

Dear Brother and family,

I take this opportunity to answer your letter. I left my woman the 30th of March and reported at Springfield for transportation to my reg't. I arrived at St. Louis March 31st at 11 P.M. and left that place at 4 P.M. April 3rd, arrived at Cairo at 4 P.M. the 4th, and left that place at 9 P.M. the same night. Arrived at Memphis at 2 A.M. the 6th, and left that place

at 6 P.M. the 7th. Arrived at Helena at 2 A.M. the 8th, and left that place at 1 P.M. the same day, and arrived at Youngs Point the 10th at dusk, and found my reg't the 11th. I was very unwell the 9th and 10th, but I am as well as usual now. The reg't is reduced greatly. I guess that there is about 340 men in the reg't that is fit for duty. There has been about 100 died with sickness and a few by gunshot. They have nearly all been troubled with camp diarrhea, and the most of the deaths have been caused by that complaint. Yesterday and last night our reg't stood picket, which was beginning a new leaf with me. The Canal that was dug here proved a failure and they are digging another a few miles above the old one. Our reg't worked in it day before yesterday but we didnt work but three hours, and pretty much as we pleased during that time. I guess it will be finished in a week or two. There dont seem to be much prospect of a fight, and I dont think its the calculation to attack Vicksburg at all, but to cut of their supplies and starve them out. Occasionally a deserter comes over. They seem to think the rebs will evacuate the Burg in the course of a couple of months. I heard that Benson's Co. are quartered at Millikens bend which is a few miles above here, but I dont know that it is true. Edward and John Eyman have both been sent away from here very sick. Their Mother, Martha and Hardin were lying very low with typhoid fever when I left home. Jim Eyman's wife was buried the week before I left home; she was a sister to my Mollie.

It is raining today, which makes it disagreeable in our quarters. The river is very high and raising. I dont know but it will run us out of this hole pretty soon. I can see the Burg from here when there is no smoke to interfere. It is 4 or 5 miles off. This reg't is to draw pay tomorrow. I guess that I will get several months pay, as I have never got any yet. The trees have put on their foliage, and the weather is mild and pleasant. There is fine plantations on this point, and our Generals use them for their accomodations. Old Abe's proclamation has recruited the army considerable. Deserters from the reb. camps say that the people are whiped, and are willing to come to terms, and say that if we will only hold out a few months longer we will have peace. John Windsor is temporarily our Co. Commander, and probably will be our Captain. Please write and direct to Co. E, 116th Ill. It is immaterial about the Capt. name being on the address. It is bedtime and I must close. My respects to you all. Adieu.

G.W. Goodner. "

Letter of G.W. Goodner to W.J. Goodner, dated June 6, 1863, and addressed to Payson, Adams, Illinois

June the 6th, 1863.

" Camp in the rear of Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Dear Brother & Family.

I wrote to you in April but have no answer. I get letters regular from Mollie and have letters from Caroline, Elijah, and J.H. Lacey, written in May, the folks were all well. I am very poorly and have been for the last five or six weeks. Although I have kept up with the reg't all the while. At first I had no appetite and was too costive, but for the last three weeks I have had diarrhea and at times severe pains in my bowels. We moved from Youngs Point to Millikens bend the third of May, and on the 5th had orders to march up the river, which we did and was ordered back the 7th, got to camp the 8th at 10 A.M. and started for Grandgulf at 1 P.M. and reached that place on the 11th and crossed the river. On the 12th, we took the Jackson road, and reached a little town east of here called Raymond on the 15th, and from there took the Vicksburg road. On the 16th we came to the enemy's lines, and only missed a battle by the enemy moving to our right to out flank us, when they come in conflict with Osterhaus' division. A battle ensued which was hotly contested for three hours, when Logan came up, and the rebs retreated in confusion, leaving knapsacks, blankets, ammuniton, wagons, etc. That evening our men brought in a great many prisoners. On the 17th they bothered some at Black River, but we finally crossed on a pontoon bridge and reached this place the 18th without any more difficulty. On the 19th we made a charge on their breastworks, but was repulsed with a smart slaughter. On the 22nd the whole line charged but was repulsed with greater loss than before. In the 2 days our reg't lost 80 in killed and wounded and our flag had 21 bullet holes put through it and one cannon shot. Since then we have been digging rifle pits and building forts. We have a great deal of artillery that is operating with the pickets every day, while the moiter and gun boats are pecking it to them on the other side. I suppose that we are two or three miles from the Burg. We are looking all the time for them to break out, as they manifest uneasiness. The reb, Gen. Joe Johnson is in our rear with a few thousand men trying to get in, but I dont think he can come it. We get our supplies up the Yazoo river, by way of Haines Bluffs, and have them to haul 5 or 6 miles; we get a plenty with what foraging we get. Our rear lines reach back to Black river, where ther are entrenched, and I suppose our Cavalry are considerable ways on the other side. I think it is about 18 miles to Black river. We are in the 15th Army Corps Gen. Sherman commanding, the 2nd division commanded by Gen. F.H. Blair, the first brigade commanded by Col. Giles A. Smith of the 8th Mo. There are five reg'ts in our brigade, the 6th and 8th Mo., the 113th & 116th Ill. and 13th regulars. On the 23rd of May Benson made me a visit of three or four hours. He was then to out left about six miles and was well, but looks middling thin. He is in Osterhaus's division. He said that he had got but one letter since last winter, and that one was from you. You ought to write to him, direct, Co. A, 3rd Ill. Cavalry, Memphis, Tenn. I have forgotten whether I wrote you of the death of Ed. Eyman, he died at Millikens bend. His sister Martha is dead also. John Eyman was sent to Memphis sick, from there to St. Louis and there Old Billy Mc-----tstock interceded for him and got him out to Belleville. I think if you knew with what anxiety a Soldier looks for letters you would write oftener. In the last two months I have written near 40 letters. Benson said that he would give me another call if he could get off, but I havent seen or heard from him since. I

presume that he is out on black river. If you visit Father this fall, please inform me of the time, or as near as you can, and if I am alive and can get a furlough I will try and meet you there. If we are successful in capturing Vicksburg with her prize, I hope the 116th will see better days. I must tell you how a pontoon bridge is made. A pontoon is made of the same kind of material that a gumbelt is made of. They are made round, about 18 inches in diameter and 10 or 12 feet long. Three of these are made together, side by side, that is inseperable. When they are loaded on a wagon the air is let out of them, and when they are to be used they are blown up by means of a hand bellows. If I understand it one of these is called a pontoon. Our Co. crossed over on these pontoons, and so did others, to stand picket. They were rowed over as you would a canoe, and run swifter than a canoe. Well now for the bridge. One of these pontoons are shoved out into the stream about 10 feet from shore and anchored lengthwise with the stream. Then the railing is put down one end resting on shore and the other end resting on the pontoon. The plank is then put down across the railing and tied there. Now you have one section. Then another pontoon is shoved out and anchored and the railing and plank put down as before, and so it goes until bridge reaches across the stream and is ready for use. As the troops passed over I noticed that it was springy. It is the prettiest and simplist bridge that I ever saw. Our Lieut. Col. was badly wounded in the breast. I would like to know what reg't William Holcomb is in, and what you know of him by this time. If you told me the number of his reg't I have forgotten it. There is a great many Ill. troops here, and if I knew the number of his reg't I might find him. The weather is getting pretty warm. I sleep under a shed made of cane and sleep warm enough without a blanket. We have no tents here. The country from here to Grand-gulf is nothing but high hills and deep ravines. We are camped in a deep ravine. The secesh balls pass over our heads. Occasionally a man gets wounded stragling around and occasionally a picket gets picked off. We are anxious to see the rebs stick up a white flag, but they are very stubborn, and I fear we shall have some bloody work before they will surrender. I think that they are looking for Joe Johnson to gather a force and fight us in the rear. I dont think they can spare troops from the east, and I dont think that Bragg dare start for Rosecrans will certainly follow him and take a great many of his men, but still we are not clear of apprehensions. It is true it will take a heavy force to do anything in our rear, but if fighting does commence in our rear and the rebs hear of it here, they will make a desperate effort to get out. If we succeed in capturing the whole kitteroo, I think the rebellion will be about done in the southwest. The Yanks will spread all over the Southern States, and subsist on what the rebels have left, and I think that they will be compelled to plead for mercy.

Our troops are in fine spirits, I dont think that they were ever in better, and if fortune should frown upon us now what a sad change would take place in our brave boys hearts. How is the war sentiment in Old Adams by this time, and how does the copperhead fraternity prosper or conduct themselves since Grant has coiled his northwestern Anaconda around the strongest fortified post in the south. I think I know from observation experienced last winter how they conduct themselves. I will guess that they lay low and speak soft words. They are all right on the eagle just now, although they talk a great deal of our repuls here but never say anything about how we thrash the rebs when we catch them out of their holes. I am in hopes if we bag the whole thing here that our much abused reg't will be shipped north to guard prisoners. We cant muster three hundred men for service now. The most of the men died at Youngs point, and was taken sick and sent away up the river together, so the 116th is a very small reg't now. I expect you will find it a job to read this, but it will do you the more good, if it takes you some tiem to read it. I expect that Laura & Julia are almost grown. I should like very much to see them and you all. I guess it is eight or nine years since I saw you. Please write soon and often.

G. W. Goodner. "

 Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Ill. from Caroline.

" Bloomington, Ill. June 15th, '63.

Dear Brother & Sister--

I have been wanting to hear from you for a long time and have thought every day for three months that I would write. I believe you wrote the last letter.

I am so anxious to hear from Benson and George when I can find time to write. I received a letter from George last Sunday written May 28th. He was then in the rear of Vicksburg. He said he had not done much duty for three or four days he had not been well for a week but was then getting better. He says he had a hard time marching, having been on the march from the 5th to the 18th of May. They went from Milliken's Bend down to Grand Gulf, then to Vicksburg. He says he paid 25¢ for six eggs. The evening before he wrote he says he had ham eggs fresh bread & potatoes for supper, the best meal he had had for a month and the first bread he had had for three weeks. They are camped in a revene where they get good spring water. He says Benson came to his redgement on the 23rd & spent three or four hours with him: he says Benson was well but looks poor & slim & sayed he had not received a letter since in the winter: it is too bad. I got a letter from him written Jan. 30, have written two since, but heard nothing till George wrote. Now William you are a good writer, do write to him. Direct to Memphis, Tenn. Co. A (?) (E ?) - letter inperfect - 3rd Ills. Cavl. Do not wait for an answer but write often. George wrote the day he got my letter. He got one from Elijah, one from J. Lacey & two from Molly, so you see he is well posted. George says his ridgement lost in the Vicksburg battle, 80 killed and wounded his Co. one killed & seven wounded. I guess you have herd that Cap. Lewis Eyman was killed at the Ark. Post battle. Ed Eyman has since died at Vicksburg & John Eyman the last I heard was at St. Louis in the hospital very sick. Marthey Eyman their youngest sister ded this spring; their Mother came very near dying with Typhoid fever. That is some of the troubles of war.

William how much do you lack of escaping the draft? They are enrolling the names here I understand. Daniel has traded our property here for Macon Co. land: the land is near his farm. It is unimproved land. We calculate to move down there this fall: We will probably go to Decatur as there are no schools near the land.

We are all in reasonable health. Jimma has a very bad cold: he was two the 10th of Apr. and does not talk much yet. We never had a child so backward about talking.

Well Jennetta when I got your washing reciete, I fixed up some and tried it & thought it good and tried to do my washing, but had to give it up not having the strength to wash this spring. I have been trying it again and have got along better. Last Saturday a week I went to the Soldiers aid Society to take all the old linens I had. There was 30 or 40 ladies employed making clothing for the soldiers. Last Thursday evening the ladies of the Soldiers aid Society had a strawberry festival: they took in four hundred & sixty six dollars. I was not there. The prospect is good for a good crop of peaches here this summer.

When did you hear from Cornelius Gooding? Daniel says he never can hear from you & them unless he writes you answer his letters that is the last unless he writes again. Jennetta have you forgot our visit to Corneels? How nice and white our children was. That is a time I shall never forget I was so tired. How are Laura & Julia? I guess they are almost women. When are you coming to pay us a visit? Write soon.

Your sister,

Caroline Goodner. "

To William & Jennetta Goodner.

Letter from G. W. Goodner to W. J. Goodner, June 28th, 1863.

" Walnut Hills, Warren County, Mississippi.
June the 28th, 1863.

Dear Brother,

I received your letter of the 7th & 14th day before yesterday with one from Mollie and one from John & Salinda Lacey. They wrote that all was well, and John wrote that they had another boy. I am very glad to hear that you are all well, and doing well. I am tolerable well. I think that I am as well as I was in Ill. of a gen. thing. As to haveing the camp diarrhea, I dont think I had it, or if it was I hope that it will have a salutary effect on my system, for of a general thing I have been too costive all my life. This is Sunday and a very fine morning. Co. E have gone on picket, but I am excused as I stood camp guard last night. Last Sunday morning one of our pickets was pretty severely wounded in the arm. He is one of our Co. Joseph D. Noon, our first Lieut. died of his wound which he received on the 19th of May at Memphis on the 18th inst. his commision came after he was wounded. Our original first Lieut. resigned last spring. Our original second Lieut. is still with us but has never been fit for duty since last winter. I think his resignation will be accepted soon. Last Thursday evening our men undertook to blow up Ft. Beaureguard, the most prominent of the rebel Fts. on this side of the burg. They partly succeeded, and a terrible conflict ensued which caused a great deal of bloodshed on both sides. The Ft. is to our left, perhaps a mile. It is Gen. John A. Logan's division that is doing that part of the work. Our men are holding the side that was blown up and the rebs still hold the other side. After the explosion cannon shell fell profusely among the rebs as they rallied, and the musketry was quick and constant on both sides. I think the rebs suffered severely, and so did our men. The rebs threw hand grenades and lit the fuse of cannon shell and dropped them down on our men, mangeling them horribly. The reg'ts that suffered the most is the 45th & 124th Ill. and some other one that I have forgotten. The old 8th (Gen. Ogle-sby's old reg't) lost pretty smart yesterday. It is reported that Ft. Pemberton is to be blown up this evening, it is a little to our right, and commands the N. E. corner of the rebel fortifications, but I don't think they are quite ready to blow it yet. I am told that Gen. Steel is going to blow up one in a few days, his division is still further to the right and reaches to the river. I think when the truth is known it will be found that the rebs have lost a great many men in there. If they dont surrender before the fourth of July I predict that they will find it the biggest fourth that they were ever at. I expect that they will get the National salute from all the guns anyhow. We will teach them to be humble on that day. As to Grants blowing up Vicksburg, is easier said than done. I suppose that the rebs, have an area of 2 1/2 or 3 miles, by 8 miles fortified.

It is reported that Fort Hudson is in possession of our troops but I fear it is not so. If Gen. Hooker had had such success as Grant, the war would soon end. I was at work last Friday helping to plant a battery. I could see the Miss. (or Old river I cant tell which) on the west, and Ft. Beaureguard on the south. I watched some 30 pound parrot guns shoot at the Ft., sometimes the shell would strike on the Ft. and scatter the dirt high, and then the shell would burst and tare up the earth more than before. The rebs are shooting more since Thursday than they did before. You cant get much idea of things here unless you was here to see for yourself. I suppose that we may look for some Ill. conscripts before long, and probably will hear of some trouble in getting them, but if they are stubborn the 116th would come up and insist on their coming anyhow.

I cant tell you anything more of Benson, but I hope that he has been lucky thus far as I. I wrote to you some days ago, in forming you that I saw him the 23rd of May, and that he was well. I suppose that you will soon commence your

harvesting. I saw wheat the 17th of May that was nearly ripe, but there is but little of that article in this country. If we can get in Vicksburg before peachtime, and be lucky enough to get on a scout I shall be pretty well satisfied for awhile. Or I wont complain if we are sent up towards Memphis. The weather is warm, write soon.

Brother George. "

(Letter to W. J. Goodner from J. B. Goodner, Payson P. O., Adams Co., Ill.)

"Vicksburg, Miss. July 29, 1863.

Dear Brother-

Your welcome letter came safe to hand a few days ago being the only news that I have had direct from you for a long time. I was very glad to hear of the good health of you and family, and that you was living in the land of plenty. My health is very good at this time, considering the climate and the exposure that a soldier has to undergo. I saw George some three weeks ago near Jackson. His health was better than common at that time. I do not know exactly where he is at this time but I believe that he is camped on Black River some 15 miles from Vicksburg.

I believe that the troops here all returned to the vicinity of Vicksburg that went with Sherman to Jackson and I am unable to say where the next move will be. After the surrender of Vicksburg Grant started most all of the army after Jo Johnson under command of Sherman. Johnson is the man who was going to raise the Siege of Vicksburg. We found the rebel pickets at Edwards Station, five miles from Black River, and had skirmishing with them until we drove them into the fortifications at Jackson. Johnson had a force of twenty-five or thirty thousand and was well fortified but would not give us time to surround him. Jackson is on the west bank of Pearl River, a small stream. When Johnson saw that Sherman was trying to get a force in his rear, he pulled up stakes, burnt part of the town in destroying his supplies that he could not get away and crossed Pearl river, burning the bridge after him. There is not much of Jackson standing now. After the evacuation of Jackson I went in a series of raids down to Jackson and New Orleans railroad to the sixth station taking them in rotation as we went, destroying the railroad, burning the bridges and towns, plundering the stores and stripping the land of Dixie in general. Buckhaven was the last station that we went to; it is considerable of a town and there were a great many of the seotch prisoners from Port Hudson that had been paroled at that place and as soon as we opened the stores they walked in and helped themselves to that that suited them. So you can imagine that we had a mixed up mess, women, children, white and black, every one helping himself. Southern pride is becoming humbled fast. I do not know where we will go when we leave here but there is a strong probability that it will be down the river in a few days, if not we will go to Memphis. I am very tired of the army but I suppose that I will have to stick to it till my three years are up. Give my respects to all the folks and write and direct as before.

Your brother,

J. B. Goodner. "

(Letter to Mrs. Jennetta A. Goodner, Payson, Ill., from her sister-in-law, Caroline Goodner Stookey)

"Bloomington, I.. Aug. 17th, '63.

Dear Sister-

I take the present opportunity of answring your letter which I received in good time, but have neglected to answer. I was glad to hear from you, to hear that you are all well and that you were going to make a visit south but sorry that I cannot meet you there, but want you to come here. You can come from St. Louis here in six or 7 hours. The state fair is in Decatur this fall. If you do not come before then I guess you are come for half fare. The fair I Believe commences on Sept. 25th. When you get started make a good visit. I am anxious to see you all and if life and health is spared will in a few years. When we get moved to Decatur I can come almost straight to your house.

A letter from George written July 28th: he was then at Camp Sherman, twelve miles from Vicksburg. His health is uncommonly good for the last five weeks, has been tired but has stood the march as well as the best of them. He was at the taking of Jackson on the 22nd Company C and D of the 116th went back towards Brandon foraging and were taken by guerillas and have not been heard of since. He was at both the charges at Vicksburg - bullets whizzed around him like bumblebees but none as yet touched his cloths. On the 11th Benson came to his regiment - he was well. He is in Osterhaus' division camped a few miles south of George. We have had one letter from Benson since I wrote to you. The next letter William writes to him. I would direct to Vicksburg, Osterhaus Div. I think he will get it sooner.

Daniel went to Macon Co. last Thursday to see about his cattle and farm. He has over a hundred head of three year

old steers there. Will McCracken has been up there herding cattle all summer. Lewis has hired himself to work at a corn shellers at 50¢ a day. He has clerked in a store two summers but I want him to learn that he can work. He complains that his clothes get so dirty.

I have not been well for two weeks - have had trouble with diarrhea but hope that I shall come out all right. The rest are all well. I heard about a month ago that Salinda had another boy. I have not had a letter from her since.

From your sister,

Caroline.

P. S. A secret for you jennetta. I guess Daniel's bees will swarm about the 1st of Oct. I think it is hard now that I am getting old and have taken care of children all my life. I reckon if that is the greatest sin I shall have to account for I shall come out all right at the Judgment Day. I shall not be able to go to the fair. Come and see us if you can. We live at the west end of Grove street: the bus will bring you here or Daniel will meet you at the depot with the buggy, if you will let us know when. If you can't come write all about your visit.

C. S.

Letter written by G. W. Goodner, to his father, Rev. Benj. Goodner, addressed to Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill.

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Corinth, Miss. Oct. 15th, 1863.

Dear Father:

I will write you a few lines this morning to let you know where and how I am. I am well and have been tolerably so ever since I wrote you last. We left Camp Sherman the 27th of Sep. and got to Vicksburg that day. The next day we got aboard a boat at started up the river and got to Memphis Oct. 4th. We staid there until the 9th and got to Corinth the 10th by Rail Road. We are camped about three miles south east of Corinth on the Mobile Rail Road. Our camp equipage, horses, mules, etc., were in the cars and the Soldiers rode upon the top. Last Sunday, Gen's Sherman, Ewing, and Leightburn with the 13th regulars started from Memphis to follow us. When they got something like 20 miles from Memphis and at a station near Moscow, there were attacked by about 2500 rebels who had some artillery and a fight ensued which lasted five hours. The rebels withdrew then and left. There were five Co's of the 66th Ind. stationed at the place, and they were all the assistance that the regulars had. I dont think that we will stay here more than a few days. I dont know where we will go, but I suppose that we will move on towards Chattanooga. I got a letter from William yesterday in which he informed me of his visit to St. Clair. I have another from John and one from D. Stookey. I have the news from home that I have a fine boy who weighs 7 pounds. The weather has been rainy here for several days, but it looks now like we would have some fair weather.

I have not heard from Benson since I wrote to you before, but I heard that the 13th corps is in Texas. I have nothing more to write and will quit. Your son,

G. W. Goodner

Letter of G. W. Goodner to W. J. Goodner.

"Cherokee Station, Alabana, Oct. 24, 1863.

Dear Brother & Family

I take this opportunity to let you know that I got your letter of the 4th inst. in due time, and also that I am well, and have enjoyed very good health ever since I wrote you last. I will give you a sketch of our travels since we left Camp Sherman the 27th of Sep. and got aboard a packet at Vicksburg the 28th and arrived at Memphis Oct. 4th. We lay at Memphis about a week when we started by rail on the Memphis & Charleston R. R. and come to Corinth, stopping a few hours at Lagrange, where some fighting was going on, but we were not engaged in it. We camped about a week three or four miles south of Corinth on the Columbus and Mobile R. R. From Lagrange to Corinth we done the fastest traveling that I ever done. The 116th and Co. A Chicago battery were on one train. The cars were loaded with camp equipments, horses, mules etc., and the soldiers were piled upon top every one of them and as thick too as we could sit. While going at about one mile to two minutes, or faster, the top of the car that I was on cracked and sprung like a buggy, but it made out to hold up until we got to a water tank where we stoped, and about half of us got back on flat cars with the artillery. We marched from Corinth here, stopping a day at Inka.

The Rail Road is in running order as far as Burnesville a few miles this side of Inka. We are now about 125 miles from Memphis. I suppose they intend repairing the Rail Road to the Tenn. river, and perhaps to Chattanooga. There is a

lot of rebel cavalry prowling around, some says there is one reg't and some says 8000 strong, but many or few, they have been fighting some in front, and we dont know how soon it may become general. The 1st, 2nd, & 4th divisions are here, and I understand that the 3rd is coming and also the 16th corps. I guess that we will be prepared for any number that we may come in contact with here. Sherman is in command, and he is very popular among his boys.

I have just been to dinner, I had fresh pork, sweet potatoes, hard tack and coffee. I havent fared better for some time. Last evening I and two others started to a sweet potatoe patch, and a little before we got to it we saw a hog which we pressed into the service.

Thats the way we fare so long as such articles are in our reach, and when we cant reach them we dont take them. Sometimes we fare pretty hard. Generally when we are in camp, we have soft bread baked by a baker. I am in a rebs house, have a good fire, and slept here last night. The woman says that her husband is a forage master in the rebel army. The most of the women around here are very sour, but it makes the boys worse, and they take such as they want.

This is a better country than that we summered in. There is a great many springs running out of rocky hills, and I think it is very healthy here. Furloughing has stoped in this department for the present, and in all probability will be for sometime. I have information from home that I have a boy up there, who is said to be as plump as a quail. I proposed nameing him Cyrus Wilber, but I havent heard whether it is accepted or not. I had concluded that you had quit writing. I will propose answering all your letters. Direct to Memphis, Tenn. My compliments to you all. Yours, etc.

G. W. Goodner."

The following is a part of the above.

"Night before last Co. E visited a smokehouse and got something over a bushel of salt. The commissarys are very scarce of salt and sometimes we are without when we need it the worst. I understand that the rebs are fortifying at Tuscumbia, a few miles from here.

I had a letter in September from Benson, he was at New Orleans, and I saw a furloughed soldier on the boat who belongs to the 118th Ill. and lives in the upper edge of Adams, he said the 13th corps is in Texas.

We are having a great deal of cold rainy weather, which makes it very disagreeable Soldiering, but I look for some warm weather yet. "

(Letter to Rev. Benj. Goodner, by his son, William, 1863)

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Payson, Ill. November 1st, '63.
At Home, Adams County, Ill.

Dear Father-

I will write you a few lines to let you know that we are in enjoyment of good health and have been since we left your house. The second day on our homeward journey we arrived James Moores in Brighton and found himself and family well and apparently doing well. That night it rained quite a rain and the roads are still bad. Next day we got to Kane and stayed over night with James Trescott. Next day we got to the Ill. river about sundown, came out two miles and put up with a clever man and family till morning. (The roads were bad all the way up to the river but it was dry from there home) We drove hard the next day and got to Elijah Bonham's. We found them well. Aunt Sally is bad off with rheumatic pains; she suffers a great deal of pain - is perfectly helpless and has to lie in bed all the time. The day following our stay over night at Bonham's we got home. It was a very hot day and come very near wilting down my near horse, he being very free to go ahead and sweating freely became so overheated that he came near giving out, but we got home and found things all right. We were a glad set, for we were tired of traveling. Willy and his little dog had quite a play before he went in the house. The frost had hurt nothing here. The rain that we had the night we were at Moore's was quite a storm in places - in Pike County the hail knocked out a great many window glass in the neighborhood of Barry. I saw in places as we came through the county that the tobacco was out all to pieces and the blades beat clean off of the corn.

When I got home I found Nathan Cox ready to go out on the Alton and Chicago railroad to look for a home. He had seen Capt. Gooding who has purchased some property in a little town 12 miles north of Springfield and has gone in partnership with another man in a drug store, he Gooding had told him that he thought the chances for a new beginner was better there than here to get a situation for farming so Nathan went and looked for himself and came back to fix to move right away. He employed his brotherinlaw (Whittleton) to sow his wheat while he was gone to look for a place- the wheat you understand is on my land, the stubble he was breaking while we were at your house visiting: he was at all expense in putting it in. Now I take the wheat and give him the proceeds of one-fourth delivered in Quincy. We have had some cold weather in October, attended with snow which injured a great many potatoes and apples. The apple business has been very great here this fall, hundreds of bushels going into Quincy almost daily, farmers engaging their apple crop to shippers at from thirty to thirty-five cents per bushel and cider four dollars per barrel and barrels furnished. We bought part of a orchard

near to us for \$18.00 and have sold \$30.00 worth of apples, put away and dried for our own use and have plenty to make into cider and apple butter.

Don Carlos is on Columbus circuit the coming year 16 miles north east of us in this country.

The children are going to school and have been for a month. I have had no letters since I was at your house. I wish some of you to write and let me know how you all are and the news from the boys in the army.

I must close my letter.

Yours respectfully,
Wm. J. Goodner. "

(Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Ill. from his brother, J. A. C. Goodner, 1863)

" At Fathers, Millstadt, St. Clair Co., Ill., Nov. 8, 1863.

Dear Brother-

Your letter to Father came to hand yesterday evening and was read with pleasure. Father wishes me to answer it which I shall hasten to do. I have been here 2 weeks today, part of which time I have been helping John Lacey haul off his wheat to Georgetown. He had somewhere near 800 bushels.

Eckert's mill was burned down two weeks ago last Tuesday night: he is removing the rubbish as fast as possible to build a new and larger one that the old one was. It is not known how the old one caught fire. John Lacey has bought Joe Cupp's farm adjoining the south end of Centreville and is sinking a shaft for coal. He has gone through a great deal of rock and is now within three feet of the coal.

The last news from George he was at Corinth and was well and thought likely they would move on to Chattanooga. He says he has a fine boy. Benson was at New Orleans when last heard from. George says in his letter he heard that the 13th Army corps was in Texas which is the one Benson is in. Father's health is very good at this time. He has Lewis Lacey to stay with him this winter. The Circuit preacher preaches at Union this evening and they are all gone to meeting. I stopped at Elijah's as I came in. They were all well. His corn crop was cut short with the frost but thinks he will have enough to do him.

I received a letter from Rose two days ago: she said the children had been sick some since I left home and that Edwin had had something like a fit, the first one he has had on about five years. If they return on him again he will not be likely to ever get rid of them again. Since they left him the first time he has had very good health.

In my section of the country the frost killed nearly all the corn cotton and tobacco on the 29th of Aug. My corn was just beginning to get hard, so you will imagine what kind of corn I have made this year. There is but few that will have corn that will fatten a hog and but little old corn in the country. I have cut up six acres of mine and sowed the ground in wheat.

I will bring my writing to a close. Direct to Fair Play and oblige

Your brother,
J. A. C. Goodner. "

(Letter from Benson Goodner to his brother, Wm. J., 1864)

" Port Hudson, June 20th, '64.

Dear Brother,

I take this method to let you know that I am well, and hope you and family are all in good health. I got to Port Hudson on the 9th and found things going as usual. The health of the white troops is good for the time of the year, but there has been a great many deaths among the Negro Soldiers this spring and Summer.

There is no news of importance in this department. Banks Red River army has fell back to the Mississippi river, and was camped on the bank of the river twenty miles below the mouth of Red River when I came down. The rebels are doing quite a business at this time in the way of firing into transports. I got to Centerville the day after I left your house found the

folks at John Lacey's all well. John was at work in his coal bank at present. I went to Belleville to see mother. Found her at Charles Goodings in good health. I took her on a visit to Lakes Galls, she is not satisfied with her home at Charley's and talked as though she would leave there. There was nothing said between her and I in regard to the old place. Some one told me that Mrs. Lacey had a talk with her since she went to Belleville, that she told Mrs. Lacey that she would rather have her advice than anyone that she knew of, and wished that you and Daniel had made her an offer for her dowry in the old place. Elijah thought that you and Dan'l had better give her the fifteen hundred dollars while she was in the notion, for he thinks, since she is dissatisfied with her home in Belleville that she will go back to the old place to live. Elijah is like John - would like to get his share in the estate as soon as possible. I wrote to Daniel Stookey that I thought it best to write to you and to make her the offer of fifteen hundred dollars to be paid when the sale money is due. All that I talked with that I saw in Washington Co. were all well. Sophronia Goodner's husband is dead. The Government is going to buy the horses in the third Ill. cavalry perhaps in a few days and we will be sent to Memphis. We will be mustered out in July or August.

Give my respects to Jeanetta and the children and write if convenient. I will quit the army when my time is out. So no more at present, but remain

Your brother,

Benson. "

To Wm. J. Goodner
Payson, Adams Co., Ill.

(Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Ill. from his sister, Salinda, 1864)

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Millstadt, Ill. Sept. 25th, 1864.

Dear friends-

Having a few idle moments this morning, I will devote them to writing you a letter to give you some idea how things are progressing down here. We are enjoying reasonable good health at present. John has been troubled with sore eyes but they are getting better now.

The draft has occasioned considerable excitement down here. A. T. Primm, Theophilus Harrison, Chas. Gooding, Aaron Stookey, Isaac Bailey and a good many more are of the lucky number. Copperheads are foaming with rage and will give all they have before they will go, while substitutes are ranging from twelve to fifteen hundred dollars. Aaron Stookey got one for 300 dollars, but I think they will be up to \$2000 before the last of the week. The man that I rented the old place is drafted - he has his ground ploughed for wheat and is in a peck of trouble about his affairs.

We have been as dry all fall as what the summer was: we had a good shower night before last which laid the dust. Jesse Leard a son-in-law of Uncle Elijah stayed here last Wednesday night. He is a circuit preacher and came to Belleville to conference. He is a neighbor of John's. They were all well when he left and the relations were all well.

I have no more news from George since the last battles and none from Benson since he went to Springfield.

Since writing the above we have had a good rain. Tomorrow we will make cider for apple butter. I should like very much to be at your fair, but I wanted to go to Daniel's this fall and it would cost too much to go to both places, and John cannot leave his business and I can't travel alone with the children. If I don't go until next year I will visit both places.

Tell Benson I will look for him soon. I look for S. Stookey in a few days.

We will have the same Minister that we had last year. It is now half past nine and all are asleep but me, so with my best wishes and pleasant dreams to all I will bid you good night. Write often for we are always pleased to hear from you all.

Salinda Lacey. "

Copy of letter from Caroline Goodner Stookey to Jos. Benson Goodner

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Harristown, Ill.
Apr. 9th, 1877.

Dear Brother:

Your sorrowful letter came several days ago and I feel that I can sympathize with you in your loss although it is 27 years the 22nd day of this month since Adaline died; she was not quite seven years old but the only daughter I had. I think it was the second spring you was in California. I think our baby died about the same time our dear brother Franklin died; Cornelius died the 28th of May eleven months before Adaline died. I often think that if it was not for such trouble we would almost forget there is a God to rule over us and he only takes them home to the arms of our dear Savior to bring us nearer to him and the hope that we have of some day seeing them again ought to comfort us although it is hard to give them up and those light afflictions that we have here are not to be compared with their joy and happiness among the blest on high nor that will be revealed to us when we meet them to part no more; it is our duty to try to be prepared to appear at that judgement bar to meet the judge whenever the Master calls for us. It appears there is more people die suddenly of late years than used to be. Margaret Thomas, James Harrison's oldest daughter died suddenly February 7th. She was at meeting the night before she died and arose as a witness for Christ, next morning went up town, came home and looked around and told her daughter she had a bad headache. Luch sent for her Pa and the Dr. but she died about ten o'clock and before they got there. Miss Leora Peck in Harristown died a few weeks ago, the only child at home. They have one daughter married living two miles west of here. Leora took a part in the entertainment at the M. E. church Thanksgiving day. She was the Prima Donna a good singer, and her death is seriously felt in H. She was 19; her parents can hardly stay at home - so lonely. The citizens of Harristown have just bought and laid out a new cemetery a quarter of a mile south of town on a high place and will make a nice cemetery and makes this place appear more like home to me. I have had such poor health since we lived here that I have never liked the place. This is good corn country. Daniel makes his money raising corn and feeding it to hogs and cattle. He keeps a man or two hired all the time. Land rents for four dollars per acre and corn is worth 28 cts now. I wrote to William to let you know if there wasn't a farm there you could get to live on, for I think that is a better place than this to live in and think it would be better to rent than go to a new country to live so you see I don't want you to go, but you are at liberty to do as you please. All are well but Jimma, he has just been very sick with measels but is up again. It is Florence's time next. Harristown is full of measels, four or five families have it. Rev. May our minister has never had it - his son Sheffa has measles now. It is very wet here, no garden made yet. Our folks have sowed some oats, no corn ground plowed yet - it rained all day yesterday, last night and night before. Mary and Florence are washing today. Wesley is making preparations to farm for himself this summer. I have just bought some early dwarf red tomato and egg plant seed and will send some in this letter. We have the prickly pear cactus growing here that is all the kind I know of in Illinois. Just send two or three small ones. As ever your sister,

Caroline Goodner Stookey

P. S. Brother John's girls both married brothers in three weeks after Laura was married - her man died with lung fever. Stover is living with Martha Goodner Laird.

(Copied from original in the possession of Margaret Wendler Bond in San Francisco, granddaughter of Jos. Benson Goodner, by Lenna Goodner Goit and recopied by Hubert W. Lacey.)

Letter from Caroline Goodner Stookey to her brother, Joseph Benson Goodner

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Harristown, Ill.
 Feb. 25th, '79 (1879)

Dear Brother:

Your letter written Jan. 19th came about one week ago: we were glad to hear from you once more. I had begun to fear there was something wrong or you had never received the package I sent. The Obituaries was given to me at Father's death. Mother's I don't think I had ever see until then, and when you was here I did not think of them. Wesley looked at his map and concluded that Palouse was not a city is why it was not put on. I wrote to you about three weeks ago and directed to Palouse again. I sent one of your letters written when you was in the Army and sent some change for you to send me one paper that is printed there and will send another letter with this. I have got the letters mixed up so that I cannot tell whether this one is right or whether those pieces go together but you will know. I have several more letters that will interest your children more than mine and will send some more for you to keep for them for old things is becoming to be a treat with some people. I want to keep one of the letters. I do hope you will not be bothered with the Indians this spring. Don't place yourself in danger; hope if they find you are prepared for them they will not come near, and feel that I can commend you to the All Seeing eye that has watched over you in (six?) troubles will not forsake you in the seventh. Only trust him. All are well here but a good deal of sickness on our prairie. Daniel got all his money from Kansas this spring.

Feb. 26th. The thermometer was at zero this morning. It was warm and very muddy yesterday, roads bad. Elijah is living in Richview. I do not know how long he is going to stay there. George had an old woman keeping house for him last accounts. He don't want me to come there any more. I thought that I never loved one of my own children better than I loved Lenna when her mother died; my family is not good enough for him. Wesley is Superintendent of our Sunday School. He is 26 years old and looks like a boy in front of the school asking questions and explaining the blackboard he has drawn on. Remember your sister, Caroline.

(The original of this letter is in the possession of Margaret Wendler Bond (Mrs. Cecil W. Bond), granddaughter of Jos. Benson Goodner; Mrs. Bond is now a resident of Burlingame, Calif. This is a copy of the copy made by Lenne Goodner Goit, Sept. 24th, 1954)

 (Letter to Wm. J. Goodner, Payson, Adams Co., Ill. from his sister, Caroline, 1882.)

"Harristown, Ill. Jan. 6th, 1882.

Dear brother William-

I was surprised when I hunted up your letter to find that it had been so long since you wrote. I was glad to hear from you once more for I had about despaired ever getting any more letters. I did not intend to be so long writing but we were so busy fixing up for Mary's wedding and our schools were all engaged when the letter came but there was no vacancy for Lizzie here. I wish there had of been for she would have been so much company for me.

Well I suppose Jennetta has had her visit to Missouri. Camp meeting is over and the pies Hester was making when you wrote are all eaten by this time. I do not think we have had word since you wrote. I don't know whether the girls are married or at school or at home this winter. Jennetta's invitation to Camp meeting and your promise to meet us in Quincy is very kind but we feel that one good turn deserves another. Haven't we all been there and isn't it your turn to come visit us? We do not mean to be fashionable or anything of the kind but really can't see anything to hinder the girls from coming here once at any rate. If the girls are at home they might come here this winter.

Florence is at home since the 6th of December. She went to Normal the fall term and intended to stay at home the winter term next winter, but found she could do better to stay at home this winter so she will all the time next winter it being her last year and I could not bear the idea of her being away nine months this year and I can't see how I can spare her next year but feel it is my duty to do whatever is best for her good. She is only 18 and has pledged herself to teach three years school. Teachers are plenty. I have no idea where she will find a situation. Had I of known poor Jimma wouldn't live long I never would have sent him to school, but it is too late now. It is very lonely here especially for her - only three of us here this winter, when we used to have such a large family. Wesley is still in the tile business at Buffalo, 25 miles west of here: he has sold nearly all his tile and has a good many orders for tile he cant fill. Lewis is still on his farm and had a fine boy come to them on Oct. 11th. Mary and E. B. Randle attended Conference at Pana and was sent to Ashland, sixteen miles north east of Jacksonville: he has four preaching places and just closed a meeting at Prentice in Dec. with 29 additions to the church and is now holding protracted meeting in Ashland. He is a relative of the old Randels that used to live in Belleville and met one of them at Conference that knew our Father well. He is twenty nine years old.

All the children were here Christmas and Mr. French and Laura. She is the same Laura yet and appears to enjoy coming as well as any and we all like to have her come. Wesley heard her mother and the children are at Riverton, first station this side of Springfield. She is no better and her brothers have taken her there to take care of her. A letter from Benson written Dec. 11th: they are all well and the ground was covered with snow and indications of a hard winter. A railroad now running past his farm gives him good market for his produce. He raised more vegetables last year than he ever raised in one year before. In about eight months the railroad will be completed, then we can go right to his door yard and get out: lets go! Smal pox has been raging there south of him so bad the trains and mail were stopped for several weeks.

Daniel and I went to the St. Louis Fair and to visit Dr. Lacey's. Found them well, Salinda doing all her work, the Dr. following his profession and Elmer a graduate of Jones Commercial College and was then a teacher there. We went to old Union. Tramps have burned the old church down. Mother is breaking very fast: she is not fleshy like she used to be and went with us to Old Union. The graveyard had all been cleaned off and looked natural: the fence was falling down around our graves but no stock there is allowed to run out now. Isaac Eyman's boys had married Jacob Holcomb's daughter a short time before. This old lady has grayer hair than I have and looks ten years older than I do, so our folks tell me.

Please write again: as ever,

your sister,

Caroline.

P.S. Colwell the preacher at Kinderhook preached here six, seven and eight years ago. Bell Burns the girl that is with them is a fine number 1 girl. "

Copy of letter from Caroline Goodner Stookey to Joseph Benson Goodner.

" To Joseph Benson Goodner, Spokane Bridge, Wash.

Harristown, Ill. July 29th, '83.

Dear Brother Benson:

Your last letter came in good time. I was as I always am, glad to hear from you all; was careful to put the letter away so that I wouldn't be lost and haven't found it since but think I will when I clean my bureau out. The second of April Florence and I started to Hot Springs, Ark. for our health and was gone nearly eight weeks. We took the hot baths and some medical treatment and came home but little benefited. My health has been poor for so long, and her head and eyes had been afflicted. I hoped it would care for both of us. A Mr. Allen and family went there from here in December and he was getting well; they met us at the depot and helped us to find a room. We went prepared and done our own cooking and got along much cheaper than we could have boarded. I thought I would write to you while we were there but couldn't find time. I took a bath nearly every day and would sometimes have to wait two or three hours until my turn came there was so many people there, fifty names in our bath house—six bath houses there. There was people from every state in the union, some would only stay to take one course of baths—people coming and going all the time. I often wondered if you wasn't there when you was in the Army four years ago. The old bath houses all burned down and new ones are built now that look like fine hotels. The street car runs two miles along the valley and houses on both sides. The water is hot enough to cook and egg in fifteen minutes where it boils out of the Mountain; it is cooled to 98 degrees for our baths and we stayed 6 to 9 minutes in the water. Daniel came there and stayed one week while we was there; he took his meals with the family in the old house and slept here, made garden and kept his men at work. There was so much rain in the spring corn is only tolerably good, wheat and oats are poor, the cold weather killed all the peaches and grapes; apples are tolerably good. It is very dry now, no rain for some time. Wesley was married March 7th to Miss Angie Donnock of Mechanicsburg two miles from where he is in the tile business; he claims he cleared fifteen hundred dollars last year, but I'm afraid he can't do so well this year for there is two tile factories being built in three or four miles of him. Lewis has two children; the little girl is two months old; he is still farming. Mary has no child, has been married two years; she is going all the time with her preacher helping him and acting the part of a good Samaritan, taking care of the sick. Since conference he has married 25 couples and two weeks ago he had 50 probationary members to take in full membership. Florence is still suffering pain and weakness with her head and eyes at times. In four weeks school at Normal, Ill. commences; she is anxious to go but I fear she can't stay long. She would have graduated last June if she could have been well. Hughey Goodner went away from here last Thursday; he stayed three weeks; his health is poor. He came here from the Asylum at Jacksonville (where he was a nurse) and went home from here. He expects to go back there if he gets better. Thomas is still there. Elmer Lacey spent a week here visiting this summer. He is a very tidy youngman and still teaching in the college in St. Louis. (Permit the writer, Lenna, to second that - he also visited us at my father's near Warrenburg and I remember him very well - he wore a silk hat.) *

I heard that Keelon one of brother John's twin boys has the rheumatism until he can't walk. He is a very nice little boy; if I was able to work I would like to have him but have to keep a girl most of the time; they are all living among their mother's people, the first station this side of Springfield. Aunt Martha's mind is better but she is not capable of taking care of her children. We went through St. Louis to Hot Springs and stopped at Salinda's. She says Mother's health is poor. She would enjoy a letter from you ever so much as she always is from any of us and wants to be buried at Old Union. We haven't heard from William this summer. The cholera is now at Cairo and I fear will be bad at St. Louis and perhaps be here. Please write when convenient and I will try to do better. The picture I send is Lewis, my oldest son.

Caroline Goodner Stookey. "

*Inserted by Lenna Goodner Goit, dau. of Geo. Washington Goodner. She also copied this letter, here reproduced by Hubert W. Lacey, from original in the possession of Mrs. Cecil W. Bond of Burlingame, Calif.

Copy of letter to Joseph Benson Goodner from Caroline Goodner Stookey.

"To Joseph Benson Goodner, Spokane Bridge, Calif.

Harristown, Ill. Jan. 18th, 1886.

Dear Brother Benson:-

Your letter written Nov. 25th containing the photographs came two weeks after it was written, and the paper came also. Please accept my thanks. Your picture looks very natural - very much like you did when you started to California. How plain and near it brings those old times to my recollection; how sad those days were when our dear brother, Franklin, died so far away from home, and you there alone a mere boy with no place to lay your body down to rest that you could call home; again I say how sad it must have been to you. I know Father wished time and again he had never given up for you to go there. I have always wished his body could have been brought back and he could have known it would before he died. I talked to Father about it - he said yes it could, but what was the body, and he didn't expect Franklin cared, but I think he did; but there was no railroad then; it would be no trouble now but I am afraid the grave couldn't be found now. The time may come yet sometime that I may go there for my health, it is so cold here I can hardly live in the winter time. You never looked natural to me after you came home from the Army, but this picture is all right and explains it all and now I feel that you are the same Benson. It has done me a great deal of good, but I feel that I must not keep it for your children

need it and Florence says your children wouldn't appreciate it like they would the other one, if she ever gets time to enlarge one of them. I think you have chosen a good plan to give your daughters an education; there is nothing girls can do so well as at teaching and if they don't want to teach, an education won't hurt them but will set them up in life in their own estimation and in the estimation of other people. Partly on account of my eyes I got a poor education. I have never done an example on a slate in my life - and can't now, neither can I enjoy myself in the company of educated people as I should like to, and I very much see the need of good schooling. From your description of Spokane Falls, it is a growing business place. I saw Mr. Shrullin Decatur about two months ago. He takes a Spokane Falls paper and brags very much on the place, and says he saw in the paper that you had set out a large orchard or a great deal of small fruit he had forgot which, and thought you had moved to Spokane Falls. I told him I thought not - at least I hadn't heard of your moving. It must have been the girls at school is what he saw. He is still clerking in Linn & Scruggs store. I have Mary and Florence's pictures ready at last to send to you but still feel it is a poor time for any certainty about mail as there is so much snow this time of year. They are both very good. Florence's hair is one yard and a quarter long and is very nice; it is the color of Daniel's. We would be glad to have all your children's pictures when convenient, but save everything you can to educate them. I have Gertie's when she was a baby. I have some letters you wrote when you was in the Army that I will send as soon as I get time to look for them. They will interest you and all of your family. I have so many sick spells and lose so much time from my work that I never get caught up even if I don't have much family now. I was just able to sit up from a hard spell of Bilious fever when your letter came. I am now as well as usual. I went to Mary's the last of Nov. on the 27th, and took cold. Daniel took me to a Doctor in the buggy to meet the train and I got so cold going. I only stayed four days. They live in Kansas, Ill., Edgar Co., a town of 15 inhabitants. E.B. Randle commenced meeting while I was there and took in 65 members; he weighs two hundred. Keelon is no better. I had a letter from him a few weeks ago, wanting a pair of pants, two shirts and two pair of drawers. I sent them and two bottles of medicine for him to take. Our minister's wife had stiff joints and it loosened them. I hope it will help him. He said Aunt Betsy couldn't keep him and dress him. She is his mother's sister. She and Nora are at their guardians, and Cloyd is staying in the country going to school. I never see George or any of his family. I have never seen his last wife. He is a sanctified Christian and wants nothing to do with us, at least I heard he was sanctified. We never meet any place. I wish him well and hope the day may come sometime when we may meet again. I have nothing against him: I don't know what he has against us. *

James McCracken was here this winter. I gave him your letter to read and told him to tell George what you wrote. He lives in Nashville, Ill. and was looking for a better place to live. Elijah still lives in Ashley. He has to work - has poor and a hard time I fear. His boys are all married but Hugh; he was in Southwest Mo. last summer. I have nothing late from William. Lacey's are still in St. Louis, doing well.

As ever, your sister,

Caroline. "

P.S. The ground is now covered with snow and good sleighing, but not so cold now as the first week in January; it was the coldest weather I ever knew; some said it was 25 below zero. We saw in the paper the oranges were all frozen in Florida, something that was never known before. We haven't had any peaches for three years. I was in hopes we would have some this year, now I fear the grapes and blackberries are all killed. No fruit agrees with me like peaches. Corn is now 25 cts per bushel and everything else about as it is there, butter 15 cts; those that have it engaged get 25 cts per lb. We offered to take Keelon last summer and keep him awhile if Nora could come to help work. Daniel wrote to Lanham but he wouldn't let her come. I am afraid he wants to hire her out. Salinda wrote she had some clothes for Keelon when he comes here. I wrote to her to send them if she liked to. Lewis is still farming and has three children. Wesley's lease lasts one more year where he makes tile. There are so many tile factories near him he thinks it is time to shove out for a better place and is looking around for a better situation or quit the business and go at something else. He is slim, only weighs one hundred and twenty five. How much do you weigh? I thought the other sheet would hold all I had to tell. Florence is writing a piece on Art for the paper. If I can get a paper I will send you one. I will start the pictures with this letter. If Florence goes to school any more I shall try to get Nora to come and live with me; I can't keep house without help. Daniel still keeps a lot of stock, one man all the time and in summer two and often three, but I have quit cooking for them because I can't. He don't work much.

Caroline. "

*Lenna Goodner Goit, in copying this letter from the original, has this to say regarding the differences between her father and Caroline. " For the record, let Lenna (typing this) just say that the slight 'rift' came when father thought Aunt Caroline persuaded his niece, Laura (Goodner) - afterward "French", to leave his home where she was taking care of his children, recently bereft of their mother and go to her at Harristown. I was then two years old. "

The original of this letter is in the possession of Margaret Wendler Bond of Burlingame, Calif. This is a copy of the one made by Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit. H.W. Lacey.

Copy of letter written by Caroline Goodner Stookey to Jos. Benson Goodner.

" To Joseph Benson Goodner, Spokane Bridge, Washington.

Harristown, Ill. Aug. 11th, 1886.

Dear Brother:

This has been as busy a summer as anytime; at least it takes all my time to get my work done. Perhaps if I was younger and stronger I could work faster and have more time to write letters. Your letter telling you had received the girls photographs came sometime ago. I had begun to be afraid they had never reached you and two nice landscape or home pictures of yourself, family and house we suppose they are. When I put them in the stearoscope it brings them out full and quite real. Sallie has changed in her looks more than you have. She looks to be so much fleshier. I don't see but four girls; I thought you had five living. I wonder if you are as gray as you look to be, if you are your beard is as white as Daniel's is. I can scarcely see your eyes at all, but the children's are plain, all but the baby - he looks squinty, but I suppose it was about noon and the sun shone bright, for I see the table set for dinner, - I suppose - but can't tell what you had to eat. The yard appears to be full of flowers, and how much the fawn adds to the picture. All the children are pleased with its appearance. Upon the whole it is a grand picture. It makes me feel that I have seen all of you. The scenery in the other picture is grand, especially those evergreens on the hill. Your orchard, vines and shrubbery - what a large pine tree near the house - and I see a fellow looking around the corner of the house as though he was watching all of you. I can see all of you in this picture and have looked and looked, but your pictures are small for my weak eyes. I don't see how the little boy got outside the fence but can see his head is not as high as the top rail of the fence. I can see a pile of rock or some sheep lying down on the hill I can't tell which, but the pictures are a nice treat that I was not expecting, and I send my thanks. This has been a very dry season - we only had one good rain in July and only one shower this month. Wheat is good but only sixty five and seventy cts. per bushel. Corn was very promising until dry weather cut it short, and the drought dried up the blackberries but other fruit was pleantier than it has been for years; only peaches, my favorite fruit, there is none here, but plenty in the south part of the state I believe. This dry hot weather just suits me; I feel better than at any other time of the year. The relatives are all alive and well so far as I know. William had a cancer taken off his lip or mouth by Dr. John H. Lacey in May in St. Louis. I had one letter from him after he went home; he said he was still taking medicine for his blood and was very nervous, but doing well he thought. Keelon's uncle Lanham put him in the cars the fifth of April and sent him here alone, and when he came to Harristown he had to get strangers to carry him into the depot; there he sat for three hours before we knew he was there - a mean trick. Lanham wrote to me to take him or he would take him to the poor house. I told him I would, but Nora must come too. He wrote if I would pay him sixty dollars a year he would keep him, but I thought I would let him rest awhile; I had no right to pay him to keep Keelon, and here he sent him without even telling me he was coming and wouldn't let Nora come or she wouldn't come I don't know which. I have doctored him all summer and am beginning to think he can't be cured. He is sixteen years old, hearty and well, but has to walk on his hands and knees. I will keep him until October then I will take him to his uncle where his mother is; she can work, is well - only is ill at times; Matthews is well off and may put Keelon to a trade - shoemaking or some sitting work. I am sick half the time in winter and can't keep him. William sent me ten dollars and said he would send ten more, and that will help to pay his board until he can support himself. Salinda and I have clothed him for the last two years. Please find some of your letters with this one written in the Army.

Caroline Goodner Stookey."

(The original of this letter is in the possession of Margaret Wendler Bond in Burlingame, Calif., and was copied by Mrs. Lenna Goodner Goit, and recopied by Hubert W. Lacey.)

Letter from Caroline Goodner Stookey to her brother, Joseph Benson Goodner.

" Harristown, Ill. Nov. 23, 1886.

Dear Brother Benson:-

Your long and very interesting letter of Nov. 8 came a few days ago; have much sorrowful news to tell you but suppose some of the relatives have written to you before now. Elmer Lacey told me he had sent a dispatch to you about the death of his mother. It didn't seem possible she should die so soon after Elijah's death. My dispatch came a little before twelve o'clock, Nov. 10th. She died before daylight, I didn't learn the exact time for I didn't think to ask, all was in such deep distress, especially Uncle John; he is completely broke up, the boys all away all day at work and he left alone in Elmer's three story brick house. They just moved in five months ago. Daniel went to Decatur with me that evening and I took the early train and was at Dr. Lacey's by half past one o'clock. The funeral was that afternoon at half past one o'clock at Watertower church near their home. -Rev. Haggerty took for his text Mary has chosen the good part. He praised her for her benevolent qualities and said that everyone that knew her liked her - he had known her for ten years and for her religious ways as being one of the masters workers in his vineyard and spoke of a protracted meeting where the minister called on her every night to lead in prayer. She took right hold of the work and stood to her post all the time - she died calling to the Master to take her - she was ready. We then went to Bellefontaine cemetery one mile and a half away and there I saw her laid in her last resting place, a large Cemetery. The floral decorations was the nicest I ever saw; the President where Elmer teaches sent an arch of flowers two feet high; in the arch was a white dove and at the bottom these words At Rest. The coffin cost one hundred dollars, made of cedar wood and covered in black and mounted with silver. What noble boys they are. I think Elmer done the most of it; he is a good Christian and Superintendent of the Sunday School. She died of

pneumonia or lung fever and was taken sick the night Elijah died and was delirious that night and the next day and was not able to go in the room where the funeral was. This was Thursday, and Friday Florence Goodner and Will Goodner took her to Ashley on a bed in a wagon three or four miles and then Florence took her home from there and could hardly get her home she was so sick, and stayed there a week and thought she was better and went out to Belleville to make her visit there and didn't get back until her Aunt was dead but left word for them to write for her if she was not better. Dr. Lacey said Salinda pitied Florence more than she did herself after she went home; she says the poor child Florence did have such a hard time with all of us sick folks. Florence took it hard because she left her Aunt, but her ---- (word omitted) had written to her to go to Belleville and she thought he didn't like it because she stayed there. Florence said she sat up three nights in succession at Will Goodners where Elijah and Aunt Mary was taken after they was hurt. Mary is getting well; they was on the last load and hadn't gone far and going down hill he let the horses trot and the load slid forward and they both went down under the horses feet. they commenced kicking and running and kicked Elijah's head and bruised and cut it until it was covered with blood; he was insensible and never knew anything. The last letter I had from him he said he was hauling and it was a hard place to make a living. James McCracken has lately moved near George (Warrensburg); he said Elijah had had a hard time lately and expected he would have to be helped through the winter. When Florence went there she felt so sorry for them she gave them five dollars I had given her for a birthday present and wrote to me to send some money. I sent her ten more but poor Elijah was gone then and couldn't know it to cheer him up. They telegraphed for me but the weather was damp and cold and I get sick so easy I didn't think it was safe for me to go, and Keelon is still here and I couldn't leave him when the dispatch was sent. Florence was at her Aunt Salinda's; they both went. Florence expected to find me there. She hasn't come home yet but went to E.B. Randles yesterday and will come home next week; it will make seven weeks she has been gone and she only expected to be gone four. George wasn't at either place. A letter from William a few days ago - he had just started four miles to cut and haul a load of wood and when he came home it was too late for him to be at the funeral or he would have been there. Dr. Lacey had written for one of the Primm women, his cousins, to come and keep house for him awhile but I haven't heard. She has a son and daughter grown. Her name is Reynals now. Lizzy and Hester are still in Kansas. Lizzy has a music wrote and Hester is clerking. Willie has two little boys. Tom Goodner is in Denver, Colorado, running a brick kiln and Hughey was in Tennessee - had taken a contract on a railroad and didn't get home in time to see his father but was at Salinda's funeral. I stayed there until Monday and then came home and Florence went back to Belleville. Keelon is no better. I have bought medicine and strengthening plasters and tried hard to get him to walking until I am clear discouraged and spent all the money I have to spare. He ought to be learning a trade but no one seems to want to be bothered with him. I didn't want to keep him this winter. I wrote to his Uncle Matthews that I couldn't (where his mother is, he has over seven hundred acres of land) and to meet Keelon at the train. I intended to go with him, and Matthews wrote to me he wouldn't receive him, for me to send him to some of his father's brothers or write to his guardian and I knew he would tell me the same that Matthews did. There are no shops in our little town but blacksmith. I expect if I did get him to make something for himself, his guardian would take all he could make so I don't know what to do with him. We have had a very dry summer but not so hot as you speak of, but it cut the corn short - but it is over half a crop. I think now if you are still hauling you will suffer with the cold. It must be a good country for fruit and vegetables or you couldn't do half as well as you do. I have taken another good look at your photographs and can see that you look more like the Goodners everytime. It only makes me want to see all of you the more, but I am afraid that can never be, and have decided my namesake Carrie is a fine looking girl. None of my children have named a child for me, but Lewis wanted to call their last one for me, but Leona named her Annis for her Aunt. I think that country will soon be ahead of this, the way it is improving. If we could only see ahead, how wealthy we might be, but we cannot gather up spilt milk. Why didn't you vote the Prohibition ticket with your wife? I think all the women here would vote as she did if it was allowed. We had more small fruit this summer than usual but none to sell. Our apples are not much account and no peaches. I have a good two story brick house to live in, but have never had any better clothes or better vituals than the average people, and have always had to work until Jimmy died, then I concluded it was time to quit farming, my children all grown and I was broke down. Florence was twenty-three the fourth day of October. I hope I can keep her two years longer and when she is gone I can't keep house any more I tell all of them.

As ever, your sister,
Caroline Stookey.

P.S. We have a young minister this year, he has been principal of the school in Pana for two years and was paid 10 or 12 hundred dollars a year and was offered that this year. The Elder says to him, - Now think what you are doing. There you only get six hundred. Well if it is the Lord's will I could preach a year or two for nothing, he says. His name is Gibbs. Love to all.

P.S. William's address is Bogard, Mo. He has moved from Carrolton. I don't know what county. His cancer is not entirely well - I think I told you he went to John Lacey last May or June and had it taken off his lip. Salinda's Obituary came today in the C.C. Advocate. I will send you one as soon as I can get one. Wesley has been Secretary of the Tile workers convention for 4 or 5 years. He is Superintendent of their Sunday School and has Bible reading and song service when their minister is away. I was sixty-one last June 26th day. I am 14 years older than Mother was and have outlived all of my sisters. What my life is spared for is a mystery to me. Can it be for any good that I have done - but I am very glad that I still live, but when Florence leaves me, my work is done while you have much to do yet until your family is grown, so take care of your health and be careful when you are on your wagon.

Copy of letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna.

(Cont'd)

" Quincy, Ill. Sep. 6, '01.

Dear Lennie:

Your letter came this P.M. I am just in from the street and heard the bad news of McKinleys' assassination. Bad thing. I have never been much of a Roosevelt man. The heat is oppressive again and I am suffering still from the July weather. I have to take too much of cooling medicine. It is so extremely dry. There is but little news. All the old houses on the East Side of 6th bet. Ky. & York are moved out except Koenig & Luhrs Shop, and it is on jacks ready to move out; the excavating at 6th & York for depot is finished but it is not known by the majority whether it for freight or passenger.

If you have a letter I wrote you and mailed to Denver you will see the names of grandfathers' children in regular order. If you haven't I will send the names next letter. You haven't them right. The McCracken children have double names, Benjamin Milus, James Washington, Wm. Lytle, Henry Benson, & Thomas Franklin. I had forgotten Marshall, have no recollection of him. Now, Elijah's, - Tom. Jef., Benjamin Walker, Hugh Comstock, etc. William Baylus was Luverba's oldest. He was called Bud. He was sensible like Moody. They were very much alike. There were only three. Caroline's oldest was named Adeline. She was born the same year that Frank McCracken, Charley Gooding, & Tom were. There was another, Cornelius, between Lewis & Wesley. They were buried in St. Clair County, also Luverba & Baylus & Elijah's Walker. Brother Franklin was buried in San Francisco. Nancy Hester & David Andrew, between Salinda & I, are buried there. (He means St. Clair Co.) Hester was ten when she died and little David only two. The cemetery is called Old Union. Conrad & Elizabeth Goodner were buried at Nashville, Ill. Grandmother Jackson's maiden name was Catherine Goodner. She was sister to Grandfather. Sophronia Shank's mother & my mother was sisters & fathers were brothers. Sophronia Shank is not like George, but she is very quiet. I wish you had seen her again. Tell me if she looks old and about her children. Is she poor, & is she a widow? I could tell you the names of the greater part of Father's brothers and sisters children. Mother has a sister who married a Mr. Wood. She had two sons that I know of. The elder named Leonard, and the younger, Richard. Mother had one or two brothers that I know of. A son of one of them was at fathers quite a while. His name was Marion. He went to California and from there to Australia. I never heard more from him. He originated in Hardin Co., Ill. Grandfather Jackson's first name was William, I believe. I don't know his nationality but I believe he was part Irish. Father was born in June 1795, & died in Dec. 1863. Mother was born in 1798, & died in June 1845. She gave birth to triplets between Elijah and Luvarbia. It was the 4th birth and was premature. There were 13 births & 15 children. Sallie Browning's (not Brownlow) husband was a very bad man. They were divorced in St. Clair Co., Ill. & she returned to Tenn. & lived & died with her oldest brother, John. (Balance of this letter is missing.)

Copy of Letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna. 9-9-1901.

" Quincy, Ill. Sep. 9, '01

Dear Lennie:-

I forgot to send your sketch back in my last. I will add that I don't know the politics of Grandfather. Father was a Whig, and all of his brothers were Democrats. When the republican party was formed, Francis & Elijah & father all were republicans. I may be too fast for Francis. May have been dead prior to that. I believe that he was. His son James J. was republican though. I don't know about Jacob but he was strong antislavery and I believe he was republican, although his son, Saleem, was & I presume is still democrat. Godfrey I guess was republican for his unionism cost him his life during the war. The pictures have just arrived, & Rafe's letter. The work on the pictures is very good but your expression in all your pictures are rather strained. The most natural picture of you would be taken unaware to you. There is a little too much attempt of smile on the one with dressed neck or I should have chosen it, but perhaps I will choose another. I would rather the neck was clothed. Did you know you had an infant brother born prematurely the 16th of April 1870 & lived three days? And that another dark eyed sister which looked just like Nellie was buried on your mother's arm? Well, the McKinley news is all good today. The Melenial dawnist says God permits evil. I don't know anything about Uncle D.'s book. All I know I got from Dr. George in Chicago. I suppose he got from his parents. Perhaps it was nothing but a pamphlet. You must remember it is a Methodist Protestant work, a protest against Episcopalianism. I suppose that Conrad Goodner was simply a farmer. It is possible he started the tanning business in the family. Jacob speaks of brother Brownin (Browning). He must have come to Illinois with Jacob. It was in St. Clair Co. where he had trouble. Aunt Sallie went back to Tenn. and spent her last days with her brother, John. Send a card to Aunt Jennette at Bogard, Mo. when you send to Lacey, asking where they are. If you write to Will Goodner, direct to Spokane Bridge, (Wash.) c/o J.B. Goodner. He will send it to him. I write so slow and got so much of it to do. I don't know what Uncle Bense remembers about these things. He can't write, but I guess he could get it done. He remembers well. I used to have a tin type of Uncle James but I don't know where it is.

I suppose you heard that Frank Garner and Cora Jansen are married. They were at Chicago and sang for Ince's congregation. I don't mind being alone, but this house ought to be occupied and bringing some money in. I have 59 little chicks & three hens to hatch yet. George told me that his brother, James J., said that grandpap (Conrad) was the best man ever was. I remember of seeing him once. He still lived on the farm he lost. I don't suppose I was more than four or five years old. Father went over horse back and I rode behind him. Conrad was paralyzed, his hands were hooked with fingers pointing to elbows. He was sitting in bed by windows, and father was standing on outside talking to him. Aunt Jane or

Grandma gave me a lump of sugar. He didn't look dutchified. Uncle Elijah lived in the neighborhood. About the time Conrad had to give up the place, Uncle sold out and took his parents to Washington County with him. Uncle Francis was in the neighborhood & he sold about that time & Uncle John Holcomb too. He married father's youngest sister, Elizabeth. Uncle Jacob was already living near Nashville, Ill. then. So they all got together out there but father. The State elections in those days were held the first monday in August. Grandmother was always on hand with ginger bread & sweet cider.

Did you talk any to Sophronia Shank about the Goodner genealogy. If you are writing to Knott get him to ask Sophronia about Uncle David's book, and other things that you may think of. She will know as much about it as George. I think I have a copy of Marriages, births and deaths which I got at Lacey's when I was in St. Louis. I don't remember whether I copied it from the bible or from a record that Salinda had copied. I am rather of the opinion that Julia Baker has that old German bible. That is my first guess at least. Suppose you write to Stover at Seehorn and ask him if he knows whether Lacey has the old German bible, or if he knows where it is. I don't know anything about him whether he is there or not, but I suppose he is, he sowed wheat last fall. Maybe you would find out whether it is at Bakers or not. The weather has been very gloomy for quite a while but today the sun shone some. Well it is late, and I must go to bed. Good Night.

" PA "

Part of a Letter from Geo. W. Goodner to his daughter, Lenna, written Jan. 25, 1902, addressed to Lenna at Chicago, Ill.

Part 2.

I was looking at a map to see which way you would be likely to go. I see that Knoxville and Atlanta is on line from Cincinnati. If you go to Knoxville, then you will go by Cleveland where I ate breakfast with John Goodner and then you will soon be at Chattanooga where you will strike the Memphis and Charleston R.R. There you will see Lookout Mt. four miles to the s.w., and Mission ridge to the east extending a few miles to the north. At the extreme north end is where I was (Sherman's corps) and Thomas' in the center, and I forgot who commanded the south end, during the great battle. Hooker, in the commencement, drove them from Lookout Mt. to the south end of the ridge, that is, a small portion of the rebel army.

If you will pass there, and in daylight, you will get some idea of the magnitude of that great battle. Then you are 130 miles from Atlanta. You will pass a station not far from Chattanooga called Resacca. There is where we met them the next spring, 1864, and it was some fighting nearly every day till they gave us a big battle on the 21st or the 22nd of June at Atlanta, the battle at Resacca taking place about the 1st of May. Before you get to Atlanta, you pass to Kennesaw Mt., a lone Mt. I had a narrow escape from a bursting shell fired from the top of it. I was four miles west of it when it bursted. East of Atlanta about 20 miles is another lone Mt., called Stone Mountain. I don't believe you will see any more mountains after that. In the fall, Sep., we took up our march to the sea at Savannah on the Savannah river. It may be that you will go by Savannah. If you do you will cross the Ogechee river some 20 miles to the south. At that river you will be a few miles west of where fort McAllister was built, and where the rebels had big guns to command the river. It was built at the edge of tide water. There were ships down at the mouth of the river with supplies for Sherman's army, 70 or 80 thousand men. Our regt., 116th Ill., and the 6th and 8th Missouri had to capture the fort. It was on the south bank, and we formed a half moon while the tide was in. Our regt. had to form on the river below. We had to crawl around a few at a time to get in line. The fort was taken, and in a few hours the ships came up and we got first rations. That was as near as I got to Florida. Perhaps you have a day set to start, or can let me know the next time you write, and what road you will go on. When I am writing of these things I forget my trouble for the time, and feel better. It may be that I will write to Miss Huff, but I don't know that I can interest her. How soon does she expect to start.

There is more to write but I can't think of any more just now. You had better take this sheet along with you.

Good Night.

"Pa. "

Copy of letter to Lenna Goodner from her father - March 23rd, 1902.

" Quincy, Ill. March 23, '02.

Dear Lennie:-

I got letter from you yesterday. Gen. Hamilton died suddenly last Thursday at Josiah Barnes, north of Locust on 12th St. While the funeral was being held yesterday, Barnes was stricken at his home and was in bad shape last night.

Charley Bimson tumbled over also about the same time. The German M.E. folks dedicated their 8th & Ky. St. church today. If you get as far east as Scotsboro you ought to go on to Chattanooga. I don't think it is more than 50 miles from

Scotsboro. When we left Tuscumbia to return west again, we stopped a day or two at Cherokee Station. We had stoped two or three days of rainy weather and I with a few others slept in an empty house. Something very unusual to sleep under shelter. Then we went north and crossed the river somewhere west of Florence into Tenn. Then we went east through Pulaski, and turned south again in time to strike the R.R. near Paint Rock. Then we followed the R.R. past Woodville, Larkinsville, Scotsboro, Stevenson & Bridgeport, and other small stations. When we returned that winter our Brigade spent four months at Larkinsville, from first of Jan. to first of May, '64. Then we returned to Chattanooga and started the Atlanta campaign which brought us to the sea in November. While at Larkinsville, Logan was in command of the 15 corps (ours) with headquarters at Huntsville, the corp being scattered all along the R.R. At Stevenson a R.R. intersects the M & C from Nashville. There were no towns that were respectable villages between Scotsboro & Chattanooga then, else you could arrange to give concerts to pay expenses to Chattanooga. Then you would want a carriage drive up and down the ridge. Remember I was at the extreme north end and crossed the river in the first night which is about one mile to the west. It is not far from Chattanooga to Cleveland, and there are several fine little towns up that R.R. where you might do well if you had time to arrange, and up there you surely would find Goodners. If you run out of money I could send you some to Memphis. The weather is getting warmer but not sultry. The grass is greening but the buds are not swollen. The limits of the temperature ranges from 30 to 60.

We are all around but I am not feeling well. I will close and start this at once.

Pa.

P.S. Could not the trio of you strike a town in the morning and arrange through the day for a concert at night. I have heard it said before I expected to see Huntsville that it was one of the prettiest towns in the south. I expect you will find old people who can show you where Logans headquarters was. The day I was there I saw him in a picture gallery getting pictures taken. Sherman had been promoted.

Copy of letter to Lenna Goodner from her father, G.W. Goodner. March 25, 1902.

" Quincy, Ill. March 25 - '02.

Dear Lennie:-

I thought I would write you again. If you want to go to Chattanooga while you are so near it it would pay you to do so as you would never have so good an opportunity again. John Goodner had a brother living four miles south west of Cleveland at the foot of Whitevak mountain. His name was James, * and he had a son James in Cleveland that morning, a fine looking young man, a few years my junior. He told me he had been driving a government team in Kentucky and had come home on a visit while Shermans was passing through there, as it was not safe at any other time. Said he was going back.

John and James* were sons of Uncle John, father's oldest brother, and wanted father to be partner with him in the tan yard business when father left there, as seems that father was his favorite brother. You might find some of the Cleveland Goodners in Chattanooga, and if not it would not cost much to run up to Cleveland. Minnie could go on to Memphis if she did not want to wait, and you could follow in two or three days. If that road which runs down to Stevenson from Nashville is a branch of the L & N then your fare would be free from Stevenson to St. Louis unless you chose to go to Memphis.

I got a letter yesterday from Lewis asking your address and I expect you will get a letter from him along with this one. If you run out of money I can send you more. The Chickamauga National Cemetery is a few miles east of Mission Ridge, and no doubt if you find some Goodners there they would take you out there. It is where Rosencranz' federal army was defeated by Braggs confederate army and was driven across the Tenn. river, and Bragg occupied the Ridge, Chattanooga & Look Out. Immediately after the defeat we got marching order from Vicksburg. If John and James* are alive they must be a little past 80; but some of James'* children may be in that region. You could find old people living there who would tell you all about them. I thought if I waited till I got another letter from you it would be too late to write this. Good Night.

Pa. "

(Written to Miss Lennie Goodner, Huntsville, Ala. and forwarded to Montgomery, Ala., from her father, Geo. Washington Goodner, 1118 State St., Quincy, Ill. Miss Goodner at the time was on a concert tour.)

*Note: Lenna had written the name "Jacob" over the name "James" in this letter, indicating that her father meant Jacob, instead of James, and evidently was refering to two sons of John Goodner, namely John and James, or rather Jacob, who had a son, James, born in 1839. He later moved to Justin, Texas.

Copy of letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna Goodner. Dated April 6, 1902. Copied March 11, 1957 by Hubert W. Lacey.

" Quincy, Ill. Apl. 6 - '02.

Dear Lennie:-

Your Memphis letter came today. So much rain was a great misfortune to you. Well, I shall write to the P.M. at Cleveland in regard to John & James Goodner.

There is a prettier spring near Tuscomb than the one at Huntsville, and fully as large. It flows out of a rock. Did you see any sign of the old stockade at Corinth?

The greatest fright I got while in the army was at Memphis. It was in the suburbs and I was guarding horses & provender. It was by moonlight. I was leaning on a bale of hay which was under a large tree and about half asleep when a large owl which was high up in the tree screamed suddenly. I believe it was to the S.E. of the city and perhaps is a part of the city now. I believe that horse shoe bend is above Memphis. It is a bend of thirty miles. You will turn around and go back south for about fifteen miles. The distance across the heel is very short. There is nice scenery above Cairo on the Missouri side.

There is not much news here. After two weeks of rough easter weather it has got warm enough to do without fire. Last friday was the first clear day in all that time. No snow and but little rain. It does seem so strange that we can't have a wet spell once more to fill the cisterns and soak the earth.

Dick & Weller have taken down their front fences, and Weller took down the board fence between our houses and put his front fence in stead. Schmidt & Purpose are going to take down their front fences, so I shall take down ours.

I have no news from any one except Aunt Jennette who wrote she is still at Bogard. Five months ago to day I fired up the furnace and shoveled in coal this morning. I will never run it that way again. Besan came yesterday from Chicago where he went a few days ago from St. Louis, and will return to St. Louis to night, so Demsy says.

Senator John McAdams' son, Harry tried to kill himself in a Chicago hotel last friday with stricknine & lead. The wound is not fatal and the stricknine was too big. He will recover. Officer Gus Hellhake, night policeman, shot himself in the head at the old Hellhake place s.w. corner of 7th & Oak yesterday, and recovery is against him.

I show Rafe your letters but he don't say much. He still goes to school and stays there, or some where, till supper. But I am getting some of the heaviest work done by him. He seems to be practicing foot ball. Well I will close. I can't go to St. Louis till warm weather.

Good Night,

" Pa. "

Copy of letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna.

" Quincy, Ill. May 12, '03.

Dear Lennie:

Your letter of yesterday rec'd. Don't write to Will. for records of father's old bible. I have a copy. Think I wrote so once. I have just finished bugging the potatoes & am too nervous to write. There are three or four anxiously waiting letters from me. I got a roll of Chattanooga papers two weeks ago from Dr. D.M. Goodner. He is mayor of Fayetteville, Tenn. He sent note saying he would write letter in a few days. One sheet contained a picture of himself. He was born in 1849 & Uncle David died in 1848. Blooming died in 1842, a M.P. preacher on Hundsville circuit, a victim of exposure. Superior was Dr. D.M.'s father, and died in 1885, born in 1815. He knows nothing of John C. I got his letter last Thursday. The picture was in the paper. I wrote Rapha & sent the picture and told him to send it on to you. I got answer but he did not say anything about it. Maybe he sent it to his man first. She has got too much to do with him. He is having a hard time he thinks, no doubt. Says he is too tired when he gets to his room of nights to write. I have to write such long letters. I copied in part from Dr. D.M.'s letters to brother Bens., Mrs. Don ("Carlos") & Mrs. Hockensmith. I want to copy from it for John Goodner & Dr. W.B. or I would send it to you this time. Aunt Orpha died in 1851. Her name was Orpha Rosebrough. If you get that picture you will see a typical Goodner. He sent me an old book written by Uncle David. It is in writing and is copies of old songs & melodies. Some that I sang long ago. There is a great long rhyme of his composing as a memorial to the M.P. Conference of Blooming's ministerial labor and death. The following not was in the letter. "This book (the leather & string was tanned and made by David Goodner. The first date in the book is 1809 and the last is 1846. It is 4 x 7-1/2 in. and 5/8" thick. It looks just like fathers' writing. I have to send it back. I would like for you to see it and copy Uncle David's memorial in the M.P. Conference. He had seven children, three of them girls, and all are dead. The two younger boys, Samuel & David, died in early childhood. Now in 1817 his family consisted of eight. David, Orpha, Superior & Blooming. Godfrey was not there. John C. learned the trade with David, and was no doubt, the fifth. Who were the other three, two hired men and one woman? The mystery of John C. deepens. I asked brother Bense what he knows about it. I wrote to Charley Goodner for Martha Logan's address. She is Will's motherinlaw, and daughter of Uncle Godfrey. She

took Will's two girls to Texas to her sister. She is sister to Milton at Larned, Kansas, and he knew who John C.'s father was. David's daughters were Malinda, born in 1819, Eliza born in 1823, Martha born in 1827, Samuel was born in 1822 & David in 1830.

"Superior had four children, three boys and one girl. Blooming C. (I wonder if that C. is for Cunningham) is living at Blue Grove, Texas, Clay Co. and my sister Mary E. Buchanan lives at Howell, Lincoln Co., Tenn., about six miles from this place, and my other brother, William Samuel, died in Sulphur Springs, Texas, in 1887, and left a widow with four girls and one boy, Edward. They live in Ft. Worth, Texas. Brother B.C. has six or eight children, and sister has a large family. I, David Milton Goodner, am the youngest child, and my wife & myself are enjoying good health, and as much of life as we should. We have one child, a daughter, 23 years old. She has been married 13 months, and we are all living together. She married J.M. McWilliams who is practicing medicine and selling drugs." I wrote you to see about stopping the daily News. Did you get that letter? I would send you father's family record but I want to copy it for Dr. D.M. who is looking for a letter.

"Pa."

Copy of letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna.

"Quincy, Ill. June 1 -03.

Dear Lennie:

As Benson's letter came this A.M. I will send it to you at once, so that if you have not written to him you had better do so pretty soon. You will observe that his memory is pretty green yet and he may tell something that you may want to know. In my last letter to John of Cleveland I asked for the age, or birth, of his brother Cyrus, who was Conrad's oldest grandson. It has been 120 years since the birth of Uncle John, and Cyrus might be nearly 100 if living. But still he could not be the father of John C. Today I mailed a letter to the P.M. of Georgetown, Vermilion Co., Ill. asking for the address of G.W. Goodner if in that Co., or some other Goodner not under 40 years old. I want to find out if they descended from Gottlieb Goodner. As Dr. W.B. has things mixed so I thought I would write to John Green Goodner, of Waters Polk Co., Ark. Dr. W.B. says that his father, James Monroe, was born in 1833. That was 70 years ago. Then he says that his aunt was second to Monroe, (his father) and John Green third from his father, and again he says that John Green is about 75 years old.

I asked John Green if he remembers uncle Godfrey, Columbus & Milton. I asked him if his grandfather's name was John. I told him of Martha Logan and who was her father. Told him that her father liked John C., his father. That they were only second cousins. If Cyrus was John C.(s) father, then John of Cleveland would be John C. (s) uncle, and John says he never heard of a John Goodner moving to Ark. But Dr. W.B. has several things mixed, and quotes Guilford Dudley instead of John Green, who is older, that I concluded to try John Green. If he is 75 years old he knows where his grandfather lived, and who he was. My mother had a sister Mary Jackson. I think she was older than mother. Her husband's name was Woods, or Wood. It may be that he was son of the father Woods that Uncle John mentions in one of his letters. We called her aunt Polly Woods, but I don't remember of ever seeing her. I think they stoped in Hardin Co., Ill., where mother's brother lived. I believe his name was Andrew Jackson, but I am not sure. Aunt Polly had a son Leonard Woods, or Wood. You had better ask Benson which name is right. I remember that Leonard was at our house in the long ago and that is about all I remember about it. Ask Benson if he knows where Leonard settled. She had another son named Richard. There is a family named Huffman that have agreed to move into the house some time next week. They have two grown daughters who are stenographers. He is a moulder. They bought a lot at the Chaddocks sale some years ago on the north side of Ky. St., and built. Lately they sold out. She is a very large stout woman and I guess they are not afraid of work. I will also send Dr. D.M. letter and you can return them. We have too much rain. Goodnight.

Pa. "

(Note by H.W. Lacey. It was later found out that the father of John C. - John Cunningham Goodner - was Henry Goodner, a son of Mary Goodner. Henry was a nephew of Conrad. The name of his father has not been definitely determined.

The father of Mary Jackson Wood was William Jackson, and her mother was Catherine Goodner, a sister to Conrad Goodner)

Copy of letter from Geo. W. Goodner to Jeanette Goodner - Dec. 28, 1903.

"1118 State St., Quincy, Ill. Dec. 28 - 1903.

Dear Sisterinlaw:

I will write you a few lines and risk their finding you, as I have not heard from you since last summer, and know that

you are not bound anywhere, and knowing that in these days a letter may travel many hundreds of miles in a very few days. I have to say that my health is as good as it was when I saw you last. A few weeks ago I was down for a week with catarrh in my head & eyes, and neuralgia with it. My eyes are still affected by it. They can't stand the electric lights at all. My right eye has a cataract forming a cover over it, and the left one will soon be in the same fix.

The rest of them got back in October, and Rapha is going to the college. I haven't any news to tell you about any of the kin more than I got a letter not long ago from John Goodner of Cleveland, Tenn. It stated that his sister, Martha York, died six miles from that place a few weeks ago, aged 81. An older sister, Mrs. Nancy Dillahay, died last May in another county. John is in his 84th year, and is the only child of Uncle John Goodner that is living. I ate a breakfast with him 40 years ago this month. It was only a few days after father's death. I had just heard of it, and I remember of telling John about it.

I have corresponded with more than a dozen of the connection since last February. Have corresponded with two great grandsons of a brother of Conrad Goodner, whose name was Henry. My last correspondent is Rev. M.G.G. Scherer, a Lutheran minister of Charleston, S.C. He is a great grandson of a brother of father's mother, whose name was Fredrick Scherer. Their father's name was Jacob Daniel Scherer, who came to America in 1748. He married Hannah Sophia Dick. Jacob Daniel's father's name was Nicholas Scherer, who left a small estate in Germany. Grandma had six brothers, and Christian, who lived in Preble County, Ohio, wrote to grandma in 1835, that he would give her his share of the estate if she could get it, and sent her the papers giving proof that their father Jacob Daniel, was the lawful heir to Nicholas Scherer's estate, giving date of his baptism, description of his trade, etc. Now I want you to tell me whether William found those papers when he took charge of father's letters & papers. Rev. Scherer is tracing back the Scherer genealogy and he wants me to inform him in what part of Germany Nicholas Scherer resided. He has changed the spelling of the name to Scherer. Uncle Christian spelled it Sharer, Sherer, Sherrer, & Shearer. I sent Rev. Scherer a copy of his grandfather's letter of 1813, and subsequently copies of four letters written in 1822, 1823, 1825, & 1835, all written in Ohio, one by Daniel Scherer, son of grandma's brother, Jacob, and the other three by her brother, Christian. Benson wrote me that your son, W.G., has a Scherer letter written in Germany more than 100 years ago. Do you know of any one else having old letters besides W.G. & Elmer Lacey. Do you know whether Caroline got some of the old letters or not. I have another genealogical correspondent in Charlotte, N.C. Her name is Mrs. Ophelia J. Bryant. She is a great grand daughter of Uncle James Goodner. She has promised me that she will search the records of Guilford, Alamance, Orange & Randolph counties of that State for the enlistment of Conrad Goodner in the army of the Revolution, and for the marriage of Conrad Goodner to Elizabeth Scherer. She will look out also for the marriage of William Jackson to Catherine Goodner, by my request. I wrote to Thomas Conrad Goodner, son of Uncle James, & he told me of his sister in Rome, Tenn., Mrs. Elizabeth Caroline Grissim, 83 years old. I wrote to her and got reply stating that her daughter, Mrs. Coles of Nashville, was visiting a relative in Charlotte, N.C., and when she came home she would get her to write for her. I wrote to her again and got reply from Mrs. Coles, telling me of Mrs. Bryant. I next wrote to Mrs. Coles of the Scherers in N.C., and told her to tell Mrs. Bryant to look out for them, and if she found some of them and got to comparing genealogies without success, to write to me and I would help her out. Pretty soon I got a letter from Mrs. Bryant stating that Mrs. Grissim & Mrs. Coles had sent her my three letters. Said that she had made application to join the daughters of the Revolution on the Fite line. John Fite was her great grandfather's father-in-law, a soldier of the Revolution. Then she gave me her genealogy back to John Fite. Her father's name was Turner, and her grandfather's name was Cartwright, whose wife was Martha Goodner, daughter of Uncle James. She questioned me closely about Conrad Goodner & Elizabeth Scherer, which she got out of my letters. Said she didn't know that she could go back further on the Goodner line than James Goodner. She is 27 years old & was educated in Nashville. Her husband is a S. Carolinian; was educated at Vanderbilt University, and is Sec. & Treas. of the Cotton Manufacturers Association.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I close.

G.W. Goodner. "

Copy of letter from Emerson Burton to Ivan W. Goodner. March 14, 1905.

"Chestnut Mound, Tenn.
 March 14th, 1905.

Mr. Ivan W. Goodner
 Pierre, S. Dak.

Dear Coz:-

We were very much surprised a few days ago to receive a letter from Mrs. M.E. Logan enquiring of my Great Aunt Mrs. Myers.

We had about decided that the Goodner kin from my grandmother Neeley's side of the house had become extinct, but from Mrs. Logan we learn that many of the Goodner kin yet live, also through her we learn of you and your whereabouts, and I will first explaint to you who I am and then, as you can see that we are the offspring of the same noble ancestors, and that the ties of kindred are not so distant, you may take a greater interest in what I say.

You have probably heard that your Aunt Louisa Goodner was married to Nathan Neeley of Grandville, Tenn. She was the mother of four children; my mother is the oldest one of these children, therefore you and she must be first cousins. My mother married Dr. E. M. Burton, who, at that time, was a merchant in Grandville.

I am a young man twenty three years old, just preparing myself to venture out into the business world.

I have made one tour through the West but have never been as far north as S. Dak. I now anticipate a trip west some time in the near future. I'm much better satisfied with the vim and energy of the Western States than I am with the crowded business states down South and East. It may be that sometime in "The rambles of youth" I may be able to see you or at least some of the kinfolks, and should any of you ever visit the grand old "State of Tenn.", it would be a pleasure to us to entertain you at our rural home, not only this, but we would like for any of you to treat yourselves to some special hollidays and come to see us.

Now, if you will excuse me for taking the liberty to learn more of you all, as "Blood of my blood and flesh of my flesh", and to be more able to appreciate you as descendants of the same ancestral geniuses, I will close. Hoping that you will, in leisure moments, write me at Chestnut Mound, R.R. 1, Tenn., and that the ties of kindred; the quick winged ship and the "Iron Horse" on his steel paved track may bring a welcome meeting.

With regards to all from us all, I remain,

Your Coz.

Emerson Burton. "

Note by H. W. Lacey. 1957. - This letter was among some old letters that were in the possession of Milton Perry Goodner of Seattle, Wash., son of Ivan W. Goodner. He wrote Emerson Burton in 1925, addressing the letter to Chestnut Mound, but the letter was returned by the postmaster with the notation "Return - Addressee Deceased. No member of his family living in the delivery of this office".

(Chestnut Mound is in Smith County.)

Copy of letter from Geo. W. Goodner to his daughter, Lenna, March 21, 1906. Addressed to Miss Lennie Goodner, 2923 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill. Copied by Hubert W. Lacey, March 11, 1957.

" Quincy, Ill. March 21 - '06.

Dear Lennie:-

Your letter rec'd this P.M. I wrote to Scherer to keep the old letters until he was satisfied that he would need them no more. I told him that I didn't know how many of them he intended to photograph & set in his book, but I thought it would be well to have all the Sherer letters photographed so that he could fill orders for them, as I thought a great many would want them. He replied & thanked me for extending the time, & said that his uncle was coming to see them, & others after the storms were over, & said he would send them next Monday. He didn't give me any satisfaction though about how many he would photograph. He sent me a letter written by his grandfather's widow, his great step-grandmother. She thinks that old Aunt Albert was a distant relative. He thinks she was Jacob D. & George T.'s sister, who came over after their parents died, to live with Jacob D. & married & became widow. Since Uncle James' letter (W.G.G. sent him about 12 old Goodner letters), he has dropped the idea of her not being related to the Goodner's, because the Goodners were concerned about her. So he has fell back to Jacob D.'s sister, while I believe that she was grandma's sister, & the oldest of the family. Some one kept a record, & I find that the old letters have corrected that record in two or three places. His uncle & I are second cousins, & his grandfather & father were first cousins. I sent him a letter Monday night & as he uncle was coming to see the old letters, I put an old Photograph of father to show to his uncle. It is recently that they heard of the Goodners & the old letters. I asked him if he could see any Sherer features in the photograph. Did you know that Dr. Cy. Demsy is in Los Angeles. Well, I would think that you wouldn't want any of them for callers. I hate for you to get so far away unless my affairs were in better shape. I thought if you stay in Chicago that I would tell Rapha that he must go to Chicago this summer when he gets a week of rest.

He says he can't find anything to do here. He ought to have spent every while at home in the college. It is no use now for him to go & half lear something else.

I wrote to Cyrus Tucker about Scherer's history, & told him to ask old Henry Albert what country he lived in, in Ohio, & if he knew anything of Albert's living in Guilford County, N.C. about 90 years ago.

This last snow was a bad one to stick to houses. I had some trouble yesterday & today about getting the snow water to go down the pipes. What do you think of a man of my age being upon the edges of the roof of this tall house cutting the ice out of the gutters?

I started a letter today to Dr. W.B. Goodner, telling him about his great grandmother, Mary Goodner. You see that it is pretty certain that Henry Goodner had two brothers under 16 in 1790, & I am a little suspicious that the Indiana & Danville Goodners are their descendants. There was a Henry at Danville, Ill. who might have been Tenn. Henry's nephew.

"Pa."

Copy of letter from Geo. W. Goodner to his daughter, Lenna, April 3, 1906. Copied by Hubert W. Lacey, March 11, 1957.

" Quincy, Ill. April 3 - '06.

Dear Lennie:-

I thought to write you a few lines tonight. This has been a summer day, the temperature having up to 76. Rapha is here & heard nothing from King yet. I got a letter from Mrs. L.D. Allison of McKinney, Tex. She sent me a record of births & deaths of uncle James & aunt Sally. She was 81 the 31st of March, & does her own writing. She lives with a son, R.F. Dowell, who is city clerk, & for 14 years has been a widower. Then I got letter from Laura A. Wall of Belle Rive, Jefferson Co., Ill. She is Uncle Elijah's youngest daughter, & half sister to the older ones, Marinda Ham, & Will of Howard Kas. She has a record of the births of Conrad & Elizabeth & their children, drawn in 1817 by Uncle Francis, in his 18th year, so it must be reliable as he was still at home, & his parents must have seen it, & perhaps asked him to write it. Conrad was born in 1756, month figures not given. Elizabeth was born in June 1765. This gives room for her sister to be 10 or 12 years older. It is the strongest evidence yet that "old Aunt Albert" was her sister, as grandma was 49 in 1814, so Aunt Albert could easily have been 60, & if not healthy could easily have been called "old" by Jacob, her nephew. I wrote to Cyrus Tucker to talk to old Henry Albert about the Sherers in Ohio & N.C. Mrs. Wall believes that grandma's mother must have lived at Conrad's some time, & some where, for her father some times talked about Granny Sherer. Well it must have been after Godfrey Sherer died, & before she went to Ohio, or Uncle Elijah could not remember her, for Godfrey died in 1813, & Uncle Elijah was then 9 years old. Mrs. Wall said that her father said his mother said she believed she was born in New Jersey, but was not quite sure. She sent a copy of uncle Francis' record & I sent it with her letter at A. T. Scherer. As soon as he returns them I will send them to you.

Marinda Ham lives in Mt. Vermon, & Belle Rive is 12 miles beyond, where Stover's father lived. I was at uncle Elijah's in Belle Rive in June 1860 or '61. Mrs. Wall was a little girl 7 or 8 years old. Wall is a doctor.

A. T. Scherer sent me two tin type pictures of his father, & uncle, brothers, & I will send them to you, & you must return them soon, as I must return them to Scherer. His father, Benjamin Scherer, is dead, & I expect that his uncle, Matthew Scherer, is getting old. They look familiar to me. He promised another but I guess forgot to put it in. I guess I will send you his letter. I got a letter from W.G.G. He is about to move to South West Wash. I wrote him for the way Jacob Daniel name is spelled in the old translation of the old letter, which he has, & he says it is spelled Schearer. In the old German letter it is spelled Sherrer, three r's & that is the way the name is spelled on the old certificate, but no c between th Sh. I sent him an old photograph of father. I sent a letter which I got from our Tom. Scherer's father at Ottowa, Ill. He told me to write to his brother, Thomas, of that city as he had some records, & write in German if I could. I sent the letter to A.T. & told him to write if he wished. The Ottowa Scherers came from Baden, just across the river from Bavaria. A.T. sent 10 questions to his congressman, Overstreet, at Wash., D.C. to give to the German Minister at Wash., & request him to have the questions answered by officials over there. He expects the answers this month.

Good Night.

"Pa."

Copy of letter from Geo. W. Goodner to his daughter, Lenna, Dated April 15, 1906. Copied by Hubert W. Lacey, March 11, 1957.

" Sunday Night, April 15 - '06. Quincy.

Dear Lennie:-

I wrote you some time ago & sent two tintype pictures of Scherers, & asked you to return them, as I have to send them back. A.T. has sent me a picture of Mrs. Hickman, Dudley, Ill., 90 years old, oldest living child of Daniel Sherer, the writer of the old letter to Thomas Ray, Lebanon, Ill., in 1823. A.T. has sent her a copy of her father's old letter. She has a brother at that place who is 79. I have another letter from Mrs. Allison (81) of McKinney, Tex. In my last letter to her, I sent copy of Uncle David's letter to Conrad, telling him of her father (James) going south to fight the Creek Indians in 1813, also a copy of her father's letter to Conrad in May 1814, after his return. She wants me to send her father's letter.

It begins to look like grandma's sister lived in Ill. You know that uncle Christian complained in his letter of 1825 to

Conrad & Elizabeth, that he would not hear from his brothers (David & John), and his sister. I suppose that he meant grandma, not knowing that he had another sister. It is evident that A. T. has at least one old letter from uncle James, which I know something of. It is with that lot which W. G. G. sent to him. It is pretty evident that old granny Sherer came to Ill. after her son, Godfrey, died & she broke up housekeeping. A. T. thinks that Godfrey lived somewhere west of N. C., & quotes from this letter of uncle James' which I know nothing of.

In Uncle David's letter to Conrad he told him that Uncle James, when he went to war, that he wanted him to take care of his mare and colt, & not to allow his property to be sacrificed, to pay the debt which he owed to the estate of his uncle Godfrey. But I am sure he did not live in southern Ill., for in Oct. 1813 Jacob Sherer of Guilford Co., N. C. wrote to Conrad, & David & John Sherer of Johnson Co., Ill. that a son of Barney Waggoner came to Guilford Co., & told that grandmother Sherer & uncle Godfrey died last spring (But it was Godfrey only that had died.). I think that must have been news to our folks. Then Jacob, in closing his letters, would say This letter is to be sent to all our friends in your parts. That indicates that there were more than Conrad's family, & David & John Sherer. (But still uncle Browning & aunt Sally were not far away.)

After Uncle James finished his letter to Conrad, he wrote to granny Sherer, & told her that he would direct his letter to Blount Co. or Knox, he did not know which, & did not have much idea she would ever get it. He told her that a man in the army told him that Mr. Jordan had bought land somewhere, & his son in laws also, Goddard & Tod, or Tade. This means Jordan must have been kin to the Sherers, but I don't believe that he was her son in law, however there was a widow Godard who lived close to father when I was a very small kid, & my mother was very intimate with her, but I don't know what became of them. I remember I was there once, had my little chair along, & took it to the east end of the house (outside) & sat down in the chimney corner (the chimney was built outside of the house), & sat there until we went home. A small bunch of half grown girls & boys, perhaps, came around & tried to get me to go into the house, but as I remember, it was a failure. As well as I remember, they were considerably amused. Since I got A. T. 's last letter, I have been wondering if that woman might not have been a daughter of grandma's sister, & her father's name was Jordan, & if that did not cause Conrad & Browning to move from Johnson Co. up to St. Clair. But I never heard of a Jordan, having lived in St. Clair Co.

Some day I will send you a copy of uncle Francis' record of the births of Conrad & Elizabeth Goodner & their children.

Rob. Fulton about ten days ago imagined that a mob was after him to hang him, & grabed a razor & slashed his throat. The paper said it was a pretty big gash, but not quite deep enough & the doctors sewed it up. I have heard nothing more about it.

The peach buds are getting pretty plump, but it is cooler again, & hope they wont unfold for a few more days.

I will close for tonight & if I think of more tomorrow, will write more.

Monday night, I have heard nothing today. The peach trees will be loaded with bloom in a few days. The weather has been threatening, but the present danger is past, & it is a bright day today. I gave up the garden to the principal of high school.

"Pa."

(Following is an excerpt from a letter of Geo. W. Goodner to daughter, Lenna, and on which there is no date, - it is only a portion of a letter.)

"I send you Mrs. Don's & Mrs. Hockensmith's letters and you may return them. Can you send Mrs. Don a copy of her father's letter? That ought to satisfy her. I want to send all of these to Dr. W. B. and ask him to return all but David's. I will get time to write to him this week perhaps.

Effie Thompson is Mrs. Don Carlos' youngest child. I presume she is about 40 years old. Don Carlos lived at Jacksonville, (Ill.) while Lacey & Salinda lived there and that is how she knows of Elmer Lacey. Your mother & I visited them when Lewie was 8 months old. Brother William had grandmother's old German bible when he died, I believe, and Jennette kept it when she gave me the old letters. It is my opinion that Julia Baker has got it. Think I will (write) to Jennette and find out. Don Carlos was once on the Payson circuit long before they lived in Jacksonville. E. Lacey has father's old bible, I believe. It is possible that I am mistaken and he has grandmother's old German bible. I will find out. You will observe from Emily's letter that Conrad's father's name was Gotlieb. * Don't that take us back to dutch names though? Patsey was nickname for Martha. I am well satisfied that-----

(* Note by H. W. Lacey. This is in error. There is no evidence, circumstantial or otherwise, that tends to credit Gotlieb as the father of Conrad. There is no knowledge of such a person.)

Copy of letter from Geo. Washington Goodner to his daughter, Lenna. Jan. 15, 1908. Copied by Hubert W. Lacey, March 11, 1957.

" Quincy, Ill. Jan. 15 - '08.

Dear Lemmie:-

I rec'd the inclosed letter this A.M. & spent about one hour trying to read it. Pencil writing does not show well on that kind of paper. I wish that you would copy it for me. If any of your friends have a typewriter I would prefer it in type, as I want to send a copy to uncle Benson, & one to Scherer, & one to Maryville, Tenn. I am on a trail now, which may lead to something. In regard to Fanny Goodner, they must be mistaken, as I don't believe that I ever heard of a Goodner of that name. Possibly grandma is the person sought. I have made a "x" over a word I can't make out. The next word may be meant for cousin. How a "Fanny" Goodner of St. Clair Co. could be a cousin to that family of Browns, is a new one on me.

I will soon learn whether Fanny Goddard Baird's son is still at the Soldiers home, & may learn something. Betsey Goddard did not have a son Reuben, according to J.A. Goddard's account. Betsey's son Joseph moved further west in Tenn. & after a while they lost track of him. This man says his father had an uncle Joseph near Shelbyville, Ill. Then he was a brother to Reuben, who was buried in St. Clair Co. Still I believe that Reuben was a son of Joseph, Sen., & Betsy. Betsy was cousin to father, therefore Reuben could not have been a grandson of Betsy. Reuben was in generation with me, but much older. His four children, all were older than I. If Reuben was not a son of Betsy Goddard, then he was no kin what ever to father. The children of Joseph & Betsy Goddard were the first Goddards that were related to the Sherers, Goodners & Tades. He says they came from Ky. Then they were there with the Tades & father's grandmother, & her son Godfrey. Conrad Goodner I presume lived just across the state line in Tenn. Two or three years after Conrad moved to Johnson Co., Ill., Godfrey Sherer died 1813. Then in 1814, the "old mother" was at Conrad Goodners & the Tades moved to Johnson Co. Of course Reuben Goddard & wife (perhaps newly married) followed. In 1815, Conrad moved to St. Clair, & Reuben Goddard followed. If they were not kin, they would not have been there. Grandma was Betsy Goddard's aunt. Betsy Jordan Goddard was older than grandma's oldest child.

Well copy as soon as you can, for I want to start the ball to rolling, & if possible get this mystery straightened out. All well, & no news to speak of. Not much winter yet. Yesterday morning it was 10 above. The lowest so far. We had two snows with one day between. The old yellow hen after mouting, commenced to lay on Dec. 28. Up to yesterday she had laid 15 eggs. Now she is wanting to sit.

I hope that Mary Jane is getting along well. I reckon she has learned by this time that we have a few thousand kin folks.

Tell Mr. Goit that I read that 30 per cent of the people of Chicago have grip. I have not had my walk since supper. I walk about two miles after supper every night, & don't feel tired either. I am a little older than bro. William was when he died. If I get news soon I will try to make out a letter next time.

"Pa. "

Copy of letter from Martha Goodner Logan, daughter of Godfrey, to her nephew, Milton Perry Goodner of Seattle, describing death of Godfrey Goodner.

" 2944 Juno Street
Oakland, California.
June 29th, 1922.

Dear Nephew Milton:

I received your recent letter to me in due time, and was quite pleased to get it and to learn that you seemed to think that I had really given you at least a little help in regard to the Goodners of years ago. I certainly wish I knew more about the Goodner family than what I do, not only to help you in your effort to get up a "Tree of the family", but to also satisfy my own desires in that line. But I fear that I cannot help you very much more if indeed I have really helped you anyway. Tho' I shall have to just write down what I do write as my memory presents it to me. Perhaps that will make you some trouble and take time too. That is the best that I can do. Now in regard to giving you the addresses of any who might be able to give you desirable information on those lines, I fear that I can't do that. I know that that would be very desirable and helpful too. I remember that one of my cousins did live in Mt. Vernon, Ill., a few years ago, and if she still lives she is there yet, as they owned a very nice and well furnished home there. Her name is Mrs. O.M.D. Ham. She is the daughter of Uncle Elijah Goodner. His youngest daughter by his first wife. She is a few months younger than myself. She ought to be able to give you some information that I can't give you. Her father took care of the old grandparents in their old age. I know this to be a fact. Uncle Elijah took the old homestead and his Father and mother to care for as long as they lived.

He was to have the farm for taking care of the old parents as long as they lived. If Mrs. Ham still lives I presume you can find her at 303 South 15th St., Mt. Vernon, Ill. She was living some 7 years ago. She can't write you herself as she cannot see to write. But her husband can write for her if he will. He is a fine man. They had two sons, both married and had families living some 13 or 14 miles east of Mt. Vernon, in Jefferson County, Ill. Mt. Vernon is in Jefferson County. I think that the old Goodner homestead was in St. Clair County, Ills., and perhaps near a small town called Centerville, but am not sure of that fact. But Mrs. Ham ought to be able to tell you of these things.

Uncle Elijah sold the Old farm and bought another farm in Washington County near Nashville, the county seat of Washington. Tho' years later he sold again and bought in Jefferson Co., Ill. But he died in Irvington, Washington Co. I do not know when the old grandparents died. But Mrs. Ham ought to be able to tell you if you write her. She may be blind but I have not heard of it if so. Uncle Elijah went blind sometime before he died.

Now as for grandfather, Conrad Goodner and his brother, * Henry Goodner, coming to America from Holland, perhaps they did. If they did I can't understand how I got the firm belief that our grandparents were married in Germany. Let that be as it may, I know that grandmother Goodner was German. And she have fallen heir to a Dukedom in Germany as all the Goodners know that she did. Great grandmother Sherer had two sons who trained in Germany 7 years for war. I do not know what they called that training or drilling but it was a schooling for drilling that every one had to take in Germany in those times according to what my father and the old Goodners used to talk in my presence when I was a child squatting around and listening to them talk of those to me strange things. Our old grandmother Sherrer must have come to America and lived with grandfather and grandmother until her death. For I used to hear my father and mother tell how great grandmother spoiled my father when he was a big baby because he was named for one of her sons whom she thought was about perfect. They said father would fall down and scream for the old lady to come and help him up. So one day he was out in the barn and fell down and screamed for his old grandmother to come and help him up, and his own mother knew his tricks and she came this time with a whip and it didn't take long to do the job. Ha! Ha! Well that is the way I learned quite a little of the old old time things which I did learn. Perhaps there is not another one living who learned things about the Goodners long long ago. I never forgot what I learned in those childhood days. Perhaps you are all out of patience with me for telling all of this but you ask me questions and I like to tell of those things that happened so long before my time.

Milton, you ask something about sister Marietta and Mrs. Myers. Whom did you mean? I do not know any Mrs. Myers only sister Marietta Myers.

Now I will tell you what I can about my father and his death just as near as I can. After my mother's death which occurred in Ill. in 1854, for we were living in Ill. at that time. Perhaps I had better commence back a few years before telling of her death. Father sold his farm in Tenn. in 1848, which was in Hardin County, middle Tenn., and moved to Fayette County, Tenn. in 1848 and we lived there about five years. Then father went to Ills. and lived there until my mother died which was less than a year after going to Ill. We moved there in 1853 and mother died in 1854. Father never seemed contented after mother's death. He sold and went to Texas and visited my mother's people who had about all gone to Eastern Texas in 1838. He visited there for a while then came back to Ill. for a while, then went to Texas again and stayed a while then came back to Ill. for a short time, then went to Madison, Ark., where brother Sardis was living at that time to make his home with Sardis, who had a large wholesale and retail store. Sardis and his brother-in-law were partners in that store. Well Sardis had no family excepting a wife and she was dieing with consumption at that time. And after a while father concluded he would take what money he had and go out some miles from Madison and put up a small grocery store. I suppose he had selected a place he thought would be a good place for a store of that kind. And he was doing very well. He boarded with a certain family but by and by he found that man was not honest and was going in too deep on father and father moved his boarding place. And this man was owing father 60 dollars. By and by father wanted him to pay him what he owed him. That made this man mad and he came one day to where father was boarding and brought a drunken officer with him, pretending that father owed him 60 dollars for board, which was false as Judis. He and that drunken officer went to the barn and took father's fine saddle horse out ready bridled and saddled ready to ride and father knew nothing of it. But as they marched out with the horse father saw them and (went) out to them and said Gentlemen this is my horse. The drunken officer drew out his Pistol and deliberately shot father through the lungs. There were witness to the murder. Both men fled the country and the officer took father's horse and never did come back. The other man came back after a while but he had better never have come back. Sardis said the whole country was enraged to the extreme. That was about the time A. Lincoln was elected President the first time. All this was down in Ark. Now I never tell or talk of this matter for of course it is painful subject to me and the public knows nothing about it and it was a long long time ago. And many would probably say "Well, that is what she tells. We don't know how it was." See? Now you can tell just what you please about this. You know just how it would look in print.

Now I have told you a long and uninteresting story but it is a true story if unpleasant. You asked me to give you a detailed account of my poor father's death and I have done the best I could and could not have made you understand things as they were without making a long story.

As for giving you addresses of persons who lived near us when we were living on father's farm, I can't do that it has been so so long ago. I doubt there being a soul living there now who ever knew or heard of father. Remember the wreck made of all that country during the Civil War. And as for Elizabeth Sperry, she went to Heaven many years ago, as she died before she came to the years of accountability. And Millard, Columbus' son, if he is living he is somewhere in Texas as that is where he was I heard last of him. I have forgotten all of brother Sardis' addresses. It was so long that I had never

heard of him at all, and then when I did hear from him we soon got lost again. He lost, or almost lost, his eyesight so that one of his daughters had to write for him and they moved and I moved and finally we lost each other and that ended it all. I tried to keep track of my folks but with all our moving and sickness and trouble it seemed we finally lost out. And you will just have to take what I write you and you and your father look it over, and if you find anything in it worth while just use it if you can. I heartily wish I could tell you something of some importance.

Now I remember you asked where Benson Goodner lived, but I told you in my last little letter that he died in Spokane some five or six years ago.

Now I want to thank you for the books you sent me. I will call them books of Art, for convenience. I shall spend quite a little time later looking at the Portable houses. I really like and enjoy looking at such things, not that I imagine I could make any improvements on the designs but just look at them and imagine I can see them. Now I will look at the letters and so forth which you sent, and see if I can give you anything that would help you in the least. If you should get in touch with cousin Marinda Ham, you might mention me and tell her I will try to write her soon.

Now about the counties the Tenn. Goodners used to live in I can tell you of one of the counties and if I had a map of the State I think I could tell you of another which used to have quite a number. One of the counties was Decalb. I believe my eldest sister was married in that county but am not right sure. She went up there to visit the large connection or Goodner relatives there aiming to spend spring and summer there, and instead of returning home in the fall she got married there and she went to Nashville to laying her wedding outfit for it. And tho' I was only 7 years old then I think she went about 50 miles, tho' am not sure that it was that far. And if I could see the map of Tenn. I could find the other county I think. We lived some one hundred and 50 miles from where she was married. The Goodners up there were all wealthy at that time. But that was long before the Slaves were freed. They almost or quite all had many slaves then. Do not know whether they are wealthy now or not. That was in 1845. I am certainly sorry I cannot give addresses of any of my old friends or cousins. Wish I could. Well perhaps you will be provoked at so much writing and geting almost nothing. It is the best I can do tho'. If you come to Frisco be sure and give us a call, but I do not want you to be disappointed in me so I will tell you to be expecting to find an old lady who is very homely both in feature and form.

Sincerely your friend and Aunt,

"Martha Logan".

Please excuse all defects that you can and let the rest go. Ha! Ha! None sense. I can't afford to read over I have scribbled down. So you can add what I have left out, eh?

* Note by H. W. Lacey. Henry was not the brother of Conrad, but a nephew. Jacob Daniel Scherrer and Hannah Sophia Dick were married in America, and not in Germany. Martha Goodner Logan is in error in stating that Hannah had fallen heir to a Dukedom in Germany, as there is no truth to that statement. It is evidence however as to how far some things can get out of hand.)

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