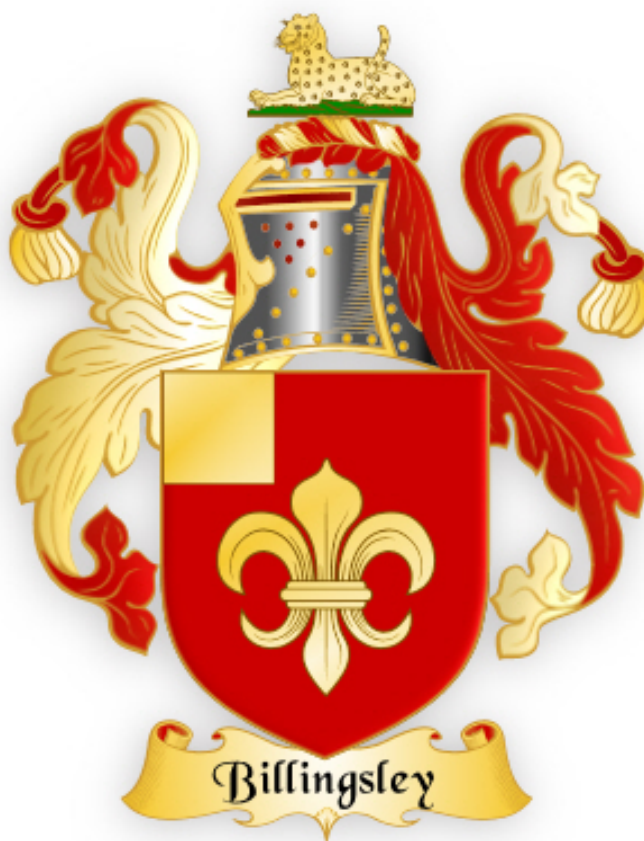


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## PREFACE

We have been asked many times, "What is the object of getting up this history?"

The "objects" for this work were, first, to fill a blank space in family histories caused by the lack of any printed records of any branch of this family, excepting a few individual brief biographies in some of the County Histories; and second, a desire to leave some record of our connection with this family.

This work represents the results of many years of research with the unavoidable items of expense which always accompany research. It can safely be stated that only one directly connected with the family would devote the time and labor to the cause.

The record is based on documentary and other legitimate evidence, we have accepted no traditional records at face value, where any such records are mentioned they are so stated. We have endeavored to record the facts as found without deviation or partiality. Many persons have been located who refused to furnish any information either by letter or personal interview. Some errors may have crept in, particularly in the case of living members who would not furnish information, as such records as we have of them are second hand information and may be inaccurate.

To those who have furnished information regarding themselves and others of their branch we herewith extend our hearty thanks for their cooperation, every one has been credited in the body of this work for their assistance.

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## HISTORICAL

BILLINGSLEY is a very old English place name. The Herald's Visitations of the British Museum give records of Billingsley of Kent, England, 1096, 1463, 1476, and 1504; of London, 1141, 1145, 1559, 1568, 1575, etc.; of Salop, 1241, 1396, 1472, and 1672. There appear some six Coats of Arms of Billingsley in a Visitation of London in 1575, all using the same Crest, and all testified to by Clarence Cooke, viz.:

- 1 Gules, a fleur de lis and a Canton, Or.
- 2 Argent, on a cross cotised Sable, five estoiles between four lions rampant.
- 3 Per saltine Or and Azure, in chief and .base two martlets Or; in fesse two cinqfoils Azure.
- 4 Azure, two lions passant guardant in pale, Or.
- 5 Argent, a fesse and in chief two mullets Sable.
- 6 Argent, two bars and a Canton Gules, over all a bend Sable. Crest: On a mount Vert, a leopard Or, spotted Sable.

The Visitation of Shropshire in 1623 shows some nine generations of the family pertinent to this record. We have chosen to present them in generations rather than in pedigree chart form.

References consulted: Harleian Society Publications; Visitations; Collectanea Genealogica, Foster; St. John's College, Baker; Athanae Cantab., Cooper; Athanae Oxon, Wood, ed. Bliss; Biographical Dictionary, Chalmers, etc. Search of original records in England and Holland by competent authority:

- 1 Roger (1) Billingsley, m  
In Com. Salop anno 20 of Edward IV (1481).
- 2 Roger (2) Billingsley, m  
In Com. Salop.
- 3 Roger (3) Billingsley, m Of -Canterbury, Com. Kent. Issue
- 4 i Roger (4) Billingsley.
- 5 ii William (4) Billingsley.
- 4 Roger (4) Billingsley, m Of Canterbury, Com. Kent. Issue:
- 6 i William (5) Billingsley.
- 5 William (4) .Billingsley, m
- 7 i William (5) Billingsley.
- 6 William (5) Billingsley, son of Roger 4, Citizen and Haberdasher, of London, England, married Elizabeth, daughter of Herding; he died and she married (2) Sir Martyn Bowes. Issue:
- i William (6) Billingsley.
- ii Richard (6) Billingsley.
- iii Henry (6) Billingsley.
- iv Ciceleye (6) Billingsley, m. William Newce (Newer 7) of Com. Hertfordshire.
- v .Martha (6) Billingsley, m John Robinson, of London.
- 7 William (5) Billingsley, son of William 4, of Com. Salop. In the Visitation of Shropshire in 1623 he is listed with Arms: Argent, a cross Sable voided of the field, five estoiles in cross between four lions rampant all of the second. He married Ciceleye . Issue: 9
- i John (6) Billingsley.
- ii William (6) Billingsley, m had a son, Thomas (7).
- iii Richard (6) Billingsley.

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iv Joanne (6) Billingsley, m Hugh Chys.

8 Henry (6) Billingsley: b 153-, son of William 5. Admitted a scholar to St. John's College in 1551; apprenticed to a London haberdasher and became a wealthy merchant; a "Customer of the Queen" at Visitation of London 1568 when he is described as "3 sonne of William Billingsley, of London, Citizen & haberdasher." Translated Euclid with notes and published same in 1570; chosen Sheriff of London in 1584; an Alderman in Lower Ward 16 November 1085; registered admission to Grey's Inn 22 February 1590-91; moved to Candlestick Ward in 1592; President of St. Thomas Hospital 1594-1606; elected Mayor of London 31 December 1596; knighted 6 February 1596/97; he bore the same Arms as William Billingsley, No. 7, with this addition, first quarter: Gules, a fleur de lis and canton Or. Sat as a member of Parliament for London 19 March 1603-4. He was granted large estates in Ireland by Elizabeth. He died 22 November 1606 and is buried in church of St. Catherine Coleman. He married (1) Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Bourne, she died 29 July 1577 aged 36 years; he married (2) Katherine, daughter of Sir John Cornwell, and widow of Robert Harding, of London, she died 1599; he married (3) Susanna, daughter of Tracey, and widow of Edward Barger. Issue:

i Henry (7) Billingsley: b 15-. Registered admission to Grey's Inn 30 Jan. 1581/82; was of Lysam, Com. Gloucester; knighted 28 June 1603; m. Issue:

1 Matthew (8) Billingsley: b 16-. Registered admission to Grey's Inn 1 Aug. 1619.

ii William (7) Billingsley: b 15-, m Blanch, daughter of Francis Gunter, of Aldburie, Com. Herts. He was deceased in 1614. Issue:

1 Henry (8) Billingsley: b 15-, Registered admission to Grey's Inn 9 Aug. 1614; called to the bar 25 June 1623; m. Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Collies, merchant. Issue:

a Blanche (9) Billingsley: aet. 5 years in 1623.

b Elizabeth (9) Billingsley: aet. 1 year in 1623.

2 Thomas (8) Billingsley: b 15-. Registered admission to Grey's Inn 10 Aug. 1614.

iii Thomas (7) Billingsley: b 15-, of London, Gent. m. Elizabeth, daughter of Rowland Hinde, of Hedsor in Com. Bucks, and of Inner Temple, Gent. Issue:

1 Henry (8) Billingsley: b 159-. Registered admission to Grey's Inn 9 Aug. 1623, unmarried at that date; entered his pedigree in Visitation of 1634.

2 Thomas (8) Billingsley: b 159-.

3 Clement (8) Billingsley: b 16-.

4 Elizabeth (8) Billingsley: b 1604, m prior to 1634 Edward Palmer, of D'eweshall, Com. Essex, Gent.

5 Katherine (8) Billingsley: b ca 1608, m prior to 1634 William Chilcot, of Istelworth, Com. Middlesex, Gent.

Elizabeth and Katherine Billingsley above mentioned were baptized in the Mormon Church of Salt Lake City, Utah, 12 July -1927, both were endowed 31 Aug. 1928, baptism and endowment by one George Hind, who states he is a relative-in-law.

iv Richard (7) Billingsley.

v Elizabeth (7) Billingsley. 9 John (6) Billingsley: b ca 1525, of Astley, Com. Salop. He married Frances, daughter of William Acton, of Aldenham. Issue:

i Francis (7) Billingsley: b ca 1549.

ii Janne (7) Billingsley: b 15-, m. Captain Thomas Bailey, d.s.p.

iii Ciceleye (7) Billingsley: b 15-.

10 Francis (7) Billingsley: b 15-, was living 1623 in Astley, Com. Salop. He married prior to 1575 Bridgett, daughter of Sir Thomas Vernon, of Haslington (near Nantwich), in Com. Chester. Issue: i Dorothy (8) Billingsley: b 1575 s.p.

11 ii Francis (8) Billingsley: b ca 1578.

iii Marye (8) Billingsley: b ca 1580, m Francis Rowley, of Wyken, Com. Salop; constable of Brimsley hundred in 1623. Issue: 1 Richard Rowley: b 1602 son & heir. 2 Samuel Rowley: b 16-. 3 Andrews Rowley: b 16-. 4 Seluanis Rowley: b 16-. 5 Sarah Rowley: b 16-. 6 Bridgett Rowley: b 16-. iv ., Frances (8) Billingsley: b 158-. s.p. v Janne (8) Billingsley: b 158-. s.p. vi Thomas (8) Billingsley: b 158-.

12 vii John (8) Billingsley: b ca 1587. viii Margaret (8) Billingsley: b 15-, m John Jeuan (Jevan 7), of Com. Stafford.

ix Jane (?) Billingsley. x William (8) Billingsley: b 159-. xi Rachel (8) Billingsley: b 159-.

xii Judeth (8) Billingsley: b 159-.

xiii Benjamin (8) Billingsley: b ca 1600. Registered admission to Grey's Inn 27 Feb. 1639; also of Clifford's Inn, London, Gent.

xiv Edward (8) Billingsley: b 16-.

xv Bridgett (8) Billingsley: b 16-.

11 Francis (8) Billingsley: b ca 1578, son and heir, of Abbot, Astley, Com. Salop, married prior to 1600 Eleanor, daughter of Thomas Kerrey, of Bindweston, Com. Salop, Esquire. Issue:

i Francis (9) Billingsley: b 1600 Son & heir.

ii Thomas (9) Billingsley: b 16-.

iii Walter (9) Billingsley: b 16-.

iv John (9) Billingsley: b 16-.

v Edward (9) Billingsley: b 16-.

vi Dorothy (9) Billingsley: b 16-.

12 John (8) Billingsley: b ca 1587 in Com. Salop, 3d son of Francis Billingsley and Bridgett Vernon. He married prior to 1612 Agatha born 1593, Com. Salop, and became connected with the Quakers. They removed from England in the late 1630's and settled in Holland, where he was deceased prior to 1659. Agatha survived him some years and died in 1666 in Rotterdam. Issue:

i JOHN (9) BILLINGSLEY: b 1612. Migrated to America

ii Agatha (9) Billingsley: b 1614.

iii JAMES (9) BILLINGSLEY: b 1616. Migrated to America.

vi THOMAS (9) BILLINGSLEY: b 1618. Migrated to America.

v FRANCIS (9) BILLINGSLEY: b 1620. Migrated to America.

vi Bridgett (9) Billingsley: b 162-. s.p.

vii Francis (9) Billingsley: b 1624. s.p. viii Joanne (9) Billingsley: b 1626, m . d.s.p.

ix WILLIAM (9) BILLINGSLEY: b 1628. Migrated to America. x Mary (9) Billingsley: b 163-, m-, died in Holland.

xi Walter (9) Billingsley: b 163-. Was living 1659 Holland.

PART 2  
I JOHN BILLINGSLEY

Born County Salop, England, circa 1612, moved to Holland with his parents who were Quakers and forced to leave England. The exact date of his coming to America-is not known, tho' there is evidence it was prior to 1649 and that he was located in Nansemond County, Virginia. Evidence also shows his brothers James and Francis were with him in this locality. In the records he is styled Major but nothing has been discovered to indicate the origin of the title. The date is evidenced by a grant of land in Maryland some years later and from a record in Richmond Land Office from which it appears he was granted 500 acres of land at Chucatum, Nansemond County, Virginia, and said land was wholly escheated. This occurred during the period of 1649-1656 when all Quakers were forced to leave the colony of Virginia. Reference to this land will appear again in this account chronologically.

On 20 July 1652 warrant to lay out to Colonel Thomas Burbage 2000 acres and Major John Billingsley 1000 acres in any place in the Province not fully taken up was issued. In connection with this warrant is the following: "William Parker of the Severn in Ann Arundell County, planter, is possessed of 800 acres of land upon the Cliffs adjoining land of Richard Bennett: I, said Parker, do fully grant to Col. Thos. Burbage & Maj. Jno Billingsley both of Virginia, merchants 600 acres of the said 800 acres, the sd Burbage & Billingsley do obligate themselves to seat the land between now and 25 December next & to pay charges of survey, etc. dated 24 June 1652" (A B & H fol. Q13). It appears he purchased 700 acres of land from "Mattapony & Patuxon Indians." It was surveyed in the name of Major John Billingsley and he evidently died before he obtained a patent. This land was subsequently regranted: "Henry, George, and John Billingsley, sons & heirs of Maj. John Billingsley, late of our Province of Maryland, deceased, hath due unto them 700 acres of land in this Province surveyed in the name of Major John Billingsley and to him assigned in the rights of fourteen persona from Captain Thos. Cornwallis, transported by him in 1650 into this Province as appears upon record dated at *London 2 July 1649* with such alterations bearing date of 26 Aug. 1658 occurring upon records in our Province of Maryland, do grant all that parcel of land called 'Our Legacy' on the West Side of Patuxent River in the fresh, and on the East side of Billingsley's Creek, etc., dated 5 March 1663." (*Lib. A. A.*, fol. 407).

Major John Billingsley was a merchant and resided at Chacatum, Virginia. From a record Richmond Land Office it appears he was granted 500 acres of land at Chacatum, Nansemond County and that said land was wholly escheated. On 18 Nov. 1671 appears this record: "Sir William Berkeley, Lieutenant Governor, grants to George and Henry Billingsley 500 acres of land in Chucatum, Nansemond County, formerly

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granted to John Billingsley, wholly escheated; inquisition recorded in Secretary's office under hand & seal of William Alford, Deputy Esecuter for sd county, 18 Nov. 1671; jury sworn before him, grant to George & Henry Billingsley who have made their composition to be paid according to Act, 500 acres except one and one half acre granted to Parish Church,- etc. dated 28 Oct. 1672" (*Lib. 6*, fol. 1,07). He owned several sloops and was associated in business affairs in Maryland with Thomas Burbage, who was called by Captain Cornwallis, "my goode Friend Collonel Burbage.

He married late in life Eliza, born circa 1637, and believed to be a sister of John Cobreath. His name occurs in many court actions in Maryland and among the last is: "Know all men by these presents that I, John Billingsley, of Chucatum in Virginia, Gent., for and in consideration of '2500 pounds of Tobacco & Caske' paid by George Reede, grant bargain & sell to George Reed of Patuxent River, Planter, one light bay mare, etc. In witness whereof the aforesaid John Billingsley have hereunto Sett my hand & Scale this September, 1657. On 6 Nov. 1657 John Cornelius "Sayeth that he doth testify that George Reede did tender down the 24<sup>th</sup> of September three hogshhead of Tobacco for use of Major John Billingsley" (*Md. Arch. Vol. x, ct. proc.*).

In court proceedings Vol. xi, fols. 282-283 is an interesting document. "Deposition of John Cobreath aged 48 years or thereabouts, being duly sworn before me this 7<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1678 with that in the year 1658-1659 the said deponent carried Letters from John Billingsley living in Chucatum in Nansemond county, Virginia unto his mother Agatha Billingsley living in the city of Rotterdam in Holland and delivered sd letters to her and brought Answer of them to ye sd John & his mother said unto the deponent at ye same time that if ye said John Billingsley had sent some tobacco unto his brother itt had been better for him and ye deponent saith further that the bearer hereof George Billingsley is the sonne of ye said John Billingsley of Virginia, further sayeth not. 8 January 1679. Recorded John Cobreath. Sworn before me, Samuel Bourne"

John Billingsley died during the latter part of the year 1659 and John Cobreath was named as executor of the estate and trustee for the widow. On 11 Jan. 1660 Prov. Ct. Rdc. Lib. S1, fol. 391, Adam Augustine Kerman appeared before the Court and asked a warrant to arrest John Cobreath, executor of Major Billingsley, descd, in an action of debt of 4000 pounds of tobacco, warrant issued to sheriff to be returned 19 February 1660 Court.

Eliza married (2) prior to 1662 William Burgh. On 24 Feb. 1663 John Cobreath, trustee for Major Billingsley's relict, now wife of William Burgh, had a warrant for 1000 acres of land (*Lib. vi* fol. 202, and *Prov. Ct. Rec. Lib. 1 F.*) No data as to death of Eliza tho she was apparently deceased before 1681.



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### Children:

i Henry: b ca 1654, was under age .1674 and deceased prior to Dec. 1681

ii George: b ca 1656. Was under age in 1674 was the only surviving heir to his father's lands. He dated his will Dec. 21 1681, George Billingsley, of Chucatuck, Upper Norfolk, Virginia. This will is recorded at Annapolis, and also in Deeds, Lib. E, fol. 129 Prince Georges Co., Md. He devises plantation where I now live at Chucatuck, Va. to Thomas Jordan who married my sister Elizabeth & heirs, if no heirs at their decease to revert to sisters Mourning & Margaret & heirs. Sister, Mourning to have land in Calvert Co., Maryland 300 acres and her heirs, in case none then to revert to Margaret & her heirs. Sister, Margaret, land on Patuxent River in Maryland called "Billingsley's Point," 500 acres part of tract of 700 acres, should she die without heirs then to pass to other sisters equally.

My loving friend Barbany Kearne & heir heirs 200 acres on Patient River, Maryland, part of a tract of 700 acres. (This land was possessed in 1711 by Thos. Greenfield from B. Kearne, and held for Hollyday's orphans; possessed 1722 by James Holliday.) Should sisters, Mourning & Margaret, be frustrated in any way of just rights to land in Maryland they shall have full and equal parts of Plantation on Chucatuck creek. The money left me by my grandmother, Mrs. Agatha Billingsley, as a legacy, in the hands of John Griffitts, Drugster, in Rotterdam, her executor, which sum amounts to 500 pounds and interest at 4 per cent and the same being due these fifteen years as follows: Barnaby Kearne & heirs 50 pounds Sarah Bainbrig 25 pounds Thomas Jordan, Mourning & Margaret all the rest of sd money equally. Captain John Cobreath of Virginia to pay all debts, etc. and to stand as friend to my sisters concerns thereas you have hitherto my father's and mine. This will was probated 13 Feb. 1681-2, Nansemond Co., Va. He never married. Owing to loss of early records of Nansemond County, Virginia it has not been possible to learn of disposition of lands devised in this will.

iii John: b ca 1658-59. Was living 1663, and deceased before 18 Nov. 1671.

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iv Elizabeth Burgh: b 166- 2d marriage, no Billingsley blood. m (1) 10 June 1679 Thomas Jordain. He died and she m (2) 23 Dec. 1721 Cornelius Ratcliff. They had:

1 Thomas Jordain: b 19 May 1681.'

2 Elizabeth Jordain: b 18 Nov. 1683.

3 Martha Jordain : b 22 Jan. 1685.

4 William Jordain: b 25 May 1688.

v Mourning Burgh: b 166-, m after 1681 Pettus (?).

vi Margaret Burgh: b 166-, m 9 Dec. 1688 John Jordan. She was devised land in Maryland by her brother George Billingsley. An Act was passed 1724 by Prov. Assembly, Maryland to cut off the entail of a tract of land called "Billingsley's Point" and enable John Jordain to make sale of same. He sold 500 acres to James Holliday in 1725. No record of children.

## II JAMES BILLINGSLEY

Born County Salop, England circa 1616, moved to Holland with his parents and migrated to America and settled in Virginia with his brothers John and Francis prior to 1649, resided in Nansemond County. He was "transported" to Calvert County, Maryland in Anno 1656 by his brother Francis. He married (1) , who was a sister of Walter Carr, she died and he married (2) Susannah Ewen, of Calvert County. He does not appear to have owned any land, at least he did not have any original grants. He may have purchased land but no deeds are extant concerning the same. His will is quoted in full as it has considerable bearing on the next generation.

### WILL OF JAMES BILLINGSLEY

In the Dame of God amen. I James Billingsley of the County of Calvert Planter being very weake of Body though Sound and perfect in remembrance praise be God for Same and knowing that it is appointed for everyman once to dye although the time (torn) and to the end that all occasions of Controversy (torn) away after my decease amongst my kindred (torn) touching my estate with what it hath pleased the Lord (torn) me with I do hereby make constitute I appoint this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme following; Imprim. (torn) bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my Body to be buried in the earth.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my Brother Walter Carr the choice of one of my best Cows.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my Brother Thomas Billingsley my full share of all the young Cattle which went outlast year when soere they are found.

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in Rapehannock whose names I can't leave in writing whenso ere they shall demand them to each one a Cow Calfe.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Susannah Billingsley whom by this my last Will and Testament I make and appoint my Sole Executrix after my funeral expenses are discharged with what legacies are herein specified my full and whole Estate reall and personall whether in howses lands Goods Chatell or whatso ever within house or without.

I testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and sealle the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November one Thousand six hundred sixty three,

Signed & sealed in presence of James Billingsley William Carr. Arch. Briscoe

This will was in cocoon forme proved by the witnesses thereof the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1663 before me Henry Sewell. Secretary

Susannah survived him a short time.

WILL OF SUSANNAH BILLINGSLEY

In the name of God amen. I Susannah Billingsley of the County of Annarundel in the Province of Maryland being Sicke and in Weak Condition, yett thorow the mercy of the almighty I am in perfect mind and memory to make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in forme and manner as followeth.

First I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the Discretion of my Executors named.

Item: I give and bequeath to my well beloved brother Richard Ewen the Tobacco which he now hath in England; to my loving brother John Ewen I give seven of my pewter dishes half small ones and half great ones and to my brother in Law Thomas Billingsley I give three head of cattle which I have below at the Cliffs in consideration that he is to pay three Cow Calves to his Cousins at accomack (sic ?) which was legacyes left them by my husband James Billingsley formerly deceased.

(Note: James Billingsley stated these cousins lived at Rapehannock.)

I give unto Walter Caree (Carr ?) a Cow which is at the Cliffs already which was left him by my husband and with all that these that are my Executors my satisfied Walter Caree (Carr ?) for what he hath done for me in reason what he shall require I give unto my sister Ann Ewen my feather bed and all the furniture belonging and the remaining part of all the Pewter which is left and unto Ann I give two cower one called Nancy and the other May and two steers att my brothers Richard Ewen. I give unto my sister Elisabeth Talbott that cow which is at my Father in Law's Capt. Burgess I give unto my sister Susie two cower one called Cole and Brownie to my sister Susannah Burgess I give Nums Calfe and unto sister Susie I give my Flock bedd and all that belongs to it.

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furthermore I say that these that are-my :Executors shall see my Debts discharged and all these legacies which I have left by Will to be fully satisfied then the remaining part of my Estate to be equally divided betwixt brothers and sisters.

I give unto Edward Parrish a cowe calfe left him by my husband's Will and that other satisfaction may be made him by my Executors as he thinks fitt.

Dated 7 December 1663.

This will was in cocoon forme Proved by John Cumber the younger and John Gray then present at the making and wryteing of the within mentioned Will and declared to Susannah Billingsley last Will and Testament she revoking all former Wills. Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1663-4.

Children: None.

### III THOMAS BILLINGSLEY

Born County Salop, England circa 1618 moved to Holland with his parents. He and his brother William came to Virginia in 1650. They, with five others, were transported by Edward James on 22 May 1650, said James was granted 350 acres of land on Rapahannock. (*Land Rec. Lib.* 2, fol. X19).

Thomas settled in Nansemond County, Virginia, where his other brothers were residing and was "transported" into the Province of Maryland Anno 1656 Calvert County by his brother Francis Billingsley. The first land he shows possessed of is in Rent Rolls, 300 acres called "Teamoth" surveyed 27 Oct. 1651 for William James lying in the Cliffs adjoining land of Thomas Tolly. About 1663, 150 acres o: this tract was possessed by Thomas Billingsley and 150 acres by David Morgan.

He married prior to 1658 Elizabeth born 16-. In 1664 Elizabeth was summoned as witness in case of Eliza Green charged with murdering her own child, Elizabeth refused to take the oath (*Ct. Rec. BB*, 280-284).

In 1668 Thomas Billingsley was in service as Juror. On 18 Jan. 1669 there was surveyed for him 300 acres of land in Dorchester County called "Billingsley Chance." (*Liv. 12, fo. 414*). There was also surveyed for him about 1670, 100 acres of land in Dorchester County, near the first grant and called "Billingsley Folly." He died in 1673 leaving the following will.

The last Will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley Being in perfect memory and weak in Body committeth his Soul to God and his Body to a decent Burial.

Items: I give to my brother Francis Billingsley all my Tools for fixing of Gunns and all my Coopers Tools and his choice of all my plains and Irons and my Bow Saw, and to John Troster I give a pair of roosted stockings and to my Daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Billingsley Three hundred acres of Land Lying in Chicacomocoe River called by the

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name of. Billingsley Chance adjoining to land of Henry Hooper to them and their heirs and to my daughter Mary Billingsley I give one hundred acres of Land Lying in the same River called by the name of Billingsleys Folly to her and her heirs for Ever and to my wife Elizabeth Billingsley I give the land I now live on till my son Thomas Billingsley be at age of Eighteen years and then to .possess the said Land with the rest of his Estate but if in case my wife Eliza: be then a widow she shall have her third of the said Land During her Widdowhood but if my son Thomas aforesaid happen to dye in his minority then my wife shall Enjoy all his seat of Land During her life called by the name of "Teamoth" and after her death it shall redound to the nearest and Next of my Kindred and I the said Billingsley do Engage my wife Elizabeth to give out of the remaining part of my Estate to my three children to say Thomas, Sara, and Mary Billingsley Three Mare Colts within Eighteen months after my Decease with their Increase to Run on for the benefit of my Three Children above said and for all the Remainder of my Estate after my Debts and Funeral Charges being paid I give to my wife to bring up and to maintain my children till they are at age and then to give them all four, Thomas and Elizabeth, Sara and Mary Billingsley Each of them a Servant apiece not to serve under four year apiece but such servants as the children like of Each of them a feather bed and furniture a piece which the children shall choose and I make my wife Eliza Billingsley my full and lawful Executrix and I do ordain these to be my Overseers, my brother Francis Billingsley and Richard Hooper, Dr. John Stansby and John Troster to aid and assist my wife in this my last Will and Testament and I do empower my wife with consent of these my overseers that after my children have two Breeders apiece that then the Rest shall not be kept no longer than the age of three year and then to be disposed of and sold for Tobacco or money and that to be put out to use for the benefite of these my children at 8 or 10 in the hundred according as the Overseers Cann Raise it and that the Overseers give an account to Court Every year of produce and what they Raise Witness my hand and Seal March 26<sup>th</sup>, 1672.

Thomas Billingsley

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us his David Morgan, Walter W. Watkins  
her mark Ann M. Morgan marke

On the Back Side of the foregoing Last Will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley was thus written: March 12, 1673 Came Walter Watkins and David Morgan both Living in Calvert County and took their oaths upon the Evangelists that this within written paper to be the last Will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley, Late of Calvert County, Deceased.

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So done John Stansbey and John Troster both of Calvert County came before me and -took their oaths as appraising of the Estate of the said Thomas Billingsley Deceased before me.

Edward Keene (Sealed)

Elizabeth survived him and married (2) Samuel Bourne . who died after 16 May 1693. He left a will dated 16. May 1693, no probate recorded on this will:

To Thomas Billingsley, Mary Polard, and daughter Roberts, personality. Eldest son, Samuel and male heirs 2000 acres and plantation Drum Point part of Great Eltonhead Manor. Son, Thomas and male heirs 2000 acres part of Great Eltonhead Manor. Daughter, Rebecca & male heirs 1000 acres part of Great Eltonhead Manor. Wife, Eliza: Y3 personality and rest to three children aforesaid. Sons to be of age at 21 and daughter at 18. Overseers: Richard Johns, Francis Billingsley, and Robert Roberts. (*Lib. 2, fol. 30,x*).

Elizabeth survived him some years, dated her will 23 Feb. 1715, Elizabeth Bourne, Widow and Executrix of Samuel Bourne, Gent, Calvert Co. This will was probated 7 June 1720:

Son, Thomas & heirs, personality if he die without heirs then to children of William Young and Rebecca his wife.

To grand son, Samuel Young, if he die without heirs to oldest surviving child of Rebecca.

Daughter Rebecca Young; grand daughter Elizabeth Young at 16 years or marriage personality.

Son Thomas Billingsley, personality & 20 shillings in full of any claim he may have on the estate as eldest son of Testator.

Grand son, John Clare & heirs if he died without heirs then to grand son, John Hance.

Daughters, Sarah Harris, Mary Howell & Rebecca Young

Executor, Thomas Bourne. (*Lib. 16, fol. 63*).

Children:

i Elizabeth: b ca 1658 was deceased 1693.

ii Sarah: b 166- married (1) prior to 1692 John Roberts; m (2) John Clare, and (3) John Hance, and (4) Harris. he is mentioned in will of Francis Billingsley 1692. JohnHance dated his will 14 Feb. 1708 and it was probated 22 May 1709, Calvert Co., Md. Wife, Sarah, one half of -plantation and one half of personality: She to pay daughter Elizabeth 100 pounds at 16 years of age, and said daughter to have sd lands at death of her mother. My wife's two sons, Robert Roberts and John Clare, personality. *Son in law*: Christopher Kellet, devised land in

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Maryland, no wife or children mentioned and his wife was probably a daughter by a prior marriage. It may also be that he is a step son. Christopher Kellet dated his will 17 Feb. 1710 and it was probated 17 May 1710. Leaves part of estate to Sarah Hance and John Leveal, residue to Brother Benjamin Hance who is named executor. Son, Benjamin Hance, residue of land in Md. at about 18 years of age & if he died without heirs to daughter Elizabeth and Christopher Kellet aforesaid and heirs. Sarah married (4) a Mr. Harris prior to 1715 and was living at that date and mentioned in will of her mother. They had, known

1 Mary Roberts: b 16- living in 1722 and named in will of Thomas Billingsley, Jr.

2 Robert Roberts: b 16-- Was named in will of Thomas Billingsley Jr. in 1722.

3 John Clare: b 16- was living 1722 and named in will of Thomas Billingsley, Jr.

4 Elizabeth Hance: b 1-.

5 Benjamin Harris: b 1-.

iii Mary: b 166- m. prior to 1692 Richard Pollard. She is mentioned in will of Samuel Bourne 1693. Richard Pollard dated his will 15 Oct. 1702 and it was probated 18 Nov. 1702, names wife, Mary and heirs all estate real & personal, wife named as executrix, no children mentionned. She m (2) a Mr. Howell and is mentioned in will of her mother in 1715. No children mentioned in any record.

iv Thomas: b 166-. He was under age of 18 in 1672. Was devised land by his father called "Teamoth" to possess at 18 years of age. He sold this land to George Parker 2 May 1710. He owned 800 acres of land in Kent County, Md. called "The Dining Room," and "Viaven," he also owned 200 acres in Kent Co., called "Chance."

He married prior to 1694 Hannah, believed to be daughter of Richard Chambers who died Mar. 1700 leaving his personal estate to Hannah Billingsley, and Thomas Billingsley named as executor and residuary legatee. Thomas dated his will 2 Nov. 1722 and it was probated 26 Nov. 1722. Wife, Hannah, executrix, dwelling & plantation during her life.

Nephew; Robert Roberts, named executor, and to be in charge of plantation and to receive A of produce yearly and at death of wife nephews Robert Roberts and John Clare to have all or to the survivor, also 800 acres land in Kent Co., Md. "The Dining Room" and "Viaven:"

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Mary, daughter of John and Sarah Roberts & heirs 200 acres land Kent Co., Md. called "Chance."  
He left no children.

v Samuel Bourne: b ca 1677. 2d marriage no Billingsley blood. Was under age 1693 and deceased before 1715.

iv Rebecca Bourne: b 168-, m prior to 1715 William Young. They had, known  
1 Samuel Young.  
2 Elizabeth Young.

vii Thomas Bourne: b 168-. Living 1715 and executor to his mother's will.

### IV FRANCIS (1) BILLINGSLEY

Born County Salop, England in 1620 moved to Holland with his parents. He came to Virginia with his brothers John and James prior to 1649. He was married about 1647 to Ann born 162-, this marriage probably took place in Holland. He had a grant of land 200 acres, called "Selby Clifts" lying on the West side of the Chesapeake Bay as assignee of Edward Selby, for transportation of Thomas Forby Anno 1649, from Caecilius, Absolute Lord and Proprietor of the Province of Maryland and Avelon Lord Baron of Baltimore, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November in the 27<sup>th</sup> year of our Dominion over sd Province of Maryland, Anno, 1650. He came into the Province of Maryland in Anno 1652 at which time he "transported his wife and son John."

In Anno 1653 he transported into the Province a "Maid servant, named Ann." At a Court held at Patuxent 5 December 1654 Francis Billingsley was made Constable for the Clifts and was ordered to be present at the next Court to take charge of the office of Constable. (*Ct. Rec. also Md. Arch. Vol. 10, 110.*) .

In Anno 1656 he transported into the Province his brothers James and Thomas Billingsley.

In Anno 1657 he transported another maid servant also named Ann.

In Assembly proceedings 1657 in a list of Several charges to be Satisfied by way of Levie out of the County of Patuxent is:

"for Fran. Billingsley for one wolfe, 100 pounds of tobacco."

In Anno 1658 he transported into the Province "Sarah Billingsley." She is known to be the widow of his brother, William, decsd.

In all these Transportations it is to be noted they all came from VIRGINIA.

During the year 1658 he had a resurvey made upon "Selby Clifts" in his name. In March 1659 at the beginning of the year he refused to take the oath as Constable (a yearly appointment) and was fined 591 pounds of tobacco. His refusal appears to be based upon the fact that he removed to Richmond County, Virginia with his sister-in-law where



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he operated the farm and a sloop owned by her. This is where John and Edward became interested in seafaring. In the latter part of the year 1659 Samuel Chew made claim in Court for 1200 pounds of "Tobacco do Caske" of Francis Billingsley which has never been paid.

While still living in Virginia he applied for additional land in Maryland and on 4 May 1663 there was surveyed for him "Corne Hill," for 350 acres and "Deer Quarter" for 250 acres, both tracts patented to him 11 Sept. 1663.

On 9 Nov. 1663 his brother James made his will and mentions "my three cousins (Nephews) who live on the Rapahannock, etc. leaving each a Cow Calfe. . On 7 Dec. 1663 Susannah, widow of James made her will and provides for "3 Cow Calves to "Cousins" in compliance with will of my husband, James Billingsley, decsd. On or about February 1663-64 he returned to Calvert County, Maryland, his sister in law having remarried.

On 2 March 1663-4 there was surveyed for Francis Billingsley and Christopher Beard 350 acres of land near the "Cliffs" in the woods, patented to Francis Billingsley 26 May 1664. Early in 1668 he sold 30 acres of this tract to John Mears. According to the will of said Mears 1675 said Mears appears to own the whole 350 acres of this tract with no record to show how acquired.

On 3 June 1668 there was surveyed for and patented to Francis Billingsley 100 acres of land adjoining "Deer Quarter" this was called "Addition." In the spring term of Court 1668 is the case of Francis Billingsley vs. George Atkins, etc. (While he is known to have been a Quaker this shows he was not as strict in the faith as is common, as they do not, as a rule, have recourse to law, but hold to their Meetings to mete out justice.)

On 26 Nov. 1668 is record of case of Ann Billingsley versus William Kay, said Kay having been indicted for criminal assault and attempted rape upon Ann, the wife of Francis Billingsley. (Prov. Ct. *Lib: FF, 601 662.*)

In 1672 he was named as overseer in the will of his brother Thomas Billingsley.

In 1677 he was named as one of the guardians in the will of Thomas Paget.

In Oct. 1678 Mr. Francis Billingsley was a delegate from Calvert County to the Lower House but did not appear. On 21 Oct. 1678 he was present as a member of the Lower House at a meeting held at St. Mary's.

On the 23 Aug. 1681 Francis Billingsley and three other members of the Lower House sent a message to the Upper House regarding certain Laws governing the Lower House.

On 29 August 1681 a message on the same matter was sent to the Upper House by Francis Billingsley and others.

On 9 November 1681 at a meeting of the Upper House there was pre

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sented "a message from the Lower House from Mr. Cheseldyne and Francis Billingsley Desiring Perusal of the Book of Laws and an answer to the last Bill relating to the Land Offices."

In Nov. 1683 Francis Billingsley was appointed one of the Commissioners for Culvert County for the purpose of purchasing town lands, ports, and survey of the town and ports, and to stake lots, etc. (*Arch. IV& and Proc. and Acts of Gen. Assembly Oct. 1678-Nov. 1683.*)

This appears to be the last record of him and he died intestate in the year 1684 as his sons appear to be in possession of lands laid out to him. No record of any administration of his estate has so far been discovered. That his sons succeeded to his land is shown in their records. It is not known the date of the death of Ann, she was living Nov. 1668 and from the fact she does not subsequently show in any of the records after 1668 it is believed-she did not long survive her trying ordeal of that year. We have endeavored to show every record so far found concerning this man for the reason that while five brothers came to America he is the one who left male issue to the third generation and he is therefore the founder of the family of 1649 in Maryland and Virginia.

Children: (known)

i John (2) : b 1647.

ii Ann: b 1650 Va., died infancy.

iii Francis (2) : b 1653 Md.

iv Agatha: b ca 1656 Md., m 1672 Thomas Paget, his 2d wife. He died Mar. 1677 named Capt. Cobreath, Capt. Bourne, Francis Billingsley, and Jonathan Hunt as guardians. There were three sons by his 1<sup>st</sup> wife, and three daughters by his last wife, Agatha.

v Edward (4) : b 1658 Md.

vi Ann Elizabeth: b 166- in Virginia, m Thomas Sadler, had three living children in 1692 who were legatees in will of Francis Billingsley, Jr.

## V WILLIAM BILLINGSLEY

Born County Salop, England 1628, moved to Holland with his parents. He came to Virginia with his brother Thomas in 1650, "Transported" by Edward James with five others said James was granted 350 acres of land on Rapahannock 22 May 1650. (*Land Rec. Lib. L, fod. ,t?19.*)

He married about 1651 Sarah Bowman, born Essex County, Virginia *circa* 1635. They settled in Richmond County where he owned a small farm and also a small vessel and was mostly engaged in transporting commodities in coast. trade. He died Dec. 1657 having been struck by a boom on his vessel. Sarah moved to Culvert County, Maryland early in 1656 having been "Transported" by her brother-in-law Francis Billingsley. She remained at his home during the year and then returned to Virginia With Francis and his family in 1659. She remarried (2) in 1663 a William Evert, and is stated to have died about 1690.

Children:

i Sarah Ann: b 1652 Va., married John Billingsley No. 5 which see.

ii William: b 1655 died infancy.

iii Martha Agatha: b 1658 Me. posthumous, died aet. 13 years.

iv Mary Evart: b ca 1665 2d marriage, no Billingsley blood. m. a Mr. Johnson.

VI JOHN (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis I.*) Born 1647 probably in Holland came to Nansemond County, Virginia with his parents and uncles John and James Billingsley prior to 1649. He came to Calvert County, Maryland with his parents Anno 1652. He moved to Richmond County, Virginia with his parents about 1659. He and his brothers Francis and Edward were legatees to a "Cowe Calfe" each in the will of James Billingsley in 1663, who calls them "my three *cozens* (nephews) on the Rapehannock." They were also mentioned in the will of Susannan Billingsley, widow of James, in the same year.

He became interested in the vessel which his aunt owned and which his father operated. When his parents returned to Maryland he remained in Virginia with his aunt and assisted in the operation of the vessel. He married Jan. 1669 Sarah Ann, daughter of William Billingsley, born Virginia 1652 and his first cousin. During the year 1670 they moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland, where he purchased another vessel and continued in maritime trade. In 1673 they returned to Virginia and about 1675-76 they moved to Calvert County, Maryland. He does not appear to have owned much land. In 1684 he became possessed of 100 acres called "Addition" from his father. From this time there appears an estrangement between John and Francis, his brother. Francis appears with the major portion of his father's holdings, whether his marriage to his cousin had any relation to this is possible but not definitely known. Owing to loss of deed records in Culvert County it is not known by what means he came into possession of 200 acres part of a tract called "Mears." He apparently gave to his son, William, the tract called "Addition" upon his marriage in 1691. John died in the year 1693 having been lost at sea during a storm. Rent Rolls of 1694 show 200 acres of "Mears" owned by Widow Billingsley. She disposed of this land as Rent Rolls show it was sold July 1710 by Sarah Talbot to Richard Johns. She married (2) about 1699 William Brown, they moved to Richmond County, Virginia where he was granted 38 acres of land 1709. (*Lib. 3, fol. 230.*) She died 1712-13. No children by 2d marriage.

Children:

i Mary: b Sept. 1669 Va., m prior to 1687 Edward Wood. His will was probated 16 June 1709. Mary dated her will 13 Mar. 1709-10 and it was probated 10 Aug. 1710.

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They had, known:

1 Edward Wood: b 1687.

2 John Wood: b 1869, m Ann Elizabeth Billingsley, b May 1699, daughter of William Billingsley, No. 8, John dated his will 28 July 1724 and it was probated 17 Feb. 1725-26, wife all estate and at her death all land to eldest son, John & heirs; personality to 3 children, named. They had

a John Wood.

b William Wood: d 1745, left 4 children. -

c Edward Wood.

d Ann Wood.

3 Mary Wood: b 16-, m John Byrn, she was decsd. 1709.

4 Benjamin Wood: b 16-.

ii William (3) : b Oct. 1670 Md.

iii Sarah Agatha: b 1672.3 Va., m John Stovall, d. s. p.

iv Elizabeth: b 1675 Va., m William Bowler who died 1743. She died ca 1752. They had known:

1 James Bowler.

2 John Bowler.

v John: b 167-, died 1686. vi Susannah: b 1679-80, died childhood. vii Francis: b 168-, died infancy.

viii Walter (3) : b 1685.

### VI FRANCIS (2) BILLINGSLEY

*(Francis 1.)* Born Calvert County, Maryland in 1653, moved to Richmond County, Virginia with his parents in 1659 and turned to Calvert County, Maryland with them Feb. 1663-64. He married prior to 1677 Susann born Maryland 16-. After his marriage he became very active in the Quaker Meetings. Some years ago we had the custodian of these old Meeting records go over them and abstract every item containing the name of Billingsley therein. These items are mostly routine but in two instances there is controversy in which Francis Billingsley is concerned and which are settled in the Meetings and no recourse to court or law. He appears to have been very rigid in his discipline and at no time is his name found in court proceedings. Francis and Susanna appear to be the only members of the family who took an active part in the church work tho the others are known to have belonged to the order, and after the passing - of -Francis the name does not appear in these Meeting records from 1699 to 1782, no later search made. These Meeting records cover Cliffs, Joppa, Deer Creek, Patuxent and Herring Creeks, and West River.

He seems to have been a favorite son, or else was present when his father passed on and took possession of the greater portion of the lands.

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There. was .an estrangement between John and Francis from this date which does not appear to have been settled. In 1684 he appears in possession of "Selby Clifts," 200 acres, "Deer Quarter," 250 acres, and "Corne Hill," 350 acres.

He dated his will 7 Mar. 1692, died 10. 6mo. 1695 and was buried in Friends Burying ground at ye Clifts. His will probated 21 Jan. 1695. The following items are abstracted: .

Item: To William Richardson Sr. of West River, personality for Quakers on Western Shore.

Item: To three cousins, Thomas Billingsley, Sarah Roberts, and Mary Pollard, personality. (These are known to be children of Thomas Billingsley III, the uncle of this Francis and are cousins in fact.)

Item: To Thomas Sadler's three children, personality.

Item: Wife, Susanna and daughter Rebecca Birkhead, executors. Residue of entire estate, real and personal, to revert to daughter Sarah and heirs at death of wife aforesaid. In event daughter Sarah die without heirs, sd wife to have entire estate if she be living and at her death sd estate to be divided among cousins aforesaid, Thos. Billingsley, Sarah Roberts, and Mary Pollard, and the "eldest son of brother Edward."

In 1697 "Selby Clifts," 200 acres was owned by Susanna Billingsley, she sold it 16 Apr. 1717 to John Beckett. "Deer Quarter" was transferred to daughter Rebecca Birkhead at the time of her marriage, she sold this land to Eleazer Birkhead 15 May 1729. "Corne Hill," 350 acres was owned by Susanna from 1697 to about 1710 when she turned it over to daughter Rebecca and her husband who sold it 12 Oct. 1719 to John Mackall.

At a Meeting 10 mo. 1699 Robert Gover and Susanna Billingsley laid their intention of marriage first time; Richard Harrison and George Royston to make inquiry into their clearness from former marriage engagements and what she hath done for her children, etc. At a Meeting 2.12 mo. 1699 they laid their intention before the Meeting for second time (rest of page is missing). This marriage took place as later deeds and Rent Rolls show her as Susanna Billingsley also Gover, etc. She was living in 1717 Calvert Co., Md.

Children:

i Rebecca: b 23. 3 mo. 1677, m prior to 1692 Abraham Birkhead. She was living 1731. No record of children.

ii Sarah: b 168-. Living 1692 and evidently died young as Susanna turned over the land to Rebecca.

## VIII EDWARD (2) BILLINGSLEY

(Francis.) Born Calvert County, Maryland in 1658, moved to Richmond County, Virginia with his parents 1659, returned to Calvert County, Maryland with them. When his brother, John, moved to Calvert

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County, Maryland in 1675 he became associated with him in the operation of, his vessel and adopted a seafaring life. In 1684 he came into possession of a portion of his father's lands called "Selby Clifts," this tract originally contained 300 acres, by 1690 all of this tract was in possession of Francis Billingsley, his brother, with no deed to show how obtained. Edward appears to have devoted all his time and energy to the sea. He married prior to 1687 Anne born Maryland 16-. He had two-living sons in 1692 when his brother Francis made his will and makes provision that in case his daughters die without issue certain land is to go to "the eldest son of my brother, Edward." Edward died intestate in 1708 and left his widow in poor circumstances. She married (2) in 1709 Philemon Smith, he died Mar. 1712-13, dated his will 6 Mar. 1712-13 and it was probated 27 Mar. 1713, wife Anne named as executrix and sole legatee to all estate. No children by second marriage. She moved to Virginia with her son and was deceased before 1728.

Children:

i Francis (3) : b 1687.

ii Anne: b 1689, m Scott and moved to Cecil Co., Md.

iii James: b 1691, d 1698.

iv Edward: b 1693, d 1700.

v Agatha: b 1699, d 1704.

vi Susan: b 1703, m Garnet and moved to Virginia, no subsequent record.

## IX WILLIAM (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland October 1670. He moved to Virginia with his parents and then returned to Calvert County with them in 1675. He married prior to 1691 Clearanna Bowler, born Maryland 167-. She is believed to be a daughter of Valentine Bowler.

He was given 100 acres of land called "Addition," at the time of his marriage by his father and he disposed of the same before 1700 as Rent Rolls show it was possessed at that date by Benjamin Ball. In 1700 he is listed on a Rent Roll as possessing 100 acres of land part of a 350 acre tract surveyed for George Young in February 1680 at head of Bottle Creek. On 5 July 1704 136 acres of land were surveyed for William Billingsley and called "Billingsley's Swamp" on the North side. of Bottle Creek and adjoining land of John Wood. (*Lib. D5, fol.170.*) He acquired other holdings of land tho no deeds have been found concerning the same. In the will of Richard Johns of Calvert County probated 14 June 1717/18: item: to my grand son Richard, son of my deceased son Abraham, two tracts made over to the testator by William Billingsley, i.e., 136 acres called "Billingsley's Swamp," and 150 acres called "Friendship Rectified."

In 1700 William Creed and William Billingsley appraised the estate of John Carmody. (Test. Proc. xviiiB-47.) On 17 Sept. 1706 William

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Billingsley and William Williams, appraised and inventoried the estate of Andrew Graham. (Test Proc. xixC-81.)

He died intestate latter part of July 1716 and his estate administered 4 Aug. 1716 by Clearanna, his widow, with James Cobb and William Billingsley, Jr. as bondsmen for 100 pounds. On 10 Jan. 1716/17 is an - account and July 1717 is final account rendered by William Billingsley, Jr. Date of the death of Clearanna is not known tho the final return of administration returned by her son indicates she was deceased.

Children

i William (4) : b Nov. 1691.

ii Clearanna: b Jan. 1693, married 1709 Thomas Gilly. He dated his will 6 Dec. 1720 and it was probated 24 Jan. 1720/21 Calvert Co., Md.; leaves all estate to said wife and two sons & heirs, etc. Wife to have dwelling and plantation of 80 acres, in lieu of dower in' real estate. Wife and two sons residuary legatees of estate in England, etc. She was living 1734 and was witness to nuncupative will of Eleanor Bowen. They had:

1 Robert Gilly.

2 William Gilly.

iii Bowles (4) : b Dec. 1794.

iv Samuel (4) : b Jan. 1696.

#### X WALTER (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 2, Francis 1.*) , Born Calvert County, Maryland circa 1685. He followed a mariners life as soon as old enough. He married prior to 1706, Elizabeth. Family tradition states she was a Barbour, we have not been able to verify this statement, she was born in Maryland 168-. They resided in Calvert County, Maryland. On 25 March 1734 he was a witness to nuncupative will of Eleanor Bowen, with Clearanna Gilly. They testified that she died 19 Mar. 1734 and that they heard her say that William Winnall would take in his possession and care for all her children, and all her estate to keep and maintain her children until they came of age.

On or about 1736 they moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland where he engaged in farming but still maintained his interest and devoted time to business with his -vessel. He died about 1751/2 and she married (2) John Smiley and was deceased 1757-9. ,

Children:

i John: b 1706 Calvert Co., Md., married prior to 1730 Jane b. Md. 17- and settled in St. Mary's Co., Md.

He died about 1753. Jane survived him and dated her will

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31 Oct.- 1760: Requests to be- buried at All Faith Church. To son, Walter, the Foal that the Bay Mare is at present big with; To daughter, Susanna, the Bay Mare; To daughter, Lydia, the Gray horse; To daughter Anne, the sorrel Colt; to son, James, the Bay Colt; To daughter, Mary Davis the Best Cow I die possessed of, to be chosen by her. The rest of my Estate to be equally divided amongst my five children now living with me, viz.: Walter, Susanna, Lydia, Anne, and James.

Witnessed by Jo. Mudd & Thos. Hutchinson.

Probated 22 Nov. 1760 by Walter Billingsley sole executor.

They had:

1 Walter: b 173- St. Mary's Co., Md. Was executor to his mother's will in 1760. He moved to Harford Co., Md. about 1773 where he does not appear as a land owner but engaged in farming on leased land. He warned 26 Jan. 1783 Clemency Preston nee Bond, widow of James Preston who died prior to Aug. 1769, distribution of his estate shows there were grand children at that date. Clemency was some years senior to Walter. She dated her will 14 June 1794 and it was probated 2 Sept. 1794. Owing to some defect in probate record, it was not closed till Nov. 1800. Walter was a witness to this will and died before 1800. He left no children. The Preston children in evidence are herewith given to correct some marriage records prepared by the late Mrs. Hodges at Annapolis as her lists show most of these Preston women as Billingsleys.

a Bernard Preston living 1794.

b Sarah Preston m (1) McComas, (2) Smithson, (3) Thomas Anderson.

c Elizabeth Preston m Gilbert.

d James Preston.

e Ann Clemency Preston m after 1769 Stephen Prebble.

f Mary Preston m after 1769 Aquilla Scott.

g Martin Preston m after 1769, had living in 1794 Elizabeth, Clemency, James, Martha, Benjamin, and Scott Preston.

2 Mary: b 173-; m a Mr. Davis prior to 1760.

3 Susanna: b 174-.

4 Lydia: b 174-.

5 Anne: b 174-.

6 James: b ca 1751, d unmarried after 1760.

ii James (5) : b 1710.



iii Elizabeth: b 171-, died unmarried.

iv Walter (5) : b 1715/16.

v Ann: b 172-, said to have died unmarried in Pa. in 1770's.

vi Mary: b 172-, m John Williams, St. Mary's Co., Md., moved to Baltimore Co., Md. about 1760, then moved to York Co. Pa. in 1770's. They had several daughters.

#### 10 FRANCIS (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland 1687. He was named as provisional legatee in the will of his uncle Francis Billingsley in 1692. He did not succeed to any of the land as one of the daughters left heirs. He followed his father in adopting a mariners life in his early years. He married (1) prior to 1718 Susan (Young ?), born Calvert County, Maryland 169-.

About 1725 they moved to Stafford County, Virginia and located in the section that became Orange County about 1734, he engaged in farming and was residing there in 1737; there is recorded in an Order Book 1733-1739, fol. 53, a declaration on merchandise imported from England.

Susan died about 1737, he returned to Maryland and married (2) prior to 1740 Susan Allen, widow of John Allen, and daughter of Michael Tyms, born Maryland 17-. In a deed 10 Dec. 1799 Spotsylvania County, Virginia is agreement James Long and Zachariah Billingsley concerning estate of Betsey Billingsley, daughter of Zachariah, and wife of said Long; aid Betsey being heir at law of Michael Tyms, of Maryland, deceased. They resided in St. Mary's County, Maryland and both were deceased prior to 1770.

Children:

i William (4) : b 1718 Maryland.

ii Susan: b 172-.

iii Mary: b 1723, died 1725..

iv Catherine: b 1729, married 1758 Joseph Morton, of Maryland.

v Mary: b 173-.

vi Francis: b 1737 Va.; died infancy.

vii Allen (4) : b 1740 Maryland, 2d wife.

viii Zachariah (4) : b 1743/44.

#### XI WILLIAM (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland: November, 1691. He. married about 1716 Mary Sumner, born Calvert County, Maryland in 169-. There is a traditional record among the descendants of James Billingsley that Mary was a daughter of Major William. Dent, no evidence has been discovered to substantiate this claim and the William Dent records do not show that he had a daughter named Mary. Nathaniel Sumner, brother of Mary, appears to be asso-

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ciated with William Billingsley in some transactions. On 4 Aug. 1716 William Billingsley and James Cobb gave bond for 100 pounds for his mother as administrator to his father's estate, and in 1717 he exhibits a final account of this estate in place of his mother. (Test. Proc. xxiii, 68-78- r41.)

They moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland where he engaged in farming evidently using rented land as there does not appear any record showing he ever owned any real estate. The deed records of St. Mary's county were destroyed by fire many years ago and the above statement applies to records now on file at Annapolis.

In the inventory of the estate of his brother, Bowies, he signed it with Samuel Billingsley as "nearest of kin." He was a witness to will of Elizabeth Alburt 16 April 1739, said Elizabeth was a Bowies and connected with the family.

Mary died in December 1740 following the birth of Elizabeth. He dated his will 11 August 1745 and died before 16 Dec. 1745. The Rachel Billingsley who was a witness to this will is the widow of Bowies Billingsley, his brother.

### WILL OF WILLIAM BILLINGSLEY

In the Name of God Amen. I William Billingsley of St. Mary's County in the Province Maryland being of Perfect Memory thanks be to God for the same tho sick and weak in Body and not knowing how soon a Change may come, knowing we are all mortal I make this my Last Will & Testament revoking all others heretofore made in any kind whatsoever as followeth. First I give my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it to me and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried at the Discretion of my Executor hereafter named. First I desire that Funeral Charges and Just debts be Paid then the rest of my estate as followeth;

Item: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Wood one hogg about two years old.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ann Hardesty one Ewe and Lamb.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my son William Billingsley and my son James Billingsley my two negroes Sambo and Ben I also desire that my son William make his choice of them by Christmas after my Death I also desire that my son James have a Young Horse named Spark that I promised him for learning his Younger Brothers and Sisters to Read and that he comply with his .park. of the agreement

Item: I give and Bequeath unto my five Younger children, Margaret, Clare, Francis, Siare, and Elizabeth all the Rest of my Personal Estate to be equally divided amongst them or the survivors such as shall come to age to Receive the same and lastly I hereby ordain and appoint my son William Billingsley Executor of this my Last Will & Testament.

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In-witness whereof I-have hereunto set my hand and Seale this Eleventh Day of August Anno Dom. 1745.  
Signed sealed and delivered in Presence of us her Rachel R Billingsley mark his James Kuch  
This will was probated by William Billingsley. On 16 Dec. 1745 Rachel Billingsley and James Kuch testified as witnesses.

Children:

i Mary Sumner: b 1718, married John Wood prior to 1745, said to have had two daughters of whom no record.

ii William Sumner (5) : b 1720.

iii Ann: b 1723-24, married Henry Hardesty, Jr. prior to 1745. This family later moved to Baltimore Co., Md. and no further record of them. They are believed to have moved to Monongalia Co., Va. tho no definite facts on the matter.

iv James (5) : b Apr. 1726.

v Margaret: b 1728-29.

vi Clearanna: b 1732.

vii Francis (5) : b 1734-35.

viii Sias (5) : b 173?-38.

ix Elizabeth: b Dec. 1740.

## XII BOWLES (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland December 1694, moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland and married prior to 1723 Rachel Garden, born Maryland 17-, said to be a daughter of Clement Garden. He was a farmer and died in May 1744, his estate was administered by Rachel Billingsley, his widow. Inventory dated 4 June 1744 by Clement Garden and James Poulton, his brothers in law and it amounted to 117.55.0 pounds. This record was signed by Samuel and William Billingsley as "Nearest of Kin." On 2 Sept. 1746 Rachel made final return of account and distribution of the estate which netted 104.6.2 pounds as follows: one third to widow, residue to John, James, Clement, and Zachariah, and daughter Rachel all orphans of the deceased. (Accounts 23-1.)  
No data on death of Rachel. Resided St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Children:

i John (5) : b 1723.

ii James (5) : b 1727.

iii Clement (5) : b 1729

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iv Zachariah (5) : b 1734.

v Rachel: b 1738.

### XIII SAMUEL (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 3, John 2; .Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland January 1696, moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland with his brothers where he married prior to 1740 Mary ( ) Wilmouth, a widow, born 17-. She had a daughter at the time of this marriage. In the final settlement of estate of William Billingsley, Number 11, Samuel and Mary Billingsley signed as "Nearest of Kin," dated 4 June 1746. Mary was deceased before 3 March 1752, Samuel was a signer to the final settlement of estate of Bowles Billingsley, Number 12, as "Nearest of Kin." He died about 1751 and his estate administered by William S. Billingsley and Nathan T. Greenfield, final account and settlement 3 Mar. 1752, balance due according to Law to Martha, aged twelve years next June; Basil aged 10 years about June next; Walter, aged 8 years sometime in April; Mary, aged 6 years sometime in May next; and to Elizabeth Wilmouth, the 5<sup>th</sup> part of her mother's thirds, who was widow of the deceased, -sister by the mother's side to the foregoing children. (*Adm Accts. Lib. 32, fol. 101.*)

Children:

i Elizabeth Wilmouth: b 173-, step daughter.

ii Martha: b June 1740.

iii Basil (5) : b June 1742.

iv Walter (5) : b April 1744.

v Mary: b May 1746.

### XIV JAMES (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, .Maryland in 1710. He married prior to 1731 Elizabeth born Calvert County, Maryland in 1714. They moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland about 1734 and resided there to early in the year 1738 when they moved to Baltimore County, Maryland. He was deeded 16 April 1738 by William Demos 100 acres of land, a part of "Williams Lot," lying on the South side of Deer Creek between Stout Bottle Branch and Stirrups Run. (*Deeds HWS-JA-92.*) In 1753 he deeded to William Grafton 18 acres of land, a part of "Williams Lot." (*Deeds BBJ-199.*) In 1750 he was deeded by Thomas Miles 103 acres of land called "Miles Desire." (*TRD-* .In \_1.764. James and. Elizabeth deeded to . William Grafton 82 acres of land the rest of "Williams Lot." (*Deeds B #N-1 2.*)

There does not appear any disposition of the 103 acres of land by him, and it subsequently appears among the holdings of his eldest son.

They were both deceased prior to 1772 and are said to be buried on the plantation they sold to William Grafton, graves unmarked.

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Children:

i James (5) : b .1731.

ii Elizabeth: b 1734 St. Mary's Co., Md. moved to Baltimore Co., Md. with her parents 1738. She m 30 Oct. 1760 John Holmony and moved to Berkeley Co., Va. about the time her brother did, they later and about 1789-90 moved to Pa. No record of children.

iii Sarah: b 1737 St. Mary's Co., Md. m about 1753 William Grafton who was deeded the homestead by her parents in 1753-64. She died prior to 1790 leaving no children.

iv Charles (5) : b 1739 Baltimore Co., Md.

v Jane: b 174-, died small.

### XV WALTER (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland in 1715-16, moved to St. Mary's County, Maryland with his parents. In 1738 he- moved to Baltimore County, Maryland with his brother, James. On 6 August 1740 he was deeded by John Parker 100 acres of land called "Bond's Gift" in Baltimore County on North side of Little Falls of the Gunpowder River. (*Deeds HWS-JA-415.*) In 1743 he was deeded by Thomas Bond 95 acres of land a part of "Bond's Fortune." (*Deeds TBC-455.*) In 1747 he was deeded by Thomas Johnson 230 acres of land a part of "Bond's Lot." (*Deeds TBE-587.*) In 1763 he was deeded by John Love 15 acres of land part of "Lon Addition." (*Deeds B-L-26.x.*) In 1764-5 he was deeded by Thomas Johnson 5 acres of land a part of "Bond's Lot." (*Deeds BM-97.*) In 1742 he made a deed of gift to John Love, Ruth Love, and James Love. (*TB a C 5, 6, 7.*) In 1747 he deeded to Thomas Johnson 230 acres of land a part of "Bond's Lot." (*Deeds TB s E-590.*) In 1753 he deeded to John Love 95 acres of land "Bond's Fortune." (*Deeds BBJ-82.*) In 1763 he deeded to John Love 5314 acres of land a part of "Bond's Lot." (*Deeds B s L-,286.*) After 1773 he acquired considerable land recorded in Harford County but owing to. there being three of this name contemporary it is difficult to separate them.

He married 27 August 1742 Sarah (Bond) Love, widow of Robert Love, who had three. children at the time of this marriage. He dated his will 13 June 1803 and it was probated 28 October 1803. Wife, Sarah, one third of personality; grand sons; Walter Bull and Billingsley Bull; grand son, Elisha Bull; To my kinsman. Walter Billingsley, son of Walter Billingsley of Harford Co., plantation, "Bond's Gift," clock and still. In a codicil dated 4 Oct. 1803, daughter Sarah Bull, note on Buckler Bond for 30 pounds; grand daughter, Sarah Howard, note for 50 pounds; grand daughter, Rachel Bull, note for 50 pounds; personality in five parts

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equally-to wife, Sarah, Walter Bull, Sarah Howard, Rachel Bull, and Elisha Bull; John Moores and William McMath named as executors.

Signed Walter W Billingsley

Children:

i John Love: b 173- Step son.

ii Tamar Love: b 173- Step daughter.

iii Ruth Love: b 11 May 1739 posthumous, step daughter, she married (1) Jervis Gilbert, he died and she married (2) James Billingsley, No. 29, which see.

iv Sarah: b 1744, married 16 June 1761 William Bull. This William Bull had brothers: Jarrett who married and left a large family; Elisha of whom no record; a sister, Mary, who married Nathaniel Smithson and left a large family. William was deceased prior to 1803. Sarah was legatee to one third of personality in her father's will in 1803. She dated her will 30 Oct. 1803 and it was probated 2 July 1804, resided Harford Co., Md. They had:

1 Walter Bull: b 14 July 1762, m Sarah Billingslea, daughter of James Billingsley, No. 29, which see.

2 John Bull: b 27 Mar. 1767 not named in his mother's will.

3 William Billingsley Bull: b 5 Nov. or 20 Dec. 1769, both dates of record, probably died prior to 1779, not named in his mother's will.

4 Edward Bull: b 8 June 1772, not named in his mother's will.

5 Sarah Bull: b 29 Nov. 1776, m prior to 1803 a Mr. Howard, named in her mother's will for one fifth of the estate.

6 Billingslea Bull: b 14 May 1779, named in his mother's will for one fifth of estate, m. 17 May 1808 Catherine Ashton, is believed to have moved to Ohio.

7 Elisha Bull: b 9 Apr. 1781, m Mary Divers, b Md. ca 1798, he died in 1832, his estate administered by Mary Bull 15 May 1832. (*Inv. 2-336; Adm. Acct. 6-178.*) She m (2) prior to 1834 John Elisha Bull, son of Walter Bull and Sarah Billingslea, and a nephew of her first husband, for their children see No. 29. Resided Harford Co., Md. They had:

a Elizabeth Bull: b 1892, m Michael Pue or Pugh.

b Priscilla Bull: b 1822, m prior to 1844 Merryman Street, b Md. 1820, resided Harford, Co., Md. in 1850. They had:

bl Mary Street: b 1844.

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b2 Sarah Street: b 1848.

b3 Thomas Street: b Feb. 1850.

c Sarah Ann Bull: b 1824, m prior to 1850 Thomas Henry Street, b. Md. 1826, resided Harford Co., Md. in 1850.

d William Bull: b 182-, died infancy.

e Rachel Bull: b 182-, m John Baldwin.

f Mary Cassandra Bull: b 183-, m John A. Robb.

8 Rachel Bull: b 25 Oct. 1784, named in her mother's will for one fifth of the estate.

#### 16 WILLIAM (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1718 moved to Stafford and Orange Counties, Virginia with his parents and returned to St. Mary's County, Maryland with them where he married prior to 1740 Sarah(Bardel ?). They moved to Randolph County, North Carolina about 1753. He was a farmer and died 1769-70. Sarah survived him and died 1791-92 in Randolph County, North Carolina.

Children:

i Henry (5) : b Oct. 1740 Md.

ii Sarah: b 1749, died unmarried.

#### 17 ALLEN (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1740. He married prior to 1765 Elizabeth Broome, born Maryland 17-, daughter of John Broome and Dorcas Godsgrace. He was a planter. On 21 November 1796 he was deeded by Thomas and Mary Lipscomb of Spottsylvania County, Virginia 675 acres of land in said County, for 275 pounds., Tax Lists of this County show tax paid on this land to 1805 by Allen Billingsley, this represents both father and son. There does not appear any record of disposition of this land. Elizabeth died sometime prior to March 1800. He dated his will 24 March 1800 and it was probated 28 September 1800. (Wills JJ2-261.) Resided in St. Mary's County, .Maryland.

Children:

i Dorcas Dicandia: b. 1765, married 7 Jan. 1797, George Morton, of Charles Co., Md., both deceased before 1850. They had:

1 Allen Morton: b 180-, died unmarried.

2 Sarah Morton: b 180-, died unmarried.

3 Child, b 18-, died after a few days.

4 Julia Ann Morton: b 1810-11, m Joseph Turner.

ii Sarah: b 1767, m after 1810 Colonel Meads, died sine prole.

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iii Allen: b 1769;.-married. 5 Oct. 1796 Sarah G.-Latimer, b. Md. 17-. Resided St. Mary's Co., Md. He dated his will .10 May 1810 and died before July 1810, said will probated 11 July 1810. (Wills JJ3-219.) She survived him a few years and was deceased before 1820. They had:

1 Sarah: b 1798-99, died before 1810.

2 Chapman: b 1804, married :12 Dec. 1828 Lydia C. Barbour, b Md. 1809, resided St. Mary's Co., Md. He dated his will 10 July 1868. (Wills *JTM-RI-366.*) and died in 1875. Lydia dated her will 30 Apr. 1875 and died before 1880. (Wills JTM-RI--428.) No children of record. He served in State Legislature at one time.

iv Thomas (5) : b .1771.

#### 18 ZACHARIAH (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis i.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1743-44. He married prior. to ;1770 Elizabeth Ashcum, born Maryland 174-. On 1 August 1780 he purchased from William Dawson and wife 185 acres of land in Spotsylvania County, Virginia and removed to said county to establish his home. On-15 September 1786 he was a witness to a deed. On 15 October 1787 he -was deeded 200 acres of land for 150 pounds by Charles Pemberton and wife, and on 29 August 1791 he sold this land to William Duval for 150 pounds. On 13 April 1792 he was witness to a deed and on 2 January 1798 he emancipated a slave, Tom. 'He dated his will 23 February 1798 and makes.no mention of his wife and she was probably deceased prior to this date, he devises to son, John, land and plantation, etc. provided he shall pay to my daughter Elizabeth Long 100 pounds to be divided after her death among her children, the amount to remain in hands of John Billingsley as guardian, John Billingsley named as executor, witnessed by A. Willis, Charles Bennett, Lewis Jones, and John Stears. He is listed as a Tax payer from 1791 to 1801 on 185 acres of land. This will was probated 2 February 1802 and he probably died January 1802. All records referred to above in Spotsylvania Co., Va.

Children:

i John Ashcum (5) : b 24 April 1770.

ii Elizabeth: b 1775-76, . she m prior to .1794 James Long;in a deed 10 Dec. 1799 James Long and Zachariah Billingsley, whereas ad Long was made , guardian for ad Betsey whereby he became possessed of estate of sd Betsey for 280 pounds Maryland currency besides her slaves, etc.and sd Long . is desirous to secure sundry slaves in lieu of ad money .sd Betsey being heir of Michael Tyms of Maryland, decsd. etc. (*DeedsP*, 217.) It appears from



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the provision. in her father's will that there were children of whom we have no record.

#### 19 WILLIAM SUMNER (5) 13BILLINGSLEY

(*William 4, William 3, John Q, Francis I.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1720. He married prior to 1743 Nancy Freeman, bore Maryland 1726. He was legatee and executor to his father's will in 1745. Resided in St. Mary's County where he was a farmer and died intestate 1758-59. She married (2) circa 1763 James Colton : She died 1786. Resided. in, St. Mary's and Calvert Counties, Maryland.

Children:

i Nancy: b 1743, m 1763 James Shamwell.

ii William (6) : b Dec. 1746.

iii Mary: b 1.749: .

iv John: b 1.751, died 1763:

v Rachel: b 1753.

vi James (6) : b 25 Oct. 1755.

vii Nancy Colton: b 1765, 2d marriage.

viii James Colton: b 1768.

#### 20 JAMES (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 4., William 3, John Q; Francis I.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland. in 1726. He was legatee in his father's will in 1745. He married prior to 1747 Elizabeth Crabtree, born 1726 in Maryland. They moved to Baltimore County, Maryland about 1758 where they resided to about 1768 then moved to Guilford County, North Carolina. He appears to have owned considerable land but there does not appear any deeds to account for it. In 1771 he appears as a signer to a petition asking clemency for John Pugh and Thomas Welborn who appear to have been associated with the Insurrectionists. (N. C. Rec. Vol. ix, 26, 26, 29, 30.) When the Revolution began he became quite active in aiding the American cause, sent his sons into the service and incurred the enmity of the Tories of the vicinity in particular. He was continually harassed by them until the year 1776 when they invaded. his home and asked for money, on being told he had none they took him to a near by tree and hung him. This statement comes from his wife who made note of his death in the family bible, and as she lived to know many of her great grand children she often repeated the tragic death of her husband to them. One of these, the son of John Billingsley; Junior, heard the story, and it was also often repeated to him by his grand father and as he was a lad of some 15 years of age at the time of the death of his grand father he wrote all of it down at the time. Before his death he wrote out all that he had made note of into a complete record of the family for his children. James Billingsley was killed in April 1776. He dated his will 25 Jan.

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1776 and it was probated at the May Term of court 1776, an abstract follows:

Item: In consideration of my children that is in being already portioned, that is to say, James, Elizabeth, Claranna, Samuel, and John, to each 2 shillings and 6 pence.

Item: To son, William H., one bed & furniture to be recorded in with his equal part with the following children, to wit: Martha & Walter & Bazil.

Item: To Martha; my daughter, one bed & furniture, one Chist & one Cow to be in part her equal share in the list above mentioned.

Item: My two youngest sons, Walter & Bazil, plantation when they come of age, & that they share an equal part of the movable estate with others of my so last mentioned fore children.

Item: To my well beloved wife during her widowhood one bed & furniture, one horse, one mare, two Cows & calves & Plantation, and if a widow when my sons come of age for her to have her right in the land so long as a widow, this exclusive of her one third in movable estate, said wife to be executrix.

Item: To daughter Claranna, value of 3 pounds of estate exclusive of the above 2 shillings 6 pence.

This will witnessed by Teldeau Lane and William Hamer.

Elizabeth survived him many years, moved to Tennessee with her sons and resided many years with her son, John, in Warren County, Kentucky, about 1838 she made the trip to McMinn County, Tennessee to spend a while with her son, Walter, she did not long survive this trip and died early in 1839 aged 113 years. Walter was given the family Bible a part of the record he filed with his claim for a pension.

Children:

i Samuel (6) : b 1747 Md.

ii James (6) : b Oct. 1749 Md.

iii Elizabeth: b 1751-52 Md., m Teldeau Lane prior to 1776.

iv John (6) : b 17 Aug. 1754.

v Claranna: b 1756 Md., m prior to 1776 William Hammer. She died sine prole in 1781.

vi William Henry (6) : b 11 Oct. 1758 Baltimore Co., Md.

vii Martha: b 3 May 1760 Baltimore Co., Md., m 1783 William Hamer, his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife, she died Jan. 1786. They had:  
1 Barbara Hamer: b Dec. 1785, m James Billingsley, No.94, which see.

viii Walter (6) : b 14 July 1761 Baltimore Co., Md.

ix Bazil (6) : b 2 June 1764 Baltimore Co., Md.

### 21 FRANCIS (5) BILLINGSLEY

(William 4, William 3, John L, Francis 1.) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1734-35. He was legatee in his father's will in 1745. He

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and his brother; Sias, moved. to .Baltimore: County, .Maryland about 1758 where he was "Taxed as a Batchelor in 1760." He was a staunch Quaker and married 1763-64 Asenath Howell, born Baltimore County, Maryland 31 January 1748, see Howell Excursus. In 1763 he was deeded 148 acres of land by William Jones, a part of "Gillingham." (*Deeds BH-206.*) In 1778 he signed the Oath of Allegiance on Return of James McComas, Harford Co., Md. (*Mss Md. Rec. vol. iii, fol. 1Q.*) In 1780 Francis Billingsley was drafted to serve as a member of the Grand Jury of Harford County, he sacrificed his religious principles and accepted this duty to his County and Country. He was made Foreman and was the only member of this jury who was reappointed and served until 1783. On 3 September 1789 he deeded to Henry Ruff for 550 pounds two parcels of land "Gibson Park," 200 acres and "Paca's Search," 33 acres, both sold to said Billingsley by John Paca & lying in Winter's Run. (*Deeds K-368.*)

In the latter part of the year 1789 Francis moved to Wilkes County, Georgia following some of his sons and his son-in-law, Thomas Norris. He appears to have accumulated considerable land, built a house and a mill. There is recorded in Harford County, Maryland under date of 28 May 1793 a bond by Francis Billingsley, farmer, and Aquilla Hall, attorney at law, to Henry Ruff for 1000 pounds for sale of the above mentioned land. This bond made as Francis Billingsley did bind himself to Samuel Osborn, collector of Taxes, Harford County, as security for M. Mitchell, deputy collector of Taxes, etc., and did fail to pay same, it was put in suit but no judgment recorded; this bond to secure said Ruff from any judgment possible in this case. (*Lib. I-488.*)

On 15 March 1794 he was one of appraisers of estate of Charles McKnight.

On 23 June 1798 he was one of appraisers of estate of Jesse Walker.

Asenath was deceased before 22 December 1798 as Francis dated his will that date and she is not mentioned. He died before 4 January 1799. They are both buried on the plantation but graves are not marked.

#### WILL OF FRANCIS BILLINGSLEA

In the name of God Amen this twenty second day of December the year one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety Eight-I, Frances Billingslea Senior of the County of Wilkes and State of Georgia being in perfect mind and memory thanks be to the Almighty God therefore calling this to mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men to once to Die do make this my last Will and Testament that is to say

Principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul to God that gave it and my Body I Recommend to the Ground; to the Earth to be buried in a Decent Manner at the discretion of my Executors and Worldly

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Estate wherewith. it has pleased God to help me .in this life I give and, dispose of the same in. the following Manner

I then Will and bequeath to my son Samuel Bellingslea five hundred and six dollars all ready Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my daughter Sarah Norris three hundred Dollars all ready Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my son William Bellingslea three hundred and forty six Dollars all ready Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my son Walter Billingslea five hundred and sixty nine Dollars already Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my son Frances Belingsle two Hundred thirty Dollars all ready Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my son Cyrus Belingslea four hundred and Eighteen Dollars all ready Received

I then Will and Bequeath to my son James Billingslea seventy five Dollars, all ready and one Negro Wench named Rachel at the Price of three hundred and fifty Dollars and one Bed and furniture at the price of forty Dollars

I then Will and Bequeath to my son John Billingslea seventy five Dollars all ready Received one Bed and furniture at the Price of forty Dollars

I then Bequeath to my son John Billingslea Clint Billingslea two Negroes of the name of Esther and Pug and their increase if any at the price of seven hundred Dollars to be Equally divided when John Billingslea comes to twenty one years old.

I then Will and Bequeath to Clement Billingslea one Bed and furniture at the Price of forty Dollars one horse and saddle at the price of seventy five Dollars

I then Will and Bequeath to my Daughter Polly Billingslea one Negro Boy named Harry and one Negro girl named Aggy one mare a Sorrel and Saddle one Bed and furniture three large Silver Spoons and six Small ones one Silver Cream Jug all at the Price of six hundred and twenty three Dollars

I then Will and Bequeath to my son Howell Billingslea one Negro Boy named Samson one Negro Girl named Mile the Plantation where I now live and three hundred and thirty acres of land to laid off from Walter Billingslea line that next to the Mill pond and Running direct to Stroziers and then one horse and saddle worth Seventy-five Dollars to be give to him at Eighteen years old one Bed and furniture at forty Dollars the whole I leave to him at the Price of fifteen hundred Dollars & Six silver spoons the crockery ware and Tea Kettle

I then Will and Bequeath to my grand Daughter Anneth Norris three large silver spoons

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I then leave the mill and the land to be sold to make my children equal.

Frances Billingslea

Actor Nash

Cyrus Billingslea

I then leave Samuel Billingslea and James Billingslea Executors to my Estate.

STATE OF GEORGIA

Personally appeared before me Actor Nash Wilkes County and Cyrus Bellingslea the Witnesses to the above instrument of Writing and being duly sworn saith that he saw the above named Frances Billingslea sign seal publish and Declare the above Instrument of Writing & N.B. to be his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was of sound mind and memory and that Cyrus Bellingslea subscribed his name as & concurring Evidence to the same in his presence. Actor Nash Sworn to before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1799 Cyrus Bellingslea Sworn to the Will & N.B. this 8<sup>th</sup> of Jany 1799.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing is a true and correct Copy of the Will of Frances Billingslea as it appears in the Record of Wills 1792-1801-The spelling & punctuation according to record. This 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1923.

S. D. Fanning, Ordinary.

*(Book of Wills, 1792 to 1801, pages L01-X03.)*

On 5 March 1805 Samuel and James Billingslea made final returns on the estate of Francis Billingslea, Senior. In 1925 there was standing in Wilkes County, Georgia an old brick house on land once owned by Francis Billingslea and said to be a part of the original house he built. Prior to his moving to Georgia he used the spelling of Billingsley, his will is the first evidence of the changed spelling, most of his sons continued to use the spelling of Billingslea. The signing of the Oath of Allegiance and his service as Grand Juror of Harford County during the Revolution both actions causing for a sacrifice of his religious tenets is evidence of his patriotic loyalty to the American Cause and has been accepted- as such by the The National Societies of both the Children and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

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### Children:

i Samuel (6) : b 1765.

ii Sarah Ann (6) : b 1766-77.

iii William (6) : b 13 Mar. 1769.

iv Walter (6) : b April 1770.

v Francis J. (6) : b 28 Oct. 1774.

vi Cyrus (6) : b 1775-76.

vii James (6): b 23 Jan. 1778.

viii John (6) : b 1780.

ix Clinton: b 1782, died unmarried after 1798.

x Clement: b 1784. Was legatee in his father's will in 1798. He married 22 Dec. 1806 Wilkes Co., Ga. Patsey Wilkinson, b Ga. 17-. They moved to Baldwin Co., Ga. Where he died during the year 1808. On 25 Oct. 1808 Patsey receipted to Cyrus and James Billingslea for \$1,500 her part of estate of Clement Billingslea, decsd. She m (2) 10 Apr. 1810 Thomas Davis, Morgan Co., Ga., she was evidently decsd. about 1814 as sd. Davis was m 7 Jan. 1816 to Massie Thompson, she died 1817 and he m 20 Apr. 1818 Rachel Beelah. No Billingslea children of record.

xi Mary (6) : b 7 Nov. 1786.

xii Howell: b 1788, died unmarried.

### HOWELL EXCURSUS

The first mention of the name of Howell in the Province of Maryland occurs in Land Notes, 1634-1655; "Humphrey Howell demands 100 acres of land for transporting himself, dated 29 Oct. 1649." "Humphrey Howell, of St. Mary's County, 500 acres, he came in 1647," this grant is dated 1 Dec. 1649. His son: Thomas Howell, b 16- appears in a court record, Baltimore County, Maryland 20 July 1661. His first deed of land is for 275 acres conveyed by Henry Jones in 1669. His last deed is a conveyance of land dated 1682. He left no will, his wife's name is not of record and the only son of record is: Samuel Howell, b circa 1675. His first conveyance is a deed for land from Thomas Holly and Co., dated 1722. He is of record in deeds in Baltimore County until 1742. He left no will and the name of his wife is not of record. He served as Vestryman of St George's Parish in 1727: Land records show he had a son: Samuel Howell, Jr., born circa 1725. He is first individually of record in an agreement with Sarah Durbin in which he gives to said Sarah Durbin certain lands personal estate, etc. to be divided among their children, if any, etc., and in which said Sarah waives all rights to dower, etc. This agreement was signed 10 September 1746 and

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reads "before the celebration of marriage." Both were living in 1756. They had

i Asenath Howell: b 31 Jan. 1748, m Francis Billingsley, No. 21 which see.

ii Mordecai Howell: b 18 Jan. 1750.

iii Samuel Howell: b 11 Sept. 1753. (Was a Rev. Sol. Md.)

iv Avarilla Howell: b 1 Feb. 1756.

v Sarah Durbin was a daughter of John Durbin and Avarilla (Hollis ?). Sarah was born 35 Apr. 1728.

### 22 SIAS (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 4, William 3, John 2; Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland 1737-38. His name appears in various records as Siare, Syrus, Cyrus, and Silas. He migrated to Baltimore County, Maryland with his brother, Francis, about 1758. He married prior to 1762 Hannah Webster, born Maryland 174-. He was patented 207 acres of land 8 Apr. 1764 called "Sias Range" in Baltimore County. He was a member of Committee of Safety and Observation 1776-1777 of Harford County, Maryland. (Md. Arch. Mss.) On 6 August 1774 he deeded Joseph Stokes of Harford County 41 acres of a tract of land called "Sias Range," and granted to sd Sias Billingsley by patent 8 Apr. 1764, Hannah waived dower to this. (*Deeds 1-86.*) On 1 April 1789 he deeded to Henry Johns of Harford County 160 acres of land part of "Sias Range." This deed was not recorded and on 23 March 1825 a court decision was made accepting said deed as valid and clearing title to this land, etc., and recorded this date. Sias moved to Monongalia County, Virginia shortly after disposing of his land. There does not appear any deeds in this county showing he purchased land tho he was possessed of considerable number of acres as on June 1804 he deeded to his son, William, 180 acres. In May 1809 he deeded to his son, Francis, 154Y4 acres; in September 1809 he deeded to his son Cyrus, Jr. 110 acres; on 11 April 1814 he deeded to his son, Samuel 144 acres. He dated his will 29 December 1817 and died about December 1818 said will was probated January term of Court 1819. Wife, Hannah, one third of all movable property; sons, William, Samuel, and Francis five shillings each. Grandsons: Sias and Alexander Ewing, and grand daughter, Hannah Ewing Hamilton, one quarter of all movable property. Other three quarters equally to daughters Mary Webster, Margaret Morgan, and Alexanah Webster. To heirs & children of son, Sias, deceased, each 50 cents.

William and Francis named as executors. Witnessed by Thos. Lazell, Sr., Thos. Lazell, Jr., and George Smyth. There does not appear any record of the death of Hannah, she is not listed in 1820 census of this county.

Children:

i William (6) : b 29 Nov. 1762 Md.

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ii Hannah: b 1765 Md., m Alexander Ewing, she appears to be deceased in 1817. They had:

1 Sias Ewing.

2 Alexander Ewing.

3 Hannah Ewing m Hamilton prior to 1817.

iii Sias: b 1767 Md., m about 1809 Lena. They moved to Licking Co., Ohio. On 12 Sept. 1812 they deeded to John Dusenbery of Monongalia Co., Va. for \$400, 110 acres of land on Scott's Creek Mill Run. He was deceased before 29 Dec. 1817. No trace of his widow living in Licking Co., Ohio in 1820 and they apparently had no children as on 27 Feb. 1850 all living heirs of Sias Billingsley, Jr. deeded to Thos. Dazzell 41 1/2 acres of land for \$500, in Monongalia Co., Va. This appears to be his share of land left by his father. The heirs at law who signed this deed are his brothers children.

iv Mary: b Oct. 1771 Md., m Webster. There was a Samuel Webster b. Md. 1800 living in Marion. Co., VA. in 1850 who may be her son.

v Margaret: b 1773 Md., m Morgan.

vi Alezannah: b 1.775 Md., m Webster.

vii Samuel (6) : b 10 Jan. 1778 Md.

viii Francis (6) : b 16 May 1781 Md.

## 23 JOHN (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1723 named in the settlement of his father's estate. He married prior to 1752 Anna Boulton, born St. Mary's County, Maryland 173-, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Boulton of St. Mary's County. Thomas Boulton's will was probated 13 June 1745, names wife, Elizabeth; sons, John, Thomas, and Kenholm; daughter Anna Boulton; daughter Susan Hobb; grand children, Joshua Watts, Kenolm & Elizabeth Boulton, the children of Ken. Boulton. (*Lib. DD, ,216.*)

They moved to Charles County, Maryland where he evidently owned land but no deeds recorded of the same. He dated his will 8 Feb. 1785, Anna was deceased before Feb. 1785 as she is not mentioned, will probated 9 Apr. 1785. He devises to son, Hezekiah, 178 acres of land, called "Whitsen Maundy;" to son, John, 15 acres of land where he now lives; all remaining lands to sons, James & Clement, provided they furnish house & home for daughter Mary McGruder and grand son Alexander McGruder. (*Lib AH9, 28.*)

Children:

i Anna: b 1752, died small.

ii Elizabeth: b 1754, died 1761-62.

iii John (6) : b 1756.



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iv Hezekiah (6): b 1758.

v James: b Oct. 1759 St. Mary's Co., Md., moved to Charles Co., Md. with his-parents. He served as Pvt. Capt. John Thomas Co., Charles Co. Militia 1778. (Md. *Rec. Mss.*) Was joint legatee with his brother Clement to land in 1785. He moved to Fauquier Co., Va. with his brother, Clement, about 1791 and married there 20 Oct. 1791 Nancy Ann Moorehead. He was party to joint deed with his brother, Clement, in disposing of land in Charles Co., Md. to John Billingsley, Jr. 25 Feb. 1793. He was administrator to estate of Clement Billingsley in 1796. and died Nov. 1800, his estate was administered by Richard Rixey and settlement made widow for 16-0-4 pounds on 24 Feb. 1803. She m (2) 9 Feb. 1814 Elias Dearing. He dated his .will 18 May 1825 and it was probated 23 Oct. 1826, wife to have all estate, if she remarry to get one half only. No children by either marriage of record.

vi Clement (6) : b 1761.

vii Mary: b 176-, m 178- Nathaniel McGruder. She is named in her father's will 1785 and appears to be a widow. They had:

1 Alexander McGruder: b ante 1785.

### 24 JAMES (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*Bowles 4, William 3, John, Q, Francis i.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1727. A tradition in the family of one son claims an additional name of Palter authentic records extant show use of James only. He migrated to Stafford County, Virginia about 1750 and married prior to 1753 Nancy Reeves, born Virginia 173-. An old index to Stafford County records contains some items concerning this family, the books in which the records were made are not extant, the name does not appear in the new general index.

There was a lease and release to James Billingsley from one Fitzhugh 1780-89. (*Lib. T, 432:*) He appears to have been a prosperous farmer. From some of the family records we learn that Nancy died about 1807. In Liber C C, fol. 213, 1817-1819, missing, was recorded-the will of James Billingsley and he probably died in 1818.

Children: (known)

i Clement (6) : b 1753 Va.

ii Nancy: b 175-, said to have married a Carson and died sine prole.

iii James (6) : b 1756.

iv Susannah: b 176-.

v Rebecca: b 176-, married Chadwell, died Stafford Co., Va.

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25 CLEMENT (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*Bowles 4; William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1729. He married May 1750 Mary Martin, born Maryland in 1730. He was a farmer and resided in St. Mary's County, Maryland where he died in testate 1761-62 said to have been injured by a falling - tree while clearing ground. She married (2) in 1770 John Stedman, born Maryland, 172-, his second wife, he had one son at the time of this marriage. They migrated to North Carolina and settled in Anson County about 1775 where she died in the 1780's, he survived her a few years and died about 1792. No children by this second marriage.

Children:

i Sias (6) : b 14 July 1751.

ii John (6) : b 1756.

iii Rachel: b 1758, died small.

iv Mary: b 1760 St. Mary's Co., Md., moved to Anson Co., N. C. with her mother and step father. She married about 1789 Edward Stedman, b. Md. 1756, son of John Stedman and his first wife. They moved to Union Dist., S. C. and about 1810 moved to Chester Dist., S. C. where she died about 1832. He was deceased before 1840. She reared the two children of her brother, John. They had eleven children, the three youngest died in infancy. They had:  
1 Christina Stedman: b 1791 Union Dist., S. C., m about 1813 Jesse Langston, b S. C. 1789. See Caleb Langston Excursus. They moved to Howard Co., Mo., where they resided a few years then moved to Izard Co., Ark., where he died about 1837, she survived him and was living in 1850. They had:

a John Langston: b 1815 Mo., m prior to 1838 Belinda b Ark. 1820, resided Izard Co., Ark. They had:

al Elizabeth Langston: b 1838.

a2 Christina Langston: b 1841.

a3 Sarah Langston: b 1846.

a4 Mary Langston: b 1848.

b Christina Langston: b 1818 Mo., m after 1840 Thomas West, resided Ark. No children of record.

c James H. Langston: b 1820 Ark., m prior to 1843 Clarrissa , b Ark. 1823, resided Izard Co., Ark. They had, known:

c1 Julia Langston: b 1843.

c2 Mary Langston. b 1847.

d Jesse Langston: b 1822 Ark., m prior to 1841 Mildred b Ark. 1822, he died about 1848, she survived him and resided Izard Co., Ark. in 1850.

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They had:

d1 Phebe Langston: b 1841.

d2 Peggy Langston: b 1843.

d3 Polly Langston: b 1845.

e Jehorada Langston: b Oct. 1823 Ark., m prior to 1843, she died in 1843, he m (2) Martha and moved to Mo. in 1860's. They had known:

el Caleb Langston: b 1843, m prior to 1870 Mary b Ark. 1845, resided Clarke Co., Ark. No record of his children.

f Mary Langston: b 1825 Ark., m prior to 1850 John Sims, and moved to Texas.

g Elizabeth Langston: b 1828, died unmarried after 1850.

h Sarah Langston: b 1830 Ark., died small.

2 Edward Stedman: b 1793, moved to Ark. and said to have left children.

3 John Stedman: b 1795, moved to Spartanburg Dist., S. C. where he m prior to 1821 Polly, b N. C. in 1795, both living in 1850. They had:

a Priscilla Stedman: b 1821.

b Albert Stedman: b 1823, m prior to 1847 Elizabeth b S. C. 1824, resided Spartanburg Dist., S. C. They had, known:

b1 Percy Stedman: b 1847.

b2 Polly Stedman: b 1848.

b3 James Stedman: b 1849.

4 James Stedman: b 1797, moved to Ark. and died unmarried.

5 Mary Stedman: b 1801 S. C., m (1) prior to 1838 Francis Whalen, he died and she m (2) Edward W. Musgrove, a Baptist minister, and moved to Gwinnett Co., Ga., both were living in 1850. No children by 2d marriage. They had:

a Francis Whalen: b 1838 S. C.

6 William Stedman: b 1803, died 1824-25.

7 Sias Stedman: b 1805, m Mary Markham, moved to Ga. and said to have left several daughters. No information as to names or in what county they resided.

8 Jane Stedman: b 1808 S. C. She married about 1830 William Berry, b S. C: 1802, they moved to Gwinnett Co., Ga. about 1845, both living in 1850. They had known:

a Richard Berry: b 1832.

b Mary Jane Berry: b 1834.

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c James Berry: b 1842.  
d Emaline Berry: 6 1844.

### CALEB LANGSTON EXCURSUS

During our searches concerning the Billingsley-Langston connections it was discovered that while the Langston families are quite numerous there is practically nothing available for reference concerning any of them. Certain facts have been discovered which are deemed too valuable to be discarded and hence the following notes and the above holds good for the John Langston Excursus following No. 160. There does not appear any relationship in the two families tho both married into the Billingsley family.

The head of this family appears to have been Absalom Langston who was granted 450 acres of land Craven County, South Carolina 21 February 1772 on Dutchman's Creek. He died about 1785 and his wife, Christina, administered on his estate 22 Sept. 1785 in Newberry District, South Carolina. The only sons known are:

### I CALEB (2) LANGSTON

Born circa 1746-7, he married prior to 1768 Elizabeth, born 17-. He dated his will 27 March 1800 and it was probated 24 June 1800 in Union District, South Carolina, Elizabeth, his wife, and son, Nathan, named as executors. Children:

i Nathan: b ca 1768. Hem prior to 1789 Catherine, daughter of William and Ann Smith, she was b ca 177-. He was one of the executors to his father's will 24 June 1800. Sold land to Thomas B. Hunt, 22 Nov. 1802, (*Deeds C 402*), and on same date sold 175 acres to Reuben G. Sanders. (*Deeds H-64.*) On 26 Oct. 1796 he and his wife quit claimed rights in will of William Smith to Ann Smith. (*Deeds I-15.*) They moved to Spartanburg District, S. C. where he dated his will 31 May :1832 and it was probated 15 Feb. 1834, Catherine survived him, John Bearden, a nephew, was executor; on 28 Feb. 1834 said executor paid to Absalom Langston and Archibald Stone \$90 for one year's maintenance of Catherine Langston, wife of Nathan Langston, decsd. They had:

1 William: b ca ,1789, moved to Tenn. and m (1) prior to 1815, Martha she died 1821 and he m (2) Tabitha, b Tenn. 1808. They moved to Marshall Co., Miss. about 1838 where he engaged in farming and died 1846-47, she survived him and died in the 1860's. They had:

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a Caleb: b 1815, m 1838 Mary , he died in 1840 leaving a daughter, Mary. His widow m (2)

b Nathan: .b 1818 Tenn. Living in 1840 migrated to Ark.

c Martha: b 1821.

d Willis C.: b 1825 Tenn., 2d wife, m prior to 1850 Martha , b Tenn. 1828, resided DeSoto Co., Miss. to 1870 then moved to Ark. They had:

dl George Washington: b 1850.

d2 Lucy A.: b 1852.

d3 Sarah J.: b 1854.

d4 William: b 1856.

d5 Mary J.: b 1857.

d6 Benjamin F.: b 1859.

d7 John W.: b 1862.

d8 Willis C., Jr.: b 1864.

d9 Elizabeth: b 1867.

d10 Catherine: b 1867, a twin.

e Nancy: b 1828.

f Mary E.: b 1830, m Quigley Jolly in Miss.

g James P.: b 1835, m 1869 Sarah K, b Ala. 1834.

h William G.: b 1837, m 1870 Amanda J. (-) Symon, widow, b Tenn. 1831 who had a son Edward, b 1853, at the time of this marriage, resided Marshall Co., Miss. in 1880. They had, known:

hl Robert Lee: b 1872.

h2 Odella: b 1878.

i Lydia: b 1840 Miss.

j Thomas: b 1843.

k Isaac H.: b 1846.

2 Sarah: b 179-, she m a Mr. Bennett, had a son Langston Bennett, b 1817 who was living in Lawrence Co., Miss., in 1850.

3 Nancy: b 179-, m a Mr. Bearden, had a son John Bearden, b ca 1810.

4 Elizabeth: b 17-, m (1) Chaney, (2) Stone.

5 John: b ca 1798.

6 Jacob: b 18-.

7 Mary: b 18-, m Stone.

8 Martha: b 18-, m Yarborough.

ii Samuel: b ca 1770, m prior to 1791, moved to Izard Co., Ark. in 1820's where she died prior to 1830, he was living with his son, Nathan, until his death in the 1840's over 70 years of age. They had, known:

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1 Nathan: b 1791 S. C., m prior to 1832 Susan , b. Tenn. 1806, resided Izard Co., Ark. They had:

- a Sarah: b 1832.
- b Patsey: b 1835. Twins.
- c Martha: b 1835.
- d James: b 1837.
- e Jeharada: b 1838.
- f Nathaniel: b 1839.
- g Absalom: b 1840.
- h Hiley Jane: b 1842. Twins.
- i Mary Ann: b 1842.

2 Martha: b 179-, m a Mr. Hightower, had 4 children living in 1850.

3 Hiram: b 1795 S. C., migrated to Tenn. from Ark. where he m prior to 1826 Eleanor , b Tenn. 1806, moved to Ill. about 1830, then to Izard Co., Ark. about 1834, then to Mo. in 1840 and then to Rusk Co., Tex. in 1844, both living in 1850. They had, known:

- a Delilah: b 1826 Tenn.
- b Martha: b 1830 Ill.
- c Jesse: b 1833 Ill.
- d Elizabeth: b 1835 Ark.
- e James: b 1841 Mo.
- f Mary: b 1844 Mo.
- g Andrew S.: b 1845 Tex.
- h Leletha: b 1848.
- i Emaline: b Sept. 1849.

iii Sarah: b 177-, m a Mr. George, she was living 1800 and a witness to her father's will.

iv Mary: b 177-, m Thomas B. Hunt, was a witness to her father's will in 1800, living in 1802 Union Dist., S. C.

v John: b 1781 S. C., m prior to 1802 Nancy, b S. C. in 178-, they moved to Izard Co., Ark. prior to 1830 where he died before 1840 and she was deceased before 1850. They had, known:

1 Caleb: b 1802 S. C., m prior to 1830 Martha Ragsdale, b Ky. 1802, he died in 1840's, she was living in 1850, resided Izard Co., Ark. They had:

- a Miles M.: b 1830.
- b William J.: b 1832.
- c Hiley: b 1834.
- d Ann: b 1838.
- e Peyton: b 1840.

2 John: b 183-.

3 Jesse: b 183-.

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vi Absalom: b Oct. 1786 S. C., he m. prior to 1813, Dorcas b S. C. 1787, moved to Mo. and then-to Izard Co., Ark., both living in 1850. They had 10 children, 6 daughters and 4 sons, known are:

1 Dorcas: b 1813 S. C., m Jacob Rhodes, had 2 children.

2 John: b. 1820 Ark., m 1840 Rebecca, b. Tenn. 1822, resided Izard Co., Ark. They had

a Polly: b 1841.

b Martha: b 1843.

c Phebe: b 1844.

d Catherine: b 1846.

e Mary J.: b 1848.

f Elender: b 1849.

3 Absalom: b 1827 Ark., m 1850 Nancy, b. Ark. 1828.

4 Lucinda: b 1829-30.

5 Jane: b 1835.

vii Jesse: b 1789 Union Dist., S. C., m Christina Stedman, for their children see No. 25.

viii Christina: b 179-. Was living 1800.

## II DANIEL (2) LANGSTON

Born South Carolina circa 1765, he married prior to 1788 Martha, born South Carolina circa 1770, resided Union District, South Carolina where he died in August 1822. In Equity Liber U14 fol. 307 in Union Co., S. C. is record of sale of land 13 September 1847 by William Langston from the estate of Daniel Langston, etc. Martha was living in 1840. Order of children not known.

Children:

i Rebecca: b 178-.

ii Delilah: b ca 1789.

iii Isaac: b 179-, m prior to 1820, had three children living at that date, removed from Union Dist., S. C.

iv Mary: b 1-, married Eubanks.

v Rhoda: b 1-, married Chandler.

vi Sarah: b 1-, married Cordey.

vii Patsey: b 1-, married Clark.

viii Absalom: b ca 1801, m prior to 1826 Araminta Starnes, b S. C. in 1805. He died in Nov. 1845, she administered the estate 24 Jan. 1846 with Richard Starnes, she moved to Lee Co., Ark., with her son, LeRoy, where she died in 1887. They had 10 children, known are:

1 William: b 1826 S. C., m 1849 Martha (Calhoun ?), b S. C. 1829, he died in 1854, estate administered 4 Sept. 1854. Martha m (2) William Malone

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and new bonds for administration of. the estate were made 6 Mar. 1855. They had:

a Martha Calhoun: b June 1850.

b Theodora A.: b 185-.

2 Eliza: b 1829.

3 Laura: b 1833.

4 LeRoy: b 1835, m 1858-59 Preshia Prince, b S. C. 183-, moved to Lee Co., Ark. about 187-, where he died about 1881. The only child known is Thomas C.: b 1860 S. C., moved to Ark. with his parents and m. Was living in 1931 and resided Aubrey, Ark. He is the father of M. P. Langston. No further information obtainable.

5 Nathan: b 1837, living 1850.

6 Julia: b 1838.

7 John: b 1840, m Sarah Bennett, he died 1898, and she died 1924, residence not stated.

8 Sarah: b 1842.

ix William: b 181-. Living in 1847 Union Dist., S,



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ber 1792 Ruth had a grant of land-of .136 acres on East side of Abbott's Creek (80-1,20 Land Grants.) She died in 1798. On 3 August 1799 Samuel, Mary, - Charlotte, Bazzel, and Sarah Billingsley, James Hopkins, James Welbourn, and Hugh Craigg, all natural heirs of estate of Ruth Billingsley, deceased, all of Rowan County deeded to John Cragg for 137 pounds 136 acres of land on East side of Abbott's Creek. (*Deeds Lib. 19*, fol. 366.) This is the parcel of land granted to Ruth in 1792.

Children:

i Samuel (6) : b Jan. 1768 Md.

ii Martha: b May 1769 Baltimore Co., Md. She m., prior to 1790, James Welburn and died in 1793 following birth of her only child. James Welburn signed a quit claim deed Aug. 1799 for her share in estate of her mother. He moved to Tenn. with other members of the family about 1807. They had:

1 Ruth Welborn: b 1793 N. C. After the death of her father she was reared in the home of her aunt, Elizabeth Hopkins. She married when about 16 years of age a Mr. Powell and moved to Ky. No subsequent record.

iii Ruth: b 10 Aug. 1771 Baltimore Co., Md. She married 1792 Hugh Craig, b N. C. 1767. She died 1798. He signed a quit claim deed Aug. 1799 as heir to estate of Ruth Billingsley. He married (2) Mary, sister of Ruth, which see. Ruth's children were:

1 Mary Frances Craig: b 1793 N. C. She m in Tenn., Perry Richerson, b N. C. 1785. Res. Wilson Co., Tenn. Both living in 1850. They had:

a Martha Richerson: b 1829.

b James Richerson: b 1832.

c Perry Turner Richerson: b 1834.

2 Ruth Craig: b 1798, d inf.

iv Charlotte: g Apr. 1773 Md., died 1820's in Tenn., unmarried.

v Elizabeth (6) : b Oct. 1775 Md.

vi Basil (6) : b 8 Nov. 1777 Md.

vii Mary: b Feb. 1780 Baltimore Co., Md. She married 8 Dec. 1799 Hugh Craig of Rowan Co., N. C., his 2d wife, and her brother in law. They moved to Tenn. with other members of the family and later moved to Johnson Co., Ill. about 1820. She d 1831-33 and he d 1843-45. They had:

1 Ruth -Craig: 'b 1800 N. C.; m John Morgan 1819 and died 1820, no children.

2 Mary Craig: b 1803 N. C., m John Prince, b S. C. 1770, his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife. Res. Smith Co., Tenn. to 1845 then moved to Johnson Co., Ill., both living in 1850. They had five children three died in infancy.

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a Lovina Prince: b 1842 Tenn.

b Cornelia Prince: b 1844 Tenn.

3 Elizabeth Craig: b Oct. 1808 Wilson Co., Tenn. She m 1826 George Henson, b Tenn. 1796, moved to Ky. for some years then settled in Johnson Co., Ill. both living in 1850. They had: a Frederick Henson: b 1828 Tenn. b Elizabeth Henson : b 1832, d inf.

4 Hugh Smith Craig: b Sept. 1811 Tenn. Moved to Johnson Co., Ill. with his parents. He m prior to 1832 Sarah , b Tenn. 1813. He was a farmer, both living in 1870, res. Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

a Martha Craig: b 1832.

b Sarah Craig: b 1837.

c Sciotha Craig: b 1839.

d Susannah Craig: b 1840.

e John Craig: b 1841, m prior to 1865 Jane, b Ill. 1843. Res. Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

el Sarah Craig: b 1865.

e2 Mary Craig: b 1866.

e3 Annie Craig: b 1869.

f Louisa Jane Craig: b 1843.

g William J. Craig: b 1845.

h Hugh N. Craig: b 1851.

5 Catherine Craig: b 1813 Tenn. She m prior to 1834 David Upchurch, b Tenn. 1812. He died 1855, she was living in 1870, res. Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

a James Upchurch: b 1834.

b Caroline Upchurch: b 1836.

c David Upchurch: b 1838, m 1857 Frances Pernicia b Ky. 1841, res. Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

cl Sarah Upchurch: b 1858.

c2 Edna Upchurch: b 1860, d 1864.

c3 John Upchurch: b 1864.

c4 Charles Upchurch: b 1867.

c5 Lucinda J. Upchurch: b Feb. 1870.

d Mary J. Upchurch: b 1840.

e John Upchurch: b 1843.

f Stephen Upchurch: b 1845.

g Patsey Upchurch: b 1846, d 1854.

h Arminta Upchurch: b 1848.

i Ira Upchurch: b 1849.

j Melvina Upchurch: b 1853.

viii Sarah: b Dec. 1783 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Rowan Co., N. C. with her parents where she m. 26 May 1803

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Crozier Craig, b N. C. 178-. They moved to Wilson Co., Tenn. with others of the family and about 1821 moved to Johnson Co., Ill. She died 1839 and he died about 1842. They had:

1 Lucinda Craig: b 1805 Tenn., d unm. in Ill.

2 Nancy Craig: b 1807 Tenn., m 1829 Claiborne Cavett, b. 1807 Wilson Co., Tenn. They moved to Ky. For some years then moved to Johnson Co., Ill. in 1847, both living in 1850. They had:

a James F. Cavett: b 1831.

b George W. Cavett: b 1833 Ky.

c John W. Cavett: b 1840.

d Thomas M. Cavett : b 1842.

e Polly Cavett : b 1848 Ill.

3 Elizabeth Ruth Craig: b 1810 Tenn. She m 1829 William Perry, b Tenn. 1805, res. Wilson Co., Tenn. moved to Johnson Co., Ill. in 1833 where he d 1847-48, she survived him and was living in 1870. They had:

a Malissa Perry: b 1830 Tenn., d unm in Ill.

b William Perry: b 1832 Tenn., d small.

c Crozier Perry: b' 1834 Ill., m 1858 Abigail, b Tenn. 1836. They had

cl William Thomas Perry: b 1859.

d Ruth Perry: b 1837 Ill., m Josiah Lundyville, had a son, Josiah.

e Nancy Perry: b 1841 Ill.

4 Martha Craig: b 1814 Tenn., m prior to 1834 John Colbath, b Tenn. 1798. Res. Johnson Col, Ill. They had:

a George W. Colbath : b 1834.

b Cynthia Colbath: b 1835.

c Susan Colbath: b 1839.

d Francis M. Colbath : b 1845.

e Martha A. Colbath: b 1848.

f William R. Colbath : b 1849.

5 Matilda Craig: b 1816 Tenn., m 1835 William D. Smith, b N. C. 1808, res. Johnson Co., Ill. in 1850, moved to Mo. They had, known:

a Mary A. Smith: b 1836.

b Warrenton Smith: b 1837.

c Albert Smith: b 1841.

d Cecelia Smith: b 1844.

e Wilford Smith: b 1847.

f Caroline Smith: b 1848.

g William R. Smith: b Jan. 1850.

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6 Malinda Craig: b 1818, m John C. Harrell, said to have had 12-children and resided in Ill. county not stated.

7 Harvey Crozier Craig: b 1822 Ill. He m prior to 1842 Sarah , b Tenn. 1825, she d 1844 and he m (2) Elizabeth Jane , b Tenn. 1832, he was a farmer res. Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

a Leander D. Craig: b 1842.

b Carrol C. Craig: b 1844, m 1864 Ann , b Tenn. 1848, res. Johnson Co., Ill.. They had:

b1 Harvey C. Craig: b 1865.

b2 Jane Craig: b 1867.

b3 Sarah Craig: b Mar. 1870.

c Margaret Craig: b 1848 2d wife.

d Elizabeth C. Craig: b 1850.

8 Leander Daniel Craig: b 1826-27 Ill., m prior to 1854 Hilery , b Tenn. 1830. He d 1864-65, she was living 1870, Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

a Mary Missouri Craig: b 1856.

b William John Craig: b 1857.

c Leander D. Craig: b 1860.

d Harvey C. Craig: b 1862.

#### 28 WALTER (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland April 1744. Moved to Baltimore (now Harford) County, Maryland with his brother. He married 13 February 1772 Ruth Clarke, born Maryland in 17-. He was deeded land by George Rigdon in 177273. (*Deeds Lib. 1, fol. 13.*) In 1783 he was deeded land by Peter Patee. (*Deeds Lib. A, fol. 142.*) These are the only deeds that can be definitely assigned to this Walter as there were two others of the name contemporary in this county. He served as Private and 1<sup>st</sup> Corporal, Captain John Love's Company, Harford County Militia 1775, signed the Oath of Allegiance in 1778 on Return of John Love, Harford County, Maryland. (*Mss Md. Rec.*)

He dated his will 20 February 1805 and it was probated 6 March 1805, names wife, Ruth, and five children; Robert Bryarly and son Barzillai, named as executors; witnessed by John Clendinen, A. Clendinen, and David Street.

December 9<sup>th</sup> 1811. Indenture between James Billingsley, Mary Billingsley, who intermarried with John Williams, John Williams, the husband of Mary Billingsley, Walter Billingsley, Samuel Billingsley, and Barzila Billingsley all the heirs of Walter Billingsley, deceased, who was Son of Samuel Billingsley, and Ruth Billingsley wife and Relict of the said Walter Billingsley deceased, as aforesaid, all of Harford County, Md., except James Billingsley who lives in Baltimore County, and Samuel

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Billingsley who lives in Baltimore County, of the one part, and. David Street of Harford County of the other part. The Billingsleys all heirs of Walter Billingsley of Harford County, deceased, together with Ruth Billingsley the wife and Relict of the said Billingsley, deceased, for the sum of \$800 sell to David Street all that part of a tract of land lying in Harford County called "Barns Last Shift," containing 125 acres. This deed was signed by

James Billingsley Samuel Billingsley

Mary Williams

Barzilia Billingsley

John Williams

Ruth Billingsley

Walter Billingsley

(*Deeds Lib. HD No. W, fol. 861.*)

No data concerning the death of Ruth, she is not listed in the census of 1820.

Children:

i James (6) : b 1775-6.

ii Mary: b 177-, m after 1805 and prior to 1811 John Williams, of Harford Co., Md. She was party to a deed conveying land to David Street in 1811.

iii Walter (6) : b 1780.

iv Samuel (6) : b 20 Aug. 1784.

v Barzillai (6) : b 1790.

#### 29 JAMES (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 4, Walter 3, John 1, Francis i.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland in 1731, moved to St. Mary's County and to Baltimore County, Maryland with his parents about 1738. On 29 April 1752 he was deeded by Francis Jenkins 100 acres of land, part of "Jenkins Range" in Baltimore County (This portion of Baltimore County became Harford County in 1773), on North side of Deer Creek. Here he established a home and kept "Batchelor's Hall" for many years as shown by Tax Lists.

Much of the information on this branch of the family has been obtained, and verified, from notes of the late John Milton Reifsnider, of Westminster, Maryland who spent some years collecting data on this particular branch. He states that prior to 1890 he obtained information from Miss Eliza Billingslea, of Harford County then 84 years old, and wonderfully well informed about the family of this James Billingsley, and that much of her information was subsequently proven by various records of the county. These notes cover the period to 1915 only.

James Billingsley married 16 June 1767 Ruth Gilbert, widow of Jervis Gilbert-born 11 May 1739; and a daughter of Robert Love and Sarah Bond, posthumous, and a step daughter of Walter Billingsley who married Sarah Love. See Number 15, she had a son at the time of this marriage. In addition to his original plantation he came into possession after the death of his father of the 103 acres of land purchased in 1750. He appears to have been a prosperous planter. He dated his will 1772

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and died during the month of August 1772.. In this will is the first spelling of the name as "Billingslea." It is quite a lengthy and explicit document and is recorded in *Lib. 8*, fol. 198; Baltimore, Maryland.

Ruth survived him many years, dated her will 13 December 1810, died 29 January 1816 and this will probated 27 February 1816, James and William Billingslea named as executors. In this will she names her four children and a-grand daughter, Ruth Bull. She is buried at Abingdon, Maryland in the rear of the church now standing on the site (1783) of "Cokesbury College." Her grave is marked with-a stone in good state of preservation, but the grave of James Billingslea if in this lot is unmarked.

Children:

i Jervis Gilbert: b 176- Step son.

ii James (6) : b 1 May 1768.

iii Sarah (6) : b 12 Jan. 1770.

iv William (6) : b 5 Feb. 1772.

#### 30 CHARLES (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*James .4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis i.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1739 near Havre de Grace. He married (1) 23 October 1760 Baltimore County, Ann Barton, born Maryland 17-. They moved to Berkeley County, Virginia about 1774-75 where he served as a member of First Battallion Berkeley County Militia and was granted 200 acres of land for services. (*Herrings Stat. at Large, appendix Vol. vii, and D. A. R. 99, 371.*)

Ann died 1781-82 and he married (2) Rachel , born 17-. He dated his will 20 May 1807 bequeaths \$4.00 each to six children, named, stating they had already been provided for when they left home; all estate to wife, Rachel, and at her death to son, Robert. Rachel and Robert named as executors. Will was probated 15 Jan. 1810. The estate did not include any land. Date of the death of Rachel not known tho she probably moved to Ohio with her son during the year 1810.

Children:

i Ann: b 1762 Md., d small.

ii James: b 1765 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Berkeley Co., Va. with his parents 1774-75 and m prior to 1792 Mary. They moved to Washington Co., Pa. where they resided to about 1805 then moved to Ohio and resided in Hamilton Co., moved to Warren Co., Ohio prior to 1818, both living 1820. They had, known:

1 John: b 1792 Pa., moved to Ohio with his parents and m. prior to 1816, Catherine, b. Pa. 1797. Resided Warren Co. 1820 then moved to Darke Co. where they resided some years, moved to Iowa where he died about 1849. Catherine survived him some years

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and died in Hamilton Co., Ohio at the home of her son, Henry, after 1860. They had:

a Henry: b 1816 Warren Co., Ohio, m .prior to 1841 in Darke Co., Ohio Sarah , b Ohio 1821. They moved to Hamilton Co., Ohio, both living in 1860 when he was operating an hotel in Mill Creek township. They had, known:

al Susan: b 1841.

a2 Alonzo: b 1744, died 1850's.

a3 Jacob: b 1847.

a4 Charles: b 1852.

b Catherine: b 1812, d 1832.

c John: b 1821, d unmarried.

d Sarah: b 1823, m a Mr. Coombs, res. Iowa. No children.

e Ann: b 1825.

f Elizabeth: b 1827, d small.

g Charles: b 1829, d aet. 13 years.

2 Mary: b 179--.

3 Ann: b 179-.

4 Margaret: b 179-.

5 Charles: b 1800 Pa., m , res. Warren Co., Ohio 1830.

6 Prudence: b 1802 Pa.

7 Jane: b 1805 Ohio.

8 Thomas: b 1808, d small.

iii Moses (6) : b Sept. 1767 Md.

iv Thomas: b 177- Md., moved to Berkeley Co., Va. with his parents and m prior to 1807 Nancy Thurston, b Va. 17-. They moved to Washington Co., Pa. and then moved to Warren Co., Ohio where Nancy died about 1818 and he m (2) prior to 1820 Elizabeth, b Va. 1797. He died in the late 1830's, she survived him many years, reared her children with whom she lived after their marriage. She was living in Montgomery township, Franklin Co., Ohio in 1860, moved to Columbus, Ohio where she died 18 Sept. 1873 aged 76 years. They had, known:

1 Nancy: b 1807 Va., m prior to 1830 John Miller, moved to Iowa.

2 Thomas: b 181- Pa., died 1830's.

3 Charles: b 181-. Pa. Living in 1830.

4 Ann: b 18'15 Pa.

5 Prudence: b 1818 Ohio, died small.

6 Elizabeth: b 1820 Ohio, 2d wife, died small.

7 Maria: b 1825 Ohio, m 1848 Isaiah Beller, b Ohio 1823, resided Wayne township, Warren Co., Ohio in 1850

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where he operated an hotel, moved to Montgomery township, Franklin Co., Ohio before-1860 where he is listed as a farmer, moved to Columbus, Ohio about 1870. They had, known:

- a Mary M. Beller: b 1849.
- b Ann M. Beller: b 1851.
- c Charles E. Beller: b 1853.
- d Laura B. Beller: b 1857. e Eliza J. Beller: b 1859.

8 Barbara: b-1828 Ohio, m about 1850 Asa Beller, b Ohio 1832, he was a butcher, resided Montgomery township, Franklin Co., Ohio in 1860, moved to Columbus, Ohio about 1870. They had, known:

- a Ann E. Beller: b 1852.
- b Granville E. Beller: b 1854.
- c Elizabeth J. Beller: b 1859.

v Elizabeth: b 1774 Md., moved to Berkeley Co., Va. with her parents where she m 1790 William Steel. They moved to Washington Co., Pa. where they resided to about 1820 then moved to Columbiana Co., Ohio where she died 1837-38 and he died about 1843. He was a farmer, had eleven children, some died in infancy. They had, known:

1 Jane Steel: b 1791, d unmarried after 1850 in Ohio.

2 William Steel: b 1793, d aet. 5 years.

3 Elizabeth Steel: b 1795 Pa., m John Parker, resided Pa.

4 Prudence Steel: b 1797 Pa.

5 John Steel: b 1800 Pa., m , had 6 children living in 1840, Columbiana Co., Ohio, removed from this Co., before 1850.

6 Rachel Steel: b 1810 Pa., d unrm after 1850 in Ohio.

7 Leach Steel: b 1812 Pa., d unrm after 1850 in Ohio.

8 James Steel: b 1814 Pa., m prior to 1836 Margaret b Pa. 1810, resided Columbiana Co., Ohio in 1850. They had:

- a Catherine Steel: b 1836.
- b William Steel: b 1838.
- c Jane Steel: b 1840.
- d Nancy Steel: b 1842. e Robert Steel: b 1848.

vi John: b -1777 Va., m. prior to .1800 in: Washington Co., Pa. moved to Ohio in 1805 and resided Warren Co. in 1820, later moved to Shelby Co., Ind. where both were living in 1840, had 3 sons and 5 daughters living in 1820, 2 daughters at home in 1840, said to have moved to Ill. and both probably deceased before 1850. No subsequent record.



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vii William: b 1778-79, d inf.

viii Prudence (6) : b 1782-83 Va.

ix Robert (6) : b 1785 Va., 2d wife.

### 31 HENRY (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland October 1740, moved to Randolph County, North Carolina with his parents about 1753. He married prior to 1762 Sarah (Allen ?), born North Carolina 1742-43. Resided in Randolph County to about 1785 then moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina where Sarah died in 1792. He moved to- Franklin County, Georgia where he died about 1804.

Children:

i William (6) : b Sept. 1762 N. C.

ii Sarah: b 1764, died 1769.

iii Martha: b 1768.

iv Sarah: b 1771.

v James B. (6) : b 1773 N. C.

vi Cynthia: b 177-.

vii Mary: b 1779 N. C., m prior to 1797 Isaac Land, b N. C. 177- . Resided Pickens District, S. C. for many years. He d 1849, she survived him and died in Rabun Co., Ga., in 1873. They had, known:

1 Mary Land: b 1797, m Quarles, was a widow in 1850, res. Pickens Dist., S. C. No children of record.

2 Elijah Land: b 1799 S. C., m prior to 1829 Elizabeth Head, b S. C. 1804. Res. Pickens Dist., S. C. They had:

a William H. Land: b 1829.

b Hannah Land: b 1833.

c Licene Land: b 1834.

d Thomas Land: b 1835.

e Melissa Land: b 1838.

f Eleanor Land: b 1839.

3 Eliza Land: b 1801 S. C., m prior to 1821 George Head, b S. C. 1800, res. Pickens Dist., S. C., both living in 1850. They had:

a Elias Head: b 1821 S. C., m prior to 1842 Nancy W.

b S. C. 1824. Resided Franklin Co., Ga. to 1850 then moved to Pickens Dist., S. C. They had, known:

b1 James L. Head: b 1842 Ga.

b2 William H. Head: b 1845 Ga.

c Sarah Head: b 1823.

d Elizabeth Head: b 1825.

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d Stephen Head: b 1826.

e Jonathan Head: b 1828.

f Maria Head: b 1833.

4 Elizabeth Land: b 1805, m prior to 1828 Casey W. Head, b S. C. 1805, she died 1836 and he m (2) Eliza b S. C. 1824, res. Pickens Dist., S. C. They had:

a Elizabeth Head: b 1828.

b Minerva Head: b 1836.

c Melissa Head: b 1844, 2d wife.

d Robert Head: b Mar. 1850

viii Henry: b 1781, d unmarried.

ix John Allen: b 1785 N. C., died unmarried.

## 32 THOMAS (5) BILLINGSLEY

(Allen 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.) Born Trent Hall, St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1771. He married (1) 25 August 1796 Mary Sarah Barber, a daughter of John Myvert Barber, of St. Mary's County. She died 29 June 1811 and he married (2) 10 June 1812 Catherine Barber, sister of Mary. He served as Private, Captain Jacob B. Hance's Company of 31<sup>st</sup> (Hodgkins) Maryland Militia in War of 1812. Ordered to service April 1813. On a roll "entered duty 20 April 1813, discharged 21 April 1813 at Drum Point, Calvert County, one day." Resided Calvert County where he engaged in planting. He was called "Colonel" but it is not stated from what source the title originated. Catherine died November 1834, he survived her and died February 1842.

Children (1<sup>st</sup> wife)

i Mary Barber: b 1798, m 1820 Arthur Harris, she died 1842. They had:

1 Ellen Harris: b 1822, m (1) James Stevens, (2) John

Carson. No children by 2d marriage. They had

a Alice Stevens.

b James Stevens.

c William Stevens.

ii John Allen (6) : b 1801-02.

iii Thomas Barber (6) : b 4 Jan. 1805.

iv John Myvert : b 1814, 2d wife, died 1877 unmarried.

v Hatch Dent: b 1820, m 6 Dec. 1848 Ann C. Tongue, b Md. in 1828, daughter of Dr. Gideon Tongue. They had three children, moved to Galveston, Texas in early 1850's and the entire family died of Yellow Fever in 1853.

vi William: b 1822, m prior to 1856 Margaret Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Hance, of Calvert Co., Md., b 1832. He died in 1865. Resided in Calvert Co., Md. They had:

1 Richard: b 1856, m Annie, daughter of John Carson, of

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Baltimore, Md., he was deceased in 1889 and left two children of whom no record.

vii Elizabeth Lydia: b 1824, m 31 Aug. 1845 Dr. John Russell Quinan, b Lancaster, Pa. 7 Aug. 1822, son of Rev. Thomas H. Quinan. He was a pupil of J. K. Mitchell, graduated Jefferson Medical College in 1844. Resided in Calvert Co., Md. to-1869 then moved to Baltimore, Md. Was lecturer on Jurisprudence Womans Medical College, 1883-85; vice pres. Medical & Surgical Soc. 1884-85; president 1885-86; author of several papers, and of Medical Annals of Baltimore, 1884. He died 11 Nov. 1890, no data on death of his wife, five children were living in 1890. They had, known:

1 John T. Qunan: b 1846.

2 William Quinan: b 1848.

3 Katherine Quinan: b 1851.

4 Dent Quinan; b 1852.

5 Henry Quinan: b 1853.

6 Paschal Quinan: b 1854.

7 Anna Quinan: b 1855.

8 Allen Quinan: b 1859.

viii Richard Chapman: b 1826-27, m (1) Mary Hance, she died and he m (2) Mary Jones. No mention of where they resided nor of their deaths. They had:

1 Child: b 18-, d infancy.

2 Bessie: b 18-, 2d wife.

### 33 JOHN ASHCUM (5) BILLINGSLEY

(*Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland 24 April 1770, moved to Spottsylvania County, Virginia with his parents about 1785. He married 25 September 1788 Sarah Duerson, born 16 September 1765 in Spottsylvania County, Virginia. He was baptized October 1794 by Elder Absalom Waller, united with the church at Waller's and became a very active and zealous member. He was witness to a deed 13 April 1792; on 3 September 1793 Ephraim, and Sarah Knight and their son, James, deeded to him 70 acres of land in Berkeley Parish for 60 pounds; on 1 January 1794 Thomas and Molly Shirley deeded him 70 acres of land for 100 pounds; on 28 August 1794 he sold to Thomas Duerson 1 acre of land for mill purposes; on 2 January 1798 he was witness to a deed of emancipation and on 19 March 1799 he was witness to a deed. He paid tax on 78 acres of land from 1800 to 1801 and from 1803 to 1814 he paid tax on two tracts of land about 1000 acres in all. (Records Spottsylvania Co., Va.) He began to exercise his gift of exhortation 4 July 1808. In 1810 he was called to the pastoral care of the church at Zoar, Orange County and

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was ordained in October of the same year., Baptist; after the death of Elder Absalom Waller he was chosen pastor of Waller's and Elk Creek churches and after the removal of Elder A. M. Lewis to the Vest he became pastor of the churches at County Line and Bethany resigning his charges at Zoar and Elk Creek. Thru his work the church at Mount Harmon was planted, and by-his administration it was watered as long as he was able to travel. He possessed a good education, which he greatly improved by reading and study. Was devoted to good books, had a good library and when not engaged in his duties from home was generally found with a book in his hand. Fuller and Newton were favorite authors with him. From this fact- the character of his preaching may be known. He suffered from ill health for some year prior to his death. He died August 1837 on his plantation called "Salem" near Fredericksburg, Virginia. His. wife survived him, was living in 1840, date of her death not known. He kept a family Bible and recorded his family therein. This Bible is still in existence and in good state of preservation. (*See Va. Bap. Ministers, Taylor, 1860.*)

Children

i Dorcas: b 18 Sept. 1789, died small.

ii Thomas: b 12 May 1791, died small.

iii Sarah A.: b 27 Jan. 1793, m 22 Nov. 1810 Rev. Addison Murdock Lewis, b Va. 26 Sept. 1789; she died Jan. 1820 and he m (2) 20 Mar. 1821 Sarah Anne Miner. They moved to Mo. where he d 27 Aug. 1857, she d at St. Louis, Mo. 17 Nov. 1886 aet. 88 years, family Baptists. (*See Hayden's Va. Families for Lewis records.*) They had:

1 Virginia Anne Lewis: b 30 May 1813, m Dec. 1838 James D. Brown, she d 1862 Franklin Co., Ky. They had:

a Sarah Addison Brown: m Colby Taylor.

2 John Llewellyn Lewis: b 23 Feb. 1815, m Mary Eliza Woolfolk. Res. Rockport, Mo. They had:

a Thomas Addison Lewis.

b Isabel Lewis, m Oscar Stephens.

c Malcolm Duane Lewis: was M.D.

d Charles Orville Lewis: was M.D.

e Anne Marie Lewis: m Walter Scott.

iv Elizabeth: b 10 Dec. 1794, m 6 Oct. 1814 by Rev. Addison M. Lewis to Thomas Herndon, b Va. 25 Mar. 1795. Resided Spottsylvania Co., Va. where he died in the 1840's, she was living in 1850. and died before 1860. They had:

1 Jane Lewis Herndon: b 1815, m about 1832 Joseph Addison Gordon, b Va. 1813, she died about 1856 57, he survived her. They resided Spottsylvania Co. and later he moved to Orange Co., Va. where he died 31 Mar. 1883. They had:

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- a Joseph Herndon Gordon: b 1833, m Hannah Elizabeth Willis.
- b Sarah Elizabeth Gordon: b 1 Sept. 1835, m John D. Billingsley, No. 189, which see.
- c Lucy Harridan Gordon: b June 1837, m Alexander Spottswood, she d Feb. 1923.
- d Thomas Churchill Gordon: b 1839, m Lucy Bullard
- e Mary Ann Gordon: b 1840, d unkm.
- f Jane Lewis Gordon: b 1843, d unkm.
- g John Addison Gordon: b 1844, m Fanny Fife Gordon.
- h Edward Harrison Gordon: b 1846, d unkm.
- i Hannah Gordon: b 1848, d after 1860, unkm.
- j Fannie Herndon Gordon: b 1850, was living 1931 in Richmond, Va., unkm.
- k William Armstead Gordon: b 1852, m Irene Willis.
- l Eva Waddell Gordon: b 1854, d unkm.
- m Laura Gordon: b 1856, d childhood.

v Nancy: b Apr. 1796 (or 1798, writing blurred). She m. 20 Dec. 1821 by Rev. Jacob Herndon to Alexander Herndon, b Va. 1801-2. Resided in Spottsylvania Co., where he died 6 July 1876 and she died 2 July 1878. Her name is recorded in Family Bible as "Nancy" and in census records she is recorded as "Ann" as also she is recorded as "Ann" in her own family records. There is recorded in the St. George Temple records of the Mormon church the baptism and endowment of "Anne Billingsley b 1798 d 1878, m to Alexander Herndon, Spottsylvania Co., Va." This record was made by one Dwight Harding April 1929 and he states he is a relative-in-law. We have been unable to find any one from whom this relationship is derived. They had:

- 1 John Joseph Herndon: b 1822, d 1895, unkm.
- 2 Lucy Mary Herndon: b 1824-25, m prior to 1850 James De Jamette, res. Caroline-Co., Va. She d 1896.
- 3 William Alexander Herndon: b 1827, m Elizabeth George, b Va. 1826, he died 1874-75, was a physician and resided in Culpeper Co., Va. They had:

- a George Herndon: b 18-. Was a Surgeon in U. S. Navy.
- b Elizabeth Herndon: b 18-, m C. J.- Rixey, she was living in 1931 at Clarendon, Va. They had
  - b1 Charles J. Rixey.
  - b2 William Herndon Rixey.
  - b3 Presley Rixey.
  - b4 Elizabeth Rixey: m E. W. Steams.
  - b5 Georgine Rixey: m Sinclair.

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b6 Henrie Rixey: m. Gibson of U. S. Navy. m. Anne Elizabeth Herndon: b 17 Feb. 1829, d 19

Sept.

1871.

5 Virginia Lewis Herndon: b 29 Aug. 1831, d 16 Oct. 1893.

6 Thomas Duerson Herndon: b 10 Feb. 1834, m prior to 186? Nannie Gregory, b King William Co., Va. In 1845. She died 25 Dec. 1872 and he died 22 Sept. 1873, resided at West Point, Va. He was a physician. They had:

a William Gregory Herndon: b 21 Mar. 1867, d 7 July 1881.

b Alexander Herndon: b 1868, d infancy.

c Maria Thornton Herndon: b 28 Aug. 1869, m (1) 5 July 1898 Thomas Curry Hawkins, b 15 Oct. 1870 at Louisa, Va., he d 21 Mar. 1899 at Huntington, W. Va. and she m (2) 25 Oct. 1905 William Wallace Morton, b 6 Sept. 1871 Culpeper, Va. Res. Post Oak, Va. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

cl Huldah Herndon Morton: b 4 Dec. 1906, m

29 Aug. 1929 John R. Young, res. Urbana, III.

c2 Thomas Gregory Morton: b 17 Sept. 1909.

c3 William Wallace Morton: b 9 May 1912.

d Mary West Herndon: b 1871, d aet. 2 years.

7 Zachary Billingsley Herndon: b 1836, m Maria Gilchrist. He was a physician, resided Richmond, Va. and later at Ashland, Va. where he died 1901-10. They had:

a John Gilchrist Herndon: b 18-. Is a minister and said to reside Bluefields, W. Va. 1931.

b Julia Herndon.

c Maria Herndon.

d Anne Herndon.

8 Huldah Frazer Herndon: b 26 Jan. 1839, m Rev. E. P. Hawkins, she died 13 Mar. 1916, res. Spottsylvania Co., Va.

vi Huldah: b 2 Mar. 1800, m 23 Dec. 1819 by Rev. Addison M. Lewis to George S. Herndon, b 13 May 1791 in Va. Resided Spottsylvania Co., Va. in 1830 had 2 sons and 3 daughters living at that date. No trace of this family has been, discovered .tho believed to have migrated to Ky.

vii Zachary (6) : b 18 Mar. 1802.

viii Mary: b 17 Sept. 1804, married 15 Oct. 1822 by Rev. Jacob Herndon to John Lipscomb, b Va. 2 Nov. 1801. She died in 1893 and he died in 1895, resided in Spottsylvania Co., Va. They had:

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- 1 Sarah Lipscomb: b 1824, m prior to 1850 James Boxley, resided Louisa, Va. Had eight children. W. W. Boxley, of Louisa, Va. said to be a son, no information obtainable from him.
- 2 John Ashcum Lipscomb: b 1826, died net. 36 years unm.
- 3 Elizabeth Lipscomb: b 1828, m Turner. No children.
- 4 Lucinda Blair Lipscomb: b 1830, m Watts. No children.
- 5 Eugenia Lipscomb: b 1832, m (1) Dr. Bowers, (2) Perkins. They had:  
a Eugene Bowers.
- 6 Emily Jane Lipscomb- b 1834, d net. 75 years unm.
- 7 Amanda Billingsley Lipscomb: b 1836, d net. 74 75 years.
- 8 Judith Day Lipscomb: b 1838, m (1) Boxley; (2) after 1900 Joseph Z. F: Billingsley, No. 191, she died sin prole.
- 9 Joseph B. Lipscomb: b 1841, m a Mrs. Saunders, he was living in 1931 Memphis, Tenn, They had:  
a Joseph B. Lipscomb: b 18-, d net. 30 years.  
b Norman Lipscomb: b 18-, m Sayre, he was living in 1930, no children.
- 10 Louisa Lipscomb: b 1843, d net. 60 years unm.
- 11 Isabella Lipscomb: b 1846-47, m prior to 1870 F. Hart, she d about 1921. They had:  
a Marion Hart.
- 12 Virgilia Lipscomb: b 31 Jan. 1849. Resides Fredericksburg, Va. She furnished information on this family.

ix Allinson (6) : b 10 Feb. 1807.

x Lucinda: b 25 Nov. 1809, m prior to 1832 Charles O. Young, b Va. 1800. He was a farmer, resided Spottsylvania Co., Va. and both living in 1860. In 1930 there was no living representative of this family. They had:

- 1 Thomas S. Young: b 1832, d unm.
- 2 Sarah Young: b 1834, d unm.
- 3 Charles O. Young, Jr.: b 1837, m about 1860 a Miss Willis, res. Spottsylvania Co., Va. They had:  
a Charles O. Young: b 186-, d net. 20 years.
- 4 Octavia Otway Young: b 1839, d unm.
- 5 Mary Camden Young: b 1846-47, d unm.
- 6 Joseph W. Young: b 1849, d unm.

xi John Poindexter (6) : b 5 June 1812.

xii Joseph Addison (6) : b 11 Feb. 1817.

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### 34 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John, °L, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland December 1746. He married prior to 1765 Emeline Carter, born Maryland in 1748. They moved to Rockingham County, North Carolina about 1779 where they resided to about 1801 when they moved to East Tennessee where Emeline died 1802-3. He survived her some years, was living in Montgomery County in 1823 and is said to have died 1829-30 at the home of his son, John, in Carroll County, Tennessee.

Children:

i William (7) : b Nov. 1765.

ii Francis: b 1768, died 1773.

iii James: b 1773, died 1785.

iv Emeline: b Dec. 1774, m John Simpson, she d.s.p. 1793.

v Rachel: b 1776, died 1810 Tenn. unm.

vi Mary: b Feb. 1778, died unm.

vii Elizabeth: b 1780, no record.

viii John (7) : b Nov. 1782.

ix James: b 1786 N. C., died unm in Tenn.

### 35 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland 25 October 1755. He left home at an early date after his mother's second marriage and migrated to Frederick County, Maryland and worked as a farm laborer, he later went to Franklin County, Pennsylvania where he met and married Barbara Ann Oester, born Frederick County, Maryland 14 February 1773, her parents came to Frederick County, Maryland from Pennsylvania and removed to Franklin County, Pennsylvania about 1786. They were married 10 January 1792, moved to Fayette County, Pennsylvania about 1800 and resided there to 1819 when they moved to Warren County, Ohio, then

After a few years moved to Hamilton County, Ohio, where they resided to about 1832 when they moved to Newberry township, Miami County, Ohio where he established a home on the outskirts of civilization when he was 75 years of age. He opened up and improved his land and lived to see this section thickly populated. The homestead is in possession of his descendants to this date. He dated his will 24 July 1848 and leaves all estate, etc. to wife, Barbary Ann, during her life, executors were son in law James L. Purdy, and son, Thomas. No children named except son, Thomas, but provision is made that after the decease of Barbara Ann equal division be made among all the children. He died 22 February 1851, certified copy of this will does not show date of probate. He is buried at Covington, Ohio. Barbara survived him a few years and died 30 April 1854. Family Bible of James Billingsley is in possession of Thomas A. Billingsley, of Greenville, Ohio.



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### Children

i Elizabeth: b 24 Aug. 1793, d 10 Feb. 1805.

ii Charles: b 6 Feb. 1796 Pa. We have been unable to get any definite facts of this man. He m prior to 1830 Nancy, b Pa. 1802 in Warren or Hamilton Co., Ohio, moved to Miami Co., about the same time as his father did where he died in the year 1840 and before June. Nancy was a widow in 1840 and removed to Fayette Co., Ind., sometime in the early 1840's where she resided to sometime in the early 1860's then moved further West with her sons and a married daughter. No subsequent record. They had:

1 Mary: b 1830 Ohio, m prior to 1855 Phillip Shipley, b Ind. 1826-27, he was a farmer, both living in 1870 and resided in Fayette Co., Ind. They had:

a Nancy Shipley: b 1855.

b Charles Shipley: b 1858. —

c William H. Shipley: b Mar. 1860.

2 James: b 1831-32 Ohio.

3 Barbara: b 1835 Ohio, m 1858 Martin Davis, b Ind. 1836, resided Fayette Co., Ind. in 1860, moved West. They had, known

a Sarah Davis: b Jan. 1860.

4 Moses: b 1836.

5 Charles: b 1839.

6 William: b Jan. 1841, posthumous.

iii Susannah: b 29 May, 1798 Pa. She is stated to have married a Worley and to be the grand mother of John and Henry Worley, of Covington, Ohio. No information has been obtainable from either party.

iv Barbara: b 22 Aug. 1800 Pa. She m 25 Mar. 1828 in Warren Co., Ohio William Kendall, b 179-. Resided in Warren Co. some years then moved to Miami Co., Ohio where she died 1 Feb. 1877. No data on his death, she is buried at Piqua, Ohio. Said to have had a large family of children, owing to there being other families of this name in Miami Co. it has not been possible to make distinction between them. The only ones definitely known are:

1 Mary Kendall: b 1836 Ohio; she was living and unmarried in 1880 and resided in the home of her sister, Mrs. Leonard, Piqua, Ohio.

2 Charity Kendall: b 1838 Ohio, m prior to 1858 Lewis Leonard, b Ohio or Pa. 1826, and indications are she is his 2d wife. Resided Newberry township, Miami

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Co., Ohio, both were living -in 1880. They had, known:

a John H. Leonard: b 1853-54 (1<sup>st</sup> wife ?).

b Amelia Leonard: b 1858.

c Forrest K. Leonard: b 1861.

d Isaac L. Leonard: b 1863.

e William K. Leonard: b 1865-66, m, reside Piqua, Ohio, he is a banker, and said to have been an invalid for the past 6 years from paralysis. No children and this probably accounts for his ignoring all requests for information.

f Margaret Grace Leonard: b Mar. 1869.

g Lewis E. Leonard: b 1873.

v Moses (7) : b 9 Nov. 1802 Pa.

vi John: b 20 Feb. 1804, died 20 Feb. 1810.

vii Nancy: b 29 Mar. 1807, m , said to have lived in Fayette Co., Pa.

viii James (7) : b 15 Aug. 1809.

ix Henry: b 20 Dec. 1811 Pa. He married 24 Feb. 1856 in Miami Co., Ohio, Catherine Fulker, b Md. 1834, resided in Covington, Ohio where he died in 1887, she was living in 1880. No children.

x Prudence (7) : b 11 July 1814 Pa.

xi Elizabeth: b 17 Oct. 1816 Pa. She m (1) 7 Jan. 1836 Ephraim Fahnstock, he died and she m (2) prior to 1839 Samuel Hays, b Ohio in 1813, resided Wabash township, Darke Co., Ohio in 1850, no subsequent record. They had, known:

1 John Lewis Hays: b 1839.

2 Mary Ellen Hays: b 1840.

3 Eliza Ann Hays: b 1841.

4 Emiline M. Hays: b 1843.

5 Samantha A. Hays: b 1845.

xii Adam E. (7) : b 18 Feb. 1819 Pa.

xiii Mary Ann: b 18 Feb. 1819 Pa., a twin of Adam E. She m. 5 Oct. 1843 John Reish in Miami Co., Ohio. There is no mention of where they resided, she died in 1876 and is buried at Covington, Ohio, no mention of his death. Mrs. Ray Hawn, of Troy, Ohio, and Mrs. George Hathaway, of Sidney; Ohio are said to be descendants of Mary Ann. No information obtainable from either party. They had

1 Samuel Reish: b 184-.

2 Charity Reish: b 184-.

3 Anne Reish: b 18-.

4 Mary Reish: b 18-.,

5 Thomas Reish: b 18-

xiv Thomas (7) : b 7 Jan. 1823 Ohio.

### 36 SAMUEL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1747, moved to Baltimore County, Maryland with his parents about 1758 and with them in 1768 to Guilford County, North Carolina. He married prior to 1772 Mary, born North Carolina in 1753. We have never been able to learn the maiden name of this Mary, one entrant to the Daughters of the American Revolution has this name recorded as Mary Griffith, she has not been able to furnish us any documentary evidence supporting the claim. Samuel was provided with his portion of his father's estate at the time of his marriage as he is mentioned in his father's will as "being already portioned" and was bequeathed two shillings and six pence. He moved to Onslow County, North Carolina and was granted 300 acres of land on both sides of 2d Creek, entered 1 April 1779 and issued 29 March 1780. He enlisted in 1781 as Private, Captain J. Sharpe's Company, Colonel Francis Locke's Light Horse Service. He is shown on a Pay Roll 11 March 1781 as due pay for 12 days service. (N. C. Col. *Rec. vol. xvii*, fol. 1056.) On the 3 August 1779 he entered a claim for 100 acres of land in Sullivan County, now Tennessee. They removed to Sullivan County in 1787 and he was issued a patent for this land 9 August 1787. They subsequently moved to Sequatchie Valley and located in Bledsoe County where he became an influential citizen of his County. He was a charter member of the first Masonic Lodge in the County, was a staunch member of the Missionary Baptist church. He was generally called "Captain" but it is not stated the origin of the title. He died at his home in 1816. Mary survived him and died in 1838 aged 85 years. There is a sketch of this man given in Biographical Album, Ogle, 1898.

In August 1932 we received a communication from Mrs. W. J. Holladay a descendant of Samuel Billingsley which we believe is of interest and we quote in part: "I visited the old Smyrna graveyard Sunday where some of the Billingsleys are buried but the biggest thing I got was poison ivy. I found the grave of my great grandfather, John Billingsley and that of his second wife, Jane Hoodenpile, but could not identify that of his first wife, Martha Blackwood. There is a grave stone on the other side of John's which I imagine is that of her but there are no markings that I could find on it whatsoever. I have been told that the grave of Samuel Billingsley, my great-great-grandfather is in this graveyard and that it was the first grave ever placed there, but if so the markings are all gone and I could not find it. There are a number of old graves there, but the most of them are beyond recognition. I do not know of any old people who could identify those from which time has erased all markings."

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Children

i James: b 1772, died infancy.

ii Mary: b 1773.

iii Samuel (?) : b 9 Apr. 1775.

iv William (7) : b 16 Jan. 1779.

v Jephtha (?) : b 1780 Onslow Co., N. C.

vi John (7) : b 10 Sept. 1781.

vii Thomas (7) : b 30 Dec. 1782.

viii Amanda: b 178-.

ix Elijah (?) : b 1786 N. C.

x Sarah: b 178- Tenn.

xi Nancy: b 179- Tenn.

37 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland October 1749, moved to Baltimore County with his parents about 1758 and to Guilford County, North Carolina with them about 1767-68. He married January 1769 Ann, daughter of William Rea by his first wife, there were also two sisters who married William Gowdy and Henry Ross. James Billingsley was Captain of a company of militia 1780-1783. In Account Book A, page 50, James Billingsley, rations furnished militia, dated April 1780, 6-8-0 pounds; on page 277, Sundries furnished Militia, accounts allowed by Auditor of Salesbury District June 1783, James Billingsley, 15-8-8 pounds; on page 278, same in 1783 to Captain James Billingsley & his company 274-1-0 pounds, voucher No. 3861, and on Voucher No. 3876, 321-4-0 pounds. (*Records Hist. Com. Raleigh.*) On 5 February 1783 Hugh Robertson deeded to James Billingsley land on Mears Fork, 641 acres, one half of a tract granted to William Wiley 23 May 1758, Wiley to Arthur Parr, Parr to Richard Wright, Wright to Herman Husband, Husband to William Robertson, said Robertson to Hugh Robertson. (*Deeds Lib. L, fol. X93.*) On 22 November 1785 he and his wife sold 160 acres of this tract to his brother, William Henry Billingsley. (*Deeds Lib. 5, fol. x.58.*) On ? February 1789 James and Ann Billingsley deeded to Thomas Moore, of Orange County, 160 acres of said tract on Mears Fork for 160 pounds. (*Deeds Lib. 5, fol. 98.*)

William Rea dated his will 23 February 1789, wife Margaret, 50 pounds from sale of personality & benefit of the plantation lands rented to James Blair; all goods & chattels to be sold & proceeds to be laid out in land, said land to equally divided among all my children as they come of age', land I now claim on waters of Cumberland River, after satisfying Power of Attorney to James Billingsley, balance to be divided as above; executors named were Henry Ross and William Gowdy; witnessed by James Billingsley, William Gowdy, and Henry Ross.

It appears this Power of Attorney was given to James Billingsley to dispose of land and in 1789 there was passed an Act authorizing said

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Billingsley to issue deeds for the lands mentioned. (Wills -*Lib. A*, fol. 306, and *N. C. Col. records vol. xxv*, 44.) They resided in this county for many years and later moved to Cumberland country with their sons and resided in Logan and Warren Counties, Kentucky to about 1807 then moved to Tennessee where he died in 1809-10, Ann survived him some years and died at the home of her son, William, in 1822-23 in Roane County, Tennessee.,

Children:

i William Henry (7) : b Dec. 1769.

ii Ann: b 1771, died infancy.

iii John (7) : b 1772.

iv Mary: b 1773, m William George, b S. C. 1776, late in life, resided Lincoln Co., Tenn. No children.

v Samuel (7)

vi Frances Rebecca: b 1777, m 1792 David Billings, b N. C. 1769, moved to Tenn. about 1834, both living in 1850, resided Wilson Co., Tenn. Reared several children, no descendants living in 1930. James (7) : b 1779.

viii Elizabeth: b 1781, m prior to 1802 David Craig, b N. C. 1779, moved to Tenn. and resided Maury Co. in 1830. They had, known

1 David Craig, Jr.: b 1802, m prior to 1825 Martha. They had 3 sons living in 1830.

2 Elizabeth Craig: b 1807, died unmarried.

ix Ann: b 1784, died 1790's.

x Francis Basil: b 178-, died infancy.

### 38 JOHN (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland 17 August 1754, moved to Baltimore County, Maryland with his parents and then to Guilford County, North Carolina with them. He married 2 June 1772 Jean Milsap, born North Carolina 7 May 1754. Original marriage bond on file at North Carolina Historical Commission at Raleigh and appears to have been filled out by John Billingsley himself as the signature and the body of the bond are the same writing. They moved to Rutherford County, North Carolina. From his father's will he appears to have been given his share of the estate at the time of his marriage. He enlisted 1776-1778 Private, Captain John Arnold's Company, Colonel Collier's Regiment, served six months; enlisted June 1780 and served to 25 December 1780, Private, Captains Britton Fuller, and Jacob Williams, Colonel Collier's Regiment; enlisted again soon afterwards and served a few days Captain Thomas Williams, Colonel Collier's Regiment. He was pensioned 23 December 1833 while residing in Warren County, Kentucky. He states in his claim that he was residing in Rutherford County at the time of his service

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On 4 January 1779 he entered 290 acres of land in Washington County (Tenn.).- On 2 April 1779 he entered two tracts of 400 acres and 200 acres of land in Onslow County, North Carolina and these were issued to him 29 March 1780. (*Land Rec.* 38, fol. 11, 17.) On 11 June 1779 he again entered 300 acres of land in Washington County (Tenn.). On 26 April 1780 he entered 75 acres of land in Sullivan County (Tenn.) and this was followed by entries of 74 acres, 30 acres, and 15 acres in the same County before 1785. They moved from Rutherford County to Onslow County, North Carolina about 1781 where they resided to about 1794 then moved to Sullivan County (Tenn.), and his entries were issued to him 4 December 1795. (*Land Rec.* 84, fol. 158, 161, 162; 89, fol. 325, 387.) They then moved to Washington County, Tennessee in 1796 where they resided many years. Some time in the 1820's John turned over his property to his youngest son, Jacob, with the provision that Jacob would care for John and his wife the rest of their days. Jacob appears to have converted most of the property into cash and moved to Cumberland County, Kentucky where they resided in 1830. It is also stated that Jacob soon ran thru with everything available leaving his parents in destitute circumstances and that John Billingsley, Junior, came and carried his parents to his home in Warren County, Kentucky. It was from this home that John made his application for pension 23 December 1833. Jean died 8 February 1842, and John died 19 September 1844 at the home of their son, John, Warren County, Kentucky.

Children:

i Sarah: b Apr. 1773 Guilford Co., N. C., moved to Tenn. with her parents and married prior to 1797 Alexander Hale, he was deceased before 1840, she was living in 1850 and resided in Washington Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Harriet Hale: b 1797, m Henry Hale, b Tenn. 1797. They had:

a James L. Hale: b 1829.

b Henry Hale: b 1834.

c Martha Hale: b 1836.

d Sarah Hale: b 1838.

e Harriet Hale: b 1839.

2 Alexander Hale, Jr.: b 1800, m 1832 Elizabeth b Ky. 1803, he died in 1847, she was living Washington Co., Tenn. in 1850. They had, known:

a Archibald Hale: b 1834.

b Elizabeth Hale: b 1838.

c Sarah .Hale : b 1840.

d John Hale: b 1843.

e James Hale: b 1845.

3 William C. Hale: b 1803, m prior to 1833 Mariah b Ky. in 1807, he died about 1845, resided Washington Co., Tenn. They had:

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- a William C. Hale, Jr.: b 1833. Twins.
- b Jeremiah Hale: b 1833.
- c Susan Hale: b 1834.
- d Sarah Hale: b 1836.
- e John Hale: b 1838.
- f Landon Hale: b 1840.
- g. James Hale: b 1842.
- 4 Joseph Hale: b 1812, m 1835 Sarah, b Ky. 1816, resided Washington Co., Tenn. They had:
  - a Mary A. Hale: b 1837.
  - b Elizabeth Hale: b 1839.
  - c George W. Hale: b 1842.
  - d Catherine Hale: b 1844.
  - e Cynthia A. Hale: b 1848.
- 5 Henry Hale: b 1814, m 1838 Mary, b Tenn. 1815. Resided Washington Co., Tenn. They had:
  - a Harriet Hale: b 1840.
  - b Elizabeth Hale: b 1841.
  - c Joseph Hale: b 1842.
  - d Clinton Hale: b 1844.
  - e Daniel Hale: b 1846.
  - f Thomas Hale: b 1849..
- ii Jesse (7) : b 22 Feb. 1774.
- iii Elizabeth: b May 1776, married (1) a Mr. Birdwell, he died and she married (2) a Mr. Brown. She was generally known as "Aunt Betsy Burdle" and is said to have died in Jackson Co., Tenn. It is said there was only one child and that by Birdwell, who lived to be grown but never married.
- iv James (7) : b Aug. 1778.
- v Thomas (7) : b 1781.
- vi Mary: b 1783 N. C., moved to Tenn. with her parents and married (1) Jesse Parker, b N. C. 1778-79, resided in middle Tenn., and probably Jackson Co. where he died 1814-15, she married (2) Zebudee Anderson. They moved to Ill. where they resided for some years. In the record left by John M. Billingsley, No. 249, he states "Polly and her son, Wesley Anderson visited our home in Kentucky in the late 1830's." This family moved to Texas about 1848, passed thru Batesville, Ark. but did not digress to wit her: brother; Samuel, who resented it very much. We have no subsequent record of them. They had, known:
  - 1 Jesse Parker, Jr.: b 18- Tenn., m Ibbie Billingsley, daughter of Thomas Billingsley, No. 97, which see.
  - 2 Wesley Anderson: b 1820 Tenn.

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vii John (7) : b 7 Mar. 1786 N. C.

viii Samuel (7) : b 11 Feb. 1789.

ix Jane: b 1792 N. C.;-moved to Tenn. with her parents where she married prior to 1813 Edward Mercer, b N. C. 1787, resided in Jackson -Co., Tenn., both were living in 1860. They had:

1 Jones Mercer: b 1813.

2 Minerva Mercer: b 1815, was unmarried in 1850.

3 Harriet Mercer: b 1817, m about 1850 John Billingsley, son of Samuel Billingsley, No. 99. He died prior to 1844 sine prole and she married (2) a Dr. Johnson at Salem, Ark.; he-died and she married (3) a Methodist minister named Caruthers. She left him and returned to Tenn. where she died. No record of any children.

4 Sarah Mercer: b 1820, died small.

5 Mary J. Mercer: b 1822.

6 Canzadee Mercer: b 1824, died at Salem, Ark. in 1860's while on a visit to her sister.

7 Levonia Mercer: b 1828.

8 Daughter: b 183-, died inf.

9 Amanda Mercer: b 1835.

x Jacob (?): b 1795 Tenn.

## 39 WILLIAM HENRY (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1758, moved to Guilford County, North Carolina with his parents about 1767. Was legatee in his father's will. He married 11 May 1784 Elizabeth, daughter of William Gowdy, born 1765, Guilford County, North Carolina. She is mentioned in the will of her father 15 November 1786 and is also legatee in the will of her brother James Gowdy 22 January 1809. On 22 November 1785 he was deeded by James and Ann Billingsley land on Meares Fork. (*Deeds 5-158.*) On 16 August 1790 he was deeded 320 acres of land by John Carnahan. (*Deeds 5-435.*) On 19 November 1792 he was deeded 264 acres of land by Thomas Anderson. (*Deeds 5-1f83.*) On 6 November 1792 he sold 160 acres of land to Hezekiah Bevil; this deed not recorded until 1808. (*Deeds 9-89i.*) On 23 November 1792 he sold to George Donnell 264 acres of land bought of Thomas Anderson. (*Deeds 5-4?4.*) On 22 August 1793 he sold to James \Murry 160 acres of land on Meares Fork bought of James and Ann Billingsley in 1785. (*Deeds 2-X93, and 5-.451.*) On 8 December 1795 he sold 160 acres of land to Stephen Gauft. (*Deeds 5,678.*) On 22 February 1804 he was deeded by James Murry 210 acres of land on both sides of Meares Fork, this deed not recorded until 1818. (*Deeds i8-i80.*) He died about July 1820 as on 1 May 1821 Elizabeth was party to a deed disposing of 1213 acres of



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land on North side Reedy Fork to Isaac Pearson of Rockingham County, North Carolina. (*Deeds 15-185.*) On B August 1821 William Armfield, sheriff, by-order of the Court dated 19 August 1820 sold 160 acres of land to Larkin Baldwin to satisfy claims against heirs of William H. Billingsley, deceased. (*Deeds 15-368.*) On 19 November 1821 Elizabeth, widow of said deceased, sold to Joel Murry 79 acres of land being dower rights set aside by a jury. (*Deeds 16-87i.*) Elizabeth moved to Alabama with her son, William H. Billingsley where she died about 18334 in Tuscaloosa County.

Children:

i James (7) : b Feb. 1786.

ii Jean: b 1787, m Joel Murry, resided Guilford Co. N. C. to 1822 and said to have moved to Tenn. They had, known:

1 Rebecca Murry: b 18-. Was living in 1809 and legatee in the will of James Gowdy, etc.

iii William Henry (7) : b 1789.

iv Elizabeth: b 1791, m Solomon Kendall, b N. C. 1781, both living in 1850, Guilford Co., N. C. They had:

1 Lucinda Kendall: b 1820, m Johnson and had a daughter Lucinda b 1842.

2 Keziah Kendall: b 1824.

3 Rachel Kendall: b 1828.

v Martha: b 1793, m prior to 1812 Joshua Hedgecock, b N. C. 1780, both living in 1850, resided Guilford Co., N. C. They had:

1 Alfred Hedgecock : b 1812, m 1840 Lydia Hannah, b N. C. 1817, resided Guilford Co., N. C. They had: a Mary E. Hedgecock: b 1842. b Malissa Hedgecock : b .1843. c Luzerna Hedgecock: b 1845. d Emily L. Hedgecock: b 1849.

2 Joseph Hedgecock: b 1814, m prior to 1836 Edith, b N. C. 1810, resided Guilford Co., N. C. They had:

a Henrietta Hedgecock: b 1836.

b Laura Hedgecock: b 1838.

c James Hedgecock: b 1839.

d Ruhanna Hedgecock: b 1841.

e Cyrus Hedgecock: b 1843.

f Lucy Hedgecock: b 1848.

g Emma Hedgecock: b May 1850.

3 Thomas Hedgecock: b 1816, m 1841 Eliza , b. N. C. 1823, resided Guilford Co., N. C. They had:

a Martha Hedgecock: b 1842.

b Sarah Hedgecock: b 1844.

c Emaline Hedgecock: b 1846.

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d Albert Hedgecock: b 1848.

e David Hedgecock: b Apr. 1850.

4 William W. Hedgecock: b 1818, m 1840 Ruth, b N. C. 1814, resided Guilford Co., N. C. They had:

a Newton Hedgecock: b 1841.

b Cornelia Hedgecock: b 1843.

c John Hedgecock: b 1845.

d William W. Hedgecock, Jr.: b 1849.

5 Mary Hedgecock: b 1821.

6 Joshua Hedgecock: b 1826.

7 David Hedgecock: b 1828.

8 Eliza Hedgecock: b 1832.

9 Susan Hedgecock : b 1835.

10 Emily Hedgecock: b 1838.

vi Catherine: b 1796, m prior to 1824 John Eastburn, b Pa. 1788, resided Guilford Co., N. C. to 1827 then moved to Johnson Co., Ind., both living in 1850. They had:

1 Nancy Eastburn: b 1824 N. C.

2 George Eastburn: b 1827.

3 Joshua Eastburn: b 1829 Ind.

4 Elizabeth Eastburn: b 1831.

5 Eliza Eastburn: b 1833.

6 Sarah Eastburn: b 1835.

7 Richard Eastburn: b 183?.

8 Angeline Eastburn : b 1841.

vii Charlotte: b 1798, m 9 Dec. 1818 Sanders Bevill, .they moved to Tenn. No record of children.

viii Basil: b 1800. He m prior to 1823 Mary, b N. C. 1803, migrated to Ala. where he died 1830, she m (2) James Watson, b Va. 1799, resided Tuscaloosa Co., Ala. They had

1 Keziah A.: b 1823 Ala.

2 Mary: b 1827, d small.

3 Elizabeth: b 1830, d inf.

4 James Watson: b 1833, 2d marriage.

5 Virginia Watson: b 1835.

6 Walter Watson: b 1839.

7 Ellen Watson: b 1841.

ix Rebecca: b 1802, m prior to 1829 James Downs, b N. C. 1798, resided Guilford Co., N. C. to 1845 then moved to. Tuscaloosa Co., Ala., both living in 1850. They had:

1 Alexander Downs: b 1829.

2 Charles R. Downs: b 1832.

3 William C. Downs: b 1833.

4 John Downs: b 1836.

5 Mary Downs: b 1838.

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- 6 Jane Downs: b 1840.
- 7 Sarah Downs: b 1842.
- 8 Rosanna Downs: b 1844.

x Sarah: b 1805 N. C., moved to Ala. with her mother and m prior to 1830 Levin Watson, b N. C. 1793, both living in 1850 resided Tuscaloosa Co., Ala. They had:

- 1 Lucretia Watson: b 1830.
- 2 Elizabeth Watson: b 1832.
- 3 Tobias Watson: b 1833.
- 4 Epsa Watson: b 1838.
- 5 Lucy Watson: b 1840.
- 6 Elisha Watson: b 1843.

xi Samuel (7) : b 16 Nov. 1809.

### 40 WALTER (6) BILLINGSLEY

*(James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Baltimore County, Maryland 14 July 1761, moved to Guilford County, North Carolina with his parents. He served in the Revolution during the latter part of the war. In 1833 he filed claim for a pension stating where he served and what duties he performed, etc. He stated could not produce a discharge, and that most of the ones he served with were dead so far as he knew, his service could not be verified by records then known and his claim was rejected. It appears the records of this company are still missing. There is evidence that he served and was paid for his service; in manuscript records at Raleigh, N. C. Vol. vii-84-1 there is a transcript of record by the Treasurer of Salisbury District to the Comptroller of payments made for services, etc. and on this list is the name of Walter Billingsley for 7-17-0 pounds.

In his claim for pension he submitted a leaf from the family Bible containing records. He married prior to 1789 Mary E. , born North Carolina 1771-72. They migrated to South-Carolina about 1789 and then moved to Jackson County, Tennessee about 1798, resided there to 1821-22 then moved to McMinn County. His farm was included in the portion of this county in the formation of Bradley County in the late 1830's. Mary was living in 1830 and died before 1840, he was living in 1840 and was deceased before 1850.

Children:

i John A. (7) : b 1789 S. C

ii William (7): b 1791 S. C.

iii James: b-1793 S. C., moved to Tenn. with his parents and m prior to 1825 Mary, b Tenn. 1795, resided in McMinn Co., Tenn. where he died in 1830, she m (2) Edmund Chambers and moved to Bradley Ca. where they were living in 1850. They had, known:

1 James: b 1825, d 1830's.

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- 2 Mary: b 1827, died 1837.
- 3 Walter: b 1829, died 1830's.
- 4 Edmund Horis Chambers: b 1832.

iv Elizabeth: b 1795 S. C., m prior to 1820 Robert Mansell, b S. C. 1797, resided in Pickens Dist., S. C. then moved Ga. and later located in McMinn Co., Tenn., both were living in 1860. They had, known:

1 John Mansell:- b 1820, m 1839 Polly, b Va. In 1821, resided McMinn Co., Tenn. in 1850 and later moved to Texas. They had, known:

- a Martha Mansell: b 1841.
- b John Socrates Mansell: b 1843.
- c Mary Mansell: b 1846.
- d Sarah Mansell: b 1848.

2 Richard Mansell: b 182-, moved to Texas m, died in Wood Co., Texas.

3 Joseph Mansell: b 1830 Tenn., died unmarried after 1860, was insane.

v Nancy: b 1798 Tenn., m prior to 1820 William Kelly, b Va. in 1796, both were living in 1850 in Bradley Co., Tenn. They had, known:

- 1 Julia Kelly: b 1820.
- 2 William Kelly: b 1823, d inf.
- 3 Mary Kelly: b 1825, d inf.
- 4 Orlena Kelly: b 1827.
- 5 Elizabeth Kelly: b 1831.
- 6 Martha Kelly: b 1833.
- 7 Nancy Kelly: . b 1837.
- 8 Harriet Kelly: b 1838.

vi Margaret Jane: b 1800 Tenn., m 1826 William Cook, b Va. in 1792, both living in 1850 and resided Bradley Co., Tenn. They had:

- 1 Lucinda Cook: b 1828.
- 2 Thomas J. Cook: b 1829.
- 3 Malinda Cook: b 1833.
- 4 Mary A. Cook: b 1836.
- 5 William Harrison Cook: b 1840.

vii Walter (7) : b Oct. 1802.

viii Mary Eliza: b 1804 Jackson Co., Tenn., m 1829 Nathaniel Hayes, b Tenn. 1802 both living in 1850 in Bradley Co., Tenn. They had:

- 1 James H. Hayes: b 1831.
- 2 Catherine J. Hayes: b 1833.
- 3 Elizabeth Hayes: b 1836.
- 4 Eveline Hayes: b 1840.
- 5 George Hayes: b 1842.

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6 William Hayes: b 1845.

7 Levina Hayes: b 1847.

ix Joseph (7): b 1807.

x Jesse (7): b 1809.

xi Edward H. (7): b 1811.

xii Sarah Louisa: b 1813 Jackson Co., Tenn., m prior to 1836 Jeremiah Johnson, b Tenn. 1801, resided Bradley Co., Tenn. They had:

1 James M. Johnson: b 1836.

2 .Samuel E. Johnson: b 1837.

3 Jeremiah E. Johnson: b 1839.

4 Cordelia A. Johnson: b 1841.

5 Margaret A. Johnson: b 1843.

6 William A. Johnson: b 1845.

7 Joseph A. Johnson: b 1849.

### 41 BAZIL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1764, moved to Guilford County, North Carolina about 1768. Was legatee in his father's will to the plantation jointly with his brother, Walter, in 1776. He married (1) prior to 1788 Susan , born North Carolina 176-, she died in 1815 and he married (2) 1 August 1817 Sally Dixon, born North Carolina 178-. They moved to Rockingham County, North Carolina about 1824 where he died 1831-32. She survived him and moved to Missouri with her sons. No subsequent record.

Children

i William (7) : b 1788.

ii Susan: b 1792.

iii Mary: b 1795, m 1815 Joseph Stephen Gibson, b N. C. 1790, she died 1823 and he m (2) Elizabeth Billingsley, his sister-in-law, for her children see below. They had:

1 Mary Gibson: b 1817.

2 Hiram Gibson: b 1819, m 1846 Mary, b N. C. 1822, both living in 1870, Rockingham Co., N. C. They had, known:

a Frances Gibson: b 1847.

b Elizabeth A. Gibson: b Sept. 1850.

c Mary L. Gibson: b 1852.

d Robert Sidney Gibson: b 1860.

e Hiram Gibson: b 1863.

3 Franklin Gibson: b 1823, m 1863 Mary A., b . C. 1847. They had:

a Sarah E. Gibson: b 1865.

b Mary A . Gibson: b 1868.

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iv Bazil: b 1800, d 1815.

v Eliza: b 1803, m a Mr. Robertson.

vi Elizabeth: b 1805, m 1826 Joseph Stephen Gibson, his 2d wife, both living in 1870, Rockingham Co., N. C. They had:

1 William Gibson: b 1828.

2 Mahala Gibson: b 1830.

3 John Gibson: b 1832, m 1850 Lucy, b N. C. 1832.

4 Jackson Gibson: b 1834, m 1855 Mahala, b N. C. 1831, both living 1870 Rockingham Co., N. C. They had:

a John Gibson: b 1857.

b Pleasant Gibson: b 1860.

c Elizabeth Gibson: b 1862.

d Mary Gibson: b 1866.

e Virginia Gibson: b 1868.

f Sarah Gibson: b Aug. 1870.

vii . John: b 1810, d unmarried.

viii Margaret: b 1815, d childhood.

ix James: b 1818, 2d wife, died 1830's.

x Bazil: b 1819, d 1832.

xi Thomas: b 1821, moved to Mo.

xii William Henry: b 1825, moved to Mo.

### 42 SAMUEL (6) BILLINGSLEY

*(Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.)* Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1765. He migrated to Wilkes County, Georgia prior to 1787. On March 4, 1787 he was deeded 200 acres of land on Little River by Samuel and Elizabeth Thornton, and on 10 December 1787 he was deeded 350 acres of land by Nehemiah and Elizabeth Wood of Augusta, Georgia. He married prior to 1790 Mary Winston, born Georgia 176869. He is listed in Tax Digests of 1792 as owning 200 acres of land in Wilkes County. He was executor to the will of Franky Atkins, which he probated 10 June 1801, was legatee in his father's will in 1799 and was one of the executors, his brother James being the other. He made final return on this estate 5 March 1805. In the Land Lottery of 1803 he had two draws, and in the one of 1806 he had two draws for himself, and executed two draws as executor to the estate of his brother, William. He died January 1807 and on 12 January 1807 the estate of Samuel Billingsley was appraised by Francis Billingslea, Alexander Norris, John Langdon, and John Hendricks. Mary survived him some years and was deceased prior to 1820. Children used the name of Billingslea.

Children:

i B. (7) : b 27 Dec. 1790.

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ii Winston: . b 1792. He served as 2d Corp Little's Ga. Militia in the War of 1812,-was 5 feet and 10 inches in height, blue eyes, and dark .hair. He. married 15 Jan. 1843 Malinda Johnson, b Ga. 1816. He was granted 160 acres of land 17 Nov. 1855 for 1812 service, resided in Harris Co., Ga. where he died 12 July 1856, his estate administered by Benjamin Johnson. Malinda survived him, moved to Opelika, Ala. where she applied in 1872 for land and a pension on 1812 service under Act of 1871. Land claim was rejected and the pension claim allowed on his service in War of 1812 and continued to date of her death 4 Sept. 1897. They had:

1 Mary A.: b 1844.

2 Martha E.: b 1845.

3 Ophelia: b 1847.

4 Malinda J.: b 1854.

5 Lalissa J.: b 1854.

6 Virginia: b 1855.

iii Mary: b Oct. 1793, m Dec. 1813 Wilkes Co., Ga. Thomas Borum, moved to Jackson Co., Ga. in 1830's, had two daughters living in 1820.

iv John: b Feb. 1795. Resided in Harris Co., Ga. in June 1850. On 16 Nov. 1850 he applied for land for service in War of 1812 stating he served as Pvt. Capt. John Little's Co., Col. Harris' Regt. 20 Aug. 1813 to 1 Nov. 1814 as a substitute for William Northen, and was granted 80 acres of land 20 Aug. 1851. On 30 Nov. 1855 he was granted an additional 80 acres of land on same service. On 2 Mar. 1872 he applied for a pension under Act. of 1871. In this claim he states he did not bear arms against the Union in war of 1861-65, the claim was allowed and he was pensioned 19 July 1872 for 1812 service. The pension records do not show when he died. There is no evidence that he was ever married. Why he should have applied for a pension is not understood as he was a wealthy man for his day and time. He died about 1876-77 leaving a large estate including two cotton mills and said to have been estimated approximately \$150,000. Samuel C. Billingslea of Miss. spent a major part of the year 1878 in Ga. settling up the estate.

v Howell: b 1798 Wilkes Co., Ga., moved to Troupe Co., Ga. where he m prior to 1823 Mary, b Ga. 1802. He was a farmer resided Troupe Co., Ga. and moved to Co., Ma. about 1834 where they resided to 1840 then returned to Troupe Co., Ga., and after a few

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years removed to Tallapoosa Co., Ala. Both were deceased before 1860. They had:

1 Francis: b 1823, d 1835.

2 Mary: b 1826 Ga.

3 Nancy: b 1831 Ga., m 1858 James M. Estes, b Tenn. 1806, resided Troupe Co., Ga. They had:

a William R. Estes: b 1859.

4 Ann: b 1833 Ga., m prior to 1855 Randolph Pearson, b Ga. 1831, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala., both living in 1870. They had, known:

a John Pearson: b 1855.

b Charles Pearson: b 1860.

c Willis Pearson: b 1863.

d Leonidas Pearson: b 1867.

5 Henry G.: b 1834 Ala. Moved to Monroe Co., Ark. about 1856 where he was a merchant in 1860.

6 Emily: b Dec. 1835, m 1856 John G. McLendon; b Ga. 1829, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala. They had, known:

a Ella M. McLendon: b 1857.

b Emily McLendon: b 1859.

c David A.: b 1838 Ala. Moved to Hempstead Co., Ark.: where he m prior to 1860 Letty A. Armstrong, b S. C. 1838. No subsequent record.

8 James: b 1840 Chambers Co., Ala., moved to Monroe Co., Ark., with his brother, Henry; a merchant in 1860, m Lucy prior to 1870 and resided Clarke Co., Ark. in 1880. They had:

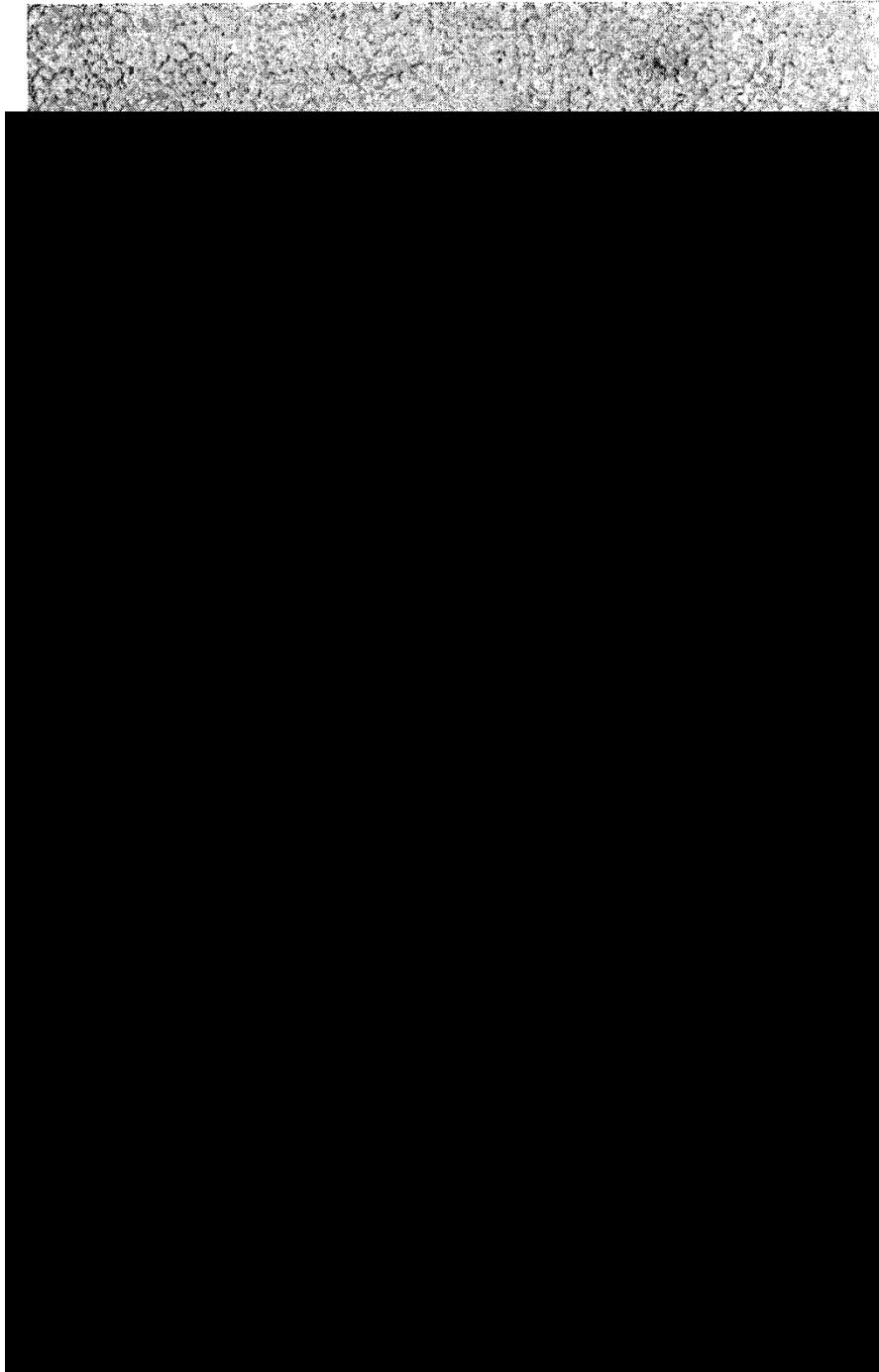
a Frank: b 1870.

9 Francis H.: b 1841 Troupe Co., Ga., was living in 1860 Troupe Co., Ga., with his sister, Nancy Estes.,

10 Howell: b 1842 Troupe Co., Ga., moved to Ala. with his parents. He enlisted 24 July 1861 at Hackneyville, Ala., Pvt. G, 14<sup>th</sup> Ala. Inf., C. S. A.; lost thumb and 1<sup>st</sup> finger, right hand, at Gettysburg, 2 July 1863; A. W. O: L. 8 Oct. 1863. Discharged Surgeon's Certificate of Disability 16 Mar. 1864 at Orange Court House, Va. He was 5 feet 10 inches in height, gray eyes, and dark hair. He evidently enlisted again as he was on a List of Prisoners paroled 20 June 1865 at Talladega, Ala. He m prior to 1870 Elizabeth, b Ala. 1840, resided Tallapoosa. Co., Ala. No record of children.

vi James: b Sept. 1800. He m (1) prior to 1820 Sarah , b Ga. 1798, resided Jasper Co., Ga. in 1820, she died 1827 and he m (2) Mary , b Ga. 1800, moved to Heard Co., Ga. where he died 1833 and she m (2) George Aldridge,





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b R. I. 1790, both were living in 1870 in Heard Co., Ga. They had:

1 Sarah: b 1823, died act. 12 years.

2 Elizabeth: b 1827, died inf.

3 James: b 1833, 2d wife. He enlisted 23 Sept. 1861 Pvt. D, 35<sup>th</sup> Ga. Inf., C. S. A., died 2 Aug. 1862 at General Hospital, Danville, Va. of pneumonia.

4 William Aldridge: b 1835, 2d marriage.

5 Eliza Telitha Aldridge: b 1837.

6 Henry H. Aldridge: b 1841.

vii Charity: b 1802, m 14 Jan. 1819 Wilkes Co., Ga. Burwell L. Barnes, moved to Harris Co., Ga. before 1830. No record of children.

viii Samuel: b 1805, died 1808.

### 43 SARAH ANN (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford, Maryland in 1766-67. She married 1782-83 Thomas Norris, born Baltimore County, Maryland 23 January 1756, a twin. The following account is taken from the manuscript records of The Norris Family completed 1930 by the compiler of this Billingsley history. He was educated in the schools of Baltimore, Maryland. In 1776 he and his brother, John, enlisted as Privates, Captain John H. Stone's Company, 1<sup>st</sup> Maryland Regular Troops. (*Arch. Md. vol. xviii-5.*) In 1778 Thomas signed the Oath of Allegiance on the Return of James Me "Thomas Norris, of John." , (*Mss. Md. records vol. iii, 1.*) After 1778 he probably read medicine with some physician in Baltimore as there is no record of his having attended lectures or of graduating from any of the four medical colleges in existence in 1780. Dr. Norris moved to Wilkes County, Georgia the latter part of the year 1786 and there is extant a letter written by him dated April 1787 to his brother, John Norris, in Harford County, Maryland in which he mentions a piece of land he bought which he intended to open up in the fall. His brother, Alexander Norris, either moved to Georgia with him or followed shortly afterwards as Alexander was recipient of a grant of land, 108 acres, in 1789. His father in law, Francis Billingsley, followed him to Wilkes County, Georgia late in the year 1789 or early in 1790. Thomas and Sarah Norris deeded land to Samuel Billingsley 27 December 1790. (*Deeds Lib. 1790-2 fols. 289-40.*) They made a quit claim deed to John Nelson 6 September 1793: (*Deeds Lib. - MM, fols. 476-479.*) Thomas Norris was appointed guardian for Mary Billingsley April 1800 in Wilkes County, Georgia. He moved to Baldwin County, Georgia about 1804, this portion was made a part of Morgan County in 1808. There is recorded in Morgan County a deed of Gift to his daughter, Mary Norris, of a slave, etc. this deed made 9 April 1803 in Wilkes County,

Georgia and not recorded till 9 April 1818 in Morgan County. On January .1<sup>st</sup>, .1818 .Thomas deeded to his son, Benjamin B. Morris, 2 slaves for use & benefit of the two children of sd Benjamin B. Morris, etc. He died at Madison, Georgia 23 April 1818 and is buried there. The stone on his grave is still in an excellent state of preservation. This grave is marked with a bronze marker of the Sons of the American Revolution furnished by the compiler, it was placed and dedicated under the auspices of Henry Walton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution of Madison, Georgia; in May 1930. He was an old line Whig and the family Methodists. There is evidence to warrant statement that he was a member of the Masonic fraternity tho the lodge in which he was made a Mason is not known. On the 8 May 1818 there is a quit claim deed from Benjamin B. Morris "For the natural Love & Affection towards my mother, said Sarah Morris, Asceneth Ann Lane, Susan Morris, Emily Morris, Mary Morris, Thomas Pinckney Morris, Alexander Morris, Calvin Morris, William Morris, and James Morris, my brothers and sisters, etc., in as much as he hath received from my father in his life time such assistance as doth hereby quit claim all right & title to the ad estate to ad mother, Sarah Morris, for life and at her death same to be divided among remaining brothers and sisters." (*Deed, recorded 11 Mar. 181;*.) Thomas Morris died without leaving any will. Bond for administration of his estate was made 1 March 1819 by Sarah Morris, with Samuel Shields and Edward Lane as bondsmen for \$14,000. (Adms Lib. K, fol. 85.) An additional bond was made by Sarah Morris on 12 July 1823 for \$10,000, with Nathaniel Allen and Hudson T. Ware as.

It will be noted that the deed of Benjamin B. Morris establishes proof of the children with exception of one, John B. Morris. On 5. March 1823 Thomas P. Morris, of Mobile, Alabama appoints "my brother, John B. Morris, of Cahaba, sd State" my lawful attorney for estate of my late father, Thomas Morris, of Morgan County, Georgia to make over to my mother, etc. (*Deeds Lib. 188, fol. X38.*) On 14 February 1824 John B. Morris, attorney for Thomas P. Morris, appoints his brother, Calvin R. Morris, of Morgan County, Georgia as attorney for sd Thomas P. Norris, signed at Cahaba, Alabama. On the same date John B. Norris-makes a quit claim deed to. his mother, Sarah Morris. Calvin R. Morris, attorney for Thomas P. Morris, of the State of Alabama deeds to Sarah Morris, widow of late Thomas Morris; deceased, of the county and state aforesaid, etc. dated 11 March 1824. Said Calvin R. Morris made a quit claim deed to estate of Thomas Morris to his mother 14 February 1824. On 8 March 1824 Sarah Norris, administratrix of Thomas Morris, decsd, executed two deeds to Felix Bryan, lots 637 and 638 for \$200, and a lot 54 for 1600. (*Deeds Lib. 1824, fols. 2,42-2.1,3.*) On 18 March 1824 Sarah Morris deeded to Hudson T. Ware a slave for \$600. (*Deeds Lib. 1824, fol. 240.*) This is the last record of Sarah in Georgia. She moved to Dallas County, Alabama. where 1? June 1824 she was granted a Y4 section of land



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by the U. S. government. She deeded this land to James Scott on 14 -July--1825, deed witnessed by John B. Norris. . She died before .1827 and is buried in the old cemetery at Cahaba tho no stone marks her grave. Evidence of her decease before 1827 or earlier is that the State of Georgia in 1827 issued certificates for land for Revolutionary service to soldiers, their widows, or heirs. Thomas Norris died in 1818, Sarah, as widow, does not-appear, but Alexander Norris, eldest son and heir at law, does appear and was granted the land. This Alexander still owned this land in 1851.

With exception of the direct line of the compiler and the line of Emily -Frances Norris, the children of Sarah Ann Billingsley Norris will not be carried forward in this history as they are fully accounted for in the Manuscript History of the Norris Family completed in 1930.

Children:

i Asenath Ann Norris: b 178- Md., m Edward Lane.

ii Alexander Norris: b Feb. 1786 Md., m Susan (Marshall ?).

iii John Bradford Norris (7) : b Mar. 1787 Ga.

iv Benjamin Billingsley Norris: b 1789, m Mary E. Rutherford.

v Child: b 1791, died infancy.

vi Susan Norris: b 1794, m Hudson. T. Ware, see Ware Excursus.

vii Emily Frances Norris (7) : b 30 Jan. 1796 Ga., m 28 Dec. 1818 Judge Nathaniel Allen, b Va. 3 Nov. 1783, resided Madison, Ga., she died 21 Oct. 1862 and he died 26 Apr. 1865, buried Madison, Ga. They had:

1 Sarah Ann Allen: b 18 July 1821.

2Nathaniel Norris Allen (8) : b 22 May 1824. Was a physician, m 30 May 1855 Sarah Louise Wade, b 22 Mar. 1821. He died 13 Oct. 1881 at Galveston, Tex., she died 24 Nov. 1907. They had:

a Mary Emily Allen (9): b 4 Feb. 1872, m 25 June 1890 George Smedley Osborne, b Eng. reside Hempstead, Tex. .They had:

al Louise Ellen Osborne (10) : b 17 Apr. 1892, m 29 Nov. 1915, James Thomas Schindler, reside Hempstead, Tex. They had: Jane Allen; Thomas Osborne; and Mary Louise.

b Nathaniel Norris Allen, Jr. (9) : b 19 Feb. 1874, m - 8 Oct., 1913 Nell. Sandmeyer, he is a physician, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

bl Virginia Allen (10) : b 21 Aug. 1914.

b2 Sarah Nell, Allen (10) : b 10 Dec. 1915.

3 Pamela Frances Allen (8) : b 24 Apr. 1826, m (1) 27 July 1843 Thomas Wyatt, b Va. 1809, he

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died 4 Nov. 1844; she m-. (2) 2 Nov. 1847 Samuel R. Blake, b N. C. 1815, he died 1867 in Tex., she died 3 May 1890 Tex. There were 5 Blake children. They had:

a Emily Kate Wyatt (9) : b. 14 June 1844, m 4 Feb. 1864 Tex., William Wharton Groce, b Tex. 12 Sept. 1837, she died at Galveston, Tex., 9 July 1920, he died 25 May 1924. They had:

al Fannie Blake Groce: b 15 Dec. 1864, died 26 May 1879.

a2 Leonard C. Groce: b 26 Sept. 1867, m Maximina Machen, he died 2 Mar. 1928.

a3 Leila Groce: b 26 May 1871, m 13 Sept. 1893 James M. Cravens.

4 Sarah Wharton Groce (10) : b 23 Dec. 1876, m 26 Apr. 1898 George Berlet, b Tex. 8 Apr. 1869, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a Emily Kathleen Berlet (11): b 25 Feb. 1899.

b John Wharton Berlet: b 17 Sept. 1901.

c Travis Montgomery Berlet: b 5 Feb. 1904.

d William Groce Berlet: b 5 Dec. 1905.

e Rosalin Allen Berlet: b 15 Jan. 1910.

5 Katie Willeen Groce (10): b 14 July 1880, m (1) 19 Dec. 1900 Arthur Richard Billingsley, b Canada 14 Nov. 1860, he died 29 Dec. 1902 Tex., she m (2) Robert J. Calder, reside Galveston Tex. See Billingsley Part VIII. They had:

a Bruce Calder Billingsley (11) : b 5 Oct. 1901.

b Kate Willeen Calder: b 16 Oct. 190?.

c Robert J. Calder: b 11 Dec. 1916.

viii Mary Norris: b 1798 Ga., died unmarried in Tex. in the 1880's.

ix Thomas Pinckney Norris: b 22 Mar. 1801, m Mary Tuttle Baldwin.

x Calvin R. Norris: b 1806, m Emily Croom.

xi William Jefferson Norris: b 26 July 1808, m Rebecca Lou Rutherford.

xii James Archer Norris: b 1 June 1810, m Sarah Ann Moss.

#### 44 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEY

(Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 13 May 1769, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with his parents about 1789. He married about 1793 Sarah Turner, born Georgia 16 March 1776, daughter of Meahack and Rebecca Turner, see

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Turner Excursus. They moved to Greene County, Georgia where he was one of the early settlers. He dated his -will 4 April-1800 and died 31 October 1800, will probated November 1800. Sarah married (2) in 1801 a Mr-Foster, she died 21 May 1804. From family records of Dr. C. C. Billingslea it is learned the children were reared in the home of Francis J. Billingslea, of Wilkes County, Georgia.  
Children:

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They had, known:

1 Sarah W. Turner: b 1794, m Francis B. Billingslea, No. 111, which see, she d 1859 Miss.

2 James Turner: b ca 1798.

3 John Turner: b 18-. Ga.

4 Daniel Calhoun Turner: b 1802 Wilkes Co., Gs. Moved to Cobb Co., Ga. where he m Nancy Culwell, b Ga. 1812; a widow who had several children at the time of this marriage. Resided Cobb Co., Ga. in 1850. No record of any children.

5 Meshack Turner: b 180-, died small.

6 Martha Coleman Turner: b 1812 Ga., probably Wilkes Co. She married (1) prior to 1830 a Mr. Williamson. They removed from Wilkes Co. to west Ga. where he died about 1845. She married (2) a Mr. Barnes and resided in Ga. to about 1858 when they moved to Miss. She was a widow in 1880 and resided in Rankin Co., Miss. in the home of her daughter, Sallie, where she died 1885-86. They had:

a James Thomas Jefferson Williamson: b ca 1830 in Ga. He enlisted 28 Apr. 1862 as Pvt. G. 28<sup>th</sup> Miss. Cav., C. S. A.; made Brigade Scout 3 Oct. 1863. On a roll of Prisoners 14 Dec. 1864, cap. at Lebanon, Tenn.; 4 Jan. 1865 at Camp Chase, Ohio; on 9 Apr. 1865 at Yandell hospital; paroled 12 May 1865. He moved to Texas before 1870. No record of his family.

b Minerva Williamson: b 1832 Ga., m a Mr. Skinner and moved to Texas, has a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Roark, living in Texas, address not known.

c John Andrew Williamson: b 5 Dec. 1834 Ga., m Sara Rebecca Billingslea, No. 433, which see.

d Wyatt H. Williamson: b 1837 Ga. He enlisted 24 Aug. 1861 at Grenada, Miss. as Pvt. B, 6<sup>th</sup> Miss. Inf., C. S. A. Wounded at Point Gibson 1 May 1863, served in 6<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 43d Regis. On 9 Apr. 1865 was Pvt. A, 14<sup>th</sup>, Miss. Consol. Inf. He m Sue Hill, lived and died in Hinds Co., Miss.

e Margaret A. Williamson: b 1839 Ga., m prior to 1859 Henry A. Miley, b Miss. 1840, resided Rankin Co., Miss. in 1870. They had:

e1 Jesse D. Miley: b 1859.

e2 Robert H. Miley: b 1861.

e3 Susan E. Miley: b 1864.

e4 -Eliza C. Miley: b 1868.

e5 Henry L. Miley: b May 1870.



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f Elizabeth Williamson: b -1841 Ga., m Thomas Lawrence, she died in Rankin Co., Miss.

g Sallie Williamson: b 1843 Ga., m prior to 1867 J. M. Williams, b Miss. 1847, resided Rankin Co., Miss. They had, known:

g1 John N. Williams: b 1867.

g2 Martha Coleman Williams: b 1873.

g3 James Williams: b 1876.

h L. Eva Williamson: b 1845-46 Ga., m prior to 1871 I. B. Lawrence, b Miss. 1850, resided Rankin Co. Miss.

They had, known:

h1 John Lawrence: b 1871

h2 Luther Lawrence: b 1875.

h3 Jefferson Lawrence: b 1876.

h4 Maud Lawrence: b 1879.

i Daniel Barnes: b ca 1848 Ga., 2d marriage. Edna Cotton Barnes: b 1850 Ga., m prior to 1870 Jesse Lawrence, b Miss. 1837, resided Rankin Co., Miss. They had:

i1 Martha L. Lawrence: b 1870.,

i2 Mary A. Lawrence: b 1872.

i3 Jesse A. Lawrence: b 1874.

i4 E. L. Lawrence: b 1876 (son).

i5 Thomas G. Lawrence: b 1879.

7 Manuel Coleman Turner: b 1814-15 Ga. \$ m (1) Susan she died 1836 and he m (2) prior to 1844 Cynthia, b Ga. 1820, resided Cobb. Co., Ga. They had:

a William C. Turner: b 1835.

b Susannah Turner: b 1836.

c Cynthia Turner: b 1844.

d Nancy E. H. Turner: b 1846.

e Amanda Turner: b 1848.

f Manuel C. Turner: b Feb. 1850.

v Sarah Turner: b 16 Mar. 1776, m 1792 William Billingslea, No. 44, which see.

vi Susannah Turner: b 177-, m Wilhite prior to 1796.

vii Polly Turner: b 178-, unmarried in 1796.

45 WALTER (6) BILLINGSLEA

(Francis 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Baltimore County, Maryland December 1769. He migrated to Wilkes County, Georgia with his brother-in-law, Thomas Norris. He married (1) February 1788 Jeanne Watson, born 176-. He was a farmer. In 1797 a petition was made to the State legislature for a divorce and a bill was

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introduced, it, was passed 10 -February 1797. This procedure made to fully protect property rights of each party. He married (2) about July 1797 Alcey Jane Lawyer, born Georgia in 1780, daughter of Joseph Lawyer. He was legatee in his father's will in 1798, and Tax Digests of 1792 Wilkes County show he owned land which bordered some of his father's land. They moved .to Baldwin County, Georgia about 1805 with some of the other members of the family. He was a party to a deed with Cyrus, Francis J., and James Billingslea, Thomas Norris, and David White 29 December 1809 to James Milligan, a parcel of land 202 X acres, Lot 263 in "Old Baldwin County." (*Deeds 1809*, fol. 387.) Resided Morgan County and engaged in farming. Alcey died about 1818. In 1822 he moved to Alabama with John B. Norris and others and resided for a time in Cahaba, then moved to Montgomery County where lie died between 1842 and 1849.

A word concerning Jeanne: after her divorce she moved to Greene County, Georgia near her mother and after 1803 she moved to Morgan County. It is not known the name of her father, her mother was Margaret Watson who dated her will 21 Sept. 1802 in Greene County, Georgia: "I, Margaret Watson of the County of Greene and State of Georgia being low in health but of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others. I give and bequeath to the children of my daughter Mary Hunter my Negro girl Pheby they to receive the benefits of her until the youngest of them shall arrive at the age of twenty one years and then it is my desire that the said Negro with all of her increase be equally divided between them. I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret one negro girl named Esther with all her increase provided that the said Margaret pays to John Wilson forty dollars at the time of receiving the said Negro. I give and bequeath to my daughter Jane my proportion of the outstanding debts due to the estate of Daughter Watson Decs'd. I give and bequeath to my grand daughter Polly Billingslea my saddle and all my wearing apparel. I do appoint my son Douglas Watson Executor to this my last will and testament. Given under my hand and sealed with my seal this 21<sup>st</sup> day. of September, eighteen hundred and two.

Margaret Watson

Her X Mark

Test. Hester Lawkey. Benjamin Baldwin

Proven in open Court by oaths of subscribing witnesses and recorded 30 September 1803. ; s It is not known if there is any relationship between this Margaret Watson and the Douglas Watson recorded in the Park Excursus tho from

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the name of her son being Douglas it is apparent there is some relation-ship.

On-12 May 1807 she executed a deed of gift to three grand children, Allen, Hannah, and Rachel McLain, children of my daughter, Rhoda, wife of Lewis McLain, to each a feather bed and furniture, etc. On 4 December 1809 she executed another deed of gift to grand daughters, Alice and Elizabeth McLain, each a feather bed, pewter ware, and chairs, etc. This deed was recorded 25 January 1810. (*Deeds Lib. B, fol. 48,4.9.*) She moved to Jasper County, Georgia about February 1810 and died 1815-1817.

##### Children

i Rhoda: b Nov. 1788, m 1804 Lewis McLain, resided Greene and Morgan Cos., Ga. They had, known

1 Allen McLain: b Jan. 1805.

2 Hannah McLain: b Feb. 1806.

3 Rachel McLain: b May 1807.

4 Alice McLain: b Nov. 1809.

5 Elizabeth McLain: b Nov. 1809, a twin.

ii Jeanne: b 1790, died childhood.

iii Mary (7) : b 1793.

iv Asenath: b 1796, died infancy.

v John: b 1798, 2d wife, m 4 Jan. 1817 Jasper Co., Ga. Polly Ross, moved to Ala. in 1822 and died sine prole.

vi Joseph Lawyer (7): b 1800 Ga.

vii Alcey Jane: b 1807, died childhood.

#### 46 FRANCIS J. (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 28 October 1774, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with his parents in 1789. He married (1) prior to 1797 Martha Partridge, born 9 February 1777. He was named in his father's will in 1798. On 9 July 1800 he was chosen as guardian by John Billingslea. In Land Lottery of 1803 he had two draws, and in the Lottery of 1806 he also had two draws. On 12 January 1807 he was appraiser on the estate of Samuel Billingslea, deceased, with Alexander Norris, John Langdon, and John Hendricks. In or about 1808 he was plaintiff against one Bazil. Lamar concerning land and produced the original plat and grant, etc., Cyrus and James Billingslea were his security, etc. In Inferior Court record 1817-1824, folio 135 he was one of a committee to investigate the will of John Langdon. He was a resident of Wilkes County in 1820. This portion of the county became Taliaferro County in the 1820's.

The children of his brother William who died in 1800 were reared in his home. Martha had a brother Nicholas, who resided in Taliaferro County. Martha died 12 September 1836 and he married (2) 17 April 1838 Lucinda (Towns) Duberry, widow, born Georgia, in 1797, a daughter

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of William Towns who died in Wilkes County in 1811 and Rebecca, his wife, who died in Taliaferro County before 25 September 1847 and mentions in her will her daughter Lucinda and Francis Billingslea, etc. Francis J. was a planter and slave owner, he dated his will 11 October 1847, he was living June 1850 and died 14 September 1850, said will probated 4 October 1850. He makes no provision for his living daughter but divides his estate into five parts, one to Wife, Lucinda; one to son, John; one to son, Francis Alexander; one to Garland Wingfield in trust for son, James and his children, some of them by a first wife; and one to son, Cyrus. Lucinda was living in October 1850 and was deceased before 1860. Francis and Martha are buried in the family plot on the plantation. I am reliably informed the old home is still standing but has passed out of the family. No children by second marriage.

Children:

i Sarah: b 2 Apr. 1797 Wilkes Co., Ga. She m Garland Wingfield and died 11 Mar. 1830, buried in the family lot on the plantation, Taliaferro Co., Ga. No mention of any children.

ii Francis : b 1798, died 1829 in Ala.

iii John: b 1798, a twin, died 1821 in Ga.

iv Martha: b 1800, died 1809.

v Cyrus (7) : b 1803 Ga.

vi James W. (7): b 1807.

vii Martha: b 1811 Wilkes Co., Ga., she m Josiah Brown and moved to Ala. She was living in Chambers Co., Ala. In 1860 and a widow, only child of record is:

1 Martha Ann Brown: b 1840 Ala.

viii Walter: b 1817, died small.

ix Mary: b 1820, died 1822-23. John: b 1822. Was living in 1860 in Dougherty Co., Ga.

xi Francis Alexander: b 1825 Taliaferro Co., Ga. He married 28 Mar. 1848 Rebecca Ann . O'Neal, b Ga. 1828. They moved to Dougherty Co., Ga. about 1858 where he was a farmer and listed in 1860 with real estate and personality valued at 153,000. He enlisted 4 Aug. 1863 as Pvt. Capt. James' Co., 15<sup>th</sup> Batt. Cav., Ga. State Guards. No further record of this organization. On a supposed List of Prisoners paroled at Albany, Ga. 1 July 1865 is one "F. A. Billingslea." He died about 1869, Rebecca was living in 1880. They had:

1 Cornelia: b 1849 Taliaferro Co., Ga., she m prior to 1870 Dr. Alexander, both deceased some years prior to 1932. They had:

a Annie Belle Alexander: b 18-, m Nicholas Cruger,

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she -was living at last accounts and resided Baltimore, Md. They had:

al Wright Cruger.

2 Francis A.: b 1852. Went to Texas after 1870.

3 Mary: b 1854, m prior to 1877 Col. Edward Wight, b Ga. 1847; she was living 1932 in Atlanta, Ga. They had.  
a Edward Wight: b 1877.

4 Robert A.: b Dec. 1859 Dougherty Co., Ga. Went to Texas after 1880.

5 Child: b 186-, d inf.

6 Julia Gertrude: b 1868, m a Mr. Peck. No children.

## 47 CYRUS (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 1775-76, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with his parents about 1789. He is listed in Land Lottery of 1803 with two draws. He married prior to 1805 Elizabeth Scott, born 17- said to be of a Virginia family. He is listed in Land Lottery of 1806 with two draws. On 26 August 1806 he witnessed the will of Anna Dana; on 11 April 1807 he witnessed the will of one James Gresham. In 1807 he was, with his brother James, security for Francis J. Billingslea in his suit against one Basil. Lamar. He was administrator with his brother, James, on the estate of Clement Billingslea and on 25 October 1808 was given a receipt by Patsey Billingslea the widow for \$1500 as her share of the estate this instrument recorded in Morgan County, Georgia. (*Deeds C, fol. 44.*) On 29 Dec. 1809 he was a party, to a deed to John Milligan of Morgan County for land in said County formerly old Baldwin County. (*Deeds C, fol. 38y.*) They settled in Morgan County early in 1810 and on 14 August 1810 he was a witness to a deed in a sheriff's sale of land of the estate of John Billingslea. (*Deeds B, fol. 316.*) He was Captain of the 285<sup>th</sup> District Company, Georgia Militia. (*Min. of Court 1809-i0, fol. X06.*) He resigned as Captain 26 June 1812. He was Collector of Taxes 1812 Morgan County, Georgia. On 23 June 1821 he was deeded by Van Leonard and William Clark 14 of Lot 248, 50 5/8 acres adjoining land he now owns. (*Deeds 180-21, fol. i60.*) On 13 November 1822 he was deeded by Presley and Sally Pritchard Lot 256, 202 q acres. On 21 July 1824 he deeded to Francis Billingslea, Senior and John W. Porter, Morgan County, land and other effects in trust for my daughter Sarah Barrow, etc. (*Deeds i828-24, fol. 292.*) On 6 April 1826 he deeded to the same parties a Negro, Kitty, in trust for use of daughter Sarah Barrow, etc. (*Deeds A, fol. 14.*) He dated his will July 1825; names wife, Elizabeth; daughter Sarah Barrow; daughter Nancy Scott Ware; daughter Eliza Elizabeth Park; and son, Francis James Billingslea. Thomas J.

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Park, William Ware, and Francis James Billingslea, when he comes of age, named as. executors. Witnessed by William. Davenport, William Jones, and Marcus Hemphill. This will was probated in open court 3 July 1826 by the-subscribing witnesses. On 29 September 1829 a certified copy of this will was drawn up and signed by John W. Porter, Ordinary dated 12 o'clock midnight, and furnished Thomas J. Park. This copy is still in possession of Judge James B. Park. Will recorded in Morgan County, Georgia and is too long for entire inclusion. Elizabeth survive him a few years and appears to have been deceased in 1830.

Children:

i Sarah D.: b 1805 Wilkes Co., Ga., moved to Morgan Co., Ga. with her parents and m (1) prior to July 1825 William T. Barrow, of Burke Co., Ga. She was a legatee in her father's will in 1825. Barrow died and she m. (2) prior to 1843 John Jones, known as "Jack" and also as "Whirlwind" Jones. He died prior to 1850. She died at Clinton, Ga. 1862-64. They had:

1 Cyrus Billingslea Barrow: b 1826. He m prior to 1855 Emily F. Williams, b Ga. 1832. He was Editor and Teacher and is said to have died about 1898, resided Morgan Co., Ga. They had:

a Cyrus B. Barrow, Jr.: b 1855.

b John P. Barrow: b 185?.

c Frances Barrow: b May 1860. She m (1) W. A. McLain, (2) ca 1922 C. M. Adams. She died in 1930 at Macon, Ga. About 1923 we made considerable effort to get some statements from her concerning her Billingslea connection but for some reason she would never reply. We did succeed, however, thru a third party in Texas in getting what we were after. It appears she had been in communication with John Billingsley of Ill. Who had sent her some data concerning the Ky. family, etc. and that she had assumed that this John of Ky. was the father of Cyrus and used the record for a D. A. R. line. They had:

cl William K. McLain: b 18-, m , resided Bonham, Tex. 1923.

c2 Sarah McLain: b 18-, m prior to 1923 C. R. Bush. Reside Macon Ga. 1930. We have not been able to secure any information about this lady.

d Susie Barrow: b 186-, m Fort E. Land, resided Macon, Ga. in 1923.

2 John Barrow: b 182-, died 1856 at Philadelphia, Pa. Buried at Clinton, Ga.

3 Francis O: Jones: b 1843. Living in 1860.

ii Nancy Scott (7) : b 1807.

iii Eliza Elizabeth: b 22 Feb. 1809, m Thomas J. Park, b 7 Mar. 1802, he died 16 Jan. 1856 Morgan Co., Ga., she died 12 July 1884. See Park Excursus. They had four children, three died in infancy.

1 James Billingslea Park: b 25 Nov. 1825, m Missouri Edrington Billingslea, 1<sup>st</sup> cousins, see No. 279.

iv Francis James (7): b 1810.

#### 48 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 23 June 1778, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with his parents in 1789. Was named as one of the executors to his father's will. On 9 July 1800 James Billingslea was chosen as guardian by Clement and Howell Billingslea. On 23 February 1801 he was again chosen by them as their guardian. In the Land Lottery of 1803 he is listed with one draw. On 5 March 1805 he signed as one of the executors the final return of the estate of his father. He married (1) in the year 1805 Mildred Grant, born North Carolina in 1780. She was a daughter of Thomas Grant, born Hanover County, Virginia in 1757 and Frances Owen. Thomas was a son of Daniel Grant and Elizabeth Tail; and Frances was a daughter of John Owen and Mildred Grant. Thomas and Frances were the parents of Daniel who m Lucy Crutchfield; William who m Ritura Mills; Thomas who m Mary Baird; and Elizabeth who m William Love. Thomas Grant moved to North Carolina where he served as Ensign and Lieutenant in the Revolution, later moved to Wilkes County, Georgia where he died in 1828. (*D. A. R. Mag. Sept. 197.*) Mildred died in 1807 sine prole. In 1807 James was security for his brother, Francis, in a land suit. On 22 July 1808 he was one of the appraisers to estate of Lesley Coats. On 20 February 1811 he signed an affidavit as "Justice of the Peace." All above in Wilkes County, Georgia. He migrated to Jones County where he married (2) 5 October 1814 Elizabeth, daughter of Solomon Slatter and Nancy Flewellen, born 4 April 1788, and the widow of William D. Bunkley whom she had married 30 January 1805, she had four children at the time of this marriage. James Billingslea was a planter and appears to have been prosperous, it is believed he inherited considerable estate by his second marriage, and, handled it to good advantage. He died 26 April 1829 and is buried at Clinton, Georgia. She married (3) 29 January 1832 Samuel Lowther, Esquire, he died in 1837 sine prole, she resided in Clinton, Georgia until after the civil war. It is said she was quite patriotic during the period and converted much of her property into Confederate money, but held her slaves. She moved to Montgomery, Alabama and resided with her daughter where she died 28 March 1871 said to have

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left an estate of approximately \$500,000 which was considered very enormous in that day and time.

The old homestead in Jones County, Georgia was standing in 1923 and owned by a Mr. Jones, no connection of the family. It is not definitely known if this house was the original Billingslea home, or the home of Samuel Lowther tho it would appear that it is the Billingslea home. Dates of the children on this family are taken from the family Bible and were written by Elizabeth Billingslea, . said Bible was in possession of Mrs. F. M: Loveless, of Atlanta, Georgia in 1923.

Children:

i Jesse L. Bunkley: b 11 Nov. 1805, step son. Went to New Orleans, La. and never returned. A claimant appeared in the 1830's and was .litigant in the famous Jesse Bunkley case. (*See Ga. Law Records.*)

ii William Luther Bunkley: b 19 Oct. 1809, step son, m Camilla Sanford.

iii William Dawson Bunkley: b 26 June 1811, step son.

iv Elizabeth Slatter Bunkley: b 19 Apr. 1813, step daughter.

v James Augustus: b 20 Nov. 1816, died 3 July 1856, unmarried,. is buried at Clinton, Ga.

vi Ann Flewellen (7) : b 10 Jan. 1819.

vii Louisa Asenath: b 4 Feb. 1821, died 6 Nov. 1823.

viii Frances Amanda (7): b 22 July 1822.

ix Mary Elizabeth (7) : b 2 Nov. 1823.

x Caroline Asenath Virginia: b 17 Mar. 1826, m (1) 18 July 1848 Reuben C. Shorter. They moved to Ala. About 1849 where he died and she m (2) about 1856 Tennant Lomax, a prominent character in Montgomery, Ala. He was Brig. Gen. in Confederate Service and killed 1 July 1862 in Va. (*See Hist. of Ala., Owen*), for details of his career. She survived him and died Montgomery, Ala. in 1906. They had

1 James Billingslea Shorter: b 12 July 1849 Ga., d after 1880 in Ala. unm.

2 Reuben Clark Shorter: b 25 Sept. 1850 Ala. Grad. Univ. of N. C. and a prominent lawyer of Montgomery, Ala., died unm.

3 Elizabeth Lomax: b 29 Apr. 1858, died 1862.

4 Tennant Lomax, Jr.: b 29 Apr. 1858, a twin, was a prominent lawyer of Montgomery, Ala., he died 1902 unmarried. ‘

#### 48-A JOHN (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland in 1780, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with his



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parents in 1789. He was legatee in his father's will dated December 1798. On 9 July 1800 he chose Francis Billingslea as his guardian; on 24 September 1800 he made a change and chose William Billingslea in place of Francis as guardian. In Land Lottery of 1803 he registered two draws in Wilkes County. He married in February 1801 Nancy, daughter of Ass Atkins, Senior, born Georgia in 1782. On 5 May 1804 he was appointed guardian for Jeremiah and Nancy 'Atkins. In Land Lottery of 1806 he registered two draws for himself and two draws as guardian of the orphans of Ass Atkins. Nancy died in 1806 and John died May 1807. Inventory and appraisement 27 May 1807 by Henry and John McCoy, and Alexander Autry. James Billingslea and Ass Atkins named administrators. John Billingslea, deceased and Asa Atkins were in copartnership in Baldwin County, Georgia. (*Lib. LL. fol. 24 Wilkes Co.*) James Billingslea and Asa Atkins, administrators, sold 100 Y4 acres of land on Jackson Creek under court order 14 August 1810. (*Morgan Co., Records.*) Minutes of Court 1807 show Jeremiah Miles was appointed guardian for Samuel and Asa Billingslea, orphans of John Billingslea, deceased. Administration Book I 1809-1816 Wilkes County, shows estate of one Ass Atkins Morgan County, Georgia 20 February 1811 and a receipt of Jeremiah Atkins, ward of John Billingslea and later of Jeremiah Miles, attested by James Billingslea, Justice of the Peace.

Children

i Samuel W. (7) : b Dec. 1801.

ii Nancy: b 1803, died 1805.

iii Ass Atkins (7) : b Oct. 1806.

#### 49 MARY (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 7 November 1786, moved to Wilkes County, Georgia with her parents in the year 1789. She was born "Mary" and called "Polly." On 9 July 1800 in Minutes of Inferior Court, Wilkes County, Georgia is record: John Billingslea chooses Francis Billingslea as guardian; Howell and Clement Billingslea choose James Billingsley as guardian; Polly Billingsley chooses Thomas Norris as guardian. On 23 February. 1801 Thomas Norris makes return as guardian for "Mary Billingsley." She married the latter part of the year 1804 David White, born *circa* 1780, probably in Wilkes County, Georgia, he was a son of John White and Lucy Smith, said to have been natives of Virginia. John White dated his will 1 March 1804 and it was probated 5 March 1804 in Wilkes County, Georgia: wife, Lucy one half of profits and the grist mill; son, David, the other half, slaves, bed, etc.; Thomas, plantation where I now live, slaves, etc. at 18 years of age; Friend, William Stone, the place he now lives on for 10 years & then to son, Thomas White, Lucy, and David. Friend, William Stone and Bolling Anthony named executors. After her marriage they lived in the home of her mother-in

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law and there appears to have arisen a great affection between them and Mary adopted the middle name of Smith, she appears in subsequent records as Mary S. White. No Smith connection on the Billingsley side has ever been discovered. They resided in Wilkes County to about March 1810 then moved to Morgan County with other members of the family. Baldwin County taken from Wilkes and in 1808 Baldwin split into Morgan and Jasper Counties. On 29 December 1809 Cyrus, Francis, Walter, and James Billingslea, Thomas Norris, and David White, all of Wilkes County, deeded to John Milligan of Morgan County, lot No. 263 in the fourth District of old Baldwin, now Morgan County, etc. This deed recorded in Morgan County 3 December 1811. A traditional statement claims they resided in Jones County for a time, there is nothing of record to substantiate this statement. They next definitely appear in Dallas County, Alabama and it is believed they moved there with members of the Norris family about 1821-22, resided at Cahaba, the State Capitol at that time where David erected an hotel known as "White's Tavern." In this Tavern on 4 April 1825 there was held a banquet and reception for General Lafayette on his visit, a description of this is found in the Cahaba Press for 9 April 1825. It was not long after this that Cahaba was flooded out and the Capitol moved to Tuscaloosa. In Mobile, Alabama on 15 April 1826 Simon Caldron and Sostien Rouville heirs of Lucy Andry, deeded to David White, of Dallas County, Alabama a parcel of land, corner of Royal and St. Francis streets, 105 feet front on Royal and extending toward the river 167 feet on St. Francis street to lots sold by Lucy Andry to Oliver Holmes. (*Deeds G*, fol. 525.) David razed his tavern at Cahaba and moved it by flat boats to Mobile during the year. On this corner he constructed a frame building which was known for many years as the "Alabama Hotel." He also acquired an adjoining lot and with the material from the Tavern he constructed another hotel known as the "Franklin House." On 4 July 1832 he was deeded by Lazarus and Eugenic Chiensse for \$4000 land comprising lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 of square 8, and lots, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 of square 9. (*Deeds K*, fol. 663.) On 17 February 1834 he sold lots to John Rugley and Fred K. West, (*deeds M*, fols. 386-6) and also a little later lots to B. L. Barnes. (*Deeds M*, fol. 404.) On 15 May 1834 David White and Robert J. Ware, sd Ware of Montgomery, Alabama, being joint owners of the Alabama Hotel, Mobile, agreement to take Edwin Murry into co-partnership business, name shall be Edwin Murry & Co., sd concern to pay to owners \$5000 1<sup>st</sup> year, 16000 the 2d year, and \$6000 the 3d year. (*Deeds M*, fol. 568.) It was soon after this that the Alabama Hotel became known as the "Waverly House."

About 1835 David White became fiscal agent for the Texans in their struggle for independence and later was agent for the Republic of Texas with his office in Mobile, Alabama. On the 25 January 1838 the Republic of Texas issued to one Menard a patent for one League and Labor of Land

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situated on and-including the Eastern part of the Island of Galveston, consideration .50,000. David White financed this deal and accepted in part payment 67 shares of capital stock of the Galveston Land Company on 7 November 1838. In 1839 he received an additional payment of \$10,000 or so in cash.

He is said to have been Cashier of the Alabama State Bank for many years, but advertisements of this bank for this period do not list his name in any capacity. He dated his will 19 November 1841 and died 20 November 1841 at the La Grange House, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. He names wife, Mary S. White; grand son, David P. Lumpkin; grand daughter Mary A. Cowles; Daniel and Clement White, sons of T. Osborne White; daughter, Asenath Ware; cousin David White. Executors named Robert J. Ware and Mary S. White. Will witnessed by Chas. Patterson, James Guild, J. V. Van Dyke, and B. F. Porter, will was probated 18 January 1842 by the executors and is recorded at Montgomery, Alabama. (Lib. 2, fol. 256.)

Following his death his attorney, one Lipscomb, converted the 67 shares of Galveston Land Co. to his own use without authority, said Lipscomb died in 1856 insolvent. In 1843 Mary S. White deeded to William H. Rivers land Sec. 2, formerly No. 35T3, S of R, on W, 634 acres patented to William Magee, also parcels situate on south side Chicasabogue, etc. containing 5740 acres. (Deeds DNS, fol. 70.) In 1849 Robert J. Ware, executor to will of David White deeded to James Battle property on Royal and St. Francis streets, etc. (Deeds Q NS, fol. 91.) From Mobile Register 21 July 1851 and November 1852 is culled the following: "In 1850 the Mansion House, south east Royal and Conti Streets was destroyed by fire, and one week following the "Waverly House" went by the same route. In the autumn of the same year a company, John, James, and Samuel Battle, and others was formed and a new hotel was commenced, a five story brick, it opened to the public 15 November 1852, and was known as the "Battle House." The compiler well remembers this ancient hotel. It was given a general overhauling about 1900 and on 12 February 1905 was destroyed by fire.

On 2 April 1853 the executor of the estate deeded to Robert Y. Ware, a lot bought of Lazarus Chiensse, etc. (Deeds 5 NS, fol. 396.) Mary S. White died 4 September 1853 of Yellow Fever at Mobile, Alabama. Her will is recorded in Liber 2, fol. 305. From records extant Robert J. Ware and Mary S. White were cognizant of fact of the misappropriation of the Galveston Land Co. shares by Lipscomb. No action was taken until 18 March 1881 :when Asenath A. Ware and heirs filed suit in Eastern District of Texas. In this suit it is stated the fact of the misappropriation was known in 1843, 1854, 1868, and 1869 yet no claim was instituted until 1881. The case was decided against the plaintiffs on the doctrine of laches November 1892. In 1912 there was filed in Chancery Court, Mobile, Alabama by David R. Burgess suit against Masuria McGill, etc. This suit was to clear title of some portion of the land sold to William

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H. Rivers by Mary S. White, and names all known heirs to the said Mary S. White. Mary S. White was undoubtedly a lovable character, and was well known to the Norris and Billingslea kin of Selma, Mobile, and Montgomery, most every family particularly the Norris had a "Mary White" in it. She was generally known as "Aunt White." References to fiscal agency and Menard land grant (*see Texas Laws, 1886, pp. 70-78; Sayle's Early Laws of Texas pp X10-212: Ware vs Galveston City Co., 111 U. S. 170, and 146 U. S. 102.*

Children:

i Mary A. White: b 1805 Wilkes Co., Ga. She married prior to 1820 Thomas Lumpkin, b Ga. 179-, said to have been a brother of Governor Lumpkin of Ga. They moved to Washington Co., Ala. and resided at St. Stephens where he practiced law. They both died during the year 1825 with a few days separating. They had:

1 David P. Lumpkin: b 1822 Ala. Was reared in the home of his grand parents White. Was a physician, resided in Mobile, Ala. in 1850 later moved to Montgomery, Ala. where he died after 1881 unmarried, buried Oakwood cemetery.

ii Thomas Osborne White: b 1807 Wilkes Co., Ga. There seems to be some variation in records as to his given name. We are using name given in his father's will. The name given in 146 U. S., 102 is "J. Osborne White." It is believed he was named for his uncle, Thomas White. He moved to Dallas Co., Ala. with his parents and m prior to 1827 Sophia R. Byrd, daughter of Edward R. Byrd. He died Aug. 1839 and she died June 1843, resided at Cahaba, Ala. They had:

1 Daniel Osborne White: b 182? Ala., m a Miss Norwood of Dallas Co., Ala., she died 1872, he was living Mar. 1881 and named as heir of David White in suit to recover land, etc. He died prior to 1905 in Fla. No children.

2 Clement Billingslea White: b 1830 Dallas Co., Ala. He was named for his distinguished kinsman Dr. Clement C. Billingslea who was prominent in Ala. during this period. He married Martha H. Todd, b Ky. 1833, daughter of Robert S. and Elizabeth L. Todd, of Lexington, Ky. She died at Anna, Ill. 8 July 1868. He was living in Dallas Co., Ala. in 1870 and named as heir of David White in suit in 1881. He died after 1902. We have a copy of statement he made concerning the early members of the family and it is about the most distorted article we have encountered in our genealogical research. The statements he made have

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led many on a false trail.; the items. concerning the Norris family we at once saw were erroneous, and it has been proven that much of the so called Billingslea Facts are pure fiction but they have been accepted by most of the Alabama descendants as gospel.

iii Asenath Ann (7): b 24 May 1810.

iv Lucy Smith (7): b circa 1812-13.

#### 50 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 29 November 1762, resided in Harford County after its formation and married prior to 1790 Mary Webster, born Maryland in 1768. They moved to Monongalia County, Virginia with his father about 1790-91. He was deeded June 1804 180 acres of land by his father (*Deeds L 3, fol. i03*), and on 2 May 1817 his brother, Sias and wife, deeded him 12 acres of land. (*Deeds Lib. 7, -fol. 226.*) He dated his will 25 October 182? and died 8 May 1828. Thin will was not recorded for probate until April 1857. Mary survived him some years and died 30 March 1857. It appears that Mary possessed this will as the probate follows closely after her death, it was probated and administered by one Aaron Shelby, no executors were named in the will. He wills: Wife, Mary, all estate during her widowhood and at her death the executor to sell all estate and it to be divided equally among all children, prior advances to be deducted; my heirs are, sons, Samuel, Sias, & John, daughters, Hannah, Margaret, Elizabeth, Susanna, Mary, Sarah, and Alezanah.

Children:

i Samuel W. (?) : b 9 Apr. 1790.

ii Hannah W.: b 6 Mar. 1792 Va., m prior to 1820 William Smith, she was living in 1851 and signed a deed as heir to Sias Billingsley, Jr. Resided Monongalia Co., Va. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Smith: b 1820, m prior to 1844 Edward T. Morris, of Mt. Morris, Pa., b 1833, both were living in 1870, no data on their deaths. They had:

a Thaddeus Morris: b 1844.

b Mary Morris: b 184?, m ante 1870 Stevens.

c Margaret Morris: b 1849, m after 1870 John Shriver .

d Adaline Morris: b 1850-51. -Was living 1931 Mt. Morris, Pa. e Dora Morris: b 1853, m a Mr. Younginger, she was a widow in 1931, resided Mt. Morris, Pa.

2 Temperance Smith: b 182-, m Joseph Morris, of Green Co., Pa. They had:

a Jasper Morris.

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- b Thomas Morris.
- c Curtis Morris.
- d Margaret Morris.
- e Melissa Morris.

3 Harriet Smith: b 1826, m prior to 185? Aaron Shelby, of Monongalia Co., Va. He was the administrator to her grandfather's will in 1857. They had:

- a Samuel Shelby.
- b Hannah Shelby.
- c Mary Shelby: m a Taylor.
- d Sidney Shelby.

4 George Smith: b 1828, m 1848 Clarissa, b Va. in 1831, resided Monongalia Co., Va. in 1850. They had, known:  
a William H. Smith: b 1849.

iii Margaret W.: b 27 Sept. 1793 Va., m 22 July 1813 Cornelius C. Vanzant, b Md. 1791. They resided in Marion Co., Va. where he died prior to 1860, she was living in 1860 and died prior to 1870, she is said to have died of Tuberculosis. They had 11 children, known are:

1 Mary Vanzant : b 1815, m Roberts prior to 1837, residence not stated. They had:

- a Margaret Roberts: b 1837.
- b Emily Roberts: b 1840.
- c Frances Roberts: b 1848.

2 Sarah Maria Vanzant: b 1819. She was a dress maker, resided Marion Co., Va., now W. Va. She dated her will 22 June 1890 and it was probated 3 Feb. 1891, leaves all her estate to nephews and nieces, etc. never married.

3 John H. Vanzant: b 1824, m prior to 1853 Margaret b Va. 1834, resided Marion Co., Va. in 1860, and was a plasterer. They had, known

- a Clarinda Vanzant: b 1853.
- b James F. Vanzant: b 1856.
- c Alfretta B. Vanzant: b 1858.

4 Josias H. Vanzant: b 1826, m prior to 1858 Jane, b Va. 1834, resided Marion Co., W. Va. in 1870. His children legatees in will of Sarah Maria Vanzant in 1890. They had, known:

- a Ella Vanzant: b 1858.
- b Elizabeth Vanzant: b 1861.
- c Clare Bell Vanzant: b 1866, said to have m a Watson.
- d Ulysses Grant Vanzant: b 1868.

5 Julia Amanda Vanzant: b 1830, m prior to 1854 Lemuel

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Parrish, b Va. 183-.. Both living in 1870 in Marion Co., W. Va. They had, known:

a Marcellus N. Parrish, b 1854.

b James H. Parrish: b 1859.

c Edith B. Parrish: b 1861.

d Lula R. Parrish: b 1862.

6 Martha Vanzant: b 1832, m McKinney and was deceased before 1890, said to have had 2 daughters.

7 Margaret Vanzant: b 1834, m prior to 1858 James Dick, b Ireland 1822, resided Marion Co., W. Va. They had, known: a Joseph Albert Dick: b 1858.

b Edward Dick: b 1861, named in will of his aunt in 1890.

c Harvey L. Dick: b 1869.

iv Elizabeth: b 18 Aug. 1795 Va., died in 1880 in Green Co., Pa. unmarried, from Epithelioma of the lip.

v Susannah W.: b 30 Oct. 1798 Va., m 3 Apr. 1822 Harry Stevens, and apparently deceased in 1851 as she does not sign deed as heir to Sias Billingsley, Jr., tho her children do sign. She is said to have died of Tuberculosis, resided in Allegheny Co., Pa. They had, known:

1 William B. Stevens.

2 Lee W. Stevens.

3 Susan E. Stevens, m prior to 1852 Henry E. Atchison. vi Sias: b 18 July 1800 Va. Was living in 1827 and died prior to 1850 unmarried.

vii Webster: b 14 Sept. 1802 Va., died prior to 1827.

viii Mary: b 16 Aug. 1805, died 1868 Green Co., Pa., said to have died of Tuberculosis.

ix Sarah W.: b 14 Sept. 1809, m 31 Jan. 1856 John Minor, of Monongalia Co., Va., she died after 1870.

x Alezanah: b 11 Feb. 1811, she m 6 Dec. 1832 William M. Howard, b 1808, Del. They migrated to Hamilton Co., Iowa in the 1840's, both were living in 1870. He was a blacksmith. They had, known:

1 William B. Howard: b 1834 Va., m 1856 Naomi, b Ohio in 1840, he was a blacksmith, resided Hamilton, Co., Iowa. They had:

a Alice M. Howard: b 1857.

b Genevieve Howard: b 1859.

c Francis Howard: b 1861.

d Charles Howard: b 1863.

e George C. Howard: b July 1869.

2 Nicholas G. Howard: b 1844 Va. Was a carpenter .

3 Maria Howard: b 1851.

xi John Adams (7): b 28 Jan. 1814.

#### 51 SAMUEL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 10 January 1778, moved to Monongalia County, Virginia with his parents about 1790-91. He married prior to 1804 Elizabeth, daughter of John Snider, born Virginia in 1782. He was deeded 144 .acres of land by his father 11 April 1814. (*Deeds Lib. 6, 698.*) On the same date he was deeded by John Snider 11 acres of land. (*Deeds Lib. 6, fol. 711.*) He sold this land to Henry Smith 3 March 1834. (*Deeds Lib. 12, fol. 127.*) On 29 August 1836 he deeded to Patrick Donnelly 184 acres of land. (*Deeds Lib. 13, fol. 687.*) He and his wife signed a quit claim deed 9 November 1850 to 413 acres of land, as legal heirs of Sias Billingsley, Junior, deceased. (*Deeds Lib. 19, fol. 698.*) On 1 October 1851 he deeded to Enoch Brewer 67 Y4 acres of land: (*Deeds Lib. 20, fol. 106.*) He was legatee to five shillings in his father's will in 1817. His homestead was in the portion of this county which became Marion County in the late 1830's. They resided in this County the rest of their days. He dated his will 20 October 1851, and it was probated February 1852. He devises, etc.:

To grand son: Samuel, \$70 when 21 years of age.

To grand daughter: Eliza Ann, \$50 when 20 years of age.

To grand daughter: Elizabeth, \$50 when 21 years of age.

To grand daughter: Delila, 350 when 20 years of age.

To grand son: Kerbaugh C., \$50 when 21 years of age.

To son, Sias: Two promissory notes I hold for \$25 and \$17.

To son, Samuel: 350 and a note for 1150; the \$50 to be paid to F. Morgan Billingsley & the note returned, nothing further to him.

To son, Thornton: A note for \$80.

To daughter, Ann Maria: wife of Peter Davis a note for \$150.

To daughter, Tabitha Arnett: \$100, \$50 of which is already paid. To daughter, Malinda Amoss: \$50.

To daughter, Mary Ann Toothman, \$150.

To son, Francis Morgan: Cattle, farm utensils, etc.

To wife, Elizabeth: Brass Clock, bureau, etc.

To sons, Eugenius and Warren: Wind mill.

To son, Thornton: A two horse wagon.

To son, David S.: 140 acres of land where he now lives to be sold and proceeds divided between son, Sias, and children of said Davis S.

A codicil dated 20 October 1851: releases to son, David S., a note of \$40. Executors named: Francis M. and Warren Billingsley.

Elizabeth survived him and died in 1866, her estate was administered 7 May 1866 and in her effects was found a note from E. H. Amoss dated 1 April 1858 for ;250 unpaid.



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### Children:

i John (7) : b 7 Aug. 1804.

ii Sias (7) : b 1 Nov. 1805.

iii Tabitha Dorcas: b.9 Feb. .1807,-m.-prior to 1826 John B. Arnett, b Va. 1805. Both were living in 1850 in Monongalia Co., Va. and he is listed as a farmer. He is stated to have operated an hotel at Granville, Va. some time after 1850. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Arnett: b 1826.

2 Zarilla Arnett: b 1831.

3 Judson Arnett: b 1836.

4 John H. Arnett: b 1843.

5 William L. Arnett: b 1845.

6 Alfred E. Arnett: b 1847.

7 Joseph F. Arnett: b 1849.

iv Ann Maria: b Jan. 1809, .m 22 May 1831 Peter Davis, b Va. 1812. He was a physician, resided Marion Co., Va. He was probably deceased in the early 1870's as he is not listed in Medical Directory of 1874. They had, known

1 Malinda Davis: b 1833.

2 Elizabeth Davis: b 1835.

3 Van Buren Davis: b 1836.

4 . Mary Jane Davis: b 1838.

5 Samuel Billingsley Davis: b 1840.

6 Maria Davis: b 1844.

7 Isaac N. Davis: b 1846. Is stated to have a son, Isaac Davis, who resided Marion Co., W. Va. in 1931. We have not been able to contact him.

v Samuel (7) : b 8 Oct. 1810.

vi David S. (?) : b 28 Sept. 1812.

vii Thornton: b 12 Sept. 1814.

viii Elizabeth: b 16 Sept. 1816, died small.

ix Francis Warren (?) : b 25 Mar. 1819.

x Malinda: b 30 Oct. 1820, m prior to 1844 Enoch H. Amoss, b Va. 1820. He died 19 Jan. 1902, she survived him a few years, resided in Marion Co., W. Va. They had:

1 Mary V. Amoss: b 1844.

2 Martha E. Amoss: b 1846, m prior to 1870 Thomas Snider, both living in 1902 Marion. Co., W. Va.

3 Alpheus N. Amoss: b 1849, m prior to 1878 Helen V. b Va. 1853, resided Marion Co., W. Va. They had, known  
a Blanch Amoss: b 1878.

b Son: b Apr. 1880.

4 Festus M. Amoss: b 1851:

5 Margaret M. Amoss: b 1854.

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6 Henry J. Amoss: b 1856.

7 Charles H. Amoss: b 1858.

8 Samuel E. Amoss: b 1860.

9 Kate Amoss: b 1866, m Smith Hood.

10 Sallie Amoss: b 1866, a; twin, m a Mr. Fleeting, had 2 sons. She was the only living member of this family in 1931 and resided Marion Co., W. Va.

xi Mary S.: b 9 Dec. 1822, m prior to 1849 John Toothman, Va. in 1826, both were living in 1860 and resided Marion Co., Va. They had, known

1 Cordelia Toothman: b' 1849, m a Mr. Fleeting, d.s.p.

2 Landon N. Toothman : b 1852.

3 Virginia Adelphie Toothman: b 1855, m Hess.

4 Ehnos Toothman: b 1858.

5 Lee Toothman: b 186-, m Benjamin Hite.

6 Berths Toothman: b 186-, died unmarried.

7 Harold Toothman : b 186-.

xii Eugenius (7) : b 23 Nov. 1824.

xiii Francis Morgan: b 30 June 1829. Was one of the executors to his father's will in 1852. He married 4 July 1876 Luverna A. Martin, born Virginia in 1848. They had no children. He was active worker in the Methodist church and thru his donations the Billingsley Memorial Methodist church at Fairmont, W. Va. was built. He died 15 Nov. 1927, his wife predeceased him a few years. His will was dated 13 Sept. 1919 and was probated 18 Nov. 1927. This will was contested by two of the legatees, Guy B. Billingsley and Ambrose Billingsley who lost their case. We read this will carefully in 1931 and for clearness of statement it appears to be one of the best drawn up documents we have ever encountered.

### 52 FRANCIS (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 16 May 1781, moved to Monongalia County, Virginia with his parents. He married 5 February 1805 Mary Ann Clark, born Virginia 178-. May 1809 he was deeded 154 Y4 acres of land by his father. On 17 October 1809 he and his wife deeded 363 acres of land to Nancy Clark, Joseph Shackelford, and George Greenwood. (*Lib. A, fols. 28818949&*) ' In November 1812 he and wife deeded to; James Randall a small parcel of land. (*Lib. 6, fol. 39T.*) In January 1813 he enlisted as Private, 3d Virginia Militia, and served a short term, War of 1812. (*War Dept. records.*) In March 1814 he and wife deeded to Isaac Fairchilds 25T4 acres of land. (*Lib. 6, fols. 710-71i.*) From 16 November 1821 to 2 February 1833 they appear as grantors to eight deeds and in 1834 granted

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Three deeds. The next appearance of the name in this County is on 5 March-1851 when Francis by Power of Attorney deeds to Joseph McLean 6 acres of land. (*Lib. 20*, fol. 16.) They moved to Missouri in or about 1840 where Mary died circa 1849. He resided in Howard County in 1860 and-is-listed as a "Trader" with real estate \$2,500 and personal estate \$4,100. He died 28 October 1865, it is not known where they are buried.

Children:

i Norval (7) : b 9 Apr. 1807.

ii Colostian: b 1808 Va. He was deeded 60 acres of land 5 Aug. 1833 by Thomas Massie. (*Lib. 11*, fol. 610.) On 22. Jan: 1835 he. was given a deed of trust by Zacquilla West and wife on 276 acres of land, executed 3 July 1833 to said Billingsley to secure payment of money to T. S. Hayman, and released. (*Lib. 12*, fol. 631.) He moved to Mo. before 1840 and was deceased before 1850. No record of any marriage.

iii Isabelle: b 1810, m 18 Apr. 1835 Va. George Huggins, moved to Mo.

iv Urban: b 1811 Va., moved to Mo. with his parents where he m prior to 1850 Verinda Dickens, b Ky. 1829, daughter of Richard Dickens, b Va. 1788 and Jane, his wife, b Va. 1796, who moved to Ky. about 1827 and then to Mo. in 1842-43 and resided in Howard Co., Mo. in 1860, listed with real estate \$15,900, and a personal estate of \$13,000. They resided in Cooper Co., Mo. in 1850 where she died in 1852, and he died about 1859. The two children were reared in the home of the grand parents Dickens, in Howard Co., Mo. Veranda evidently brought to her husband a nice dower as each child was listed in 1860 with an estate of \$13,500 each. They had:

1 Mary: b 1850.

2 Whitfield: b 1852.

v Edwin: b 1813 Va. He married 7 Jan. 1830 Mary Ann Kiger, b Va. 1811. They moved to Mo. in 1840 and resided Calloway Co., in 1850. Is believed to have moved to St. Louis where they both died before 1870. They had, known:

1 Mary J.: b 1837 Va.

2 Rolls L.: b 1839 Va. Was living Galloway Co., Mo. in-1850. He next appears in-St., Louis, Mo. in 1869. He m Fannie L. , b Mo. 18- and is listed in St. Louis, Mo. 1869 to 1892, occupation not stated. He died about 1892 as Fannie appears in 1893 as Widow of Rolls L., and is so listed to 1925. They had, known:

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a Edwin G.: b 18-. Listed in St. Louis 1890 as clerk, and as travelling salesman in 1895, in 1897 no occupation stated, he m Mary A. and was deceased before 1901, Mary A. listed as widow in 1901. No record of any children.

b E. Garth: b 18-. Listed St. Louis 1892 as a clerk; 1895 as salesman, and 1901 as .asphalt dealer, no subsequent record.

vi Frances: b 1815 Va., m prior to 1834 Louis Robion, b Va. 1804, moved to Mo. about 1836 and resided Galloway Co. where she died about 1843, he was living in 1850. They had, known:

1 Frances Robion: b 1834 Va.

2 Virginia Robion: b 1836 Mo.

vii Ferdinand M.: b 1817 Va., moved to Mo. with his parents. He m prior to 1850 Lucy , b Mo. 1828, he was a farmer and resided Howard Co. where he died 1864-65 leaving a considerable estate for that day and time. She survived him and was living in 1870. They had:

1 Joseph: b Feb. 1850.

2 Ferdinand: b 1852. Was living in St. Louis, Mo. in 1868. No subsequent record.

3 Elizabeth: b 1853.

4 Louisa: b 1854.

5 Francis: b 1856.

6 Isabelle Annie: b 1858.

7 William: b Dec. 1859.

viii Margaret: b 1819 Va., m 15 Mar. 1839 William Werninger, b Va. 18-. They probably moved to Mo.

ix Mary: b 1821 Va., moved to Mo. with her parents where she m and stated to have lived in St. Louis, Mo. There is quite a traditional story connected with her as occurring in St. Louis. Thru the courtesy of my kinsman, Judge Walter Davis, of St. Louis, I am informed there does not exist any legal evidence of the story so no further space will be given to it.

#### 53 JOHN (6) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born St. Mary's County; Maryland in 1756, moved to Charles County, Maryland with his parents. He signed the Oath of Allegiance in 1778 on Joshua Sanders Return, Charles County. He was a Private in Captain John Thomas's Company, Charles County Militia in 1778. *(Md. Records Mss.)* He married (1) 28 October 1782 by Reverend John Macpherson of William & Mary Parish, Charles County, Charity, the daughter of Charles Allison

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Ford, born 1714; his will dated 23 January 1783 names "My daughter, Charity, who married John Billingsley" giving date which agrees with license record in Charles County. Charity born about 1763-64. He was devised 15 acres of land where he now lives in 1785 by his father. On 25 February-1793 James Billingsley and Ann, his wife, and element Billingsley and Eleanor, his wife, of Fauquier County, Virginia, deeded to John Billingsley, of Charles County, Maryland land called "Barton's Hope" and additions in Charles County, Maryland, said land devised to James and Clement Billingsley by their father, John Billingsley, deceased, in his will 1785. (*Lib. N4, fol. 30.*) On the same date John Billingsley deeded this land to Thomas Mundell. (*Lib. N4, fol. 32.*) They moved to Richmond County, North Carolina about 179? where he was deeded land in 1802 by Isaac Spurring; in 1807 by John Spurring; in 1807 by James Spurring; in 1809 by Samuel Usher; in 1810 by John Spurling; in 1812 by Zebulon Slaughter. Charity died in Richmond County in 1807. He moved to Arson County prior to 1812 and married (2) Elizabeth (Billingsley) Lilly, born Arson County, North Carolina in 1777, daughter of Sias Billingsley, Number 58, which see, and widow of Edmund Lilly. She is stated to have had five children at the time of this marriage only three are of record, see Number 58. John was a large land owner in Arson County and figures in many deeds some of which are of historic interest, viz.: On 29 October 1818 John Billingsley of Arson County, deeded to my daughter Sally Beards (Baird) of Richmond County; for natural love and affection, etc. 200 acres of land in Richmond County on West side of Big Mountain Creek, witnessed by John Billingsley, Junior, and Samuel Billingsley. (*Lib. L, fol. 160.*) On 31 January 1822 John Billingsley, of Arson County, North Carolina deeded to Humphrey Garret, of Richmond County, for \$775, two tracts of land in Richmond County, one, 260 acres on West side of Mountain Creek, except Y4 acre at beginning corner supposed to belong to Joseph Hires, and one acre at grave yard what is to remain the property of Billingsley; the other 10 acres adjoining land of George Slaughter and reference being had to Garrot and said Slaughter's line, witnessed by James Meacham, and J. Billingsley. (*Lib. M, fol. 31.*) The last definite record of him is the deed of 1822 above, he was deceased before 1830.

In January 1829 there is division of the estate of Edmund Lilly, decsd. as follows: 189 acres of -land to Elizabeth Billingsley, \$1250. 127 acres of land to Elizabeth Carpenter, \$1250, 320 acres of land in Montgomery Co., N. C. & house to Mary May, \$750 320 acres of land on Rocky River to Sarah W. Burns, \$750. Surveyed & certified 5 January 1829 by Allen Carpenter, Surveyor. (*Lib. X, fol. .r47.*)

The above shows the Lilly children by Elizabeth. She was living in 1830 and deceased before January 1832, division of her estate made in January Court 1832 as follows:

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Lot 1: 25 acres of land at 1225 to Walter F. Burns in right of his wife, Sarah, sd Burns is to pay to Nathaniel Carpenter & wife \$15.20, & to David Carpenter \$4.50, difference of valuation. Lot 2: 30 acres of land at \$240 to William May in right of his wife, Polly, he to pay to David Carpenter \$26.80 difference in valuation. Lot 3: 44 % acres of land at \$206 to Nathaniel .Carpenter in right of his wife, Nancy. Lot 4: 44 Y3 acres of land to Hezekiah Billingsley, he to pay David Carpenter \$16.80 difference in valuation. Lot 5: 44 % acres of land to David Carpenter in right of his wife Elizabeth.

Children (1<sup>st</sup> wife):

i Charity: b Sept. 1783 Md., m Humphrey Garrett, resided Richmond Co., N. C. to about 1826 then moved to Tenn. No record of children.

ii Sophia Wood (7) : b 13 June 1785.

iii Ann Chandler (7) : b 6 Apr. 1790. iv John (7) : b 1792. v Sarah (7) : b 10 Mar. 1795. vi Samuel: b Oct. 1797 in Richmond Co., N. C., m prior to 1820 Sarah , b N. C. 179-, resided Anson Co., N. C. to about 1833 then moved to Miss. and located in Madison Co. where he died in 1843 and she died in 1849. They had

1 Sarah: b 1820 N. C., m or d before 1840.

2 John G.: b 1822 N. C. Was living in Rankin Co., Miss. in 1850, moved to Texas and is stated to have been a Confederate soldier and died in service. His name does not appear in War Dept. records, this is not proof that he was not in service.

3 Elizabeth: b 1825 N. C. Was living in 1840.

4 Samuel F.: b 1827 N. C., moved to Miss. with his parents. He m prior to 1857 Sarah A. (Coalson ?), b Miss. 1834. Resided in Rankin Co. in 1860. He enlisted 7 Mar. 1862 at Brandon, Miss. Pvt. G, 28 Miss. Cav. C. S. A.; 3d Lieut. 3 May 1862; 2d Lieut. Dec. 1862, killed at Franklin, Tenn. 10 Apr. 1863. His widow is not listed in Rankin Co. in 1870. They had, known:

a Sarah F.: b 1857.

b Mary F.: b 1859.

vii James Clement (7) : b 1 Apr. 1801.

viii Elizabeth: b 1807, moved to Miss. with her brother and m , she d.s.p. in 1849.

ix Nancy: b 1814-15, 2d wife, m Nathaniel Carpenter, see division of mother's estate above. They moved to Mad-

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ison Co., Miss. We were informed in 1930 by the oldest surviving child of James Clement Billingsley that "Aunt Nancy Carpenter was the only one of my aunts I ever saw, she lived in Madison Co., Miss., all of her boys were killed in the civil war." No record of children.

x Hezekiah Boulton (7) : b 1817.

#### 54 HEZEKIAH (6) BILLINGSLEY

(John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Charles County, Maryland in 1758. He enlisted and served as Corporal, Captain John Thomas' Company, Charles-County Militia in 1778, War of Revolution, he signed the Oath of Allegiance 1778 Charles County, Maryland on Return of Joseph Anderson. (*Md. Records* Mss.) He married in 1783 Rebecca Thomas, born Maryland 176-, daughter of John Thomas who was residing in Dorchester County, Maryland at the time but formerly of Charles County. He was devised by his father in 1785 certain land. He deeded 230 T s acres of land called "Whitsun Maundy," in Charles County, to John Morton of Prince George County, Maryland 25 Feb. 1793, Rebecca waived dower. (*Deeds Lib. N4, fol. 65.*) They moved to Richmond County, North Carolina shortly afterwards where he evidently owned land but no deeds to show how obtained. He dated his will March 1795, the estate to be kept together for support of wife and children until they severally come of age or marry;, when the oldest son comes of lawful age or marries executors to choose three freeholders to equally divide and lot off to four children, i.e. John, Sophia, Hezekiah, and Elizabeth, the real estate. Executors to sell one slave and purchase land for support of wife, Rebecca, and at her death same to be sold and proceeds divided equally among the four children. Executors named were, wife, Rebecca, during her widowhood, and brother John Billingsley; son, John Billingsley to be one of the executors when he comes of lawful age. Witnessed by Walter Leak and Joseph Ingram. This will was probated October 1795. Rebecca appears to have been deceased prior to 1820.

Children:

i John Bowles: b 1785 Charles Co., Md., moved to Richmond Co., N. C. with his parents. He first appears in deeds in Anson Co., N. C. 16 July 1816. He appears to have owned considerable real estate and figures in many deeds in Anson Co. He bought up much land at Sheriff's Sales. He married prior 'to 1820 in Marlboro Dist. S. C., Catherine, daughter of Malachi Murfee, and widow of Rev. Nicholas Begdegood. She appears to have been some years senior to John B. She had several children at the time of this marriage. (*See Gregg's Hist. Old Cheraw for Beddegood and Murfee records.*) They resided in

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Marlboro Dist., S. C. to early 1840's then moved to Arson Co., N. C. where he died in early 1850's. He left no will, nor is there any record of administration so far discovered. That he left considerable estate is evidenced by the statement of his nephew James B. Billingsley who says he was left \$5,000 by his uncle John Bowles Billingsley in or about 1850, etc. . . . No children. . ii Sophia: b 1787, Charles Co., Md., moved to Richmond Co., N. C. with her parents. She m in 1802 William Webb, b N. C. 178-: He died-about-1819, she survived him and died in the 1840's. Resided Richmond Co., N. C. and after his death she moved to Arson Co. They had 4 sons and one daughter living in 1820, only one known is:

1 William Webb: b 1803, m 1828 Sarah, b N. C. 1804. Both were living in 1870 resided Arson Co., N. C. They had:

a Thomas Webb: b 1829.

b Frances Webb: b 1830, unm in 1870.

c William Dawson Webb: b 1832, m prior to 1867 Rebecca C., b N. C. 1841. They had

c1 John T. Webb: b 1867.

c2 Cornelia A. Webb: b 1868.

c3 William L. Webb: b 1869.

d Eliza Webb: b 1834.

e Elijah Webb: b 1836.

f Susan Webb: b 1838, unm in 1870.

g Robert H. Webb: b 1841.

h Ellen Webb: b 1843.

i Mary A.-Webb: b 1846.

iii Hezekiah (7) : b 1792.

iv Elizabeth: b 1794 Richmond Co., N. C., she m prior to 1826 Samuel Johnson, b N. C. 1798, both living in 1850 and resided Arson Co., N. C. They had, known:

1 Mary A. Johnson: b 1826.

2 Oliver Johnson: b 1828.

3 Franklin Johnson: b 1832.

4 Jane Johnson: b 1834.

5 Martha Johnson: b 1837.

6 John Johnson: b 1839.

#### 55 CLEMENT (6) BILLINGSLEY

(John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1761, moved to Charles County, Maryland with his parents. He and his brother, James, were legatees to land, jointly, in the will of their father in 1785. He married in 1786 Eleanor Warren



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born Charles County, Maryland 17-. They migrated to Fauquier County, Virginia about 1791. On 25 February 1793 Clement and James Billingsley deeded to John Billingsley, of Charles County, Maryland land called "Barton's Hope & Additions" in said County devised to said James and Clement by their father, John Billingsley, by will 8 February 1785, Eleanor, wife of said Clement, waived dower. (*Deeds Lib. N4*, fol. 30.) Clement died in 1796, inventory of his estate dated 24 October 1796, James Billingsley administrator. Eleanor married (2) Jeremiah Pepper, there are two entries in marriage records i.e., 26 June 1797 and 6 July 1797, she appears to be the second wife of said Pepper. He died in 1812, final returns on his estate dated 24 March 1813. James Billingsley died in 1800 and Ira Pepper was made administrator, de bonis non, for estate of Clement Billingsley and Jeremiah Pepper made guardian for the children. Final settlement made on 27 February 1804. Eleanor was living in 1831. Of the six Pepper children listed the last three are probably children of the second marriage. They do not carry any Billingsley blood.

Children

i Elizabeth (7) : b 1788 Md.

ii John B.: b 1790 Md., moved to Va. with his parents. He is listed in a record in 1809. He was drafted for service in War of 1812 and shows as Pvt. Capt. John Ashby's Co. 44<sup>th</sup> Va. Militia, Col. Bramham. On a roll 31 July 1814 to 21 Sept. 1814 in the remarks on this roll appears "Samuel Pepper substitute." On another roll 20 Sept. 1814 to 31 Oct. 1814 his name appears and in the remarks is "Samuel Pepper, substitute." This is the last record of

iii James: b 1792. He executed a Bill of Sale to Robert L. Streibling 18 Dec. 1813, no subsequent record.

iv Clement W.: b 1796. Executed a deed to his mother 5 Apr. 1827 and another deed 5 Aug. 1831 for his share of slaves, etc. He moved to Warren Co., Va. where he is listed as a miller, and died after 1860 unmarried.

v Samuel Pepper: b 179-. Served in War of 1812 as Substitute for John B. Billingsley.

vi Catherine Pepper.,

vii Nancy Pepper: m Boards.

viii William Pepper.

ix Elijah Pepper.

x George W. Pepper.

#### 56 CLEMENT (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1753. He served in the Revolution as Ensign, from Virginia, see statement below as to documentary evidence, etc. He

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married in January 1781 Cynthia Turner, born Virginia in 1764. As stated previously under Number 54, some record books of Stafford County are missing, but there is an old index book which contains items not listed in the new general index. In 1817-1819 there is a deed "Billingsley from Morton & wife." *Lib. CC, fol. 264, folio 264* appears to be near the end of this book and the date is probably 1819. In *Lib. DD, fol. 32*, 1819/181 was recorded a certificate of Clement Billingsley concerning slaves. In the same book folio 313 and probably in 1821 "Clement Billingsley made oath he was Ensign." They resided Stafford County to 1823 then sold out to Chadwell, his brother-in-law. (*Deeds Lib. EE, fol. 414.*) They moved to Autauga County, Alabama where he engaged in farming and where they spent the rest of their days. In the Census of 1840 when a statement was required of all who were Revolutionary Pensioners his name is recorded as a pensioner. There does not appear any record of this man in the Pension Office and the only explanation is that he answered the query as of "Service in the Revolution" which seems to be borne out by his oath made in 1821. Cynthia was living in 1840 and both were deceased before 1850. There is today in this County a Post office, "Billingsley" named after this pioneer.

Children:

i Rachel: b Dec. 1781, died 1788.

ii Cynthia: b 178-.

iii James: b 1783, died inf.

iv Clement: b 1785, died small.

v George W. (7) : b 1787.

vi William (7) : b 1789.

vii John: b 1793, died 1830's in Ala. unmarried.

viii Clement Turner (7) : b Oct. 1795.

ix James Reeves (7) : b 1798.

x Nancy: b 180-, died small.

xi Cynthia: b 1805, m a Mr. Woodson, died sine prole.

xii Bowles: b 1807 Stafford Co., Va., moved to Ala. with his parents. He was a physician, moved to Winston Co., Miss. and m prior to 1845 Clara A. (Johnson ?), b Ala. 1828. They moved to Moorehouse Par. La. about 1848 where he died 1858-59, she m (2) after 1860 name not known. They had:

1 Sarah R.: b 1845 Miss. Said to have died aet. ca. 18 yrs.

#### 57 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1756. Claim is made he served in the Revolution toward the close of the War nothing has been discovered to substantiate this claim tho he was of age for such service. He married (1) in the late

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1780's Margaret Prim, born Virginia 17-, she died in 1801 and he married (2) Ruth Solloway, born Virginia in 1775. They moved to Belmont County, Ohio in 1805 where he engaged in farming, Ruth died in the late 1830's, he survived her and died in 1842-46. Family Methodists.

Children:

i Son: b 178-, died inf.

ii William Reeves (7) : b 29 Aug. 1791.

iii Margaret: b 179-, died unmarried about 1809.

iv Nancy: b 1801 Va., m Atkins (?) in Belmont Co., Ohio.

v Child: b 1803, 2d wife, died inf.

vi James (7) : b 1806 Ohio.

vii John (7) : b 1808.

viii Margaret: b 1810-11 Ohio, m prior to 1841 Richard B. Ryan, b Ireland 1802, he was a merchant and resided Belmont Co., Ohio in 1850. They had, known:

1 Maria Ryan: b 1841.

2 James Ryan: b 1845.

3 Richard S. Ryan: b 1848.

ix George L. (7): b 1812.

x Elizabeth: b 1817, m prior to 1837 Walter Simpson, b Ohio 1812, he died :861-62, she was living in 1870, resided Belmont Co., Ohio. They had, known:

1 Walter Simpson: b 1839, m Sarah B. , b Ohio 1837. They had:

a William Simpson: b 1860.

2 Mary J. Simpson: b 1843.

xi Lemuel: b 1819 Belmont Co., Ohio, m prior to 1850 Rebecca Carter, b Ohio 1820, resided Belmont Co., Ohio where he died about 1865, she was living in 1870. No children of record.

#### 58 BIAS (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland, 14 July 1751. He migrated to Anson County, North Carolina in or about 1772 where he had a grant of land containing 100 acres 24 May 1773. (*Land rec. Lib. 22, fol. 2y6.*) He married in 1774 Elizabeth Wilson, born North Carolina in 1758. He had another grant of 50 acres on 4 March 1775. (*Lib. 26, fol. 88.*) On 24 September 1775 he entered another 50 acres. (*Lib. 27, fol. 96.*) They removed to Montgomery County, North Carolina about 1778 where he entered 200 acres of land on 10 May 1779; 150 acres on 20 November 1779, and 100 acres 2 December 1779; 80 acres on 6 April 1785; 30 acres on 1 October 1794; 10 acres on 8 April 1796 and an additional 12 acres on the same date; 40 acres on 6 October 1799. Most all of this land was in Montgomery County and located on Clark's Creek on East side of Pee Dee River.

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Owing to loss of early records by fire in 1835 it has been difficult to trace All of this land. The land in Arson County went to one of his sons who later disposed of it to John Billingsley, Nn. 53. Elizabeth was living in 1830 and appears to have been deceased before March 1835 as on 30 March 1835 Sias Billingsley, Senior, deeded to Thomas Scarborough 21 acres of land part. of a 30 acre tract granted to Sias Billingsley. (*Deeds Lib. 14, fol. i5.*) No wife waives dower on this deed. Sias died before March 1836 as on 28 March 1836 a deed from Christian Billingsley, widow of Sias Billingsley, Junior, to Thomas Scarborough of sd County, for \$100 conveys all right & title, etc. in estate said to contain 1,000 acres of land on waters of Clark Creek & Pee Dee River, said land or one ninth part of the same, or its value for self and heirs, etc. (*Deeds Lib. 14, fol. 151.*) This one ninth part represents Sias Billingsley, Junior, No. 157, his share in his father's estate.

Children:

i Clement: b Mar. 1775, died 1787.

ii John (7) : b June 1776:

iii Elizabeth: b 1777 N: C., she m (1) prior to 1800 Edmund Lilly, his 2d wife. Lilly stated to have been a soldier of the Revolution in Va. and married (1) Sarah Lightfoot by whom he had 10 children, she died and he m (2) as stated above. Lilly died about 1810-11 and Elizabeth m (2) John Billingsley, No. 53, his 2d wife, see No. 53 for record of their children. There are said to have been five children by this Lilly marriage but we have only definite record of three, as follows:

1 Elizabeth Lilly: b ca 1800, m Daniel Carpenter.

2 Mary Lilly: b ca 180-, m William May.

3 Sarah W. Lilly: b ca 1805, in prior to 1827 Walter F. Burns, b N. C. 1793, resided Arson Co., N. C. They had, known:

a Robert H. Burns: b 182?, m 1850 Sarah, b N. C. 1832.

b Julius W. Burns: b 1829.

c Catherine Burns: b 1832.

d Henriatta Burns: b 1834.

e Diana Burns: b 1836.

f Margaret Burns: b 1838.

g Henry H. Burns: b 1840.

h Walter L. Burns: b 1848.\_

iv Elias (7) : b 4 Sept. 1778 N. C:

v Wilson H. (7) : b May 1780 N. C.,

vi Thomas (7) : b 16 Feb. 1781 N. C.

vii Bowles: b Oct. 1782; died 1793.

viii Sias (7) : b 1784 N. C.

ix James (7) : b 1786 N. C.

x Clement: b Jan. 1788, died infancy.

xi Mary: b Oct. 1789, called "Polly," she m prior to 1826 Matthew Smart, b N. C. 1788, she died in the 1840's, he was living in 1850, resided Montgomery Co., N. C. They had, known

1 William Smart: b 1826, m, had two daughters living in 1920 Montgomery Co., N. C. unmarried and uncommunicative.

2 Mary Smart: b 1834.

3 Henry Smart: b 1837.

xii William (7) : b 1792 N. C.

#### 59 JOHN (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 5, Bowles 4,, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland in 1756. He moved to Anson County, North Carolina with his mother and step father about 1775. Here he met and married Nancy Black, born *circa* 1759 in Ireland and said to have been left an. orphan when about seven years of age and was reared in the home of her mother's people. In or about 1781 they moved to Western North Carolina and resided near what is now Bristol, Sullivan County, Tennessee, they then moved across the line into Washington County, Virginia where Nancy died in December 1784. He then returned to Anion County, North Carolina where he died is 1787. The two children were taken in hand by his sister, Mary, who after her marriage carried them to South Carolina with her.

Children:

i Clement: b 1779, died infancy

ii John Black: b 1781 N. C. Was reared in the home of his aunt, Mary Stedman and migrated to Mo. with Jesse and Christina Langston, and later moved to Ark. He is said to have gone to Texas in the 1830's. No subsequent record of him.

iii Nancy (7) : b Dec. 1784 Va.

#### 60 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland May 1767, moved to Stafford County, Virginia with his mother and step father. He married prior to 1792 Martha, daughter of Eli Hudson, born Virginia in 1769. They resided in Stafford County, Virginia where he engaged in farming and died about 1816. Martha and her children moved to East Tennessee about 1824. Two of her eons moved to Ohio, she resided with her eldest son to 1832 then moved to Ohio and died at the home of her daughter, Ann, about 1842-3.

Children:

i Eli Hudson (7) - b Oct. 1792 Va..

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ii Martha: b 1795, died unmarried.

iii Zachariah: b 1798 Stafford Co., Va., moved to Tenn. with his mother where he married prior to 1829 Mary, b Va. in 1810. They moved to Licking Co., Ohio about 1830 where he died in 1844, she m (2) a Mr. Cotton and removed to East Tenn. They had:

1 George: b 1829 Tenn., moved to Ohio with his parents and returned to Tenn. with his mother and step father in the late 1840's. He was living in Monroe Co., Tenn. in 1850 and listed as a farm laborer, he moved to Ky. and m there in 1856 Maletta Hardin, b Ky. 1826, they moved to Douglas Co., Mo. in 1858 and resided there to 1863 then moved to Perry Co., Ill. Both living in 1870. No children.

2 Mary: b 1832 Ohio, died in 1839.

iv Cyrus (7) : b 1802 Va.

v Ann: b 1809 Stafford Co., Va., moved to Tenn. with her mother and step father, she moved to Ohio with her brother, Zachariah, and married there prior to 1840 John Harrington, b Tenn. 1803. Resided in Licking Co., Ohio where she died in 1845 following the birth of her daughter. They had:

1 Alonzo Harrington: b 1840 Ohio.

2 Josephine Harrington: b 1845.

## 60 A SAMUEL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in January 1768, moved to Rowan County, North Carolina with his parents in 1784. He married prior to 1792 Margaret Elizabeth Welborn, born North Carolina 3 December 1766. He deeded to Basil Billingsley 13 May 1794, 250 acres of land on both sides of Abbott's Creek, being a piece of land that was left to said Samuel by his father, Basil Billingsley, deceased, witnessed by James and Samuel Welburn. (*Deeds Lib: 1 °3, fol. 90i.*) He deeded to William Newcome of Rowan County, 28 January 1800, 120 acres of land on Abbott's Creek for 180 pounds, witnessed by Joseph Plumer, Pleas Ceall, & Basil Billingsley. (*Deeds Lib. 17, fol. X18.*) He, with others of the family, on 3 August 1799, signed a quit claim deed as natural heir of the estate of Ruth Billingsley, deceased, to John Cragg, to land on Abbott's Creek, some 136 acres: (*Deeds Lib. 19, fol. 866.*) On 30 June 1803 he deeded to Abe Farrington for \$426, 160, 31 acres of land on Abbott's Creek. (*Deeds Lib. 24, fol. Q38.*) They migrated to Wilson County, Tennessee, where he died November 1815, she warned (2) in 1819 John Carver, born North Carolina in 1763, he died in 1842, she survived him and was living in 1850 with her daughter, Mary.

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### Children:

i Hannah: b 3 Mar. 1792 Rowan Co., N. C., m 1810 William Young, b N. C. 1787, both living in 1850 and resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had 9 children, six of whom died small, known are:

1 Louisa Young: b 1811 Tenn.

2 Samuel Fleetwood Young: b 1821.

3 Robert Young: b 1832.

ii Lucy: b Oct. 1794 Rowan Co., N. C., she m 1825 George Kimbrell, b N. C. 1793, he died in 1837, she survived him and was living in 1850 in Wilson Co., Tenn. Of five children born to them two grew to maturity. They had:

1 Angeline Kimbrell: b 1830 Tenn., m 1848 John Pippins, b N. C. 1823. They had, known: a Martha Pippins: b 1849.

2 Mary P. Kimbrell: b 1833.

iii Samuel: b 25 Dec. 1795 N. C., died Feb. 1799. iv Basil: b May 1798, died 1799. v Rebecca: b 17 Aug. 1800 Rowan Co., N. C., she m 1820 Joseph Bloodworth, b N. C. 1789, he was a farmer, both were living in 1850 and resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 James Bloodworth: b 1821.

2 John A. Bloodworth: b 1824.

3 Martha A. Bloodworth: b 1828.

4 Samuel Smith Bloodworth: b 1832.

5 Alexander Bloodworth: b 1834.

vi Nancy: b Jan. 1802 Rowan Co., N. C., she m 1821 Edward Sweat, b Md. 1786, he was a Campbellite minister, both were living in 1850 and resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Robert H. Sweat: b 1822.

2 Quincy A. Sweat: b 1825.

3 Pierce Sweat: b 1830.

4 Alexander C. P. Sweat: b 1832.

5 Richard V. Sweat: b 1834.

6 George B. Sweat: b 1836.

7 Cyrus C. A. Sweat: b 1839.

vii Mary: b 1 Mar. 1805 Wilson Co., Tenn., she m 1823 John R. Wilson, b Tenn. 1800, he was a farmer, both were living in 1850 and resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Elizabeth Wilson: b 1826, m 1844 William Boyne, b Tenn. in 1825, They had:

a Olivia Boyne: b 1845.

b Andrew Boyne: b 1848.

c Mary F. Boyne: b June 1850.

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- 2 James Wilson: b 1831.
- 3 John H. Wilson: b 1833.
- 4 Ann E. Wilson: b 1837.
- 5. Nancy Wilson: b 1839.
- 6 Samuel Porter Wilson: b 1841.
- 7 Thomas Wilson: b 1844.

viii Samuel: b 10 June 1807 Tenn., died 1829 Johnson Co., Ill., unm.

ix Martha: b July 1809 Tenn., she m prior to 1829 John Mosely, b Tenn. in 1810, he was a farmer, resided Wilson C Term. They had:

- 1 William Mosely: b 1829.
- 2 Thompson Mosely: b 1834.
- 3 Elizabeth Mosely: b 183?.
- 4 Lermelia Mosely: b 1840.
- 5 John Mosely: b 1844.
- 6 Noah Mosely: b 1846.
- 7 Joseph Mosely: b 1849.

### 61 ELIZABETH (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1775, she moved to Rowan County, North Carolina with her parents where she married *circa* 1795 James Hopkins, born Orange County, North Carolina 17 June 1764-65, his second wife. His first wife was Peggy Woods who died *circa* 1793-94. James Hopkins was a soldier of the Revolution entered the service when 16 years of age, served under Captain Parish, Major Humphey, and Colonel Thomas Farmer, North Carolina Regiment. (*N. C. Rev. Acds, Vol. vi, page 68, fol. 1. Hilt. Coni., of N. C.*) On 3 August 1799 James Hopkins was a party to a quit claim deed to John Cragg to land on Abbott's Creek, as heir to estate of Ruth Billingsley, deceased. (*Deeds Lib. 19, fol. X66.*) They migrated to Tennessee about 1801 and located in Wilson County where they resided for some years and about 1818 they moved to Jackson County, Illinois, after a few years they returned to Tennessee then in or about 1834 they moved to Missouri and located in Madison township, Polk County where he is listed as one of the' first settlers. There they spent the rest of their days. Both were living in 1840. and both deceased before 1850, Elizabeth is stated to have passed on in 1848, both are buried in the family cemetery on his homestead, said homestead is still in possession of his descendants. In 1931 his grave was marked with a stone furnished by the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.

#### Children

i Peggy Hopkins: b 1793 Rowan County, N. C. daughter of James Hopkins and Peggy Woods, and step daughter to Elizabeth B. Hopkins. She moved to Tenn. with her



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father and step mother and m prior to 1811 Ambrose Sherrill, b N. C. Oct. 1780, son of Jacob Sherrill, born Eng: and who came to N. C. and died in Tenn. They resided Won Co., then moved to Carroll Co., Tenn. about 1822, and in 1841 moved to Cedar Co., Mo. where he died Sept. 1844, and she died Mar. 1846, stated to have been 12 children, known are: (No Billingsley blood in Sherrill descendants.)

1 Jacob Sherrill: b 1811 Wilson Co., Tenn. He m prior to 1834 Joannah , b Teen. 1816, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. to 1842 then moved to Cedar Co., Mo. Bath were living in 1850, and believed to have moved to Mont. Ter. They had, known:

a Sarah Jane Sherrill: b 1834 Carroll Co., Tenn. She m 1850 John E. Hartley, b 13 Feb. 1821, in Dickson Co., Tenn., son of James Hartley, b 1780, Richmond Co., Ga., died 1835 Cedar Co., Mo., and Elizabeth Walker, b 1790 Tenn., died 1855 Bond Co., Ill. John E. Hartley, was one of 11 children, 7 of whom were living 1889. Mary Hartley m Solomon Hopkins, see below. They moved to Mont. Terin 1865 where Sarah died in 1871, he returned to Cedar Co., Mo. and m (2) in 1877 Mrs. Mary E. Leslie. Se was a Mason, and prominent in county affairs. See Hist. Polk Co., Mo. for further details. They had: William L., Jacob M., Minnie L., Lurah Dean, Walter M., Jean, and Robert Lee.

b Angeline Sheirill: b 1836.

c Green L. Sherrill: b 1838.

d Matilda Sherrill: b 1841.

e Nathan H. Sherrill: b 1843 Mo.

f Benjamin Sherrill: b 1845.

g Cornelia Sherrill: b 1847.

h Jacob Taylor Sherrill: b 1849.

2 Samuel Sherrill: b 1819, died unmarried.

3 Huldah Sherrill: b 1821-22. She m (1) prior to 1841 James Gist and moved to Ark. then moved to Cedar Co., Mo. in 1843 where he died and she m (2) prior to 1846 William J. Coulter, b Tenn. in 1824. He died T- in 1859, she was living in 1860, Cedar Co., Mo. They had:

a Elizabeth Gist: b 1841 Ark.

b James M. Gist: b 1843 Mo.

c Andrew Jackson Coulter: b 1846.

d William J. Coulter: b 1848.

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e Jacob Sherrill Coulter: b Apr. 1850. f Laura B. Coulter: b 1858.

4 Reilly S. Sherrill: b 5 Feb. 1823 Carroll Co., Tenn., he was the 7<sup>th</sup> of 12 children and only 3 of them living in 1889. He m 12 June 1845 Susan H. Davidson, b Wilson Co., Tenn. in 1824, he was a farmer and resided Cedar Co., Mo. in 1889. They had:

a Ephraim Sherrill: b 184?, m Elizabeth Willett, he d 1870 leaving 2 sons, Reilly and Thomas.

b James Sherrill: b 1848, died aet. 6 mos.

c William B. Sherrill: b 13 May 1852, m 17 Sept. 1882 Ida Love, b Mo. 1865, resided Cedar Co., Mo. in 1889. They had a daughter, Eugenie.

d Tennessee Sherrill: b 185?, m John Henderson, they had: Virgil, Edward and Helena.

5 James Murrah Sherrill: b 1825 Tenn., m prior to 1852 Chaney, b Tenn. in 1828, he died 1856-57, she was living in 1860 Cedar Co., Mo. They had:

a Sarah R. Sherrill: b 1852.

b James Murrah Sherrill: b 1854.

ii John (7) Hopkins: b Dec. 1796 N. C.

iii Mary Hopkins: b 1801 Tenn. She m prior to 1826 in Tenn. Thomas Smith, b Pa. 1797, they moved to Ill. in 1834 and to Cedar Co. Mo., in 1836, both living in 1850. They had, known:

1 Rebecca A. Smith: b 1826 Tenn., died unm.

2 Elizabeth J. Smith: b 1828.

3 Ruth C. Smith: b 1830, died unm.

4 Jackie A. Smith: b 1832, m 1856 James M. Wrens, b Va. 1825, resided Cedar Co., Mo. They had:

a Charles Wrens: b 1857.

b William Wrens: b 1859.

5 James M. H. Smith: b 1834 Ill., m 1854 Elizabeth, b Ky. 1836. They had:

a Robert Smith.

b William Smith.

c Thomas Smith.

d Mark Smith.

e Ida Smith: m a Mr. Keener.

f Mollie Smith: m a Mr. Waddington.

g Margaret -Smith: deceased in 1889.

h Ethel Smith.

i Maud Smith.

j Rebecca Smith.

k Sarah L. Smith.

6 Cynthia E. Smith: b 1836 Mo.

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7 Margaret E. Smith: b 1838.

8 Mary Smith: b 1840 Mo., m a Mr. Church, resided Okla. or Ind. Ter. in 1889.

iv Samuel B. Hopkins: b 1804 Tenn., died Dallas, Tex. in 1860's unmarried. James A. (7) Hopkins: b 1806 Tenn. Lucinda Hopkins: b 1808 Wilson Co., Tenn., moved to Ill. and Mo. with her parents. She m prior to 1840 Pallas Neelly, b Maury Co., Tenn. in 1815, son of George Neelly who was drowned in Miss. River in 1821 while enroute to Ark. Pallas was reared in Ark. and came to Polk Co., Mo. in late 1830's where he had grants of land 1839-1840. He served in Confederate Army as did 3 of his sons. While in service Lucinda, owing to disturbed conditions in Missouri, packed her belongings on a wagon and with her two daughters started for Texas; after some 8 weeks they landed safely at Dallas. He joined them after the war. He died 5 Feb. 1877, Lucinda was living in 1892 and is said to have died in 1908 at Dallas, Tex. Family Methodists. They had:

1 George W. Neelly: b 18 Aug. 1840 Polk Co., Mo. He enlisted and was assigned to Co. C, 10 Mo. Cav., C. S. A.; appointed 2d Lieut.; wounded in right shoulder at Humansville, Mo. and disabled for a year, and never fully recovered; discharged 8 June 1865 at Shreveport, La. and walked all the way home to Dallas, Tex. Taught school for 2 years. He m 21 Dec. 1871 Elvira J. Right, daughter of Robert Right and Martha Jordan, she died B Aug. 1878 and he m (2) 28 Dec. 1881 Louisa P. Right, sister to his first wife. He was a Mason and Past Master of his Lodge; member Royal Arch Chapter, said to have served as Deputy Grand Master, both living in 1892. They had:

a Martha L. Neelly : b 187 ; m James Barker, reside Duncanville, Tex.

b Mollie E. Neelly: b 18?- , m a Mr. Churnley, reside Dallas, Tex.

c Addie A. E. Neelly: b 187-, m a Mr. Mitchell, had a daughter, Nettie, who m a Miller.

d George W. Neelly: b 188-, 2d wife.

e Fanny P. Neelly: b 188-.

f Eula Lee Neelly: b 188-, m a Mr. Fuller, reside Arlington, Tex.

g Laura Annie Neelly: b 18-, m a Mr. Hoffman, reside Arlington, Tex.

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- h John Neelly: b 189-, -resides Ft. Worth, Tex.
  - 2 James H. Neelly: b 1843, died 185?.
  - 3 John W. Neelly: b 1843. Was a Pvt. G, 10 Mo. Inf., C. S. A., died in prison at Alton, Ill. in 1864.
  - 4 Thomas S. Neelly: b 1847. Was in Confederate Army, killed in a skirmish near Bentonville in 1863.
  - 5 Mary Neelly: b 1849 Polk Co., Mo., m after 1870 aMr. Maulding, reside Barstow, Texas.
  - 6 Elvira Elizabeth Neelly: b 1851 Mo., m 25 Jan. 1872 Milan Hopkins, son of John Hopkins, No. 162, which see.
- vii Solomon Hopkins: b 1812 Wilson Co., Tenn., moved to Jackson Co., Ill. with his parents before 1820. He m in 1835 Mary Hartley, b Tenn. in 1812, daughter of James Hartley, b Ga. 1780, d Mo. 1835, and Elizabeth Walker, b 1790 Tenn., died Bond Co., Ill. 1855. James and Elizabeth had 11 children, 7 of whom were living in 1889, i.e., Willie, Mary, Henry, Solomon, John E., see his record above, Richard, and Thomas J. They moved to Polk Co., Mo. before 1840 where. he was a farmer and died at his home in 1852, Mary was living in 1889. Of their 10 children 8 were living in 1889 and only one in 1931. They had:
- 1 Elizabeth S. Hopkins: b 23 Apr. 1836 Jackson Co., Ill., moved to Mo. with her parents and m 1850 William J. Williams, b Tenn. 1828. His parents moved to Pike Co., Mo. and then to Polk Co. He served 2 years in the Home Guards and died in 1871, she was living in 1889. They had
    - a Mary M. Williams: b 1852.
    - b Solomon E. Williams: b 1854.
    - c Sarah Williams: b 18-, decd 1889.
    - d Josie Williams: b 18-.
    - e Elinor Williams: b 18-.
    - f Addis E. Williams: b 18-.
  - 2 James F. Hopkins: b 1837 Mo., m 1856 Margaret, b Mo. in 1841, resided Polk Co., Mo. in 1860. They had
  - 3 Lucretia. A. Hopkins: b 1839.
  - 4 Thomas B. Hopkins: b 1840.
  - 5 Amanda Hopkins: b 1842.
  - 6 Chana A. Hopkins: b 1845.
  - 7 Solomon Hopkins: b 1847. Was said to be living in 1931 Mo.

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m Mary Jane Hopkins: b 1848, m 1868 Warham Easley, b 1846 in Mo., son of M. W. Easley and Sofronia Akard, he died before 1889. They had:

a Magnus T. Easley: b Oct. 1869, resided Marionville, Mo.

b Shelton W. Easley: b 1871, died 1928.

c Mary Elizabeth Easley: b 187-.

d Booker Easley: b 187-, died inf.

viii Elizabeth Hopkins: b 1815-Wilson Co., Tenn., died unmarried in Polk Co., Mo. and is buried with her parents near Fairplay, Mo.

ix Hiram (7) Hopkins: b 17 Mar. 1817.

#### HOPKINS EXCURSUS

While this family has no special bearing on the Billingsley family we have felt some interest in it from the fact that during the past 5 years or so many descendants of this Hopkins and also some of the Billingsley descendants have been induced to put up large fees for filing claim as heirs to the estate of Mark Hopkins, who died in California about 1878 leaving a large fortune and this record is primarily to show that there is no connection of this family to that of Mark Hopkins who died in California.

In the History of Polk and Cedar Counties, Missouri, published by Goodspeed in 1889 the publishers state they are not responsible for any statement made in the biographical section. One Hopkins record states, "James Hopkins father came to North Carolina from Wales." Another record states, "James Hopkins, a native of North Carolina was of ScotchIrish descent." We do not have any information as to whence this family came to North Carolina. Here are the facts as shown by the meager records discovered. One James Hopkins died in Orange County, North Carolina, his will was probated in 1759, no wife named, children mentioned, but only William and John named. This son, William Hopkins, was a soldier of the Revolution in North Carolina and was living in Orange County, North Carolina in 1790, living next to him is JAMES Hopkins. William, whose wife's name is not known, apparently is the head of this family which is stated to have consisted of: Andrew Hopkins: b 1761. He married prior to 1785 Elizabeth born N. C. 176-. They migrated to Tennessee in 1790's and resided in Wilson Co. and also Rutherford Co. In 1818 they and others of the family moved to Jackson Co., Illinois where they were living in 1820. They later returned to Tennessee where they both died. They had, known:

i John Hopkins: b 1785-86 N. C., m prior to 1809, resided Jackson Co., Ill. in 1820, had 2 sons and 1 daughter

at that date. They later. moved .to Mo. and after some years moved to Colorado.

ii Elizabeth Hopkins: b 1791 N. C., and probably in Rowan Co. moved to Tenn. with her parents where she married prior to 1813 Jones Akard, b Germany, who came to South Carolina with his parents when a child. In 1831 they moved to Gasconade Co., Mo., and in 1832 to Green Co., Mo. where he died soon afterwards, she removed to Polk Co., Mo. before 1840 where she died 13 Oct. 1869. They had:

1 Henry Award: b 1813 Tenn., m prior to 1836 Lovina b Ky. 1816. He was County Court Judge in 1837, granted land in 1839 and died about 1849, resided Polk Co., Mo. They had:

a Henry L. Akard : b 1836 Mo.

b Mary Amanda Akard: b 1841.

c Martha Akard: b 1843.

d James M. Akard: b 1846:

e Keziah Adeline Akard: b 1848, m James J. Akard.

iii Joseph Akard: b 1815 Tenn. Was granted land in Polk Co., Mo. in 1837 and 1839, he m prior to 1838 Keziah Dunnegan, b Tenn. in 1817. He died in 1846 and she died in 1885 aet. 68 years. They had:

a James J. Akard: b 7 July 1838, m Keziah Adeline Akard, 1<sup>st</sup> cousins, had 2 daughters. See Hist. Polk Co., Mo. for his biography.

b Child: b 1840, died inf.

c Rhode P. Akard: b 1842.

d Ann Akard: b 1844.

e Mary L. Akard: b 1846.

3 Aaron Akard: b 1817, had a grant of land in 1839, Polk Co., Mo. No subsequent record.

4 Sarah Akard: b 1819 Tenn., m 1839 Elijah Fox, b Ill. in 1821, resided Polk Co., Mo. in 1850. They had

a Henry F. Fox: b 1841

b Thomas L. Fox: b 1846.

5 Andrew M. F. Akard: b 1821 Tenn. Was granted land in Polk Co., Mo. in 1839 and 1840, m 1844 Parthena Baker, b Tenn. 1826, resided Polk Co., Mo. They had:

a George M. D. Akard: b 1845.

b Sarah Akard: b 1848.

c Joseph Akard: b 1856.

d Ann Akard: b 1858.

6 Martha A. Akard: b 22 Mar. 1822 Tenn., m 1841 Silas

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Fox, b 4 Feb. 1818 -Williamson Co., Tenn., she died 19 July 1864, resided Polk Co., Mo. They had:

a William N. C. C. A. Fox: b 15 Oct. 1844.

b Henry C. Fox, b 18-.

c John A. Fox: b 18-.

d James A. Fox: b 18-.

7 Thomas Akard: b 1825 Tenn., m 1847 Mary A. , b 1826, resided Polk Co., Mo. They had:

a James M. Akard: b 1849.

8 William C. C. Akard: b 1827. He was a merchant, m. 1856 Sarah b Tenn. 1837 resided Polk Co.,  
They had:

a Porter Akard : b 1858.

9 Safronia Akard: b 1829, m 1845 Miller W. Easley, b Term. 1815, son of Warham Easley, d Grainger Co., Tenn.  
set. 87 years, and Catherine Counts. Miller W. was the 3d of 4 children and came to Mo. in 1837. Was a Mason,  
both were living in 1889 and resided Polk Co., Mo. They had:

a Warham Easley: b 1846, m Mary Jane, daughter of Solomon Hopkins, which see.

b John J. Easley: b 1850, died set. 12 years.

c James B. Easley: b 1856.

10 Elizabeth P. Akard: b 1830.

11 Mary A. Akard: b 1831.

iii Mary Hopkins: b 179-. Was living in 1810.

iv James Hopkins: b 17 June 1764-65, m Elizabeth Billingsley, No. 61 which see.

v John Hopkins: b 17-. Lived and died in Tennessee.

62 BASIL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 8 November 1777,  
moved to Rowan County, North Carolina with his parents in 1784. On 13 May 1794 he was deeded by his brother,  
Samuel, 250 acres of land on Abbott's Creek, said piece of land being left to said Samuel by his father, Basil  
Billingsley, decsd. (*Deeds Lib. 13, fol. 901.*) On 3 August 1799 he signed, with others of the family, a quit claim  
deed as natural heir to the estate of Ruth Billingsley, deceased, etc. (*Deeds Lib. 19; fol. 3B6.*) He married (1) about  
1799 Nancy Craig, born North Carolina in 178-. On the tat of August 1803 he deeded 25 acres of land to James  
Collet, of Randolph County, North Carolina, for 8400. They moved to Wilson County, Tennessee where Nancy  
died in 1817-18, he married (2) Mary Young, born South Carolina in 1799 and they moved to Johnson County,  
Illinois before 1823. He was a farmer and

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died at his home in Johnson County in the 1850's, Mary was living and a widow in 1860, and appears to have passed on before 1870.

Children:

i Rhoda: b Feb. 1801 Rowan Co., N. C., she moved to Tenn. with her parents, and then to Ill. with them. She m prior to 1830 James Harper, b N. C. 1805, they resided in Wilson and Smith Cos., Tenn. to 1839 then moved to Johnson Co., Ill. Both were living in 1850. They had:

- 1 Mary Harper: b 1830.
- 2 Elizabeth J. Harper: b 1832.
- 3 Jesse G. Harper: b 1834.
- 4 Ann B. Harper: b 1836.
- 5 Sarah Harper: b 1837.
- 6 Rhoda Harper: b 1840 Ill.
- 7 Eliza Harper: b 1842.
- 8 Cynthia Harper: b 1845.

ii Elizabeth: b Oct. 1803 Rowan Co., N. C., moved to Tenn. with her parents where she m prior to 1823 James Green, b Tenn. 1796, resided Henry Co., Tenn. to 1847 then settled in Wilson Co., Tenn. Of seven children three reached maturity. They had:

- 1 Nathaniel Green: b 1823, m 1844 Elizabeth , b Tenn. 1823, resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:
  - a William Green: b 1846.
  - b Martha F. Green: b 1849.
- 2 Alexander Green: b 1828.
- 3 Samuel Green: b 1835.

iii Nancy: b 1805 Wilson Co., Tenn., moved to Ill. with her parents and m (1) prior to 1830 James Ballance, of Ky., he died and she m (2) prior to 1840 John Kennedy, b N. C. 1785. Resided in Logan Co., Ky. to 1848 then moved to Johnson Co., Ill. both were living in 1850. They had, known

- 1 Nancy Ballance: b 1830 Ky.
- 2 James W. Ballance: b 1832.
- 3 Elizabeth Ann Kennedy: b 1840.
- 4 Richard W. Kennedy: b 1843.
- 5 Thomas J. Kennedy: b 1844.
- 6 Nancy A. Kennedy: b 1846.
- 7 Cynthia C. Kennedy: b 1849 Ill.

iv Ruth Eliza:- b 1807 Wilson Co., Tenn., moved to -Ill. with her parents and m prior to 1830 James H. Coppage, b Term. 1800, he was a blacksmith, they resided Wilson Co. Tenn. They had:

- 1 William Coppage: b 1830.
- 2 Martha Coppage: b 1832.



- 3 Mary Coppage: b 1834.
- 4 Jane Coppage: b 1835.
- 5 Ann Coppage: b 1838 .
- 6 Evaline Coppage: b 1840.
- 7 Tennessee Coppage: b 1842.
- 8 James H. Coppage: b 1844.
- 9 Susan Coppage: b 1845.
- 10 Samuel Coppage: b Feb. 1850.

v Miranda M.: b 1808 Tenn., moved to Ill. with her parents and m prior to 1833 Littlebury Johnson, b N. C. 1803, Son of Mary Johnson, b N. C. 1784, living 1850. He was a farmer and resided Wilson Co., Tenn., both were living in 1850. They had

- 1 Benjamin Johnson: b 1833.
- 2 Lucy J. Johnson: b 1836.
- 3 Catherine J. E. Johnson: b 1838.
- 4 Littlebury Johnson, Jr.: b 1840.
- 5 Miranda M. Johnson: b 1841.
- 6 Joseph T. Johnson:- b 1842.
- 7 Mary A. Johnson: b 1844.
- 8 Wiley H. Johnson: b 1846.
- 9 Lucinda J. Johnson: b 1849.

vi Mary: b 1810 Tenn., moved to Ill. with her parents. and m in 1827 Watson Sanders, b N. C. 1808, he was a farmer, resided in Wilson Co., Tenn. and moved to Johnson Co., Ill. about 1842, both were living in 1850. They had:

- 1 John Sanders: b 1828.
- 2 James Sanders: b 1830.
- 3 Ross H. Sanders: b 1832.
- 4 George W. Sanders: b 1834.
- 5 Milton G. Sanders: b 1836.
- 6 Sarah J. P. Sanders: b 1843 Ill.
- 7 Samuel Sanders: b 1846.

vii Margaret: b 1812 Tenn., moved to Ill. with her parents and m prior to 1836 John Dune, b Tenn. 1810, she died in 1855 and he m (2) Elizabeth, b Tenn. 1840. He and 2d wife both living in 1870 in Johnson Co., Ill. They had:

- 1 William Dunn: b 1836.
- 2 John Wesley Dunn: b 1842, m 1869 Sarah Miles, b Ky. 1845, a widow who had 1' child at the time of this marriage. They had, known:
  - a Susan Miles: b 1866. Step daughter.
- 3 Basil Dunn: b 1846, m 1864 Martha, b Ill. 1847, resided Johnson Co., Ill. They had, known:
  - a Margaret Dunn: b 1866.

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4 Luther Dunn: b..1858, 2d wife died 1860's.

5 Scott Dunn: b 1861.

6 Tennessee Dunn: b 1863.

viii Basil: b 1816 Tenn., died 1819.

ix . John: b 1823 Ill., 2d wife, moved to Mo. before 1850, he was a miner, died unmarried.

x Mildred: b 1825 Johnson Co., Ill., she m 1848 John Howard, b Tenn. 1815, resided Johnson Co., Ill. They had, known:

1 Isaac Joseph Howard: b Jan. 1850.

2 Willis A. Howard: b 1853.

3 John M. Howard: b 1856.

4 James N. Howard: b 1858.

5 Beda A. Howard: b 1859.

xi William Young (7) : b 1829 Ill.

xii Basil: b 1831 Ill. Was living in 1870, a farmer, and resided Johnson Co., Ill. unmarried at that date.

xiii Polly Ann: b 1834, m prior to 1856 a Mr. Russell, had a son James, b 1856, who was living with his uncle, Basil Billingsley, in 1870.

xiv Samuel: b 1837 Ill., he m prior to 1864 Sarah, b Ill. 1840, he was a farmer, both were living in 1870 and , resided Johnson Co., Ill. They had, known:

1 John: b 1864.

2 Susan: b 1868.

## 63 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 7, Samuel 4, William .3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland in 1775-76. He married . prior to 1803 Rebecca (Stabler ?) born Maryland in 1782. He was legatee in his father's will in 1805, and signed a deed with the others of his family disposing of land to David Street in 1811, and was a resident of Baltimore County at that date. He enlisted 1 September 1814 as Private, Captain Benjamin Williams, Jr., Troop 6<sup>th</sup> Maryland Cavalry Militia, Moore's Regiment, and discharged 19 September 1814. (*War Dept. records.*) He died the latter part of the year 1814 and his estate was administered in Baltimore County. (*Admns Lib. 6, fol. \$8.*) Rebecca survived him many years and moved to Warren County, Ohio in December 1837 with her daughter and then to Iowa about 1842 where she died in 1843.

Children:

i Rebecca: b 1803, m 18 Aug. 1821 Lawson Cuddy, b Md. 1784, resided Baltimore Co., Md., both were living in 1850. They had, known

1 Nancy Cuddy: b 1822.

2 Elijah Cuddy: b 1827, m 1847 Catherine, b

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Md. in .1827, resided Baltimore Co., Md. They had, known:

a William Cuddy: b 1848.

b Margaret Cuddy: b June 1850.

3 Wesley Cuddy: b 1828.

4 Rachel Cuddy: b 1830.

ii John: b 1 Jan. 1805, moved to York Co., Pa. and m prior to 1826 Hannah , b Pa. 1805. They moved to Warren Co., Ohio where -he died in 1835, and -she m (2) prior to 1838 Joseph Fulton, b Md. 1806, resided Warren Co., Ohio. They had:

1 Hannah: b 1826 Pa., m 1848 Isaac Beecher, be Ohio 1822, resided Ohio in 1850. They had, known:

a Mary A. Beecher: b. 1849.

2 Sarah Jane: b 1828 Pa., died unmarried.

3 Margaret: b 1831 Ohio, m 1849 Daniel Canning, b Ireland in 1827, resided Warren Co., Ohio. They had, known:

a Laura H. Canning: b Jan. 1850.

4 Mary Ann: b 1833 Ohio, died small.

5 Emma Fulton: b 1838, 2d marriage. No Billingsley blood.

6 Arabella Fulton: b 1840.

7 Margaret A. Fulton: b 1843.

iii Walter (7) : b 9 Feb. 1806.

iv Joseph (?) : b Oct. 1807.

v Ruth: b 1811 Md., m 20 Oct. 1837 Baltimore City, Md. John Cuddy, moved to Ohio in December 1837, and then to Iowa about 1842. No record of their children.

vi Robert: b 1813 Baltimore Co., Md. Moved to Warren Co., Ohio in 1837 where he m 20 Sept. 1838 Almenia Bishop, b Ohio in 1817. They moved to Delaware Co., Ohio in the late 1850's. He was listed as a Shoemaker in 1850, and later as a Farmer. He enlisted 6 Dec. 1861, Pvt. Co. I, 82d Ohio Inf., U. S., giving age as 45 years, was assigned as "Teamster"; June to Oct. 1862 absent, sick; discharged 30 Jan. 1863 on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability; was five feet, eight inches in height, born Baltimore Co., Md., light complexion, blue eyes, and dark hair, farmer, and He was pensioned for this service died at Powell, Ohio 28 June 1896, Ahnenia drew widow's pension from Aug. 1896 to 1901 the date of her death. Her claim shows no children under 16 years of age. They had, known:  
1 James E. r b 1840, m 1860 Mary L., daughter of Benjamin Freshwater, b Ohio 1845, resided Delaware Co., Ohio.

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They had, known:

a Florence: b 1861.

b Benjamin R.: b 1863.

c Morris C.: b 1865. Was living with his grandparents Freshwater in 1880, Delaware Co., Ohio.

d Sulula: b 1867.

e George H.: b 1869.

2 Mary E.: b 1842, m or d before 1860.

3 Rebecca: b 1845, m prior to 1862 Edwin Redding, b N. Y. in 1838, resided Delaware Co., Ohio. They had, known:

a Loraine Redding: b 1862.

b James A. Redding: b 1866.

c Lucy Redding: b 1869.

4 Almenia Bishop: b 1847.

5 Melissa Ann: b Oct. 1859, m 1879 Melvin H. Hays, b Ohio 1849, resided Delaware Co., Ohio.

vii Samuel (7) : b 1815, posthumous.

## 64 WALTER (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland in 1780. He married 25 April 1810 Frances Carr, born Maryland 178-. He served as Private 32d Regiment (Hood's) Maryland Militia, War of 1812. (*War Dept. Records.*) While he resided all his life in Harford County, and owned considerable acreage of land there does not appear any records showing his acquisition of land except the plantation devised him by his kinsman, Walter Billingsley No. 15, nor is there any record of disposition of land. He is conspicuously absent in the land records. In his father's generation there were at least three Walter Billingsleys who lived in this County and the land records are difficult to assign accurately, this does not happen in this man's generation. Frances was living in 1840 and died before 1850. Walter was living in 1850 and was deceased prior to 1860. He left no will nor is there any record of administration of his estate. The names of his children have been ascertained from census records and from family records of various ones of them.

Children:

i James (7) : b Jan. 1811.

ii Mary Ann: b 1813, m 6 Feb. 1832 James Wann, both were living in 1870, resided Harford Co., Md. They had, known:

1 James H. Wann: b 1833.

2 Frances Jane Wann: b 1835.

3 Walter J. Wann: b 1837.

4 Daniel Wann: b 1840.

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5 Augustus J. Wann: b 1842. Was living 1908 and legatee in will of his uncle, John W: Billingsley, in 1897.

6 John W. Wann: b 1845.

7 Benjamin T. Wann : b 1848.

8 Edward Wann: b 1852.

9 Charles D. Wann: b 1856. Was living 1908 and legatee in will of his uncle, John W. Billingsley, in 1897.

iii Matilda Virginia: b 1815, she m 27 June 1848 at Baltimore, Md. William C. Billingsley, son of Barzillai Billingsley, No. 66, which see.

iv Walter J.: b 181?. Lived all his life in Harford Co., Md. Dated his will 1 Nov. 1872 and it was probated 18 Nov. 1872, leaves \$350 to sister, Frances C. Crevensten, she to pay \$100 to Mary Peterson, and all funeral expenses, balance of estate to my brother, John Billingsley; he never married.

v Daughter: b 1819, died small.

vi Rebecca J.: b 1822, m 26 Dec. 1844 Nathan James Chamberlain, b Md. 1818, both were living in 1870, Harford Co., Md. He died and she m (2) a Mr. Forward and was living in 1891, see will of Frances C. Crevensten, below.

They had, known

1 James Chamberlain: b 1847.

2 Walter Chamberlain: b 1847. Twins.

3 Alice Chamberlain: b 1856.

4 Josiah Chamberlain: b 1859.

5 Martha Chamberlain: b 1862.

6 Flora Chamberlain: b 1866.

vii John W.: b 1824, m 30 Jan. 1866 Elizabeth A. Crevensten, b Md. 1825. She m (1) Peterson, (2) Crevenstep, and (3) as above stated. He was legatee and executor ; to the will of his brother, Walter J. Billingsley, in 1872, and legatee to will of his sister, Frances C. Crevensten, in 1891. He dated his will 18 Oct. 1897 and it was probated 11 Jan. 1898; leaves all estate to Edward E. Cook, provided he furnished home for wife, Elizabeth, during her life; \$100 each to nephews, Augustus J., and Charles D. Wane, at death of wife, Elizabeth A.; \$100 each to George, Albert B., and Clara Stella, children of Edward E. Cook: and Mary. E., his wife, at 21 and 18 :years respectively. Should sister, Eliza J. Wann, be sent to an institution for aged, executor to pay \$100 toward this expense. Elizabeth survived him a few years and died about 1908 as Augustus J. and Charles D. Wann received their \$100 each that year. No Billingsley children. They had: 1 Mary E. Peterson: b 1852, step daughter. She m 19

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Jan. 1880 Edward E. Cook. He died 1909, will probated 8 Sept. 1909, son Albert B. Cook, named as executor. They had: (no Billingsley blood here)

- a George E. Cook: b 188-, decesd 1909.
- b Albert B. Cook: b 188-.
- c Clara Stella Cook: b 188-, decesd 1909.
- d Walter F. Cook: b 18-.
- e Charles C. Cook: b 18-.
- f Willard F. Cook: b 18-.
- g George Cook: b 18-.
- h Verta Alice Cook: b 18-.

viii Sarah R.: b. 1826, m 28 Nov. 1853 Harford Co., Md. William Clark Billingsley, of Franklin Co., Ohio, son of Samuel Billingsley, No. 65, which see.

ix Frances Carr: b 1828, m 22 Feb. 1864 at Baltimore, Md. Jacob Henry Crevensten. She died Mar. 1891 leaving no children. He survived her. Her will was dated 5 Mar. 1891 and probated 23 Mar. 1891, Harford Co., Md., provides: After all debts are paid all estate in trust of John W. Billingsley for benefit of Jacob Henry Crevenaten, my husband, at the death of my husband, any estate left, my niece, Mrs. Fanny Billingsley Hall, of Columbus, Ohio to have \$100; the balance, if any, equally to John W. Billingsley; Matilda V. Billingsley, of Baltimore Co., Md.; Rebecca J. Forward, and Eliza J. Wann.

x Eliza J.: b 1830, m prior to 1867 John Wann, b Md. 1835. He was living 1870, she was living 1897 and mentioned in will of John W. Billingsley, who provides that his executor pay \$100 toward her expense in case she is sent to an institution for the aged. They had, known:

1 Mary Virginia Wann: b 1867.

xi Elizabeth J.: b 1831-32, m 16 Dec. 1848 Barzillai Billingsley, No. 66, which see.

#### 65 SAMUEL (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 20. August 1784 moved to Baltimore County where he married 19 June 1805 in St. Paul's Parish, Ann Maria Catherine Hook, "--born circa 1786, and daughter of Jacob Hook of said County. He was party to a deed in 1811 in Harford County when the family disposed of land to David Street. Resided in Baltimore County to about 181? then moved to Pennsylvania and after a short time removed to Franklin County, Ohio where he engaged in farming. He is listed in the census of 1850 and 1860 and his family Bible states he died aged 78 years, 4 months,

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and 14 days, which would fall on 4 January 1863. Catherine was living in 1870 and a widow, and died sometime before 1880.

Children

i John (7) : b 1 Nov. 1806.

ii Walter (7) : b 5 Jan. 1808.

iii Ann Elizabeth: b 27 Dec. 1809 Md.

iv Barzillai: b 29 Jan. 1812 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Pa. and Ohio with his parents. He married prior to 1842 Anna J., b Md. 1823. He is listed in 1850 as "Doctor"; in 1860, 1870, and 1880 as "shoemaker." Resided Franklin Co., Ohio, both were living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Sarah E.: b 1842, m or d before 1870.

2 Laura J.: b 1845, m or d before 1870.

3 Ann M.: b 1848, m or d before 1870.

4 Richard D.: b 1851, m prior to 1875 Mary E., b Ohio 1857, was a farm laborer, both living in 1880 and resided in Franklin Co., Ohio. They had, known:

a Nellie: b 1875.

b Bertha M.: b Dec. 1879.

5 Frances: b 1854, m prior to 1874 a Mr. Betts, had a daughter, Frances M., b 1874.

6 Walter B.: b 1856, was unmarried in 1880.

7 Samuel Thomas: b 1858.

8 George: b 1863.

v James: b 2 Feb. 1814 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Pa. and Ohio with his parents, and then migrated to Iowa with his brother, John, about 1842-43, was living in Henry Co., Iowa in 1850, and in 1870 was a resident of Van Buren Co., Iowa and lived with his sister in law, Mrs. John Billingsley. There is no subsequent record of him.

vi Jacob: b 4 Feb. 1816 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Pa. and Ohio with his parents. He married prior to 1837 Barbara , b Ohio in 1816, and , believed to be a daughter of Christina Pawpaw, b Pa. 1787 who was living in the home of Jacob Billingsley in 1860. Resided Franklin Co., in 1850 then moved to Delaware Co., Ohio, both living in 1860. They had, known:

1 Frances M.: b 1837 Ohio.

2 Louisa: b 1839.

3 Edward: b 1844.

4 Charles: b 1846.

5 Samuel H.: b 1848.

6 Jacob:, b 1852.

7 Sarah M.: b 1854.

8 Mary A.: b 1856.

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vii Ruth: b 9 Feb. 1818 Pa. Was living in 1880 and unmarried, resided in Franklin Co., Ohio.

viii Catherine: b 19 Apr. 1820 probably in Pa., m or d before , 1850.

ix Mary Ann: b 2 May 1822 Ohio, m prior to 1850 Jacob Franks, b Pa. 1808, resided Franklin Co., Ohio. They had, known

1 Samuel Franks: b 1850.

2 Ann M. Franks: b 1852.

3 Mary Ann Franks: b May 1860.

4 Martha Franks: b May 1860. Twins. x Priscilla: b 10 Aug. 1824 Ohio. She was living and unmarried in 1870 and listed as "Invalid." Ann Maria, daughter of John Billingsley, No. 169, had an aunt named Mrs. Frank Standish, who died circa 1893 and left her a small legacy, the family belief is that this was Priscilla Billingsley.

xi Samuel: b 10 Dec. 1829 Ohio. Was at home in 1850, no subsequent record of him.

xii William Clark: b 12 Dec. 1832 in Ohio. He married 29 Nov. 1853 license dated 28 Nov. 1853, Harford Co., Md., Sarah R., daughter, of Walter Billingsley, No. 64, born Harford Co., Md. in 1826, and 1<sup>st</sup> cousins. Resided Perry township, Franklin Co., Ohio. He enlisted 2 May 1864 as Pvt. E, 133 Ohio Inf. U. S., and discharged 15 Dec. 1864. In 1881 they moved to Delaware Co., Ohio and lived at Powell, he was pensioned in 1892. In a statement, made in 1902 he names six children as living. He died 30 Oct. 1908, and as there is no widow's claim it is apparant Sarah predeceased him. They had:

1 Frances: b 3 Dec. 1854 Ohio, she m 1874 Nelson Hall, b Pa. 1819, his 2d wife, he had four children living at the time of this marriage. Frances was legatee in 1891 in the will of her aunt, Frances C. Crevensten, of Harford Co., Md. She was living in 1902. They had, known:

a Helbert Hall: b 1876.

b. Lean Hall: b Dec. 1879:

2 Samuel W.: b 1 Mar. 1857. Living in 1902.

3 William C., Jr.: b 18 Jan. 1859. Living 1902.

4 Catherine M.: b 20 Dec. 1860. Living in 1902.

5 John Henry: b 15 Dec. 1862. Living in 1902.

6 Ruth Jennies b 27 Feb. 1867. Living in 1902.



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### 66 BARZILLAI (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Bores Harford County; Maryland in 1790. He married 1 September 1812 Drucilla Hall in Baltimore County. He enlisted and served as Private 41<sup>st</sup> Regiment (Harris) Maryland Militia, 25 August 1814 to 27 October 1814, War of 1812. (*War Dept. Records.*) He was a carpenter, Drucilla died in the 1840's and he married (2) 16 December 1848 at 1<sup>st</sup> Methodist Church, Baltimore, Maryland, Elizabeth .T. Billingsley, born Harford County,. Maryland .1831-32, a daughter of Walter Billingsley, No. 64. He deeded land to his son, William C. Billingsley in March 1856. (*Deeds Lib. 14, fol. 411.*) He dated his will 29 February 1856 and died before 18 March 1856; wife, Elizabeth J., all land which I reside on, about 26 3a acres, for life and at her death divide equally between her three children, Jesse, Ariel, and Jacob Albert; personal estate the same. This will was probated 18 March 1856. She married (2) prior to 1859 Lambert Roberts, j born Maryland 1837. He dated his will 18 August 1890 and it was probated 10 December 1890: to son, Charles, \$5.00; to son, William, \$50.00; after payment of above all property to wife, Elizabeth Roberts, for life and at her death to my three children, Edward, Lydia, and Fanny. She survived him and no data on her death.

Children:

i William C.: b 1814, m 27 June 1848 Matilda Virginia Billingsley, b Harford Co., Md. in 1815, daughter of Walter Billingsley, No. 64, and 1<sup>st</sup> cousins. He dated his will 9 Jan. 1882, wife, Matilda, all land in Baltimore Co., about 4 acres also all personal estate except house to son, Wesley T. Wife to have all till her death, then to son, this will probated 22 Feb. 1884. Matilda was living in 1891 and mentioned in will of her sister, Frances M. Crevensten. They had:

1 Wesley Taylor: b 1849. Dated his will 22 Sept. 1884 and it was probated 7 Jan. 1885, all estate to mother and at her death to my cousin, Jesse Billingsley.

ii . Samuel Walter (7) : b 1816.

iii Drucilla: b 1818, died childhood.

iv John: b 1819, m 7 Oct. 1841 Mary Holbert, b Md. 1824, daughter of Samuel Holbert, b 1775 and Sarah b 1787, his wife. Resided Baltimore Co., Md. where he is listed as a farm laborer in 1850. He died in 1853 of typhoid fever, she survived him many years and died in the 1880's. They had:

1 William Thomas: b 1842. He is listed in 1860 as apprentice blacksmith. He moved to Harford Co., Md. and m 24 Sept. 1869 Mary Eliza Gilbert, b Md. She died 25 July 1920 and he died 1 August 1923. They had:

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a Julia Gilbert: b 7 July 1870, m 17 July 1895 Joseph Purrington Wilson, b Md. 1865, reside Belair, Md.  
No children.  
2 Sarah: b 1844, m a Mr. Phelps.  
3 Harriet: b 1847.  
4 Mary: b 1849, m a Mr. Ward.

v Harriet: b 1820, m 7 Feb. 1839 James Duff, b Md. 1813, resided Baltimore Co., Md. to late 1860's then moved to Pa. They had, known:  
1 Telitha Duff: b 1840.  
2 Mary Duff: b 1842.  
3 Frances Duff: b 1845.  
4 Ellen Duff: b 1848.  
5 James Duff: b 1850.  
6 Emma Duff: b 1854.  
7 Charles Duff: b 1856.

vi Mary F.: b 1825 m 23 Sept. 1846 Henry E. H. Reese, b Md. 1820. He was a miller and blacksmith, resided Baltimore Co., Md. to 1850 and later moved to Howard Co., Md. They had, known:  
1 Anna Reese: b 1848.

vii Jesse (7) : b 12 Mar. 1850, 2d wife.

viii Jacob Albert: b 1852, m 1 Nov. 1874 Mary A. Patton, widow, b 1848, she had 2 children at the time of this marriage. Resided Harford Co., Md. where she died 1 July 1908 intestate. Her estate administered by J. Frank Billingsley, a deed dated 24 Apr. 1909 shows Rebecca, Hannah, and J. Frank Billingsley her only children and heirs at law. (*Deeds Lib. 127, fol. .6,9.*) Jacob survived her and died in 1928. They had: 1 Rebecca A. Patton: b 18-,step daughter, m Lancaster, was a widow 1909, and living 1931.  
2 Hannah Patton: b 18-, step daughter, m Marion D. Whitaker, was living 1931.  
3 J. Frank: b 187-. Only child of Jacob. Operated a large apiary at Pleasantville, Md. He died Dec. 1930, unmarried.

ix Ariel: b 1854-55. She married 16 Jan. 1872 Baltimore Co., Md. Edward B. Reese. He served in Civil War in Union Army; and was pensioned, he died in 1920's, she survives him and resides Glenarm, Md. They had:  
1 Mary Elizabeth Reese: b Feb. 1873, m Hugh McCabe, he died 1929, she resides Baltimore, Md. They had:  
a Jack McCabe: b 189-. Served in World War in U. S. Navy.

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b Charlotte McCabe: b 18-, died childhood.

c Helen McCabe: b 18-, m a Mr. Grover, he was in U. S. Navy.

d Rose McCabe: b 18-, died aet. 16 years automobile accident.

2 William Billingsley Reese: b ca 1875. Disappeared from home when a young man, and never heard from.

x Charles Roberts: b 186- (2d marriage of Elizabeth).

xi William Roberts: b 186-.

xii Edward Roberts: b 18-.

xiii Lydia Roberts: b 18-.

xiv Frances Roberts: b 18-.

#### 67 JAMES (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland, 1 May 1768. He succeeded to some of his father's lands and acquired others by purchase. He married 14 September 1797 Elizabeth Matthews, born 26 March 1776, a daughter of Levin Matthews, born 10 September 1737, and his second wife, Mary Day, who was daughter of John and Philazenna Day. Levin Matthews was a son of Roger Matthews and his second wife, Elizabeth Garrett, and a brother of Captain Bennett Matthews of Harford County. See Matthews family from 1700, church records St. John's and St. George's Parishes, and the will of Bennett Matthews, etc.

He was a planter and merchant and resided near Abingdon, Maryland. She died in Frederick County, Maryland 12 January 1835, he survived her, dated his will 29 May 1848, died 4 August 1848 and this will was probated in the month of August. It is quite an extensive instrument Buried at Abingdon, Md.

Children:

i Bennett Matthews (7) : b 1798.

ii James Levin (7) : b 24 Oct. 1804.

iii Sarah E.: b 2 Apr. 1809, m 27 Feb. 1839 Samuel Howell Barron, she died 2 Aug. 1851 sine prole and is buried at Abingdon, Md.

iv Mary: b 18-, died unmarried.

v Levin M.: b 18-, died ca 15 years, buried at Abingdon, Md.

#### 67 A SARAH (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis i.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 12 January 1770, she married when 17 years of age Walter Bull, born Baltimore County, Maryland 14 July 1762, a son of William Bull and Sarah Billingsley, and first cousins, see No. 15. Resided

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Harford County, Maryland . where he died in 1829,. his estate administered by Sarah Bull 2 May 1829 (Inv. 2-83.)  
She was living in 1830.

Children:

i Bull: b 25 Mar. 1788, m 13 Aug. 1811 Lloyd Day Lee, b 16 Oct. 1789, she died shortly after 1829 and he m (2) Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas nee Turner, they moved to Ohio about 1836 said to have lived near Circleville or Columbus, they are not listed in census of 1840 or 1850 in either Pickaway or Franklin Co., Ohio. No data on his death. They had:

1 Sarah Pamela Lee: b 14 Dec. 1813, m Joseph Carman, he died 11 Mar. 1871.

2 William Onion Lee: b 24 June 1815, record has this statement: "Went to the War and never returned."

3 Margaret Ann Lee: b 26 May 1816, died 1833.

4 Walter Bull Lee: b 28 Feb. 1819, died aet. 27 years.

5 Marion Lee: b 10 Aug. 182-, died in fancy.

6 Mary Elizabeth Lee: b 5 Sept. 1829, m (1) 9 Jan. 1848 William M. C. Denny, he died 15 Nov. 1858 and she m (2) 22 Nov. 1860 David Robinson, he died 20 Mar. 1883, no data on her death. They had:

a Mary Frances Denny: b 17 July 1849, died 30 July 1850.

b John Edward Denny: b 6 Oct. 1851.

c Ellen Virginia Denny: b 10 May 1853, died 10 Sept. 1853.

d William M. Nicholas Denny: b 18 Sept. 1854, died 8 June 1882.

e Walter Lee Denny: b 4 Sept. 1856.

f Joseph N. Dixon Denny: b 8 Mar. 1858.

g Sarah Pamela Robinson: b 2 Oct. 1861, 2d marriage.

h David Robinson, Jr.: b July 1863, died infancy.

i Anna Cora Robinson: b 20 Sept. 1864.

j Florence May Robinson: b 1 Mar. 186?, died 15 Nov. 1867.

7 Susan Evesta Lee: b 183-, 2d wife.

8 Margaret Ann Lee.

9 Ellen Lee.

10 Rebecca Lee.

ii Sarah Bull: b 5 Aug. 1791, m 28 Mar. 1818 Thomas Inloes or Enloes, moved to Ohio, both deceased some years prior to 1890, said to have had four daughters.

iii Walter Bull: b 2 Aug. 1793, moved to Ohio and said to have married Elizabeth Bull.

iv Pamela Bull: b 3 Dec. 1796.

v James Bull: b 19 Dec., died 8 July 1805.

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vii John Elisha Bull: b 2 Nov. 1806, m, prior to 1834 Mary (Divers) Bull, b Md. ca 1798, widow of Elisha Bull, his uncle, see No. 15, both living in 1850 and resided Harford Co., Md. They had:

1 Pamela Bull: b 1834, m Frederick Raine, he served as Consul at Berlin in Cleveland's administration, he died, she said to have been living in 1920's in Baltimore, Md.

2 Virginia Bull: b 1837, m Rev. B. F. Myers.'

3 Elisha Bull: b 1837, a twin, died infancy.

4 Sarah Bull: b 183-, died small.

5 Elisha Bull: b 1841.

6 James Bull: b 184-, died infancy.

vii William Edward Bull: b 1 Apr. 1810, m 25 May 1847 Elizabeth Smithson, b Md. 1813, daughter of Thomas Smithson, resided Harford Co., Md. They had.

1 Sarah Cassandra Bull: b 10 Apr. 1850.

2 John Walter Bull: b 11 June 1851.

3 Thomas Edward Bull: b 22 Feb. 1856.

4 Mary Elizabeth Bull: b 20 Feb. 1858.

5 Ruth Virginia Bull: b 4 May 1859.

#### 68 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 5 February 1772. He married 18 November 1802 Elizabeth Waltham, born Harford County, Maryland, in 1783. He was a farmer and resided Harford County, Maryland where he died 16 December 1825. She survived him many years and died in 1859. Her will is dated 23 March 1855 and was probated 19 December 1859, leaves all estate to daughter, Eliza, who was named as executrix. Both are buried at Abingdon, Maryland.

Children:

i William (7) : b 23 Nov. 1803.

ii James: b 23 November 1803, a twin of William. He married 20 Apr. 1839 Martha G. Dove, a widow, b Md., who died before 1849. He dated his will 13 Aug. 1849 leaves to each of two sisters, \$1.00, balance of estate to brothers William and Charlton W., who were named as executors. This will was probated 17 Apr. 1858. No children.

iii Eliza: b 4 Nov. 1805. She resided Harford Co., Md. and lived to a venerable age, she was the one who was so well posted on the family history and who furnished J. M. Reifsnider with many of his notes on this branch. She was sole legatee to her mother's will. She dated her will 22 Mar. 1890 and bequeaths to:

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Charlton S. Waltham: \$100. Maria B. Waltham: \$100. John Anderson: \$100. Balance of estate equally between cousin, Georgians, wife of Charlton W. Waltham and nephew, Dr. James Billingslea. I loaned my- stocks to brother, Charlton, all is gone. I have the right to do as I please and leave Henry D. Farnandes to see my will executed. This will probated 16 May 1891. Never married. iv Charlton W. (7) : b 1808.

v John W.: b 1812, d 22 Oct. 1812 set. 9 months.

vi Maria: b 19 June 1814, m after 1850 Charlton S. Waltham, of Harford Ca., Md. and later of Baltimore, Md. She died 23 Apr. 1863 sine prole. He m (2) Georgians, both were living in 1891 and mentioned in will of Eliza Billingslea.

vii Elizabeth R.: b 181-, died set. 15 years.

viii John W.: b 181-, died set. 17 years.

ix Sarah A.: b 182-, m 3 Nov. 1845 James Stephenson, of Rock Run, Harford Co., Md. No children.

69 MOSES (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland, September 176?, moved to Berkeley County, Virginia with his parents 1774-75. He moved to Washington County, Pennsylvania with his brothers and married prior to 1793 Mary , born Pennsylvania 177-. They moved to North West Territory about 1803 and resided in Hamilton County, Ohio, where he .died about 1823. Mary survived him moved to Warren County, Ohio before 1830 and then moved to Shelby County, Indiana with her son, Moses, and was living in 1840, she was deceased before 1850.

Children:

i Charles: b 1793 Pa., moved to Ohio with his parents about 1803. He m (1) prior to 1816 Nancy , and resided in Hamilton Co., Ohio in 1820, moved to Dearborn Co., Ind. where she died 1828. He m (2) about 1832 Hannah b Ind. 1815 and moved to Posey Co., Ind. Where he died 1846 and she m (2) Christopher Burnett, b Ohio 1812, res. Posey Co., Ind. and both living in 1860. They had:

1 Minerva: b 1816 Ohio, m (1) 1835 a Mr. Montgomery, he d and she m (2) John Rymen, b N. J. 1806, res. Dearborn Co., Ind. in 1850. They had

a Helen Montgomery: b 1836.

b John A. Rymen: b 1839. .

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c William H. H. Rymen: b 1841.

d Edward C. Rymen: b 1844.

e George H. Rymen : b 1846.

2 Nancy: b.1818 Ohio, m prior to 1844 Ezra Jackson, he d 1848-49, she was living 1860, said to have m (2), They had:  
a Ezra Jackson: b 1844, m 1878 Emma b Ind. 1843, res. Dearborn Co., Ind. They had, known:

al John Jackson: b Mar. 1880.

a2 Rachel Jackson: b1847.

3 Moses: b 1822 Ind., d 1837.

4 John: b 1836 Ind., d aet. 18 years.,

5 Prudence: b 1828 Ind., m prior to 1850 John C. Gray, b Ky. 1824, both living in 1880, res. Dearborn Co., Ind. They had, known:

a John Gray: b 1852, m 1874, she d 1875 and left a son, Wilbur H., b 1875.

b Prudence Gray: b 1855.

c Charles L. Gray: b 1859.

d Elroy Gray: b 1866.

6 Charles: b 2 Dec. 1834 Posey Co., Ind. Was living with his sister, Mrs. Jackson, in Dearborn Co., Ind. 1850 and attending school, in 1860 he was at home and listed as a farm laborer. He enlisted 19 Aug. 1861 Pvt. A, 25<sup>th</sup> Ind. Inf., U. S., discharged 26 Feb. 1863 at Memphis, Tenn. for "Blindness." He was 5 feet 9 inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, occupation farmer, residence Posey Co., Ind. He applied for a pension 24 Dec. 1887 which was approved July 1888. Only one payment for July 1888 was made. The case ends with that payment. No reason shown for sudden stoppage, no widow's claim, and no mention of any children. He probably was never married.

ii James (7) : b 1795 Pa.

iii John Otha (7) : b Oct. 1797 Pa.

iv Moses (7) : b 16 Jan. 1799 Pa.

v Mary: b 180- probably in Pa., called "Polly," she married Stiles Hinneman and resided Clinton Co., Ohio where she died and is buried. No record of children.

vi Prudence: b 1806 Ohio, died unmarried in Shelby Co., Ind. in 1840's.

#### 69 A PRUDENCE (6) BILLINGSLEY

(Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John. 2, Francis 1.) Born Berkeley

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born Virginia circa 1771. Family tradition has his name as JAMES, census record shows it as HENRY. The name is spelled in her father's will as Hanan and in census it is spelled Hanon. They moved to Washington County, Pennsylvania and resided in Pike Run township, he was living in 1830 and deceased before 1840, she was living in 1840 and died before 1850.

Children:

i Charles Hannen: b 1803 Va., d 1830's Pa. unm.

ii Ann Hannen: b 180-, d unm.

iii William Hannen: b 1808, m prior to 1830 living in 1840 and had 2 children, removed from Washington Co., Pa. before 1850.

iv Mary Hannen: b 1810 Pa., m Jeremiah Mofford (?), had a son, all deceased.

v John Hannen: b 1812 Pa., m (1) prior to 1839 died and he m (2) Eliza, b Pa. 1820, resided Pike Run in 1850 then moved to West Pike Run, Washington Co., Pa. both living in 1870. They had, known:

1 James Hannen: b ca 1839, probably moved to Iowa, said to have had:

a Mac Hannen : Res. Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

b Dolph Hannen: Res. Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

c John Hannen: Res. Mo.

d Frank Hannen: Teacher, res. Greeley, Colo.

2 Henry Hannen : b 1842, 2d wife.

3 Mary Anne Hannen: b 1844.

4 Laura Hannen: b 1846.

5 Ruth Hannen: b 1848.

6 David Hannen: b 1850.

7 Allena Hannen: b 1855.

8 Jane Hannen: b 185?, d small.

9 Eliza J. Hannen: b 1860.

vi Elizabeth Hannen: b 1814 Pa., m Levi Bunting, no children, adopted a daughter.

vii James Billingsley Hannen (7): b 1816 Pa.

viii Prudence Hannen: b 1818 Pa. Was living 1840 unm.

ix Henry Hannen: b 1820 Pa., m prior to 1843 Emily , b Pa. 1819. He was a farmer and resided East Pike Run, Washington Co., Pa. where he died before July 1860. She survived him and was living in 1870. They had:

1 Jacob Hannen: b 1843, m 1868 Sarah , b Pa. 1844, res. East Pike Run, Wash. Co. 1870. They had,known:

a Nevada Hannen : b Sept. 1869.

2 Anisette Hannen: b 1845 unm 1870.

3 Ruth Hannen: b 1847 unm 1870.



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- 4 John Hannen : b 1849.
- 5 Hiram Hannen: b 1851.
- 6 Henry Hannen: b 1853.
- 7 Jane Hannen: b 1855, m or d before 1870.
- 8 Harrison Hannen: b 1857.
- 9 Jefferson Hannen : b 1859.

70 ROBERT(6)BILLINGSLEY

(*Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis i.*) Born Berkeley County, Virginia in 1785. He was one of executors of his father's will and sole legatee after death of his mother. He married 23 June 1807 Jemima Austin, born Virginia 2 December 1778. After the death of his father whose will was probated January 1810 he moved to Colombians County, Ohio crossing the mountains in a wagon that had wooden tires purchased land in Section 10, Middleton township where they spent the rest of their days. Jemima died 24 September 1851 and he died 22 February 1854.

Children:

i Daughter: b 1808 Va., d small.

ii Charles: b 1809 Va., m prior to 1835 Margaret, Ohio in 1812, he was a farmer and resided Middleton township, Colombians Co., Ohio, both living in 1880. They had:

- 1 Jemima: b 1835 m or d before 1860.
- 2 Nancy: b 183?, m or d before 1860.
- 3 Martha: b 1839, m or d before 1870.
- 4 Mary J.: b 1841, m or d before 1870.
- 5 Elmira: b 1843. Was a school teacher in 1880.
- 6 Serepta D.: b 1845, m or d before 1880.
- 7 Margaret E.: b 1847, m or d before 1880.
- 8 Frances Angeline: b 1849.
- 9 Sarah Alice: b 1851.

iii George: b 1810, living in 1830 no further record.

iv Wesley Jefferson: b 1811 Ohio, m prior to 1843 Mary Ann Burt, b Ohio 1822, res. Colombians Co., Ohio, he died in 1860's, she was living in 1870. They had, known:

- 1 Amos C.: b 1843 Ohio, m 1867 Mary E. Ohio in 1844, res. East Palestine, Ohio in 1880. They had, known:
  - a Mary Jane: b 1868:
  - b William T.: b 1871.
- 2 John Theodore: b 1849, was living in 1879, farmer and stock grower.
- 3 Parmelia J.: b 1852.
- 4 Sarah M.: b 1854.

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5 Emaline D.: b 1856.

6 Hannah Isodora: b 1859.

v Jacob Newton (7) : b 24 June 1812.

vi John W. (7) : b 1814.

vii Rachel: b 1816. Living in 1840 unm.

viii Amos S.: b 1818 Ohio. Listed as "Divinity Student" in 1850. In 1860 was a Presbyterian minister and located in Nebraska. Moved to Beaver Co., Pa. and appointed Chaplain 101<sup>st</sup> Pa. Inf., U. S. Vols., joined 21 Dec. 1863 at Plymouth, N. C.; captured 20 Apr. 1864 at Plymouth, N. C. and exchanged 30 Apr. 1864. On D. S. at Fort Monroe, Va. June 1864. Appointed Hospital Chaplain, Regular Army 13 Feb. 1885, discharged 26 July 1865. No further record of him.

ix Robert: b 1820 Ohio. Was at home in 1850 and a school teacher. No subsequent record.

71 WILLIAM (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, North Carolina, September 1762. He married prior to 1784 Margaret Wilson, born North Carolina in 176-. They moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina about 1789 and in or about 1798 moved to Franklin County, Georgia where he engaged in farming and died in the 1820's, Margaret married (2) Jacob Weems and died in Rabun County, Georgia after 1840. No children by the second marriage.

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 1784 N. C., m Charles Loomis, moved to Miss. Ter. and later to La., said to have had a daughter, Elizabeth, who lived to be about 35 years of age.

ii Margaret: b 1786 N. C., m William Platt, she died in Ga., no children of record.

iii William (7) : b 1789 N. C.

iv Mary: b Oct. 1791 Pendleton Dist. S. C., moved to Franklin Co., Ga. with her parents about 1798. She m prior to 1815 William Holmes, born S. C. 1785. They moved to West Tenn. and located in what became Carroll Co., in 1822. He was a farmer, Mary died in the 1850's, he was living in 1860 and was deceased prior to 1870. They had, known:

1 Nancy Holmes: b 1815, m prior to 1837 William Mitchell, b Tenn. 1812, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. They had, known:

a Charles Mitchell: b 1837.

b Mary L. Mitchell: b 1839.

c Samuel F. Mitchell: b 1841.

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d Joseph R. Mitchell: b 1843.

e Jeremiah Mitchell: b 1847.

2 Margaret Holmes: b 1817. Living 1830.

3 Mary Holmes: b 1819, m prior to 1839 Thomas Pinckly, b Tenn. 1812, a son of John Pinckly, b N. C. 1799, she died in 1842-43, he survived her and was living in 1870, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. They had:

a Scott Pinckly: b 1839, m 1868 Bernetta, b Tenn. 1848, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. They had:

al Laura F. Pinckly: b Mar. 1870.

b Marcellus Pinckly: b 1842.

4 James Washington Holmes: b 1821 Tenn., m prior to 1843 Lucinda Holmes, b Tenn. 1822, daughter of Thomas Holmes and his 1<sup>st</sup> wife, Elizabeth Billingsley, see No. 72. Resided Carroll Co., Tenn. where she died in 1859 and he m (2) Melissa, b Ala. 1835, both living in 1870. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:

a Thomas H. Holmes: b 1843, m 1869 Aradney (?). b Tenn. 1846, resided Carroll Co., Tenn., They had:

al Millie Holmes: b May 1870.

b Rebecca H. Holmes: b 1846, was unm in 1870.

c Mary Elizabeth Holmes: b 1849.

d John Holmes: b 1853.

e Mildred Holmes: b 1859.

5 William C. Holmes: b Jan. 1823, was unmarried in 1860, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. moved to Miss.

6 Sarah Jane Holmes: b 1825, m Holloway and moved to; Ark. before 1850.

7 Daughter: b 1827. Living 1830 died small.

8 Samuel W. Holmes: b 1829, m 1848 Mary Jane Gullede, b Tenn. 1832, daughter of Catherine Gullede, b N. C. 1805, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. to 1861-2 then moved to Miss. They had:

a Newton Gullede Holmes: b 1849.

9 Ellen Holmes: b 1830 Tenn. Was living 1850 m or d before 1860.

10 Robert Holmes: b 1836 Tenn. Moved to Miss. in 1860'x.

v James (7) : b Dec. 1792.

vi Sarah: b 1795, m John Catlett, she died in Jackson Co., Ala. They had:

1 Sarah Catlett: b 18-, died unmarried.

vii Malinda: b 179-, died inf.

viii Jerusha: b 1798 Ga., died unmarried.

ix George Samuel: b 1802 Ga., m late in life Selects, daughter of William R. McCrary, b Ga. 1823, resided Jasper Co.,

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Ga., moved to Clark Co., Ark. in 1851 where he died in 1852. She m (2) Samuel-W. Billingsley, No. 124, which see. They had:

1 Mary: b 1842, died small.

2 George Samuel, Jr.: b 1846 Ga.

3 James: b 1848 Ga. (Both of these boys were living with their step father in 1860, both are said to have been killed by bush whackers about the close of the Civil War.)

### 72 JAMES B. (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Henry 5, William. 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, North Carolina in-1773, moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina with his parents. He married (1) prior to 1795 Catherine Waldrop, born North Carolina in 1774, she died October 1805 and he married (2) Martha, born South Carolina in 1789. They moved to a Franklin County, Georgia about 1820 where he died in 1830-31, she survived him and died in 1835-36. Children:

i Catherine: b Aug. 1795 Pendleton Dist., S. C. She m *circa* 1814 Lawrence Armstrong, b S. C. in 1792. They moved to Ky. where he died about 1838, she moved to St. Francis Co., Ark. with her children about 1842 and was living in 1850. They had:

1 Mary Armstrong: b 1815 Ky. She m Henry Adams, b N. C. 1805, resided Ky. to 1834 then moved to St. Francis Co., Ark. where he engaged in farming, both living in 1850. They had

a Adeline Adams: b 1832 Ky.

b John W. Adams: b 1834.

c Henderson H. Adams: b 1836 Ark:

d Solice E. Adams: b 1838.

e William F. P. Adams: b 1839.

f Patrick Henry Adams: b 1842.

g Lynn B. Adams: b 1847.

h Lawrence B. Adams: b Mar. 1850.

2 James H. Armstrong: b 1821 Ky., m prior to 1840 Angeline, b Tenn. 1823, moved to St. Francis Co., Ark. in 1847; both living in 1850. They had, known:

a Mary Armstrong: b 1840 Ky.

b William R. Armstrong: b 1845 Ky.

c Missouri J. Armstrong: b 1848 Ark.

3 Lawrence Armstrong: b 1828 Ky.

4 Louisa Armstrong: b 1834.

5 Louisiana Armstrong: b 1837.

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- ii Elizabeth: b 1796 S. C., she married prior to 1820 Thomas Holmes, b N. C. in 1796, they moved to West Tenn. And located in Humphreys Co. where they resided some years and she died in 1831. He m (2) Rebecca Billingsley, b Ky. 1802, daughter of Samuel Billingsley, No. 93, which see for her children. Thomas died Carroll Co., Tenn. about 1854-55. They had
- 1 Lucinda Holmes: b 1822 Tenn., m prior to 1843 James Washington Holmes, b Tenn. 1821, son of William Holmes and Mary Billingsley, see No. 71. These Holmes families not related and the Billingsley side is remote. She died in 1859 leaving five children.
  - 2 William Holmes: b 1824, moved to Ala. in late 1840's.
  - 3 Mary Jane Holmes: b 1826 m prior to 1845 a Mr. Pritchard, who died about 1848, she was living with her father in 1850. They had:
    - a Elizabeth E. Pritchard: b 1845.
  - 4 Louisa A. Holmes: b 1828. Living 1850 unmarried.
  - 5 Mary Elizabeth Holmes: b 1830, m prior to 1857 Samuel T. Scott, b Tenn. 1835, she died 1862, he was living 1870 in Carroll Co., Tenn. They had:
    - a Mary Elizabeth Scott: b 185?.
    - b Thomas Scott: b 1860.
    - c James Scott: b 1862.
- iii Rebecca: b 1798, died ca 1806.
- iv James (7) : b Sept. 1800 S. C.
- v Mary: b Dec. 1802 S. C., moved to Franklin Co., Ga. With her parents and m prior to 1828 Jacob Holmes, b Pendleton Dist., S. C. in 1798, a brother of William Holmes, see No. 71. Resided a short time in Ga. then moved to Henry Co., Tenn. and then to Carroll Co., Tenn. in the 1840's where they resided to 1862 then moved to Mo. They had:
- 1 Jacob Holmes: b 1828 Ga., died 18367 Tenn.
  - 2 Naomi Holmes: b 1832 Tenn., m ca 1856 Joseph Murphy and moved to Mo., near St. Joseph, no record of any children.
  - 3 Mary Billingsley Holmes: b 1837.
  - 4 Charlotte L. Holmes: b 1839
  - 5 Jacob E. Holmes: b 1841, moved to Mo. with his sister in late 1850's.
- vi Grace: b Oct. 1805 Pendleton Dist., S. C., moved to Franklin Co., Ga. with her parents, then moved to Tenn. with her sister, Mary Holmes, where she m about 1830 Robert

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Murphy, b Tenn. 1804, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. In 1850. They had:

- 1 John A. Murphy: b 1831 Tenn.
- 2 Joseph W. Murphy: b. 1832 Tenn. Moved to Mo.
- 3 Martha H. Murphy: b 1834.
- 4 Hannah F. Murphy: b 1837.
- 5 Jackson L. Murphy: b 1839.
- 6 George W. Murphy: b 1841.
- 7 Harriet E. Murphy: b 1843.
- 8 Lucinda J. Murphy: b 1848.

vii John: b 1808 S. C., 2d wife. Was living in 1870 in Montana Territory, was a miner and unmarried at that date.

viii Martha: b 1812 S. C., she m 1832 William Bynum, b Ga. 1809, he died 1844-45 in Ga., she survived him many years and was living in 1880, Rabun Co., Ga. They had:

- 1 William Bynum: b 1833 G4., m 1869 Martha, daughter of James Billingsley, No. 183, b Ga. 1836, resided Rabun Co., Ga. They had:
  - a Mary A. Bynum: b 1871.
  - b Martha Bynum: b 1873.
  - c Genelia Bynum: b 1875.
  - d Thaddeus L. Bynum: b 1879.
- 2 Elizabeth Bynum: b 1835, m James Billingsley, No. 350 which see.
- 3 Silas Bynum: b 1838, m had a son, Silas, b 1863.
- 4 Eliza Bynum: b 1841.
- 5 Anderson Drewry Bynum: b 1843.

#### 73 JOHN ALLEN (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 5, Allen 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland in' 1801-1802. He married prior to 1830 Malvina Estep, born Maryland 180-. Resided in Calvert County where he was a planter, both were deceased before 1850.

Children

i John Allen Thomas (7) : b 4 July 1830.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 1832. She was .residing in the home of Dr. John Gibson, Calvert Co., Md. in 1850; she m about. 1859 Thomas Graham, b Md. 1819, he was a planter, she died in 1864-1865, he was living in 1870. They had:

- 1 Thomas Graham: b 1861.
- 2 Malcolm Graham: b 1864.

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### 74 THOMAS BARBER (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 5, Allen 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland 4 January 1805. He married 7 January 1839 Mary Ann Ogden, born Calvert County, Maryland in 1806, she died April 1840. He was a planter and apparently prosperous. He served as Sheriff of Calvert County for some years and died at his home 28 November 1873.

Children

i Thomas Allen (7) : b 23 Nov. 1839.

### 74 ZACHARY (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*John A. 6, Zechariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 18 March 1802. He married prior to 1827 Mary Amanda Turnley, born Virginia in 1806. They moved to Todd County, Kentucky about 1840 and resided in this County, near Trenton, the remainder of their days. He died in the late 1860's, she was living in 1870 and appears to have been deceased before 1880.

Children:

i John Zachary: b 1827 Va., died unmarried after 1880.

ii Eugenia: b 1830 Va., m about 1866 William Perkins, his 2d wife. Resided Todd Co., Ky. No children.

iii Mary Emma: b 1832 Va., m prior to 1853 Jesse C. Dickinson, b Ky. 1825, she died about 1864. Res. Todd Co., Ky. They had:

1 Virginia E. Dickinson: b 1853.

2 Daniel S. Dickinson: b 1857.

3 Clare Elizabeth Dickinson: b 1859, d 1860's.

4 John C. Dickinson: b 1862.

5 Cole Dickinson: b 1864.

iv Sarah: b 1834 Va., m prior to 1860 a Mr. Alexander, he was a school teacher, resided at one time at Woodville, Ky., moved to Ill. They had, known:

1 Lonnie Alexander.

2 Illa Alexander.

v Ann: b 1836 Va., m in 1856 William Perkins, b Ky. 1822. He is listed as Overseer in 1860. She died about 1864 and he m (2) Eugenia, sister of Ann, see above. They had:

1 Mary Emma Perkins: b 1858, deacd in 1932.

2 John Ashcum Perkins: b 1862, deacd in 1932.

3 Willie Ann Perkins: b 1864, m J. T. Halsell, reside Stamford, Texas.

vi Fredonia Jane: b 1840 Ky., m 1864 William Shelton Dickinson, b Ky. 1837, both living in 1880 Todd Co., Ky. They had

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Charlie Emily Dickinson: b 1866, m C. D. McComb, reside Belton, Tex.

2 William Archer Dickinson: b 1867-68 decesd in 1932.

vii. Theodora: b 1844 Ky., m 1870 Fielding L. Sullivan, b Ky. in 1846, resided Todd Co., Ky. in 1870, she was living 1902-3 Trenton, Ky. They had:

1 Luther Sullivan: b 18-, decesd.

2 Mary Baker Sullivan: b 18-, m C. W. Ware, reside Louisville, Ky. 1932, no information obtainable.

3 Lucille Sullivan: b 18-, m a Mr. Johnson, said to reside Chicago, Ill. 1932, all letters returned unclaimed. Said to have had 4 sons and a daughter, the daughter married and had 4 children.

#### 75 ALLINSON (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*John A. 6, Zachariah 4, Francis 8, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 10 February 1807. He married prior to 1834, Elizabeth Durrett, born Virginia in 1816. They migrated to Robertson County, Tennessee about 1839 and after a few years moved to Todd County, Kentucky. He was a farmer and was living in Todd County in 1850. He is not listed in Todd nor McCracken Counties for 1860 and was probably on the move and missed the enumeration of both counties. They moved to McCracken County, Kentucky where he died in the early 1860's; Elizabeth was living in 1870 and is stated to have died about 1877.

Children:

i Louisa G.: b 1834 Va., m prior to 1860 James Allen, b 183-. He was drowned in early 1860's, she was a widow and living with her brother in McCracken Co., Ky. In 1870 and is stated to have died about 1887. They had:

1 Durrett - Allen: b 1860. He was generally known by name of "Dullie." He m about 1880 Ida Dilnor, resided McCracken Co., Ky. where he died aged about 40 years. They had:

a George Edward Allen: b ca 1881, m Polly Reside Paducah, Ky. They had:

a1 Mary Ann Allen: b 1916.

a2 George Edward Allen: b 1929.

b Grundy Dullier Allen: b 188=, m he d a few years since (1932) in New Mexico. They had:

b1 George Bradley Allen.

b2 Joseph Earl Allen.

b3 Rita Allen.



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- c Thomas Otway Allen: b 188-, m Dessie Reside Kevil, Ky. They had
  - c1 James Edward Allen: b 1913.
  - c2 Thomas Otway Allen: b 1915.
  - c3 Ida Belle Allen: b 1917.
  - c4 Bennie Owen Allen: b 1920.
- d Alfred Allen: b 188-, m Rubie. Reside Kevil, Ky. They had:
  - d1 Major Lee Allen.
  - d2 Jessie Warren Allen.
  - d3 Ralph Allen.
  - d4 Curtis Allen.
  - d5 Eugene Allen.
  - d6 Martha Nan Allen.
  - d7 Margie Allen.
  - d8 Louise Allen.
  - d9 Ruth Allen.
- e Johnnie Tell Allen: b 18-, m Alice. He d Sept. 1931 at Bandana, Ky. They had:
  - e1 George Bradley Allen: b 1908.
  - e2 John Tell Allen: b 1910.
  - e3 Peter Bob Allen: b 1916.

ii John P: (?) : b 1837 Va.

iii Addison Llewellyn (7) : b 14 Oct. 1839 Tenn.

iv William: b Feb. 1850 Ky., died small.

#### 76 JOHN POINDEXTER (6) BILLINGSLEY

*(John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.)* Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 5 June 1812. He married 14 Dec. 1830 Judith Day Lipscomb, born Virginia 13 Oct. 1811. They moved to Todd County, Kentucky about 1837-38 where he engaged in farming. Judith died 23 November 1851, he survived her and died in 1868.

Children:

i Joseph Henry (7) : b 25 Nov. 1831.

ii John Dabney (7) : b 8 Oct. 1833.

iii Laura Jane: b 25 Aug. 1836 Va., died 4 Apr. 1927 unm.

iv Charles Frederick: b 4 Apr. 1840 Ky. . He enlisted 28 June 1861 for one year, Pvt. Capt. Bell's Co. A, 1<sup>st</sup> Ky. Cav. C. S. A. Was 6 feet and 3 inches in height, gray eyes, and dark hair, occupation, clerk, born Trenton, Ky. On his discharge there was due him \$185.45 which he transferred to W. E. McGuire. He died 23 Jan. 1877.

v Jesse Ferguson: b 22 Apr. 1844, died 3 Jan. 1866 Ky. unm.

vi William Anderson: b 3 June 1848 Ky., m Eliza Dunn. Resided some years in Tenn. then moved to Rockwall, Texas where he died 10 Apr. 1891. No children.

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77 JOSEPH ADDISON (6) BILLINGSLEY

(*John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 11 February 1817. He married (1) 30 August 1836 Mary Mildred Mosena Connor, born Virginia 20 July 1819. He w - was a farmer and resided Spottsylvania County where Mary died after 2 December 1850 and he married (2) 30 September 1851 Elizabeth M. Johnson, born Virginia 27 August 1827. They moved to King George County where he became a Baptist Minister before 1860. He died 12 April 1893, she survived him and died 15 May 1917.

Children

i John Ashcum (7): b 20 July 1837.

ii Joseph Zachary Francis (7) : b 10 Feb. 1839.

iii Mary Elizabeth Laura: b 30 Nov. 1841, m prior to 1859 Benjamin Burgess Arnold, b Va. 18-. She died 22 Mar. 1929, resided Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

1 Child: b 185-, d infancy.

2 James Addison Arnold: b 1? May 1860, m reside Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

a Edna Arnold: b 18-.

b Mary Arnold: b 18-, m McLaughlin.

c Nannie Arnold: b 18-, m Roland Maxwell, res. Woodstock, Md.

d Janette Arnold: b 18-, m Ormond Maxwell, res. Richmond, Va.

e Sallie Arnold: b 18-, m Samuel Moore, res. Richmond, Va.

iv Charles Henry: b 18 Feb. 1844. He enlisted 12 Oct. 1861 Pvt. I, 9<sup>th</sup> Va. Cav., C. S. A. for one year. He was reenlisted 8 Mar. 1862 for the War and was paid \$50 Bounty. He was five feet four and one half inches in height, light eyes, and light hair. He was discharged 3 May 1862 on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability for "Disease of lungs with marasmus and general debility." He died King George Co., Va. in 1890.

v Sarah Fredonia Dorothea: b 6 Jan. 1846 Va., m 1866 Franklin Price, she died 20 Aug. 1915, resided King George Co. Va. They had:

1 George Franklin Price: b 24 Feb. 1867, m. They had:

a Grace Fredonia Price: m Joseph Spillman, reside Owens, Va.

2 Mary Fredonia Price: b 22 Feb. 1869, m Jeter Gray, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Clyde Jeter Gray.

vi Thomas Herndon (7) : b 12 Dec. 1847.

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vii Jane Lewis: b 28 Aug. 1852, 2d wife, m 30 Mar. 1876 W. N. Heflin, b Fredericksburg, Va. 18- resided King George Co., Va., later moved to Colonial Beach, Va. where he died June 1914, she died 3 Apr. 1916. They had:  
1 Lula Heflin: b 187-, d infancy.

2 Joseph Granville Heflin: b 16 Mar. 1879, m a Miss Newbill, reside Colonial Beach, Va. They had:  
a Louise Newbill Heflin.  
b Mary Nelson Heflin.  
c Will Gordon Heflin: d inf.  
d Aubrey Newbill Heflin.

3 Willie Lewis Heflin: b 1- Mar. 1881, died aet. ca 21 years.

4 Horace Ashton Heflin: b 11 July 1883, m a Miss Wight, he died Washington, D. C. 24 Jan. 1922, had a son, Horace Jr.

5 James Otho Heflin: b 23 Mar. 1887, m Mary Cox, reside Hopewell, Va. They had:  
a William N. Heflin.  
b Evelyn Heflin.

6 Eleanor Heflin: b 19 Oct. 1888.

7 Robert Ashley Heflin: b 4 Dec. 1893.

viii Ella Johnson: b 15 Aug. 1854, died 29 May 1928 King George Co., Va., unm.

ix Lewis Jonathan: b 26 Sept. 1857, m 24 Nov. 1885 Willie R. Taylor, b Va. 1860. She died Mar. 1911 aet. 50 years, and he died 2 Apr. 1926. Resided King George Co., Va. They had:

1 Mary Burnley: b 20 Sept. 1887, m Thomas Hargest of King George Co., Va.

2 Joseph Addison: b 8 Sept. 1889. Grad. Richmond College of Law 1911 B.L. Resided Colonial Beach, Va. 1912-1914, m 23 June 1914 Gertrude Griffin of Norfolk, Va. and moved to King George Co., Va. where he was County Attorney 1915-1919. They had:

a Joseph Addison Jr.: b 3 Jan. 1918,

x Sallie A.: b 8 Nov. 1859, died 7 July 1861.

xi William Powell (7) : b 19 Nov. 1861.

xii James Alfred (7) : b 9 May 1865.

xiii Sallie Ashcum: b 9 July 1867, m 24 Feb. 1886 Robert Ashley White, b 7 Dec. 1865, he died 10 Mar. 1888, she survives him and resides King George, Va. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Bernard Ashley White: b 20 Dec. 1886, died 17 Nov. 1887.

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2 Mary Ashley White: b 16 Jan. 1889. At home 1931.

xiv Addison Poindexter (7) : b 3 May 1870.

78 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Mary's County, Maryland November 1765, moved to North Carolina with his parents about 1779. He married July 1786 Maria Lockwood, born North Carolina May 1763, she died in Guilford County 2 January 1804-and he married (2) 3 April 1807 Sarah Jane Lewis, born North Carolina February 1789. They moved to Middle Tennessee about 1813 where he died May 1827, she survived him a few years and succumbed in the Cholera epidemic of 1838 as did several others of her family.

Children:

i Maria Lockwood: b Nov. 1787, m 1815 Frank Blackburn, she died in 1817 sine prole.

ii James L.: b Jan. 1789, died 1838 of Cholera unm.

iii Elizabeth: b Dec. 1792, m prior to 1819 Thomas Eason, b N. C. 1787. He died in 1843, she survived him many years and died in 1873, Carroll Co., Tenn. They had

1 Thomas Eason: b 1819.

2 Elizabeth Eason: b 1821.

3 Theophilus Eason: b 1824.

4 Martha Eason: b 1828.

5 Caroline Eason: b 1830.

6 Winiford Eason: b 1832.

7 Laura Eason: b 1835.

8 Delilah Eason: b 1837.

iv Sarah: b Feb. 1795, died in 1838 of Cholera.

v William: b Feb. 1800, d unm in Ill. 1851-52.

vi Mary Jane: b Dec. 1803, m 10 Oct. 1828 James Crowell, b Tenn. 3 Sept. 1800. He died 20 Oct. 1875, she survived him many years and died aged 97 years. She enjoyed good health and a clear mind to within a short time of her demise. She had the old family records which furnished much of the information on this family. They had:

1 Mary Crowell: b 30 Sept. 1830, died 15 Oct. 1835.

2 Maria Lockwood Crowell: b 13 Jan. 1836, died 18 Mar. 1849.

3 Mary Crowell: b 15 July 1842, died Sept. 1917 unm.

vii Henry: b Oct. 1808, 2d wife, died Dec. 1808.

viii John: b 10 June 1810, died Oct. 1812.

ix George: b Oct. 1813, died July 1817.

x Edward Francis: b 1819, died infancy.

xi Sarah Lewis: b 2 May 1823, died unmarried aet. About 66 years.

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79 JOHN .(7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Rockingham County, North Carolina in November 1782. He married -February 1802 Lydia Boswell, born North Carolina in 1780. They moved to Tennessee about 1821 and resided some years in Smith County and later moved to Carroll County where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1850 dates of their deaths not known tho it was sometime after 1851 and prior to 1859. Children:

i James (8) : b Dec. 1802.

ii Sarah: b Dec. 1802 a twin of James, she m 1822 Martin Pinkston, b Tenn. 1796, both were living in 1850 and resided in Carroll Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 Melvina Pinkston: b 1823, m prior to 1847 William P. Aden, of Carroll Co., Tenn. They had:

a William P. Aden, Jr.: b 1847.

2 Mary Pinkston: b 1825, m a Mr. Henderson and had a daughter, Mary.

3 Marvin Harrison Pinkston: b 1832.

iii John Boswell (8) : b Feb. 1804.

iv Edward (8) : b Dec. 1805.

v Lydia: b 1808, m a Mr. Cutler and moved to Mo.

vi Abigail: b 1810, m prior to 1832 Albert Tawson, b Va. 1805, he was a miller, resided Carroll Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 Edward Tawson: b 1832.

2 John W. Tawson: b 1838.

3 Amanda Tawson: b 1840.

4 Joseph R. Tawson: b 1842.

5 William N. Tawson: b 1844.

6 Mary Tawson: b 1845.

7 Elvira Tawson: b 1849.

vii Martha: b 1815.

viii William: b July 1817 in N. C., m 1841 Malinda Mattock, b Tenn. 1818, daughter of Nancy Mattock, b N. C. 1778 and living in 1850 Carroll Co., Tenn. They moved to De Soto Co., Miss. where he died 1846-47, Malinda returned to Carroll Co., Tenn. for a few years then returned again to De Soto Co., Miss. where she was living in 1860. They had:

1 William Edward: b 1843 DeSoto Co., Miss., moved to Carroll Co., Tenn. with his mother about 1849 then returned to DeSoto Co., Miss. about 1854-55. He enlisted 24 Feb. 1862 Pvt. A, 9<sup>th</sup> Miss. Inf., C. S. A.

Roll dated Dec. 1862 "Absent in hospital, wounded.

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Roll dated Jan. 1863, "Wounded, slight, at Murfreesboro, Tenn., 7 Jan. 1863, 30 days furlo." No further military record. He m prior . to 1863 Sophia H. Nations, b Miss. 1844, and a daughter of Nancy B. Nations, b Tenn. 1792 living in 1880. In 1870 he was operating a small farm in DeSoto Co., this portion became Tate Co. in the 1870's. He died about 1877-78, Sophia survived him and resided in Independence District in 1880. They had:

- a William R.: b 1863.
- b Henrietta E.: b 1865.
- c John A.: b 1867.
- d Mary Elizabeth: b 1871.
- e Sarah M.: b 1873.
- f Walter W.: b 1877.

ix Jane: b 1819, m James Bowman, they moved to Mo.

#### 80 MOSES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Franklin County, Pennsylvania 9 November 1802, moved to Fayette County, Pennsylvania with his parents. He became interested in steam boats at an early age, served his apprenticeship and became a pilot on the Ohio River. He married prior to 1836 Mary, born Washington County, Pennsylvania in 1815, both were living in 1850 and resided near Washington, Pennsylvania, said to have later lived in Fayette County.

Children: (known)

i James K.: b 23 Jan. 1836 Pa. He enlisted at Wheeling, Va. 10 July 1861 as Pvt. I, 2d Refit. Va. Inf., U. S., made 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant, and elected 2d Lieut. 24 Oct. 1861; on .16 July 1862 was at home, Pike Run, Pa., on 23 Nov. 1862 promoted 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut.; on 5 Mar. 1863 made Capt. and assigned to Co. I, 5<sup>th</sup> W. Va. Cav., U. S., also served with Co. C, same refit. In arrest Dec. 1863. No further military record. He married 21 Dec. 1865 Annie Hornbrake, b 31 Aug. 1842 at Greenfield, Pa. He died at California, Pa. 9 May 1914. He was pensioned, she survived him and made widow's claim in 1916, and was residing at Utica, N. Y. that date. No' children. mentioned in the records.

ii Jacob D.: b 1838 Pa. He enlisted at Wheeling, Va. 10 July 1861 as Pvt. I, 2d Va. Inf., U. S.; Aug. 1862 absent sick; Aug. 1863 absent, a prisoner; on 4 Jan. 1864 transferred to Co. I, 5<sup>th</sup> W. Va. Cav., U. S., Sergeant 15 Oct. 1864, captured 28 Nov. 1864 at New Creek, Va., to Rich-

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mond, Va. 7 Dec. 1864,... paroled 15 Feb. 1865. He was five feet and eleven inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair. He married in 1867 Margaret McCain at California, Pa. He was pensioned and drew same to 14 Apr. 1905 when he was dropped, cause stated and no widow's claim. They had, known

1 James Harrison: b 1 Aug. 1872.

2 Mary Persybid: b 13 Oct. 1881.

3 Warren Jacob: b 1 Sept. 1885.

iii William Henry Harrison: b 1841 Pa. He enlisted 10 July 1861 at Wheeling, Va. as Pvt. I, 2d Va. Inf., U. S.; wounded 26 Aug. 1863 at Rocky Point, Va. and left in enemy hands; Dec. 1863 prisoner at Richmond, Va. In Jan. 1864 transferred to Co. I, 5<sup>th</sup> W. Va. Cav., U. S. Rolls for Oct. and Nov. 1864 show him as "Absent." On 29 Jan. 1891 the 2d Auditor's Office, Washington, D. C. discovered evidence he died about 26 Sept. 1864 while a prisoner at Savannah, Ga.

iv Jane A.: b 1843.

v Thomas Jefferson: b 1846. We have been unable to get in touch with descendants of this man tho it is known some of them now live at Washington, Pa. Thomas was living at Washington, Pa. 1897-98 at 298 Broad St., wife not named, living at his home are Ira, Mary, and Ray. In 1903-4 at same address his wife is listed as Druzilla, and listed in the home is Blaine, Mary, Rachel, and Ray. In 1905-6 Thomas was deceased and listed at the same address is "Mina," widow of Thos. J., with Blaine, Grace, Mary, and Ray in the home. In 1907-8 Mina, widow of Jefferson, still resided at 298 Broad St., with Emma, Raymond, and Grace at home. In 1909-10 Mina still living, Grace and Ray at home. In 1911 Ray Billingsley is the only one listed in the city directory and resided at 298 Broad St. He disappears until 1919 when he was living at 20 Euclid Ave. In 1922 there is listed a Ray J. Billingsley at 18 Caldwell Ave. In 1925-29 J. Raymond Billingsley with wife, Elizabeth C., lived at 18 Caldwell Ave. 1931 does not list any one of the name and J. Raymond Billingsley is said to have died about 1929. It is not known if Raymond was a son, or a grand son. of J.

vi Harriet: b 1849.

vii Emma: b 185-. Is stated to have married a Mr. Crouch and was living in 1930 in or near Pittsburgh, Pa. at the home of her son, Richard Crouch. No one of this name was found in Pittsburgh, Pa. in the summer of 1931.

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### 81 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayette County, Pennsylvania 15 August 1809, moved to Ohio with his parents in early 1820's. He married prior to 1831 Phebe, born Ohio in 1810 and settled in Perry township in Shelby County, Ohio. He was a farmer, Phebe died about 1861 and he married (2) prior to 1863 Margaret, born Ohio in 1834, both were living in 1870, Shelby County, Ohio.

Children:

i Samuel Y.: b 1831 Ohio. He m prior to July 1860 Rachel Ann Rolfe, b Ohio in 1834, both were living in 1870.

They had, known:

1 William Ford: b 21 Aug. 1865, m 7 Apr. 1897 Anna E. Erhart, b Ohio 7 Apr. 1867. He died 30 Mar. 1917, she survives him. They had:

a Ralph James: b 15 May 1898, m Jeanne Kreutzman, reside Canton, Ohio.

b Frances Margaret: b 15 June 1902, resides Covington, Ohio and has furnished information on this family.

2 Ida: b 187-, m a Mr. Baker, resides New Carlisle, Ohio.

ii Harvey: b 1863, 2d wife.

iii Mary E.: b 1869.

### 82 PRUDENCE (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William S. 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayette County, Pennsylvania 11 July 1814, moved to Ohio with her. parents in the early 1820's and to Miami County with them about 1832. She married 25 October 1843 at Mt. Jefferson, Ohio James Line Purdy, born Pennsylvania in 1814. He died 8 September 1887 and she died 25 November 1895 at Covington Ohio where they resided and both are buried.

Children:

i Ermina Divin Purdy: b 25 Oct. 1845, m Absalom Routson, she died 15 Apr. 1930. No record of children.

ii Thomas Linn Purdy: b 22 Dec. 1850. He married 1 June 1870 Katherine Darner, b 9 Oct. 1852, she was a daughter of John L. Darner, b Md. and Mary Mutz, b Dayton, 1827, d Aug. 1907, who were also the parents of Lucetta who m Otho Bartmess; Laura who m J. W. Reisner; Addie who m D. M. Darst; and Jessie who m W. A. Minton, Jessie d 1929. Thomas L. Purdy died at Lima, Ohio 19 Feb. 1907, and Katherine died 4 Nov. 1920 at Covington, Ohio.



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They had:

- 1 Grace Irene Purdy: b 7 Nov. 1871, m James W. Brandon, reside, Piqua, Ohio.
- 2 Lucie Ermina Purdy: b 3 Oct. 1874. Resides Covington; Ohio furnished information on this family.
- 3 Ethel Laura Purdy: b 15 Jan. 1880, m Fred W. Sculley, reside Rockford, Ill.
- 4 John Linn Purdy: b 25 Oct. 1882, m Nellie Coppock, reside, Piqua, Ohio.

### 83 ADAM E. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayette County, Pennsylvania 18 February 1819, moved to Ohio with his parents early in the 1820's. He married 15 February 1846 in Hamilton County, Ohio Mary E. Tooker, born New York 27 January 1821, the daughter of Amos Tooker, born New York circa 1790 and Harriet Martin, born circa 1800.

He was a carpenter and resided Sycamore township, Hamilton County. He enlisted October 1862 and commissioned 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant Co. E, 83<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Infantry, U. S., resigned 12 June 1863 because of disability. They moved to Miami County about 1864. She died 3 March 1892 and he died 10 June 1892. Resided at Covington, Ohio. Children:

i Sarah J.: b 26 Feb. 1847, died 21 June 1921.

ii James Henry: b 21 Mar. 1849, died 16 Sept. 1849.

iii Harriet Martin: b 18 Aug. 1850, m 25 May 1881 near Covington, Ohio, Robert Newton Harwood, b Ballston Spa, N.Y. 1 Aug. 1840. She died 3 July 1889, he survived her many years and died 30 May 1925. They had:

1 Mary Elsie Harwood: b 18 June 1884, died 4 Mar. 1886.

2 Addie Frances Harwood: b 18 June 1884, a twin m 18 June 1906 Luther Jordan Bennett, reside Delaware, Ohio. They had:

a Frances Harriet Bennett.

b Elizabeth Harwood Bennett.

c Jean Louise Bennett.

3 John Billingsley Harwood: b 26 June 1889, d 6 Dec. 1890.

iv Mary A.: b 10 Sept. 1852, died 9 Oct. 1900.

v Ada F.: b 10 Sept. 1852, a twin, died 9 May 1853.

vi John Alver (8) : b 15 Nov. 1853.

vii Thomas S.: b 4 Jan. 1857, died 4 Aug. 1860.

viii Eliza: b 31 Jan. 1860, m 31 May 1882 John N. McDowell, b 13 May 1855 in Ohio. Reside Troy, Ohio. They had:

1 Mabel McDowell: b 21 Sept. 1884.

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2 Edward McDowell: b 1886, m 1913 Christine Knoop, resided a few years in New Mexico where he died in 1917.

3 Ethel McDowell: b 1888, m 1926 Millard P. Lusk, reside Royal Oak, Mich.

#### 84 THOMAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, William S. 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Warren County, Ohio 7 January 1823, moved to Hamilton County and then to Miami County with his parents. He was one of the executors to his father's will and managed the farm during his mother's lifetime, succeeded to the homestead on his mother's death. 'He married 12 October 1848 Mary E., the daughter of George Luckey, born Ohio in 1827. He died at his home 8 November 1886 and buried at Covington, Ohio, she survived him many years and died aged 86 years. Two children died in infancy.

Children:

i John Emery (8) : b 28 June 1850.

#### 85 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina 9 April 1775, moved to Onslow County, North Carolina with his parents about 1780 and then moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee with them about 1787. He married in 1798 Nancy Mulkey, born North Carolina in 17-. In census record of 1830 she is listed as over 50 years of age; in 1840 as over 60 years of age; in both records she appears older than her husband; in 1850 her age is given as 70 years and is five years junior to Samuel, the indications are that she was born prior to 1775 and the age given in 1850 is below actual age. They moved to Barren County, Kentucky in 1805 and he was granted 150 acres of land 23 November 1807. (*Land Rec. Lib. 20, fol. 607.*) They removed to Sequatchie Valley, Tennessee and settled Bledsoe County prior to 1812 where he engaged in farming, they both died during the year 1857.

Children:

i Mary: b 1799.

ii Rebecca: b 1801.

iii Sarah: b 1803, she m and appears to have been a widow in 1830 with three children under ten years of age. She was residing with her parents at that date. No subsequent record.

iv John M. (8) : b 19 Nov. 1805 Ky.

v Amanda Elizabeth: b 1807 Barren Co., Ky., moved to Tenn. with her parents where she m in 1826 William

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Davis Carnes, b 1805, she died in 1859; he survived her and died in 1879. We have not been . able to ascertain where they lived nor to get any statements from the known living descendants as to family record. The only known children are:

1 Mary M. Carnes: b 1827, m prior to 1861 William Jasper Hill, b 1827, he died in 1879 and she died in 1901, residence not stated. They had, known:

a William Walter Hill: b 24 Oct. 1861, m 2 June 1892 May, daughter of Isaac A. Hill and Margaret A. Kendrick, b Roane Co., Tenn., 6 Dec. 1871, residence not stated. They had:

a1 Ivy Hill: b 189-. Is a member of D. A. R., resides Harriman, Tenn. Has ignored all requests for information tho several different parties have tried to get some statement.

a2 Pauline Hill: b 189-, m William Rayborn Massey, they had a daughter, Margaret Kendrick Massey.

a3 William Walter Hill: b 1-.

a4 Nancy Pearl Hill: b 1--.

2 Amanda Carnes: b 18-, said to have m George Rogers. (The information as to name and marriage of this child is second hand and from a source not connected with the family and is therefore not vouched for as authentic. No residence stated and we have not been able to verify anything of it.)

vi Jonathan (8): b 1809 Ky.

vii Emily Matilda: b 1812 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., m prior to 1837 John H. Acuff, b Tenn. 1811, son of Nancy Acuff, b Va. 1786, father's name not known, Nancy was living with her son, John, in 1850, and resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. Emily M, died in 1847 and he m (2) prior to 1850 Mary Jane Owings, b 1823 in Roane Co., Tenn., resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. where he died in 1876, she survived him and died in 1893, several children by the second marriage of whom no record. They had:

1 Samuel J. Acuff: b 1837.

2 Robert D. Acuff: b 1840.

3 Jasper S. Acuff: b 1842 Tenn., m prior to 1865 Nancy Jane, daughter of Rev. James -Davis Billingsley, No. 214, born 6 July 1846, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn., both were living in 1880.. They had, known:

a James Davis Acuff: b 1865.

b William L. Acuff: b 1868.

c E. T. Acuff.: b 1871 (son).

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d Mary A. Acuff: b 1874.

e Caroline E. Acuff: b 1877.

f John E. Acuff: b 1879.

4. Darius M. Acuff: b 1844, m Mary Ellen Kendrick, both deceased in 1931; residence not stated and only known child is:

a Emma Acuff: b 18-. She resided Rockwood, Tenn. in 1931, gave names of her parents and grand parents and stated she knew nothing more.

5 Nancy Ann Acuff: b 1847.

viii Samuel Joseph: b 1815-16, was living in 1830, no subsequent record.

86 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina, 16 January 1779, moved to Onslow County, North Carolina and to Sullivan County, Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1802 Mary born North Carolina in 1782. They moved to Christian County, Kentucky about 1806 and then moved to Mississippi Territory about 1815, this section became the State of Alabama in 1822. He was granted two tracts of land in Blount County on 30 November 1825, 159 acres, No. 1871, and 79, 94/100 acres, No. 1872. ( U. S. *Land Records.*) They moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi about 1840, both were living in 1850 and both deceased before 1860.

Children:

i William: b 1802 Tenn., m in Ala. prior to 1830 Susan b N. C. in 1809, moved to Tallatchie Co., Miss. in 1836 where he engaged in farming and died in 1839. Susan survived him and m (2) a Mr. McNeal and moved to Ark.

They had:

1 Susan: b 1830 Ala.

2 Mary: b 1833 Ala.

3 William: b 1837 Miss., died aet. about 5 years.

ii Thomas (8) : b 1804 Tenn.

iii Jesse (8) : b 1807 Ky.

iv Jephtha (8) : b 1809 Ky.

v Samuel (8) : b 9 June 1811 Ky.

vi Nancy A.: b 1813 Ky., m a Mr. Turner prior to 1840. No record of any children.

vii Elizabeth: b 181? Miss. Ter. (Ala.), m prior to 1840 William McCullough, b Tenn 1817, moved to Pontotoc Co., Miss. in 1847, both living in 1850. They had:

1 Mary McCullough: b 1840 Ala.

2 Amanda McCullough: b 1844.

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3 Martha McCullough: b 1846.

4 Lovena McCullough: b 1848 Miss.

viii Mary: b 1819 Miss. Ter. (Ala.), m prior to 1839 William Rowan, b N. C.-1814,, moved to Ark. for several years then moved to Pontotoc Co., Miss. in 1842, both living in 1850. They had, known:

1 James Rowan: b 1839 Ark.

2 Minor Rowan: b 1842 Miss.

3 Thomas Rowan: b 1844.

4 Sarah Rowan: b 1846.

5 Elizabeth Rowan: b 1847.

6 Mary Rowan: b 1848.

7 Grounded Rowan: b June 1850.

ix Rebecca: b Oct. 1820 Miss. Ter. (Ala.), m prior to 1837 Anderson Robbins of Blount Co., Ala., he died in 1843 and she moved to Pontotoc Co., Miss. with her parents with whom she was residing in 1850. She m (2) before 1860 Henry Nolan, no record of any Nolan children., They had:

1 Anderson Robbins: b 1837.

2 Macaques Robbins: b 1839.

3 Levi Robbins: b 1842.

## 87 JEPHTHA (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Onslow County, North Carolina in 1780 moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee in 1787 with his parents. He married prior to 1804 Miriam Randolph, born Western North Carolina, later East Tennessee, 1785-86. See Randolph Excursus. They resided in Knox County in 1804, Rutherford in 1808, then moved to Warren County about 1810 where he purchased land. One deed for land was made in 1813 and was witnessed by Nathan Randolph, etc. About 1817 they moved to Cooper County, Missouri and in this movement there appears to be several others of the family who made the move, definitely known are Elijah, Randolph and his family and his sister, Jane Wood, and her family, who are nephew and niece to the wife of Jephtha Billingsley. They resided in Cooper County, Missouri to about 1827-28 then moved to Gibson County, Tennessee where they resided to 1848 then moved to Bastrop County, Texas where Miriam died between 1851 and 1854. He married (2) 11 August 1856 Mrs. Agrees P. Britton, born Kentucky in 1810, ceremony by Franklin Johnson, Justice of the Peace, Williamson County, Texas. She had three children at the time of this marriage, i.e.; Sarah L., b 1844; Lucian G., b 1846; and Agrees L., b 1849. On 13 January 1857 he executed a deed for slaves to Jesse and William B. Billingsley (*Deeds Liber K, fols. 391-39/x, Bastrop Co., Tex.*) which abstracted reads:

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“Emanuel and Betsey and their 8 children, sd Jesse and William Billingsley to pay Jephtha Billingsley \$900 per year for their hire during his life time and at his death his heirs to be paid as follows: Tabitha Turner \$500; Robert Billingsley \$500; Elisha Billingsley \$500; Mahala Northcut \$500; Elijah Billingsley \$500; Mrs. Artena Rutherford \$1,000, to be held in trust; -balance in value divided among Jesse Billingsley; William B. Billingsley; Mary C. Claiborne; and Carroll Billingsley, his to be held by trustee.”

In 1860 he was a resident of Williamson County, Texas and on 5 April 1862 he executed his will, executed a codicil 11 November 1862 a brief of this document reads:

1 Revoking all other wills, and especially cancelling that disposition of my property made in Bastrop County 13 January 1857.

2 Jesse Billingsley is appointed attorney in fact during my life and executor after my death.

3 My son, Jesse Billingsley, slaves Emanuel and Betsy, to control; etc. for benefit of my wife, etc.

4 Wife, A. P. Billingsley, etc.

5 Daughter, Tabitha Turner, negro boy, James.

6 Son, Elisha Billingsley, negro boy, Charley.

7 Son, Elijah Billingsley, \$100 and request my executor to pay same to him or to his children of his first wife, Emeline, when he or they call for the same but not otherwise.

8 To son, Jesse Billingsley, in Trust for the benefit of three boys, children of my son, Carroll, to wit; John, William, and Thomas Billingsley, negro man, Shelby, etc.

9 Daughter, Mahala Northcut, \$800 to be paid in three annual installments after my death, with 10 per cent interest from that date.

10 Daughter, Mary C. Claiborne, negro man, Henry.

11 Son, William B. Billingsley, negro boy, Giles.

12 Son, Jesse Billingsley, negro man, Mack.

13 Daughter, Artena Rutherford, negro boy, Young, provided she pay to my executor \$250, etc.

14 Being informed of the death of my son, Robert Billingsley who died without children, leaving a widow, Frances Billingsley; it is not my desire to give anything to his widow the sd Frances, but will give what I, intended for him and after designated.

15 If any child resist carrying out the provisions of this will they shall not inherit anything, etc.

16 Codicil: As son, Jesse Billingsley, by my , consent and request advanced \$265 to my daughter, Tabitha Turner, for a trip to Tennessee on 15 October 1856, that she pay out of the property bequeathed to her the \$265, etc. He died 25 October 1863 and this will was probated 14 April 1864, he is buried with his first wife at Cedar Creek, Bastrop County, Texas. No data as to the death of Agnes. Mrs. Katie M. Rock claims that there

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were eleven children but has not been able to produce any evidence as to the missing child. The following children are of record.

Children:

i Tabitha (8): b 11 Oct. 1804.

ii Elijah (8) : b 20 Nov. 1806 Knox Co., Tenn.

iii Elisha (8) : b 20 Dec. 1809 Rutherford Co., Tenn.

iv Jesse (8) : b 10 Oct. 1810.

v William Buck (8) : b 13 May 1813.

vi Robert: b 1816 Warren Co., Tenn., moved to Cooper Co. Mo. with his parents and returned to Gibson Co., Tenn. with them. He m (1) Martha Boone, she died and he m (2) Frances R. Thomas, b N. C. 1827. He was a farmer, resided Gibson Co., Tenn. where he died sometime between June 1860 and Apr. 1862. His father mentions his death in his will, 5 Apr. 1862. Frances m (2) a Boone; (3) a Mr. Sharp; and (4) in 1884 in Texas, Elisha Billingsley, No. 207, his second wife. They had:  
1 Roxanna: b 1847 died aet. 8 years, 2d wife.

vii Mahala: b 1818 Cooper Co., Mo., returned to Gibson Co., Tenn. with her parents about 1827-28 where she m prior to 1836 William C. Northcutt, b Tenn. 1810. They resided Gibson Co., Tenn. in 1850 when he is listed as superintendent of a saw mill. They disappear from this county. There is said to have been a Campbellite preacher in Texas named "Billie Northcutt," this may be the same man. No definite information as to locality in Texas and we have been unable to verify this statement. They had, known:

1 Artenia Northcutt: b 1836.

2 Peyton Northcutt: b 1838.

3 John Northcutt: b 1841.

4 Virginia Northcutt: b 1843.

viii Artenia: b 1820 Cooper Co., Mo., moved to Gibson Co., Tenn. with her parents. She m prior to 1846 Wright H. Rutherford, b Tenn. in 1810, they moved to Bastrop Co., Tex. shortly afterwards. Both were living in 1850 when he was listed as a farmer and Campbellite preacher. They removed from this County before 1860. We have been able to gather only fragments of the family. They had, known:

1 William J. Rutherford: b 1847 Texas. "When last heard of was in Beaumont, Tex. in 1896. He married and had several children, his oldest daughter, Ora, married a druggist of Mexico, or Groesbeck, Tex. in that year." Statement of Mrs. Bate M. Rock.

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2 Carroll Randolph Rutherford: b 1849 Texas. He was living in the home of Carroll Billingsley, San Marcos, Tex. in 1880, was listed as a clerk and unmarried. He m and lived at McDade, Tex. Only child known is said to be:

a Vera Rutherford: b 18-. Resides Stephenville, Tex. It has been impossible to get any information from her on this subject.

3 Mary Rutherford: b 185-, said to have m William Jones.

ix Mary Crawford: b 1822 Cooper Co., Mo., moved to Gibson Co., Tenn. with her parents where she m prior to 1839 Philip Claiborne, b Va. in 1816. They moved to Bastrop Co., Tex. about 1848 with other members of the family. He was a lawyer and was styled "Colonel" but it is not stated the source of the title. Resided at Bastrop, Tex. where he practiced law and owned an hotel which was operated by his wife, they were both living in 1880, no data on the death of either of them. They had:

1 John M. Claiborne: b 27 Feb. 1839 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents in 1848, attended country schools, and Baylor University. He enlisted 7 Sept. 1861 at Austin, Tex., Pvt. D, 8<sup>th</sup> Tex. Cav., (Terry's Rangers) C. S. A.; Sgt. Maj. 31 Dec. 1862. A list of officers of the 8<sup>th</sup> Cav. made sometime after the War shows him as Adjutant, 23 May 1864. Gen. Hood placed him in secret service and on 2 Jan. 1865 gave him release and letters to President Davis, with recommendation for Brig. Gen., whom he joined at Charlotte, N. C. and moved with him to Ga. He was only a short distance behind the President when he was captured. War Dept. records show he surrendered at Cedartown, Ga. 15 May 1865 and took oath of allegiance 15 June 1865. He was five feet, ten and one half inches in height, gray eyes, and light hair. He m (1) 18- Sue M. Phillips, of Ky., she was in Ga. At the time he surrendered. They returned to Bastrop, Tex. in Dec. 1865.. He read law but engaged in commerce as a business. Served as Maj. Gen. Tex. Militia for several years, resigned when he was elected to State Senate where he served several years. He then moved to Rusk Co., Tex. where he engaged in editing a newspaper and developing iron ore deposits in that section. Sue died Jan. 1900 and he m (2) Feb. 1902 Ella (?) b Ga. No data on his death. Said



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to have been three daughters by first wife. We have no record of them. Martha Claiborne: b 1841 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Texas with her parents where she m (1) prior to 1861 Chauncey Johnson, b N. Y. in 1831, he is listed in 1870 as a farmer and died about 1872; she m (2) prior to 1875 Matthew Kirk, b England 18-. She was a widow again before June 1880 at which time she was living in Bastrop and operating the hotel owned by her father. They had:

a John Johnson: b 1861, died unmarried prior to 1931.

b Georgians Johnson: b 1864 Tex., m (1) after 1880 Thomas Dederich, (2) Mickleborough. She said to have been deceased some years prior to 1931. They had:

b1 Bonnie Dederich: b 18-, m Dave Burke, said to have resided Dallas, Tex. where he engaged in automobile business.

b2 Said to have been two Mickleborough children.

c Mary Johnson: b 1866, m after 1880 a Mr. Scott. They had:

cl Earl Scott.

d Susan Irene Johnson: b 1869, m Clarence Woodward, both deceased prior to 1931. No children.

e Charles Kirk: b 1875, 2d marriage.

3 Austin Claiborne: b 1846 Tenn. Living in 1860 not listed in 1870.

4 Miriam Irene Claiborne: b 1849 Tex. Living 1860.

5 DeWitt Claiborne: b 1851. Living in 1880 unmarried.

6 Georgianna Claiborne: b 1854. Living in 1860.

x Carroll (8) : b 1825 Mo.

#### RANDOLPH EXCURSUS

When it was discovered the several intermarriages of BillingsleyRandolph we became interested in determining the origin of these Randolphs. It appears that a number of others have undertaken this same task and have invariably reached a certain point to a wall they could not scale. The reason for this is that a letter written by one Mansel Y. Randolph, of Texas about 1891-92 stated: "My grandfather, Nathaniel Randolph, was a son of WILLIAM RANDOLPH, Of VIRGINIA, who was a SECOND COUSIN to John Randolph of Roanoke. The records of the William Randolph family, of Turkey Island, have been carefully worked out and established, the only one of that family who could possibly be the father of said Nathaniel and be a second cousin to John of Roanoke is William Randolph, of Bristol. Records

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show conclusively that this William resided in Bristol, England, and was deceased prior to December 1791, he had two sons who did live and die in Virginia, i.e.: Thomas Eaton, who is fully accounted for, and Benjamin, . who died in Virginia in 1802 unmarried. With this evidence we discarded the Second Cousin theory and investigated the Henry Randolph family with the following results. A brief of the early generations to show the line intact is given, William and Mary Quarterly Volume iv, 125, and Valentine Papers, Volumes iii and iv will show further details. Original records have been consulted in Henrico and Chesterfield Counties, Virginia.

### HENRY (1) RANDOLPH

Born 1623, a son of Richard Randolph and Dorothy Lane-West, of Little Houghton, Northamptonshire, England, and uncle of William Randolph of Turkey Island, Henrico County, Virginia. He came to Virginia in 1642 and settled in Henries County. He married (1) 12 October 1652 Elizabeth , she died 12 October 1660 and he married (2) 12 December 1661 Judith, the daughter of Honorable Henry Soane, Speaker of the House of Burgesses. He visited England in 1666, returning to Virginia where he died circa 1675. She married (2) 21 October 1678 Major Peter Field, of Henrico County.

Children:

i Henry: b 2 Sept. 1654, died December 8<sup>th</sup>, 1654.

ii William: b 12 Sept. 1658, died ca 1677.

iii Henry (2): b 16 Jan. 1665, 2d wife.

iv Judith: b 29 July 1671, died unmarried ante Nov. 1687.

### HENRY (2) RANDOLPH

(*Henry 1.*) . Born 16 January 1665. He married 17 October 1687 Sarah, the daughter of Honorable Thomas Swan, of Surry County, Virginia. Resided Henrico County, Virginia where he served as Clerk for some years. He died 17 October 1693, she married (2) Captain Giles Webb, of Henrico County. He died 1713, and she died 1714.

Children:

i Henry (3): b 1 Jan. 1689.

ii Thomas: b 1 July 1692, died 1693.

### HENRY (3) RANDOLPH

(*Henry 2, Henry 1.*) Born 1 January 1689. He married 29 March 1714 Elizabeth, the daughter of Francis Epes and Ann Isham, of Henrico County, she was born 169-. Resided Henrico County, was Captain of Militia; Magistrate 1713-1720; Sheriff in 1723. He died in 1726. He dated his will 27 August 1726 and it was probated 2 January 1726-27.

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Elizabeth survived him many years, dated her will 30 April 1775 and died in 1777, her estate administered and appraised 20 September 1777. In this will she mentions: daughter, Ann Leonard; grand son, Henry Randolph; grand daughter Elizabeth Wormley Randolph; granddaughter, Elizabeth Sherwin, grand daughter, Ann Randolph Watson; grand son, John Archer; son, Grief Randolph and his children now living. One John Archer was named as executor, and Henry Archer and William Rowland were witnesses. This will was further proven in March 1779 by William Rowland. There is an Account, Elizabeth and Grief Randolph to Colonel John Archer running from October 1766 to 19 September 1777. (*Liber 3, 182.*)

Children:

i Sarah: b 10 Oct. 1715, m Archer, probably Col. John, had a son, John who was named in his grand mother's will 1775.

ii Anne: b 31 Dec. 1717, m Leonard, named in her mother's will 1775.

iii Henry (4) : b 11 Feb. 1721.

iv Francis: b 19 June 1724, died 1734.

v Grief: b 1726-27, m Mary, daughter of Major Edmund Eppes, of Charles City Co., Va., she died 1775-1777, he was apparently deceased before Mar. 1778 as William Randolph was appointed guardian for his children 6 Mar. 1778. Two records in Chesterfield Co., Va. give the names of his children as of 1778 listing nine names without any punctuation, there were evidently some children deceased prior to 1775. The names listed in 1778 for guardianship are: Henry Edward/Francis Isham / John /William /Elizabeth/Anne and Maria. Some of these may be double names those land below are known to be individuals. They had, known:

1 Henry: b 17-, m Lucy was deceased before 1806, left children, resided Chesterfield Co., Va.

2 John: b ca 1753. Soldier of the Revolution, 3 years in Va. Line. He m Rebecca (Martin 7) moved to N. C. and then to Term., both deceased before 1820. They had: Elisha, b N. C. 1784, m Mary, b S. C. 1790, he died 1852-53 in Fayette Co., Ala. They had 9 children one of whom was Ann, b 1814 Tenn., m Jephtha Billingsley, No. 203, which see; John; Robert; Priscilla m Mercer, d' in Tenn.; Martin; and Rebecca.

3 William: b 1754. Lieut. in Revolution Va. m 1782 Louisa Bailey, he died in Roane Co., Tenn. in 1815 (?). They had: Robert; Hezekiah; Rebecca; Elihu; William, b 1796; Sarah; and Abigail, who m William

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bearing on this line: Sarah, daughter of William and Louisa Randolph b 179?, d 1884, m 1814 Samuel S. Owings, b 1793 N. C., d 1868 Tenn., they had 9 children one of: whom was Martha Susan Owings, b 1820, m. 1838 John Kendrick, b 1810, they had a daughter, Margaret Amanda Kendrick, b 23 Sept. 1851, m 1870 Isaac A. Hill, b 28 Jan. 1844 d 22 Jan. 1916, she was living 1916 Roane Co., Tenn. She is a member of Colonial Dames of Term: Va. on the Randolph line, and has a son who is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution on the Randolph line. History of Roane Co., Tenn. gives considerable details of the Randolph, Owings, Kendrick, and Hill families.

4 Isham : b 20 Apr. 1760.

5 Maria: b 17-.

vi Mourning: b 1726-27, a twin of Grief, she died 1732.

#### 4 HENRY (4) RANDOLPH

(*Henry 3, Henry 2, Henry 1.*) Born Henrico County, Virginia 11 February 1721. He married 174- Tabitha Poythress, a daughter of Robert Poythress. He dated his will 17 June 1769 and died 3 April 1771, he devises land to each of his sons by name, makes no mention of any daughters, but leaves personality to ALL my children; his wife, not named, is the executor. She survived him some years dated her will 17 September 1803 and it was probated 8 April 1805, only child mentioned is daughter Mary, who with her husband were named as executors.

Children:

i John: b 174-, m Ann , he died Dec. 1803, left a will, names his mother, Tabitha, and sister, Mary Archer, and two daughters.

ii William (5) : b 1745-46.

iii Peter: b 17-, died 30 Jan. 1832 in Miss.

iv Elizabeth: b 17-, m prior to 1775 Samuel Sherwin. She is named in the will of her grandmother, Elizabeth Randolph in 1775. She is also named as a defendant in a chancery suit by John Randolph versus his mother, brothers and sisters, 1779-1783; etc.

v Thomas: b 17-, died-young.

vi Robert: b 17-. Living 1783.

vii Richard: b ca 1759-60. Was a minor in 1778.

viii Mary: b 17--, m Henry Archer.

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### 5 WILLIAM (5) RANDOLPH

(*Henry 4, Henry 3, Henry 2, Henry 1.*) Born Henrico County, Virginia *circa 1745-46*. He married prior to 1765 Miriam Ann Eppes, born Virginia about 1741, in various records she shows as "Miriam, Anne, Myra, Mira, and Mary." She was a daughter of Major Edmund Eppes, who was Sheriff of Charles City County, Virginia in 1745 and who was deceased before 1755, and Henrietta Maria, his wife; he was a son of Lieutenant Colonel Littlebury Eppes, and a descendant of Colonel Francis Eppes. (Va. Mag. iii.) The records of the family of Grief Randolph and his wife, Mary Eppes, the daughter of Edmund Eppes, show the relationship between Mary and Miriam Ann, and the fact that this William Randolph was selected and appointed guardian for the children of Grief Randolph in 1778 bears this out. William Randolph and one Nathaniel Gregory were associated in a number of business transactions and were warm personal friends, so much so that William Randolph named his first born in honor of his friend. It was considered for a time the possibility that Miriam Ann was a Gregory, but some investigation disclosed that said Nathaniel Gregory was about the same age as William Randolph, it was also found that they were related in some degree as Eppes were found to have intermarried into both the Poythress and Gregory families.

He was devised land called Rich Neck by his father in 1769. On 23 May 1773 he made a deed of trust to John Cogbill of Chesterfield County, Virginia, for 750 pounds covering 18 negroes, etc. (*Deeds 7-889.*) On 1 November 1775 William Randolph and John Randolph made an agreement as to copartnership in a mill on Swift's Creek, ad William being devised one half of same in will of Henry Randolph, deceased. (*Deeds 8-78.*) On 5 December he was a witness to a deed John Randolph to Jesse Cogbill. (*Deeds 8-i37.*) On 5 July 1776 he .was deeded by Richard Jackson 25 acres of land and a grist mill, etc. (*Deeds 8-i16.*) On the same date he sold to John Randolph 9 acres of land in Chesterfield County, North side of Swift's Creek, and Jackson's mill for 650 pounds. (*Deeds 8-13.x.*) On 5 December 1776 he was commissioned a Captain in Chesterfield County Militia. (*Minutes of Court.*) On 6 March 1778 Minutes of Court show he was appointed guardian for the children of Grief Randolph, named, and gave bond. On 5 February 1779 John Cogbill deeded to William Randolph for 750 pounds, 18 negroes being said slaves conveyed to sd Cogbill by sd Randolph by deed of trust 24 May 1773, etc. (*Deeds 9-6.*) On 2 April 1779 a chancery suit John Randolph versus William Randolph was presented to the May court, the plaintiff stated- sd William Randolph was devised by his father land called Rich Neck and sd William had seized and possessed land called Dobbs, and also land called Wilson's, adjoining his land and was at that time negotiating the sale of same, that sd William claimed said land was all a part of Rich Neck, said plaintiff denied this claim, etc. Minutes of Court show John Randolph agreed to have depositions from Tabitha

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Bald Wood, about 1817. They were both living in 1850 in Moniteau Co., Mo. They had:

a Rachel: b 1812 Tenn.

b Elizabeth: b 1814, m William A. Howard.

c .Elijah: b 1818 Mo., living 1830.

d Sarah: b 1820 Mo., m prior to 1838 James Miller.

e Orton: b 1822.

f, Jeremiah: b 1824, m prior to 1847 Rebecca Caroline resided Moniteau Co., Mo. 1860, had 5 children.

g Lydia: b 1826, m John Joplin.

h Nathaniel: b 1830, died small.

i James: b 1834, living in 1850.

2 John: b 1790, m (1) 1815 Catherine Dial, b N. C. 1797, moved to . Madison Co., Ala. where she d 1824, he m (2) Frances Cooper, b N. C. 1805, moved to Walker Co., Tex., he died 1853 and she died 1854. They had:

a Perry D.: b 1817, died 1842.

b Harvey: b 1819, m (1) Eveline (2) Mary E. he died Madison Co., Tex. about 1903. They had, known: John H.; Charles; Mary Alice; Catherine; Florence; Harvey; Jesse; and Pearl b 1878.

c Martha Ann: b 19 Aug. 1821, m 17 Jan. 1839 Harvey B. Gray, he d 15 Dec. 1864 and she died 2 Aug. 1865 in Tex. Had two daughters known, Mary, and Ellen.

d Mary: b 1825, 2d wife, m John W. Davidson she died 1846.

e Jasper: b 1826-27, m Nancy resided Walker Co., Tex., had 6 children living in 1870.

f Newton: b 1828, m Martha

g Clinton: b 1830, m Courtney resided Walker Co., Tex. in 1880, had 10 children living at that date.

h Hannah: b 1832.,

i Mansell: b 18334.

j Nancy: b 1836.

k Elizabeth: b 1839 Tex.

l Green: b 1842 Tex.

3 Aspasia: b 1791 Hawkins Co., Tenn., m 10 Mar. 1814 Thomas Fite, b 20 Oct, 1788 N. C., resided Gibson Co., Tenn. Fite Genealogy has been published.

4 Jesse: b 1792-93, m ca 1815-16 Susanna Halbert, daughter of Enos. Moved to Mo. with other members of the family, but stopped enroute in southern Ill. for

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some months, resided in Mo. to about 1828 then moved to Madison Co., Ala., he is said to have died about 1855 in Tenn. Susanna lived to be 91 years of age and died in Tenn. at home of her daughter. They had 6 children, known are:

a Susanna: b 1815 Tenn.

b Cyrus H.: b 1817 Ill., m Susan Nowlin, he died at Austin, Tex. Sept. 1889, she died 1911 aet. 82 years, had 6 children: Laura; P. D.; J. C.; Anna; Halbert C. b 22 Sept. 1861, died 1932 Plainview, Tex.; and Lulu.

c Daughter: b 182- Mo., m and resided Warren Co., Tenn.

d Jesse: b 1822 Mo., died 1848-49 Ala.

e Wiley Blount: b 1825 Mo., m Ruth Ann Blanton, resided Vernon Co., Mo. in 1860, had 6 children at that date.

5 Abigail: b Nov. 1794 Hawkins Co., N. C. (Teen.), m prior to 1818 William Wood moved to Caddo Par. La., she was living 1850 and a widow, had 7 children known: William C.; Jane; Laura; Benton; Frances; Elizabeth; and Phebe, b 1842.

6 Jane: b 1796 Tenn., m Archibald Wood, moved to Cooper Co., Mo. about 1817, she was living 1850 and a widow, had 6 children: Archibald; Jane; Matilda; Jeremiah; Andrew J.; and Sarah.

7 Phebe: b 1797, m or died before 1820.

8 Matilda: b 1799. Was living 1820.

9 James Friar: b 1801, moved to Gibson Co., Tenn. and m (1) , moved to Dyar Co., Tenn. where she died and he m (2) prior to 1860 Permelia Williams, b Tenn. 1820, a widow who had several daughters at the time of this marriage, she died in 1889 and he died in 1891. They had:

a Esther: b 1823.

b Mary: b 1826, m Benjamin G. Hall.

c William C.: b 1829, died in Civil War.

d Jane: b 1831, m a Mr. Perry.

e Julia: b 1833, m James Shumate, he died Civil War and about 1865, 3 children.

f Margaret: b 1835, died aet. 20 years

g Sallies b 1838, living 1885 unmarried.

h Elvira: b 1840, m Fred Harwell.

i Eugenia Ann: b 1842, m a Mr. Dillend.

j James F. H.: b 1845, m after 1870 was deceased in 1885 left 5 children.

k Martha. Tennessee: b 1861, 2d wife, m Charles Demetrius Marchant, she died 1911, had children: Jesse, d aet. 4 years; Beulah; James Russell; Amelia Ann; and Arthur Bly, b ca 1881 and the eldest.

10 Jeremiah: b 1803, m Nancy M. Hanby moved to Ala., then moved to Walker Co., Tex. in early 1850's, he died in 1873 and she died before 1876. They had:

a John: b 1830.

b Benton: b 11 Apr. 1832 Ala., m Eleanor L. was a lawyer, resided Walker Co., Tex. in 1880, had 5 children living at that date: Benton; Samuel; Andrew Todd; William H.; and David.

c William H.: b 7 June 1834 Ala., was living 1895 Travis Co., Tex. m and had some 7 or 8 children.

d Martha E.: b 1837.

e David J.: b 1841 Ala.

f Phelan: b 1841 Ala.

g Margaret S. J.: b 1843.

h Mansell Y.: b 1847-48 Ala. Was living 1892.

i Nancy Leona: b 1849-50.

11 Alta: b 1805 Tenn. Living 1820 unmarried.

ii Peyton: b Oct. 1766 Va., m in N. C. prior to 1788 Mary Payne b N. C. 1769, said to be a cousin of Sarah Payne who m Isham Randolph. Resided Sullivan, and Hawkins Cos., Tenn. to 1805 then moved to White Co., and then to Warren Co. where they resided to 1812-13 then moved to McMinn Co., Tenn. where Mary died about 1842 aet. 73 years, he survived her and died about 1852, his daughter-in-law, Rhoda, widow of Robert, came to live with him about 1844 as he was advanced in age, and of feeble health in his last years. They had:

1 Robert Payne: b 1788 N. C., m Rhoda Lancaster, b N. C. 1790. Resided Washington Co., Va. about 1810 returned to Tenn. and settled in McMinn Co., moved to Bradley Co. before 1840 where he died about 1844, she went to live with her father in law and died about 1857. They had: John Lancaster; Jephtha Jesse; Robert A.; Peyton; Rhoda; Edmund E.; William; and Nancy.

2 Mary: b 1790 N. C.

3 Peyton: b 1793-94, m Sarah (Myers?) moved to Tex. about 1846, said to have had 8 children.

4 Thomas: b 1796 Tenn., m Martha he died 1859-60 McMinn Co., Tenn., left 4 children.



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5 Nathaniel F.: b 1798, resided Jefferson Co., Ala. in 1830.

6 Miriam: b 1800, died ca 1839 unmarried.

7 John W.: b Jan. 1802, m lived in Miss. then moved to Ark. Had 8 children.

8 Tabitha: b 1803 Tenn., m prior to 1826 Thomas Billingsley, No. 86, she died 1839 Ala.

9 Rebecca: b 1805 Tenn., in Elijah Billingsley, No. 91, which see.

iii Elizabeth Orpha: b Jan. 1769 Va., moved to N. C. with parents and m Charles Payne, b N. C. 1759-60, resided Hawkins, White, and Warren Cos., Tenn. where he died 1832-39, she was living 1840. Said to have been 8 or 9 children, known are: Orpha Elizabeth; John; Andrew; Robert; Charles; and Alfred, b 1802, m Miriam Billingsley Randolph, daughter of Isham. Robert and Charles Payne resided in Cooper Co., Mo.

iv Isham: b 1771 Va., moved to N. C. with parents and m prior to 1796 In Hawkins Co., Tenn., Sarah Elizabeth Payne, b N.C. 1778, said to be a relative of Charles Payne who m Elizabeth Orpha Randolph. Resided Hawkins, White, and Warren Cos., Tenn. where he signed a subscription to build a school house in 1811; granted 209 acres of land 21 Apr. 1812, he died 1821-29, Sarah Elizabeth survived him and was living 1850 in the home of her daughter, Athelia Smartt. They had:

1 Athelia: b 1796 Hawkins Co., Tenn., m prior to 1815 George R. Smartt, b N. C. 1793, resided Warren Co., Tenn. They had: John; William Buchanan; Sarah Lawrence; Angeline; Martha; George; Myra or Miriam; Athelia; Randolph C.; and Alfred Payne, b 1839.

2 Orpha: b ca 1798 Tenn., m Forester Mercer and moved to Ala.

3 Miriam Billingsley: b 1803 Hawkins Co., Tenn., was called Myra, she m prior to 1830 Alfred Payne, b Tenn. 1802, resided Warren Co., Tenn. in 1860. They had: Mary Louisa; Benjamin F.; William L.; Miriam; John Randolph; Andrew Jackson; Angeline; and Alfred Victor.

4 Elizabeth: b 180-, died unmarried.

v Henry: b 1773 Chesterfield Co., Va., moved to N. C. with his parents and m prior to 1805 in Tenn. Sarah Poage, b N. C. 1783, settled in Warren Co., Tenn. about 1810; granted 4 acres of land 30 Sept. 1829; he died in 1836, she

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survived him and was living in 1860 Warren Co., Tenn. They had:

- 1 Selena: b 1805.
- 2 John: b 18 Apr. 1807.
- 3 Elizabeth: b 8 Oct. 1808.
- 4 Elvira: b 4 Feb. 1812.
- 5 Madison: b 8 May 1814.
- 6 Young W.: b 16 Mar. 1817.
- 7 Wiley C.: b 11 Feb. 1819, resided Warren Co., Tenn. and living in 1880, m twice, had 8 children known.
- 8 Emaline: b 1 Dec. 1822.
- 9 Miriam: b 12 May 1824, living 1860 unmarried.

vi Mahala: b ca 1775 Va., m in Sullivan Co., Tenn. in 1803 Daniel Conley or Coulee, b N. C. 1771-72, resided Warren Co., Tenn., moved to Mo. in 1817, returned to Gibson Co., Tenn. 1827-28, both living in 1840, both deceased before 1850. They had:

- 1 John Henderson Conley: b 1803.
- 2 Preston Conley: b 1805 Tenn., moved to Tex. and was Deputy Sheriff of Bastrop Co., Tex. in 1850, was unmarried at that date.
- 3 Russell Conley: b 1808, m Mary b N. C. 1810, he died 1848-49 Gibson Co., Tenn., leaving 6 children.
- 4 Sarah Conley: b 1811, m a Mr. Bradbury.
- 5 Madison Conley: b 1814 Tenn., m Sarah E., he died 1870's, she was living 1880, no children of record.
- 6 Jefferson Conley: b 1816-17, m Lucinda resided Gibson Co., Tenn.
- 7 Mahala Conley: b 1818 Mo., died unmarried in Tenn.
- 8 Harrison Conley: b 1820 Mo., m late in life and about 1874 Harriet L. b Tenn. 1842, both living 1880 Gibson Co., Tenn.
- 9 Daniel Conley: b 1823 Mo., moved to Texas. F

vii Tabitha: b 177-, m John H. Conley, b N. C. 177-, moved to Mo. with others of the family about 1817, no subsequent record.

viii Daughter: b 178-, died infancy.

ix Edmund: b 1784 N. C., died aet. 4 months.

x Miriam: b Dec. 1785 or Jan. 1786 in N. C. (Tenn. in 1796), m prior to 1804 in Tenn. Jephtha Billingsley, No. 87, which see.

### 88 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis i.*) Born Onslow County, North Carolina 10 September 1781, moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee with his parents in 1787. . He married (1),

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10 October 1802 Martha Blackwood, born North Carolina 12 March 1786. From a published account in Biographical Album in 1898 and furnished by his son, Leander T. Billingsley, the claim is made that John and his bride started from North Carolina on a blind pony to find themselves ahome. They finally reached the Sequatchie Valley with a cash capital of one dollar and twenty five cents. This marriage may have taken place in North Carolina but we feel that as no documentary evidence exists to prove it the logical presumption is that it occurred either in Sullivan or Washington County, Tennessee and it was from this point they made the trip to Sequatchie Valley. They located in Bledsoe County cleared some ground and made a crop with the pony. During the spring of the following year the pony fell and broke its leg and the second crop was made with a young bull. Martha died 11 March 1829 and he married (2) 15 September 1831 Jane Hoodenpile, born North Carolina 21 April 1812, a daughter of Philip Hoodenpile, a native of Holland. From an humble start John became one of the wealthy and prominent citizens of Bledsoe County. He served some forty years a member of the County Court, and part of the time its Chairman; he also represented the County in the State legislature. At the time of his death 25 May 1856 his property was valued at \$85,000. Jane survived him many years and died 3 September 1894. Family Baptists. He and his two wives are buried in the old Smyrna graveyard, the graves of John and Jane are marked but that of Martha on his side is unmarked.

### Children

i Samuel (8) : b 3 Oct. 1803.

i William: b 20 Sept. 1805, died 1811.

iii Nancy: b 7 July 1807 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., she m prior to 1831 John Hutcheson, b Tenn. 1800, he was a farmer, both were living in 1860, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. They had, known

1 Flavius Joseph Hutcheson: b 1831, m prior to 1855 Narcissus A. Myers, b Tenn. 1834, daughter of John Myers, see Myers Excursus. Resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. both were living in 1880. They had, known: (unfortunately the census records do not show full names of these children.)

a G. T. Hutcheson: b 1855, son.

b M. M. Hutcheson: b 1857, daughter.

c J. B. Hutcheson: b 1859, son, was living 1932 at Doyle, Tenn. no information obtainable from him.

d T. H. Hutcheson: b 1862, son.

e D. L. Hutcheson: b 1864. Is a minister in the Christian Church, we have had several letters from him but he has never furnished any details

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of the family, mostly tells of the various Billingsleys he has met in his travels.

f N. S. Hutcheson: b 1867, daughter.

g A. Campbell Hutcheson: b 1868, m Elizabeth Farmer, daughter of W. F. Farmer and Viola Billingsley, 1<sup>st</sup> cousins.

h S. E. Hutcheson: b 1871, daughter.

2 Martha E. Hutcheson: b 1833.

3 Mahala Hutcheson: b 1835.

iv Mary: b 7 Sept. 1809, m James Griffith, a Methodist minister, moved to Ala. or Miss. and died quite young leaving no children.

v John Calvin (8) : b 12 Feb. 1812.

vi Andrew Blackwood (8) : b 1 Feb. 1814.

vii Mahala: b 6 July 1816, m prior to 1843 John Munsey, b Va. 1816, they moved to Ky. after 1850, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. to that date, not known where they lived in Ky. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Munsey: b 1843.

2 James C. Munsey: b 1845.

3 Alexander Munsey: b 1849.

viii James Davis (8) : b 27 Oct. 1819.

ix Martha Jane: b 15 Mar. 1822, she m prior to 1847 Thomas S. Myers, b Tenn. 1818, son of John Myers, see Myers Excursus, they moved to Warren Co., Tenn. about 1849, both were living in 1860. They had:

1 Davis Myers: b 1847.

2 John A. Myers: b 1849, a lawyer, resided Pikeville, Tenn. in 1931.

3 Mary Myers: b 1851, m a Mr. Northcut, had a son Dee.

4 Andrew C. Myers: b 1854. Resided McMinnville, Tenn. in 1930 and furnished some information on the family.

5 Arcadia Myers: b 1856, died small.

6 Susan Josie Myers: b Oct. 1859.

7 Martha Myers: b 186-.

x Elizabeth E.: b 4 Nov. 1824, m prior to 1848 James Rankin, b Tenn. 1824, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. to 1860, not stated where they moved to. They had, known:

1 Samuel Rankin: b Aug. 1848.

2 Martha Rankin: b 1851.

3 John Rankin: b 1853.

4 James Rankin: b 1855.

5 Samantha Rankin: b 1858.

6 Joannah E. Rankin: b Mar. 1860.

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Children: (2d wife)

xi Theola Mary: b 14 Oct. 1832, m prior to 1850 Reuben Rankin, b Tenn. 1825, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn., he was living in 1870, she died 27 Dec. 1885. They had, known:

1 John Rankin: b 1856.

xii Philip Marshall: b 28 Sept. 1834. He married 9 Sept. 1858 Mary M. Smith, b 5 Nov. 1838, daughter of Martin Smith, of Bledsoe Co., Tenn. He enlisted Sept. 1862 Co. C, 22<sup>nd</sup> Battery Term. Inf., C. S. A., for 3 years; elected 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. 10 Sept. 1862, resigned 8 Apr. 1863 on account of physical condition, chronic diarrhoea. She died 16 Apr. 1877, he survived her and died 28 Mar. 1905, resided Marshall Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Jessie: b 30 June 1859 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., m 1912 W. E. Harris, of New Mex., she resided Lewisburg, Tenn. 1931.

2 Hortense: b 21 Feb. 1861 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., m 21 Sept. 1891 J. T. Finley, resided Lewisburg, Tenn. They had:

a Briton Finley: b 18-

b Murphy Finley: b 1-

3 Amanda: b 3 Mar. 1863 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., m 1 Sept. 1897, J. T. Campbell, b Bedford Co., Tenn., resided Lewisburg, Tenn. She furnished data in this family but mentioned no children of her own.

4 Lillie: b 28 Feb. 1865 Warren Co., Tenn., m 14 Jan. 1905 J. C. Alsup, b Tenn. 18-, moved to Texas and resided at Grand Saline, where he was Vice president and cashier of a State bank, he died March 1933. No children.

5 James S.: b 5 Apr. 1867 Giles Co., Tenn., died 22 Aug. 1876.

6 Ella: b 13 Oct. 1869 Marshall Co., Tenn., m 8 Sept. 1891 R. C. Edwards, she died 11 Jan. 1904 in New Mexico. They had:

a Arthur Edwards: b 18-

b Cecil Edwards: b 18-

7 Cleared: b 24 Jan. 1872, resides Grand Saline, Tex.

8 John L.: b 19 Aug. 1874, died 28 Jan. 1904.

xiii Amanda M.: b 29 Oct. 1836, m 13 Jan. 1857 John L. Rankin, b 20 Apr. 1832 in Tenn., resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn, where he died 27 Feb. 1862, she survived him and died 10 Feb. 1919. They had:

1 Florentha Rankin: b 18 Oct. 1857, died 2 Aug. 1862.

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- 2 Gertrude Rankin: b 3 Dec. 1859, m 27 Oct. 1875 Dr. J. P. -Barnett, he died 15 June 1910, she survives him and resides Pikeville, Tenn. She furnished information on this family. They had:
- a Mabel Barnett: b 7 Dec. 1876, m 29 Nov. 1899, Joseph Otto Kittell, reside Mobile, Ala.
  - b Herman Barnett: b 1 Oct. 1878, m 14 Jan. 1901 Susie Worley, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.
  - c Myrtle Barnett: b 18 Apr. 1881, m 29 Nov. 1899 James Roberson, reside Pikeville, Tenn. had a daughter Margaret.
  - d Idele Barnett: b 13 Oct. 1884, m 27 Feb. 1905 A. B. Cranwell, she died 11 Aug. 1916, resided Pikeville, Tenn.
  - e Margaret Barnett: b 26 Mar. 1890, m 13 Mar. 1912 Finley Carter Dorris, reside Gallatin, Tenn.
  - f Marion Barnett: b 14 Dec. 1898, m 20 Dec. 1916 Frank L. Robertson, reside Dallas, Tex.
- xiv Hixey O.: b 3 Nov. 1838, m 1859 Jesse Hall, b Tenn. 1837, she died 6 Feb. 1895. No record of children.
- xv Viola C.: b 15 May 1841, m prior to 1863 William W. Farmer, b Tenn. 1835, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. where he died before 1898, she survived him and died 18 Apr. 1921. They had:
- 1 Periah J. Farmer: b 1863, called "Nina," m after 1880 John Greer, reside Bledsoe Co., Tenn. They had:
- a Mahala Greer: b 18-, m Estil Swafford.
  - b William Greer: b 18-.
  - c Joseph Greer: b 18-, m Marie Parker. They had:
    - c1 Bettie Jean Greer.
    - c2 Joe Joe Greer.
    - c3 James Greer.
  - d Leonard Greer: b 1-, m Creda Farmer, no children.
  - e Audley Greer: b 1-, m Bobbie Jones, no children.
- 2 Rhoda P. Farmer: b 1865, m after 1880 Riley Hoge, no children.
- 3 Lucretia Farmer: b 1867, m Dr. W. H. Harris. They had:
- a Angie Lee Harris: b 18-, m William Wheeler, she is deceased.
  - b Florrie Harris: b 18-, m E. Ross Swafford. They had:
    - b1 Ernestine Swafford.
    - b2 Frances Swafford.
    - b3 E. Ross Swafford, Jr.

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c Kenneth Harris: b 1-, m Samuel Jackson. They had:

- c1 Mary Ross Jackson.
- c2 Idell Jackson.
- c3 Henry Frank Jackson.
- c4 Lola Vianna Jackson.

4 Thomas Andrew Farmer: b Feb. 1870, m Lena Billingsley, daughter of John T. Billingsley, see No. 213. They had:

a Wade Farmer : b 18-.,

5 Anna Farmer: b 1871, died small.

6 Elizabeth Farmer: b 1873, m A. Campbell Hutcheson, b 1868, see Nancy Billingsley, No. 88. They had:

a Freda Hutcheson: b 1-, m Charles Brown. They had:

- a1 Frances Brown.
- a2 Elizabeth Brown.
- a3 Clarence Brown.

xvi Leander Travis (g) : b 20 Oct. 1843.

xvii Statira A.: b 15 Dec. 1845, m Tullers A. Reynolds, said to have resided White Co., Tenn.

xviii Sarah Flora: b 15 Nov. 1847, m 9 Feb. 1868 at Pikeville, Tenn. William Franklin Hutcheson, b Meigs Co., Tenn. 24 Dec. 1835, resided Pikeville, Tenn. where he died 28 Mar. 1915 and she died 22 Apr. 1923. They had:

1 Josie Hutcheson: b 18 Dec. 1868, m 27 June 1894 James Robert Lee, b Bledsoe Co., Tenn. 12 Feb. 1861, reside Sparta, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

- a William Franklin Lee: b 24 Apr. 1895, m 12 June 1923 Ruth Young, reside Sparta, Tenn.
- b James Robert Lee, Jr.: b 6 Nov. 1901, m 17 June 1924 Bernice Fancher, reside Sparta, Tenn.
- c John Thomas Lee: b 14 Oct. 1903, m 22 May 1928, Frances Pearson, reside Sparta, Tenn.
- d Gordon Ball Lee: b 22 Oct. 1905.

2 Charles Phillip Hutcheson: b 5 Jan: 1871.

3 Maggie Eva Hutcheson: b 9 Apr. 1873, m Albert H. Carpenter, reside Spring Hill, Tenn.

4 Della Grace Hutcheson: b 4 Apr. 1881, m Samuel Walter Swafford, reside Pikeville, Tenn.

xvix Evalista J.: b 6 Apr. 1853, m John Swafford, reside Stamford, Texas in 1931, no record of children.

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### 89. THOMAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Onslow County; North Carolina 30 December 1782, moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee with his parents. He married in May 1801 Nancy Courtney Allen, born in North Carolina in 1783. They resided in East Tennessee to about 1807 then moved to Cumberland County, Kentucky where they resided to 1811 then returned to Tennessee. In 1821-22 they moved to Blount County, Alabama. He was granted 80, 12/100 acres of land on 30 November 1825, certificate No. 1868. Resided in Blount County to about 1837 then moved to Morgan County, Alabama where Nancy died in 1843. He survived her a few years, moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi with his son, William, and died in 1849.

Children:

i Nancy: b Feb. 1802. She m Henry C. Jones, b S. C. 1800, both were living in 1870, resided Blount Co., Ala. No children.

ii Samuel (8) : b 21 Sept. 1803.

iii James (8) : b 21 Sept. 1803, a twin.

iv Thomas (8) : b 1805 Tenn.

v Edward Counsel (8) : b Jan. 1809 Ky.

vi Sarah: b 1811 Tenn., m 1834 Alexander Templeton, b N. C. 1810, resided Blount Co., Ala. to 1844 then moved to Tishmingo Co., Miss., both living in 1850. They had:

1 Abner Templeton: b 1835 Ala.

2 Wilmouth Templeton: b 1837.

3 Sarah Templeton: b 1839.

4 Joseph Templeton: b 1843.

5 Mary Templeton: b 1845 Miss.

6 Monroe Templeton: b 1849 Miss.

vii Mary Eliza: b 1813 Tenn., m in 1835 Henry M. Tidmore, b S. C. 1814, both were living in 1850 and resided Blount Co., Ala. Several children died in infancy. They had, known:

1 Mary Tidmore: b 1837.

2 William H. Tidmore: b 1845.

3 Emily Tidmore : b 1848.

viii Barton: b May 1815 Tenn. He m prior to 1853, they are said to have lived in Miss. for a few years then moved to Texas and returned to Ala. after the Civil War, she was deceased before 1870, he was a farmer and resided in Blount Co., Ala. in 1870. They had:

1 Clemens: b 1853 Ala.

2 James F.: b 1858 Miss. .

ix Elizabeth: b Aug. 1816 Tenn., m prior to 1838 Zachariah Cornelius, b Tenn. 1808, both living in 1850 and resided Blount Co., Ala. They had, known:



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- 1 Elizabeth Cornelius: b 1838.
- 2 Abner Cornelius: b 1840.
- 3 Dissa Cornelius: b 1842.
- 4 Maselly Cornelius: b 1844.
- 5 John Cornelius: b 1846.
- 6 Mary Cornelius: b 1848.

x Catherine: b 1818.

xi Rebecca Courtney: b Mar. 1820 Tenn., died unmarried after 1870 Blount Co., Ala. in the home of her sister, Nancy Jones.

xii William G. (8) : b 19 Apr. 1822-27 (?).

### 90 ELIJAH (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Onslow County, North Carolina in 1786, moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee with his parents. He later migrated to Cumberland County, Kentucky where he married (1) prior to 1807 Susan, born Cumberland County, Kentucky *circa* 1790, they resided in this locality to 1814 then moved to Knox County, Tennessee where Susan died in 1817; he married (2) prior to 1821 Rebecca Randolph, born White County, Tennessee in 1805, a daughter of Peyton and Mary Randolph. See Randolph Excursus. They moved to Gibson County, Tennessee about 1827 and resided there to 1852 then moved to Texas and are stated to have located near Galveston. It is probable this family, except as noted otherwise, was extinguished in 1853 by the epidemic of Yellow Fever which was exceptionally severe in Galveston and its environs.

Children:

i Susan: b 1807 Cumberland Co., Ky., moved to Tenn. With her parents. She moved to Ala. with her brothers and m prior to 1841 Joseph McDermott, b Ga. 1804, he was a blacksmith, resided in Marshall Co., Ala. They had:

- 1 Elizabeth C. McDermott: b 1841, died Oct. 1923 unm.
- 2 John F. McDermott: b 1844.
- 3 James L. McDermott: b 1847.

ii Samuel: b 1812 Ky., died Marshall Co., Ala. about 1839, unm.

iii Martha: b 1815 Tenn., died infancy.

iv John: b 1817 Knox Co., Tenn. Moved to Ala. in the late 1830's with his sister and brother. He was living in Marshall Co., Ala. in 1850, was a school teacher, and is said to have died unmarried in the 1870's.

v Elijah: b 1821, 2d wife, died 1823.

vi Rebecca: b 1823, died infancy. vii Thomas Jephtha: b 1825, moved to Hardeman Co., Tenn.

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and in prior to 1849 Amanda , b Tenn. 1829, they moved to Mo. in the 1850's. They had, known:

1 Harriet: b Aug. 1849.

viii Elizabeth: b 1827, m 1840 Robert L. Smith, b Tenn. in 1819, resided Gibson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Martha E. Smith: b 1842.

2 Thomas E. Smith: b 1844.

3 William Smith: b 1848.

ix Cynthia Payne: b Nov. 1830, she m in 1847 David Hisaw, b Tenn. 1821, resided Gibson Co., Tenn. in 1850 moved to Texas. They had, known:

1 David Sampson Hisaw: b 1848.

x Nancy: b 1833, died in Tex. xi Rebecca: b 1835, died small.

xii Peyton Randolph: b 1837 Gibson Co., Tenn. When about 15 years of age he migrated to Cameron Co., Tenn. and worked as a farm laborer for a widow, Elizabeth Bryant, he married her daughter, Louisa Bryant, in 1857 and moved to Ark. where he was drowned in 1859, she returned to mother's home in Tenn. where she m (2) after 1861, name not known. They had:

1 Martha Louisa: b 1858 Ark.

2 Tennessee Rebecca: b Dec. 1859.

xiii Sarah: b 1839, died 1840's.

xiv Martha: b 1841, died in Tex.

xv James William: b 1843, died in Tex.

xvi Artenia: b 1845.

xvii Elijah Randolph: b Sept. 1849.

#### 91 WILLIAM HENRY (7) BILLINGSLEY

(James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in December 1769. He married (1) in April 1789 Malinda, born North Carolina circa 1773. They migrated to Greenville District, South Carolina where they resided to 1795 then moved to East Tennessee and later moved to Roane County. Malinda died in 1802 and he married (2) in 1804 Mary, daughter of William and Ann Freemorton, born North Carolina in 1784. He was a farmer and died in 1819, Mary survived him some years and died in 1837, resided Roane County, Tennessee.

Children :

i James: b 1790 S. C., died in 1811.

ii Malinda: b 1793 S. C., m a Mr. Williams in Tenn. and moved to Mo. in the 1830's.

iii John (8) : b 1795 Tenn.

iv Mary: b 1798, died 1802.

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v Sarah: b 1802 Tenn., m Henry Thompson and moved to Mo.

vi John Henry: b Dec. 1805, died unmarried in Mo., 2d wife.

vii. William Freemorton (8) : . b 18 July 1807.

viii Mary: b 1810, died unmarried.

ix James (8) : b Oct. 1812.

### 92 JOHN BILLINGSLEY

(James 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John. 2, Francis 1.) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1772. He married *circa* 1793 Martha Blair, born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1775, she was a daughter of John and Jean Blair. John Blair dated his will 22 September 1777, died 1778 and will was probated 28 September 1778, names wife, Jean, my four sons, Thomas, John, Andrew, and Jonathan; my two daughters Jean and Martha. They migrated to Cumberland country and located in Logan County, Kentucky. Jonathan Blair and his family and several other families of this vicinity moved at the same time. We are quoting in full an article which has some pertinent facts concerning this particular family and others of this settlement with our comments thereon. See below. They resided in Logan County, Kentucky to 1808-09, were in Davidson County, Tennessee in 1810. They joined a colony migrating to the West and settled at Crystal Hill, Arkansas in 1811. This was at that time Arkansas County, of Missouri Territory and later became Crawford County, Arkansas. John Billingsley was appointed a Justice of the Peace 23 June 1814. This colony was known as "Billingsley Settlement." The County seat was Fort Smith, the Court House was moved later down the river some twenty miles and located at Billingsley Settlement which became known as Crawford Court House. Mention is made of the brethren going to the Billingsley Settlement to preach to the Tennesseans and Kentuckians who made up the community. (*Life and Letters of Frederick Bates, Executive Jour. ii, 281, T. H. Marshall Ed.*) They moved to Cane Hill, Washington County, Arkansas on 14 November 1827 and John Billingsley died that night. Martha survived him many years, moved to Newton County, Missouri in 1836 and in 1844 moved to Texas with her sons settling in Peter's Colony on Waxahachie Creek in Navarro County. This became Ellis County about 1849. From one family record of her descendants she appears to have kept up her church activities in the new country. She was living in Ellis County in 1850, moved to Johnson County in 1854 and died at the home of her son, . Robert M. Billingsley in 1860-61.

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PRESBYTERIAN ADVANCE  
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FAMILIES INTIMATELY CONNECTED WITH THE GREAT REVIVAL OF 1800

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The revival of 1800 was an event of the first magnitude. It began in a Presbyterian church known as "Gasper River" in Logan County, Kentucky in the month of May 1797. From there it spread over the South and West, went North, and its influence was felt all over the world. The Christian people of Logan County entered into a solemn covenant to pray for a "revival of religion in Logan County"; but this looked too narrow and they added "and the whole world." One result of this revival was the organization of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. It is my purpose to write something of the people or families among whom the revival first appeared. Shortly after the Revolutionary War two men, Buchanan and Drake "explored" what was afterward called Logan County, after which an emigrant train was formed at Charleston, South Carolina destined for the Cumberland Country. I give the names of some of these families: Buchanan, Carnahan, Pyeatt (or Pyeatts), Billingsley, White (or Whyte), Marrs, Porter, Preston, Rankin, Drake, Blair. In part these are the ancestors of the people who came to Crystal Hill, Arkansas in 1811 and in 182? settled on Cane Hill in the same state. (Comment by compiler. Some of these families may have started from Charleston, South Carolina. Billingsley, Blair, Marrs, and some of the Pyeatts lived in Guilford County, North Carolina and migrated from that point.)

Many of the above named were living around and near Gasper River when the revival began. Thomas Buchanan was the father of Isaac, John, William, and a daughter, Martha, and the grandfather of Professor A. H. Buchanan of Cumberland University. John Carnahan was my great grand father. He it was who preached the first Protestant sermon in the Arkansas Valley in 1813. Just when these people landed in Logan County I do not know, but the house built by John Carnahan near the church is, or was a few years ago, still standing. His first child was born in that house in 1791. Of the families mentioned, the Carnahans, Pyeatts, Shannons, Billingsleys, Marrs, and Blairs were in various ways related to each other. (Comment by compiler. Billingsley and Blair intermarried before the migration. There were later intermarriages of Billingsley and Shannon but not of any of the other families so far as known.)

Now concerning the revival. My encyclopaedia says: "The work first appeared in a female member of the church in 1797." McDonnold, in the history of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, page 11, after describing the distressing condition of the members of the church, says: "Finally one of these, a lady, found the True Rock and was filled with God's spirit that she could no longer sit silently at home while so

many of her friends were in the prison from which she had just escaped. She immediately visited her neighbors from house to house and awakened among them an interest about their souls." The lady referred to was Mrs. Martha Billingsley, wife of John Billingsley an elder in Gasper River church: Her maiden name was Blair. In her old days she was known among her neighbors and acquaintances as "Aunt Mattie." The story of her conversion is this: She had been in distress about her religious state for some time. One night after retiring and unable to sleep she awoke her husband and said, "John, we are in the church, but all on the road to destruction." A few moments after this she was led to see the light of salvation and at once began to dress, avowing her purpose to go out among her neighbors and awake them to a sense of their danger. Her husband remonstrated with her, that by going out at that unreasonable hour of the night their neighbors would all think her crazy. She replied she had already waited too long. Nothing daunted she, (her husband with her) put in the night going from house to house. She told her neighbors that they were living in the church but in an unconverted state; that religion to be of value must be heartfelt and that converted people should be able to name the time and place of conversion. Not satisfied with what she had done in the way of visiting homes, she went to church and delivered powerful exhortations on heartfelt religion. She was a woman preacher of that day. Many years after this a distinguished Cumberland Presbyterian preacher visited Cane Hill and preached on heartfelt religion. After the services were over Mrs. Anna Maxwell, a daughter of Mrs. Billingsley, approached the minister and said, "Brother, that is my mother's old sermon; I have heard her preach it many a time." When Crystal Hill people moved to Cane Hill in 1827, Mrs. Billingsley and her husband came with the second contingent of settlers. They arrived on the evening of 14 November 1827. That night John Billingsley died and was the first white man to die in Washington County. Mrs. Billingsley, or Aunt Mattie, as she was then called, lived at Cane Hill until about 1840, when she went to Texas, I suppose to Ellis County, beyond which I know nothing of her, but have heard that she lived to the advanced age of 104 years. (Comment by compiler. She was born 1775 and died 1860-61 in, Texas. She moved to Newton County, Missouri with her sons and then to Texas in 1844.)

Among the Huguenots who came to America after the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes were the Pyeatts and Pauls. Jacob Pyeatt married Jean Paul and reared a large family at Guilford Court House, North Carolina. Of these a record of John, born 26 June 1735, has been preserved. He married Jane Blair. They had three sons, Jacob, James, Peter, and a daughter, Martha. Peter lived and died at Charleston, South Carolina. Martha married a White at Charleston, Jacob and James, met and married two sisters, Margaret and Catherine Finley,

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“lately come from Ireland.” The Carnahans; Shannons, Billingsleys, and Whites were from North Ireland. The Pyeatts, Pauls, Blairs, and Mans were from France. These people were all neighbors, acquaintances, and kin folks where the records and traditions begin, and they followed the same lines of migration.(Comment by compiler. It can be emphatically stated that the Billingsley family was not from the North of Ireland. It is believed the major portion of the intermarriages took place either in Kentucky or else later in Arkansas.)

Whatever part others may have had in the revival of 1800, I have given the names of the families who first felt its coming power. The descendants of these people are now widely scattered over the South and West.

Children:

i Martha: b 1795 Ky., died childhood.

ii James (8) : b 1797-98.

iii Samuel (8) : b 1799.

iv Ann Rea (8) : b 1800.

v Virginia (8) : b 1803.

vi Rachel (8) : b 1805.

vii John Rankin (8) : b 11 May 1807 Ky.

viii William C. (8) : b 3 Oct. 1810 Davidson Co., Tenn.

ix Jonathan Blair (8) : b 1816.

x Robert Montgomery (8): b 20 May 1819.

### 93 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Guilford County, North Carolina in 1775. He married in February 1799, Mary, born North Carolina in 1781. They removed to Logan County, Kentucky with other members of the family prior to 1802. They then moved to Smith County, Tennessee prior to 1804 and then moved to Warren County, Kentucky prior to 1809 where they resided to about 1818 then moved to Rutherford County, Tennessee where he engaged in farming and died in 1829, Mary survived him some years and died in 1843-44 at the home of her son, Thomas, in Fayette County, Alabama.

Children:

i John: b Nov. 1799 Guilford Co., N. C., moved to Ky. and Tenn. with his parents. He m prior to 1822 Maria Thompson, b Ky. in 1801, resided in Rutherford Co., Tenn., where he died in 1839, she m (2) James Fowler and moved to Miss. They had:

1 John: b 1822 Tenn. Migrated to Ark. about 1840 and m prior to 1845 Mary C., daughter of George Tracy, b Tenn. 1822. They moved to Miller Co., Mo., where

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he died in 1848, she m (2) prior to 1852 William Swanson, b Va. 1812, resided Miller Co., Mo. in 1860. They had:

a Martha M.: b 1845 Ark. Twins

b Matilda J.: b 1845 Ark.

c George Tracy: b 1847 Mo.,

d George B. Swanson: b 1852, 2d marriage.

e Nancy L. Swanson: b 1855.

f William F. Swanson: b 1856. g Susan J. Swanson: b 1858.

2 Maria: b 1825, m Ross Collins in Miss. moved to Tex., no record of her children.

3 Mary: b 1827, died unmarried in Miss.

4 Eliza Jane: b 1829, m James Robbins in Miss. They had:

a Eliza Jane Robbins: b 18-, died act. 17 years.

5 Sarah Ann: b 1832-33 Tenn., m Thomas Rains in Miss., moved to Tex., said to have left several children of whom no record.

ii Mary: b Oct. 1800 Guilford Co., N. C., moved to Ky. and Tern. with her parents. She m prior to 1818 Robert Holmes, b N. C. in 1794. He was a son of John Holmes b N. C. 177- and his wife , b N. C. ca 1778, who came to Tenn. and settled in Carroll Co. about 1826-27, both were living in 1830. They were also the parents of: Thomas, b 1796, see No. 72 and No. 93; John G., b 1800; William H., b 1804, d Marshall Co., Miss. unmarried; Joseph, b 180?, resided Carroll Co., Tenn.; Henry W., b 1810, resided Marshall Co., Miss.; Humphrey, b 1819, resided Marshall Co., Miss.; and James S., b 1821, m Sarah Jane Billingsley, resided Marshall Co., Miss., see No. 321; there were several daughters of whom no record. Robert lived in Humphreys Co., Tenn. in 1820, this portion became Carroll Co., about 1822 where they were residing in 1830, he died in the early 1830's and she m (2) about 1837 Elijah Smith, b N. C. 1793, his 2d wife, he had 3 children living at the time of this marriage. They moved to Marshall Co., Miss., and both were living in 1850. She is said to have lived to a very advanced age. They had, both families.

1 Robert Holiness b 1818, died infancy.

2 John Holmes: b 1819, died 1820's.

3 James Holmes: b 1820. Is said to have m and lived in Tenn. where he died sine prole.

4. Mary Holmes: b 1822, died 1830's.

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5 Thomas Holmes: b 1824 Carroll Co., Tenn. Moved to Marshall Co., Miss. where he m (1) prior to 1850 Mary E. b Tenn. 1833, she died about 1854-58 and he m (2) Julia, b 1837 in Tenn., resided Marshall Co., Miss. in 1850, then moved to Lafayette Co. where he died about 1874-75. She was living in 1880. They had:

- a John Holmes: b 1854, 1<sup>st</sup> wife.
- b James Robert Holmes: b 1859, 2d wife.
- c W. D. Holmes: b 1861, living in 1870.
- d Whitfield D. Holmes: b 1863.
- e Mary S. Holmes: b 1866.
- f Martha J. Holmes: b 1869.
- g Minnie Holmes: b 1873.

6 Jane S. Holmes: b 1826 Carroll Co., Tenn., moved to Marshall Co., Miss. with her mother and step father and m prior to 1844 John B. Calicotte, b. Tenn. 1821, resided Lafayette Co., Miss., both living in 1880. They had, known:

- a William Paschal Calicotte: b 1844, m Eliza W. b Miss. 1850. He died 17 Aug. 1931. They had, known:
  - a1 Willie Calicotte: b 1874.
  - a2 John W. Calicotte: b Jan. 1880.
  - a3 Daughter: b 188-, m J. F. Brewer.
  - a4 C.W. Calicotte: b 188-.

b James Calicotte: b 1849.

c Thomas J. Calicotte: b 1851, m prior to 1874 Mary E., b Miss. 1851. They had:

- c1 John Henry Calicotte: b 1874.
- c2 William T. Calicotte: b 1875.
- c3 Ada B. Calicotte: b 1878.

d Mary J. Calicotte: b 1855.

e Claiborne C. Calicotte: b 1860.

f M. Joanna Calicotte: b 1867.

6 Elizabeth Smith: b 1832, his 1<sup>st</sup> wife.

7 David Smith: b 1834.

8 Henry H. Smith: b 1836.

9 Samuel M. Smith: b 1838 Miss., 2d marriage.

10 Mary A. Smith: b 1841 Miss.

iii Rebecca: b 8 Jan. 1802 Logan Co., Ky., moved to Smith Co., Tenn., Warren Co., Ky., and Rutherford Co., Tenn. with her parents. She m prior to 1833 Thomas Holmes, b N. C. 1796, his 2d wife. His 1<sup>st</sup> wife was Elizabeth Billingsley, b S. C. 1796, a daughter of James Billingsley, No. 72, which see for her five. children, Elizabeth died is



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Humphreys Co., Tenn. in 1831 and he m (2) as stated above. Resided Carroll Co., Tenn. where he engaged in farming and died about 1854-55, she survived him and died in the late 1860's. They had:

- 1 Rebecca Holmes: b 1833, d or m before 1870.
- 2 Alfred Claud Holmes: b 1835. Was living in 1870.
- 3 Thomas Holmes: b 1838, moved to Miss. in 1860's.
- 4 James F. Holmes: b 1840, moved to Miss.
- 5 John R. Holmes: b 1842.
- 6 Paralee Holmes: b 1845. Was living 1870, unmarried.

iv Thomas (8) : b 13 Mar. 1804.

v James: b 1808 Warren Co., Ky., moved to Tenn. with his parents and then moved to Miss. where he lived for some years, he then migrated to Ark. and settled in Sevier Co. about 1856 where he m prior to 1860 Jerusha , b Ark. 1843, they moved to Little River Co. Ark. where they resided in 1870. He died in the early 1870's and she moved to Mo. with her daughter. They had:

- 1 Martha Jerusha: b 1865 Ark., m William Phillips and moved to Mo. No record of her children.

vi Samuel: b 1811, died childhood.

vii Ann: b 1813 Ky., m about 1832 in Tenn. Henry Middleton, said to have left some descendants.

viii Elizabeth: b 1815 Ky., died small.

ix Jesse (8): b 1819 Tenn.

#### 94 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis i.)* Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1779. He married about 1800 Barbara Hamer, born Guilford County, North- Carolina, December 1785, daughter of William Hamer and Martha Billingsley, 1<sup>st</sup> cousins. They migrated to the Cumberland country and located in Logan County, Kentucky, his parents and some brothers migrated the same time. Resided there to about 1809 then moved to Tennessee and located in either Montgomery or Davidson County where they resided a few years. They then started for Arkansas passing thru Mississippi where they resided a short time and arrived in Crawford County, Arkansas some time prior to 1817 and were still residing in this County in 1821. He was named one of the Commission of three appointed 24 October 1821 to fix on a proper place for seat of Justice for Pulaski County, i.e., James Billingsley, Crawford County, Samuel C. Roans, Clark County, and Robert Bean, Independence County. They moved to Washington County prior to 1830 and were still living in this County in 1850, Barbara died about 1853 and he broke up his home about 185? and went to live with his son, Burrow, in Mount Pleasant township in this County. About 1862 he moved to

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Texas and lived. with-his son, Christopher, in Johnson County where he is said to have died about 1866 and is buried-in the family plot on the plantation, grave unmarked.

In a privately printed record of the-family about 1928 a copy of which-was furnished for our information the compilers list the wife of James Billingsley, Elizabeth, they also list as children, Elizabeth who married James Hopkins; Lucy married a Moss and lived in Arkansas; Dorcas who married a Cox; Susan who married a McIntire; Jonathan who came to Texas settled in Red River Co. and was killed there by a horse; Christopher came to Texas from Missouri; Burr died near McGregor, Texas; Henry preempted land in Bosque County before its formation, never married. This record of James Billingsley as they had it has taken a considerable amount of research and correspondence to untangle. The daughter they list as Dorcas who married a Cox has been proven to have been a BROWN and a sister to the wife of Christopher Billingsley; the one they list as Susan has proven to have been a BROWN and a cousin to the wife of Christopher Billingsley, she married a Mr. Tyre. There was no son named Jonathan, etc. It is evident that the record of James and his wife and children as they had it is pure TRADITION. The record of Christopher Billingsley and his children is to be noted under No. 237.

Children:

i John (8) : b Jan. 1802 Ky.

ii Burton (8) : b 1804 Ky.

iii Barbara: b 180-, died small.

iv Christopher (8): b 12 Mar. 1810 Tenn.

v Rebecca: b 1813 Tenn., moved to Ark. with her parents and m prior to 1840 James E. Hopkins, b Ky. 1807. So far as known, no relation to the Hopkins family herein recorded, see No. 61. They moved to Texas and resided in Hopkins Co., to about 1861 then moved to West Texas. They had, known:

1 Nancy Ann Hopkins: b 1840 Ark.

2 Mary C. Hopkins: b 1842 Tex.

3 Isabella Hopkins: b 1845.

4 James E. Hopkins, Jr.: b 1853.

vi Elizabeth: b 1815 Tenn., died unmarried about 1862 in Washington Co., Ark.

vii Oliver (8) : b 1817 Ark.

viii Henry: b 1819 Crawford Co., Ark. He moved to Texas in the 1840's and enlisted 1 Sept. 1847, as Pvt. E 1<sup>st</sup> Tex. Cav. for the Mexican War, age stated as 28 years, he joined his Regt. at Comargo, Mexico in Dec. 1847; present f Feb. 1848; and discharged 1 May 1848 near Vera Cruz, Mex. This is the last definite record of him. It is stated by the family of Edminton Billingsley that Henry visited

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his brother; Christopher,- and-that said Henry was present in the home of Edminston Billingsley the day his son, Henry D., was born, 16 July 1864, and that said child was named for his uncle Henry. There does not appear to be any definite information as to his death or to the locality, tho it is probable said death occurred after 1864 and most likely some place in Texas. The family claim he preempted a large tract of land in Bosque Co., Tex. This claim cannot be substantiated. Land Office records do not show that any one by name of Henry Billingsley was granted land at any time, they do show, however, that one HENRY BILLINGS was given Bounty Warrant No. 2387 issued by Secretary of War, 28 Dec. 1837, a tract of

1920 acres on a line of Bosque and Somerville counties, originally McLennan, for 8 months service in the Army of Texas, he having been killed. This tract was patented to the heirs of said Henry Billings, 8 Nov. 1852. There was some litigation concerning the division of said land. Never married.

ix Susanna: b 1821 Ark., m prior to 1850 George B. Atchison, b Va. 1820, she died in the 1870's in Kan. No children.

x Burrow (8) : b 1824 Ark.

xi Rosanna: b 1826 Ark., m prior to 1844 Levi West, b Ark. 1823, resided Washington Co.' Ark. to about 1867 then moved to Kansas where she is said to have died about 1883. They had, known:

- 1 James West: b July 1845.
- 2 William West: b 1847.
- 3 Josephus C. West: b 1849.
- 4 Abram West: b 1854.
- 5 Susanna West: b 1856.
- 6 Mary West: b 1858.

xii Lieuary: b 1828 Ark. She m prior to 1845 James C. Moss, b Ky. 1820, resided Crawford Co., Ark. where he engaged in farming and died about 1855, she was living in said county in 1860 and removed from this county before 1870. She was still living in the late 1870's and visited her brother, Christopher, in Sebastian Co., Ark., prior to his removal to Washington Territory. They had, known:

- 1 Lieuary Moss: b 1845 Ark
- 2 M. Moss: b 1849 Ark: He m after 1870 Minerva. Spent a few years in Johnson Co., Tex. then returned to Ark. He was called "Med" Moss. They had:
  - a Obe Moss.
  - b Lula Moss.

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c Infant: was. living ca 1878.

3 Sarah E. Moss: b 1851 Ark.

4 Albert Moss: b 1854 Ark.

### 95 JESSE (7) BILLINGSLEY'

(*John 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina 22 February 1774, moved to Rutherford County, North Carolina with his parents prior to 1776 and to Tennessee with them in 1794. He married prior to 1798 Elizabeth Park, born North Carolina 9 November 1773. They moved to middle Tennessee and resided in Roane County a few years then moved to Jackson County. He died 28 July 1821 and is stated to have been killed when his four horse team ran away and endeavored to cross a swollen stream. Elizabeth survived him many years and resided with her sons in Kentucky where she died 3 July 1854.

Children

i William Park (8): b 9 July 1798.

ii John T.: b 1? Nov. 1800, died unmarried after 1850 in Warren Co., Ky. He was a miller.

iii Patience C.: b 10 Mar. 1802.

iv Jesse D. (8) : b 25 Jan. 1804.

v Reuben Milsap (8) : b 5 Jan. 1806.

vi Benjamin S.: b 17 Dec. 1808. He m prior to 1835 Jane b N. C. in 1815, resided Washington Co., Tenn. for some years then moved to Clinton Co., Ky. in 1844, he was a blacksmith, both were living in 1850. They had:

1 Sarah: b 1835 Tenn.

2 John W.: b 7 Jan. 1837 Tenn. He m 2 May 1856 Elizabeth Jane Birge, b Sulphur Lick, Ky. 14 Jan. 1840. They settled in Monroe Co., Ky. where he was a blacksmith. He enlisted 24 Sept. 1861, Pvt. E, 9<sup>th</sup> Ky. Inf., U. S.; on Dec. 1862 he was absent, sick in Monroe Co., Ky.; Apr. 1863,, present; detailed 25 Apr. 1864 as Nurse, Field Hospital, and died 21 Sept. 1864 at Atlanta, Ga. of fever. He was six feet and one inch in height, blue eyes, and dark hair. His widow survived him many years, she was pensioned for his service and resided Sulphur Lick, Ky. where she died 6 July 1920. They had:

a Benjamin F.: b 19 Feb. 1857.

b Rebecca Jane: b 10 Nov. 1858.

c Jesse D.: b 19 Dec. 1860.

d Sarah Susan E.: b 23 Dec. 1863.

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- 3 Elizabeth: b 1840.
- 4 Lucinda: b 1841.
- 5 Calget (?): b 1843.
- 6 Martha: b 1845 Ky.
- 7 Mary: b 1849.

### 96 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Rutherford County, North Carolina August 1778, moved to Onslow County, North Carolina and to Tennessee with his parents . He married prior to 1799 Rebecca Hale, born Virginia in 17 79 , said to be a sister to Ruth Hale and Alexander Hale. Resided in Washington County then moved to Roane County where they resided for some years then moved to Monroe County, Kentucky where Rebecca died about 1859. He was living in 1864 but died before 1870. He was a farmer and is said to have been a Mason. The house and farm he founded in Roane County passed to his son, John H., and has come down thru his sons and remains in the family today.

Children:

i Nancy: b 1799 Tenn., m prior to 1829 John Arterburn, b N. C. 1799, resided Roane Co., Tenn. to 1836 then moved to Monroe Co., Ky. where he engaged in farming. Both were living in 1850. They had, known:

- 1 Sarah Arterburn: b 1829.
- 2 Nancy Arterburn : b 1831.
- 3 John Arterburn: b 1833.
- 4 George Arterburn: b 1835.
- 5 Malinda Arterburn: b 1838 Ky.
- 6 Elbert Arterburn: b 1842.

ii John H. (8) : b 1801 Tenn.

iii George Hale (8) : b 1803.

iv James (8) : b Dec. 1804.

v Jane: b 1808 Tenn., m James Cunningham and moved to Miller Co., Mo. No record of their family.

vi Mary S.: h 1810 Tenn., m prior to 1832 James Cox, resided in Roane Co., Tenn., she was a widow in 1870. They had, known:

1 James Cox: b 1832, m 1856 Susan, b Tenn. in 1840; resided Roane Co., Tenn. .They. had, known:

- a Sarah Cox: b 1858.
- b Nancy Cox: b 1863.
- c Andrew Cox: b 1866.

2 Martin Cox: . b 1837, m 1860 Fannie, b Tenn. in 1845, resided Roane Co., Tenn. They had, known:

- a William L. Cox: b 1861.

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b Samuel Cox: b 1863.

c Thomas Cox: b 1867.

d Robert Cox: b 1869.

3 Catherine Cox: b 1846.

vii Elizabeth Dolantha: b 1812 Tenn., was called "Dolly" m 1831 John Lee, b Tenn. 1807, resided in Tenn. where he was a farmer and died about 1857, she survived him moved to Ill. and resided with her daughter, Elizabeth D., she was living in 1870. They had:

1 Virginia Lee: b 1832 Tenn., m 1854 John B. Moreton, b Tenn. 1832, moved to Washington Co., Ill. about 1863, both living in 1870. They had: a Martha Moreton: b 1856 Tenn. b George Moreton: b 1859. c William Moreton: b 1862. d Mary Moreton: b 1866 Ill. e Artilia Moreton: b Mar. 1870.

2 Elizabeth Dolantha Lee: b Feb. 1836 Tenn., m prior to 1858 Israel H. Offill, b Ky. 1836, he was a carpenter, moved to Washington Co., Ill. and both living in 1870. They had

a Walter H. Offill: b 1858 Ill.

b Martha Offill: b 1860.

c Joseph N. Offill: b 1862.

d Hettie A. Offill: b 1865.

e Frances Offill: b 1868.

3 John Lee: b 1839, died aet. 16 years.

4 Rebecca H. Lee: b Dec. 1841, died 1852.

viii Sarah: b 1817, m after 1850 Gerald Bowman and resided Monroe Co., Ky. She left him after several years and went to Roane Co., Tenn. where she died in the 1860's. Only child of record is:

1 Susan Bowman: b 1856. Was living with her uncle, John H. Billingsley in 1870.

ix Rebecca: b 1819, m prior to 1839 James Payne, b Tenn. 1813, resided Monroe Co., Ky. They had:

1 Elizabeth Payne: b 1839.

2 Daniel Payne: b 1841.

3 William Payne: b 1844.

4 Catherine Payne: b 1847.

5 Isabella Payne: b 23 Apr. 1849, m 1876 George W. Billingsley, No. 483, which see.

x Samuel: b June 1820, died 1823.

xi Lucinda Ruth: b Feb. 1812 Tenn., moved to Ky. with her parents and to Perry Co., Ill. with her brother, James,

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and m prior to 1861 James Kenney, b Ill. 1838, he was a farmer, resided Perry Co., Ill. They had:

1 Melissa Kenney: b 1861.

2 Mary C. Kenney: b 1865.

## 97 THOMAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3; John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Onslow County, North Carolina in 1781 moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee with his parents 1794-95 and to Washington County, Tennessee in 1796. He married (1) February 1801 Rebecca Crawford, born North Carolina in 178-. They moved to Giles County, Tennessee where Rebecca died about 1825. He married (2) prior to 1830 Ruth , born 18-. They migrated to Mississippi in or about 1835 and then moved to Arkansas in 1840-41 and located in Sevier County where Ruth died in 1844-45. He was a farmer and was living in 1852 at which date his brother, Samuel, visited him, he died some time before 1860.

Children:

i Edward Nathaniel (8) : b 8 Dec. 1801.

ii Samuel: b 1803, died 1833 Tenn.

iii John Crawford (8) : b 7 Oct. 1807 Tenn.

iv Rebecca: b 16 Dec. 1809, m Alfred C. Billingsley, No. 251, which see.

v Isabella: b 1810, was called "Ibbie," she m (1) Jesse Parker, son of Jesse Parker and Mary Billingsley, 1<sup>st</sup> cousins, resided for a time in IZARD Co., Ark., then moved to Sevier Co., Ark. where Parker died and she m (2), she died in Sevier Co., Ark., said to have left four children.

vi James: b Nov. 1811 Tenn., died 1822.

vii Jane: b 1812 Tenn., she m in 1830 Giles Co., Tenn., Wyatt Anderson, b Ky. 1803, moved to Sevier Co., Ark., both living in 1850. They had, known:

1 Joshua Anderson: b 1831.

2 James Anderson: b 1833.

3 William Anderson: b 1835.

4 Mary Jane Anderson: b 1837.

5 Louisiana Anderson: b 1839.

6 Jackson Anderson: b 1841.

7 Thomas Anderson: b 1843.

8 Joseph Anderson: -b 1847.

viii Thomas: b 1814 Tenn. Moved to Miss. and Ark. with his parents. He was living in 1850 Sevier Co., Ark. and listed as a school teacher. No subsequent record.

ix Martha Jane: b 1816 Tenn., moved to Miss. with her parents and m there prior to 1840 John W: Quinn, b Tenn.

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1818, they moved to Sevier Co., Ark. about 1847, he was a farmer and blacksmith, both living in 1860. They had:

1 Mary A. Quinn: b 1842 Miss.

2 Sarah E. Quinn: b 1845 Miss.

4 Nathaniel Quinn: b 1850.

6 William Quinn: b 1855.

7 Susan Quinn: b 1859.

x Nathaniel: b 1819 Tenn., moved to Miss. with his parents and m there (1), she died 1846 Miss. He moved to Sevier Co., Ark. and was living with his father in 1850. He m (2) prior to 1860 Dicy Walker, a widow, b 1830 in N. C., she had 2 children at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer and resided Sevier Co., Ark. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Canzada: b 1846 Miss.

2 William Walker: b 1848 Ark. Step son.

3 Elizabeth Walker: b 1851 Ark. Step daughter.

xi James: b 1822 Tenn., died small.

xii Margaret: b 1825 Tenn., died small.

xiii Ruth: b 1830 Giles Co., Tenn., 2d wife. Moved to Miss. and Ark. with her parents, she m about 1856 John Philips, he died in 1859, she was living in 1870 in Little River Co., Ark. They had:

1 Thomas Philips: b 1858 Ark.

xiv Mary: b 1833 Tenn., died infancy.

xv William: b 1835 Miss., died set. 6 years.

xvi Columbus: b 1838 Miss. Was living in 1850 in Ark. He returned to Miss. about 1861 and enlisted 25 Feb. 1862 at Oxford as Pvt. F, 19<sup>th</sup> Miss. Inf., C. S. A.; sick in hospital 18 May 1862 at Richmond, Va. With Rubeloa; sent to Hospital at Lynchburg, Va. 24 July 1862; died 7 October 1862 in hospital.

#### 98 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Onslow County, North Carolina 7 March 1786, moved to Tennessee with his .parents :1794-5 He -moved to middle Tennessee, Knox or Jackson County, where he married (1) 10 September 1807 Mary Campbell Doak, born 9 June 1787 and whose home was in Sumner County, Tennessee. They moved to Simpson County, Kentucky where he was granted 22 acres of land 22 September 1824. (*Land Rec. Q,46.*) They then moved to Warren County, Kentucky before 1830. About 1831 he went to Cumberland County, Kentucky and brought his parents to his home. He



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was granted 25-acres of land in Warren County 8 June 1840. (*Land Rec.* 7-308.) Mary died 21 November 1828 in Simpson County and he married (2) 13 February 1831 Elizabeth Goodnight; born 15 November 1795. She died 20 November 1840, and he died 12 September 1844. He was a farmer and the family Baptists.

##### Children

i Daughter: b 25 July 1808, died same day.

ii Alexander Doak (8) : b 26 July 1809.

iii Louisa Jane: b 23 Jan. 1812 Tenn. She m (1) 2 Dec. 1830. Henry Goodnight, b 16 Feb. 1800. He died 8 Sept. 1834 and she m at the time of this 2d marriage. Louisa Jane died 4 Nov. 1867 at Woodburn, Ky. They had:

1 Lemuel Blackburn: 1<sup>st</sup> wife.

2 Emily Blackburn.

3 Robert Bruce Blackburn.

4 James Paris Goodnight: b 21 Nov. 1831, her 1<sup>st</sup> husband, m 1854 Mary Ann Hill, of Franklin, Ky., moved to Dallas, Tex. He served in C. S. Army and was later elected to some county office, family Cumberland Presbyterians, she died, he survived her a short time, raised a large family, all married and doing well in 1909. A daughter, Fanny, m a Mr. Ligon, she died at Red Oak, Tex. about 1910.

5 Mary Elizabeth Goodnight: b 4 Aug. 1834, m John H. Collins, of Scottsville, Ky., resided Bowling Green, Ky., she died 31 Aug. 1910 and buried at Scottsville, Ky. They had:

a Daughter: b 18-, died aet. ca 20 years.

b William Henry Collins: b 18-, m and had considerable family, resided Bowling Green, Ky.

6 John Billingsley Blackburn: b 1839, 2d marriage, m a Miss Mason. Residence not stated, left children.

7 Cynthia Blackburn: b 184-, m a Mr. Wrenn, resided Warren Co., Ky., both deceased some years prior to 1910. They had

a Bula Jane Wrenn: b 18-. Living 1910.

b Daughter: b 18-, m moved to Miss.

8 Henry Mitchell Blackburn: b 184-, m (1) a Miss Dupley, she died and he m (2) Mary Bell Robinson, he was living in 1910, resided Woodburn, Ky. They had:

a James W. Blackburn: b 18-, a dentist.

b John H. Blackburn: b 18-, was a physician.

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9 William Loving Blackburn: b 18-, died aet. 21 or 22 years.

10 Finis Blackburn: b 18-, died childhood.

iv Lucinda: b 25 Feb. 1814, m 26 Jan. 1832 Isaac Goodnight, b 20 Mar. 1802, she died 30 July 1877, Ky., no data on his death. They had:

1 John Jackson Goodnight: b ca 1834, m a Miss Reader, resided Simpson Co., Ky., moved to Texas 1867-70, was living in 1910, has several children.

2 Jacob Henry Goodnight: b 183-, m a Miss Guy, resided Allen and Simpson Cos., Ky. He lost his mind during the Civil War and was sent to asylum several times, he died at Hopkinsville, Ky. His widow was living in 1910. Had one daughter who m , resided Franklin, Ky.

3 Mary Helen Goodnight: b 183-, m William Linely, a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, moved to Ark., where both died, left two daughters.

4 Thomas Mitchell Goodnight: b 184-, served in C. S. Army, wounded, captured, and returned home on parole; he was m twice, preached, took lively interest in education, and some in politics, was deceased in 1910. No record of children.

5 Alexander Goodnight: b 184-, died aet. ca 15 years.

6 James Lincoln Goodnight: b 184-, was a Cumberland Presbyterian preacher, educator, was married twice, went to Germany to finish his education; lived in Pa. sometime, then to Ill. where he went into newspaper business, was living in 1910 at Lincoln, Ill. No record of children.

7 Isaac Hershell Goodnight: b 31 Jan. 1849. Was a lawyer, m a Miss Hay, of Franklin, Ky., represented Simpson Co., Ky. in legislature, elected to Congress, 1889-1895. District Judge, 1897. He died in Franklin, Ky., 24 July 1901, his widow was living in 1906.

8 Elizabeth Goodnight: b '18-, m died

v Malinda: b 24 Feb. 1816, m 3 Oct. 1837 William Gee, they lived in Barren Co., Ky., then moved to Simpson Co., Ky. in 1852 and later to Perry Co., Ill. where he died, she died 12 Aug. 1894: Several children died infancy. They had:

1 John Alexander Gee: b 1838, m a Miss Jones, she was deceased 1910, he was living, resided Perry Co., Ill. They had:

a Ally Gee: b 18-. Living 1910 (insane).

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b Neva Gee: b 18-.

c Maggie Gee: b 18-, m Charles Winthrop.

2 Isaac Goodnight Gee: b 184-, a physician, m Elzina Fitzgerald, resided Mt. Vernon, Ill. in 1910, 4 or 5 children.

3 Harl Gee: b 184-, a physician, m , resided Mt. Vernon, Ill. in 1910.

4 Knox Gee: b 18-, was a banker at Waltonville, Ill., 1810.

5 William Sanford Gee: b 18-, a Baptist minister, m Emma Covington, of Simpson Co., Ky. Quoting J. M.

Billingsley: "Gee has moved much, lived in Ill., Kan., Neb., Idaho, etc., and now (1910) pastor of Baptist church at Tarkio, Mo. A man of much incessant labor and a good man. They had:

a Estelle Gee: b 18-, died unmarried.

b Paul Gee: b 18-.. Living 1910.

6 McCreary Duval Gee: b 18-, m a Miss Hill, of Franklin Co., Ill., she died and he m (2) , moved to Neb., Kan., Mo., and Okla. Had a large family, address unknown 1910.

7 Henry Mitchell Gee: b 18-, grew to manhood, went west, laid out a claim and died.

vi Margaret Minerva: b 21 Mar. 1818, m 1847 Thomas P. Harrison. No mention of deaths or residence. They had:

1 Isham Harrison: b 18-, was twice married, he went to Calif. in fall of 1909 for his health and died in a few days leaving a widow in Tenn. or Ala.

2 Dora Harrison: b 18-, m Larkin King, resided Blue Island, Ill. in 1910, had 2 or more children.

vii Nancy Matilda: b 26 Jan. 1821, m 10 Jan. 1839 Hoses H. Strait, moved to Perry Co., Ill. in 1842, he died 25 Mar. 1856, not stated when she died, family Baptists. He served as County Judge. They had:

1 Charlotte Strait: b 1841, died 1847.

2 John David Strait: b 184-, m July Harris. They had:

a Margaret Strait: b 18-, m a Mr. Rushing, resided Pinkneyville, Ill. in 1910.

b Daughter: b 18-, m a Mr. Willoughby, moved to New York, had large family,. she was deceased 1910.

3 James Strait: b 18-, died small.

4 Anna Strait: b 18-, m, moved to Miss., she was deceased 1910, had 2 children.

5 Carlie Strait: b 18-, m Dr. Paten, resided Pinkneyville, Ill. in 1910

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- 6 Gertrude Strait: b 18-, m a Mr. Griffin, resided DuQuoin, Ill., had children.
- 7 Hosea H. Strait, Jr.: b 18-, m resided St. Louis, Mo. in 1910.
- 8 Harry Strait: b 18-, resided St. Louis, Mo. 1910.
- 9 Margaret Strait: b 18-, m Marion League, was living 1910 at Du Quoin, Ill., had 1 child who d infancy.
- 10 Eliza Strait: b 18-, m J. Carroll Harris, his 2d wife; his 1<sup>st</sup> wife was a daughter of Isabelle B. Thornton, which see below.
- He was a Baptist minister. They had, known:
- a Walter H. Harris: b 18-, m had a family, was a Baptist minister.
  - b Grace Harris: b 18-, m Olla King, resided Blue Island, Ill. in 1910.
  - c Earl Harris: b 18-.
  - d Judson Harris: b 18-.
  - e Mary Thompson Harris: b 18-, m Marion Marlow. They had:
    - e1 Dwight Marlow.
    - e2 Myrtle Marlow: m Hamm Whitsett, a Baptist minister, they had: Grace, Lula, and Mary.
- viii Isabelle Tabitha Ruth: b 26 Mar. 1823, m 27 Oct. 1842, William Thornton. He died 1865-68, and she died June 1869, residence not stated, several children died infancy. They had:
- 1 Margaret Velery Thornton: b 1844, m Rev. J. Carroll Harris, she died and he m (2) Eliza Strait. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:
- a Viola Harris: m Aaron King.
  - b Clarence W. Harris.
- 2 Orson Roland Thornton: b 1845, died in Civil War.
- 3 Joseph Hosea Thornton: b 18-, a Baptist minister, m Hattie Meade, had children.
- 4 Mary Thornton: b 18-, m William Grobert, she was deceased 1910, left children.
- 5 Robert Thornton: b 18-, m Miss Hemplemann, resided St. Louis, Mo. in 1910.
- 6 William Carroll Thornton: b 18--, m was living 1910, has some children.
- ix John Mitchell (8) : b 17 Sept. 1825.
- x Mary Velery Canzada: b 31 Dec. 1827, m Feb. 1847, Joseph Hinton, no data on deaths or residence. They had:
- 1 William Briggs Hinton: b 184-, m had considerable family.

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2 John Henry Hinton: b 185-, m was a clerk in Interior Dept., Washington, D. C. in 1910.

3 Judson Hinton: b 18-, m (1) a Mr. Ellis, he died and she m (2) Benjamin Covington, resided Warren Co., Ky. No children.

4 Isaac Willis Hinton: b 18-, m Rose Goodman, had 5 children.

5 Finis M. Hinton: b 18-, m a daughter of Boony Horn and Betsy Harris, had 2 children, Mary Ellen and James Burnice.

6 Eugene Doak Hinton: b 18-, m a Miss Willoughby, several children.

xi Thomas Henry Harris (8) b 13 Apr. 1832, 2d wife.

DOAK-GOODNIGHT EXCURSUS

Alexander Doak was born 18 July 1763, is stated to have come to Tennessee from either Virginia or the Carolinas. The following data is compiled from the record of John M. Billingsley. It has not been incorporated as he wrote it for the reason the original is much mixed and would be difficult for the average person to assemble. We are inclined to the opinion that Doak was from North Carolina as well as his wife. He married prior to 1785 Margaret Hannah, born 20 March 1762, reside in Sumner County, Tennessee for some time then moved to Kentucky where he died 20 December 1820, Margaret moved to Johnson or Fayette County, Missouri, with her children in the 1830's where she died 24 August, 1840.

Children:

i John Doak: b ca 1785, m 18-, Clara Harrington, he died in 18-, and she m (2) William Kirby. They had:

1 Alexander Doak: named for grandfather Doak.

2 Merrick Doak: named for his grandfather Hannah.

3 Nancy Kirby.

4 Hanery Kirby.

5 Sophia Kirby.

6 Effie Kirby.

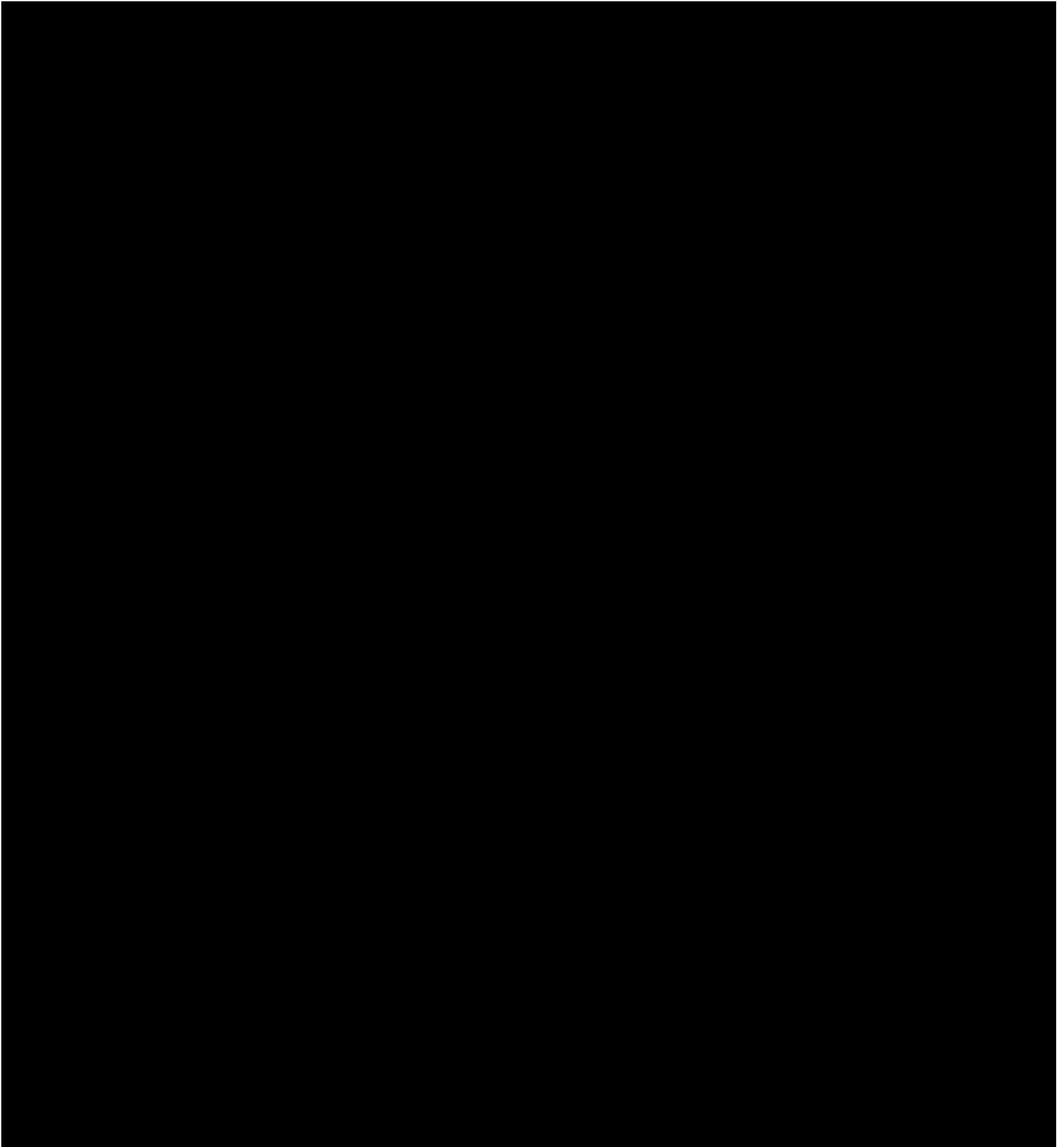
7 John Kiiby.

ii Mary Campbell Doak: b 9 June 1787, m John Billingsley, No. 98, which see.

iii Lucinda Doak: b 178-, m a Mr. Harris, moved to Mo., they had some family.

iv William Doak: b 179-, m Elizabeth Alcock. He is said to have served in War of 1812, wounded slightly at battle of New Orleans,. moved to Mo. in 1830's, had several children.

v Martha Doak: b 179-, called Patty, m a Mr. Hunt, moved



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to Mo. in 1830's, they had a son John Hunt who returned to Ky. and sold some land, etc.

vi Isabelle Doak: b 18-, called Ibbie, m Zachariah Barnett. They moved to- Mo. some time after the others and then moved to Calif.; had a daughter who m a Claypool in Calif.

vii Alexander Aiken Doak: b 22 Aug. 1805, In 22 July, 1828, Mary Ann Campbell, b 8 Sept. 1812; moved to Mo. In 1830's. He died 2 Feb. 1879 and she died 18 Aug. 1884, residence not stated. They had:

1 William J. Doak: b 2 Dec. 1829, m he died 8 Mar. 1863, had 2 sons and 2 daughters only one living in 1910 was William W. Doak, who resided near Warrensburg, Mo.

2 Nicholas F. Doak: b 19 Jan. 1832; died 14 Feb. 1863.

3 John A. Doak: b 26 Jan. 1834, was living in 1910.

4 Mary W. Doak: b 14 May 1836, died 27 Aug. 1839.

5 Margaret Ann Doak: b 2 Nov. 1838, died 20 Aug. 1839.

6 Notley H. Doak: b 20 July 1840, died 10 Aug. 1861.

7 Samuel W. Doak: b 8 Oct. 1843, died 2 Mar. 1863.

8 Sarah Jane Doak: b 6 May 1846, m a Mr. Baker; she was living in 1910 and furnished the data on the family of Alexander A. Doak, residence not stated.

9 Garland B. Doak: b 1 Oct. 1848, died 13 Aug. 1851.

10 James D. Doak: b 7 Apr. 1853, died 1876.

11 Mary F. Doak: b 18 Sept. 1857, died 1857. Jacob Goodnight was born 17-, not stated where; he married 15 March 1792 Elizabeth Hoover, born 17-, not stated where. They resided in Kentucky, dates of deaths not stated.

Children:

i Mary Goodnight: b 30 Dec. 1792, m prior to 1811 James McMurray, b 17-, resided in Allen Co., Ky., where he operated a tan yard. In 1836 they moved to Putnam Co., Ind. with Alexander D. Billingsley and others, no data on the death of either of them. They had:

1 Elizabeth McMurray: b 3 Oct. 1811, m 8 Nov. 1831 Alexander D. Billingsley, No. 248, which see.

2 Isaac McMurray: b 181-, m a Miss Downing. He was a Baptist preacher of some ability, moved to Ind. They had:  
a Silas McMurray.

b Judson McMurray (daughter).

c James McMurray: b 18-, m he died at Indianapolis, Ind., left children.

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d Mary, memory: b 18-, a twin of .James, m late in life a Mr: Patterson, he died some years ago (1910), she lived with her daughter who m and died ca 1908. No further information of the daughter.

3 Jacob McMurray: b 181-, died in his teens.

4 Luke Roberson McMurray: b 182-, was near same age as John M. Billingsley, m , lived for sometime near Effingham, Ill., operated a tan yard, sold out and moved West.

5 Franklin McMurray: b 182-, m , moved to Normal, Ill. and died there, left a widow and some children.

6 Thomas Hisner McMurray: b 18-, died in Civil War, U. S. at Memphis, or Vicksburg.

7 Sarah Margaret McMurray: b 18-, m Dr. Burrel Claypool, he died prior to 1910, she was living 1910 and resided Bowling Green, Ky. Had considerable family.

ii John Goodnight: b 4 May 1794.

iii Elizabeth Goodnight: b 15 Nov. 1795, m John Billingsley, No. 98, which see.

iv Sarah Goodnight: b 25 Aug. 1797.

v Henry Goodnight: b 16 Feb. 1800, m Louisa Jane Billingsley, see No. 98.

vi Isaac Goodnight: b 20 Mar. 1802, m Lucinda Billingsley, see No. 98.

vii Thomas Goodnight: b 25 Oct. 1805.

viii Margaret Goodnight: b 22 Jan. 1808.

## 99 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Onslow County, North Carolina 11 February 1789, moved to Tennessee with his parents in 1795 and then to Washington County, Tennessee, in 1796. He married (1) in 1809 Ruth Hale, born 17-. There were other intermarriages into this Hale family, see No. 38. Items in quotation are taken from the paper written by Honorable Samuel B. Hill about 1919. He lived on and farmed his father's place after his marriage until about 1811 at which time feeling himself the recipient of unjust treatment at the hands of his father because the latter wanted him to put in all of his time and work in cultivating, improving, and keeping up the farm and premises without compensation for the extra work. He sold his crop, bought a two horse team and wagon, loaded his wife and baby, Alfred, then about one year old, and all his household and personal effects into this wagon and moved to one of the counties in West Tennessee, probably



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Henry County, near-the Cumberland River for a number of years he did not write to his parents. He still harbored the feeling that he had been unjustly treated. But the lapse of time minimizes grievances both fancied and real, and; too, he came in time to see that his grievances were more fancied than real, for no one had sought to compel him to remain on his father's farm under the condition exacted. In after years he regretted his long silence toward his father and mother. He lived a number of years in several Counties, Henry, Carroll, and Montgomery. He followed farming as an occupation, but was a fair blacksmith and carpenter and mechanic. Ruth died 2 May 1832, dying within an hour after the birth of her son, Samuel Edward. Prior to her death, and appreciating that she had not long to live, and having the tenderest solicitude for the proper care, protection, and training of her babies and small children after her passing on, had requested her husband, Samuel, to select as his second wife, Elizabeth Lewis, who lived in the vicinity and in whom Ruth placed every trust and confidence. Elizabeth Lewis being the oldest child in her family had reared her deceased mother's younger children. She knew nothing of the above mentioned request of Ruth. Rebecca Billingsley, 'Aunt Becky,' told the writer's mother all the latter ever heard about such a request. About 1832 in December, he married (2) probably in Carroll County, Elizabeth Lewis, born 25 April 1806 in Tennessee. They resided there until about 1839 when they moved to Warren County, Kentucky, where his brother, John, lived. His parents were living with their son, John, at the time. In the spring of 1840 they moved from Kentucky intending to go to Texas. They came thru from Kentucky by teams and wagons, crossing the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers. Milton F. Billingsley, then about three years old, threw one of his shoes into the Ohio River as they were crossing on the ferry, and one of the dogs swam the Ohio River and followed them thru to Arkansas. They arrived at the spring on the McAnally place about three miles from where Franklin, Arkansas, is now located, on ? April 1840. Here they camped and purchased the Marritt place about one half mile East of the present site of Franklin. He settled on this place and made his home there, and continued in the ownership of this property the remainder of his life. It now (1919), belongs to the Milton Franklin Billingsley estate. He owned and brought to Arkansas as slaves, one negro man named Parham and his wife, Sarah, their two children, Caroline and Louise, and an additional negro boy named Sam. Samuel Billingsley had fair skin, dark hair, and bright blue eyes, was six feet high and weighed about one hundred and eighty pounds. Elizabeth was dark complected, dark brown hair, dark brown eyes, about five feet and three inches in height and weighed about one hundred and thirty pounds."

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She died 19 April 1857 and he married (3) in December 1859 Elizabeth Morris, born 1-January 1800 in South Carolina. "Her maiden name was Carr, she married (1) McJunkin; (2) Morris; she was the grandmother of Doctor Bob, Dick, Vince, and Sam Williams, and William McJunkin.

Samuel Billingsley, in early life, found attractive diversion in attending the neighborhood functions at which, not infrequently, the 'Fiddler' drew his musical bow and the quadrille was executed to such impelling airs as invited interpretation by the rhythmic step and the 'fantastic toe';- but while still in his younger manhood he was converted to religion, became a member of the Baptist church and thenceforward eschewed the dance and frowned upon the fiddle as an instrument of evil influence, and in accordance with this belief he refused the fiddle admission to his home and never allowed his children to own or play upon this instrument or to attend dances with his consent or knowledge. He remained s. member of the Baptist church until after the death of his wife, Elizabeth Lewis, in 1857. After her death he became a member of the Christian Church, then popularly known as the Campbellite church, from its distinguished founder, Alexander Campbell, and remained in this church until the time of his death. Samuel Billingsley was a member of the institution of Free and Accepted Masons. Do not know where he was made a Mason, but his first membership in Arkansas was at Batesville. It is thought that he later transferred his membership to Salem. Do not know whether he ever became a member of the Masonic Lodge at Franklin or not. He belonged to no other lodge or fraternity. In politics he was a Democrat. He was elected and served one term in the Arkansas State Legislature at Little Rock about 1850. He rode a horse to Little Rock from his home in Izard County to attend this legislative session; kept the horse in Little Rock while the session lasted and rode him home. He was County and Probate Judge of Fulton County, Arkansas, about 1854 to 1858. The part of the country where he lived was first in Izard County, then was put into Fulton County, and later restored to Izard. Do not know the dates of these changes. He was also a Justice of the Peace a number of times, and in his official capacities performed many a marriage ceremony. Judge Billingsley was the administrator of the estate of Isaac Hen Bricks who died in Arkansas at the 'Uncle Sam Billingsley house, at the spring near Franklin,' leaving an estate in Tennessee. As administrator it was necessary that he make two trips to Tennessee. He went on horseback both times. The first trip was made about the summer of 1852, at a time when there was an epidemic of cholera. in Tennessee, Kentucky, and along the Mississippi River. He was gone from home about eight or nine weeks on this trip; was sick of fever while away either in Kentucky or Tennessee for three weeks. His wife did not hear from him during the time he was gone and she was afraid that he had died of the cholera. On this trip he went by Nathan Hales place in Kentucky and visited with Hale. Nathan Hale was a brother of Ruth (Hale) Billingsley. He re-

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turned by St. Louis, slept in a house there -in another room of which a man lay dead of cholera. He learned about it the next morning and the following night found him fifty miles from St. Louis. Judge Billingsley made the second trip to Tennessee in the wintertime, probably about the latter part of February, 1856. He rode a long legged, slim-bodied iron gray horse. He made the trip from home to the Mississippi at Iron Banks above Memphis, in two days and stayed at Matt Henson's place the second night from home. The distance was one hundred miles. The horse travelled in a walk fifty miles a day. He was gone four weeks this trip. Judge Billingsley and his wife, Elizabeth (Lewis), made a trip on horseback from their home in Izard County to Galls Rock in Pope County on the Arkansas River. This trip required three days one way and was made about 1847. They went and came by Batesville, Arkansas; stayed at Batesville first night from home and at 'Stafford's Stand' the second night out. (This place was formerly a robber's holdout.) 'Stafford's Stand' was probably about 35 miles south of White River. The first night out Elizabeth was homesick and wanted to return home, but Samuel insisted that they go on. The second night out Samuel wanted to return home and abandon the trip but Elizabeth, having changed her mind, refused to turn back and they proceeded to their intended destination. Amos Lewis, Elizabeth Billingsley's father, was living at Galls Rock at this time.

Judge Billingsley and his son, Samuel Billingsley, made a trip in a spring wagon to Texas about 1852. On this trip they stopped and visited Thomas Billingsley, Judge Billingsley's brother, on Red River in Sevier County, Arkansas. They carried along a small stock of assorted dry goods and peddled it along the way just to help defray the expenses of the trip. These goods were bought at administrator's auction sale of Evan Davidson's stock of goods. The object of this trip was to visit Mary Anderson (Billingsley) Williams-DuPuy-later Chisholm, Judge Billingsley's sister. Elizabeth, the 3d wife, died about 1871, he survived her and died at the home of his son, William Billingsley, 24 February 1882, and is buried in Robert's cemetery, near Franklin, Arkansas.

A few observations by way of recapitulation and otherwise.

"Judge Samuel Billingsley had 5 brothers and 3 sisters."

(Note by compiler: there were 4 sisters.)

"His first marriage was to Ruth Hale in Tennessee about the year 1809."

"His second marriage was to Elizabeth Lewis in West Tennessee, near the Cumberland River, about December 1832."

"His third marriage was to Elizabeth Morris, at Salem, Arkansas, about Christmas in the year 1859."

"He had seventeen children, ten by his first marriage and seven by his second marriage. Thirteen of the children were boys and four girls"

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“Judge Samuel Billingsley had 88 grandchildren. The oldest grandchild was Jane (Butler) Gibbons, daughter of Jane (Billingsley) Butler, and was born in West Tennessee in 1833. The youngest grandchild is Mary Nevada Billingsley, a daughter of William Billingsley, born in Texas 13 September 1897. The oldest grandchild was 64 years old before the youngest grandchild was born.”

“Mary Nevada Billingsley was born one hundred and eight years, seven months, and two days after the birth of Judge Samuel Billingsley. The latter was born just after we emerged from the Revolutionary War and about the time Rip Van Winkle woke up. The former was born when we were about to enter the Spanish-American War to give Cuba political freedom.”

“The great grandchildren; the great-great grandchildren; and the great-great-great grandchildren of Judge Samuel Billingsley, at this date, constitute a host, which, in point of numbers, would excite the envy of a Mormon patriarch. To ascertain the number and names of all the lineal descendants of Judge Samuel Billingsley would all but require the instrumentality of the census department of the Federal government and there has been no endeavor to pursue the Billingsley further than the grandchildren of Judge Samuel Billingsley.

Children:

i Alfred Carter (8) : b 27 Mar. 1810.

ii John: b 15 Jan. 1812 Tenn. He married (1) , she died soon after her marriage, he married (2) Harriet Mercer, b 1818 in Jackson Co., Tenn., daughter of Jane Billingsley and Edward Mercer. They moved to Ark. with his parents about 1840 where he died in 1844 of typhoid fever leaving no children. She married (2) a Dr. Johnson, he died and she married (3) a Methodist minister named Caruthers, she left him and returned to her old home in Jackson Co., Tenn. where she died. No mention of any children by 2d and 3d marriages.

iii Jane: b 10 Dec. 1814, she m in 1832 John Butler, she died 6 May 1833 about three weeks after her child was born. They had:

1 Jane Butler: b Apr. 1833 Tenn. She was taken by her grandfather Billingsley and reared in his home. When she was about two years old, her father, John Butler, came and took her away and left her among strangers about 75 miles from her grandfather's home, who hearing where she was and that she had been abandoned by her father went on horseback and brought her again to his home carrying her before him on his horse. She moved to Ark. with him and m in 1852, Robert Gibbons in Izard Co., where she died in 1868.

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They had:

- 1 Elizabeth Gibbons: b 1856.
- 2 Sarah Fannie Gibbons: b 1858.
- 3 Thomas Gibbons: b 186-.
- 4 Frank Gibbons: b 186-.

iv Reuben R. (8): b 6 Apr. 1816.

v Nathaniel (8): b 10 Dec. 1818.

vi Joshua (8) : b 11 Nov. 1820.

vii Mary Anderson: b 6 July 1822 Tenn., she m (1) in 1836 in West Tenn. William Williams, moved to Izard Co., Ark. in 1843 and resided on the Wood's place where he died; she m (2) about 1846 Cicero DuPuy, b Tenn. 1817, resided on the Shaver place near Violet Hill, Ark. for a time then moved to Collie Co., Tex. where they were living in Nov. 1850. He died about 1852 leaving no children, and she m (3) Edward Parsons Chisholm, a Methodist minister. They moved to Rockwall Co., Tex., where she died 25 Mar. 1906. They had:

- 1 Miles Williams: b 1842 Tenn.
- 2 Elizabeth G. Williams: b 1844 Ark.
- 3 Reuben Williams: b 1845.
- 4 Sarah Chisholm.
- 5 Daughter Chisholm.

viii Jesse: b 20 Feb. 182-, died 23 Feb. 1825.

ix Child: b 182-, died infancy.

x Samuel Edward (8): b 4 May 1832. Children: (2d wife)

xi James Amos: b 16 Nov. 1833. Grad. M.D. Univ. Pa. in 1854, practiced at Evening Shade, Ark., died 12 Nov. 1857 unmarried. He was rated an excellent physician and an upright conscientious man.

xii Nimrod H.: b 24 July 1835, died 2 Nov. 1837.

xiii Milton Franklin: b 27 Mar. 1837 Tenn., moved to Warren Co., Ky. and to Ark. with his parents in 1840. He enlisted Nov. 1862 Pvt. D, 8<sup>th</sup> Ark. Cav. C. S. A.; 1<sup>st</sup> Sergt. 24 Aug. 1863; captured at Big Blue, Mo., 22 Oct. 1864, sent to Leavenworth, Kan., and then to Camp Morton, Ind. where he took the oath of allegiance 18 May 1865. He was five feet nine and three quarter inches in height, light blue eyes, and light hair. He married (1) in May 1866 Ann Simpson, b Tenn. ca 1832, daughter of James L. Simpson and Christian Atkins. She was previously married to (1) Lee Boland, (2) to Henry Couch, both deceased at the time of this marriage. She had no children known by Boland, there were two by Couch living in 1870. She died in 1879. He married (2) about 1881

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Martha Bates, daughter of Jasper Bates of Izard Co., Ark. He succeeded to his father's homestead, he died in Aug. 1911, she survived him and was said to be living in 1931 and to be about 92 years of age. He was made a Mason at Salem, Ark., and was the only son of Judge Samuel Billingsley who was a Mason. He is said to have been unostentatiously but sincerely religious, clean and pure in mind and motive. They had:

1 James Couch: b 1863, step son.

2 Mary C. Couch: b 1865, stepdaughter.

3 Daughter: b 1867, died aet. about 1 week.

4 Margaret: b 1879.

5 Cora Ann: b 188-, 2d wife, m a Mr. Boler.

6 Scott: b 188-, died Feb. 1919.

7 Roy: b 188-, m Lola Hastings, b 18-, reside Pateros, Wash. They had:

a Freddie: b ca 1913 (daughter).

b Rector: b 19-.

c Robert: b. 19-.

d Edward: b 1921.

8 William Jasper: b 18-, resides Ark:

xiv Elizabeth Agnes (8) : b 2 May 1839 Ky.

xv Margaret Jane (8): b 12 July 1841 Ark.

xvi Francis Marion: b 15 May 1843 Ark. He enlisted 7 Sept. 1861 Pvt. C, 14<sup>th</sup> Ark., Inf., C. S. A.; 30 Nov. 1861 absent sick; 31 Jan. 1862, present, sick in Camp. He was transferred to Co. A, 21<sup>st</sup> Ark., Inf., roll shows he died 21 March 1862. (War Dept. records.) Family records state he died 19 March 1862 of pneumonia at Pocohontas, Ark., buried Robert's cemetery, Franklin, Ark.

xvii William (8): b 27 Jan. 1849.

## LEWIS EXCURSUS

Amos LEWIS. He is said to have been born in Virginia about 1780. It is not known if his parents migrated first to North Carolina or moved direct into Tennessee. They settled in Tennessee in or about 1800 where Amos married prior to July 1805 Agnes Wilson, born North Carolina circa 1784 and who moved to Tennessee with her parents in She had a brother, Joseph, who was born in North Carolina in 1786 and who was living in 1850 in Pope County, Arkansas. After the marriage they lived for some time in middle Tennessee to the early 1820's and then moved to the section represented today by Montgomery County. Here Agnes died about 1827 leaving small children whose care fell to the lot of Elizabeth, the oldest daughter, who fulfilled this duty to the date of her marriage in 1832. Amos Lewis moved to Pope County, Arkansas

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with his sons in the early 1840's, following one of his daughters and her family. He -was visited by his daughter, Elizabeth, in the year 1847, see account of this trip under No. 99, and was deceased before 1850.

Children:

i Elizabeth Lewis: b 25 Apr. 1806. She m Samuel Billingsley, No. 99, his 2d wife, which see.

ii Archibald Lewis: b ca 1810 Tenn., migrated to Pope Co., Ark. in the early 1840's, started to California with an emigrant train in 1849 and died enroute of dysentery.

iii Mary Lewis: b 1812-13 Tenn., m Pettigrew, said to have died in Pope Co., Ark. No trace of this name in this county in census of 1850, 1860, or 1870.

iv Margaret Lewis: b 1815 Tenn. She m prior to 1843 James Tyson, b Tenn. 1814, resided West Tenn. to about 1851-52 then moved to Wilson township, Pope Co., Ark. where they resided in 1860. No trace of them in this Co. in 1870. They had, known:

1 James R. Tyson: b 1843.

2 John M. Tyson: b 1846.

3 Jehu Tyson: b 1850 Tenn.

v Eliza Jane Lewis: b 1817 Tenn. She m prior to 1834 William P. Scarlett, b N. C. 1816, they moved to Pope Co., Ark. about 1836 where she died about 1862-63, he m (2) prior to 1867 Susan M., b Tenn. 1837, both living in 1870, resided in Pope Co., Ark. They had

1 John L. Scarlett: b 1834 Tenn., died 1854-55.

2 Archibald F. Scarlett: b 1835 Tenn., m prior to 1861 Elizabeth J., b Ky. 1842, was a merchant and resided Pope Co., Ark. They had, known:

a Mary J. Scarlett: b 1861.

b Julia Ada Scarlett: b Dec. 1869.

3 Mary A. Scarlett: b 1838 Ark. She m prior to 1862 a Mr. Caldwell, had a daughter, Sarah, b 1862.

4 Jane Agnes Scarlett: b 1840.

5 Margaret Elizabeth Scarlett: b 1843.

6 James P. Scarlett: b 1845, m 1870 Sarah A., b N.C. 1852, resided Pope Co., Ark.

7 Sarah L. Scarlett: b 1847.

8 Martha N. Scarlett: b Dec. 1849.

9 Frances C. Scarlett: b 1852, died 1860's.

10 John W.L. Scarlett: b 1856.

11 Lafayette Scarlett: b 1867, 2d wife.

12 Rebecca Scarlett: b Jan. 1870.

vi Sarah Lewis: b 182- Tenn., m a Mr. Tyson, said to have moved to Hempstead Co., Ark., sometime after 1850.

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vii James R. W. Lewis: b 1825 Tenn., moved to Pope Co., Ark. with his father in the early 1840's. He is said to have visited the home of Judge Samuel Billingsley early in the year 1850. He was living with his sister, Mrs. Scarlett, in Nov. 1850. He m prior to 1855 Susan E., b N.C. 1830, resided Pope Co., Ark. In 1870 is listed as a farmer and is said to have later engaged in mercantile business. They had, known:

- 1 Archibald Lewis: b 1855.
- 2 Edwin A. Lewis: b 1857.
- 3 Charles J. Lewis: b 1860.
- 4 William P. Lewis: b 1864.

viii Lucretia Lewis: b 1826-27 Tenn. She m prior to 1843 Albert Bowers, resided Tenn. to about 1851-52 then moved to Pope Co., Ark., where he died about 1858-59, she was living in 1860, no trace of her in this Co. in 1870. They had:

- 1 Albert Bowers: b 1843.
- 2 Mary A. Bowers: b 1845.
- 3 Sarah J. Bowers: b 1850. She was living with her uncle, James Lewis, in 1870.
- 4 Cradle Bowers: b 1855 Ark.
- 5 Dora Bowers: b 1857 Ark.

## 98 JACOB (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Sullivan County, Tennessee in 1795, moved to Washington County, Tennessee with his parents in 1796. He moved to middle Tennessee, either Knox or Jackson County, where he married prior to 1816 Rebecca Shipley, born Tennessee in 1797. In the late 1820's his father turned over to him his home and plantation with the provision that Jacob take care of his parents for the rest of their days. Samuel B. Hill remarks on this transaction: "Jacob took the patrimony and assumed the obligations and responsibilities incident thereto in good faith no doubt, but the visualized dreams of affluence magnified the proportions of his sudden wealth and led him to the indiscretion of extravagance." In short Jacob converted the property into cash and moved to Cumberland County, Kentucky before 1830 and purchased a farm where he soon ran thru with all of his capital. About 1831 he was at the end of his lane. His brother, John, came and carried his parents to his home in Warren County, Kentucky where they spent the rest of their days in comfort and peace, while there is no documentary evidence it is handed down in the family that Jacob was fond of the "Cup that Cheers." He sold out his farm and moved to Lawrence County, Tennessee in or about 1833-34, where he purchased a small place. It is said he made a visit to Arkansas in 1842 to see his



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brother, Samuel. He died about 1848 in Tennessee, Rebecca -survived him some years, removed to Johnson County, Texas, about 1854-55, where she was living in 1860 and died before 1870.

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 1816 Tenn., died Johnson Co., Tex. after 1880 unnm.

ii Nathan S.: b 1818 Tenn. He migrated to Ellis Co., Tex. prior to 1846 and m prior to 1850 Nancy, daughter of James Billingsley, No. 224, born Ark. in 1827. They later moved to Johnson Co., Tex. and then to Hamilton Co., Tex. where he died some years after 1880, she survived him and died in 1917. No-children.

iii Jane: b 1819 Tenn., died after 1880 in Johnson Co., Tex. unnm.

iv Eliza: b 1820 Tenn., died after 1880 Johnson Co., Tex. unnm.

v Sarah A.: b 1822 Tenn., died unnm in Johnson Co., Tex. after 1860.

vi Elbert G.: b 4 Jan. 1824 Tenn. He enlisted 31 May 1846 at Nashville, Tenn. as Pvt. M, 1<sup>st</sup> Tenn. Inf., Mexican War; discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability 28 Mar. 1847 at Matamoras General Hospital. He was pensioned 29 Jan. 1887. He married-(1) in 1861 Emaline Kirkland, she died in Jan. 1863. He enlisted July 1861 Pvt., Capt. J. C. Dunn's Co., 20<sup>th</sup> Brigade Home Guards, C. S. A. He married (2) 3 May 1865 Naomi, daughter of Samuel Billingsley, No. 225, b Mo. 1842. He died 8 Nov. 1901, she survived him and died 8 July 1920, in Johnson Co., Tex. No children.

vii Rebecca: b 1829 Tenn. or Cumberland Co., Ky., moved to Johnson Co., Tex. with her mother 1854-55 where she m about 1860 Samuel Soloman, b Tenn. 1823, his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife, were living in Johnson Co., Tex. in 1880, she is said to have died 1898 in Olka. Several children by his first wife, only one of record by Rebecca is:

1 Nathan S. Soloman: b 1862

viii Jacob: b 1829 Tenn. or Cumberland Co., Ky., a twin of Rebecca. He enlisted 31 May 1846 at Nashville, Tenn. Pvt. M, 1<sup>st</sup> Tenn. Inf., Mexican War; left sick at Comargo, Mexico Sept. 1846, and died 12 Dec. 1846 in hospital at Comargo, Mexico. (*War Dept. Rec.*)

ix Charlotte: b 1831 Cumberland Co., Ky., moved to Johnson Co., Tex. with her mother 1854-55 where she married George Mills. They moved to Shreve, Hamilton Co., Tex. where she died, date not stated. They had:

1 John Mills: b 185-, deceased.

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2 Margaret Mills: b 185-, m Hall Johnson of Alvarado, Tex., she is deceased.

3 William Mills: b 186-, m a Miss Street, reside Cleburne, Tex., he is deceased.

4 Annie Mills: b ca 1862, m 1878 David Andrew Soloman, b 1856, son of Samuel Soloman and his 1<sup>st</sup> wife. Reside Shreve, Tex. They had:

a William Soloman.

b Arthur Soloman.

c Claude Soloman.

x Nancy (8): b 1833.

xi Mary Ann: b 1835 Lawrence Co., Tenn., moved to Tex. with her mother and m before 1860 Wiley Vass, in Johnson Co., Tex. They had:

1 Nathan Vass.

2 Robert Vass.

3 Elizabeth Vass.

## 101 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Guilford County, North Carolina February 1786. He married (1) prior to 1818 Elizabeth, born North Carolina 178-, she died in 1829 and he married (2) Ruth Rachel, daughter of John R. Hayes, born North Carolina in 1796. They migrated to Illinois and resided some years in Madison County then moved to Pike County where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1850. Children:

i Elizabeth: b 1818, died 1828 N.C.

ii Joseph (8) : b Jan. 1820 N.C.

iii Nancy: b 1822 N.C., m William Holmes in Ill. and moved to Iowa.

iv Mary A.: b 1823, died unmarried.

v James: b 1825, migrated to Iowa and later to Kansas and died unmarried.

vi Sarah: b 1827, died 1840's.

vii Margaret: b 1829 N. C., m 1849 Benjamin Call in Ill. and moved to Mo. Left one daughter, Margaret.

viii John Robert: b 1832 Ill., 2d wife.

ix Elizabeth: b 1834, m 1849 James H. Luke, b Ohio 1828, resided Pike Co., Ill.

x Ruth Rachel: b 1835 Ill.

## 102 WILLIAM HENRY (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1789. He married prior to



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vii Jane: b Oct. 1824 Ala., said to have m a Mr. Long. We have not been able to get any definite facts of her family, lived in North Alabama some place.

viii Sarah Ann: b 1826 Ala., m Joshua Eubanks and moved to Ark. No record of her children.

103 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 6; James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina 16 November 1809. He migrated to Illinois with his brother, James, about 1830 and married prior to 1835 Maria L. Harbert, born Johnson County, Indiana, 5 October 1817. They settled in Clark township, Johnson County, Indiana, where he engaged in farming and died 19 August 1876; she survived him and was living in 1888.. Family members of Christian church.

Children:

i Mary E.: b 1835, m prior to 1855 Henry T. Craig, b Ky. 1833. Resided Johnson Co., Ind., and both living in 1880. They had:  
1 William H. Craig: b 1855, m 1875 Ruth J. in Ind. 1858, resided Johnson Co., Ind. They had:

a Leland Craig: b 1876.

b Ruth J. Craig: b Apr. 1880.

2 Mary Craig: b 1857.

3 Charles N. Craig: b 1859.

4 Edward Craig: b 1861.

5 Emma Craig: b 1867.

6 James A. Craig: b 1872.

ii Henry: b 1829 Ind., m 1861 Martha, daughter of Samuel and Sarah McLain, b Ind. 1839, resided Johnson Co. They had

1 Robert: b 1863.

2 Susan M.: b 1866.

3 Mary H.: b 1868.

4 Alta A.: b Jan. 1870.

5 Lula: b 1872.

6 Anna: b 1876.

7 Bessie M.: b Dec. 1879.

iii Robert D.: b 1841. He went to Ky. and enlisted 1 June 1863 in Trimble Co. as Pvt. E, 4<sup>th</sup> Ky. Cav., C. S. A. and was in service to 17 Aug. 1864. Was five feet ten inches in height, grey eyes, and light hair, born Johnson Co., Ind., occupation given as farmer. No further military record. He was at home in Johnson Co., Ind. in 1870 and no subsequent record of him.

iv Oliver: b 1843, died in 1860's.

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v Louisa Jane: b 1845, m 1868 Woodford Overstreet, b Ind. in 1845; she died 1873 and he m (2) prior to 1870 Sarah K., b Ind. 1843. They had:

1 Albert Overstreet: b 1869.

2 Sevela Overstreet: b 1873.

vi Ann: b 1848, m 1867 George McLain, b Ind. 1838, resided in Johnson Co. They had:

1 Edmond McLain: b 1868, died 1872.

2 John C. McLain: b 1871.

3 Edmond McLain: b 1873.

4 Moses McLain: b 1874.

5 Samuel McLain: b 1875.

6 Estella McLain: b 1876.

7 Henry Billingsley McLain: b 1878.

vii William: b Aug. 1850, died inf.

viii John: b 1853.

ix Sarah M.: b 1855, m a Mr. Caplinger; she was a widow in 1880 and living with her mother. They had:

1 Miranda Caplinger: b Feb. 1880.

x Samuel: b 14 Oct. 1861. Way unmarried in 1888 and resided on homestead settled by his father, 120 acres of improved land. He was township trustee in 1888, resided Clark township. Johnson Co., Ind.

#### 104 JOHN A. (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Greenville District, South Carolina in 1789, moved to Jackson County, Tennessee with his parents. There is some mention that his middle name was Acker and was from his mother's side of the house. No proof of this is known and we are unable to make any definite statement on the subject. He married (1) Feb. 1813, Mary Coleman, born North Carolina in 1792; she died in 1824 and he married (2) Esther, born Tennessee in 1801. They resided in Tennessee to 1831 then moved to Ohio and about 1840 moved to White County, Indiana, where he engaged in farming; they moved to Carroll County, Indiana, about 1860, and after a short time returned to White County where Esther died about 1867. He survived her a few years and died in the early 1870's at the home of his son, William, in White County, Indiana.

Children:

i Mary: b 1815 Tenn., died childhood.

ii Walter: b 1819 Tenn., moved to Ohio and Ind. with his parents and m (1) prior to 1845 Mary Colquit, b Ky. 1810; she died sine prole in the latter part of the year 1850 and he m (2) Mary, b Ind. 1832. He was a farmer,

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resided White Co., Ind. where he died about 1859, she was living in 1860. They had:

- 1 Rebecca: b 1853.
- 2 Drucilla: b 1855.
- 3 Mary Alice: b 1858.

iii John: b 1824, died infancy.

iv Esther: b 1830 Tenn., 2d wife.

v William: b 1834 Ohio, m about 1858 Esther A., b Ind. in 1838, resided Carroll Co., Ind. in 1860, moved to Liberty township, White Co., Ind. before 1870, where he was engaged in farming. They had, known:

- 1 Lorinda: b June 1860, died small.
- 2 Josephine: b 1862.
- 3 Cora: b 1868.
- 4 Amy: b Mar. 1870.

vi John: b 1837 Ohio, m in 1858 Matilda, daughter of Stephen P. and Elizabeth Wright, b Ind. 1842, resided White Co., Ind. where he died 1864-65; she m (2) prior to 1870 Alonzo Ballinger, b Ohio in 1846, son of Joshua and Elizabeth Ballinger. Resided White Co., Ind. in 1870. No record of children of 2d marriage. They had:

- 1 Elizabeth: b 1859.
- 2 Rena: b 1861.
- 3 Mary E.: b 1863.

vii George M. (8) : b 29 Sept. 1840.

## 105 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Greenville District, South Carolina in 1791, moved to Tennessee with his parents about 1798. He may have had service in the War of 1812 as there is an uncertain grant of land in Jackson County in 1818 for service in said war, granted to one W. Billingsley. He married (1) prior to 1821 Fereby Brown, born Virginia 179-, she died in 1834 and he married (2) prior to 1839 Susan , (Jones ?) born Tennessee in 1807. In 1837 he was granted three parcels of land in Jackson County, Nos. 3941, 3947, and 3658, he was a farmer and died at his home in Jackson County in 1847-48, Susan was living in 1860.

Children:

i Louisa Anna: b 1821.

ii Thomas: b 1823, m 1858 Louisa (Jackson ?), b Tenn. 1828. He enlisted 11 Aug. 1861 Pvt. and Cpl. E, 28<sup>th</sup> Tenn. Inf., C. S. A.; present Apr. 1862, no further military record. He was a farmer and resided in Jackson Co., Tenn. Both were living in 1880. They had:

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iii Nancy: b 1825.

iv William H.: b 1826. He m 1848 Sarah Harden, b Tenn. 1828. He enlisted 11 Aug. 1861 2d Sgt. E, 28<sup>th</sup> Tenn. Inf., C. S. A., died 6 Feb. 1862, cause not stated. She survived him and was living in 1880, Jackson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Elizabeth: b Aug. 1849.

2 John: b 1851, m 1879 Martha, b Tenn. 1855, resided Jackson Co., Term.

3 William Polk: b 1855, m 1875 Polly, b Tenn. 1852, resided Jackson Co., both living in 1880. They had:

a William Polk, Jr.: b 1876

b Elizabeth: b 1878.

c Sarah: b Aug. 1879.

4 Almira: b 1857.

5 James Buckhamer: b 1858.

6 Fereby: b Nov. 1859.

7 Sarah V.: b 1862.

v Walter S.: b 1827, m 1856 Polly, b Tenn. 1834. He enlisted 15 Nov. 1862 Pvt. E, 28<sup>th</sup> Tenn. Inf., S. C. A. Roll of Feb. 1863 shows, "Absent, sick, since muster." From Lumpkins hospital, Rome, Ga. 25 July 1863 a certificate of Edward McDonald, Surgeon, shows, "SP. S. Billingsley, Pvt. D, 28<sup>th</sup> Tenn. Inf. died 18 July 1863 of (cause not stated.)" His widow is not listed in Jackson Co. for 1870 and she is believed to have remarried. They had:

1 William: b 1858.

2 John: b Oct. 1859.

vi Lucinda: b 1829, m a Mr. Jackson; she was living in 1870. No children of record.

vii James M. (8) : b 11 May 1830.

viii Fereby: b 1832. ix Child: b 1834, d inf. x John F.: b 1839, 2d wife, died inf. xi Mariah: b 1841.

xii Joseph: b 1843, m 1861 Elizabeth, b Tenn. in 1838, resided Jackson Co., Term. in 1870. They had, known:

1 Frances M.: b 1862.

2 Joseph L.: b 1863.

3 Henry F.: b 1866.

4 William H.: b 1868.

5 Elizabeth Jane: b 1869.

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### 106 WALTER BILLINGSLEY

*(Walter 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Jackson County, Tennessee in October 1802, moved to McMinn County, Tennessee where he married prior to 1823 Elizabeth Roberts, born Tennessee in 1805. They moved to Benton County, Alabama, in the late 1830's, then moved to Cherokee County, Alabama, during the 1840's where he engaged in farming. They were both living in 1880 and both died sometime in 1884-85.

Children

i John (8) : b 8 Jan. 1823.

ii Martha: b 1826 Tenn.' moved to Ala. with her parents and m prior to 1847 Basil Davis, b S. C. 1814. He was a farmer and died June 1894; she survived him and died 1 Jan. 1916, resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had:

1 James W. Davis: b 1847, m Frances Swords, died in Cherokee Co., Ala.

2 John W. Davis: b 1851, m Lou Wiley, died in Calhoun Co., Ala.

3 Amanda Davis: b 1853, died before 1865.

4 Edmond R. Davis: b 1855, m Allie Webb, died in Cherokee Co., Ala.

5 Thomas J. Davis: b 1858, m Lex Golightly, living in 1931, resided Cherokee Co., Ala.

6 Mary Davis: b 1860, m Zachariah T. Acker; they moved to Texas about 1880, he d prior to 1931, she survives and resides Frisco, Tex. No record of children.

7 Elizabeth Davis: b 18 July 1865, m 25 Dec. 1890, at Rock Run, Ala., W. J. Brittain, b 2 Aug. 1866 in Calhoun Co., Ala. Reside Rock Run, Ala. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Allie Brittain: b 12 Feb. 1892, m Mar. 1917 John B. Johnson, reside Anniston, Ala. They had:

al Elizabeth Johnson: b 20 Oct. 1922.

b G. Clyde Brittain: b 6 Nov. 1897, m June 1921 Nora Snead, reside Anniston, Ala. They had:

bl Patricia Marie Brittain: b 1 June 1922.

iii James Washington (8): b 29 July 1828.

### 107 JOSEPH (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Jackson County, Tennessee in 1807, moved to McMinn County, Tennessee, with his parents where he married prior to 1831 Nancy McMillian, born Tennessee in 1807. Her parents names are not known, she had brothers, James, born N. C. 1802; William born 1809, and a sister,



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Narcissa, born 1808 who married a Mr. Cates, all resided in Bradley County, Tennessee in 1850. Joseph .is listed as a farmer and resided in Bradley County. In 1849 he went to California during the Gold Rush and was listed in October 1850 in Trinity County as a "Miner." This is the last definite record of him. A -tradition in the family of his youngest son, Joseph W., is that he was returning home and was killed by Indians or highwaymen. This tradition is probably based on information left by his widow as she survived him, reared her children, moved to Lamar County, Texas, just after the civil war and resided with her son, Joseph W., where she died after 1870.

##### Children

i Samuel Lafayette P. (8) : b 1831.

ii George Plowman (8) : b 4 May 1833.

iii David McMillan: b 1835 Tenn. He visited his brother Joseph W. in Texas in the late 1860's then migrated West and was last heard from by Joseph W. in the late 1870's then living in Montana. He is listed in the census of 1880 as residing in Butte, Mont. and unmarried. We have information that some years ago a niece, Mary Lula Billingsley, of Texas, heard about him as living in Butte, Mont., and she went out there and found a party living under the name of "David Mack," living in a little hut and practically a recluse. She went to see the president of the Pioneer Club who told her that David was one of the early members of the club, that he was once wealthy but had lost his property. At their suggestion she persuaded him to go to Texas with her and live on her farm which he did. After a few years he returned to Butte. A little later his friends wrote her stating they would send him back to Texas if agreeable to her. He was sent to Texas and after a few years died and was buried at Brazoria. She was not able to get any real coherent statement from him as to his property, etc., and what is known we do not consider as reliable enough to warrant quoting.

iv Mary: b 1837. She m prior to 1858 Barton J. Law, b Tenn. 1836, resided Bradley Co., Tenn. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Ida O. Law: b 1858.

2 Eveline J. Law: b Feb. 1860.

v Susan: b 1838 Tenn., moved to Texas with her mother and m John N. Conner. She died in Erath Co., Tex. in 1898; he was deceased in 1930. They had several children, only two grew to maturity Both of these were deceased in 1931, one of them left a son, Desmond Conner, who lives some place in Texas.

vi Joseph William (8): b 1840.

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### 108 JESSE (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Jackson County, Tennessee in 1809, moved to McMinn County where he married prior to 1830 Blanche Neuman, born Tennessee in 1812. Resided in McMinn and Bradley Counties, Tennessee. They migrated to Arkansas about 1843 and located in Marion County where he engaged in farming and died 1854-55. She moved to Douglas County, Missouri during the civil war and was living in 1880. Her grandson, George W. Billingsley, states she died aged 104 years.

Children:

i William (8) : b 1830 Tenn.

ii John (8) : b 1832.

iii Joseph: b 1836 Tenn., moved to Ark. with his parents about 1843 and m prior to 1860 Caroline, b Greene, Co., Mo. in 18-. He enlisted 28 June 1862 Pvt. K, 27<sup>th</sup> Ark. Inf., C. S. A. for the war. Roll dated 28 Feb. 1863 shows: "Deserted 26 July 1862." There is no further military record. A statement by one of his nephews says, "Uncle Joe disappeared during the war." On 8 Oct. 1864 Caroline is listed as "Female Prisoner." at St. Louis, Mo. She died at U. S. General Hospital, St. Louis, Mo. 20 Oct. 1864. She left a written agreement for the Sisters of. Charity to take her two children.

They had:

1 Jesse: b 186-.

2 Blanche: b 186-.

iv Mary: b 1838 Tenn., moved to Ark. with her parents and m 1856 in Ark. William Sanders, b Tenn. 1805, his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife. Resided in Ark. to after 1850 and moved to Mo. sometime before 1870. They had, known:

1 James Sanders: b 1836 Ala., step son.

2 Martha Sanders: b 1838 Ala., step son.

3 Joseph S. Sanders: b 1840 Ark., step son.

4 Blanche Sanders: b 1858.

5 George L. Sanders: b June 1860.

v Nancy G.: b 1840 Tenn., moved to Ark. with her parents and to Mo. with her mother where she m 1868 Allen Sanders, b Mo. 1839, resided Douglas Co., Mo. Both living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Thomas Sanders: b 1870.

2 Henry T. Sanders: b 1872.

3 Mary M. Sanders: b 1874.

4 William J. Sanders: b 1875.

5 Sarah F. Sanders: b 1877.

6 James M. Sanders: b 1879.

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vi Jesse J. (8) : b 1842 Tenn.

vii James M.: b 1844 Ark. Enlisted 28 June 1862 Pvt. K, 27<sup>th</sup> Ark. Inf., C. S. A. Roll dated 31 July 1862 shows him as "Deserted." He enlisted 7 Aug. 1862 as Pvt. B, 8<sup>th</sup> Mo. Inf., U. S., Cpl. Apr. 1863; 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. 22 Oct. 1863 Co. B, 8<sup>th</sup> Mo. Inf., U. S., he failed to pass a satisfactory examination and was reduced to the ranks Dec. 1863. Killed in action 9 Apr. 1864 at Pleasant Hill, La.

viii Martha: b 1846 Ark., m or d before 1870.

ix Amanda: b 1848 Ark., m or d before 1870. x Susan, b 1852 Ark. Was living and unmarried in 1880.

### EDWARD H. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Jackson County, Tennessee in 1811, moved to McMinn County, Tennessee with his parents and married prior to 1832 Mahala (Carter 7), born Tennessee in 1815. They migrated to Illinois about 1842 and settled in Pulaski County where he engaged in farming and died about 1853-54. Mahala survived him and was living in 1860 and appears to have died before 1870.

Children:

i Carter B.: b 1832.

ii Walter: b 1834 Tenn. He m prior to 1856 Sarah, b Tenn. 1841; she died 1860-61 and he m (2) Julia, b Ill. in 1841.

Resided Pulaski Co., Ill. They had:

1 James M.: b 1856.

2 Angeline: b 1858.

3 Cornelia: b 1863, 2d wife.

4 Sarah: b 1865.

5 Robert: b 1867.

6 Alice: b 1869.

iii Martha: b 1835 Tenn.

iv Robert: b 1837.

v John Walker: b 1839. Enlisted 26 Sept. 1862 at Camp Butler, Pvt. F, 128 Ill. Inf., U. S. No record of discharge and he never made claim for pension.

vi Maria: b 1841 Tenn., m Jefferson Brown, no children of record.

vii Nancy: b 1844 Ill., m James Walker, b Ill. 1840, 'his 2<sup>nd</sup> wife, resided Pulaski Co., Ill. They had:

1 Lewis Walker: b 1859 1<sup>st</sup> wife.

2 William Walker: b 1861, 2d wife.

3 Mary Walker: b 1864.

4 Cornelia Walker: b 1866.

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viii Preston:- b 1849. ix Mahala Eliza: b 1852.

### 108 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Bazil 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Guilford County, North Carolina in 1788. He married prior to 1817 Permelia, daughter of Lorenzo Dow, born North Carolina in 1798; moved to Rockingham County, North Carolina where he engaged. in farming and died about 1825, killed by a falling tree. She married (2) prior to 1830 Isaac Robertson, born North Carolina in 1797. Both were living in 1850 Rockingham County, North Carolina. No Robertson children of record.

Children

i Lorenzo Dow (8) : b 1817.

ii Permelia: b 1821, died unmarried.

### 110 FRANCIS B. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia 2? December 1790, he married December 1811, Sarah W. Turner, born Georgia in 1794, see Turner Excursus. Resided in Wilkes County and this portion became a part of Taliaferro County later where they resided to 1845; then they moved to Wharton County, Texas. In 1846 he wrote a letter to his brothers, John and Winston, who lived in Taliaferro County, Georgia, urging them to come to Texas describing the wonderful country and stated he had never seen such crops in his life as some of the corn was 18 feet in height and cotton 11 feet high, etc. The original of this letter is owned by Mrs. Slater, of Rich, Mississippi. It is not known why they decided to leave Texas but anyway they did so and moved to Madison County, Mississippi about 1849. He was a planter and owned a sizable plantation. He died 15 August 1852 and Sarah died 13 May 1859, both buried in the family plot on said plantation, graves are marked and in good state of preservation in 1933.

Children:

i Samuel Coleman (8) : b 17 Aug. 1812.

ii John b 1814 Ga., died 1822.

iii Martha (8) : b 1817.

iv Francis b 1820, died aet. 6 years.

v Frances b 1823., she m prior to 1844 in Ga. A. W. King, b S. C. 1821, moved to Miss. and resided at Columbus where he was a jeweler; she is stated to have died 1894, 95. They had

1 Rosa King: b 1844 Miss., m a Mr. Mitchell and resided in Boston, Mass. They had

a Frances Mitchell b 18-, m Frederick Burgess and resided New York City. At last accounts, had a son, Frederick Burgess, Jr.

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vi Sarah -b 1826 Ga., moved to Tex. and Miss. with her parents and m after 1850 Col. Hanson; no definite information as to where they lived tho she is said to have died leaving no children.

vii Oliver F. (8) : b 2 Nov. 1828.

viii Mary: b 1832 Taliaferro Co., Ga., moved to Tex. and Miss. with her parents. She m about 1859 James Harrison, b N.J. in 1833. He is listed as a "Coach painter" in 1860 and resided Madison Co., Miss. They moved to Yazoo Co., Miss. where he engaged in farming and died July 1862 leaving his widow with quite a competence. She m (2) Thera P. Smith, b 15 Feb. 1841. He had been an overseer of the plantation, was somewhat improvident and soon ran thru the property he married into. After some four years in Yazoo Co. they moved to Madison Co., Miss. and in 1869 to Rankin Co., Miss. About 1871 they moved to Tenn. near Jackson, where they resided to about 1884 when they returned to Madison Co., Miss. He died 26 June 1893. Mary died in Madison Co., Miss. about 1900 and is buried in Concord Presbyterian Church cemetery in an unmarked grave. They had:

1 James Walter Harrison: b 12 Dec. 1861 Yazoo Co., Miss. He m 5 July 1889 Cornelia Margaret Sample, b Madison Co., Miss. 18-, reside Canton, Miss. They had

a Bessie Cornelia Harrison: b 17 July 1890.

b Hervey Sample Harrison: b 14 June 1891. World War Veteran. He m (1) prior to 1918 Clara Williams, a divorce, and he m (2) Nannie Bradley, reside McComb, Miss. They had:

b1 Hervey S. Harrison, Jr.: b 28 Oct. 1918.

c Leila Walter Harrison: b 11 Feb. 1893.

d Mabel Harrison: b 17 Apr. 1895, died aet. 10 years.

e Eunice Harrison: b 14 Aug. 1897, m June 1918 Samuel Jacob Carroll, reside Greenville, Miss. They had:

e1 Samuel Jacob Carroll, Jr.: b 28 June 1925.

f James Ellis Harrison: b 6 Nov. 1899, m 22 Sept. 1923 Mary Morgan, reside Canton, Miss. They had:

f1 Charles Ellis Harrison: b 3 Nov. 1924 at Laurel, Miss.

f2 Peggy Elizabeth Harrison: b 9 Feb. 1928.

f3 James Walter Harrison: b 10 Nov. 1929.

2 Hugh Smith: b ca 1865, 2d marriage, he was deceased in 1931.

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3 Ora Lee Smith: . b ca 1869, was deceased 1931.

4 Frank Smith: b 187-, deceased in 1931.

5 Dallas Smith: b 1874 Tenn., said to have been living at Jackson, Miss. in 1931.

ix William H.: b 1835 Taliaferro Co., Ga., moved to Tex. and Miss. with his parents. He was a lawyer and m prior to 1860 Mary, said to have been Mary Stone, b Mass. in 1840. They moved to Texas early in 1861. He enlisted 7 Sept. 1861 at Houston, Tex. as Pvt. K, 8<sup>th</sup> Tex. Cav., C. S. A.; last record shows him Jan. 1862 as absent on furlough. They were residing in Washington Co., Tex. in 1870 and he is listed as a lawyer. No children of record. Date of his death is not known. One William H. Billingslea, of Lindale, Tex. corresponded with John T. Moore about 1902 and said he was an old man, not known if this is the same party.

### 112 JOHN BRADFORD (7) NORRIS

(*Sarah A. 6, Francis 5, William 4, William S, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in March 1787. He migrated to Savannah, Georgia about 1809-10. He deeded a slave to Price Clay in 1812; was a party to a deed of trust by his brother, Benjamin B. Norris, October 1813; Receiver of Tries, Chatham County, Georgia 1813; Sheriff in 1814. There are a number of deeds he executed as Sheriff in conclusion of sales, etc. He served as 3d Lieutenant, Captain Alfred Cuthbert's Company of Infantry, 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment, Johnson's Georgia Militia, 22 January 1815 to 23 February 1815, War of 1812. (*War Dept. Records.*) He was appointed a Major, 60<sup>th</sup> Battalion Georgia Militia 22 August 1815. (*Dept. Arch. Ga.*) He was awarded a gold medal on 1 January 1813 as the best Marksman in the Regiment which was called the Republican Blues. This medal is in possession of one of his descendants today. He married sometime between July 1820 and April 1821 Henrietta Catherine LaFitte, born Georgia in 1795, a daughter of Peter Samuel LaFitte and Jane Judith Papot. For complete record of the LaFitte and Papot families see "Some Huguenot Families of South Carolina and Georgia," by Harry A. Davis, 1926. Shortly after marriage they moved to Dallas County, Alabama. He was elected Sheriff of this County in 1822 and served till December 1825 and was not a candidate for re-election in 1825. He was a witness to a deed his mother executed July 1825 when she sold her land. He moved to Monroe County, Alabama about 1827 and purchased a plantation about seven miles north of Claiborne. This Claiborne of today is merely a trace of what it was at that date. It is one of the historic spots of the State; it was the County seat until 1832 and was a distributing point for emigrants and one of the most important towns in Alabama and boasted of some 2,500 souls at that time. Owing to destruction by fire

in 1833 of all early-deeds in Monroe County we have not been able to get details of this plantation. On 10 June 1834 John B. Morris and Susan L. Loraine, of Monroe County, Alabama executed a Power of Attorney to D. M. LaFitte, of South Carolina re estate of Jane Judith LaFitte, of Savannah Georgia, etc. (*Deeds Lib. TT*, fol. *ICJ*, *Savannah, Ga.*) On 17 March 1835 he signed a deed with other heirs of Jane Judith LaFitte to land sold Benjamin Burroughs, Savannah, Georgia. Resided on the plantation in Monroe County to about May 1835 when they moved to Mobile, Alabama; he sold his plantation, deed dated 21 December 1835, Mobile, Alabama and recorded Monroe County, Alabama. In 1837 he is shown in city directory as senior of the firm of Morris, Crane S: Keith, wholesale drygoods, and resided at corner of St. Louis and Cedar Streets. In 1839 he is listed as senior member of the firm of Morris & Boykin, Commission Merchants and Cotton Factors, at No. 8 St. Louis Street; his residence was 91 St. Louis Street, his daughter, Mary W. Morris, was married in this house in 1840, and his grand daughter, Margaret A. Davis, was also married in this house in 1866; it was a residence to about 1924 when it was razed and is now replaced by a large garage. (1925.)

John B. Morris was a member of Mobile Lodge No. 40, A. F. A. M., and appears to have been prominent in the affairs of the city. A family tradition states he was Cashier of the Old State Bank but we have not been able to find any record where he was ever directly connected with any bank as an officer. About January 1841 he moved his family to Texas as on 20 May 1841 D. R. W. Davis, of Galveston, Texas was sold by Jesse A. H. Cleveland and his wife, 608 acres of land being part of a league upon which Joseph Mimms now resides, being No. 57 by grant from the Mexican government as a colonist. (*Deeds Lib. B*, fol. 0,2.) On 12 June 1841 D. R. W. Davis, of Galveston, Texas appoints John B. Morris, of Brazoria County, Texas with full power of attorney. (*Deeds Lib. B*, fol. 53.) On 13 July 1842 D. R. W. Davis sold this land to John B. Morris for \$6,355. and received from sd John B. Morris a note for \$6,000. dated July 1842 to be paid in twelve months after date. There was a turn over in the case a note of D. R. W. Davis for \$355, and the deed was dated 25 January 1843. (*Deeds Lib. B*, fol. Q13.) On the 15 December 1842 John B. Morris filed a petition in bankruptcy as a member of the firm of Morris, Crane & Keith, etc., this petition filed in Brazoria County, Texas. In this petition he lists liabilities of the firm to some eight other firms amounting to \$18,728.80; he lists notes, etc., as due the firm amounting to \$177,930.95 ½ z. In the list of items in addition to the notes, etc., he mentions a house and lot at DeKalb, Marion County, Mississippi; a certain farm of 610 acres granted to sd John B. Morris as Emigrant; also states he has a wife and six children, etc. On this same date he deeded this property to the trustees who exempted the following house and kitchen furniture; 2 horses; 2 mules; 1 cow & calf; and 1 heifer; 1 boar and 2 sows; a note for \$355 of D. R. W. Davis; equivalen of one year's provisions; it having been proven he had a wife and six chil-

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dren they were also exempted; also his Certificate of head rights for 2,460 acres of land.

On 18 March 1848 John B. Norris and Henrietta C. Norris, his wife, sold to John Hancock Norris and William Crawford Norris, 608 acres of land. This appears to be a deed of Gift and contains the proviso these two sons to supply board, clothing, and lodging and such sums of money as they may need to spend, etc., and that they shall live in the same manner they have always lived, during their lives. (*Deeds Lib. D*, fol. 551.) John B. Norris died sometime between March 1848 and June 1850. Henrietta survived him and on 11 April 1851 she made a quit claim deed to John Hancock Norris for her share in the estate of John B. Norris and that of William C. Norris respectively at the time of their several deaths, for \$2,500. (*Deeds Lib. F*, fol. 7L.) On 13 September 1851 she was administratrix to estate of William C. Norris, deceased, which consisted of the land deeded him in 1848, i.e., one half of 608 acres on Brazos River. (*Deeds and Adms. Lib. F*, fol. 144.) Henrietta died about 1865 as near as it has been possible to determine. They were both buried in the old cemetery formerly a part of a community church containing about one acre of ground which was reserved to this church at the time this land was deeded to Charles K. Reese before 1840. This land has passed thru several families since that date but Reese and Norris blood still own it. This cemetery in 1925 when we visited it in person was in the last state of complete oblivion; remains of many once magnificent stones were to be seen, but few of them mark the original graves and they were gradually being removed for other purposes. No stones marked the resting places of the Norris family, tho the lot was marked by four oak trees at each of the corners and these encircled by wire. In this space rest John B. Norris, Henrietta C. Norris, James Norris, and William Crawford Norris. Many of the Reese family rest in this cemetery and only three stones remained of them.

Children

i Mary White (8): b 17 Feb. 1822.

ii James: b 1825, died 1847 Tex.

iii William Henry Crawford: b 1827 Ala., died Nov. 1850.

iv John Hancock: b 1827 Ala., a twin m Catherine Burkhart, (2) Sarah Kirkland.

v Sarah Tait: b 21 Mar. 1829 Ala., m Charles K. Reese.

vi Henrietta J.: b 1831 Ala., In Lumbert Minims.

vii Emma Asenath: b 12 July 1838 Ala., m Alexander C. Burkhart.

## 113 CLEMENT CLAY (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Greene County, Georgia 24 April 1794. After the death of his mother in 1804 he was taken into the home of his uncle, Francis J. Billingsley, of



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Wilkes County, Georgia. Was educated in the schools of Washington, Georgia, graduated in medicine Philadelphia Medical College and began practice in Washington, Georgia. He married (1) 6 March 1816 Lucy Boiling Anthony, born Georgia 179-, she died 25 May 1818, he married (2) 13 May 1819 Sarah Anthony. Lane, born Georgia 29 October 1797, a first cousin to his first wife, daughter of James Lane and Rachel Anthony, see Lane Excursus. They moved to Montgomery, Alabama where he purchased a plantation called "Mount Ararat," resumed the practice of medicine and built up a large practice. He represented Montgomery County in State legislature in 1845, was a member of the State Medical Board, and a Trustee of University of Alabama. Sarah died 15 August 1842, and he married (3) 21 November 1844 Mrs. Mary Louisa (Byrd) Faulkner, born 20 August 1812. They moved to Perry County, Alabama about 1847 and she died 22 November 1850. He then moved to Dallas County, Alabama where he married (4) 15 October 1851 Mrs. Elizabeth D. Douglas; he purchased a home in Mobile, Alabama, resided there a few years then moved to Galveston, Texas where he purchased a plantation. He died at Marion, Alabama 5 July 1870 while on a visit to his daughter, Emily A. Moore, and is buried at Marion, Alabama. He was a Mason, and the family Baptists.

Children (all 2<sup>nd</sup> wife):

i William Bibb: b 31 Mar. 1821, grad. A. B. Univ. of Ala. 1840, m Keturah Guild of Tuscaloosa, Ala., he was a lawyer and died 11 Dec. 1844 at Montgomery, Ala.

ii Mark Lane: b 29 Dec. 1822, m prior to 1846, he died 16 July 1847. They had:

1 Cora Mark: b 10 Apr. 1846, died 2 Sept. 1852.

iii Lucy Bolling: b 22 Nov. 1824, m 26 Dec. 1843 Dr. Joshua Hill Foster, b 17 Mar. 1819. He was a Baptist minister, D.D. and A.M. Lucy died 3 Oct. 1847 and he married (2) 24 Feb. 1853, he died at Tuscaloosa, Ala. 28 Feb. 1904. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:

1 Lucy Billingslea Foster: b 11 Sept. 1847, she m 18 Sept. 1878 at Tuscaloosa, Ala. Prof. Joseph Mason Dill, b 4 Nov. 1862, Dallas Co., Ala., grad. of Howard College, Ala. 1874 A.B. Resided at Bessemer, Ala. in 1920. They had a Joseph Mason Dill, Jr.: b ca 1880, m 1906 Lillian Lea, daughter of Col. Sumpter Lea, resided Birmingham, Ala. about 1920.

iv James Clement (8) : b 27 Dec. 1826.

v Sarah Rebecca: b 8 Aug. 1828, died 18 July 1843.

vi Mary White: b 5 May 1830, m prior to Sept. 1850 Samuel Williamson John, b Ala. 1825. He was a physician, resided Marion, Ala. in 1850, moved to Tampa, Fla. after

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Sept. 1851. Mary died 5 July 1852 and is buried at Selma, Ala. He died in 1856 at Marion, Ala. They had:  
1 Mary Billingslea John: b 3 Sept. 1851 at Marion, Ala. She married 29 Mar. 1876 at Marion Ala. William Marcellus Jones, b Caswell Co., N. C. 4 Mar. 1850. They moved to Louisville, Ky. where they resided some years then moved to Lisbon, N. Dak. where she died 30 Aug. 1915, he survived her a few years and died 25 June 1920. They had:  
a Ethel Mims Jones: b 5 Mar. 1877, died 10 Mar. 1877.  
b Mary St. John Jones: b 25 Mar. 1878. Resides Kansas City, Mo. She has furnished information on this family.  
c William Moore Jones: b 25 Sept. 1881, m 24 May 1911 De Etta Mae Rinderknecht. She died 25 Oct. 1918 and he m (2) 28 June 1926 Delilah Ann O'Connor, reside Lisbon, N. Dak.  
d John Paul Jones: b 1 June 1888, m 12 Dec. 1917 Letitia Martha Campbell, reside Vienna, Va.  
e James Ernest Jones: b 29 Feb. 1891, m 12 June 1918 Mary Lucretia Crocker. reside Lisbon, N. Dak.  
f Lucy Inez Jones: b 5 Apr. 1894, m 16 July 1923 Leon Elmo Nuhn, reside Wester Springs, Ill.  
vii Emily Adelia: b 27 Dec. 1831, m 18 Feb. 1851 Judge John Moors, of Marion Ala., b 13 Mar. 1829 in N. C., he was a son of Wooten Moore and Elizabeth Tooley, b N. C. 1795 and 1794 respectively, they were both living in 1850 in Perry Co., Ala. They were also the parents of Adam T., 1822; Rachel Winnie, b 1831, m John F. Vary; and Wooten A., b 1837 N.C. They resided at Marion, Ala. where she died 14 Dec. 1903, no data concerning his death. They had:  
1 Ann Elizabeth Moors: b 4 Feb. 1852, died 15 Mar. 1853.  
2 Lucy Billingslea Moore: b 26 Aug. 1853, died 9 Feb. 1923.  
3 Wooten Moore: b 15 June 1855, m Dec. 1887 Kate Gillespie at Columbia, Tenn. where they reside, 1932. They had  
a William Gillespie Moors: b 26 Sept. 1888, m 8 Nov. 1919 Harriet Milliken. They had:  
al William G. Moors, Jr.: b 17 Dec. 1922.  
a2 John Wooten Moors: b June 1924.  
a3 Thomas Milliken Moors: b Oct. 1925.

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b Emma Clare Moore: b 18 Feb. 1890, m Sept. 1916 George W. Hayes. They had:

b1 George Moore Hayes: b Nov. 1918.

b2 Kathryn Hayes: b June 1924. ,

c John Wooten Moore: b 25 Feb. 1892, m 29 July 1922 Mae Wilson. They had:

c1 Jean Moore: b 3 Nov. 1928.

d Percy Walton Moore: b 26 May 1896, m Dec. 1919 Flavia Oglesby. They had:

dl Percy W. Moore, Jr.: b Nov. 1923.

d2 Mary Moore: b Oct. 1925.

d3 James Moore: b Nov. 1929.

e Harold N. Moore: b 8 Nov. 1899.

4 Clement Billingslea Moore: b 21 Jan. 1857, died 31 Mar. 1857.

5 John Moore, Jr.: b 26 Aug. 1858. Grad. A.B. Howard College, Ala. in 1870. He m (1) 17 Feb. 1885 Florence W. Allen, moved to Columbia, Tenn. where she died Dec. 1896. He m (2) at Nashville, Tenn. 13 June 1900 Mary Brown Daniel, of Harrisonville, Mo. He died 10 May 1929. He was a writer of renown and became archivist of the State Library at Nashville, Tenn. He wrote under the name of John Trotwood Moore. (*See Who's Who, 198.*) His widow survives him and is archivist of the State Library at Nashville, Tenn. She has furnished information on the family. From some of the correspondents of her late husband we have been able to secure several other branches of the family. They had:

a William Allen Moore: b 28 Jan. 1896, d act. 1 day.

b Merrill Moore: b 11 Sept. 1903 at Columbia, Tenn. 2d wife, he m 14 Aug. 1930 Ann Leslie Nichol, daughter of Dr. Adam Gillespie Nichol, and Bertha Cheek, of Nashville, Tenn. They had:

b1 Adam Gillespie Nichol Moore: b 21 Oct. 1931.

c Helen Lane Moore: b 11 Apr. 1907.

d Mary Daniel Moore: b 11 Apr. 1907, a twin, m 29 June 1931 Joel Marston Whitney, of Boston, Mass.

viii Candy Raquel: b 29 Oct. 1833, died 30 Jan. 1851, buried Selma, Ala.

ix . Ann Elizabeth: b 2 Sept. 1835, m. 2 Apr. 1856 John G. Huckabee. She died 19 Dec. 1861, Marion, Ala. He was a druggist and listed with an estate of \$41,555. in 1860. He died 30 May 1866. They had:

1 John G. Huckabee: b 1857.

2 Clement B. Huckabee: b ca 1861.

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### LANE EXCURSUS

It is not deemed necessary to go into details of this family as considerable has been published concerning the name and the reader is referred to History of Wake County, North Carolina, by Hayward; and Habersham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Collections, Volume III.

The one directly connected with the Billingslea family happens to be one who is mentioned in the above records but whose descendants have so far not been listed. In order to keep the records straight an outline of the family is as follows: JOSEPH LANE, born 1710, died, married prior to 1742 PatiencecMenominee, born , died, a daughter of Col. Barnabas McKinne, born 1688, died 1759 N. C. Their son: JOEL LANE, was born 1742, he married (1) 9 December 1762 Martha Hinton, born 17-, a daughter of John Hinton, she died 9 September 1771. He married (2) in 1772 Mary Hinton, born 17- and a sister of his first wife. Joel Lane was a member of the Provisional Congress, Aug. 1775; member Committee of Safety, Wake Co., N. C. 9 Sept. 1775; member Provisional Congress, Halifax, Apr. 1776; Senator from Wake Co., N. C. 1782 to 1795. (*See N. C. Col. Records, Vols. viii, and x.*) Many descendants are members of the Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution on the above record. Joel Lane died near Raleigh, N. C. 29 March 1795, and Mary died 3 Apr. 179.

Children: (1<sup>st</sup> wife)

i Henry Lane: b 6 May 1764, m Mary Hinton, daughter of Maj. John Hinton, Jr., she died 1797 in Wake Co., N. C. and left four daughters.

ii James (3) Lane: b 7 Oct. 1766.

iii William Lane: b 15 Oct. 1768. None of the records so far examined contain any further mention of this man. He probably moved to Georgia with his brother but no evidence to substantiate this deduction.

iv There were some nine children by the second marriage who are more or less accounted for, they have no connection with the Billingslea family.

### JAMES (3) LANE

(*Joel 2, Joseph 1.*) Born Wake County, North Carolina 7 October 1766. He migrated to Wilkes County, Georgia prior to 1788. He was a witness to a deed 17 Oct. 1788. He married prior to 1790 Rachel Anthony, born Georgia *circa* 1771, daughter of Micajah Anthony. Micajah Anthony was deceased 1793 and estate appraised by Robert North and James Lane 7 Nov. 1793. James Lane died in 1800 and about October as Mark Anthony and Charles A. Blakely were appointed temporary

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administrators 1 November 1800 to the estate of James Lane, deceased. In Land Lottery of 1803 Rachel Lane, widow, had two draws; orphans of James Lane, one draw. In 1811 there is a petition of Mark Anthony administrator of estate of James Lane, decsd, to divide the slaves, etc. Rachel survived him many years, was living in Wilkes Co., Ga. in 1830 and the Bible record of Clement C Billingslea records, "Rachel Lane died 25 July 1833."

#### Children

i William T. Lane: b 1790. Was living in 1806 and had one draw in the Lottery of that year. One William Lane was living in Wilkes Co., Ga. in 1830, married and had 5 children, not known if same man. He is not listed in this In Co. in 1850.

ii Mark Anthony Lane: b 1793. Had one draw in Land Lottery of 1806, one draw on Lottery of 1821, and one draw in Lottery of 1832, was living in Wilkes Co., Ga. in 1830, and not listed in this Co. for 1850.

iii Rachel Lane: b 1795, m or d before 1820.

iv Sarah Anthony Lane: b 29 Oct. 1797, married Clement Clay Billingslea, No. 113, which see.

v Micajah Anthony Lane: b 1800, m prior to 1820 Lucinda Hester, b Ga. 1805. He was a Baptist minister, both were living in 1850 and resided Wilkes Co., Ga. They had, known:

1 Lucinda Lane: b 1820.

2 James H. Lane: b 1822, m prior to 1845 Mary C. Simpson, b Ga. 1826. He was a physician, resided Wilkes Co., Ga. They had, known:

a Marshall H. Lane: b 1845, m Undine Brown, resided Wilkes Co., Ga. They had, known

al Undine B. Lane: b 18-, m G. Pinson Dozier, resided Washington, Ga. D. A. R. No. 59685.

b Robert (?) Lane: b 1847.

c Mary A. R. Lane: b Feb. 1850.

3 Son: b 1825.

4 Bolling L. Lane: b 1829.

5 Sarah F. Lane: b 1832.

6 Andrew J. Lane: b 1836.

7 George N. Lane: b 1840.

#### 114 REBECCA (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*William 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Greene County, Georgia 30 October 1796. She was reared in the home of her uncle, Francis J. Billingslea, Wilkes County, Georgia where she

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married 24 June 1811 Barnett Moore, born Georgia circa 1792. They, moved to Morgan County, Georgia and later to Greene County where he died about 1841. She survived many years and died 12 July 1863. There is stated to have been sixteen children, there were several families of this name in Greene County and it has been impossible to separate all of them.

Children: (known)

i John C. Moore: b 1813, m prior to 1836 Margaret b Ga. 1816, both living in 1870 in Morgan Co., Ga. They had:

1 William B. Moore: b 1836.

2 James Moore: b 1838.

3 Mary M. Moore: b 1840.

4 Henry C. Moore: b 1842.

5 Thomas F. Moore: b 1844.

6 Ida Moore: b 1847.

7 Margaret Tallulah Moore: b June 1850.

8 Jane Moore: b 1855.

9 Cora B. Moore: b 1858.

ii Clement Billingslea Moore: b 1817 Greene Co., Ga. He lived a great portion of his boyhood with his uncle, Dr. C. C. Billingslea, with whom he studied medicine and became a physician, moved to Wetumpka, Ala. About 1842-3 and m 1 May 1845 Jacquilline Louise King, b Ala. in 1828. They moved to Dallas Co., Ala. where he practiced his profession and died 19 May 1896. She was living in 1880. They had:

1 Jacquilline Louisa Moore: b 1851-52, m 15 Oct. 1872 Hugh S. D. Mallory, b 6 Feb. 1848 Talledega Co., Ala. he was a grad. Univ. of Va. 1868 L.L.B. and was a prominent lawyer in his day and time. She died in 1918 and he died 10 Mar.

1920. He was an Odd Fellow and a Mason, family Baptists. Resided Dallas Co., Ala. They had

a Hugh Mallory: b 30 Oct. 1874. U. S. Naval Academy 1891-92, A.B. Univ. of Va. 1895, L.L.B. Cumberland Univ. 1897, m Claude Melvin, reside Selma, Ala.

b Louise Mallory: b 1877, m James C. Privett.

c Kathleen Moore Mallory: b 24 Jan. 1879 A. B. Gaucher College, Balto, Md. 1902. Teacher and author, resides Baltimore, Md.

d Elizabeth F. Mallory: b 188-, m T. W. Dansby, reside Vicksburg, Miss.

e Irma B. Mallory: b 188-, m Edgar A. Stewart, reside Selma, Ala.

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f James V. Mallory: b 188-; resides Mobile, Ala.

g. Clement B. Mallory: b 18-, died inf.

2 Clement B. Moore, Jr.: b 1854.

3 Leila A. Moore: b 1859.

4 Edward A. Moore: b 1862.

5 Byrd Lee Moore: b 1866.

6 Downing Moore: b 1873.

iii Barnett D. Moore: b 1820, m 1849 Sarah J., b Ga. 1829, resided Greene Co., Ga. in 1850. No subsequent record.

iv Franklin Moore: b 1824, m prior to 1870 Lucy, b Ga. 1837, resided Greene Co., Ga. in 1870. No record of children.

v Margaret Moore: b 1829, m or d before 1860.

vi Ellen Moore: b 1831, m or d before 1870.

vii Matilda Moore: b 1833, m or d before 1870.

viii Hortense Moore: b 1835; m prior to 1857 Philip Devant, b Ga. 1834, both living in 1870, resided Green Co., Ga.

They had:

1 Edward Devant: b 1857.

2 Matthew Devant: b 1859.

3 Gertrude Devant: b 1861.

4 Martha Devant: b 1866.

5 Clement Devant: b 1869:

ix Frances Moore: b 1837.

x Elizabeth Moore: b 1837, a twin of Frances. They were both living in 1900 on the old homestead in Greene Co., Ga. and unmarried.

xi William Moore: b 1841, m prior to 1865 Mary, b Ga. 1846, both living in 1870, and resided Greene Co., Ga. They had, known:

1 Lena Moore: b 1865.

2 Ann Moore: b 1867.

3 Warren Moore: b Dec. 1869.

115 MARY (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*Walter 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1793, she moved to Greene County, Georgia with her mother about 1797 and then to Baldwin County about 1806. On the reorganization of this County in 1808 it became Morgan and Jasper Counties and on: or about February 1810 she moved to Jasper County where she met and married the latter part of the year 1810 Seymour Scott Byrom, born Georgia in 17-. The first book of marriages in Jasper County is from 1808 to 1810 inclusive, only year is given with

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names and this marriage from its location in the record must have occurred in the last quarter of 1810.

Mr. Seymour B. Byrom, of Byromville, Ga. has furnished us with an outline of the Byrom family. "William Byrom and his wife, Mary Ann Fretwell, . migrated from Virginia to Wilkes County, Georgia in 1786; Mary Ann was deceased prior to 1808 at which time William and his sons, John and Seymour Scott, moved to Jasper County, Georgia. John Byrom married Cynthia Hardwick Fitzpatrick. He was appointed guardian in 1814 for the only child of his brother, he died in 1819 and Jarrell Beasley was appointed guardian. Seymour Scott Byrom married Polly Billingslea, he died 9 November 1814." The Byrom burying ground was on the farm owned by William Byrom located on Lot 169, the 13<sup>th</sup> District, Jasper County, now known as the Goolesby place. In 1912 the old cemetery was cleared and new slabs placed on the seven graves it contains. The exact date of Polly's death is not known tho she died in Jasper County. The absence of any further mention of her after the birth of her only child, and the location of her grave in this burying ground seems to indicate that she predeceased her husband and that she died soon after the birth of her child.

Children:

i Eliza Narcissus Byrom (8) : b 19 Nov. 1813.

### 116 JOSEPH LAWYER (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*Walter 6, Francis 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1800, moved to Baldwin County, Georgia about 1805 and to Alabama about 1822 with his father. He married prior to 1824 Sarah Elizabeth Simely, born Georgia in 1806, resided Montgomery County, Alabama to latter part of year 1832 then moved to Warren County, Mississippi where he engaged in farming. He dated his will 1 April 1843 and died before August of 1843, said will probated in August term of court. Sarah named sole legatee in trust for children, not named. (Lib. A, fol. 138.) In 1846 Sarah was appointed guardian of estate of Nancy M. Billingslea et al. She survived him many years. She was listed in 1860 with \$7,500 in real estate and \$40,000 in personal estate, the civil war depleted this considerably. She died in 1886 and her estate was administered by Walter Billingslea, etc. Family Methodists.

Children

i Walter R.: b 1824 Ala., moved to Warren Co., Miss. with his parents. He m (1) 9 June 1844 Rebecca Jane Reece, b Miss. in 1829. He was administrator to estate of James A. Fowlkes in 1859 and appointed guardian for his children. Rebecca died about 1884 and he m (2) 27 Oct. 1886 Ellen Wilkins. He died about 1889 and she m (2) 4 Dec



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1890 F. W. Dalton. No children . of record. Resided Warren Co., Miss.

ii Joseph L., Jr.: b 1826 Ala., d in 1840's.

iii Alcey Jane: b 1828 Ala., moved to Miss. with her parents and m 8 Nov. 1845, license date on which there is no return, George Markham, b Ala. 1808. Resided Warren Co., Miss. Both were living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Walter Billingslea Markham: b 1849 Miss.

2 Aubin Markham: b 1851, m or d before 1880.

3 Henry Markham: b 1853, died small.

4 Mary Virginia Markham, b 1855, m or d before 1880.

5 Sarah Markham: b 1857, m (1) prior to 1878 John Birdsong, b Va. 1850, he died and she m (2) Walter Fowlkes, her 1<sup>st</sup> cousin, she was deceased prior to 1932. They had, known:

a Markham Birdsong: b 1878.

b Mary Pierce Fowlkes: b 18-, see below.

6 Lucy Markham: b 1864-65.

iv Francis (?) : b 1830 Ala., died 1840's.

v Nancy M.: b 1833 Warren Co., Miss., m 22 Jan. 1851 James A. Fowlkes, b S.C. 1825, son of James Fowlkes, b S.C. 1798, d Miss. 1850's. She died about 1855, and he died in 1859, estate administered by Walter R. Billingslea who was made guardian for the children. They had:

1 Mary Fowlkes: b 1852.

2 Walter Fowlkes: b 1855, m after 1880 Sarah Markham, widow of John Birdsong, see above. They had, known:

a Mary Pierce Fowlkes: b 18-, m Cameron, and resides Hattiesburg, Miss. 1932.

vi Sarah Elizabeth (8) : b 25 Mar. 1837.

vii James E.: b 1839 Warren Co., Miss. He enlisted 26 Apr. 1862 at Vicksburg, Sgt. G, 1<sup>st</sup> Miss. Light Arty., C. S. A.; July 1862 absent sick; Aug. 1862 present; Sept. 1862 Q. M. Sgt. Battery was in action at Baker's Creek 16 May 1863 and became separated, his section went to Vicksburg and was captured 4 July 1863, paroled 7 July 1863. A roll Oct. 1863 shows him A. W. O. L. Roll Apr. 1864, absent on 3 days' leave. No further record. He returned home after the war and died unmarried.

viii Laura Cornelius: b 1843 Warren Co., Miss., m (1) a McNeil in early 1860's, not stated if he died or a divorce, she m (2) Wilson Bell, b Ky. 18-, he was a captain in C. S. Army. They resided Greenville, Miss. then moved to Warren Co., and later to Jackson, Miss. where he died 1904-5, she survived him and died the summer of 1918 in Warren Co., Miss. They had:

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1 Joseph Lawyer Bell: b 26 Apr. 1868, Greenville, Miss. Grad. M. D. 1892 Ky., m 18 Apr. 1900 at Cincinnati, Ohio, Elizabeth N. Lytle, b Ohio 20 Feb. 1877. He is Major in Medical Reserve Corps, reside Berkeley, Calif. No children.  
2 Lillye Audrey Bell: b 26 Apr. 1870 Bovina, Miss., m Carl: Peterson, she died 25 Oct. 1928 at St. Louis, Mo. s.p.  
1867. Reside El Paso, Tex. They had:

a Wilson Henshaw Raum: b 21 Mar. 1892, d 23 Apr. 1917.

117 CYRUS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis J. 6; Francis 5; William. 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1803, resided in Wilkes and Taliaferro County, Georgia with his parents. He married prior to: 1827 Mary born Georgia 1809. They moved to Chambers County, Alabama about 1836 where they purchased a farm and spent the rest of their days. Mary was living in 1860 and apparently deceased before 1870. Cyrus was listed. with an estate of \$46,000 in 1860 and appears to have lost most of it during the war. He died: in the early 1870's.

Children: (known)

i Mary: b 1827 Ga.

ii. Cyrus: b 1828 Ga., died 1831.

iii. Francis J.: b 1829: Ga., moved to Ala. with his parents and m 1850 Mary Frances Skinner, b Ga. 1833. They moved to Conecuh Co., Ala. where he owned a farm valued at 9,400 in 1860. He enlisted as Pvt. B: 3d Ala. Cav., C.S.A. on 29 Sept. 1861 and appointed 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Promoted to Capt. 1 Mar. 1863.. No subsequent military record: They moved to Memphis, Tenn. in 1866 and then moved to Crawford Co., Mo. about 1869. He is listed as a school teacher in 1870. They had, known:

1 William A.: b.1852 Ala.

2 Martha Cornelia: b 1853.

3 Cyrus: b 1857.

4 Louisa L.: b Nov. 1859.

5 Francis J.: b 1864.

6 Frances: b 1867 Tenn.

iv. Cyrus: b 1832 Ga., died 1843 Ala. m Louisa, J.: b.1835 Ga. Was living and unmarried in 1860.

vi John P.: b.1837 Chambers Co., Ala. He migrated to Texas about 1860. He enlisted 1 Feb. 1862 at Nocogdoches as

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Pvt. A, 17<sup>th</sup> Tex. Cav., C. S. A. He was discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability 31 July 1862 at Little Rock, Ark. for dislocation of the tibia, 18 months' standing. He evidently reenlisted as he appears on a list of paroles at Brownsville, Tex. 17 July 1865, residence stated as of Washington Co., Tex. No subsequent record of him. He is shown as five feet and three inches in height, black eyes and black hair.

vii Clement G.: b 1844 Chambers Co., Ala. He enlisted at Auburn, Ala. 9 Apr. 1862 as Pvt. D, 37<sup>th</sup> Ala. Inf., C. S. A., no subsequent military record. He m in 1870's Sallie J., b Ala. 1845, was residing on old homestead in Chambers Co., Ala. in 1880. No children of record.

#### 118 JAMES W. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis J.*, 6, *Francis* 5, *William* 4, *William* 3, *John* 2, *Francis* 1.) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1807, resided in Wilkes and Taliaferro Counties. He married (1) 10 September 1832 Sabrina Sarah Simmons, born Georgia in 181-, she died *circa* 1837 and he married (2) 8 March 1838 Susan R. Simmons, born Georgia 18-, she died 1844-46 and he married (3) 13 September 1848 Elizabeth Ann Portwood, born Georgia *circa* 1827. Resided Taliaferro County, Georgia for many years then moved to Dougherty County, Georgia where he engaged in farming. He was listed with an estate of \$5,000 in 1870, both were living in 1880 and he is stated to have died in the fall of 1881, he left no will nor is there any record of any administration of his estate.

#### Children:

i William Alexander (8): b 20 Feb. 1834.

ii Sarah Sabrina: b 14 Sept. 1835 Taliaferro Co., Ga. She married 15 Nov. 1857 Milton Creighton, b Ga. 1820, she died 4 Nov. 1914, resided Dougherty Co., No mention of his death. They had:

1 John W. Creighton: b 1858, m , he was deceased in 1932. They had:

a Clara Creighton: b Mar 1883, m Newman, she died 17 Oct. 1927.

b Mamie Alice Creighton: b 2 Sept. 1884, m Marable.

c Frances Lenora Creighton: b Feb. 1885, m Johnson.

d Robert Emmett Creighton: b 1 Apr. 1886.

e Anna Pearl Creighton: b Feb. 1888.

f Louie Lane Creighton: b 3 Dec. 1890, m Burns.

g Emily Elizabeth Creighton: b 30 Apr. 1892. Resides Athens, Ga.

h Grace Delis Creighton: b 13 Sept. 1895, m Hendry.

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Agnes Creighton: b 13 Sept. 1895, a twin, m E.R. Jackson, reside Atlanta, Ga.

2 James Billingslea Creighton: b 4 Aug. 1860 at Albany, Ga. He m Tracie (?) English, he was deceased in 1932. They had:

a Sabrina Creighton: b 18-, m Smith she is deceased.

b Pauline Creighton: b 18-, m W. S. Brantley, reside Atlanta, Ga.

c Estelle Creighton: b 18-, m Thomas Fussell, reside Griffin, Ga.

d James Guy Creighton: b 18-.

3 Mary Elizabeth Creighton: b 15 July 1864, m L. P. Hutchinson, reside Atlanta, Ga. She has furnished information on this family. No children living.

4 Francis Milton Creighton: b 15 Oct. 1866, m He was deceased prior to 1932. They had:

a Irene Creighton: m Tyson.

b Edith Creighton: m A. J. Bell, reside Americus, Ga.

c Marian Creighton: m Hodges.

d Gerald Jarome Creighton: b 1900.

e Deborah Creighton.

f Francis Milton Creighton.

5 Hattie Sabrina Creighton: b 15 Mar. 1870, m a Mr. Massey. She was deceased in 1932. No mention of his death, or where they resided. They had:

a Lucy Ethlyn Massey: b 3 Nov. 1895, resides Chattanooga, Tenn. b Kate Sabrina Massey: b 28 Apr. 1898, m J. J. Phillips, reside Chattanooga, Tenn. c William Lewis Massey: b 1 Nov. 1900. d Ernest Newton Massey: b 15 Jan. 1905.

iii Martha: b 1840, 2d wife, m prior to 1860 a Mr. Allen, she died sine prole.

iv Frances: b 1842, m after 1860 a Mr. McNair, she was deceased prior to 1932, left three children now living, names and addresses not known.

v Lucinda Mary: b 1844, m. 15 Dec. 1868 Jesse L. Reynolds, she died 14 Mar. 1871. They had:

1 Jessie B. Reynolds: b 14 Sept. 1869, m 14 Dec. 1887, Benjamin Lee Edwards, resided Ga. Family Baptists. They had:

a Garnett Lee Edwards: b 3 Mar. 1890. Enlisted as Pvt. in World War and was 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. at close of the war. Student at Medical College, Augusta, Ga. about 1930.

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vi Susan: b 1853, 3d wife, died in 1860's.

vii Ella J.: b 1856, died in 1870's.

### 119 NANCY SCOTT (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*Cyrus 6, Francis 6, William 4, William 3, John R, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1807, moved to Morgan County, Georgia with her parents where she married 26 August 1824 William Ware, born Georgia in 1804. See Ware Excursus. There appears to be some uncertainty among some of her descendants as to her name and they claim it was "ANN SCOTT." We have recorded her as written in her father's will and as recorded in census records and other documents. She was legatee in her father's will in 1825. Resided in Morgan County, Georgia and moved to Perry County, Alabama about 1838 where she died in the late 1850's. He was a lawyer and was living in 1860, no record of his death.

Children:

i James Ware: b 1826-27 Ga. Was a lawyer, enlisted in Confederate service in 1861 and died in service. Never married.

ii Henry Ware: b 1829 Morgan Co., Ga., moved to Ala. with his parents. In 1850 he is listed as a resident of Dallas Co., Ala. and as a school teacher and resided in the home of Dr. Daniel Long. He married prior to 1856 Louisa E. Long, b Ala. 1836, daughter of above mentioned Dr. Long. See No. 314. They moved to Washington Co., Ala. where he engaged in farming and resided till after 1880 they moved to Bladon Springs, Ala. where they both died and are buried. We have not been able to secure any details of the family tho several of the children have been located. They had, known:

1 William H. Ware: b 1856-57, m 1879 Sophia P. , b Ala. 1859, resided Washington Co., Ala. in 1880.

2 Daniel J. Ware: b 1859.

3 Martha Louise Ware: b 1861, m prior to 1880 Levin Jefferson Wilson, she resided Albertsville, Ala. 1932 meager information informs they had:

a Carrol Wilson.

b Leroy Wilson.

c Henry Wilson.

d Mollie Wilson.

e Lucille Wilson.

f Frances Wilson.

(From other sources we learn that one daughter m John W. Luke and resides Birmingham, Ala. Another one m Thomas E. Orr, lawyer, of Albertsville, Ala.).

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4 Thomas B. Ware: b 1865.

5 Louisa E. Ware: b Jan. 1870.

6 Annie Ware: b 1873.

iii Harriet Ware: b 2 Mar. 1832 Morgan Co., Ga., moved to Perry Co., Ala. with her parents where she married (1) and prior to 1853 Robert J. Glenn, b Hancock Co., Ga. 27 Feb. 1816, son of Robert Billups Glenn and Mary Lewis. Robert J. Glenn first married 10 May 1847 at Marion, Ala. Mary Caroline Blassingame; she died about 1849-50 at Montgomery and he married (2) . as above stated at Uniontown, Ala. He died 5 May 1858 in Montgomery, Ala. and Harriet married (2) prior to 1870 Henry Clay Billingslea, b Ga. 1846, son of Francis J. Billingslea, No. 120. Resided Montgomery, Ala. No children of record by second marriage. They had:

1 Mary Blassingame Glenn: b 1849, 1<sup>ST</sup> wife, m 29 Nov. 1876 Judge Robert C. Brickell.

2 Robert J. Glenn, Jr.: b 1853, died inf.

3 William Ware Glenn: b 1855, died inf.

4 Anna S. Glenn: b 1857, died act. 14 years

5 Lela R. Glenn: b 1859, married Charles L. Peacher, of Montgomery, Ala. She was deceased prior to 1921. They had a Charles L. Peacher: resides Montgomery, Ala. 1931.

b Annie Glenn Peacher: m H. Chandler Copeland, no children.

c Lela Peacher: m Eugene S. Ware, said to be 1<sup>st</sup> cousins, resided Birmingham, Ala. 1932. They had:

cl Annie Glenn Ware: b 1-, m Rudolf C. Sharp.

iv Hudson Tate Ware: b 1834 Ga., m prior to 1859 Martha (Patty) Glatcher, b Ala. 1838, resided Washington Co., Ala. in 1860. They had, known:

1 William F. Ware: b 1859.

v Martha Ware: b 1842 Perry Co., Ala., m after 1870 James F. Billingslea, son of Francis J. Billingslea, No. 120. No record of any children.

vi Virginia Ware: b 1845 Ala., died in 1860's.

120 FRANCIS JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(Cyrus 6, Francis 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Morgan County, Georgia in 1810. He was legatee in his father's will to land, etc., and was named one of the executors, when he came of age. He was generally known as James F. Billingslea. He married (1) 29 November 1830 Mary Jane Wade, she died and he married (2) 29 November

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1832 in Morgan County, Georgia Clementine J. Brown, born Georgia in 1816, daughter of John Brown, born Georgia 1792, living in 1850, and Burchet, born North Carolina 1802, living in 1850. Resided Morgan County many years then moved to Greene County, Georgia prior to 1850 where he died in 1858. A Bill to legalize the purchase of real estate by Mrs. Clementine J. Billingslea, administratrix of estate of James F. Billingslea, late of Greene Co., Ga. was passed in the legislature in 1858. (House *Jour. P.* X87.) She survived him some years, was living in 1870 in Greene Co. and is said to have died and buried at Opelika, Alabama.

Children:

i Missouri Ann Edrington (8) : 5 Aug. 1834.

ii James Francis: b 1838. He enlisted 26 June 1861 as Pvt. A, Philips Legion, Ga., C. S. A. On 31 Oct. 1861 sick at Lynchburg, Va. On 30 Nov. 1862, wounded at Manassas and at home on sick furlough. On 31 Dec. 1862 roll shows: "Arm shot off in battle of Manassas and at home Greensboro, Ga. On Feb. 1863 promoted to 1<sup>st</sup> Corp. Oct. 1863 reduced to the ranks and assigned to duty in Ga. No further military record. He was living in Greene Co., Ga. in 1870 and subsequently moved to Perry Co., Ala. where he married Martha, daughter of William Ware and Nancy Scott Billingslea, b 1842 and 1<sup>st</sup> cousins. Resided in Perry Co., Ala. No record of children.

iii Elizabeth: b 1840, m a Mr. Perdue and moved to Texas.

iv Anna: b 1844, m prior to 1870 William F. Willis, b Ga. 1834, she died 1887-88. They had:

1 Alonzo Williams.

v Henry Clay: b 1846 Ga., moved to Montgomery, Ala. before 1870 and married Harriet Ware, daughter of William Ware and Nancy Scott Billingslea, No. 119, and widow of Robert J. Glenn. Both living in 1880 in Ala. No children of record.

vi Mary E.: b 1849, m after 1870 Wad Thompson, moved to Opelika, Ala. No record of children.

vii Alexander Stephens: b 1851. Living in 1870, died unmarried and buried in Greene Co., Ga.

#### 121 ANN FLEWELLEN (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Clinton, Georgia 10 January 1819. There appears to be some differences concerning her exact name, her own descendants claim she is recorded in the family Bible as "Ann" while the descendants of her sister, Mary Elizabeth, claim she was named "Nancy." We are using the name of "Ann" as found in authentic documents, census records, etc. She married

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4 April 1834 William John Howard, born Augusta, Georgia 3 June 1811, resided in Georgia and moved to Coosa County, Alabama about 1839 and later moved to Macon County, Alabama where they spent the rest of their days. She died 6 October 1870 and he died 7 November 1873.

Children:

i Elizabeth Billingslea Howard: b 28 Sept. 1835, died 4 Nov. 184?.

ii Amanda Louisa Howard: b 25 Dec. 1837, moved to Ala. with her parents in 1839. In 1850 she was residing with her grandmother in Clinton, Ga. She m 3 June 1858 James R. Stewart, b S. C. on 15 Apr. 1835, of Montgomery, Ala. where they resided and she died 24 Dec. 1899, he survived her some years and died 3 Nov. 1920. They had:

1 Tennant Lomax Stewart: b 1859, m Lula V. Morrison, they had 2 sons and 1 daughter.

2 Ann Flewellen Stewart: b 186-, m (1) 4 Apr. 1894, George McCombs, of Montgomery, Ala. He died and she m (2) 1 June 1916 Charles J. Beane, he died about 1923, she was living in 1924. They had:

a Joseph McCombs: b ca 1896, m prior to 1924 Elizabeth Wood, granddaughter of Frances A. Billingslea, No. 122, which see. Resided Atlanta, Ga. In 1925. They had:

al Daughter: b 19-.

b Stewart McCombs: b 1-, was unmarried in 1924.

iii Alice Ware Howard: b 13 Oct. 1839, m 5 May 1858 R. H. Ramsey, she died Dec. 1903, they are said to have had 1 daughter and several sons, residence not stated.

iv Caroline Claudia Howard: b 19 Nov. 1842. She married (1) N.H. Clanton, b Ga. 1802 and undoubtedly his 2d wife as he was listed in Macon Co., Ala. in 1850 with a wife named Sarah A., b S. C. 1813 and Caroline was not married until 13 Oct. 1863. He had a son, William b 1845 Ala. at the time of this marriage. He died about 1869 and she married (2) 8 Mar. 1871 Dr. Francis Marion Letcher. He died about 1916 and she was living in 1924 with her daughter in Atlanta, Ga. They had:

1 William Clanton: b 1845 Ala. step son.

2 William Howard Clanton: b 1865, m a Miss Pope.

3 Annie Elizabeth Clanton: b 186-, m (1) 9 Nov. 1892 Dr. M. N. Due, he died and she m (2) F. M. Loveless. She was living in 1924 in Atlanta, Ga. She furnished information on this family and possessed the old Billingslea Bible. They had:



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a Juliette Clanton Due: b 2 Oct. 1893, m 23 Mar. 1915 Howard T. Lewis, residence not stated. They had:

al Howard T. Lewis, Jr.: b 23 Oct. 1918.

4 Marion Letcher: b 4 Sept. 1872 Macon Co., Ala. A.B. Univ. Ala. in 1894, m 7 Nov. 1901 Marilla Ingram of Coweta Co., Ga. He was Consul General at Copenhagen in 1926, see Who's Who 1925-26. Said to have had several daughters. He was at one time a member of the District of Columbia Society Sons of the American Revolution, but resigned some years ago.

5 Joseph Bozeman Letcher: b Aug. 1874.

6 Charles Julian Letcher: b 5 Jan. 1877.

7 Metcalf Letcher: b 4 July 1879.

8 John Talbott Letcher: b Dec. 1881. He was a lawyer and resided in Montgomery, Ala. he m and died about 1912 leaving no children. He was interested in the family records and delved into, the Billingslea history but unfortunately he based his foundation upon the traditional story which Clement B. White appears to be the author and naturally he did not succeed in making any headway in the solution of the early generations. Claudia Helen Letcher: b 27 Oct. 1886.

v Charles Abercrombie Howard: b 15 Dec. 1844, m Mary Pierce. He was living 1924. Montgomery, Ala.

vi Henry Slatter Howard: b 15 Mar. 1847, died 26 Aug. 1868.

vii Ann Parish Howard: b 8 Mar. 1849, m Dec. 1867 H B. Metcalf, she died Mar. 1903.

### 122 FRANCES AMANDA (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis t .*) Born in Clinton, Georgia 22 July 1822. She married (1) 7 March 1839 Jesse F. Jordan, born Georgia 14 January 1818, a son of G. H. and Elizabeth Jordan natives of North Carolina. They moved to Macon County, Alabama about 1840 where he died 26 December 1848. She married (2) after 1850 Thomas B. Jordan, born Georgia 25 October 1819. They resided in Montgomery, Alabama in 1870, she died 26 April 1890 and he died 23 November 1891. No children by second marriage.

#### Children

i Jesse J. Jordan: b 1840 Ga., m .Kate Nettles. They had:

1 Mary Jordan: b 18-, m McLendon.

2 Susia Jordan: b 18-, m a Mr. Wood. They had a daughter, Elizabeth who m Joseph McCombs, see No. 121.

3 Calebe Jordan: b 18-, m Walker.

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4 Child: b 18-.

ii Elizabeth A. Jordan: b 18 July 1841 Ala., m prior to 1862 Thomas Walker Reynolds, b Ala. 1838, resided Montgomery, Ala. where he was President of 4<sup>th</sup> National Bank. She died 20 Feb. 1921. They had:

1 Jessie A. Reynolds: b 28 Feb. 1862, m Findlay, res. Atlanta, Ga.

2 Thomas Jordan Reynolds: b 27 Jan. 1864, m (1) Mary E. Mitchell, b 16 May 1866, she died 2 Feb. 1891 and he m (2) Mary Emily Allen. No record of children.

3 Walker J. Reynolds: b 20 Sept. 1865, m Fanny Virgin.

4 Henry Perley Reynolds: b 2 Dec. 1867, died 29 Nov 1910.

5 Jordan F. Reynolds: b 2 Dec. 186?, a twin of Henry P.

6 Gibson Reynolds: b 16 Jan. 1877. He is a physician, resided Montgomery, Ala. in 1925 and unmarried.

## 123 MARY ELIZABETH (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*James 6, Francis b, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Clinton, Georgia 2 November 1823. She married 4 September 1841 in Georgia, Americus Columbus Mitchell, born Georgia 18 November 1819. Resided in Russell County, Alabama where he built the Mitchell home which was standing in 1924 and called "Glenville." He was State Senator and a Captain of Home Guards in the civil war. He died in 1892 and she died in 1895, both buried at Glenville.

Children:

i Julius C. Mitchell: b 1842, m Georgia Flewellen, he died about 1874, buried at Glenville, Ala.

ii James B. Mitchell: b 28 July 1844. Was an officer in the Confederate Army. He married 22 Jan. 1869 Rebecca Stone Ryan. He served as State Senator and was appointed a Justice of the Supreme Court. He died 24 Feb. 1891, resided at Seale, Ala. They had:

1 Americus Mitchell: b 23 Dec. 1870. Grad. of West Point, m Miriam M. Atkinson. Reside Ala.

2 Frances Phillips Mitchell: b 187-, unmarried 1931.

3 James B. Mitchell: b 187-.

4 William A. Mitchell: b 30 Nov. 1877. Grad. West Point, Col. Eng. Corps, m Margery N. Brady. They had:

a Joseph B. Mitchell.

b William A. Mitchell.

c Margery Frances Mitchell.

5 Mary Mitchell: b 18-, m Harold C. Fiske, U. S. A., b N. Y. 1 Mar. 1880.

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iii William A. Mitchell: b 1846, m. Annie T. Dawson, he died in 1896 at Eufala, Ala. iv Anne Elizabeth Mitchell: b 1848, died infancy. v Americus C. Mitchell: b 18 July 1850, m (1) Ann Snyder; (2) Susan Dawson; (3) Lily Drewry. He died about 1899 at Eufala, Ala.

vi Mary E. Mitchell: b 16 May 1866, m Thomas J. Reynolds, she died 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 1891 at Montgomery, Ala.

The following note was furnished by Col. William A. Mitchell, U. S. A. about 1923. John. Mitchell was of Dinwiddie Co., Va. where John (2) his son was born 1748. John (2) and his brother, Thomas, moved to Hancock Co., Ga. and served in the Revolution and were given grants of land. John married Sarah, daughter of James Thweat and Sarah Sturdevant, lived and died in Hancock Co., Ga. Their children were: (order not stated)

i John. Mitchell: b 17-, m Elizabeth Wood.

ii Thomas Mitchell: b 17-, m Mary (Polly) Wood. They

had a daughter, Martha, who married Young Stokes. Ware, son of Robert Ware, Dr. C. C. Billingslea was the bondsman. See Ware Excursus.

iii Martha Mitchell: b 17-, m Jesse Sanford.

iv William Mitchell:- b 17-, m. Martha Hill.

v Julius Caesar Bonaparte Mitchell: b 24 July 1795. He married 20 May 181? Catherine Daniel, b 4 Mar. 1799. Resided Jones Co., Ga. to about 1832 when they moved to Barbour Co., Ala., this portion of Barbour later became Russell Co. He died 30 Jan. 1848. Catherine died ca 1876, both buried at Glenville, Ala. They had:

1 Americus Columbus Mitchell: b 18 Nov. 1819 Ga. See above.

vi Augustus C. Mitchell: b 1-, m Elizabeth Hill.

vii James Mitchell: b 1-, m a Miss Jordan.

viii Elizabeth Mitchell: b 1-, m Henry Blake.

ix Henry Mitchell: b 1-, m Sophia Hill.

x Uriah Mitchell: b 1-, m a Miss Wilson.

124 SAMUEL W. (7) BILLINGSLEA

(John 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Wilkes County, Georgia December 1801. He was left an orphan at five years of age and was reared in the home of his Atkins relations. He and his brother migrated to Alabama when he was about 17 years of age. He married (1) January 1819 Martha ., born Georgia 1800. They resided in Shelby County, Alabama to about 1835 when Martha died. He moved to Montgomery County, Arkansas where he married (2) in 1837

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Sarah Huddleston, a widow, born Louisiana in 1809, she had a son, Eli, at the time of this marriage, she had a sister, Fida Adaline, born Louisiana in 1820 who married John G. Stroope, born Louisiana 1815, resided Clark County, Arkansas in 1860, he died in 1864 and she moved to Bosque County, Texas with her brother in law after the civil war, they had six children. About 1843 Samuel moved to Clark County, Arkansas where he engaged in farming in addition to his trade of wheelwright and blacksmith, Sarah died in 1852 and he married (3) in 1853 Seletha, widow of George Samuel Billingsley, see Number 71, born Georgia in 1823, she was s daughter of William McCrary and had two children at the time of this marriage. During the civil war this section of Clark County was infested by a considerable number of bushwhackers who robbed the homes of those whose men were in service. The home. of Samuel was a constant object of prey to them and cost the lives of two of his sons and two step sons trying to defend their parents and home. After the war Samuel considered this locality unsafe and moved to Bosque County, Texas about 1866. He was appointed Postmaster at Meridian 24 November 1868 and served to 23 December 1870. Seletha was living in 1870 and he is stated to have died about 1879.

Children:

i Robert James (8) : b 7 Sept. 1819.

ii Samuel W.: b 1822 Shelby Co., Ala. Went to Calif. in the Gold Rush and no subsequent record. He was never heard from again.

iii Martha: b 1826 Ala., died 1833.

iv John: b 1828 Ala., died 1839.

v Lucy Ann: b 1830 Ala., m 1846 in Ark. Henry S. Whitamore, b N.C. 1822. They moved to Ga. then moved to Tenn. and returned to Clark Co., Ark. about 1853, both were living in 1860. They had, known:

1 John H. Whitamore: b 1847 Ga.

2 Lucy Ann Whitamore: b 1850 Ga., died small.

3 Sarah E. Whitamore: b 1852 Tenn.

4 Joseph H. Whitamore: b 1853 Ark. went to Texas with his grandfather in 1866.

5 William H. Whitamore: b 1855.

6 Woodson D. Whitamore: b 1857.

vi Martha: b 1835 Shelby Co., Ala., m prior to 1851 Thomas Morgan, b Ga. 1832, she died Jan. 1857 Clark Co., Ark.

They had:

1 Thomas Morgan: b 1851, died inf.

2 Martha Morgan: b 1854.

3 Samuel Jesse Morgan: b Dec. 1856. Children: (2d wife) vii Eli Huddleston: b 1830 Ark., step son, was living in Parker Co., Texas in 1860 unmarried.

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viii Samuel A.J.: b 1839 Montgomery Co., Ark. He m in 1857 Polly, b Ga. 1840. He enlisted under name of Samuel A. Billingsley 23 Oct. 1861 Pvt. Co. F, 2d Ark. Mtd. Rifles, C. S. A. for 1 year. Rolls for Dec. 1861 and Feb. 1862 show him on sick leave. Apr. 1862 not stated if present or absent, Oct. 1862 show present with company. Records do not show a discharge or a reenlistment. Rolls June, Aug. and Oct. 1863 show him present with company. He is not shown on any subsequent rolls of this regiment. On 14 Feb. 1864 one "Samuel A. Billingslea" enlisted as Pvt. Co. L, 4<sup>th</sup> Ark. Cav. U. S., born Montgomery Co., Ark., age 25 years, five feet and 8 inches in height, blue eyes, and a farmer, transferred to 2d Mo. Batt. Arty., U. S. 29 May 1864. Deserted 12 Nov. 1864 at Little Rock, Ark. All indications that this record refers to one man. The family tradition is that he deserted and returned home to protect his parents who were being persecuted by bushwhackers and was killed by them early in 1865. Only child of record is:  
1 Agatha: b 1859.

ix Sarah: b 1841 Ark., m (1) prior to 1860 a Mr. McCullough, he died and she m (2) a Mr. Lashbrook, she died in 1909 in Calif. They had, known

1 R. G. McCullough.

2 Dee Lashbrook. He was living in Saunas, Calif. at last accounts.

x Wilson S.: b 1842, m 1860 Elizabeth, b Ga. 1843. He enlisted 23 Oct. 1861 at Pvt. Co. F, 2d Ark. Mtd. Rifles, C.S.A. Rolls Feb. to Oct. 1862 show him "Absent sick." Roll Feb. 1863 shows "Left sick at Corinth, Miss." Rolls June and Oct. 1863 "Absent sick in Miss." No subsequent military record. The family tradition is that he returned home instead of joining his regiment in order to protect his parents, etc. It is stated that he brought with him a splendid rifle he had secured from some unstated source and that he scored "many notches on the old gum tree" before he was killed about 1864 by the bushwhackers. No record of any children.

xi Emily Caroline: b 1847 Ark. Was living in 1860 and moved to Texas with her father, no subsequent record.

xii Martha: b 8 Aug. 1849 Ark. moved to Texas with her father in 1866 where she m 10 Feb. 1874 James R. Randle, b 16 Mar. 1839, his 2d wife; he was previously married to Miss M. C. Dawson, who died about 1871-72. Martha died 5 Sept. 1915 and he died Nov. 1915. Residence not

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stated tho they probably resided in Bosque Co., or vicinity. They had:

1 Ellen Randle: b 31 Dec. 1866, 1<sup>st</sup> wife, m a Mr. .Faulk, reside Hollis, Okla.

2 Thomas Randle: b 18 Aug. 1869.

3 Elizabeth Randle: b 18 Feb. 1871, died 30 Sept. 1889.

4 John Randle: b 9 Dec. 1876, 2d wife, died 9 Oct. 1906.

5 Lucy Randle: b 28 Apr. 1878, m T. J. Wilkinson, reside Rising Star, Tex.

6 Henry Randle: b 1 Jan. 1880, resides Whitney, Texas.

7 Alabama Randle: b 1 Aug. 1882, m P. R. Masters, reside Marietta, Okla.

8 Pearl Randle: b 27 Jan. 1884 Meridian, Tex., m 2 Nov. 1909 at Whitney, Tex., Joseph Gordon Harwell, b Iredell Co., N. C. 20 Dec. 1887. Reside Abilene, Tex. They had:

a Joseph Gordon Harwell, Jr.: b 21 Dec. 1916 Georgetown, Tex.

b McTyeire Bishop Harwell: b 22 July 1918 Winston Salem, N. C.

c Robert Eugene Harwell: b 3 May 1921 Copperas Cove, Tex.

9 George Randle: b 20 Jan. 1893. Resides San Antonio, Tex.

xiii Lucy: b 13 Mar. 1852 Ark., moved to Texas with her father and m 4 July 1869 Edward Francis, b Montgomery Co., Ala. 6 Jan. 1837, son of John Francis, b Mass., d La. and a Miss West. Edward had brothers John, died C. S. A.; Alexander and Benjamin who were lost trace of after the civil war. Edward was previously married to Eliza R. Hardwick in 1862, she died in 1868, he had 3 children at the time of this 2d marriage. Resided Meridian, Texas where she died 19 July 1911 and he died 10 July 1916. They had:

1 Joseph Edward Francis: b 16 Dec. 1862, 1<sup>st</sup> wife, resides Mineral Wells, Tex.

2 Harvey Nicholas Francis: b 4 Mar. 1866, m , he d 28 Apr. 1920, has a son, Ernest who resides Mineral Wells, Tex.

3 Hettie Francis: b 24 Feb. 1868, m Thomas Gandy, reside .Meridian, Tex.

4 Elsie Francis: b 28 Jan. 1871, 2d wife, m A. A. Jordan, he died May 1904, she resides Dallas, Tex.

5 Clay Francis: b 12 June 1873, m Carrie Fitzgerald, she died 10 Feb. 1930, he resides Waco, Tex.

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6 Henry Francis: b 11 Apr. 1876, m (1) Bettie Fossett, she died 10 Mar. 192? and he m (2) Ethel Snow, reside , Indian Creek, Tex.

7 Isaac Francis: b 30 May 1879, m Cora T. Adams, reside Meridian, Tex.

8 Maggie Francis: b 14 July 1882, died 20 July 1883.

9 Addie Peterl Francis: b 30 Sept. 1887, m George W. Hanson, reside Plainview, Tex.

10 Mary Lee Francis: b 3 May 1896, m 5 June 1924 at Waco, Tex. Walter Lee Irvin, b Taylor Co., Tex. 5 Oct. 1898, reside Meridian, Tex. She has furnished, information on this family. They had:

a Walter Lee Irvin, Jr.: b 13 Jan. 1932 Galveston, Tex.

xiv George William: b 1846 Ga., step son, said to have been killed by bushwhackers about 1863.

xv James: b 1848 Ga., step son, said to have been killed by bushwhackers about 1863-4. xvi Sarah Seletha: b 1854 3d wife, was living in 1870. xvii John B.: b 1857, died small.

125 ASA ATKINS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, Francis b, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in October, 1806, migrated to Alabama when about grown. He used the spelling of Billingsley and married 1830 Margaret H. Crowson, born in 1814; they settled in Shelby County where they resided till 1845 then moved to Camden, Arkansas and in 1848 moved to Saline County, Arkansas where he died in 1849. He was a Mason and member of Royal Arch. She married (2) in 1850 James Bratton, born South Carolina in 1814, she divorced him and married prior to 1860 Hiram Rogers, born 1814. He was deceased in 1880 and she died in 1883.

Children

i William H.: b 1834, died in 1840's.

ii Margaret: b 1838, died 1845.

iii Asa Atkins, Jr.: b 17 Oct. 1844 Shelby Co., Ala., moved to Ark. with his parents in 1845. He enlisted 1 Jan. 1862 Pvt. Co. F, 11<sup>th</sup> Ark. Inf., C. S. A. Captured at Fort Hudson, La. 8 July 1863, on a list of paroles 12 July 1863. He enlisted again 22 Nov. 1863 Pvt. Poe's Batt. Cav. C. S. A. present with company Feb. 1864. No further military record. He married 9 July 1865 Emily, daughter of William Hamilton, born Tenn. 4 Oct. 184?, resided Calvert township, Grant Co., Ark. in 1889.

They had 7 children, known are:

1 Sarah N.: b 1866.

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2 William Asa: b 1868, was living in Ark. in 1931, no information obtainable.

3 Emily A.: b 1876.

4 Cynthia K.: b 1879.

iv Ann: b 1847 Ark., was deceased before 1889.

v Margaret Bratton: b Dec. 1850, 2d marriage, no Billingsley blood.

vi William V. Bratton : b 1851-2, m 1877 Phebe A. Ark. 1856, resided Grant Co., Ark. in 1880. They had:

a Lenora Bratton: b 1878.

b Leander Bratton: b 1879.

126 ASENATH ANN (7) WHITE

*(Mark 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis* Born Morgan County, Georgia 24 May 1810, moved to Dallas County, Alabama with her parents about 1821-22. She married January 1826 Robert J. Ware, born Lincoln County, Georgia 25 April 1801. See Ware Excursus. He was a physician and resided Montgomery, Alabama. He was associated in business with his father-in-law, David White, in the operation of the Alabama Hotel in Mobile, Alabama, and was named one of the executors to his will in 1841. He executed several deeds in the administration of this estate, see Number 49. He died 1 November 1867. She survived him and was living in 1880 with her son-in-law, Thomas J. Molton in Montgomery, Alabama. During this year she instituted the suit against the Galveston Land Co. to recover 67 shares of stock, etc. owned by her father and which one Lipscomb had appropriated to his personal use, etc. The case was decided in 1892 adversely for the plaintiff. It is believed that had this suit been instituted by her husband in 1843 when it first became known that it would have been successful and imagine even in the 1880's being the owner of about one third of the Island of Galveston! She died 10 December 1893, both are buried at Montgomery, Alabama.

Children

i Robert Young Ware: b Mar. 1827, he m prior to 1849 Julia Amanda Molton, b 24 Nov. 1829, she died 5 Oct. 1873, he survived her and died Jan. 1897. Resided Montgomery, Ala. They had

1 Anna Pare: b 1849, died infancy.

2 Kate Ware: b 30 May 1850.

3 Mary Ware: b Dec. 1852, m (1) prior to 1873 David L. Whetstone, b 16 Aug. 1848, he died 1 Dec. 1873, and she m (2) Walter E. Sistrunk, b Aug. 1847, she died Feb. 1900 and he died June 1912, resided Montgomery, Ala. They had:.

a David L. Whetstone, Jr.-: b 6 Nov. 1873, m 29 Nov.



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1905 Lilly Pelzer, b 12 Apr. 1880, resided Montgomery, Ala. They had:

a1 Elizabeth Whetstone: b 14 July 1911.

a2 Mary Whetstone: b 27 Oct. 1912.

b Kate Sistrunk: b Dec. 1875, she m Dr. Benjamin James Baldwin, b Nov. 1856, he died in 1932, she survives him and resides Montgomery, Ala. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

c Roberta Sistrunk: b 17 Aug. 1878, m prior to 1900 Daniel Ward Buhl, b 6 Feb. 1862, resided New Rochelle, N. Y. in 1912, he died 15 Mar. 1924. They had:

c1 Mary Buhl: b 19 Sept. 1900, m 12 Sept. 1923 Burness Kydd.

c2 Kate Buhl: b 27 Jan. 1903, m Mar. 1926 Phillip Sweett, they had a son, Phillip Swett, Jr. b 31 Dec. 1927, residence not stated.

c3 Ward Buhl: b 9 Nov. 1908.

d Walter E. Sistrunk, Jr.: b 5 Oct. 1880, m 27 Nov. 1912 Celia Rainey, b 23 Mar. 1885, resided Rochester, Minn. in 1912. They had:

d1 Walter E. Sistrunk, Jr.: b 16 Mar. 1914.

d2 David Sistrunk: b 7 May 1915, died 21 May 1927.

d3 Katherine Sistrunk: b 16 May 1919.

e Robert Ware Sistrunk: b 29 Nov. 1882, m 19 Dec. 1917 Ruth Bates, b 26 July 1895, resided Montgomery, Ala. in 1912. They had:

e1 Robert Ware Sistrunk, Jr.: b 27 Feb. 1924.

f Jennie Sistrunk: b 29 Mar. 1885, m prior to 1910 William Micou Jordan, b 18-, resided Montgomery, Ala. in 1912. They had:

f1 Kate Jordan: b 22 Sept. 1910.

f2 William Jordan: b 28 June 1914.

g Mary Sistrunk: b 5 Oct. 1891.

4 Robert Young Ware, Jr.: b 30 Mar. 1855, m 9 June 1880 Mary -Harris, b 30 Sept. 1861, resided Autauga Co., Ala. in 1912, he died 19 July 1926. They had:

a Robert Young Ware, Jr.: b Apr. 1881, died Feb. 1882.

b Willie Kirk Ware: b 6 Dec. 1882, m 7 Oct. 1908 Murray White, b 14 July 1874, residence not stated. They had:

b1 Frank White: b 22 Feb. 1910.

b2 Murray White: b 25 Nov. 1913.

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c Bessie Ware: b 14 Nov. 1884.

d Robert Young Ware, Jr.: b 7 Feb. 1886, m prior to 1919 Louise Nunn, b 26 Mar. 1896, she d 9 Oct. 1919. They had:

dl James Nunn Ware: b 4 Oct. 1919.

e Mary Ware: b 30 Sept. 1888.

5 Julia Ware: b 1857, died 1860's.

6 Molton Ware: b 1859, died aet. ca. 21 years.

7 Walter Ware: b 1861-62, died small.

ii James H. Ware: b 4 July 1828, he m (1) prior to 1849 Mary Stokes, b 14 Sept. 1830, she died 4 Mar. 1859 and he m (2) 186- Octavia Willis, he died 8 July 1867, resided Montgomery, Ala. They had:

1 Annie Ware: b 9 Aug. 1849, m prior to 1869 George Holmes, b 14 Nov. 1836, he died 26 May 1889, she died 9 Jan. 1909. They had:

a Annie Holmes: b 23 Sept. 1869, m 8 Jan. 1889 William D. Anderson, b 15 Sept. 1867, he died 10 Sept. 1914, resided Montgomery, Ala. They had:

a1 Annie Anderson: b 25 June 1902, m 21 Nov. 1924 Elton Holmes Wilcox, they had a daughter Annie Ware Wilcox, b 24 July 1929.

a2 Pelham Anderson: b 9 Dec. 1904.

2 Wade Ware: b 185-, m Anne Marvin, living in Lowndes Co., Ala. in 1912, no children of record.

3 Mary Ware: b 25 Sept. 1859, m prior to 1877 Moses Ray, b 1852-53, she died 13 May 1880 and he died 3 Mar. 1883. They had:

a Mary Ray: b 18 Oct. 1877, m prior to 1901 Clifton Fonville, b 11 Dec. 1859, resided Montgomery, Ala. in 1912. They had:

a1 Orion Fonville: b 21 Jan. 1901, m Carolyn Bailey, of New Orleans, had a daughter, Orion Anita Fonville, b 22 Feb. 1921.

a2 Mary Fonville: b 15 May .1902, m prior to 1927 Luther Strickland, they had a son, William Fonville Strickland, b 29 Nov. 1927.

a3 Clifton Fonville, Jr.: b 26 Dec. 1906, m 3 June 1929 Louise Scott.

a4 Nannie Ray Fonville: b 3 Mar. 1908.

a5 John Culpeper Fonville: b 1 Mar. 1910. b James Ware Ray: b 9 Aug. 1879. Is a physician, resided Wetumpka, Ala. in 1912, m Floribel Thomas,

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and resided Montgomery, Ala. in 1930. They had:

b1 Caroline Ray: b 10 July 1921.

4 Nina Ware: b 186-, 2d wife, she m 7 Dec. 1882 H. T. Wimberly, b 29 Jan. 1844, resided Los Angeles, Calif. in 1912.

They had:

a Mary Wimberly.

b Persia Wimberly.

c Theodore Wimberly.

d Leon Wimberly.

5 James Ware: b 186-, m a Wimberly, little known of him. They had:

a Werth Ware.

iii Mary White Ware: b 1833, m prior to 1856 Thomas J. Molton, b Ala. 1823, both living 1881, both deceased before 1912 and buried at Montgomery, Ala. No living descendants 1930. They had:

1 Robert Ware Molton: b 1856, died after 1912.

2 Asenath Molton: b 186-, died 186-.

3 . Thomas J. Molton, Jr.: b 1872, d prior to 1912.

#### WARE EXCURSUS

Some years ago while compiling the Norris records we were furnished a record said to have been recorded in the Bible of one Sarah Louise Wade, who was a grand daughter of one Henry Ware. This record reads as follows: "Henry Ware married Martha, daughter of Henry Hudson; their son, Henry married Mary DuPre; then follows the list of children." We had no reason to question the record at the time and for some years believed it correct. Sometime in 1930 there came to our attention an abstract of a Ware chart now extant in Alabama and also in Georgia upon securing further information concerning this chart it was apparent after careful study that much of its contents could be classified as physically impossible We then went into the matter in a thorn manner and found that the so called Bible record was evidently written by some one from HEARSAY and was not made by the original parties concerned. That there may have been a Henry Ware who married a Martha Hudson is possible; we have no record of such a case. The said Sarah Louise Wade was a grand daughter of one Henry Ware, but comes thru his son JAMES.

The following information is based upon records of Wilkes, Lincoln, and Morgan Counties, Georgia obtained personally by Mrs. J. L. Davidson, of Quitman, Georgia who has consented to their use for publication. Henry Ware, the progenitor of this family, is believed to have been born in Caroline County, Virginia circa 1738. He is probably the son of one Nicholas Ware who is stated to have died in Caroline County in

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1776. He is stated to be a brother of Captain Robert Ware, born Caroline County, Virginia, who lived sometime in Georgia and died in Edgefield District, South Carolina. Henry is known to be a brother of Nicholas Ware whose wife was one Dolly Garrett, sister of Martha who married Henry Ware. Said Dolly predeceased her husband who died 1799-1800 Edgefield District, South Carolina. Henry Ware married prior to 1759 Martha, daughter of John Garrett, of South Carolina, this is shown by a deed of gift of one Lucy (Garrett) Lowry "To Henry Ware, my brother in law, & my sister, Martha Ware, his wife, as she is the only relative I have in this part of the world." Henry Ware resided in Wilkes County, Georgia and later in Lincoln County. He served in the Revolution from Georgia. (*Ga. Roster pp. 189-894.*) On 12 January 1782 he was appointed a Justice for Wilkes County by House of Assembly, again on 30 April 1782 and on 4 February 1783. He attended the Assembly in Savannah 7 January 1783 as representative from Wilkes County and qualified as such. Was a Justice of the Inferior Court Lincoln County (taken from Wilkes) 24 August 1796 and February 1798. Was a Delegate from Lincoln County to Convention which met at Louisville in 1798 when the State Constitution was formed. On 12 April 1784 he was given a Certificate of Service by Colonel Elijah Clark upon which he requested 250 acres of bounty land in Washington County. (*Rev. Rec. Ga. Candler, vol. ii, 671; vol. iii. 76-106, 191, 254.*)

He dated his will 1 November 1801 and it was probated 12 February 1802 and his estate was administered by his executors 17 February 1802. "Wife, Martha: all estate during her widowhood. Grandson, Thomas Ware: \$100 at the death of Martha. Grandson, Henry Ware: son of John Ware, decsd, 100 acres of land joining Miner Winn's so as not to interfere with tract where I now live as that is all my son John's portion of my estate. Granddaughter, Patsey Ware: daughter of Nicholas Ware, \$100 at death of my wife. Grandson, Hudson Tate Ware: \$100 paid at my wife's death. Balance of my estate to be equally divided between my children, viz.: Nicholas, Robert, James, Henry, Frances Waugh, Sarah McClendon, and Patsey Lyon." Executors named were: Martha, Robert, and James Ware. Children: (order not known)

i Robert Ware: b 10 Oct. 1759 Va. Moved to Ga. with his parents, was one of executors to his father's will in 1802. He served in the Revolution, the Co. and Regt. not known. There is extant newspaper account in 1825 on the visit of Gen. Lafayette to Montgomery, Ala. which relates the General's delight at meeting again comrades who fought in that war, the name of Robert Ware, Sen., is included in



vi John Ware: b 17-, was deceased in 1801, wife not mentioned in Henry's will. Only child of record is:

1 Henry Ware: b 17-. Living in 1801. vii Frances Ware: b 17-, m Thomas Waugh. viii Patsey Ware: b 17-, m Edmond Lyon.

2 James Ware: born Wilkes Co., Ga. 176--. He married prior to 1794 Mary Tate, born 17- in Elbert Co., Ga., daughter of James and Rebe ca Tate (Tait). James Tait dated his will 30 Jan. 1798, names wife, Rebecca; son, Charles; son, William Hudson; daughter, Nancy Colson; daughter, Barbara Oliver; grandson, *Hudson Tate Ware*; daughters Patsy, Louisa, America, and Charity, and son, James Miner. 'A codicil ? Ju a 1798 gives land to daughter Barbara Oliver. (*We'll Bk B fol. 1, 1 E Bert Co., Ga.*) They moved to Baldwin Co., Ga., this portion later Rebecca a Morgan Co. in 1808. James Ware dated his will 21 June 1817; mad a codicil 21 Mar. 1821 and this will probated May 1821. Mary Survived him and died at the home of her daughter, Martha Leonard, Talbotton, Ga. 23 Mar. 1837. Will shows the following:

"Son, Hudson T. Ware: the land he now lives on 202Y2 acres and 2 slay s, besides the other property & \$100 before any division takes place.

Daughter, Virginia Wade: having given her slaves & money, residue to go to my wife, Mary, for her widowhood so the children, William, Geo N., Henry and Martha and Mary may have an equal portion as the come to age or marry, with Hudson T. Ware and Virginia Wade.

T Thomas Lacy: \$100 (relationship not stated)."

Executors: wife, Mary, sons, Hudson T. & William, and brother Nic olas Ware. There is shown in Return Books 1822-1833 vouchers of the executors for various items to the several children, etc.

Children:

i Hudson Tate Ware: b Dec. 1794, m (1) , m (2) Susan Norris, died in Ala. Left descendants.

ii Virginia Ware: b 1798, m 29 May 1816 Dr. Hudson Wade, she died about 1825.

iii Henry Ware: b 180-.

iv William Ware: b 1804 Lincoln Co., Ga., m Nancy Scott Billingslea No. 119, which see.

v George N. Ware: b 1806 Ga., m prior to 1834 Susan M. Cochran, b Ga. ca 1814. They moved to Perry Co., Ala. about 1838 where Susan died about 1859. He was living in 1870. They had:

a T Mary Ware: b 1834 Ga., m Thomas R.. Long, see No. 314.

2 Rebecca Virginia Ware: b 1837 Ga.

3 George Ware: b 1839 Ala.

4 William Ware: b 1841.

5 Martha Ware: b 1844.

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6 Elizabeth C. Ware: b 1848.

7 Robert Ware: b 1850.

8 Frances Ware: b 1853.

9 Anna Ware: b 1859.

vi Martha Ware: b 1808 Ga., m 15 Sept. 1831 James P. Leonard, b Va. 1796, resided Talbotton, Ga. Both living in 1850. They had:

1 Joseph Leonard: b 1833.

2 James Leonard: b 1838.

3 Mary Leonard: b 1841.

4 Henrietta Leonard: b 1846.'

5 Frances Leonard: b 1850.

vii Mary Ware: b 1809-10, m 23 June 1828 Dr. Hudson Wade, his 2d wife. It was a daughter of Mary Wade who had the so called Bible record of Henry Ware mentioned at the beginning of this sketch. Left descendants.

127 LUCY SMITH (7) WHITE

(*Mark 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Morgan County, Georgia 1812-13. she moved to Dallas County, Alabama with her parents about 1821-22 and later to Mobile, Alabama where she married 17 February 1830 Dr. John A. Cowles, born 30 October 1804. They resided near Selma, Alabama where he owned a plantation and practiced his profession. He was a son of William M. Cowles, of Selma, Alabama, and Major Thomas M. Cowles, born Georgia 1794, of Montgomery, Alabama, was his brother and a wealthy man in his day and time. Dr. John probably started out on equal terms with his brother but was more or less improvident. He is said to have been a great music lover and one of his exploits was his endorsement of some notes for a music house of Selma, when the house failed he had to sell a hundred or so of his slaves to make good his endorsement. Lucy died between June 1833 and June 1840. Dr. Cowles died 9 December 1840, both buried at Selma, Alabama. For further details of the Cowles family see Cowles genealogy by Col. Calvin D Cowles.

Children:

i Thomas William Cowles: b 13 Sept. 1831. He was called "Major" but not stated how the rank was obtained. He m July 1855 Laura Shorter, b Eufala; Ala. in 1836. He died 14 Apr. 1908, resided Montgomery. Ala. They had:

1 John Shorten: Cowles: b Mar. 1861 at Eufala, Ala., m 1889 Elizabeth Chase Patillo, resided Atlanta, Ga. in 1924. They had:

a Sarah Chase Cowles: b 1890..

b Laura Shorter Cowles: b 1892.

c Allen Chase Cowles: b 1895.

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2 William Thornton Cowles: b 1863, m (1) prior to 1894 Edith Pope, of Mobile, Ala.; (2) Annie Pope, resided Jacksonville, Fla. They had:

a William Thornton Cowles, Jr.: b ante 1894. m Hazel resided Jacksonville, Fla. Newspaper man.

b Jackson Pope Cowles: b 18-

3 Thomas William Cows: b 1866, died July 1901 Birmingham, Ala.

ii Mary Ann Cowles: b 29 May 1833, Dallas Co., Ala. After the death of her parents she resided with her grand mother. White in Mobile, Ala. until her death in 1853, she then lived with her aunt, Asenath A. Ware in Montgomery, Ala. She was called Mary A. in the will of her grandfather White in 1841, and was called Mary Ann in the will of her grand mother White in 1853. She married 10 Apr. 1856 James Thaddeus Holtzclaw, b 17 Dec. 1832 Henry Co., Ga., son of Elijah Holtzclaw and Elizabeth Bledsoe. He was admitted to the bar in 1855. Was Lieut. in Montgomery True Blues and volunteered in 1861; was Major 18<sup>th</sup> Ala. Inf. C. S. A. in Aug. 1861, Lieut. Col. Dec. 1861, wounded at Shiloh; Col. in 1862 and Brig. Gen. 8 July 1864. He was active in politics after the war. After her marriage Mary used a middle name of "Billingslea " she died 21 Nov. 1883, he survived her some years; he was a Mason and Knight Templar, and while not a member contributed to the Methodist church. In February 1893 he was appointed associate member of the Railroad Commission. He was stricken with paralysis in July 1893 at Atlanta, Ga. while addressing a Confederate Reunion convention, his death followed on 18 July 1893. Both buried Oakwood cemetery, Montgomery, Ala. They had:

1 Carrie Whiting Holtzclaw: b 2 Feb. 1857 Montgomery, Ala. She married 6 Jan. 1881 John Alexander Kirkpatrick, b 17 Oct. 1844, son of John L. Kirkpatrick and Mary Turner, and grand son of John Kirkpatrick of (S.C. ?) and Rev. James Turner of Lexington, Va. He enlisted at 16 years of age in Walter's Batt. S.C. Army., C.S.A. Not stated when he came to Ala. He was a lawyer and practiced at Opelika and Montgomery, Ala. where they resided. He died 24 Jan. 1915. She survived him and died 12 Jan. 1922 at New York City, both buried Oakwood cemetery, Montgomery, Ala. She was active in Women's civic and patriotic organizations and served as President of all of them at one time or another.

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gomery on South Court St. for some 30 years, 20 of which was in the same house her parents had previously resided another 30 years. They had:

a Mary Holtzclaw Kirkpatrick: b 16 Nov. 1881. Was born Mary Elizabeth and later adopted the above middle name. She was doing literary work in New York in 1914 and in 1924 and 1930 was a theatrical producer. Resided New York, N. Y.

b James Holtzclaw Kirkpatrick: b 29 July 1884. Grad. Univ. of Ala. and was 1<sup>st</sup> Rhodes Scholar from Alabama at Oxford, grad. B. A. with first honors. He was in Mobile, Ala. in 1914, he married Lilla Worthington; of Birmingham, Ala. and moved to New York City. He is a lawyer and has furnished information on the family. They had:

b1 James Holtzclaw Kirkpatrick, Jr.: b 19-.

b2 Thomas Worthington Kirkpatrick: b 31 Aug. 1923.

c Child: b 1889, d 1889.

d John Alexander Kirkpatrick: b 16 Aug. 1895. He is a theatrical man, writing and directing, resides New York, N. Y.

2 Child: b 1858, died 1858.

3 Child: b 1859, died 1859.

4 Child: b 1866, died 1866.

5 James Thaddeus Holtzclaw, Jr.: b 12 July. 1873, died 29 Sept. 1895 while returning from Europe, buried at sea.

#### 127 SAMUEL WEBSTER (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Harford County, Maryland 9 April 1790, moved to Monongalia County, Virginia with his parents. Was legatee in his father's will in 1827 and married 3 January 1828 Hannah Smith, born Virginia 1800. There do not appear any land records bearing his name in Monongalia County tho he was a resident in said County until about 1840. He was deeded 144 acres of land by his father in April 1814 and no record of disposition of this land. He and his wife signed a quit claim deed in 1851 as heirs of Sias Billingsley, Junior, and stated to be residents of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania at that date. He does not appear in the census of this county for 1850 and is believed to have made the moves to Iowa about this time and missed the enumeration of both counties. They moved to Washington County, Iowa where he died in the late 1850's, Hannah was living in 1860 and a widow and resided Washington County, Iowa.

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### Children:

i William (8) : b 1829.

ii Samuel: b 1831 Va., died in 1840's.

iii George: b 1833, m Louisa M. Todd, b Del., 1837, resided in Washington Co., Iowa. No children.

iv Cyrus (8) : b 16 July 1835.

### 129 JOHN. ADAMS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Sins 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 28 January 1814. He married prior to 1845 Anna Wetzel Barrick, born Virginia 29 December 1816. They moved to Perry township, Green County, Pennsylvania. He was a saddler. He died 18 August 1882, she survived him many years and died 9 September 1908.

### Children

i Benjamin Franklin: b 22 Feb. 1845. He was living in Warren Co., Ill. in 1870 and listed as a clerk. He returned to Mt. Morris, Pa. and married Carrie Lewellen, b Pa. 185-. He died 20 Apr. 1923 in Pa., she survives him and resides Uniontown, Pa. They had:

1 Nellie: b 18-, died childhood.

2 Hazel: b 18-, m Ray E. Gibson. He is a jeweller, reside Miami, Fla. They had:

a Ray E. Gibson, Jr.: b ca 1912.

3 John A.: b 1897. He is a physician, m Anita Hohenwald, reside Kansas City, Mo.

ii William H.: b 2 Feb. 1847, died infancy.

iii Sias W.: b 27 Apr. 1848. He married Hester J. Jones, he died 9 Apr. 1921, she survives him and resides Waynesburg, Pa. They had

1 Lewis J.: b ca 1876, m , resided Pittsburgh, Pa. at last accounts. They had:

a Ruth Anna: b Feb. 1912.

2 Anna: b 187-, died act. 21 years, burned to death.

iv Albert Theodore: b 16 Sept. 1854 Mt. Morris, Pa. He married 12 Oct. 1909 Sarah Elizabeth Sanders, of Maidsville, W. Va. where they reside. They have no children. We spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of this kinsman in 1931 and he furnished some interesting information on the family.

### 130 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Sias 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 7 August 1804. He married prior to 1831 Rachel Griffith, born Pennsylvania in 1805, resided Monongalia County

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until the formation of Marion County which included his home therein. He died February 1848 and was killed by a falling tree while clearing some land. His estate was administered 4 March 1848. Rachel survived him and was living in 1860 and is believed to have removed from the County with her son, Samuel.

##### Children

i Samuel: b 1831, m 23 Nov. 1854 Rachel Sullivan, b Va. 1834, resided Marion Co., Va. to 1860, probably moved to Missouri tho nothing definite is known. They had, known:

1 John B.: b 1856.

2 Martha J.: b 1858.

ii Eliza Ann: b 1833, m 1852 William Phillips.

iii Elizabeth: b 1836, m prior to 1854 James Sullivan, b Va. 1833, resided Marion Co., Va. They had, known:

1 John W. Sullivan: b 1854.

2 Mary E. Sullivan: b 1855-56.

3 David H. Sullivan: b 1858.

iv Delilah: b 1839, m 19 June 1854 Ottoway Irwin Sullivan, b Va. 1835, resided Marion Co., Va. to 1860. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Sullivan: b 1856.

2 Elmos L. Sullivan: b Oct. 1859.

v William Asbery (8) : b 9 Oct. 1842.

vi Kerbright C.: b 1844. Was a legatee in his grand father's will in 1851, and named as heir of John Billingsley in guardian's settlement of estate in 1856. Listed in census of 1860 as living at home with his mother. No subsequent record. His name appears in records as Kerbaugh, Kerbright, and Cartwright.

#### 131 SIAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Monongalia County, Virginia 11 November 1805. He married 7 May 1831 Ann Maria Morgan, born Virginia 13 March 1810. The marriage license reads "Josiah Billingsley," etc. Notes on the family of Joseph Morgan show he was born 7 August 1768, died 16 August 1850, married 13 December 1789 Rachel Griffith, born 31 October 1769, died 11 Sept. 1839. They were parents of: William T. b 16 Jan. 1791, d 16 June 1863; John G. b 7 Nov. 1792; Barsheba B. b 1 Oct., 1795; m Snider, d 2 Feb. 1863; Charles b 9 Sept. 1797; Sarah b 1 Sept. 1799, m Cochran and d 23 Feb. 1845; Elizabeth b 1 Sept. 1799, a twin, m Laidy, d 19 May 1882; Mary b 9 Oct. 1802; Eliza b 14 Dec. 1804, m Davis; Clement b 24 Apr. 1804, d 10 Aug. 1881; Ann Maria b 13 Mar. 1810, m Billingsley; Joseph b 17 July 1812, d 27 May 1828, drowned. All resided Monongalia

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and Marion Counties, Virginia. Resided Marion County, Virginia, now West Virginia, where he died in April 1884, his estate administered and settled 27 April 1884. Ann .Maria was living in 1880 and listed in Marion County, she is said to have died May 1889.

### Children

i Philena Griffith: b 4 Oct. 1833, died 5 Sept. 1834. .

ii Ulysses Morgan (8): b 25 Jan. 1835.

iii Mary L.: b 3 Nov. 1836, m prior to 1854 John N. Hamilton, b Va. 1832, both living in 1870 and resided Marion Co., W. Va. They had:

1 Henry Hamilton: b 1854, deacd 1931.

2 Sias Lee Hamilton: b 1858, deacd 1931.

3 Laura Bell Hamilton: b 1859. Living 1931.

4 Leonodas Hamilton: b 1860.

5 Archibald A. Hamilton: b 1862. Living 1931.

6 Carlton Hamilton: b 1864. Living 1931.

7 Ulysses Grant Hamilton: b 1867.

8 Alonzo Hamilton: b 187-. Living 1931.

iv James Samson (8) : b 25 June 1838.

v Charles Engar: b 3 Apr. 1840, m prior to 1862 Caroline Minnix, b Va. 1840, resided Marion Co., W. Va. to after 1880 then moved to Colo. No data on deaths. They had, known:

1 Cora B.: b 5 Aug. 1862.

2 Anna M.: b 29 Feb. 1863.

3 Ira G.: b 1865.

4 Charles D.: b 1867.

5 Sias William: b 6 Aug. 1869. Graduate of Eclectic Medical College, Kansas City, Mo. in 1904, settled in Clements, Kan. where he died about 1915, not known if he left any family.

6 Curtis: b 30 Aug. 1872.

7 Minnie: b 1873-74.

vi Samuel Webster: b 17 Nov. 1841. Grad. Fairmont Normal School in 1862; grad. Iron City Commercial College, Pittsburgh, Pa. 1863, taught school in Va. several years In 1870 moved to Henry Co., Mo. and taught for several years then went into grain business at Clinton, Mo.; then tried farming. He married Mar. 1875 Celeste, daughter of Nathan A. and Mary E. Fields, who were married in Henry C o.; Mo., 25 Apr. 1839, Celeste was b 1852. They moved to Eldorado, Mo. in 1884 and he formed a partnership with W. W. Redford in the livery business. He was a Blue Lodge and Royal Arch Mason, Eldorado Springs, Mo. Both were living in 1889. They had:

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1 Mary Ida: b 1878.

2 Son: b 18-. Living 1889.

3 Son: b 18-. Living 1889.

vii Ephraim C.: b 2 Sept. 1843, died 3 Mar. 1846.

viii Josias T.: b 3 Oct. 1845, died 2 Sept. 1847.

ix Eliza Derixie: b 14 Sept. 1847, m 15 Sept. 1868 William H. Buckley, b Va. 1841, she died about 1921. They had

1 William H. Buckley: b 1869, died small.

2 Ceada Buckley: b 187-, m a Mr. Wilkinson, and resided in Clarksburg, W. Va. in 1931. No children.

x William Turner (8) : b 28 Dec. 1849.

xi Sias Morgan (8) : b 31 Dec. 1851.

xii Ann Maria: b 4 Aug. 1853, m 17 Nov. 1870 John M. Hardin, b Va. 1847. They had:

1 Roy Hardin.

2 Nora Hardin.

132 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1 .)* Born Monongalia County, Virginia 8 October 1810. He married 16 April 1833 Harriet Evans, born Virginia 21 September 1814. She was a daughter of Rawley Evans and a granddaughter of John Evans, born 9 December 1737, died 18 May 1834 who was a Colonel of Virginia Troops under General Broadhead; member of Convention 1776; and a Representative of the General Assembly of Virginia.

They removed to Tyler County, Virginia where they spent the rest of their days, he was a hatter by trade, was living in 1870 and appears to have died before 1880, she died 6 March 1882.

Children:

i George Evans (8) : b 2 Dec. 1835.

ii Mary Horner: b 13 Mar. 1838, m 14 Apr. 185? Lloyd L. Stealy. He died 10 Apr. 1908, and she died 23 Mar. 1917.

Resided Tyler Co., W. Va. They had:

1 Belle V. Stealy: b 16 Sept. 1858, m Frank Young, resided Tyler Co., W. Va. They had 4 children.

2 Harriet Lowry Stealy: b 21 Jan. 1861, died 31 May 1912 unm.

3 Henry Ott Stealy: b 21 Mar. 1864, m Amy Miller, reside Wheeling, W. Va.

4 George Billingsley Stealy: b 29 Mar. 1866, m Harriet B. Swan, she is deceased. They had one daughter.

5 Clarence Samuel Stealy: b 25 Nov. 1871, m 29 Mar. 1904 Rhoda Esther Hill. They have two children. Reside Tyler Co.

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6 Robert S. Hezly: b 20 Mar. 1874, m (1) Lillian Castro, she died 22 Jan. 1913, leaving two children; he m (2) K. Irene Frederick, she died 12 Jan. 1927.

7 Jessie E. Stealy: b 26 Mar. 1877, m E. R. B. Martin. They had one child who lived about one year.

8 Clinton F. Stealy: b 1 Feb. 1881, m Dessie E. Ireland, they had no children.

iii Byron Oscar (8) : b 26 Apr. 1844.

iv Rawley Evans (8) : b 31 Mar. 1846.

### 133 DAVID. S. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 28 September 1812. He married in Marion County, Virginia prior to 1837 Elizabeth Barrack, born Virginia 14 September 1814. They resided in Harrison County, Virginia in 1840 then moved to Marion County where they resided to about 1854 then moved to Warren County, Illinois where he engaged in farming and broom making. He died 11 November 1892 and she died 2 January 1894 at Berwick, Illinois.

Children:

i Eliza Ann: b 1837 Harrison Co. Va. she m prior to 1859 in Ill. David Alton. Resided in Warren Co., Ill. and later moved to Claremore, Ind. Ter., now Okla., where she died May 1890. They had, known:

1 William Alton: b 1859.

2 Franklin Alton: b 1863-64 Ill.

ii Henry Francis (8) : b 1840.

iii David Luther (8) : b 1843.

iv Mary S.: b 1845, m W. L. Holly, she died 2 Dec.-1882.

v Martha E.: b 1847 Marion Co., Va., died Apr. 1855 Ill.

vi Samuel: b 1849, died aet. ca 4 years.

vii Jane: b June 1855 Ill., m 2 Oct. 1895 Newton L. Boydston, he died 18 Oct. 1908, she survives him and resides Chicago, Ill: She has furnished information on this family.

### 134 THORNTON (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Sias 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born -Monongalia- County, Virginia 12 September 1814. He married (1) 10 June 1840 Susannah Shackleford, born Virginia in 1820, she died in 1851 and he married (2) in 1852 Sarah Ann (Montgomery) Youst, a widow, born Virginia in 1823. He dated his will 19 January 1883 and died 25 January 1883, will probated 6 July 1883. He was a farmer and resided Marion County, West Virginia.

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Children:

i John E.: b 1841. Enlisted 8 Aug. 1862 as Pvt. F, 12<sup>th</sup> W. Va. Inf., U. S., Cpl. 1 Mar. 1865, no record of his discharge. He m (1) prior to 1868 Caroline Petzer, b Vs. 1839, she died in 1890's and he m (2) 4 July 1914 Rena Brown, b Ind. 1875, reside Fairview, W. Va. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:  
1 Elbert: b 20 Apr. 1868, died young.  
2 Curtis F.: b 30 Aug. 1872, died 25 Oct. 1883.

ii Samuel C.: b 1843, died 1860's.

iii Sarah Elizabeth: b 1845, et 30 Sept. 1866 Jacob O. Otha, Jr. b Va. 1841, resided in Marion Co. where he died in 1887, his will was probated 29 Sept. 1887, children not named, Sarah E. was living in 1887. They had:

1 Fleeting Otha: b 186-.

2 Samuel Howard Otha: b 1869.

3 James Otha: b 187-.

4 Willard Otha: b 187-.

5 Mazella Otha: 6 187-, m Charles Conley, they had 3 daughters, and one son, Harrison Conley.

iv Ambrose H. (8) : b 1847.

v Morgan, b 1849, m 8 Dec. 1870 Elizabeth Otha, b Va. 1851. He died 5 Nov. 1891 of typhoid fever, estate administered 5 Dec. 1891 by Festus Downs. Elizabeth survived him a few years. They had two children both of whom died in infancy.

vi Mary Belle: b 1853, m after 1880 Alonzo Wilson, she was living in 1931 Marion Co., W. Va. They had:

1 Frank Wilson: m Ada Toothman.

2 Charles Wilson: m a Miss Kenneth, had 7 children.

3 Ward Wilson: m Brockton.

4 Gertrude Wilson: m Toothman.

vii Maria Martha: b 1853, died 1853.

viii Francis Warren: b 1855, m 1 July 1883 Annie Harr, b Va. 1861. He was deceased ante 1931, she survives him. They had:

1 Fred C.: b 9 May 1884, m 11 July 1912 Ora Tetrick, reside Wyatt, W. Va. They had a daughter.

ix Thornton Fleeting: b 1857, m after 1880 Ida Y. Timms, moved to Newark, Ohio where he accumulated quite a competence. For some reason he changed his name to Guy S. Billingsley. He was a legatee to the will of Morgan Billingsley and one of the main contestants. He died Mar. 1930 leaving no children. A copy of his will is filed in Marion Co., W. Va.

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x Evelyn N.: b 1859, m 2 Sept. 1880, John W. Duncan, he was deceased in 1931, she survives him and resides Farmington, W. Va. They are said to have had six daughters.

xi Charles S.: b 1861. He married Cora Spragg, he died in 1926 and she administered his estate 8 July 1926, she resides Fairmont, W. Va. They had:

1 Gail: b 1-, she m a Mr. Davis whom, she divorced prior to 1930. They had:

a Charlana Davis.

xii Margaret Mazella: b 1864, m Emery Toothman, reside Elkins, W. Va. They had a daughter who died aet. About 2 years.

## 134 A FRANCIS WARREN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Sias 6, William 4, William 3, John L, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 25 March 1819. He married prior to 1847 Amanda Melvina Fleming, born Virginia in 1829. He was a farmer and resided Marion County, West Virginia. He dated his will 3 September 1889, died October 1889 and the will probated 8 October 1889, Amanda survived him and died about 1900.

Children:

i Ellis A.: b 19 Feb. 1847. He m prior to 1880 Alice Zerley, b Pa. 1858, he died 3 Mar. 1922, and she died in 1923. No children. An obituary in newspaper of Fairmont, W. Va., states he enlisted in 1862 Co. B, 16<sup>th</sup> Ohio Inf., U. S. and discharged in 1865. War Dept. records show he enlisted 16 Jan. 1865 as Pvt. B, 6<sup>th</sup> W. Va., Inf., U. S. and discharged 10 June 1865. He served as Assessor of Marion Co. 1872-1874 and was for many years Grand Secretary of the Odd Fellows of W. Va.

ii Minerva Ellen: b 1851, m (1) 4 Jan. 1872 Rennius S. Clelland, b Va. 1848, he died prior to 1880 and she m (2) a Mr. Buckingham, resided Toledo, Ohio in 1922. They had:

1 Guy C. Clelland: b 1876, m Jeannette Prickett, had three children.

iii Alva M. F.: b 1855 Va., m prior to 1879 Annie M. , b Md. 1855, resided a short time in Pa., then moved to Denver; Colo., where they resided in 1880, he was an architect, and is said to have died prior to 1922 in Toledo, Ohio. They had:

1 Joseph A. Warren: b June 1879 Pa. Was named in the will of his grandfather in 1889. Not known if he ever married. The members of this branch in Fairmont,



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W.Va. stated in 1931 there were no living descendants of Alva Billingsley.

iv Franklin Grant Neville: b 18 May 1861, m at Oakland, Md. 30 May 1886 Lulu Maude Morris, b Hoodsville, W. Va. 26 Apr. 1868. He died at Weston, W. Va. Feb. 1894, she survives him and resides Tulsa, Okla. They had:

1 Hazel Gem: b 2 Feb. 1888, died 4 July 1889.

2 Frank Ross: b 1 Aug. 1894 at Cameron, W. Va. He uses the name of "Billingslea." He married at Chicago, Ill. 9 Dec. 1918 Nina Melvin, b Delphi, Ind. 18 Apr. 1892. He is oil and gas business, resides Tulsa, Okla. No children.

135 EUGENIUS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Sias 6, William 4, William 8, John .<sup>o</sup>L, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 23 November 1824. He married prior to 1849 Sarah Shackelford, born Virginia in 1826. Resided Marion County, West Virginia in 1850 moved to Adams County, Ohio about 1858 where he engaged in farming. In 1870 he is listed with an estate valued at \$5,400, both were living in 1880. No data on their deaths.

Children

i Ulysses: b 1849 Va., Was living in 1870.

ii James Emery: b 1853 Va., moved to Ohio with his parents. He married 25 Mar. 1880 Ida T. Lewis, b Ohio 1861. She is called "Nina," he died 31 Dec. 1921 at his home Seaman, Ohio, she survives and resides Columbus, Ohio in 1932. They had:

1 Lucy Slone: b 8 May 1881, m C. M. Igo, reside Columbus, Ohio.

2 Ruby Kelly: b 24 Oct. 1892. Resides Columbus, Ohio, she has furnished information on this family.

3 Kathleen Theresa: b 16 Apr. 189-, m 31 July 1921 Carl William Lortz, reside Columbus, Ohio.

4 Samuel Eugene: b 29 Dec. 1902, resides Columbus, Ohio.

iii Newton Jasper: b 1856 Va., m prior to 1879 Harnianah b Ohio 1851, resided Adams Co., Ohio in 1880, moved to Carroll Co., Iowa, he was deceased in 1931. Only child of record is:

1 Hailey b.: b 1879 Adams Co., Ohio.

136 NORMAL (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Francis 6, Sias 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 9 April 1807, moved to Missouri with his

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parents about 1840 where he married 9 January 1844, Angelina Carter, born Missouri 18-. She died October 1844, he survived her some years and died 2 January 1859 in Missouri, place of interment not stated.

Children:

i Urban Clark (8) : b 18 Oct. 1844.

### 137 SOPHIA WOOD (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, John 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Charles County, Maryland 13 June 1785, moved to Richmond County, North Carolina with her parents in 1797. She married (1) 11 June 1812 in Anson County, North Carolina Lemuel Ingrain, born North Carolina 9 February 1783, he was a son of Joseph Ingrain and Winifred Nelms, who were also parents of William, Jeremiah, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Samuel, Thomas, Eben, and Hannah. Lemuel inherited a portion of his father's estate called "Little Lee" and known today as "Riverdale Farm." Lemuel died 24 January 1828 and she married (2) prior to 1830 George W. Ingrain who died in 1848, leaving no children of record. She survived him and died 16 February 1866, resided Anson County, North Carolina.

Those directly interested in this family will find an interesting account written by Mary K. Davis for the U.D.C. and published in Messenger and Intelligencer, Wadesboro, N. C. March, 1931.

Children

i Samuel Fines Ingrain: b 1813 N. C., moved to Miss. And m prior to 1842 Rebecca, b N. C. 1822, he was a farmer and resided in Marshall Co. where he is stated to have died 1885. They had:

1 Ann S. Ingrain: b 1842.

2 Robert L. Ingrain : b 1845.

3 Samuel P. Ingrain, Jr.: b 1847, unm. in 1880.

4 William P. Ingrain: b 1849, m 1872 Mary N. Owings, b Miss. 1848, resided Marshall Co. in 1880. They had, known:

a Ann E. Ingrain: b 1874. b Presley P. Ingram: b 1877.

5 Son: b June 1850, died inf.

6 Thomas J. Ingrain: b 1853, unm. in 1880.

7 Sallie Ingrain: b 1855.

8 Albert Ingrain: b 1857.

9 Willis Ingrain: b 1859.

ii Ann Ingrain: b 1814 N. C., died 1868.

iii Benjamin Ingrain: b 1816, m prior to 1844 Nancy J. b N. C. 1822, resided Arson Co., N. C. where he died 1887.

They had, known:

1 Eben Ingrain: b 1844.

2 Benjamin Ingrain: b 1848.

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iv Presley N. Ingrain: b 1821-22 N. C., died 1878.'

v Winifred Nelms Ingrain: b 1823 N. C., called "Winney," m prior to 1858 J. C. Wadsworth, b Marlboro Dist., S. C. 1802, his 2d wife. They moved to Marshall Co., Miss. where she died in 1887. Only known child is:

1 Walter Wadsworth: b 1858 S. C.

vi Sarah Jane Ingrain: b 1824-25, died 1860 in N. C.

vii John Billingsley Ingrain: b July 1827, m Apr. 1866 Anson Co., N. C. Mary Frances Horne, b 31 Oct. 1844, daughter of Joel Horne, died 1868, and Eliza Ann Baldwin, b ca 1816, died 1894. Resided on the old homestead where he died Mar. 1907.. She was living in 1931. They had:

1 Sophia Ingrain: b 186-, died inf.

2 Elizabeth Ingrain: b 18 Mar. 1869, m 25 Dec. 1890 Frank Little, b N. C. 1866. He died in 1905, she survives him and resides Wadesboro, N. C. Has furnished some information on this family. They had:

a Mary Kennay Little: b 1 Apr. 1892, m James Matheson Davis, b 1889, grad. Columbia Univ. in medicine in 1913, reside Wadesboro, N. C. She is the writer of the article above referred to concerning Ingrain homestead and family.

3 Mary B. Ingrain: b 1877, m Charles Thomas Pate, reside Rowland, N. C.

138 ANN CHANDLER (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, John 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Charles County, Maryland 6 April 1790, moved to Richmond County, North Carolina with her parents in 1797. She married prior to 1811 Joab Hines, born North Carolina 1 November 1788. They moved to Lincoln County, Tennessee and later to Wilson County where he died prior to 1850, she survived him and died 31 December 1863 at Baird's Mills, Tennessee.

Children:

i Martha Hines: b 18 May 1811 N. C., m prior to 1833 David Davis, both were deceased before 1850, resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Elizabeth Davis: b 1833, m 1850 James S. Trice, b Tenn. 1823, both living in, 1870 Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

a Martha Trice: b 1852.

b Mary Trice: b 1854.

c John B. Trice: b 1856.

d James Trice: b 1858.

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e Richard Trice: b 1864.

f Lucy Trice: b 1866.

2 Asenath Davis: b 1834.

3 Nancy Davis: b 1835.

4 Frances Davis: b 1837.

5 Harriet Davis: b 1844, was unm. in 1870. ii James I. Hines: b 23 Mar. 1813. iii David Hines: b 26 Mar. 1815, m a Miss Sawyer, he died 15 Sept. 1840.

iv Cynthia Hines: b 8 Nov. 1817, m a Mr. Edwards, resided Texas. v Joab Hines: b 29 Apr. 1820. vi Sara Hines: b 15 Nov. 1821. vii Sophia Billingsley Hines: b 17 Jan. 1824, Lincoln Co., Tenn., she m 10 Feb. 1842 William Hancock, b 14 June 1818, she died 30 July 1866 and he died 18 Aug. 1872, resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had:

1 David Turner Hancock: b 3 Apr. 1847, m Melissa Shannon, he died 28 Dec. 1892. They had five children, Earl Hancock, and Mrs. Howard Patten living in 1931, resided Lebanon, Tenn.

2 John Ewing Hancock: b 19 Aug. 1852, m Carrie Alsap, he died 23 Oct. 1892. They had:

a Homer Hancock: b 24 May 1879, m Callie Major, b July 1881, cousins, reside Lebanon, Tenn.

b Howard Hancock: b Sept. 1881.

c Daughter Hancock: b Jan. 1887, m Ballard McKee reside Mission, Tex.

3 Mary E. Annie Hancock: b 24 Jan. 1855, m 8 Oct. 1873 William Gwynne Baird, b 8 Oct. 1849, cousins, he died 4 July 1919, she was living 1931, see record under Sarah Billingsley, No. 140.

4 Nancy Caroline Hancock: b 11 May 1857, m Alexander Major, she died 18 Aug. 1881. They had:

a Samuel D. Mayor: b 13 Nov. 1876.

b Callie Major: b 1 July 1881, m Homer Hancock, cousins.

5 Louisa Ellen Hancock: b 11 Apr. 1860, m Dr. Charles Powell, she died 25 Dec. 1892. They had:

a Annie Powell: died El Paso, Tex.

b John W. Powell: resides Mesilla Park, N. Mex.

c Child.

6 Sara Jane Chandler Hancock: b 22 June 1872, m Daniel Hillman Goodrich, reside Waverly, Tenn. They had:

a L. Goodrich: resides Pine Bluff, Ark.

b Sophia Goodrich: m Scott, reside Waverly, Tenn.

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c Daughter: m Charles Priest, reside Carson City, Nev.

d Daniel H. Goodrich: resides Detroit, Mich. e Daughter: m W. H. Oliver, reside Valdosta, Ga.

7 Sophia Billingsley Hancock: b 9 Apr. 1865, m W. W. Donnell, reside Lebanon, Tenn.

139 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, John 6, Bowles 4, William 8, John 2, Francis t .*) Born Charles County, Maryland 30 July 1792, moved to Richmond County, North Carolina with his parents in 1797. He married prior to 1814 Mary Ann Morgan, born 10 November 1796: They moved to Wilson County, Tennessee about 1822. He deeded two tracts of land in Richmond County, North Carolina to William Baldwin of said County 5 October 1826, one of 215 acres and the other of 52 acres. Mary died 7 September 1841 and he died 26 July 1849 during the Cholera epidemic. Resided Wilson County, Tennessee.

Children

i Elizabeth: b 1814 N. C., died 3 Apr. 1860 Tenn., unm.

ii Sophia: b 16 Sept. 1816 N. C., m (1) Aug. 1839 Louis W. Henry, he died and she m (2) 22 Mar. 1842 Merritt Caraway, b N.C. 31 Dec. 1802, his 2d wife, he died 22 June 1873, she survived him and died 6 Aug. 1892, resided Wilson Co., Tenn.

They had:

1 Elizabeth Caraway: b 1831, 1<sup>st</sup> wife.

2 Mary W. Henry: b 1840, 1<sup>st</sup> husband, m 29 Dec. 1892 Milo A. Thompson, she died 15 May 1897.

3 Rufus M. Caraway: b 27 Dec. 1842, 2d husband, m 24 Dec. 1878, had 5 children.

4 Patrick B. Caraway: b 11 Feb. 1845, died 25 Nov. 1879, at Hot Springs, Ark.

5 Sarah Emerline Caraway: b 2 June 1847, In (1) John Bannicle on 18 Aug. 1887, she m (2) at Austin, Tex. a Mr. Underwood, resided Lebanon, Tenn. in 1931.

6 Frances Ann Caraway: b 29 June 1849, m 15 Feb. 1871, Wilson H. Shannon, she died 25 Nov. 1889, had 4 children.

7 Josie E. Caraway: b 3 Jan. 1852, m Robert M. Baird, she died 17 June 1930, had 4 children, resided Lebanon, Tenn.

8 John M. Caraway: b 25 July 1854, m (1) 23 Feb. 1881 Jennie Caraway, she died leaving 2 children, he m (2) 25 Aug. 1887, Mary Rafford, who had one child.

9 James R. Caraway: b 31 Dec. 1857, m 12 June 1894, Elizabeth Quarles, had 3 children.

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10 Andrew J. Caraway: b 22 June 1860, m (1) Ella M. Jones; (2) ; (3) ; (4) Mrs. . Cowadin.

iii John Ray (8) : b 7 Mar. 1818 N. C.

iv James B.: b 14 Feb. 1820, died 10 Aug. 1849.

v Rachel: b 182-, died 1840's of typhoid fever.

vi Sarah: b 22 Mar. 1826 Tenn., m Jan. 1848 Louis Brinkley, she died 8 Jan. 1886, resided Wilson Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 James Brinkley: b Mar. 1850, m Elizabeth McCartney, d. s. p.

2 William T. Brinkley: b 1852, m Doak McCartney, b Tenn. 18-, he died prior to 1932, she survives him, resides Lebanon, Tenn. They had:

a Annie Brinkley: resides Lebanon, Tenn., unm.

b John Wilson Brinkley: resides Lebanon, Tenn.

c Edgar Louis Brinkley: m Mamie Miller, reside Chattanooga, Tenn. They had:

c1 Huldah Miller Brinkley.

c2 Edgar Louis Brinkley, Jr.

c3 John Alexander Brinkley.

c4 Marjorie Brinkley.

d Ruby Brinkley: m Marcus Clemmons reside Lebanon, Tenn.

3 John Brinkley: b 1854, died Brenham, Tex. 17 Aug. 1877.

vii Richard Morgan: b 3 Apr. 1828, moved to Texas and was County Clerk McLennon Co. Enlisted in Confederate service and died June 1863 at Waco, Tex., unmarried.

viii Samuel Jesse: b 15 Dec. 1831, moved to Texas. Enlisted 13 July 1861 Pvt. E, 4<sup>th</sup> Tex. Inf., C. S. A., paroled 9 Apr. 1865 at Appomattox Court House, Va. Resided Austin, Tex. where he died 1? Feb. 1904 unmarried.

ix Joseph Clement: b 28 Sept. 1834, moved to Texas. Enlisted 13 July 1861 and made 3d Lieut. 4<sup>th</sup> Tex. Inf., C. S. A.; 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Oct. 1861; Capt. 22 Oct. 1862. Hospital 2 Apr. 1863, and killed at Chickamauga 1863.

140 SARAH (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, John 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1)* Born Charles County, Maryland 10 March 1795, moved to Richmond County. North Carolina with her parents in 1797. She married 16 April 1812, Selden Baird, born North Carolina 10 March 1791, said to be son of Alexander Baird and Elizabeth Jennings. Sarah was deeded land in Richmond County, North Carolina by her father where they lived to 1822 then moved to Wilson County, Tennessee. Some of Selden's brothers preceded him to Wilson County and established Baird's Mills. Sarah died

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27 April 1875, he survived her a few years and died 6 October 1881. Reaided Wilson County, Tennessee.

Children:

i John Billingsley Baird: b 19 Aug. 1813 N. C., m 23 Feb. 1846 Rebecca Gwynne, b Wilson Co., Tenn. 23 Dec. 1818, he died 11 June 1894 and she died 12 Aug. 1896, resided Baird's Mills, Tenn. They had:

1 Henrietta Donnell Baird: b 23 Mar. 1848, m Monroe Bond, she died 12 Feb. 1920, resided Baird's Mills, Tenn.

2 William Gwynne Baird: b 8 Oct. 1849, m 8 Oct. 1873 Mary E. Annie Hancock, b 24 Jan. 1855, cousins. He died 4 July 1919, she was living in 1931 but in feeble health, died 18 Apr. 1933. They had:

a Hilda Baird: b 7 Mar. 1875, m 18 June 1902 John Rich Thomas, b Humphreys Co., Tenn. 21 May 1872, he died 28 May 1926, she survives him and resides Lebanon, Tenn. No children. She has been very active in furnishing information on the Hines, Baird, and Billingsley families of this branch

b Kate Baird: b 6 Feb. 1877.

c Ruby Gwynne Baird: b 2 Feb. 1879, m Alexander McGlothlin, reside Lebanon, Tenn.

d William Erwin Baird: b 11 Nov. 1883, m 1 Feb. 1911 Allie Coleman, reside Lebanon, Tenn. They had:

dl William Gwynne Baird: b 4 Aug. 1912.

d2 E. Coleman Baird: b 28 July 1914.

d3 Erwin Baird: b 25 May 1916.

3 Albert Ewing Baird: b 17 May 1854, m (1) Eva Campbell, Nashville, Tenn.; (2) Mrs. Maggie , Lexington, Ky.

ii Thomas I. Baird: b 6 June 1816. Was a physician, and died 24 Oct. 1841 at Statesville, Tenn.

iii Emerline Clementine Baird: b 26 Feb. 1819, m prior to 1841 William (Buck) Baird, b N. C. 1817, cousins, she died 2 Sept. 1850, resided Bellewood, Tenn. They had, known:

1 Selden C. Baird: b 1841.

2 Sarah Baird: b 1842.

3 Permelia Baird: b 1846.

(Possibly two others.)

iv William Henry L. Baird: b 26 Sept. 1821, m (1) Mary Hancock; (2) Mary Eddings, he died 10 Nov. 1895 at Nashville, Tenn.

v Robert Powell Baird: b 4 Feb. 1824 Tenn., m Mrs. Mary Green Powell, he died 24 Mar. 1884 at Lebanon, Tenn.

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vi Clement Jennings Baird: b 9 June 1826 Tenn., m prior to 1847 Matilda Johnson, b Tenn. 1826, moved to Texas, he died at Baird's Mills, Tenn. 6 Feb. 1901. They had, known:

1 Robert Baird: b 1847.

2 Owen Baird: b 1848.

vii Clementine Mary Baird: b 16 June 1831, m Daniel Fakes, she died June 1893, Wilson Co., Tenn.

viii Martin VanBuren Baird: b 15 Aug. 1834. Served as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. K, Tenn. Vols., C. S. A., wounded at Seven Pines, captured at Gettysburg, and died 22 Mar. 1864 at Johnson Island.

ix Daniel Webster Baird: b 29 July 1838, m prior to 1865, Dovie C. Hardy, b Tenn. 1843, he died 7 Feb. 1913 at Nashville, Tenn. They had:

1 Annie Sherrill Baird: b 1865.

2 James H. Baird: b 1867, died 16 Mar. 1915 Nashville, Tenn.

3 Edward Baird: b 1868.

4 Theresa Sarah Baird: b 187-, m Emmett Russell.

5 Florence C. Baird: b 187-.

## 141 JAMES CLEMENT (?) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 6, John 0, Bozbles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Richmond County, North Carolina 1 April 1801. He migrated to Mississippi when about grown and was a school teacher for many years and resided in various places. He married February 1848 Sarah Caroline Cameron, born Attalia County, Mississippi 26 December 1832, daughter of Hugh Cameron. He died 6 March 1866 at his home in Rankin County, Mississippi. In or about 1870 she moved with her children to Ashley County, Arkansas to be near her parents who were then infirm. She survived him many years and died 17 January 1912.

Children:

i John: b 25 Mar. 1849 Miss., m about 1880 Martha Sutton, she died in 1887 and he died 7 Aug. 1887, Ashley Co., Ark. They had

1 Sarah: b ca 1881, m a Mr. Grey. reside near Crossett, Ark. List of children is second hand information and may not be correct. They had:

a Frank Gray.

b Felissa Gray: m Morgan.

c Edward Gray.

d Odell (?) Gray.

e Ruth Gray: m Brackerel (2) has 2 children.

f Jessie Gray.



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g Tiny Gray.

2 Clement: b 15 Aug. 1883. Was reared in the home of his grand parents Sutton near Sulphur Springs, Ark. until some 16 or 17 years of age then moved to the home of his aunt in Ashley Co., Ark. He m (1) Alice Burchell, she died and he moved to Okla. and m (2) Willie Thomas, reside Crossett, Ark. in 1931. They had:

a Troy: b 19-.

b Willard: b 1920 2d wife.

c Clement A.: b 1924.

d Louana: b 192-.

3 Daughter: b 188-, deceased.

4 Daughter: b 188-, deceased.

ii James Clement (8) : b 27 Jan. 1851.

iii Nancy Ann: b 12 Sept. 1853, died Sept. 1858 Miss.

iv Samuel F.: b 4 Nov. 1855 Miss., m after 1870 in Ark. Jane Kemp, he died 12 Jan. 1910 in Ark. They had five children, three daughters of whom no record:

1 James: b 18-, m, resides Pine Bluff, Ark. In 1931, said to have no children.

2 John Alford: b 14 Apr. 1880 Ark., m 24 Feb. 1901 at Jefferson, Ark. Sarah Afford Ramsey, b Ark. 26 Feb. 1885, reside Jefferson, Ark. They had:

a Annie Matilda: b 11 Apr. 1902, m A. D. Walter, reside Pine Bluff, Ark.

b Fannie Jane: b 29 June 1904, m K. W. Kelley, reside Jefferson, Ark.

c John Alexander: b 3 Feb. 1906, m Ada Lorine Snow, reside Jefferson, Ark.

d Paul: b 22 July 1913.

e Ethel Magdalene: b 28 Dec. 1916.

f Rosie May Edna: b 26 May 1919.

g Elmer: b 1 Feb. 1923.

h John A. Jr.: b 28 June 1925.

v Sarah E.: b-1857, died infancy.

vi Sophia Wood: b 26 Dec. 1859 Rankin Co., Miss. She m 15 Apr. 1880 Alfred Campbell, b 8 Aug. 1857, he died 11 Mar. 1908, she survives him and resides Crossett, Ark. She has been able to furnish considerable information on this family.

They had:

1 Sally Campbell: b 24 May 1881, m 19 Nov. 1907 Thomas T. Caston, reside Vernon, Tex.

2 Willie Clemmons Campbell: b 11 Nov. 1882, m John Billingsley, see No. 295, she died 7 Mar. 1908.

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- 3 Allie Campbell: b 24 Nov.. 1885, m 31 Dec. 1900 Robert H. Fletcher, she died 13 Sept. 1902.
- 4 John Campbell: b 13 Jan. 1888, m Ollie Burnett, he died 25 Aug. 1927.
- 5 James Mary Campbell: b 24 Nov. 1889, m Robert H. Fletcher, reside Crossett, Ark.
- 6 Samuel Campbell: b 15 Sept. 1891, died 25 Apr. 1924, unm.
- 7 Garfield Campbell: b 8 Aug. 1893, m 30 Oct. 1920 Bertie Pilgrim, reside Crossett, Ark.
- 8 Henry Campbell: b 31 July 1895 unm.
- 9 Stella Campbell: b 24 July 1897, m Edward Cameron, reside Crossett, Ark.
- 10 Mamie Sue Campbell: b 5 Feb. 1900, m Paul Harvard, reside Plateau, Ala.

vii Henry Virginia: b 4 June 1862, m after 1880 James Smith, she was deceased prior to 1931.

viii Martha Matilda: b 5 Jan. 1866 Rankin Co., Miss., moved to Ark. with her mother where she m after 1880, James Jones. They moved to Texas and resided Vernon, Tex. in 1932. Sometime in 1931 she evidently heard some rumor about an estate and had a lawyer of Vernon write us for details, etc. stating that her grandfather had been a wealthy merchant in London, England, and she was entitled to some of the estate, etc. Effort was made to secure details of her family but without success. Names of her children furnished by her sister and may not be accurate. They had:

- 1 Ada Jones: b 18-, m Goodman.
- 2 Sarah Jones: b 18-, m Grimes.
- 3 Clement Jones: b 18-.
- 4 Burt Jones: b 18-.

#### 142 HEZEKIAH BOULT (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, John 6, Bowles 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina in 1817. He is first in records 10 February 1832 in division of his mother's estate. (*Lib. Y, fol. 187.*) He married (1) prior to 1842 Lucy W. Dumas, born North Carolina 18-, she died in 1846. In 1840 William Wade gave him a mortgage on land in Montgomery County." (*Deeds Lib. 14, fol. X97.*) On 10 November 1846 he was deeded land by Henry Grady. (*Lib. 13, fol. 878.*) On 12 November 1846 he deeded to Daniel McRae 123 acres of land in Richmond County taking in two islands of 7 acres, and 43 acres of low ground on Thoroughfare for \$1,100. (*Deeds Lib. T, fol. 3i8.*) Said Daniel McRae Patsey Dumas sister to Lucy W. He married (2) prior to 1849 Eliza

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Sturdivant; born North Carolina in 1818, daughter of John and Sarah Sturdivant. John Sturdivant dated his will 20 November 1857, names wife, Sarah; daughter, Harriet, wife of Nevil Bennett; grandson, John, son of Hezekiah B. Billingsley; grand son, John W., son of Hallam Sturdivant; daughter, Eliza, wife of Hezekiah B. Billingsley; daughter, Lucy, wife of Nehemiah Liles; daughter, Frances; sons, Caswell and Alexander Patrick; daughters Caroline, wife of James Grimsby; son, George, decsd, his widow, Mary, and daughter Lydia Frances in Alabama; son, William H., decsd., his widow, Ann, and son, Theodore; To Hezekiah B. Billingsley slaves and money in trust for, son, John H.; Hezekiah B. Billingsley, my son-in-law, named executor. Will probated April 1862. On 24 December 1851 he was deeded land by Thomas M. Hamilton. (*Deeds Lib. 15, fol. 17/x.*) On 13 April 1852. H. B. Billingsley, of Anson County to Isham Dumas, Richmond County, whereas William Wade, Montgomery County, executed a mortgage to sd H. B. Billingsley 7 July 1840, etc. and said debts were not paid at time stated, the mortgage was foreclosed and land sold, \$100.15 bid by sd Isham Dumas for 180 acres of land in Montgomery County, etc. (*Deeds Lib. 19, fol. 415.*) He enlisted in May 1864 as Private Captain Biles Company of Reserves, C. S. A. Was five feet and nine inches in height, dark hair, and blue eyes. On a roll dated 2 July 1864. He was a farmer and resided in Anson County where he and his wife both died in December 1894 a few days apart.

#### Children:

i Benjamin Franklin: b 1842. Enlisted 22 May 1861 at Wadesboro, N. C. as Pvt. A, 13<sup>th</sup> N. C. Inf., C. S. A. This regt. was changed to 23d N. C: Inf. Nov. 1861; 2d Sgt. 10 May 1862; 1<sup>st</sup> Sgt. 6 Apr. 1863, killed at Chancellorsville 3 May 1863.

ii James M. (8) : b 26 Oct. 1843.

iii Sarah Elizabeth: b 1846, m Joseph Crowder, he died ca. 1911, and she died Mar. 1925, resided Wadesboro, N. C. They had:

1 Theodore Crowder: b 186-, died aet. 25 years.

2 Anna Crowder: b 1868-69, m E. J. Johnson, reside Erwin, Tenn.

3 Frederick Crowder: b 187-, m , reside Fla.

4 Mollie Crowder: b 187-, m a Mr. Few, he was deceased in 1931, had 2 daughters, resided Hendersonville, N. C.

5 Eva Crowder: b 187-, m a Mr. Johnson, he was deceased in 1931, she resided Union, S. C.; had 3 children.

6 Harry Crowder: b 18-, m , resided Hendersonville, N. C. in 1931, had one child.

iv Helen: b 14 Nov. 1849, 2d wife, m 30 June 1868 James Marshall Wall, b 28 Dec. 1839. He served as Sheriff of Arson Co., N. C. for some years. He died 14 Jan. 1921,

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she survives him and resides Wadesboro, N. C. They had:

1 Sarah Eliza Wall: b 8 Apr. 1869, m (1) 6 June 1888 Charles Bell Craig, he died 22 July 1889 and she m (2) 22 Mar. 1902 John W. Griggs, reside near Wadesboro, N. C. They had:

a Charlie Bell Craig: b 18 Apr. 1889, m 9 June 1910 Reid Tull, he died 11 Oct. 1918 and she m (2) Nov. 1921 Robert Crawley. They had:

al Reid Tull.

a2 Charles Tull.

a3 Dorothy Crawley.

b Sarah Wall Griggs: b 2 June 1903; m 24 Aug. 1926 John W. Oden. They had:

b1 Sarah Wall Oden.

c James Marshall Griggs: b 1 Mar. 1906.

d John Calvin Griggs: b 17 Apr. 1910.

2 Cornelia Howze Wall: b 1 Jan. 1872, m 8 Nov. 1895 Dr. Edward S. Ashe, he died about 1927. They had:

a Helen Wall Ashe: b 24 Oct. 1897:

b Flora Howze Ashe: b 19-.

3 Tyler Bennett Wall: b 25 Jan. 1874, m May Pope. They had:

a James Marshall Wall: b 1905, died 24 Mar: 1929.

b Henry Little Wall: b 190-.

c William Wall: b 19-.

4 Anna Florence Wall: b 23 Feb. 1877, died 5 Nov. 1877.

5 Luke Wall: b 25 Nov. 1878, died 14 Jan. 1914 *a felo de se*.

6 Eunice Wall: b 25 May 1882, m 8 Jan. 1907 William H. Craig, of Atlanta, Ga.

v John S. (8) : b 1851.

vi Frances: b 1 Apr. 1853, m (1) 21 Oct. 1873 Anson Co., N. C. Edward B. Chambers, b 3 Mar. 1850, she m (2) 6 Mar.

1893 at Statham, Ga. James P. Arnold, b 18 Sept. 1844, his 2d wife. Resided Statham, Ga. in 1931, family Methodists, all the men Masons, Odd Fellows, and Elks. They had

1 Charles B. Chambers: b 1 Aug. 1874 Anson Co., N. C., m in 1898 Etha Arnold. They had:

a Wirt Chambers.

b Moss E. Chambers: m 1928 Estelle Wilson, Cedartown, Ga.

2 Annie Eliza Chambers: b 23 Dec. 1880 Anson Co., N. C., m in 1899 Luther M. Arnold. They had:

a Edward Rozzie Arnold: m 1925 Myrtice Harrison.

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b Fred Arnold: m (1) 1920 Ruby Cronin, (2) 1924 May Perry, have one child (1931).

c Ned Arnold.

d Charles Arnold.

e Eunice Arnold.

f Mary Arnold.

3 Mary Emma Chambers: b 22 Nov. 1883 Anson Co., N. C., m 1903 Walter H. Hardigree, members of Christian church. They had:

a Murphy Hardigree: m 1929 Irene Duke.

b Frances Hardigree.

4 Edward Ray Chambers: b 28 Nov. 1889 Chester, S. C., m (1) in 1912 Ruth Harper, m (2) 1918 Vera Smith, members of Baptist church. They had:

a Mildred Chambers: (1<sup>st</sup> wife).

b Ethel May Chambers: (2d wife).

5 Kemp C. Arnold: b 13 Dec. 1894 Statham, Ga., m 1916 Leila Henry. They had:

a Sells Arnold.

b Haas Arnold.

6 Helen E. Arnold: b 20 Aug. 1897 Ga., m 1922 Roy C. David, no children.

vii Hezekiah Boulton (8) : b 1855.

viii Annie: b 30 Apr. 1857, m 22 Dec. 1879 Anson Co., N. C. Preston B. Pate, b 1855. She was living 1931 at Charlotte, N. C. They had:

1 Eugene Pate: b 15 May 1883.

2 Eunice Pate: b 7 Apr. 1887, deceased before 1931.

143 HEZEKIAH (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Hezekiah 6, John o, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Charles County, Maryland in 1792, moved to Richmond County, North Carolina with his parents. He served as Ensign, 4<sup>th</sup> Regiment North Carolina Militia (Rowland's) in War of 1812. (*War Dept. Records.*) He married prior to 1816 Jerusha, daughter of William Lang, of Chesterfield District, South Carolina. William Lang was a soldier of the Revolution in Marion's Regiment. Jerusha was a sister to Willie, Stephen H., and William A. Lang, all of Wayne County, Mississippi. (*See Hist. Falls Co., Tex.*) He was deeded land in Anson County by William H. Wade 4 Aug. 1812 (*Deeds Lib. N*, fol. i79); by George Wade 9 Jan. 1816 (*Deeds Lib. R*; fol. 110); by James Slaughter wife, April 1816 (*Deeds Lib. R, fol. ISIS*); and by Simeon Eddins 10 July 1816 (*Deeds Lib. T*, fol. 102). He deeded land to James Pickett 15 November 1813, and again on 8 July 1817 (*Deeds Lib. N, fol. 416, S, fol. 2*). He deeded land to John D. Moore 24 Jan. 1820. (*Deeds Lib. U*, fol. 178.) They moved

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to Mississippi shortly after the above deed and settled in Wayne County. On 25 September 1820 he signed a deed with his brother to Jones & Son, of Anson County, North Carolina (*Lib. T*, fol. 188). They moved to Hinds County; Mississippi where he engaged in farming and died in 1842 leaving two children and a widow. Jerusha and her son moved to Wayne County and became inmates of the home of her brother, William A. Lang, who took an interest in his nephew and aided in his education. Jerusha died in 1847. Family Methodists.

Children:

i Hezekiah: b 1816 N. C., died 1820's Miss.

ii Caroline: b 1818 N. C., m prior to 1845 Samuel Cole, she was a widow in 1860 and moved to Texas, resided Cass Co. They had, known:

1 Milly Cole: b 1845.

2 Mark Cole: b 1847. iii John: b 1820-21 Miss., died small. iv James Bolivar: b 27 Mar. 1828 Hinds Co., Miss., moved to Wayne Co., Miss. with his mother after the death of his father in 1842, resided in the home of his uncle, William A. Lang, who gave him an education. In 1850 his uncle, John Bowles Billingsley, of Anson Co., N. C. died and left him a bequest of \$5,000. A statement in history of Falls Co., Tex. published in 1893 says: "he married 28 November 1850 Virginia C. Shaw, daughter of Judge D. C. and Amaryllis Shaw, of Wayne Co., Miss." The year given is undoubtedly an error. In the census of 1850 James is listed in Wayne Co., Miss., aged 22 years, and SINGLE. In 1860, on 9<sup>th</sup> of October the census of Wayne Co., Miss. shows him, SINGLE, occupation, farmer, real estate worth \$12,000 and a personal estate of \$31,000. In this Co. also in 1860 is listed the family of D. C. Shaw, b N. C. 1795, his wife Amarillus, b S. C. 1803, and a daughter Virginia, aged 18 years. This record checks with her age as given in 1870 in Falls Co., Tex. and the date is 28 November 1860.

He enlisted 1 Sept. 1863 and elected 2d Lieut. same date, Co. A, 24<sup>th</sup> Batt. Miss. Cav., C. S. A., surrendered and paroled 12 May 1865 at Gainsville, Ala. (*War Dept. Records*.) His cousin, Willis L. Lang, was a soldier in C. S. A. was killed at battle of Val Verde, left a will devising all his estate to James B. Billingsley, they moved to Falls Co., Texas in November 1865 to take possession of the above mentioned estate and is listed in said county in 1870 but no children are shown. He appears to have been a prosperous farmer and when he died 28 March 1882 he left a considerable estate to his widow. They

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were the parents of six children only two of whom were living in 1882. His widow was living in Waco, Tex. in 1893 and later returned to Falls Co., and died at Marlin, Tex. in 1922. They had:

1 Child: b 18-, died at birth.

2 Sterling: b 18-, died act. ca 3 years.

3 Willis: b 18-, died childhood.

4 George: b 18-, died childhood.

5 Emma: b 18-, died 27 Sept. 1883.

6 James Bolivar, Jr.: b 1881, m Maude Sparks, b near Cleburne, Tex. reside Marlin, Tex. He has furnished information concerning his brothers and sister, etc. They had:

a James Allen: b 19-. b Son: b 19-, died at birth.

#### 143 ELIZABETH (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 6, John 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Charles County, Maryland in 1788, moved to Virginia with her parents in 1791. She married 18 January, 1805, Fauquier County, Virginia, George Alexander Magruder, born Maryland or Virginia (?) in 1784. They migrated to Ohio about 1830 and settled in Pike township, Coshocton County where he engaged in farming. He died during the 1850's, Elizabeth was living in 1860 and appears to have been deceased prior to 1870. They had ten children two of whom died in infancy.

Children:

i Elizabeth Magruder: b 1807 Va.

ii Mary Magruder: b 1811, m McDowell, she was a widow and living in 1870, Coshocton Co., Ohio. No record of children.

iii John Magruder: b 1813 Va., moved to Ohio with his parents and m prior to 1840 Elizabeth, b Va. 1814, he was a shoemaker, both were living in 1870 and resided Coshocton Co., Ohio. They had:

1 George W. Magruder: b 1840 Ohio; m 1862 Elizabeth b Ohio 1845, resided Coshocton Co., Ohio. They had:

a John Magruder: b 1864.

b Emma Magruder: b 1866.

2 Elizabeth J. Magruder: b 1842.

3 John W. Magruder: b 1844.

4 Susan Magruder: b 1847.

iv Hezekiah Magruder: b 1819 Va., m 1841 Sarah A.,

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b Ohio 1823, resided . Coshocton Co., Ohio. They had, known:

1 Mary Magruder: b 1843.

2 Joseph W. Magruder: b 1884.

v Nancy Magruder: b 1821 Va., m 1842 Joseph Cessna, b Pa. 1819, resided Coshocton, Co., Ohio in 1850. They had, known:

1 Charles Hamilton Cessna: b 1844, m Mar. 1870 Malinda, widow of Clement Magruder, which see.

2 Lucinda Cessna: b 1846.

3 Mary Virginia Cessna: b 1848.

vi Clement Magruder: b 1823 Va., m 1855 Malinda , b Ohio in 1836, he died in 1859 and she m (2) Charles H. Cessna, see above. They had:

1 Violet A. Magruder: b 1857.

2 William Magruder: b 1858.

vii George Magruder: b 1826 Va., m 1851 Mary, b Ohio in 1836, resided Coshocton Co., Ohio in 1860. They had, known

1 Elizabeth Magruder: b 1852.

viii Margery Magruder: b 1829 Va.

145 GEORGE WASHINGTON (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John %, Francis Y.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1787. He married prior to 1814 Ann , born Maryland 1797. He served as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, Captain Joseph Reddish's Company, 45<sup>th</sup> Virginia Militia from 22 July 1814 to 18 August 1814, War of 1812. (*War Dept. Records.*) They moved to Alabama about 1833-34 and then moved to Winston County, Mississippi about 1846, where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1860 and both were deceased before 1870.

Children

i Ann: b 1814 Va., m prior to 1836 William Daffin, both were deceased before 1850, children reared by grandparents Billingsley. They had:

1 William Daffin: b 1836 Ala., m 1860 Lucretia, b Ala. 1840, resided Winston Co., Miss.

2 Elizabeth Daffin: b 1840 Ala., m 1860 Francis Ishey, b Miss. 1839, resided Winston Co., Miss.

3 Wiley Daffin : b 1842.

4 Lucy Daffin : b 1845.

ii Eliza: b 1817 Va., m prior to 1837 Benjamin Davis, b S. C. 1813, both were deceased before 1850, children reared by grand parents Billingsley. They had:

1 Martha Cynthia Davis: b 1837 Ala., m 1859 Jeremiah Ishey, b Miss. 1824, resided Winston Co., Miss.



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2 Ann Davis: b 1840.

3 Harriet Eliza Davis: b 1842.

4 Frances Davis: b 1845.

iii George W., Jr.: b 1820 Va., died unmarried.

iv Sarah: b 1822 Va.

v Mary Jane: b 1824, died small.

vi Rachel: b 1829.

vii Mary: b 1835 Ala.

146 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 6, James 6, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1789. He served as 2d Corporal Captain Elijah Harding's Company, 45<sup>th</sup> Virginia Militia, Peyton's Regiment, 22 July 1814 to 18 August 1814. He enlisted as Private, Captain John C. Edrington's Company 16<sup>th</sup> Virginia Militia, Water's Regiment, 7 September 1814 to 22 September 1814; served as Private Captain Peter Lucas's Company Artillery, 1<sup>st</sup> Virginia Militia, Crutchfield's Regiment, 29 September 1814 to 17 December 1814, discharged at Fredericksburg, Virginia. Remarks on this last roll show he was serving as a "Substitute" but for whom is not stated. (*War Dept. Records.*) He married prior to 1817 Mary, born Virginia 179-, they moved to Alabama latter part of 1833 and then moved to Holmes County, Mississippi before 1833 where he engaged in farming and died in 1846, Mary survived him a few years and died in 1849.

Children:

i Christopher Columbus (8) : b 1817.

ii John: b 1819 Va., died 1842 Miss.

iii Mary: b 1821 Va., m 1842 John Mills, of Miss. and moved to Mo.

iv Clement: b 1824 Va., died small.

v Sarah Ann: b 1827 Va., m William Hill, died sine prole.

vi James: b 1830 Va., died 1841 Miss.

vii William N. (8) : b 1833 Va.

viii Elizabeth: b 1835 Ala., died unmarried.

ix Clement Bowies: b 1838, died 1843 Miss.

147 CLEMENT TURNER (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 6, James 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Stafford County, Virginia October 1795. He served as Private and Corporal in Captain Elijah Harding's Company, 45<sup>th</sup> Virginia Militia, War of 1812. He moved to Alabama with his parents and married 19 December 1833 in Autauga County, Eliza Gohlston, born South Carolina in 1817. The pension claim spells her name as stated, another record from a grand daughter spells it "Gols on." They resided in Bibb County some years then moved to Autauga County about 1855 when he was

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issued Warrant No. 23,165 for 160 acres of land for 1812 service. They moved to Upshur County, Texas about 1870. In February 1872 he made application for pension under the Act of 1871 stating he served from 22 February 1814 to August 1814; this claim was not allowed as records only show from 22 July 1814 to 18 August 1814, only 28 days; 60 days service required under the Act. This application was witnessed by J. C. Billingsley and W. J. Keith. Resided near Gilmer, Texas in 1872. We have no definite data on the death of either of them, one source states they died at Pleasant Valley, Dallas County, Texas, and another source stated that Eliza died in Ellis County, Texas and that she was a Faith Doctor; another source states they both died in 1875, place not stated. Said to have been twelve children.

Children: (known)

i Catherine R. M.: b 1836 Ala., m in 1860 Thomas R. Brown, b Ga. 1821, resided Autauga Co., Ala. 1860, moved to Texas and both living in 1880, resided Upshur Co., Tex. No children of record. Hearsay evidence states she m (2) a Mr. Daniels.

ii Mary Ann Virginia: b 1838. Living in 1860.

iii Maryland Alabama: b 1843, died small.

iv James Clement: b 11 Mar. 1846 Bibb Co., Ala., moved to Autauga Co. with his parents about 1855. He enlisted 15 May 1863 at Autaugaville as Pvt. K, 7<sup>th</sup> Ala. Cav., C. S. A. 31 Oct. 1863 present with Co.; 31 Dec. 1863 in hospital at Mobile, Ala.; 30 June 1864 present with Co. On a roll of prisoners 14 May 1865 as Pvt. A, 7<sup>th</sup> Ala. Cav. (*War Dept. Records*.) Moved to Upshur Co., Tex. with his parents, was a witness to his father's claim for pension in 1872, moved to Collin Co., Tex. and was living with his brother, Joseph, in June 1880. He married 14 Sept. 1880 Lucy Drane Kirby, b Dallas Co., Tex. 26 Dec. 1862, daughter of Jesse Kirby. She died 15 April 1917 at Wylie, Tex., he survived her and died 12 April 1930 at Anna, Tex. They had:

1 Kitties b 3 Dec. 1887. Resides Anna, Tex. She has furnished information on this family.

v Joseph Smallwood (8) : b 11 Sept. 1848.

vi Sarah Caroline: b May 1850 Ala., m a Mr. Hale.

vii Balzora: b 1852 Ala., m a Mr. Meek, she was living 1932 at Dennison, Tex. No information obtainable from her.

viii Cornelia: b 1852 a twin. (One daughter was called "Vick" and m a Mr. Moore, it is not known whether it was Mary Ann or Cornelia.

ix Emma: b 1854 Ala., m Joseph Tarpley, she was deceased in 1932, had two sons, known:

1 Edward Tarpley: resided Wellington, Tex.

2 Joseph William Tarpley. 301-A x William Thomas (8) : h 1857.

148 JAMES REEVES (?) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement 6, James 5, Bowler 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1798, moved to Autauga County, Alabama with his parents about 1823 where he married prior to 1825 Mahala born Georgia in 1804. They migrated to Sabine Parish, Louisiana about 1840 where he engaged in farming. He died about 1863, Mahala moved to Ashley County, Arkansas with her son, James, where she was living in 1870, and appears to have been deceased before 1880.

Children:

i Andrew Jackson: h 1825 Autauga Co., Ala., was residing in Sabine Par., La. in 1850, occupation stated as "Gold Digger" he is stated to have migrated to Calif. No subsequent record.

ii James: b 1828 Autauga Co., Ala., moved to La. with his parents, migrated to Calif. about 1858 and engaged in mining in Plumas Co., for several years, returned to La. where he m prior to 1866 Elisabeth, b Miss. 1846, moved to Ashley Co., Ark., he was a farmer and both living in 1880. They had:

1 Charles: b 1867 Ark., died 1870's.

2 Clarence C.: b Mar. 1870.

3 Virgil J.: b 1872.

4 Theodocia F.: b 1874.

5 Mittie M.: h 1876.

6 Charles Reeves: b 1878.

7 Ernest J.: b 1879.

iii Mahala: b 1830 Ala., m Charles Thompson in La., moved to Ark. where she died leaving no living children.

iv Joseph Bowler (8) : b 1832 Ala.

148 WILLIAM REEVES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John °L, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia, 20 August 1791, moved to Belmont County, Ohio with his parents in 1805. He married 27 September 1815 at Flushing, Ohio, Sarah Jones, born near Winchester, Virginia in 1791, she was a daughter of .James Jones, born England, died in Virginia prior to 1805, and Grace Pickering, who was a daughter of Samuel Pickering, a Quaker who came from England to Bucks County, Pennsylvania and later moved to Winchester, Virginia. Grace moved to Belmont County, Ohio after 1805, their other children were: Hannah, who married David Hollingsworth, and Rachel, who married Samuel Kirk. William R. Billingsley was reared in the Methodist faith, and was married in the Quaker Meeting

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and then became a member of the Society. They moved to Harrison County, Ohio, where he was- a farmer, Sarah died in the 1860's and he died at his home 29 April 1871.

Children

i James Jones (8) : b 1817.

ii Elijah: b 1818 Ohio, m (1) prior to 1846 Prudence Strong, b Ohio in 1821, they moved to Iowa and settled in Jefferson Co. before 1860 where she died after 1870 and he m (2) Nina , resided near Glasgow where they both died, no data on their deaths. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth: b 1846, m Gregg, she d at Fairfield, Ia.

2 Prudence: b 1850. Was living in 1860.

3 Samuel: b 1852, said to be living in 1932 near Glasgow, Ia.

4 James Strong: b 1857. Grad. Rush Med. College in 1883, resided Elkhorn, Neb. in 1886 then moved to Belleville, Kan. where he practiced medicine from 1893 to 1916, he died 26 Jan. 1917. No mention of any family.

5 Florence: b 1859, m she d at Glasgow, Iowa.

6 Margaret: b 1862. Grad. medicine Ill. in 1893, m a Mr. Mills, resides Ottumwa, Iowa.

7 Martha: b 18-, 2d wife.

iii Samuel Kirk (8) : b 1819.

iv Margaret: b 1822, died unmarried after 1880.

v Rachel: b 1827, m. 1847-48 Thomas Meldrum, b Ireland 1803. He was a farmer, both living 1880, resided Harrison Co., Ohio. They had

1 William Meldrum: b 1849, m 1871 Sarah A., Ohio 1847, he was a farmer, resided Harrison Co., Ohio in 1880. They had, known:

a Laura Meldrum: b 1873.

b Lulu May Meldrum: b 1879.

2 Sarah M. Meldrum: b 1851, died unmarried.

3 Rebecca J. Meldrum: b 1853, m after 1880

4 Thomas B. Meldrum: b 1854, living 1932, Dover, Ohio.

5 Elizabeth E. Meldrum: b 1855, died small.

6 Mary D. Meldrum: b 1857, m McCully, reside Uhrichville, Ohio in 1932.

7 James B. Meldrum: b 1859, died small.

8 Rachel Ann Meldrum: b 1861, m after 1880 Cordry, she died Cleveland, Ohio. .

vi William Prim (8) : b 1828.

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150 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1806. He married prior to 1833 Sarah, born Virginia in 1810, he was a carpenter and resided in Richland township, near St. Clausville, Ohio, both were living m 1880.

Children: (known)

i Caroline: b 1833, m a Mr. Iverson about 1852, had a daughter:

1 Ida V. Iverson: b 1854.

ii Melissa: b 1836, m 1860 William Gregory, b Ohio 1835, he was a wagon maker, resided Richland township, Belmont Co., Ohio in 1870. They had, known

1 Mary Gregory: b 1861.

2 Sarah Gregory: b 1863.

3 Laura Gregory: b 1865.

4 John Gregory: b 1867.

iii Sarah: b 1837, m 24 Dec. 1867 David F. Zimmerman.

iv James, Jr.: b 1839. Was living in 1860, no further record of him.

v Leah: b 1840, died unmarried after 1880.

vi Isaac: b 1842. He enlisted 22 Apr. 1861 Pvt. K, 17<sup>th</sup> Ohio Inf., U. S., never mustered in. Enlisted 7 Dec. 1861 Pvt. D, 43d Ohio Inf., U. S., wounded at Corinth 4 Oct. 1862 and discharged Surgeon's Certificate of Disability at Paducah, Ky. 7 Mar. 1863. Enlisted 21 Feb. 1865 Pvt. E, 50<sup>th</sup> Ohio Inf., U. S., he was 6 feet in height, dark hair, hazel eyes, and age given as 23 years, born Belmont Co., Ohio, discharged 30 Oct. 1865. He married 30 Aug. 1870 Sarah Ellen Seals, aged 37 years on 20 Apr. 1878. He died 11 June 1877, she made application for pension in 1878 which was granted, she died Oct. 1896. They had:

1 William: b 21 July 1871.

2 James: b 3 July 1873.

3 Rossan: b 25 Apr. 1876 (son).

4 Isaac: b 16 Sept. 1877.

vii Rebecca: b 1844, m a Mr. Thomas prior to 1874, had a daughter:

1 Mary Thomas: b 1874.

viii George L.: b 1847, m 21 Sept. 1871 Samantha Estella Weyer, b Ohio 1853, he was a carpenter, and was living in 1932 at Manchester, Ohio. Family reticent on history. They had, known:

1 Frank W.: b 1873, m 21 Apr. 1896 Belmont Co., Ohio Jessie Mayhugh. He is a minister, denomination not

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stated, and was residing Wellsburg, W. Va. in 1932. No information obtainable. They had, known:  
a Clifford: h 189-, resided Barnesville, Ohio 1932.  
2 James A.: b 1877.  
3 Jessie D.: b 1879.

ix John W.: b 1851, died small.

### 151 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, Bowler 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1808. He was a carpenter, and married prior to 1835 Elizabeth Ethatina, born Virginia in 1812. Resided Belmont County, Ohio to 1838 then moved to Ohio County, Virginia, and resided there some years then returned to Ohio in or about 1865 and settled in Jefferson County. Both were living in 1880.

Children

i William Alexander (8) : b 1 Jan. 1835 Ohio.

ii Walter: b 1837 Ohio, died unmarried.

iii James (8) : b 1839 Va.

iv Amacinda: b 1841 Va., m or d before 1880.

v Elizabeth: b 1843 Va., m or d before 1880.

vi Melissa Jane: b 1844 Va., was unmarried in 1880 and at home.

### 152 GEORGE (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1812. He married prior to 1844 Lucretia F. born Ohio in 1821. He was a farmer and resided in Belmont County, Ohio where he died about 1863, she married (2) 27 September 1866, license dated 22d September, John E. Carter, born Ohio in 1818, she died before 1870 leaving no children by second marriage, Carter was living in 1870.

Children:

i Melissa: b 1844, m 1 Sept. 1863 Drew C. Iverson.

ii Mary Adeline: b 1850, m 28 Oct. 1875 Nathan S. Bowers.

iii Lycurgus: b 1853.

iv Ann Eliza: b 1856.

v Charlotte L.: b 1859.

### 153 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowler 4, William B, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Arson County, North Carolina June 1776, moved to Montgomery County, North Carolina with his parents. He married prior to 1808 Mary McAulay, born North Carolina 178?. He entered 100 acres of land in Montgomery County, 18 February 1804 (*Land Rec. Lib. 122, fol. 3.12*) and on 23 July 1825 he entered 15 acres, he disposed of this land 26

September 1829 by deed to Aulay McAulay, his brother-in-law, for \$40, witnessed by Wilson H. Billingsley. This deed was recorded in April 1846 and was sworn to by one Matthew Smart who testified as to hand writing of John Billingsley and stated he and the witness, Wilson H. -Billingsley had left the state some years ago. They migrated to Alabama about 1830 and resided some years in Green County, then moved to Carroll County, Mississippi about 1845, both were living in 1850 but are not listed in this County in 1860, they may have been deceased or may have removed to DeSoto Parish, Louisiana with their sons and died there before 1860.

Children:

i Sias: b 1808, died small.

ii Mary: b 1810. Was living in 1840 unmarried.

iii Elizabeth: b 1813. Was living 1840 unmarried.

iv John W.: b 1816 N. C. Was living in 1870 De Soto Par. La. and unmarried, said to have died about 1879.

v Bright W. (8) : b 1822 N. C.

vi Augustus P.: b 1824 N. C. Was living in 1860 DeSoto Par. La. unmarried, no subsequent record.

vii Quincy Adams: b 1826 N. C. Living in 1850.

viii America Virginia: b 1830 N. C., she married about 1856 a Mr. Fendel, moved to De Soto Par., La. where he died 1862-63, she was living in 1870. They had, known:

1 Mary Fendel: b 1858 La.

2 Sarah Fendel: b 1861.

ix Thomas M.: b 1832 Ala. Was living in 1850, no subsequent record.

#### 154 ELIAS (?) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 4 September 1778. He married prior to 1807 Lucy H. Powell, born Virginia 25 March 1782. Resided Anson County, North Carolina in 1810 then removed to Montgomery County where they resided to 1831-32 then migrated to Georgia and settled in Pike County. He was a farmer, Lucy died 11 July 1858, and he is said to have died 17 *June 1860*. This date is taken from his old family Bible which is owned by Mrs. Richard S. Ballard, Zebulon, Georgia, the family records in this Bible were torn out in 1931 and sent to Mrs. E. J. Coble, Albermarle, N. C. It is believed this date is in error as to the year as this man was living on 14 July 1860 and is listed in the Census of that year.

Children:

i John Powell (8) : b 26 Oct. 1807.

ii Evelina: b 13 Apr. 1809 Anson Co., N. C., moved to Pike Co., Ga. with her parents and m prior to 1834 Miles Ballard, b N.C. 1800, he was a farmer, was living in

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1850 but is not listed in this Co. in 1860. Evelina died 19 July 1854, resided Pike Co., Ga. They had:

1 Lucy Ballard: b 1834 Ga.

2 Powell F. Ballard: b 15 Jan. 1837, m Mary F. Green, b Ga. 1839, he d 22 Nov. 1877, resided Pike Co., Ga. They had:  
a Mary E. Ballard: b 18 Oct. 1857, m Frank McKinley.

b Richard S. Ballard: b 5 Aug. 1859, m 21 Oct. 1880 Savannah A. Kirk, b Ga. 20 Dec. 1859. She was the adopted daughter of Marcus L. Billingsley and owns the old family Bible of Elias Billingsley, she tore out the family records in 1931 and sent them to Mrs E. J. Coble of Albermarle, N. C. She has furnished information on the various children in addition to the Bible records. They were both living in 1931 but in feeble health. They had:

b1 William T. Ballard: b 9 Sept. 1881.

b2 Marcus L. Ballard: b 27 Feb. 1883, died small:

b3 Richard G. Ballard: b 12 Mar. 1886. One of the above sons was injured Sept. 1931 by a reckless driver who ran into his wagon, he lived about one hour after the accident.

c Frances B. Ballard: b 28 May 1861, m Alonzo McKinley, moved to Texas.

d Trudy Ballard: b 186-, m Edward McKinley.

e Rebecca Ballard: b 186-, m Thomas McCord.

f William P. Ballard: b 28 Feb. 1866.

g Sarah Emma Ballard: b 16 May 1868, m Joseph Reeves.

3 Robert Henry Ballard: b 1842, m Susan Lynch, reside Pike Co., Ga.

4 Lafayette Ballard: b 1844, died small.

5 James Powell Ballard: b 1846, m Kittie Avery.

6 Amanda Sarah Ballard: b 1848, m a Mr. Hale, she died at Molena, Ga.

7 Susan Ballard: b 1849, m Henry Harper, she died 24 Apr. 1924 at Zebulon, Ga.

8 Sarah A. Ballard: b 1852.

9 John Ballard: b 1854.

iii David D. (8) : b 1 Jan. 1811.

iv Thomas P. (8) : b 3 Dec. 1812.

v James Addison (8) : b 7 May 1815.

vi Sarah P.: b 11 Oct. 1817, m John Hammill, said to have resided Lafayette Co., Ga. They had:

1 Emily Hammill: b 18-, died aet. 19 years.



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2 Sis Hammill: b 18-, m Andrew Carmichael, resided Lafayette Co., Ga. They had a son, Bloomer Carmichael, who was living at Jackson, Ga. at last accounts.

vii Mary A.: b 6 July 1819, died 15 May 1865 unmarried.

viii Harriet: b 24 Apr. 1822 N. C., m about 1850 James F. Buckelew, b Ga. 1810, his 2d wife, he had 6 children at the time of this marriage, resided Pike Co., Ga. No mention of their deaths. They had:

1 Lucy A. Buckelew: b 1852, m Robert Waller, she died about 1919, they had:

a Thaddeus Waller: b 18-, died aet. 13 years.

b Minnie Waller: b 18-, m Henry Shafer, reside Atlanta, Ga.

2 Robert M. Buckelew: b 1856, died 1870's.

3 Joseph Buckelew: b 186-, died 1880's.

ix Marcus Lafayette: b 6 May 1825 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Pike Co., Ga. with his parents. He enlisted in 1861 as Pvt. G, 27<sup>th</sup> Ga. Inf., C. S. A.; Nov. and Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at Richmond, Va., duty 27 Jan. 1862 and detailed to take home the corpse of J. Barker. Appointed 2d Lieut. 29 Apr. 1862, G, 27<sup>th</sup> Ga. Inf.; 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. 13 July 1862; and Captain, 17 Sept. 1862; 27 May 1864 in General Hospital at Raleigh, N. C.; 13 to 20 June 1864 in hospital Richmond, Va. with intermittent fever. Paroled 1865. He married 19 June 1865 Nancy F. Seagraves, b N. C. in 1837. He was a farmer and a Mason, family Baptists. He died 19 Jan. 1892, she survived him and died 22 Dec. 1920, resided Pike Co., Ga. They had no children, but adopted:

1 Savannah A. (Kirk): b 20 Dec. 1859 in Ga. She m Richard S. Ballard, see under Evelina Billingsley above.

155 WILSON H. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John. Q, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina May 1780. He married prior to 1806 Susan (McAulay ?) born North Carolina about 1785. He was witness to a deed 26 September 1829 when his brother, John, sold land to Aulay McAulay. (*Deeds Lib. 15, fol. 326.*) This deed was certified and recorded in April 1846 by Matthew Smart, a brother in law, who stated he recognized the signatures of John and Wilson H. Billingsley, and that they had removed from the state some years since, etc. Wilson moved to Tennessee about 1839 and soon afterwards moved to Greene County Alabama, where his brother, John, was residing, then the two

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families removed to Mississippi about 1843 where he died in 1847, Susan survived him a short time and died 1848-49, resided in Carroll County.

#### Children

i Sarah: b 1806 N. C., moved to Tenn. with her parents where she m about 1839-40 Jacob Caswell, they moved to Greene Co.; Ala. where she died in 1841. They had:

1 Daughter: b 1841, died same day.

ii Susan: b 1808 N. C., m (1) 1832 William Billingsley, see No. 158, (2) James McNeil.

iii Martha: b. 1810 N. C., m prior to 1832 Andrew Maynor, b N.C. 1810. They moved to Miss. for a few years then returned to Montgomery Co., N. C. where she died about 1845, he m (2) Malona Dunn, b N. C. 1827. Andrew Maynor was a miller, he had brothers, John, who lived to be 104 years of age and died at Thomasville, N. C.; James and Henry, who lived and died in Miss. Resided in Montgomery Co., N. C. They had:

1 Martha Maynor: b 1832, m Hilliard, resided Montgomery Co., N. C.

2 Mary Eliza Maynor: b 1835, m Smith.

3 John C. Maynor: b 1838, died unmarried.

4 Samuel H. Maynor: b 1841, m, he died at Monroe, N. C. in 1929, left children.

5 Mary Caroline Maynor: b 1850, 2d wife, no Billingsley blood, she was living 1931.

8 Margaret Maynor: b 185-.

7 Elizabeth Maynor: b 1856, m A. T. Nash.

8 George W. Maynor: b 185-.

9 Frances Maynor: b 186-, m Joseph Fickler, resided Stanley Co., N. C. she died ca 1907, he died Dec. 1932 act. 74 years. Left children, only one known is Charles M. Fickler, who was living at Albermarle, N. C. 1931 and furnished information concerning the Maynor family, etc.

iv Harriet: b 17 Aug. 1813 N. C., m Thomas P. Billingsley, No. 311, which see.

v Elizabeth: h 1815, m James Maynor, resided in Miss. No record of children.

vi Eliza: b 1817, m prior to 1839 Alexander McKay, b Scotland in 1801, both were living in 1860 and resided Montgomery Co., N. C. where he was a farmer. They had,known:

1 Samuel C. McKay: b 1839.

2 Martin A. McKay: b 1841.

3 Martha McKay: b 1843.

4 John McKay: b 1847.

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5 Margaret M. McKay: b Mar. 1850.

6 Malcolm McKay: b 1853.

7 Robert A. McKay: b 1855.

8 Sarah B. McKay: b 1857.

vii Wilson H.: b 1820 N. C., moved to Tenn. and Ala. with his parents, he migrated to Texas about 1842-43 where he died unmarried.

viii Sias: b 1824 N. C., died aet. 3 years.

156 THOMAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 16 February 1781. He married (1) prior to 1807 Elizabeth Abercrombie, born North Carolina 178-, she died about 1823, he moved to Alabama about 1824 and settled in Perry County, married (2) prior to 1827 a Miss Crow, who died in the 1830's, he married (3) a Mrs. Rutland, who was deceased before 1850 leaving no children. He was a prosperous farmer and owned considerable real estate in Perry and Dallas Counties, Alabama. He died at his home near Marion, Perry County, Alabama, 9 October 1850.

Children

i William (8) : b 1807 N. C.

ii Mary (8) : b 1809 N. C.

iii Isaac: b 1811 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Ala. with his father and m. prior to 1848 Ann J. Moffatt, b Ga. 1826, resided in Perry Co. in 1850 and in 1860 was still a resident of this Co., listed as a farmer and holding real estate valued at \$16,000 and personal estate valued at \$42,075. They removed to Dallas Co., Ala. before 1870, Ann is stated to have died 28 Aug. 1892, no data on his death. They had

1 Elizabeth Leila: b 1848, m 1867-68 Capt. William J. Byrd, b Miss. 1840, a lawyer, and resided Dallas Co., Ala. They had:

a Leila Byrd: b 1869, m L. J. Haley, res. Birmingham, Ala.

2 Thomas M.: b 1851, died small.

3 Mary G.: b 1853. Was at college in Marion, Ala. in 1870. She later m a Col. William Handae.

4 Eliza: b 1815 N. C. m 1834 Charles Hamilton Moore, b S. C. in 1811. He was a farmer, Perry Co., Ala. in 1850, then became a Campbellite Baptist minister, moved from this Co. They had, known:

1 Martha Moore: b 1835 Ala., m 1858 Robert Couch, b Tenn. in 1834, a son of George M. and Polly Couch, residents of Lawrence Co., Ala. Robert had a brother,

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and m July 1853 a Mr. Collier, a cousin to the above mentioned party.

3 George Morrison: b 18--.

4 John Morrison: b 18--.

v George Washington (8): b 1816.

vi Margaret Louticia (8): b 1817.

vii Sarah: b 1819 N. C., moved to Troupe Co., Ga. with her mother, where she m Henry Seagraves, b Ga. 18-, moved to Talladega Co., Ala. and later lived in Clay Co. where she died and is buried in the same cemetery with her mother, no data on his death. Only child known is:

1 Henry Seagraves: b 18-, m, said to have moved to Texas, had some family names not known nor place of residence in Tex.

viii Sias, Jr.: b 182-, died infancy.

ix Paulina Lilly (8) : b 22 Dec. 1823.

x Robert Lafayette (8) : b 27 May 1826 N. C.

xi Eliza: b 1828 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Troupe Co., Ga. and to Ala. with her mother, she married prior to 1851 Jacob McClendon, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala. where she died Apr. 1861, he survived her some years but was deceased many years prior to 1931. Some of the children were reared in the home of their aunt Julia Ann Thomas. They had

1 Aurelius Winfield McClendon: b 23 Feb. 1851, moved to Tex.

2 Mary Jane McClendon: b 5 June 1853, deceased.

3 Pauline Lilly McClendon: b 24 Feb. 1855, deceased.

4 Josephine Victoria McClendon: b 11 Mar. 1857, deceased.

5 Corine McClendon: b 15 June 1859, m 20 May 1883 Benjamin F. Stevenson, reside Ashland, Ala. No children. She has furnished information on the family.

6 Elizabeth Billingsley McClendon: b 23 Apr. 1861, deceased.

xii William C.: b 1830 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Ga. and Ala. with his mother. He enlisted 1 Dec. 1861 as Pvt., 25th Ala. Inf., C. S. A.; transferred Jan. 1862 to Co. G, 25th Ala. Inf. and assigned to Quartermaster Dept. as carpenter; a roll dated June 1862 shows he was dropped as "Deserted at Tupelo, Miss. June 1862. On a Prisoners Roll is "William Billingsley, Pvt. G, 25<sup>th</sup> Ala. Inf. captured near Corinth, Miss. 30 May 1862, discharged 17 July 1862." On another Prisoners Roll from Alton, Ill. is "William Billingsley, Pvt. G, 25th Ala. Inf., C. S. A. died 5 August 1862." (*War Dept. Records.*)

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xiii Julia Ann: b 183- N. C., m in Ala. John Thomas, she reared some of the McClendon children in her home, she passed on some years ago leaving no children.

xiv Jane: b 1833 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Ga. and Ala. with her mother, she m about 1853-54 in Coosa Co., Ala. Reuben C. Long, b Tenn. in 1828. They moved to Texas before 1856, it is not known where they lived, she died 1862-66 and he m (2) prior to 1868 Eliza J. , b Ala. 1846, moved to Brazos Co., Tex. in the 1870's and both living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Daniel Long: b 1856 Tex. Visited his relatives in Ala. in or about 1881 at which date his residence was Bryan, Tex. In the summer of 1933 Lilly Belle Saunders and her daughter, Myrtle, visited Bryan and state that a search of the old cemetery there did not disclose any graves bearing the name of Long, and if any of this family are interred there the graves are unmarked.

2 Margaret E. Long: b 1857 Tex.

3 William J. Long: b 1859 Tex.

4 Nancy A. Long: b 1861 Tex.

5 George R. C. Long: b 1868, 2d wife.

xv James A.: b 1835 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Ga. and Ala. with his mother. After his mother's death he resided in the home of his uncle Gabriel Ingram, Talladega Co., Ala., he was living in 1860 and is listed in the census of that year as "Idiotic," he probably died unmarried.

#### 158 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 4, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1786. He married prior to 1810 Sarah Deberry, born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1789. They moved to Tennessee about 1827. In 1832 James and his son, William, made a visit to Montgomery County, North Carolina to clear up some real estate matters and while there he and William were witnesses to a deed of gift by Joseph Wilson to his daughter Patsey. (*Deeds Lib. 14, fol. 3h1.*) Returning to Tennessee he moved to De Soto County, Mississippi about 1840 and engaged in farming, Sarah died in the late 1840's, he resided there to about 1854 when he was a member of a party comprising James Billingsley, Edmund Billingsley and his wife, Nancy (Deberry), John Wheeler and his wife, Martha (Billingsley), Lemuel Deberry and his wife, Elizabeth (Wilson) and others who migrated to Phillips County, Arkansas. They did not long remain there but moved to other sections. James in or about 1858 drifted down to Williamson County, Texas, purchased a small farm and spent the remainder of his days on this farm, never remarried and died in the early 1870's.

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### Children:

i William: b 1810 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Tenn. with his parents about 1827. He returned to Montgomery Co., N. C. with his father in 1832 and was a witness to a deed of gift by Joseph Wilson to his daughter Patsey. He married while there Susan, daughter of Wilson H. Billingsley, No. 155, b N. C. 1808, 1st cousins. Resided Montgomery Co., N. C. to 1837 then migrated to Marshall Co., Miss. where he died in the year 1840 result of an accident. She m (2) James McNeil and moved to Crittenden Co., Ark. about 1847-48. They had

1 Susan: b 1833 N. C.

2 Mary: b 1839.

3 Robert: b 1836 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Miss. with his parents and to Ark. with his step father about 1847-48. He left home when about 14 years of age and worked as a farm laborer. He enlisted 15 July 1861 Pvt. Christian's Co., later Co. L, 3d Ark. Inf., C. S. A. On a roll June 1863 is shown: "Supposed to have deserted 10 June 1863." A roll of prisoners at Fort Delaware 30 Aug. 1863 shows "Robert Billingsley b N. C. gave up 20 June 1863." On 4 Sept. 1863 S. O. Secty of War, U. S. he enlisted in E, 3d Md. Cav., U. S., and was made Sgt. listed as six feet and no inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair. A roll Feb. 1864 shows him "Sick at New Orleans, La. (Quarantine) On a Deserters List 20 Apr. 1865 his name appears as of date 17 Dec. 1863 at Baltimore. Note that he shows above on his Co. roll Feb. 1864. This is the last record of him. He never applied for a pension.

ii Cyrus (8) : b 1812.

iii Martha: b 1814 N. C., m 1847 John Wheeler, b Tenn. 1823, resided De Soto Co., Miss. in 1850, moved to Ark. About 1854. They had, known:

1 Jane Wheeler: b 1849 Miss.

iv Sarah: b 1818, died unmarried.

v Henry Clay (8) : b 1821 N. C.

vi Temperance: b 1821, a twin of Henry m Jesse Billingsley, No. 234, which see.

vii Edmund: b 1827 Tenn., m 1848 Nancy, daughter of Lemuel Deberry and Elizabeth Wilson, b Tenn. in 1830. They moved to Phillips Co., Ark. about 1854 and later lived in Lee Co., Ark. where both died. No children.

viii Clara: b 1832 Tenn., moved to Ark. with her father in 1854 and no further record of her.

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159 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 3, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1792. He married prior to 1814 Nancy, daughter of Joseph Wilson, born North Carolina in 1797. They moved to Tennessee in- or about 1830 and in 1833 moved to Holmes County, Mississippi, resided there to the latter part of the year 1840 when they moved to Marshall County, Mississippi where he died in 1841. The will of Joseph Wilson, dated 22 Apr. 1841, Montgomery Co., N. C., devised a slave and \$50 to my daughter, Nancy Billingsley. Nancy survived him many years and died at her home in 1876.

Children

i Joseph Hamilton (8) : b 21 Oct. 1814.

ii William: b 1816, died in Ark. in 1842 unmarried.

iii Elias Young (8) : 1818.

iv Eliza: b 1820 N. C., m John Wright in Miss., moved to Ark. They had, known:

1 Thomas Wright.

2 John Wright. The last accounts of these two were that they resided near Camden, Ark., this some years ago.

v Mary J.: b 1823 N. C., m Thomas Edlin in Miss., she died in 1904, resided Marshall Co., Miss. They had:

1 Richard Edlin: deceased.

2 James Edlin: deceased.

3 Thomas Edlin: deceased.

vi Thomas J.: b 1826, died in 1841 in Ark., unmarried.

vii John W.: b 1829 Montgomery Co., N. C., moved to Tenn. and Miss. with his parents. He married prior to 1856 Mary Tiner, b Tenn. 1835. He enlisted 27 Mar. 1862, Pvt. I, 42 Miss. Inf., C. S. A; musician 14 May 1862; 22 Dec. 1862 detached to work on bridge; Apr. 1863 absent sick, and died at Camp Green, Va. 7 May 1863 of Camp Fever. She survived him some years, resided Marshall Co., Miss. They had: 1 William T.: b 1856, m Fannie Frazier, said to have

resided near Senatobia, Miss. No record of his family.

2 Lafayette: b 1857, died unmarried.

3 Preston: b May 1860, died unmarried.

4 John C.: b 186-, m Emma Howell, and resides Holly Springs, Miss. They had:

a Ethel: b 18-, m a Mr. Watts.

b Selma: b 18-, m Lottie True.

viii Calvin P. (8) : b 1831 Tenn.

ix Nancy W.: b 1833, died in 1841 Miss.

x David C.: b 1836 Miss., m prior to 1860 Elizabeth Leighton, (Leeton, or Leaton, the name is spelled in all manners in the county records) b Miss. in 1840. He was a farmer,

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and enlisted 1 Mar. 1862 at Chulahoma, at Pvt. I, 19<sup>th</sup> Miss. Inf. He was six feet and two inches in height, blue eyes, and. light hair. Killed at Chancellorsville, 3. May 1863. Elizabeth was living with her mother in 1870, no data on her death. They had:

1 John W.: b 'T July 1860, m 24 Jan. 1893 Eva Agnes Holcomb. He died 13 July 1915, and she m (2) F. J. Felder, and resides Ruleville, Miss. They had:

a John Sanders: b 4 Dec. 1895, died 1 May 1930.

b Albert Sidney: b 5 Feb. 1902, died 26 Sept. 1929.

c Evelyn Agnes: b 24 June 1906, died 12 Feb. 1911.

2 David Crockett: b 1862, m Ellen Meek, he died about 1901 near Clarksville, Miss. They had, order not known:

a Webster: b 18-, m a Miss Gray, living in 1932.

b Henry: b 18-, deceased.

c Beedie: b 18-, deceased.

d Helen: b 18-, m a Mr. Hargrove, living 1932.

e Thornton Elizabeth: b 26 Jan. 1891, m Walter Billingsley, see No. 461.

f Ara: b 189-, deceased.

g Deborah: b 189-, deceased.

h Thelma: b 18-, living 1932.

### 160 NANCY (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Washington County, Virginia December 1784. After the death of her mother she was taken back to Anson County, North Carolina and was reared in the home of her aunt, Mary Billingsley, who after her marriage to Edward Stedman moved to Union District, South Carolina, where Nancy met and married Isaac Langston, born Wayne County, North Carolina in 1781. See John Langston Excursus. They made a home with Mrs. Stedman for a few years then moved to Darlington District, South Carolina where they resided to about 1812 then moved to Kershaw District, stopping en route to visit with her aunt, and the only mother she ever knew, Mrs. Stedman in Chester District. About 1828 they moved to Georgia where he was granted land in the Cherokee Land Lottery in 1830 in Henry County and established a home. In or about 1838 they became estranged and a separation occurred, he returned to Kershaw District, South Carolina where he married (2) Mary A. Jackson, born South Carolina 1822, said to be a daughter of George and Mary Jackson of Lancaster District, South Carolina. He died sometime between November 1849 and August 1850. Nancy and her son, Jeremiah lived on the farm after his departure and early in 1840, they made a visit to her son, John, who was residing in.



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Lafayette County, Mississippi, then returned to Georgia and about 1845 they moved to Benton County, Alabama and resided with her daughter, Lucinda Wilson, until the marriage of Jeremiah in 1850. Nancy then made her home with Jeremiah until her death in December 1865.

Of the second family, Mary married (2) in 1853 Joseph R. Homely, born South Carolina in 1820, resided Lancaster District, South Carolina where he died in 1868, she moved to Kershaw District where she married (3) about 1872 Samuel Shaylor, Senior, born South Carolina in 1800, his 2d wife. She had four children by her second marriage, of whom Joseph R., b 1861, and Samuel W. b 1864, were living in 1870. No Billingsley or Langston blood. Samuel Shaylor died about 1883, and she died November 1887. No children by third marriage.

Children:

i Elizabeth Langston: b 1800 Union Dist., S. C., she m a Dr. Bridges, we have been unable to learn where they lived, he died leaving her with some five or six small children, she moved to Georgia soon after his death. No further record.

ii Jesse M. Langston: b 25 Jan. 1801 Union Dist., S. C. He m prior to 1824 Martha Bridges, b S. C. 22 June 1801, resided South Carolina and moved to Georgia prior to 1837 and then moved to DeSoto County, Miss. After 1842, both were living in 1850. They are said to have been the parents of 15 children, among them were three sets of twins. They had, known:

1 Eliza C. Langston: b 1824 S. C., m a Mr. Baker before 1850.

2 Ann Langston: b 22 Jan. 1826 S. C.

3 William Jasper Langston: b 22 Jan. 1826 S. C., a twin. Moved to Ga. and Miss. with his parents and m in 1850, after 10 Sept., Cincinnati Walker, b 1831, resided Miss. No data on their deaths. They had:

a Ulysses Malcue Langston: b 1851, m Rose Bowen, he died ca 1915 at Jacksboro, Tex.

b Willie B. Langston: b 1853, m William Morrison, both deceased, no children.

c William Franklin Langston: b 185-; died aet. 11 years.

d Son: b 185-, died infancy.

e Martha E. Langston: b 1860, m J. P. Morrison, both deceased, no children.

f Mary Cornelia Langston: b 1866, m J. P. Manning, both said to be living 1931, no children.

g Cora Lee Langston: b 186-, died set. 12 years.

h Jesse M. Langston, Jr.: b 27 July 1871, m Lydia

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Thomas, b 11 Dec. 1870, reside Como, Miss. They had:

hl Ida Lee Langston: b 8 Jan. 1894, m J. P. Phillips, reside Miss. They had: Annie B. Phillips, Jesse Perry Phillips, Jr., Joe Brown Phillips, Willie Jewel Phillips, Ralph Cleary Phillips, Clarence May Phillips.

h2 Willie L. Langston: b 12 Apr. 1897. h3 Daughter: b 18-, died infancy.

4 Thomas W. Langston: b 1837 Ga., died Decatur, Tex.

6. Frances Langston: b 1840 Ga., m John McDonald, both deceased, no children.

6 Jeremiah C. Langston: b 1842 Ga.

iii Joab Langston: b 1804. He is believed to have migrated to Ga. with his brother, John, prior to the removal of the family, later moved to Miss. where he m , said to have left a son, Joseph, residence not stated.

iv John Langston: b 1806 Darlington Dist., S. C. Migrated to Ga. with his brother, Joab, prior to the removal of the family, he then moved to Ala. where he m prior to 1830 Ann Hudspeth, b N. C. 1808, they moved to Lafayette Co., Miss. in or about 1839-40 where he engaged - in farming, she was living in 1860, no data on her death, he is said to have passed on in 1901 aged 95 years. They had:

1 William Greenwood Langston: b 1830 Ala., moved to Miss. and m prior to 1856 Mary Richards, b Va. 1831, resided Lafayette Co., Miss. They had, known:

a Emma F. Langston: b 1856.

b William Greenwood Langston, Jr.: b 1859.

c John R. Langston: b Mar. 1870.

2 Martha Langston: b 183- Ala. was called "Puss," she m Hiram Roberts, moved to Pilot Point, Tex., said to have had sons, Joel and Benjamin.

3 Joel Langston: b 1835 Ala. He m prior to 1859 Mary Petty, b Tenn. 1838, he was killed in Civil War. They had:

a William Langston: b 1860.

4 Lucy Langston: b 1844 Miss., m Robert Dean, she died 1931.

5 Mary Langston : b 1846 Miss., m Ruff Johnson, descendants said to be living Tyro, Miss.

v James M. Langston: b 1808 Darlington Dist., S. C., moved to Ga. with his parents and m ca 1829 Elizabeth Wyatt,

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b N. C. 1810. He was a carpenter and farmer, resided Henry Co., then moved to Atlanta, Ga. in the 1860's, both living in 1870, he is said to have died in 1874. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Langston: b 1830-31.

2 William J. Langston: b 1833 Ga., m ca 1860 Martha E. (Pharr ?), b Ga. 18-, he is listed as Engineer in 1882, resided Atlanta, Ga. where he died 11 Aug. 1911, Martha was living in 1912. They had, known:

a William J. Langston, Jr.: b ca 1862. listed as clerk in 1882, m Estelle, listed as a pipe fitter and living in 1912, Atlanta, Ga.

b Clarence W. Langston: b 186-, living 1890.

c Arthur C. Langston: b 186-, living 1890.

d Alonzo W. Langston: b 18-, living 1912.

e John D. Langston: b 18-, living 1912.

3 Nancy L. Langston: b 1835 Ga., m prior to 1858 a Mr. Winter, she was living with her parents in 1870. They had:

a James N. Winter: b 1858.

b Lela Winter: b 1861. Twins.

c Ella Winter: b 1861.

d Bettie Winter: b 1865.

4 Jephtha N. Langston: b 1837 Ga., m prior to 1868 Mary E., b Ga. 1848, resided Atlanta, Ga. in 1870 and operated a grocery store; he is not listed again until 1888 when his store was on Peachtree Road. In 1904 he is listed as Justice of the Peace. Mary died prior to 1912, he was living in 1916. They had, known:

a Edgar Langston: b 1868, evidently died small.

b Walter J. Langston: b May 1870, m Pearl, was living 1916, said :to have been deceased 1931.

c Alice Langston: b 18-.

d Jephtha W. Langston: b 18-, living 1912.

e Louis L. Langston: b 18-.

5 Elijah W. Langston: b 184- Ga. Was a carpenter, resided Atlanta, Ga., m Sallie , both living 1912.

6 Ann Langston: b 18- Ga.

vi Jeremiah Langston: b 1810 Darlington Dist., S. C., moved to Ga. with his parents. He went with his mother on a visit to John Langston in Lafayette Co., Miss. and listed in his home in 1840, returned to Ga. and then moved to Benton Co., Ala. in, 1845 with his mother and resided with his sister, Lucinda Wilson, until he married in 1850 Poling Nabors, b Tenn. 1828, daughter of Charles and.

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Nancy Nabors, resided. Calhoun, formerly Benton, County, Ala. It is said his devotion and care of his mother was one of the high lights of his character. He died in 1883. They had

1 Nannie Langston: b 22 June 1861, m prior to 1884 George Allison, b N. C. 29 Dec. 1852, who came to Ala. with his parents in 1857. He was deceased prior to 1931, she was living in 1932 and resided Piedmont, Ala. They had:

a Maude Allison: b 16 Nov. 1884, m J. J. Burns, reside near Piedmont, Ala. They had:

al Joseph Burns: b 19-.

a2 Son: b 19-.

a3 Annie Burns: b 1914, died 1921 from a fall at school.

b Cora Allison: b 31 Mar. 1887, m 1916 a Mr. Glover, reside Ensley, Ala. They had

b1 Gene Glover: b 31 Mar. 1921.

b2 Ila Glover: b 31 Mar. 1921.

b3 Allison Glover: b 1923 (daughter).

c Eva Langston Allison: b 17 Sept. 1897, m 1929 Gay Allen, reside Madison, Wis.

vii Jephtha Langston: b 30 Mar. 1812 in Chester Dist., S. C. while his mother was on a visit to her aunt, Mary Stedman. Moved to Ga. with his parents and later moved to Miss. where he married in 1841 Elizabeth West Talkington, b 3 Sept. 1816 Ky., a daughter of Joseph Talkington, b Ky. 1795, and Mary, b Va. 1795, his wife, of DeSoto Co., Miss. They moved to Panola Co., Miss. for a few years then returned to DeSoto Co. where he died 29 Mar. 1862, she survived him many years and died 23 Mar. 1883 at Cockrum, Miss. They had:

1 Samuel Langston: b 184-, died infancy.

2 John Coryelle Langston: b 9 Nov. 1846. He served in the Confederate Army, entered service about 1863. He m 24 Jan. 1866 near Memphis, Tenn., Sarah Eliza Bowen, b 24 Dec. 1847, Marshall Co., Miss., she died 18 Aug. 1900, he survived her and died 7 Oct. 1931, resided Cockrum, Miss. They had

a Eva Langston: b 20 Jan. 1867, m 3 June 1903 James Abram Heartsill, b 27 Aug. 1870 at Louisville, Tenn., Reside Dallas, Tex. She has furnished information on the family. They had:

al Robert Coryelle Heartsill: b 26 Nov. 1904 at Dallas, Tex., m 6 Feb. 1925 Harriet Corwin, b 2 Oct. 1908, Guadalajara, Mexico, reside

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Houston, Tex. They have a son, Robert C. Heartsill, Jr., b 5 Nov. 1925. a2 Graydon Heartsill: b 10 July 1906. b Guy Bowen Langston: b 17 Mar. 1869, m Zula Williams, reside Byhalia, Miss. c Pearl Langston: b 26 June 1874, m John Drew Williams, she died 19 Aug. 1901.

d Alma Langston: b 29 May 1876, died 31 May 1914, unmarried.

e Charles Jephtha Langston: b 26 June 1878, m 12 Apr. 1911. Mrs. Nora Swan nee Sage, reside Cockrum, Miss.

f Vernon Coryelle Langston: b 2 May 1881, m 27 Dec. 1908 Annie Herring, reside Cockrum, Miss.

g Graydon Boyce (Ray) Langston: b 22 July 1883, m 2 Sept. 1917 Myra McRae, reside Drew, Miss

h Lillie Langston: b 23 Aug. 1886, m 12 Apr. 1911 Oliver Cochran, reside Olive Branch, Miss.

viii Lucinda Langston: b 1814 Kershaw Dist., S. C., moved to Ga. with her parents where she m in 1837 Cravens Wilson, b S. C. 1798, his 2d wife, resided Benton Co., Ala., both were living in 1850. They had, known:

1 William A. Wilson: b 1833 Ga., 1st wife.

2 John J. Wilson: b 1835 Ala.

3 Edward D. B. Wilson: b 1836 Ala.

4 Nancy E. Wilson: b 1838 Ala., 2d wife.

5 Mary A. Wilson: b 1841.

6 Benjamin E. Wilson: b 1843.

7 Jeremiah C. Wilson: b 1845, was living Oct. 1931, has since passed on, not stated if he ever married.

8 Lucinda W. Wilson: b Nov. 1849. ix Malinda Langston: b 1816 Kershaw Dist., S. C., moved to Ga. with her parents, said to have married a Mr. Delk and moved to Ark. and had 2 sons. Children (2nd marriage)

x Martha Elizabeth Langston: b Oct. 1842 Kershaw Dist., S. C. She m John Wilson, b S. C. 1837, resided Lancaster Dist., S. C., moved to Miss. about 1868-69 with her brother, and visited her half kin in Calhoun Co., Ala. en route, she is said to have died about 1899, no children of record.

xi Rebecca Eliza Langston: b 3 Feb. 1844, was reared in the home of her grandparents Jackson in Lancaster Dist., S. C. She m prior to 1867 Samuel Shaylor, Jr., b S. C. 1840, resided Kershaw Dist., S. C., where he died in 1889, she died 10 Dec. 1916. They had:

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1 Rebecca Shaylor: b 13 Oct. 1867, m Dec. 1896 John R. Branham, b S. C. 1862, resided Kershaw Co., S. C. on this family.

xii George Jackson Langston: b 17 June 1846. Was reared in the home of his grandparents Jackson, Lancaster Dist., S. C. He m prior to 1866 Ann Barnes, b S. C. 184-, a widow who had a daughter at the time of this marriage. About 1868-69 they migrated to Miss. and en route stopped at the home of the half kin in Calhoun Co., Ala. They located in south Miss. and no trace of them has been discovered. They had, known:

1 Ann Barnes: b 1865, stepdaughter.

2 Mary Langston: b 1867 S. C. xiii Mary Adelaide Langston: b Mar. 1848, died set. about 3 years. xiv Isaac Newton Langston: b 16 Aug. 1849 Kershaw Dist., S. C. When about grown he migrated to Ala. where he m , and said to have died about 1902, residence not stated, had sons, William; Jackson who is said to have lived in or near Atlanta, Ga. and died about 1915-16, left some family; and Isaac; one or two daughters whose names not known.

### JOHN LANGSTON EXCURSUS

Born 171-, probably in Virginia. He migrated to Bertie County, North Carolina where he married prior to 1738 Martha Yeates, daughter of William and Mary Yeates. William Yeates died in 1752 and his will probated in May Court, 1752, names his children among whom is Martha Langston; wife, Mary named as executrix. In 1744 he applied for land

in Edgecombe County, North Carolina and this was granted 22 November 1744 when he was issued 300 acres, claimed head rights for six whites, and two blacks. They moved to this County and established a home and he engaged in farming. There is a record "Account of Guns impressed in the Expedition against the Insurgents, 1771, for Dobbs Detachment, lost, broke, or Destroyed." On this list is the name of John Langston 2.10.0 pounds. (N. C. *Rec. vol. xxii-414.*) He died intestate about 1772. Martha was deceased before 1790, said to have had nine children. Children: (known)

i John (2): b 1738.

ii Josiah: b 1740, m prior to 1762. He was a soldier of the Revolution, served 84 months in Continental Line, N. C., and died in service 1782-83. His heirs were granted 640 acres of land 1785 under the Act of 1783 for

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Relief of those who were wounded or died in service. Only children known are:

1 John: b 1762, m Nancy , moved to Columbia Co., Ga. and was deceased prior to 1827, Nancy as, Widow, drew land in Lottery of 1827. They had, known:

a John, Jr.

b James.

c Elvy.

d Ethelred.

2 Elizabeth: b 1764, m William Langston, son of John, 1st cousins.

iii Martha: b 1742.

iv William: b 1744, moved to West, N. C. before 1776.

v Mary L.: b 174-.

vi Sarah L.: b 1752, m 1 Jan. 1770 Richard Bolton.

## 2 JOHN (2) LANGSTON

(*John 1.*) Born Bertie County, North Carolina in 1738, moved to Edgecombe County, North Carolina with his parents. He married prior to 1761 Ann (Reddick ?), born North Carolina 174-. They settled in Wayne County, North Carolina where he enlisted in 1775 in the militia and served for 84 months, died during the year 1783 while in service under the Act of Oct. 1783 Ann petitioned for relief as Relict of John Langston, said petition was approved and recommended by the Court of Wayne County 1 November 1784, this Act was for the relief of those wounded or died in service; on 10 August 1785, 640 acres of land was granted to the heirs of John Langston. Ann was living in 1790 and resided in Wayne County.

Children

i William (3) : b 1761 Wayne Co., N. C.

ii Ann: b 176-, died small.

iii Martha: b 176-.

iv Uriah: b 176-, m Polly Howell. They had

1 Uriah.

2 Henry.

3 Asa.

4 Ira.

5 Elijah.

6 Wright.

7 Robert.

v Isaac: b 1770 Wayne Co., N. C., m prior to 1790, moved to Darlington Dist., S. C. with his brothers about 1793, both were living in 1830, then moved to Williamsburg Dist., S.C. (now Florence Co.) and resided near

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Lake City where they both died. They had 5 sons and 5 daughters, all living in 1830, only ones of record are:

1 Jesse: b 1790 N.C., was living in 1850, Darlington Dist., S. C. Left descendants.

2 Wright: b 1792 N. C., was living in 1850 Williamsburg Dist., S. C. Left descendants.

3 Stephen: b 1795 S. C., was living in 1850, Darlington Dist., S. C. Left descendants.

vi Ann: b 177-, living in 1790 unmarried.

vii Reddick: b 1776 Wayne Co., N. C., moved to Darlington Dist., S. C. with his brothers in 1793 and m prior to 1798 Priscilla Thornton, he died in 1849. They had:

1 Howard: b 1798, m prior to 1825, she died and he m (2) prior to 1845 Esther (7) Purvis, a widow who had a son, Henry, b 1837, at the time of this marriage. Both living 1860 and resided Williamsburg Dist., S. C. They had:

a Martha: b 1825, unmarried in 1860.

b Elizabeth: b 1826.

c Reddick: b 1828.

d Priscilla: b 1830.

e John: b 1836.

f Mary N.: b 1845, 2d wife.

g Susannah F.: b 1847.

2 Wade: b 1800, m ca 1819 Vacey Abbott, b S. C. 1800, resided Darlington Dist., S. C. in 1850. They had:

a Elias: b 1820, m 1842 Agnes. They had:

a1 Mahala: b 1843.

a2 Wade: b 1845.

a3 Lallie P.: b 1847.

a4 Eugenia: b 1849.

b Calvin: b 1822, m 1845 Emma, b S. C. 1825. They had:

b1 Nancy: b 1846.

b2 Joshua: b 1848.

c Mariah: b 1827.

d Mahala: b 1828.

e Wilson: b 1831.

f George Washington: b 1833.

g Rosannah: b 1835.

h Pinkey: b 1840.

i Abbott: b 1842.

j Vacey: b 1843.

3 Allie: b 180-.

4 Priscilla: b 180-.

5 Daniel: b 180-.



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- 6 John: b 1810, m prior to 1835 Emily, b S. C. 1812, moved to Smith Creek, Fla. after 1850. They had:
- a William: b 1835.
  - b Mary: b 1837.
  - c Jonathan: b 1839.
  - d Ervin: b 1841.
  - e Jacob: b 1843.
  - f J. Morgan: b 1845.
  - g Caleb: b 1848.
- 7 Ervin: b 21 July 1812 S. C., m prior to 1835 Elizabeth b S. C. 1816, resided Darlington Dist., S. C. where he died 24 Oct. 1898. They had:
- a Tilpha: b 1835.
  - b Thomas Spencer: b 6 Apr. 1837, m 1855 Elizabeth Kirby, b 15 Oct. 1840, she died 9 June 1905 and he died 30 May 1917. They had:
    - b1 Della: b 17 Dec. 1855, m 1874 Howard Oliver, she died 1 Jan. 1922.
    - b2 Martha R.: b 1856, died 1857.
    - b3 Judson: b 29 Nov. 1860, m 1880 Katurah Turner, b 26 Aug. 1859, he died 10 Nov. 1900, she died 15 June 1909.
  - b4 John T.: b 6 June 1864, m 23 June 1886, reside Timmons ville, S. C. They had:
    - a Emma Belle: b 17 Sept. 1886.
    - b William Ervin: b 14 Apr. 1889.
    - c Clarence Dowell: b 11 Apr. 1893.
    - d Corrie: b 20 Nov. 1898.
    - e Raleigh: b 19 Aug. 1899.
    - f Lollis: b 8 Sept. 1901.
    - g Chessly: b 28 Aug. 1903.
    - h Bessie Lois: b 20 Aug. 1907, died Aug. 1908.
  - b5 Lula: b 1866, died 1873.
  - b6 Lilly: b 1 May 1871, m 18 Dec. 1888 W. T. Purvis, she died 18 Aug. 1927.
  - b7 Cora: b 4 Sept. 1873, m 8 May 1890 R. J. Purvis, b 13 Nov. 1863, he died 4 Oct. 1929
  - b8 James Edward: b 31 Mar. 1875, m 11 Mar. 1897 Laura Lizetta Whitehead, b 8 Sept. 1875.
  - b9 Joseph Ervin: b 3 Aug. 1877, m 6 Jan. 1901 Addie Anderson, b 5 Aug. 1879.
  - b10 Addie: b 22 Apr. 1879, died 14 July 1896.
  - b11 Mamie: b 9 Mar. 1881, died 7 June 1889.

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b12 General Jubal: b 10 Sept. 1883, m 1 Feb. 1903

b13 Louise McLendon, b 19 Mar. 1886.

b14 Reddick: b 1888, died 1889.

c Reddick: b 1840.

d Mary P.: b 1842.

e Alla : b 1845.

f James: b 1848.

g B. H.: b 1849 (daughter).

viii Sarah: b 1779.

ix John: b 1781, migrated to Tenn. in early 1800's and m prior to 1806 Frances Martin, b N. C. 1781, resided East Tenn. where he died before 1850, she was living in 1860 and resided with her son Martin. They had, known:

1 James: b 1806 Tenn., m prior to 1832 Louisa, b N. C. 1812, resided Bradley Co., Tenn., both living 1850. They had, known:

a Jesse B.: b 1832.

b Samuel P.: b 1837.

c Nancy: b 1839.

d Mary M.: b 1841.

e George W.: b 1843.

f Martha: b 1845.

g Lorina: b 1848.

2 Martin: b 1808 Tenn., m prior to 1833 Mary Commodore, b S. C. 1816, resided Bradley Co., Tenn., both living in 1870. They had, known:

a Mariah: b 1833.

b Elizabeth: b 1835.

c Commodore: b 1838, m 1860 Elinor, b Tenn. 1845.

d George W.: b 1840, m 1860 Martha Beene, b Tenn. 1839, 1st cousins, he died in Civil War. No children.

e John L.: b 1842.

f William H.: b 1845.

g James M.: b 1848.

h Edward A.: b 1852.

i Sarah: b 1854.

j Frances: b 1856.

k Mary: b 1859, died 1860's.

3 Frances: b 1810, died small.

4 Dianna: b 1814 Tenn., m prior to 1837 John Beene, b N. C. 1802, both living 1870 Bradley Co., Tenn. Had a large family, Mary E. the oldest, b 1837; Martha, b 1839, m George W. Langston, 1st cousins, he d in

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1860's in Civil War, she was living with her parents in 1870, a widow. No children.

5 John: b 1871, died unmarried.

6 William C.: b 1821 Tenn., In in 1842 Minerva b Tenn. 1824, resided Bradley Co., Tenn. They had, known:

a Elizabeth: b 1843.

b Nancy: b 1845.

c Frances J.: b 1847.

d James: b 1849.

### 3 WILLIAM (3) LANGSTON

(*John 2, John 1.*) Born Wayne County, North Carolina in 1761. He married about February 1781 Elizabeth, daughter of Josiah Langston, born North Carolina 1764, 1st cousins. Resided in Wayne County to 1793 then moved to Darlington District, South Carolina with his brothers, Isaac and Reddick. He acquired a parcel of land located partly in Sumter District and farmed it until about 1809 when he turned the farm over to his sons, John and James, and migrated to Georgia and located in Columbia County where his brother in law, John Langston, resided, after a few years they moved to Clarke County, and then moved to Gwinnett County, Georgia. About 1826 he was one of a small party who went into the Cherokee Indian lands prospecting, he died of a fever while on this trip. Elizabeth was listed as a widow, 15 March 1827, and drew land in the Land Lottery of 1827 located in Muscogee County, there is no evidence that she ever occupied this land. She resided Gwinnett County to about 1832 then moved to Cherokee County, Alabama to her son, James, where she died prior to 1840.

Children

i Isaac (4) : b 1781 Wayne Co., N. C., m Nancy Billingsley, No. 160, which see.

ii Elizabeth: b 1784 Wayne Co., N. C., moved to S. C. and Ga. with her parents. Was a school teacher and died after 1850 unmarried.

iii Josiah W.: b 1788 N. C., moved to S. C. and Ga. with his parents and m prior to 1814 Cecilia , b N. C. 1790. He died about 1842, she was living in 1850, and resided Columbia Co., Ga. Said to have had 11 children of whom only 4 were living in 1850. .They had:

1 William: b 1814 Ga.

2 Cecilia: b 1816, m Howe, was living 1850.

3 Nancy: b 1830.

4 Susan: b 1835.

iv John: b Nov. 1790 Wayne Co., N. C., moved to Darlington Dist., S. C. with his parents in 1793. His father turned

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over the farm to John and James about 1809 when he moved to Ga. He m the latter part of 1810 Penelope Speight, b N. C. 1792, daughter of Stephen W. and Mary Speight. He was deeded in Feb. 1811, 100 acres of land by Stephen and Mary Speight, part of land granted to Sylvester Dunn. They sold this land subsequently to Arch Bell. He was deeded land by Abraham Blanding, 196 acres, about 1820, also a tract of land by Asa and Cressy Lee. He and his wife deeded a tract of land on waters of Black River to George W. McCutcheon. They migrated to Alabama in the early 1830's, spent a short time in Cherokee Co., then settled in Fayette Co. where he died in 1838-39, she survived him and was living in 1850. They had:

1 Keziah: b 1811 S. C., m prior to 1830 in S. C. William Watson, b S. C. 1799, moved to Ala. and settled in Fayette Co. Both living in 1850. They had:

a Keziah Watson: b 1831 S. C., died small.

b Eliza Ann Watson: b 1833 Ala.

c Joshua H. Watson: b 1836.

d Martha P. Watson: b 1838.

e Keziah Watson: b 1844.

f Willis H. M. Watson: b 1848.

2 Dicey Ann: b 1813 S. C., m prior to 1836 William Brown, b 1810 in S. C., resided Fayette Co., Ala. They had:

a Hillery Brown: b 1836.

b John Brown: b 1838.

c Matilda Brown: b 1840.

d Miranda Brown: b 1842.

e Penelope Brown: b 1846. f Richard Brown: b 1848. g Sophronia Brown: b Jan. 1850.

3 Penelope: b 1815 S. C., m 1838 James Brown, she died 1839.

4 John: b 1821 S. C., moved to Ala. with his parents and m prior to 1841 Phebe , b Tenn. 1824, resided Fayette Co., Ala. They had:

a Rebecca M. E.: b 1841.

b Louisa: b 1843.

c Sarah: b 1846.

d Margaret: b 1848.

5 Jesse: b 1823 S. C., moved to Ala. with his parents and m prior to 1840 Elizabeth , b Tenn. 1822, resided Fayette Co., Ala. They had:

a Milrose: b 1840.

b Samuel R.: b 1843.

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c Louisa M.: b 1845.

d John W.: b 1848.

6 Sophronia: b 1826 S. C. She m prior to 1844 Nathaniel Reed, b Ala. 1826, resided Fayette Co., Ala. They had:

a James F. Reed: b 1844.

b Josiah Reed: b 1846.

c Marilla Ann Reed: b 1849.

7 William D.: b 1825 S. C. Moved to Ala. with his parents. He migrated to Ark. in the 1860's and m there prior to 1867 Harriet L. , b Miss. 1847, they moved to Lafayette Co., Miss. about 1870. They had, known: a Nancy A.: b 1867 Ark.

8 James: b 1829 S. C., died 1830's Ala.

9 Mary Speight : b 1831 S. C.

10 Stephen: b 1833 Ala., died small.

v James: b 1794 Darlington Dist., S. C. He and his brother, John, operated the farm after his father moved to Ga. He m prior to 1820 Nancy , b S. C. 1798, resided S. C. to about 1832 then moved to Ala. and settled in what became Cherokee Co. and engaged in farming. His mother came to live with him after he established his home and died there before 1840. Both were living in 1850. They had, known:

1 James Willis: b 1820, S. C., moved to Ala. with his parents and m prior to 1841 Nancy Joyce, b S. C. 1818, resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had: a James W.: b 1841. b Joyce: b 1843. c Sarah C.: b 1845. d Nancy: b 1847. e Thomas: b Sept. 1849.

2 John: b 1823 S. C. Moved to Ala. with parents, migrated to Miss. and later to Ark., said to have died in Civil War.

3 William: b 1825 S. C., died 1833 Ala.

4 Nancy: b 1828 S. C., m prior to 1850 and moved to Ark.

5 Sarah: b 1830 S. C., m Sawyer and moved to Miss.

6 Dicey Amy: b Dec. 1832 Ala.

7 William: b 1834 Ala.

8 Isaac Joel: b 1837.

vi Martha: b 1796 S. C., m Thomas Foley in Ga., died in Ala. s.p.

vii Cynthia Ann: b 1798 S. C., m Freeman in Ga.

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viii William: b 1800 S. C., moved to Ga. with his parents and migrated to Tenn. about 1826, died unmarried.

ix Jesse: b 1802 S. C., moved to Ga. with his parents, migrated to Tenn. with his brother where he m prior to 1831 Rhoda, b Tenn. 1804, resided Bradley Co., Tenn. in 1850. They had:

1 Keziah: b 1831.

2 Thomas J.: b 1836.

3 Mary: b 1840.

a Edith: b 1803 S. C., moved to Ga.. with her parents where she m prior to 1830 Haywood Lanstin, b 96 Dist., S.C. in 1800, moved to Ala. both living in 1850 and resided Fayette Co. They had:

1 Elizabeth Lanstin: b 1830.

2 John W. Lanstin: b 1832.

3 Jesse Lanstin: b 1834.

4 William Jethro Lanstin: b 1835.

5 James Lanstin: b 1837.

6 Mary Elizabeth Lanstin: b 1839.

7 Andrew J. Lanstin: b 1841.

8 Perene Lanstin: b 1843.

9 Chloe Lanstin: b 1845.

10 Nancy Lanstin: b 1848.

### ELI HUDSON (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in October, 1792. He married prior to 1823 Lucretia Elizabeth, born Virginia in 1803 they migrated to East Tennessee with his mother and her family about 1824, settled in Monroe County in or about 1831 where he engaged in farming. He died 1853-54, she as living in 1860 and appears to have died prior to 1870.

Children:

i Elizabeth:, b 1823 Va. Was living 1850 unmarried, no subsequent record.

ii John (8) : b 1824 Tenn.

iii Charles: b 1826 Tenn., m in 1850 Barbara (Bayliss) Raper, b S. C. in 1830, a widow who had one child at the time of this marriage. They moved to western N. C. for a few years then returned to Tenn. where he died in 1859, she survived him and moved to Roane Co., Tenn. and was living in 1870. They had:

1 Rebecca Raper: b 1847, step daughter.

2 Edna D.: b 1851 N. C. Ts.

3 Bayliss W.: b 1851, N. C.

4 Della Malinda: b- 1853. N: C.

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5 Margaret J.: b 1859 Tenn., died small.

iv Lucretia: b 1829, died 1837.

v Louisa: b 1831.

vi Henrietta: b 1833.

vii Jane Minerva: b 1835.

viii Mary: b 1836.

ix George: b 1838 Tenn., m 1859 Nancy Raper, b \_N. C: 1840, resided Monroe Co., Tenn., *in* 1860 then moved to Ill. and later to Mo., no' record of their children.

x Nancy: b 1841.

xi James Jasper: b 1843 Tenn., m 1868-69 Eliza Fox, b Tenn. in 1836, a widow who had three children at the time of this marriage, he was a farmer, they resided in Roane and Loudon Cos., Tenn. They hid no children. His step children were:

1 Levi Fox: b 1855.

2 Mary Caroline Fox: b 1858.

3 Nancy A. Fox: b 1860.

### 161 CYRUS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1802, moved to East Tennessee with his mother about 1824 and migrated to Ohio with his brother about 1832 where he married prior to 1834 Thankful , born Pennsylvania in 1810. He was a carpenter, Thankful died about 1864 and he married (2) prior to 1867 Margaret , born Pennsylvania in 1834, both were living in 1870 and resided Hanover township, Licking County, Ohio.

Children

i Thankful: b 1834, died 1840's.

ii Elizabeth: b 1838.

iii Jonathan: b 1842.

iv Enoch: b 1844, m 1866 Sarah E., b Ohio in 1849, he was a farmer and resided Hanover township, Licking Co., Ohio in 1880. They had, known:

1 Cora M. E.: b 1868.

2 Lena L.: b 1872. .

3 James B.: b 1876.

v William: b 1867, 2d wife.

vi Malissa: b 1869.

### 162 JOHN (7) HOPKINS

(*Elizabeth 6, Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John.2, Francis 1.*) Born in Rowan County, North Carolina *in* December 1796, moved to Wilson County, Tennessee with- his parents.' He married prior to 1817 Margaret Fox, born North Carolina in 1800; daughter of Hugh Fox, of Tennessee.

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They resided in Tennessee where he engaged in farming to 1834, then moved to Illinois and in 1836 moved to Polk County, Missouri where he had a grant of land in 1839 in Madison township, resided in this county to 1847 then moved to Dallas County, Texas where he died January 1849. Margaret purchased 320 acres of land from John Metcalf and her children improved 75 acres of it. She died in 1864.

Children:

i Samuel Hopkins: b 1817, died unmarried.

ii Harriet Hopkins: b 181-, m a Mr. Cannady.

iii Smith Hopkins: b 1821, died unmarried.

iv Clarinda Margaret Hopkins: b 1823 Tenn. She m 1849 in Tex. John Norton, b Va. 1815, resided Dallas Co., Tex. where he died in 1869, she was living in 1870. They had:

1 Orlena Norton: b 1852, m a Mr. Bass.

2 Mary A. Norton : b 1854.

3 Emma A. Norton: b 1856.

4 James H. Norton: b 1857.

5 Robert A. Norton: b 1858.

6 Margaret C. Norton: b June 1860, died in 1860's.

7 John T. Norton: b 1862.

8 Laura Norton: b 1865.

9 Martha E. Norton: b 1868.

v Mary Ann Hopkins: b 1826 Tenn., m prior to 1848 John H. Thompson, he died 1867-68, she was living in Polk Co., Mo., in 1870. They had:

1 Margaret Thompson: b 1848, she m a Mr. Smith, was deceased in 1931, resided Cherokee, Okla.

2 John H. Thompson: b 1850 Mo. Resides Hazelton, Kan.

3 Rebecca Thompson: b 1852, m a Mr. Magee, reside Fairplay, Mo.

4 Elizabeth Thompson: b 1855, m a Mr. Runyan, reside Springfield, Mo.

5 Orlena Thompson: b 1857 Mo., m a Mr. Devins.

6 James Thompson: b 1860, m He died in 1908. Residence not stated. They had:

a Mabel Thompson.

b Ira E. Thompson.

7 Agrees Thompson: b 1863, m a Mr. Mead, had a son:

a Earl Mead: Resides Dallas, Tex.

8 Mary J. Thompson: b 1865, died unmarried.

vi Alston Hopkins: b 183- Tenn., died unmarried.

vii Henry Hopkins: b 1833 Tenn. He m 1858 Grace J., b Ind. in 1842, resided Mo., Ind., Ill., and were in Dallas, Tex. in 1870. They had:



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- 1 James C. Hopkins: b 1860 11o. Resides Weatherford, Tex
- 2 Rachel Hopkins: b 1862 Mo., m Cargill, had 9 children.
- 3 John W. Hopkins: . b 1864 Ind., resides Cleburne, Tex.
- 4 Joseph Hopkins: b 1866 Ind., m , had a daughter, Josephine who m Ezell, reside Mineral Wells, Tex.
- 5 Mollie D. Hopkins: b 1867 Ill., m a Mr. Johnson.
- 6 Elizabeth Hopkins: b 1869 Mo., m a Mr. Harris, reside Oran, Tex.
- 7 Georgia Hopkins: b 187- Tex., m a Mr. Staggs, reside Shamrock, Tex.
- 8 Lucinda Hopkins: b 187-, m a Mr. Farris, reside Perrin, Tex.
- 9 Jennie Hopkins: b 187- Tex., m a Mr. Prince, reside Fayetteville, Ark.
- 10 Samuel Hopkins: b 187-, resides Salesville, Tex.
- 11 Lillie Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Shaw, reside Grayford, Tex.
- 12 Catherine Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. DeBuck, reside Mineral Wells, Tex.
- 13 Emma Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Shaw, reside Necona, Tex.

viii Sarah Hopkins: b 1835 Ill., died unmarried.

ix John W. Hopkins: b 28 Oct. 1839 Polk Co., Mo., moved to Dallas Co., Tex. with his parents in 1847, and lived with his mother to 1869 when he m 28 Oct. 1869 Mary E. Hight, b Rutherford Co., Tenn. in 1851, daughter of Robert A. Hight and Martha Jordan who came to Texas in 1860. He was a farmer, a Mason, and family Baptists. He died 7 June 1887 leaving a farm of 1,000 acres of improved land, she was living in 1892. They had nine children, order not known, 6 were living in 1892 and 5 living in 1931:

- 1 Catherine Elvira Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Merrifield, reside Dallas, Tex.
- 2 Lillie Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Brandenburg, had 6 children and reside Duncanville, Tex.
- 3 David Hopkins: b 18-, resides Duncanville, Tex.
- 4 Josie Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Johnson, had a son, Raymond, reside Duncanville, Tex.
- 5 Margaret Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Hayne, have 5 children, reside Duncanville, Tex.
- 6 John Hopkins: b 18-, living 1892.
- 7 Robert Hopkins: b 18-, died aet. 4 years.
- 8 William Hopkins: b 18-, died aet. 2 years..

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9 James Hopkins: b 18-, died aet. 18 months.

x Milas Hopkins: b 22 June 1842 Polk Co., Mo., moved to Dallas Co., Tex. with his parents in 1847. He lived with his mother and remained on the homestead till 1868 when he purchased 200 acres of partially improved land for \$5.30 per acre and farmed it till 1889 when he sold out for \$125 per acre. He married 25 Jan. 1872 Elvira Elizabeth Neelly, b Mo. 18.61, daughter of Pallas Neelly and Lucinda Hopkins, and 1st cousins, resided Dallas, Tex. where he died in 1929.

Elvira is Cumberland Presbyterian, he was a Mason, they had 8 children, 6 were living in 1892:

1 Mary Lucinda Hopkins: b 187-, m a Mr. Goodnight, reside Dallas, Tex.

2 Henry Hopkins: b 18-, living in 1892.

3 Margaret Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. Merrifield, have 4 children, reside Dallas, Tex.

4 George V. Hopkins: b 18-, m and reside Dallas, Tex. Mrs. Hopkins has furnished some data on the family but few dates and little detail.

5 Grover Cleveland Hopkins: b 18-, deceased in 1931.

6 Cora Elizabeth Hopkins: b 18-, m a Mr. McClure, reside Dallas, Tex.

7 James Hopkins: b 18-, died aet. 2 weeks.

8 Child: 1818-, died aet. a few days.

### 162 JAMES A. (7) HOPKINS

*(Elizabeth 6, Basil 5, Samuel 4., William 8, John, 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Wilson County, Tennessee in 1806. He probably moved to Illinois with his parents and returned to Tennessee prior to 1827 where he married (1) in 182\_7 or 1828 Sarah Robertson, born Tennessee in 1807. They moved to Polk County, Missouri about 1838 where he had a grant of land in 1839, later moved to Cedar County in the late 1840's where Sarah died in the 1850's and he married (2) Ellen Panky, born Tennessee in 1812. Resided in Cedar County in 1860 and he is stated to have died 17 July 1896.

Children:

i David R. Hopkins: b 1828 Tenn., moved to Mo. with his parents and m in 1850 Carolina, b Mo. 1831, resided in Polk Co., Mo. in 1860. They had, known:

1 James Hopkins: b Feb. 1860.

ii James P. Hopkins: b 26 Jan. 1830 Tenn. He m 3 Dec. 1852 in Green Co., Mo. Frances Jane Guin, b Mo. in 1838, resided in Polk Co., Mo. where he died 3 Mar. 1912. They had

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1 Sarah. F. Hopkins: b 24 Feb. 1856.

2 Elizabeth Amanda Hopkins: b 24 Mar. 1858, m in 1874 Henry Leaviett (Levett ?) b Clay Co., Ill. 8 Feb. 1854 and who came to Mo. in 1872, resided Polk Co., Mo., where he died 8 Mar. 1901. They had:

a Elsie Leaviett: b 28 Mar. 1875, m 3 Sept. 1893 A. G. Frieze, b 7 Nov. 1868, Mo., reside Fairplay, Mo. She has furnished information on this family. They had

al Celo Frieze: b 16 Sept. 1894, m 22 May 1910 Granvill Noyes.

a2 Orba Frieze: b 23 June 1905, m 25 Dec. 1927 Effie Brown.

b Fannie Leaviett: b 187-.

c Booker Leaviett: b 18-.

d Walter Leaviett: b 18-.

e Frederick Leaviett: b 18-.

f Edward Leaviett: b 18-.

g Porter Leaviett: b 18-.

3 Martha A. Hopkins: 6.14 Jan. 1860.

4 Ofena Hopkins: b 21 Apr. 1862.

5 Frederick Hopkins: b 8 Sept. 1870.

iii Matilda Hopkins: b 1830 Tenn. Was living 1850 unmarried.

iv Christopher Columbus Hopkins: b 1832 Tenn.

v Samuel S. Hopkins: h 1834 Tenn., m prior to 1853 Sarah b Mo. in 1832, resided Polk Co., Mo. They had, known:

1 Orlena Hopkins: b 1853.

2 Mary Hopkins: b 1855.

3 Sarah Hopkins: 1857.

4 Samuel Hopkins: b 186-, m, residence not stated. They had:

a Lewis Hopkins: resides Wilmington, Calif.

b James F. Hopkins: resides Richmond, Calif.

c Elizabeth Hopkins: m a Mr. Harris, reside Dunnegan, Mo.

d David M. Hopkins: resides Fairplay, Mo. -

e Sarah Hopkins: m Hartley, she was decsd. 1931, 6 children, resided Tulsa, Okla.

vi Alfred D. Hopkins: b 1839 Mo.

vii Gerome B. Hopkins: b 1841.

viii Solomon G. Hopkins: b` 1844 Was living in 1931 at Phillipsburg, Mo.

ix Orlena Hopkins: b 1846.

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#### 163 HIRAM (7) HOPKINS

(*Elizabeth 6, Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilson County, Tennessee 1? March 1817, moved to Jackson County, Illinois with his parents, returned to Tennessee and then moved to Missouri with them about 1834. He had a grant of land in Polk County, Missouri in 1839. He married (1) , prior to 1844, she died 1844-45, and he married (2) prior to 1849 Elizabeth Jane Williams, born Tennessee in 1827. He was a farmer and merchant, served in Home Guards 1861-65, and served as Judge of County Court for some years. Elizabeth died 26 September 1868-69, he survived her and died 11 February 1878. There were 8 children, 7 of whom were living in 1889.

#### Children

i Thomas Hopkins: b 1844, 1st wife, living in 1860.

ii Amanda J. Hopkins: b July 1849, 2d wife, m John Walker, reside Fairplay, Mo. No children.

iii James Oliver Hopkins: b 1851 resides Fairplay, Mo. iv Mary Elizabeth Hopkins: b 1855, died Oct. 1915. v Virginia Hopkins: b 1859, m a Mr. Camp, reside Ava, Mo. vi Wellington Siegel Hopkins: b 15 Apr. 1862. Studied medicine with Dr. Drake, entered Mo. Med. College Oct. 1884 and graduated 2 May 1886, resided Cedar Co., Mo; to 1886 then moved to Fairplay, Mo. He married 17 Mar. 1887 Elsie M. Paynter, b 28 Feb. 1869 in Cedar. Co., Mo., daughter of Judge C. W. Paynter. He operated a drug store which was burned out in Sept. 1887. He died 12 Jan. 1916, she survived him. They had: 1 Cleo Margaret Hopkins: b 6 Sept. 1889, m 6 Sept. 1908 John F. McKinney they reside Springfield, Mo. She is active in D. A. R. work, has furnished information on this family. She has also been kind enough to interview some of the Billingsleys who live near her who would not reply to any writer. Reside Springfield, Mo. They had

a Dorothy Hopkins McKinney: b 10 Apr. 1911.

b Charles Wellington McKinney: b 9 Apr. 1918.

2 Mary Jane Hopkins: b 2 Sept. 1894, m Henry Merritt, no children.

vii Nancy Arrah Hopkins: b 15 Apr. 1862, a twin of Wellington S. She resides Gridley, Kan.

viii Alvin L. Hopkins: b 1864, resides Fairplay, Mo.

#### 164 WILLIAM YOUNG (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Basil 6, Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Johnson County, Illinois in 1829. He migrated to Missouri and married 16 November 1850 at the home of Solomon Gilliam, at Harmony, Missouri, Elizabeth Jane Huitt, born Missouri in 1830, a daughter of Lemuel

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Huitt. He was a miner. He enlisted 21 August 1862 at Potosi, Missouri, Sergeant Co. I, 33d Missouri Infantry, U. S.; deserted at Helena, Arkansas, 24 February 1863, returned to regiment 2 June 1863, restored to duty and reduced to the ranks; wounded at Nashville, 16 December 1864 and died 22 December 1864. She married (2) 28 November 1866 George W. Davis, he died 28 November 1890. In 1899 she made claim for pension on the Billingsley service which was rejected as pension had already been paid to minor children; she then made claim on the service of Davis who had been a soldier from Indiana and this was granted. A committee was appointed by court in 1925 to handle her affairs as she was found incompetent, she died in 1926. Resided Missouri.

Children:

i Mary Telitha: b 15 Sept. 1851, m a Mr. Edgar, she died July 1876.

ii Sarah Elizabeth: b 5 Nov. 1853, m a Mr. Andrews, she is deceased, left a large family.

iii Frances Elvira L.: b 21 Mar. 1856, m prior to 1883 a Mr. Andrews, she was living 1933, resided Walnut Ridge, Ark. They had:

1 Webb Andrews: b 27 Oct. 1883 Mo., m Effie Billingsley, see No. 325-A.

2 James Andrews: b 18-.

3 Bert Andrews: b 18-, resides Antioch, Calif.

4 Charles Andrews: b 18-, m reside Walnut Ridge, Ark.

5 Nettie Andrews: b 18-, m a Mr. Alfred, reside Nettleton, Ark. Have some family.

iv Martha Lou: b 15 Mar. 1859, m a Mr. Cole, she is deceased, said to have had a large family.

v Lemual Basil (8) : b 5 Mar. 1862.

vi Dellia Davis: b 18-, 2d marriage. No Billingsley blood.

vii Annie Davis: b 18-, m Willard Coleman, both deceased. They had:

1 Roman Coleman: b 1-,resides Dillard, Mo.

viii Janie Davis: b, m Henry Jarvis, had a daughter, Clara.

#### 165 WALTER (7) BILLINGSLEY

Baltimore County, Maryland 9 February 1806. He married prior to 1830 Mary Sewell, born Baltimore County, Maryland 13 December 1800. They moved to Butler County, Ohio about 1832 where he engaged in farming. He died 17 December 1850 following a kick by a horse, Mary survived him some years and died 29 December 1864. Both buried Springfield cemetery, Huntsville, Ohio, graves marked.

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#### Children:

i James W. (8) : b 1.3 Sept. 1830 Md.

ii Rebecca: b 1833 Ohio, m after 1860 David C. S. Beatty, b Ohio 1827, his 2d wife, he had 3 children at the time of this marriage all over 15 years of age, resided Butler Co., Ohio in 1870. No children of record.

iii Sarah A.: b 1836, she m in 1854 John S. Miles, b Va. 1829, resided Butler Co., Ohio in 1870. They had, known:

1 Charles Miles: b 1856.

2 Ann Miles: b 1858.

3 Sarah Miles: b 1862.

4 John S. Miles: b 1865.

5 Mary Miles: b Dec. 1869.

iv Mary E.: b 1840. Was living 1860, unmarried.

v Ruth: b 1843-4. Was living 1860 unmarried.

### 166 JOSEPH (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland October 1807. He married in Baltimore, Maryland 5 March 1831 Sarah Warfield, born Maryland in 1807. They moved to Warren County, Ohio about 1838 then moved to Schuyler County, Illinois in the 1850's where both were living in 1880. He was listed as a farmer and with real and personal estate valued at \$9,725.

#### Children

i James Harvey (8) : b 1833 Baltimore Co., Md.

ii Mary: b 1836 Baltimore Co., Md., m after 1860 Benjamin Phillips, she died in Ill. No record of her family.

iii William: b 1839 Warren Co., Ohio, m prior to 1867 Mary b Ill. in 1847, he was a farmer, both were living in 1880 and resided Schuyler Co., Ill. They had, known:

1 Belle S.: b 1867.

2 John: b 1869.

3 Joseph: b 1871.

4 Raymond: b 1873.

5 Margaret: b 1875.

6 Ollie: b 1878 (daughter).

iv Henrietta: b 1841 Warren Co., Ohio, m after 1860 Abraham Strasburg, she died in Ill. No record of her family.

v Robert: b 1843 Warren Co., Ohio, m prior to 1869 Elizabeth b Pa. 1847, he was a farmer, resided Schuyler Co., Ill., both living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Benjamin: b 1869.

2 Florida: b 1870.

3 Marietta: b 1872.

4 Elizabeth: b 1874.

5 Sarah: b 1879.

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vi Samuel M.: b 1845 Warren Co., Ohio, m Harriet Noble, b 1859. They moved to Oklahoma City about 1901 where he died 5 Mar: 1912. of uremia, she-survived him and is listed in Oklahoma City to 1917, she died at Bosworth, Mo., 9 Jan. 1925 and is buried Fairlawn Cemetery, Oklahoma City. No children.

vii Benjamin: b Dec. 1849, m prior to 1879 Belle Skyles, b Ill. 1859, resided Schuyler Co., Ill. in 1880. They had, known:

1 Harvey: b Sept. 1879 Ill., m He is a lawyer, reside Lakeland, Fla. No information obtainable.

#### 167 SAMUEL (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, Walter 6, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1815 posthumous. He married prior to 1841 Sarah E. McClung, born Maryland in 1825. He was a farmer and resided all his life in Baltimore County. He dated his will 11 February 1891 and it was probated 21 June 1891, leaves all estate to wife, Sarah during her life and at her death sons, Samuel and Thomas, to have residue by paying to my children as follows: son, James, \$5.00; son, George, \$5.00; daughter, Rebecca Ruth, \$100; son, Robert L., ;5.00; son, John W., \$5.00; son, Walter, \$150; daughter, Sarah E., \$100; daughter, Rachel Alverta, \$100; daughter, Claire Cecilia, \$100; daughter, Martha Amelia, \$150. Executors, sons, Samuel and Thomas, who are to make payments within two years after death of wife. (Wills *Lib.* 9, fol. 463.) No data on death of Sarah.

#### Children

i James: b 2 Jan. 1841. He m (1) 15 Aug. 1870 Jennie Amoss, at Baltimore, Md. it is not stated if she died or if there was a divorce. He m (2) 2 Nov. 1890 Sallie Elliott, b 16 Sept. 1862. He was a drygoods merchant in Baltimore from late 1870's to about 1892 then moved to Front Royal, Va. and came to Washington, D. C. about 1894 and operated a livery stable. In 1898 he is listed as a clerk. He was a 32 degree Mason, died 30 Jan. 1903, family Baptists, he is buried Rock Creek Cemetery, D. C. She survives him, resides Washington, D. C. They had:

1 James Clarence: b 28 Oct. 1873 Baltimore, Md. Came to Washington, D. C. with his parents, was a newspaper man, died of Tuberculosis 13 Dec. 1902, Washington, D. C.

2 Edward Samuel: b 21 Aug. 1893 at Front Royal, Va., 2d wife. He m (1) 5 Aug. 1916 Washington, D. C. Elsie Mary Mowatt, divorced 5 Mar. 1931 and he m (2) at Baltimore, Md., Helen Grace Holmes, of Wash-

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ington, D. C. He is a railroad man, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Norman James: b 30 May 1917.

3 Sallie Grace: b 18 Dec. 1896 Washington, D. C., m (1) 9 Dec. 1913 William West Brooke, divorced 24 Oct. 1921, and she m (2) 15 Aug. 1931 Lloyd B. Fields, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Virginia May Brooke: b 22 Sept. 1914.

ii George Christopher (8) : b 2 Apr. 1843.

iii Rebecca Ruth: b 1845, m 27 Jan. 1874. E. B. Gosnell.

iv Robert L.: b 1846. One Robert Billingsley was listed as a dentist in Baltimore, Md. 1880 to 1882, not known if this is Robert. He was living in 1891 and named in his father's will. Was said to be living Chicago, Ill. when last heard from.

v John W.: b 1847. Was a clerk in Farmer's Hotel, Baltimore, Md. in 1880 and listed in directory to include 1895, no subsequent record, said to have been deceased prior to 1931.

vi Walter: b 1852; m 21 Dec. 1877 Baltimore Co., Md., Elizabeth Kager, he was living in 1891, and deceased prior to 1930.

vii Joseph: b 1855. Living in 1870 and died prior to 1891.

viii Sarah E.: b 1859, m 9 Jan. 1877 Nathan Morris, was living in 1931 Baltimore Co., Md.

ix Rachel Alverta: b 1861 called "Verdie" living 1931 unmarried.

x Claire Cecilia: b 1866, was living in 1891 and died unmarried before 1930.

xi Martha Amelia: b 1866, a twin of Claire, said to have m a Mr. Norris and living in 1930.

xii Samuel M.: b 1868 named in his father's will as an executor in 1891, he m 9 Apr. 1907 Baltimore Co., Md., Zora B. Meldron, reside Whitehall, Md. No information obtainable from him or his brother, Thomas.

xiii Thomas E.: b Nov. 1869, resides Whitehall, Md.

#### 168 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(Walter 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Harford County, Maryland in January 1811. He married 20 May 1842 at Baltimore, Maryland, Mary Jane Bryan, born Maryland 4 November 1821. Resided in Harford County where he was listed in 1850 as a "sadler." He dated his will 13 July 1854 and it was probated 5 September 1854; names, wife, Mary Jane; residue of estate to six children, not named. At the time this will was made only five children were existent,



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note birth date of Robert. The executors were requested to dispose of property and purchase a house and lot in Baltimore, or other place. Mary survived him many years, moved to Baltimore, Maryland after 1860 and resided with her son, Martin. She dated her will 25 June 1888 and it was probated 10 September 1890, son, Martin named as executor. Children used name of Billingslea.

##### Children

i Thomas Pearce Bryan: b 12 May 1843, m 27 July 1871 Anne Martin. Named in his mother's will in 1888, had children living in 1902, who are mentioned in his brother's will, but not named nor are they legatees. Resided in Ohio, he was deceased prior to 1932.

ii James Polk: b 11 May 1845, m 21 June 1871 Rebecca I. Norris. Named in his mother's will in 1888, he was deceased prior to 1932, resided in Calif.

iii Joseph Bryan: b 26 Aug. 1847, moved to Ohio and married at West Chester, 1 Jan. 1874 Ann Rebecca Elliott, widow of a Mr. Clawson, b Huntsville, Ohio 5 May 1838. Resided Butler Co., Ohio where she died 28 Feb. 1920, and he died 27 Dec. 1928. They had:

1 Lewis Clawson: b 1861 Step son.

2 Clara Jane: b 23 Oct. 1874, m William E. Schorr.

3 Stanley: b 8 Sept. 1876, m 9 Apr. 1903 Mary Bell Rice, reside Hamilton, Ohio. He furnished data on this family. No children.

4 Josie Myrtle: b 1878, died 1882.

5 Celia Verona: b 14 Mar. 1884, m Norman H. Gilman.

iv Martin Boyd (8) : b 10 June 1849.

v Walter: b 20 July 1851. Named in his mother's will in 1888, m , had children living in 1902 who are mentioned in will of Martin Billingslea in which no names are given, nor are they legatees. He was said to be living in 1932 and residing at Fresno, Calif. No information obtainable from him.

vi Robert McClung: b 12 Oct. 1854, post humous. Moved to Ohio and m 20 June 1882 Martha Ann Jordan, b Ohio 18-, she died at Bethany, Ohio 24 June 1924, he survives her and resides at Bethany, Ohio (1931). They had:

1 Charles Ray: b 19 Apr. 1883, m 1 Apr. 1908 at Bethany, Ohio, Hattie Viola Allen, b Sidney, Ohio 20 Oct. 1882, reside Columbus, Ohio. No children.

2 Edna Bertha: b 11 Sept. 1887, resides Bethany, Ohio.

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#### 169 JOHN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland on Saturday, 1 November 1806. The family Bible shows this date as "Saturday 1, November 1805"; this is clearly an error as the 1st of November 1805 did not fall on Saturday; again, his parents were married in June of 1805, license record and church record are in accord, and it is possible though highly improbable that this birth took place in the following November. He moved to Pennsylvania and Ohio with his parents where he married prior to 1829 Charlotte Barlow, born Pennsylvania - in 1812: They resided in or near Dublin, Ohio to about 1842-43 then moved to Salem township, Henry County, Iowa, where he engaged in farming. Charlotte died 12 March 1853 and he married (2) prior to 1855 Mrs. Priscilla (Hull). Kimes, born New Jersey in 1819, and daughter of Melinda Hall, born N. J. 1788. Priscilla was widow in 1850 and had the following children at the time of her 2<sup>nd</sup> marriage, i.e.: Sarah Kimes; b 1838 Ill.; James Kimes, b 1842 Ill.; and Royal Kimes, b 1849 Iowa.

John died 19 January 1867, place not stated but in Van Buren County, Iowa in all probability. Priscilla; survived him was living in Van Buren County in 1870 and 1880, and is said to have died 29 October 1907 result of a fall which fractured her hip.

Children:

i George Barlow: b 12 Dec. 1829 Ohio, m 26 Oct. 1854 in Iowa, Marilla Stevens, b Ohio in 1830, resided Henry Co., Iowa in 1860; no data on their deaths. They had:

1 Child: b 18-, died infancy.

2 Ann: b 186-, m Andrew Anderson of Ill. He was editor of Streeter Tribune, Streeter, Ill. She died many years ago leaving no children.

ii Ann Maria (8) : b 12 June 1834.

iii Samuel Marion: b 9 Apr. 1837, died small.

iv William Henderson: b 10 Feb. 1839 at Dublin; Ohio, moved to Iowa with his parents 1842-43. He married 13 May 1858 Eliza Childs, b Md. 1841, a daughter of Thomas Childs. Resided Henry Co., Iowa in 1860. He was a locomotive engineer and resided at Rockford, Ill. When he was killed in a railroad accident 24 July 1917, she survived him and died 1 Jan. 1918. They had, order not known:

1 Theodora: b 1859 Iowa: Is not listed among children given by other members of the family. She was living in 1860

Fred: b 186-, resides Oceanside, Calif.

3 John: b 186-, m , resided San Bernardino, Calif. in 1930, and was living in Kankakee, Ill. in 1933. They had; known:

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a Clyde William: b 18 Mar. 1904, Bradford, Ill. He m at Riverside, Calif. 26 Jan. 1926, Irene Sims, b Excelsior Springs, 6 28 Nov. 1908, reside San Bernardino Calif. They had:

al Jackie: b 21 Feb. 1927.

a2 Dickie: b 23 July 1930.

a3 Dixie: b 23 July 1930. Twins

4 Mabel: b 18-, resides Okla.

5 Maud: b 18-, m, had a daughter about grown (1932) and resided Los Angeles; Calif.

6 Anna: b 18-, m a Mr. Thackery, had a daughter m and resided Rockford, Ill., had a daughter aged about 8 years in 1932. Anna resided in Rockford, Ill. and Calif.

v Albert: b 20 Feb. 1841, died small.

vi Emily Frances: b 4 Aug. 1843 Iowa, m prior to Sept. 1860 David Cox, b Ohio in 1838, resided Henry Co., Iowa in 1860. They had:

1 Alice Cox: b 186-, m a Mr. Harlan.

2 Minnie Cox: b 186-.

3 Kate Cox: b 18-.

4 Belle Cox: b 18-.

vii John Taylor: b 1 Apr. 1846 Henry Co., Iowa. He married (1) at Salem, Iowa 15 Feb. 1871 Elizabeth Sanderson, b England 19 Jan. 1843, daughter of Cornelius and Ann L. Sanderson, She died 4 Sept. 1878 and he married (2) Eve Hampton, b 10 Feb. 1854, a daughter of Edward Hampton and Hannah Votaw. Resided Hillsboro, Iowa where he died 18 Nov. 1906, she survived him some years and died 23 Jan. 1920. They had:

1 Lela: b 187-. Resides Hillsboro, Iowa, unmarried.

2 Elmer: b 18-, 2d wife, resides Hillsboro, Iowa.

3 May: b 18-, m a Mr. Edwards, reside Salem, Iowa.

4 Howard B.: b 18-.

5 Grace: b 18-, m a Mr. Loving, reside Moline, Ill. .

6 George H.: b 18- (Howard and George at Moline, Ill. at last accounts). viii James: b 11 Feb. 1849, died infancy.

ix Catherine Alwilda: b 27 Aug. 1851, m prior to 1870 Oliver Taylor, b Pa. 1844, resided Iowa in 1870. He died 1892 and she died 1930-31, residence not stated. They had:

1 Lura Taylor: b 18-, m. a. Mr. Knebel, and resides Junction, Oregon.

2 Fred Taylor: b 18-, resides Los Angeles; Calif.

3 Louis B. Taylor: b 18-, resides Monroe, Oregon.

4 Gus Taylor: b 18-, deceased.

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5 Floyd Taylor: b 18-, called "Dot" m a Mr. Huffsted, and resided Peoria, Ill. in 1930.

x Mary Elizabeth: b 12 Dec. 1855, 2d wife. She married 12 Jan. 1893 at Hillsboro, Iowa, Wesley Runyon, reside Hillsboro, Iowa. She possesses the family Bible of Samuel Billingsley. No children.

xi Samuel Hook: b-27 July 1861. He married after 1880 Kate Wood, reside Hillsboro, Iowa. They had, known:

1 Roy: b 18-, resides Hillsboro, Iowa.

2 Son: b 18-, name not known, said to be living in 1930.

170 WALTER (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 5 January 1808, moved to Pennsylvania and Ohio with his parents. He married prior to 1832 Margaret Frazier, born Pennsylvania in 1808. He was a farmer and resided Franklin County, Ohio where she died in 1876, he survived her and died at his home in 1882.

Children

i Catherine: b 1832 Ohio, m prior to 1856 Robert Gray, b Pa. in 1819, resided Franklin Co., Ohio in 1860. They had, known:

1 James W. Gray: b 1856.

2 William E. Gray: b 1858.

ii John S.: b 1834 Ohio, m prior to 1856 Sarah Austin, b Va. in 1837, resided Franklin Co., Ohio in 1850 and 1860 then moved to Delaware Co., Ohio before 1870. He is said to have died circa 1900 residence not stated. They had, known:

1 Henry: b 1856.

2 Margaret: b 1858.

3 John: b Mar. 1860.

4 William: b 1864.

5 Jennies b 1867.

iii Angeline: b 1836; m prior to 1868 David Doming, b Ohio 1843, resided Delaware Co., Ohio in 1870, she is said to have died 1926, residence not stated. They had, known

1 Frank Doming: b 1868.

2 Albert Doming: b 1869.

3 Delbert Doming: b 1873.

iv Maria Lane: b 1839. Living in 1860 and unmarried, not listed in 1870 and no mention of her by the family.

v William H. (8) : b 27 July 1841.

vi Ruth A.: b 1846-47, m Isaac Bowersmith, b Ohio 1836, resided Franklin Co., Ohio in 1880, she is said to have died circa 1903. No mention of any children.

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171 SAMUEL WALTER (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Barzillai 6, Walter 6, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1816.

He married 25 September 1839 Elizabeth Haile, born Maryland in 1817. He was a carpenter. They resided in Baltimore County where they spent all their days, both died in the early 1890's.

Children:

i Charles: b 1840, died in 1916 unmarried.

ii Samuel Walter, Jr.: b 26 Aug. 1842. He married (1) 27 Nov. 1866 Sarah A. Oler, b Md. 1840, she died in 1875 and he married (2) prior to 1884 Anna Shriner, b Md 1858, she died June 1927. Vie spent an afternoon at the home of Samuel W. and his family in July 1931 and obtained much of this information. His daughter, Charlotte, was well posted on family history of her own branch. They had:

1 Charlotte: b Dec. 1871, unmarried 1931.

2 Nellie: b 1 Jan. 1884, 2d wife, was a music teacher for many years, m Dec. 1930 Charles A. Hoffman, reside Odenton, Md.

3 George Walter: b 3 Nov. 1889, m 16 July 1921 Ollie Taggart, reside Baltimore, Md. No children.

iii William Henry Harrison: b 1844, m 2 Mar. 1871 Eleanor Gambrill, b Md. June 1852, she was known as "Ella." Resided Baltimore, Md. where he was a commission merchant and died in 1917; she survived him dated her will 29 Nov. 1923, died 1 Dec. 1923 and the will probated 31 Dec. 1923; she provides that the bodies of her husband and children be removed from Perry hall M. E. church cemetery to Parkwood cemetery in Baltimore Co., Md. \$50 bond to Hamilton Ave. M. E. Church near Raspeburg; remainder of estate to my 6 living children and the 3 children of my deceased daughter, Clara Yeatman They had:

1 Clara Elizabeth: b 24 Nov. 1871, m Millard Yeatman, she died ca 1919 at Baltimore, Md. They had:

a Edith Yeatman.

b Evelyn Yeatman.

c Esther Yeatman.

2 Sallie Slade: b 14 Mar. 1873, m 20 June 1892 Robert Meredith, b 5 July 1864; he died June 1921, she survives him and resides Baltimore, Md. They had:

a Owen Meredith: b 11 Apr. 1893, m Mary Mabus, b Md. reside Baltimore Co., Md. They had:

al Robert Meredith: b 1917.

a2 Lunsford Meredith: b 1921.

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- b Rae Talmadge Meredith: b 2 May 1895, m Mabel Craig, reside Baltimore, Md. They had:
  - b1 Dorothy Meredith: b 1925.
  - b2 Mabel Meredith: b 1926.
  - b3 Lolita Meredith: b 1928.
- c Amy Florence Meredith: b 26 Jan. 1898, m 1917 Russell Pugh, reside Baltimore, Md. They had:
  - c1 Russell Pugh, Jr.: b 1919.
  - c2 Virginia Pugh: b 1921.
- d Lolita Ruth Meredith: b 1 Dec. 1902.
- e Robert Dewey Meredith: b 28 May 1905.
- f Ruth Anna Meredith: b 24 May 1908, m Carl Uhl, reside Baltimore, Md. They had:
  - fl Phyllis Ruth Uhl: b 12 Dec. 1930.
- 3 Eli Gambrill: b 23 Apr. 1875, m Mollie Pierce, b Cecil Co., Md., resided Philadelphia, Pa. in 1931. They had: a Beulah Eugenic: b ca 1899, m a Mr. Frisch, had 2 children living in 1931.
- 4 Minnie: b 23 Mar. 1877, m John Waiters, reside Taneytown, Md. They had:
  - a Earl Walters.
  - b Catherine Waiters: died aet. 3 months.
  - c Milliard Walters.
  - d Mabel Walters.
  - e Florence Walters.
  - f Austin Waiters: b ca 1912.
- 5 Florence J.: b 12 July 1878, m 30 Jan. 1900 at Havre de Grace, Md., George Herbert Cox, b Md. 3 Sept. 1872, he is a machinist, reside Baltimore, Md. They had:
  - a Walter Billingsley Cox: b 18 July 1903, m Nov. 1927 at Middleton, Del., Helen Moore.
  - b George Herbert Cox, Jr.: b 14 Feb. 1905, m Aug. 1925 Gladys Crooks. They had:
    - b1 Gordon Herbert Cox: b 13 Apr. 1927.
  - c Mildred Eleanor Cox: b 12 Sept. 1907, m 15 June 1928 Glenn F. Breining, reside Waynesboro, Pa. They had:
    - c1 Glenn Franklin Breining: b 14 Feb. 1931.
    - d Margaret Amelia Cox: b 27 Mar. 1911, died 23 May 1923.
    - e Roy Webster Cox: b 9 Nov. 1918.
    - f Robert Greenleaf Cox: b 13 Feb. 1920.
- 8 Elsie: b 29 Oct. 1882, m 16 Sept. 1905 at Philadelphia, Pa. Harry Kirk Ely, b Harford Co., Md. 5 July 1878.

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1880. His widow survived him and is said to have died in Oklahoma City, Okla. no date stated. They had:

a Margaret: b 1871 Ark.

b Joseph H.: b 1873. One Joseph H. Billingsley is listed in Oklahoma City, Okla. from 1903 to the present (1931). It is not known if this is this particular Joseph H. In view of the fact stated that Jennie Billingsley died in Oklahoma City it is indicated that the two parties are one and the same. No further record.

c Edmund Halliburton: b 1875 at DeWitt, Ark. He is listed in 1908 as a clerk at Little Rock, Ark. He moved to Helena, Ark., and is listed again at Little Rock, Ark. 1916 as operating a theatre and is later listed as electrician. He married Blanche Inman, b DeWitt, Ark. Nov. 1879, a daughter of Isaiah Inman, b Ind. 1844 and Elizabeth, b Ky. 1845, residents of DeWitt, Ark. He has furnished some information on this family but has been very reticent in so doing. Reside Little Rock, Ark. They had:

c1 Edmund Jack: b 19-.

c2 Bettie Jane: b 19-.

c3 Robert Joe: b 19-.

2 Samuel H.: b 1852. Living 1860, probably died childhood.

ii Sarah: b 1828 Ala., m prior to 1850 James Woods, b Miss. in 1822, resided Pontotoc Co., Miss. where he died in 1859. She moved to Monroe Co., Ark. where she resided in 1870. They had

1 Susan Woods: b 1850 Miss.

2 James Woods: b 1852.

3 Sarah Woods: b 1855

4 Martha Woods: b 1857.

iii Tabitha: b 1830, died childhood.

iv Benjamin F.: b 1832 Ala., moved to Miss. with his father and then moved to Ark. about 1860 where he enlisted as Pvt. in Thrall's Batt. of Ark. Light Arty., C. S. A., date of enlistment not shown. He is on a roll of Prisoners surrendered by Gen. Taylor and paroled at Meridian, Miss. 11 May 1865. After the War he settled at Columbus, Miss. where he m in 1866 Sarah b Miss. 1835, they moved to Monroe Co., Ark. where he died in 1868 and she m (2) John H. Woods, b Miss. 1837, both living in 1870. They had:

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He is a Mason, family Methodists, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Eugene Slayton Ely: b 9 Apr. 1907 Wilmington, Del.

b Harry Kirk Ely, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1909 Wilmington, Del., m Aug. 1929, Washington, D. C. Virginia Gaines, reside Washington, D. C.

c Helen Lydia Ely: b 27 July 1911 Delaware City, Del.

d Lillian Gaddes Ely: b 13 Apr. 1914.

e Blanche Virginia Ely: b 27 Nov. 1916.

f Elsie Olivia Ely: b 14 Dec. 1918.

g Ruth Aileen Ely: b 13 May 1920.

h Edmund Ellsworth Ely: b 10 Aug. 1924.

i Billie Lou Ely: b 7 Oct. 1926.

7 Samuel Walter: b ca 1884, m 3 Dec. 1903 Harford Co., Md. Lydia V(. Coburn, b Md. 188-, he was a resident of Wilmington, Del. at this time, he was deceased 1931. No children.

8 Edward: b 8 Oct. 1890, m Catherine Crump, reside Baltimore, Md. They had: a Dorothy Catherine: b Sept. 1914. b Melville G.: b 19-. c Kenneth: b Nov. 1924.

9 Helen: b 1892, died small.

iv Mary: b 1847, m 22 Jan. 1872 Noah Small, she died Apr. 1916, resided Harford Co., Md. They had:

1 J. Ruff Small: b 18-, resides Baltimore, Md.

2 Noah Small: b 18-, resides Philadelphia, Pa.

v Taylor: b 1849, died infancy.

vi John: b 12 July 1851, m 10 Feb. 1878 in Baltimore, Md. Elizabeth Gambrill, b 17 Mar. 1859. He died 15 Oct. 1915, she survives him and resides Aberdeen, Md. They had:

1 William T.: b 25 Jan. 1879, m 24 Sept. 1902 Kate Bechtold, reside Havre de Grace, Md. No children.

2 Lou Ella: b 19 Feb. 1884, m 11 June 1903, Herbert Oehme, she died 8 Apr. 1904.

3 Mary Mildred: b 12 Dec. 1891, m 20 Nov. 1912 Charles B. Osborn, b 20 May 1890, reside Aberdeen, Md. They had

a Charles B. Osborn, Jr.: b 20 Sept. 1916.

b Edna Osborn: b 1? Nov. 1919.

4 Edna: b 9 June 1894, m 25 June 1912 Thomas Smith, reside Denton, Md. They had:

a Fleetwood Smith: b 29 Apr. 1914.

b Gordon Smith: b 25 Sept. 1917, died 28 Sept. 1925.



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c Elizabeth Smith: b 16 Jan. 1923.

vii James McKendra: b 1853, m Ida Henry. He is a commission merchant in Baltimore, Md., resides Towson, Md. They had:

1 Elizabeth A.: b 188-, m 18 Mar. 1902 William P. Breitenbaugh, b Md. 1879, reside Baltimore Co., Md. They had:

a George Breitenbaugh.

b Lloyd Breitenbaugh.

2 May: b 18-, m John Russell, reside Glenarm, Md. They had

a Ethel Russell.

b Margaret Russell.

3 Charles: b 1884, m 30 Sept. 1806, Harford Co., Md. Bertha Corbin, b Md. 1884, reside Towson, Md. They had:

a Ellwood.

4 Howard: b 18-, m Ada, reside Baltimore Co., Md. They had:

a Jessie: b ca 1912.

5 Wilson: b 18-, died aet. 19 years.

6 John: b 18-, m , no children.

7 James: b 18-, died aet. 18 years.

8 Ida: b 18-, m Bernard Colm, reside Baltimore Co., Md. They had: a Son: b 19 -(small 1931).

viii David: b 1855, m Mattie Street, he died 1903, she survives him and resides Baltimore Co., Md. They had:

1 Street: b 18-, m , had a son, Paul.

2 Alma: b 18-, m Paul Moore, reside Baltimore, Md. They had:

a Paul Moore: b ca 1916.

3 Myrtle: b 18-, m 24 Sept. 1915 Price Shertzer, b 1889, reside Baltimore Co., Md., had 3 children in 1931.

4 John: b 18-, m Adele , reside Baltimore Co., Md. No children.

5 Clarence: b 18-, m , reside Baltimore Co., Md., no children. ix Susan: b 1859, she married James Hayes, he was deceased in 1931, she survives him and resides Baltimore, Md. No children.

172 JESSE (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Barzillai 6, Walter 6, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 12 March 1850. He married 4 April 1872 in Baltimore County, Mary Cassandra Foard, born Maryland, 2 March

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1854, resided in Baltimore County where she died 24 May 1910, he survived her and died at his home 17 March 1926. He was legatee to the estate of Wesley T. Billingsley.

Children:

i Mary Ada: b 12 Jan. 1873, m 6 May 1891 Harry Clifton Sherman, b 19 July 1868, reside Baltimore Co., Md. They had

1 Erma Jessie Sherman: b 21 Jan. 1893, died aet. 6 weeks.

2 Leta Mary Sherman: b 28 Jan. 1894, m 12 June 1915, Milton Jenkins Dance, b 3 Nov. 1890. He served in World War in Med. Dept. was overseas. They had:

a Sherman Scott Dance: b 7 June 1917.

b Mary Sue Dance: b 17 June 1924.

c Milton J. Dance, Jr.: b 26 Sept. 1926.

3 Lloyd Billingsley Sherman: b 26 Jan. 1900, m Frances Elizabeth Derby, b N. Y. 30 Nov. 1903, reside Glenarm, Md. They had:

a Lloyd B. Sherman, Jr.: b 26 Sept. 1926.

ii Marion Elizabeth: b 27 June 1874, m Charles Wesley Grover, b. 1859, reside York, Pa. They had:

1 Jessie Ada Grover: b 24 May 1896-97, m William Deckert, b 1892-93, he served in World War and was deceased in 1931. No children.

2 Charles Oscar Grover: b 13 Jan. 1900.

iii Thomas Edgar: b 2 Dec. 1882, died aet. 20 years.

iv Jesse Raymond: b 4 Feb. 1888, m 1913 Emma Louise Snyder, b 21 Oct. 1890, reside Glenarm, Md. They had:

a Mary Louise: b Oct. 1914.

b Dorris Elizabeth: b 6 Feb. 1921.

c Jesse R., Jr.: b 27 Sept. 1923.

173 BENNETT MATTHEWS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland in 1798. He married 14 July 1824 Elizabeth Freeborn Garretson nee Osborne, born Maryland 2? August 1794. He was a farmer and owned considerable real estate, resided Harford County where he died 22 August 1852, she died 18 December 1858, both are buried at Abingdon, Maryland.

Children

i James Martin: b 1825. He married 5 Oct. ,1848 Mary Elizabeth Vaughn, b Md. 1832, moved to Bureau Co., Ill. where he is listed as a merchant in 1860 and as insurance agent in 1870. Little is known of this family after 1870. They had, known:

1 James H.: b 1852 Ill.

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2 Emma D.: b 1856.

3 Elizabeth: b 1859.

4 William: b 1862.

ii Elizabeth Osborne: b 1827, m 3 Feb. 1845 Dr. John G. Polk, of Abingdon, Md. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth C. Polk: b 184-, died infancy.

2 Elizabeth Polk: b 184-, m Eugene Pomeroy, a real estate broker, of New York City.

3 Emma Polk: b 185-, m Lieut. Simons, of U. S. Navy, who was lost at sea on the Huron, off Hatteras.

iii Clinton B.: b 1829. Was at home Harford Co., Md., in 1850, moved to Ill. and is listed in the home of his brother, James M., in 1860, he was living in Gainesville, Ga. in 1880 and last heard from was in Atlanta, Ga. Was unmarried in 1880.

iv Ethelin H.: b 1830, she m (1) 4 Feb. 1861 at Baltimore, Md. John Robb of Washington, D. C., he died leaving two children (?), and she m (2) prior to 1872 Henry B. Baker. She died 2 Apr. 1888 and is buried at Abingdon,

Md. They had, known:

1 Robert L. Baker: b 1872, died 8 Oct. 1898 and is buried beside his mother at Abingdon, Md.

v Louis Clinton (8) : b Apr. 1831.

174 JAMES LEVIN (7) BILLINGSLEA

*(James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter ;3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Harford County, Maryland 24 October 1804, educated at Belair Academy, then entered St. Mary's College, Baltimore, Maryland where he won a prize in Greek (now in possession of his son, L. L. Billingslea) but did not graduate. He began the study of medicine under Dr. Ezra Gillingham in Baltimore and then under Dr. John Howland with whom he remained until he graduated from the University of Maryland in 1827, after graduation he moved to Uniontown, Frederick (now Carroll) County, Maryland and began the practice of medicine. He married 27 November 1833 Susan Haines, born Frederick County, Maryland in 1814, at the residence of her brother-in-law, Charles D. Slingluff, in Baltimore, by Reverend Daniel Zollikoffer. Susan Haines was a Quaker and in Pipe Creek monthly Meeting is recorded, "1834-18 da. 10 mo. Susan Billingsley, formerly Haines, married and disowned." (Book A, fol. 531, 32). Resided at Uniontown until the spring of 1848 then moved to Baltimore and entered the wholesale drug business. In 1849 they moved to his farm "Oak Grove" in Baltimore County and engaged in his profession and farming until 1860 when they moved to Westminster, Maryland. There are any number of land records in Baltimore County concerning him. He was elected State Senator in 1865 by the Republicans, his opponent being the late Colonel John Langwell. Colonel Chapman Billingsley of Satterly Manor,

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St. Mary's County, Maryland being also a State Senator at the same time. Susan died about 1855-56 and he married (2) before September, 1860 Elizabeth Cover, born Frederick, Maryland in 1835. He died 23 October 1881 and is buried Greenmount cemetery, Baltimore, Maryland. She survived him some years and died in 1915, sine prole, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Howard, in Frederick, Maryland. Mr. Reifsnider states of her: "a splendid character and one of the most lovable women I ever knew.

Children:

i Elizabeth Haines (8) : b 6 Nov. 1834.

ii Uriah Haines: b 24 May 1836. Graduated Univ. of Md. in medicine, moved to St. Louis. Mo. and established his practice and died 20 June 1860, unmarried.

iii Albert (8) : b 18 Apr. 1838.

iv Charles (8) : b 14 Nov. 1840.

v James Howell (8) : b 19 Apr. 1843.

vi Ada Mary: b 24 Sept. 1846, m Dr. James H. Frazer of Elkton, Md., resided Baltimore, Md. in 1915. They had four children all of whom died in infancy.

vii Lewis Levin (8) : b 13 Sept. 1855.

#### 175 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John L, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland, 23 November 1803, a twin. He married 26 June 1839 Amanda E. Taylor, born Maryland 8 June 1814, resided Harford County where he died 15 September 1888, she survived him, dated her will 6 November 1890 and died 7 February 1891, will probated 17 February 1891. Bequeaths to daughter, Susan E. Norris \$2,000; daughter Sarah R. wife of Edwin C. Aiken, \$1,000; to daughter Blanche B., wife of R. P. Graff, \$1,000; to son, Dr. James Billingslea, \$1,000; any residue to above children equally; son, James Billingslea named as executor. Both are buried at Abingdon, Maryland.

Children:

i Susan Elizabeth: b 27 July 1840, m 14 Jan. 1859 John Wesley Norris, b 1834 Harford Co., Md. She died 1 Nov. 1907 and buried at Abingdon, Md. No data on his death. They had

1 Ida Norris: b 186-, m William Snow, of near Greensboro, N. C., he was deceased in 1914.

2 Jessie Norris: b 186-, m Robert Brockett, of N. C.

3 William Norris: b 1865. Was living in Indiana in 1914.

4 Mary Norris: b 186-, m Charles D. Taylor.

5 Sarah Norris: b 18-, m William Pitt.

6 Susan Norris: b 18-, m Dr. Daniel Shaffer.

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ii Sarah Rebecca: b 1844, m 3 Oct. 1868, Edwin C. Aiken, Harford Co., Md. She was living 1890. iii Blanche Maria: b 1849, m R. P. Graff, she was living in 1890. iv James: b 1858 Harford Co., Md. He was a physician and married 15 Nov. 1880 in Baltimore, Md. Mary J. Snow. Resided in Abingdon, Md. in 1878. Later moved to Baltimore, Md. where he is listed from 1888 to 1904. No data on death of either of them. Only known child is:  
1 James Snow: b 188-. He is a physician, resides Glenburnie, Md. (1930) No information obtainable from him.

#### 176 CHARLTON W. (7) BILLINGSLEA

(*William 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 5, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland in 1808. He married 20 May 1837 Sarah A. Harriman, born Maryland in 1816, daughter of Sarah Harriman, born 1780, living 1850. He served for many years as one of the Judges of the Orphans Court, of Harford County, Maryland, he died 6 May 1891, no mention of her death.

Children:

i Victoria: b 1838, she m (1) 16 Jan. 1859 John Palmer, Jr., he died prior to 1870 and she m (2) William D. Harriman, she was living in 1915 near Belair, Md. They had, known

1 Henry Palmer: b 1867. ii Charlton `V., Jr.: b 1841, m 14 July 1869 Virginia McGonegal, b Churchville, Md. in 1851. He was a merchant and resided 3d District of Harford Co., Md. in 1870. No data on death of either of them. They had:

a Eliza: b 1870.

b Charlton Waltham: b 187-.

c Eugene: b 1877, m 8 Dec. 1915 Harford Co., Md. Emma C. Bodt, b Md. 1882. Reside Churchville, Md. in 1931.

#### 177 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Moses 6, .Charles 6, James 4, Walter S, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born old Fort Red Stone, Pennsylvania in 1795, moved to Ohio with his parents about 1803. He married (1) prior to 1817 Joanna Miller Hayes, born Virginia 180-. They moved to Dearborn County, Indiana where Joanna died in 1830-31, he married (2) Sarah Hayes, born Virginia 10 June 1810, she died 3 July 1858 and he married (3) Margaret Prudence , born Indiana in 1818, her parents were natives of Connecticut according to

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her statement in 1880 census. He was a farmer, resided Dearborn County to about 1847 then moved to Ohio County where he died 29 August 1878 aged 73 years. Margaret survived him and was living in 1880.

Children:

i Thomas Miller: b 15 Sept. 1817 Ind., d 19 June 1835.

ii Mary: b 18 Feb. 1820, d 18-. iii Job: b 18 Oct. 1822 Dearborn Co., Ind., moved to Ohio Co., with his parents, he m in 1850 prior to Oct. Mary Caroline Cofield, b Ind. 1832. He was a farmer, resided Ohio Co., Ind., both living in 1880. They had:

1 Clarissa Jane: b 1852, m Oliver McHenry, b Ind. 1852, son of Joseph and Jane McHenry. They had:  
a Mary McHenry.

2 Mary Elizabeth: b 1854-55, m 1879-80 Charles Douglas, b Ind. 1852, res. Ohio Co., Ind. in 1880. They had:  
a John Douglas.

3 Thomas: b Sept. 1860, d 1870's.

4 Margaret: b 1862, m William Kemp. They had:  
a Pearl Kemp.

iv George Washington (8) : b 13 Mar. 1834, 2d wife. Elizabeth Frances: b 16 Jan. 1837, m prior to 1860 Theodore D. Read, res. Springfield, Ill. in 1916, she died in Feb. 1929. They had:

1 Georgia Read: b 18-, m Earl

2 O. J. Read: b 18-.

3 Rilla Read: b 18-, m Miller, she was decsd. in 1931.

4 Ressa Read: b 18--, m Armbruster

vi James W. (8) : b 6 Feb. 1840.

vii Robert Rawson: b 26 Nov. 1841. He enlisted 16 Sept. 1861, Pvt. D, 52 Ind., Inf., U. S., discharged 10 Sept. 1865. He married 31 Dec. 1868 Frances Evelyn Smith, b Ind. 1852. They moved to Mason, Ill. where he died 17 July 1901. He drew a pension, his widow survives him and her widow's claim was allowed, she was living 1931. They had:

1 Jessie M.: b 9 Feb. 1870.

2 James R.: b 25 Dec. 1877.

3 Earl Ernest: b 12 Feb. 1885.

viii Margaret: b 15 Apr. 1844, m prior to 1870 John Griswold. No record of children.

ix David H. (8) : b 11 Apr. 1846.

x Mahlon Hayes (8) : b 2 June 1849.

xi Ezra H.: b 14 May 1852 died 17 Sept. 1852.

xii William Howard: b 13 June 1854, died 15 June 1862.

xiii Prudence: b 2 Nov. 1860, 3d wife, m prior to 1880 James Sparks, b Ind. 1859, son of Thomas and Elizabeth

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Sparks, res. Ohio Co., Ind. in 1880, res. Greensburg, Ind. 1931. They had:

- 1 James Sparks: b Apr. 1880.
- 2 Garret Sparks: b 188-.
- 3 Kitty Sparks: b 18-.
- 4 Mahlon Sparks: b 18-.

xiv Ida May: b 27 Dec. 1862, m after 1880 John Hillis, said to have been living 1931, res. not stated. They had:

- 1 James Hillis.
- 2 Grace Hillis: m Strassler.

xv John Gibson: b 23 Nov. 1864, m 9 Jan. 1887, in Dearborn Co., Ind., Ella A. Cloud, b Ohio Co., Ind. 23 Nov. 1866. She died 19 June 1907, he survives her and resides Rising Sun, Ind. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Guy James: b 20 Sept. 1888, m 24 Dec. 1913 at Aurora, Ind., Ella Watts, b 15 Apr. 1888, Ind. Res. Rising Sun, Ind. They had:

- a Edward Watts: b 7 Nov. 1914.
- b Robert Guy: b 6 July 1919.

2 Edna Marie: b 27 May 1892, d 29 June 1921.

3 Frank Benjamin: b 2 Sept. 1895, m 23 Oct. 1920 at Aurora, Ind. Norma Lucille Johnston, b 2 Feb. 1898 Ind., reside Aurora, Ind.

4 Margaret: b 189-.

### 178 JOHN OTHA (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at old Fort Red Stone, Pennsylvania February 1797, moved to Ohio with his parents about 1803 resided there some years and then moved to Dearborn County, Indiana with his brother, James, about 1818. He married 1820 Elizabeth Stitt, born Virginia 1804 and resided the rest of their days in Dearborn County, Indiana. In his younger days he was a boatman on the Ohio River and it is related of him that he once took a flat boat as far as New Orleans, and walked all the way back home. He owned a farm of considerable acreage in Lawrenceburg township. No record that he ever held public office. Elizabeth died 6 June 1861, . he was living 1880.

Children:

i James (8) : b 1822-23.

ii Thomas John: b 1825, died unmarried after 1870.

iii Otha (8) : b Feb. 1829.

iv Mary: b 1832, m 1849 Clinton Ireland, b Ohio 1828, she died prior to 1885, res. Dearborn Co., Ind. They had five children, known are:

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1 Sarah Ireland: b 1850-51, m prior to 1869 William Block, b Ind. 1847, res. Center township, Dearborn Co., Ind.

They had, known:

a Henry Block: b 1869.

b Lewis Block: b 1874.

c Ids M. Block: b 1877.

2 Adam Ireland: b 1858.

3 Charles Ireland: b 1861.

v Nancy: b 1835, was deceased before 1885.

vi Elizabeth: b 1837, died 1882-83.

vii Emily Prudence: b 1844, living and unmarried in 1885.

179 MOSES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at old Fort Red Stone, Pennsylvania 16 Jan. 1799, moved to Northwest territory with his parents about 1803 and resided in Hamilton County. After the death of his father he moved to Warren County with his mother where he met and married prior to 1828 Elizabeth Anderson, born Pennsylvania in 1808, daughter of Allen Anderson and Nancy Hare who came to Warren County, Ohio from Pennsylvania. They moved to Shelby County Indiana about 1831-32 where he bought a farm in Washington township. He is said to have been short and stocky in build, wore his hair long, and rode a horse all the time. He died at his home in the year 1870 sometime before September. Elizabeth survived him some years and died in 1884. Both buried at Norristown, Indiana.

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 1828 Ohio, died inf.

ii Nancy: b 1830 Ohio, died inf.

iii Allen (8) : b 1834 Ind.

iv Elizabeth Jane: b 1836 Ind., m 1852 James H. Hendrickson, b Ky. 1805. He was a farmer, listed with an estate of \$20,850 in 1870, he d prior to 1880, Elizabeth J. was living in 1880, Shelby Co., Ind. They had, known:

1 Nancy Hendrickson: b 1853.

2 Morgan Hendrickson: b 1854, m 1874 Mary, b Ind. 1851, res. Shelby Co., Ind. in 1880. They had:

a Gertrude Hendrickson: b 1876.

b Robert Hendrickson: b 1877.

c William Hendrickson: b 1878.

3 Elizabeth J. Hendrickson: b 1860.

4 Laura Hendrickson: b 1862, m Joseph Middleton, b Ind. 1856, res. Shelby Co., Ind. They had, known:

a Catherine Middleton: b May 1879.

v Charles: b 1838 Shelby Co., Ind. He is said to have been kicked by a horse when a child and was crippled for life.



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He married prior to 1866 Martha Herndon, b Ky. in 1844, he was a farmer and resided Washington township, Shelby Co., Ind. both living in 1880. They had, known:

- 1 Moses: b 1866.
- 2 John: b 1868.
- 3 Minnie: b 1871.
- 4 Mary: b 1873.
- 5 Lewis: b 1874.
- 6 George: b 1876.
- 7 Ora: b 1878.
- 8 Ids May: b Mar. 1880.

vi Adeline E.: b 1841, m prior to 1862 William Ensley, b Ind. 1830, his 2d wife, he had a son at the time of this marriage, res. Shelby Co., Ind. in 1870. They had, known:

- 1 Andrew Ensley: b 1856 1st wife, m 1877 Elisabeth b Ind. 1859. They had:  
a Curtis Ensley: b 1878.
- 2 Ella Ensley: b 1862.
- 3 William Ensley: b 1868.

vii Mary: b 1843, died before 1850.

viii Indiana Etta: b 1845, m 1863 James Talley, b N. C. 1846. She d 1873, he was living in 1880. They had:

- 1 Emma B. Talley: b 1864.
- 2 Adaline Billingsley Talley: b 1869.
- 3 Isaac Talley: b 1873. .

### 179 JAMES BILLINGSLEY (7) HANNEN

(*Prudence 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Pennsylvania 1816. He moved to Iowa after 1850 where he married 1854-55 Margaret, daughter of Levi and Margaret Smith, born Pennsylvania in 1826. They resided in Henry and Benton Counties, Iowa where he died in 1901 aged 85 years, she died 3 January 1906 aged 80 years.

Children;

i Annetta Hannen: b 25 Oct. 1856, d 16 Apr. 1921 at Blairstown, Iowa, unmarried.

ii William Hannen: b 18 Aug. 1858, res. Blairstown, Iowa.

iii Isabell Hannen: b 6 Sept. 1860, m prior to 1883 Albert Rice, she died May 1930, res. Blairstown, Iowa. They had:

- 1 Nellie Cordelia Rice: b 17 June 1883, m Joe J. Dionne.
- 2 Edgar Rice: b ca 1885, m Martha Lundberg, res. Blairstown, Iowa. They had: a Keith Rice. b Daughter.
- 3 James Rice: b ca 1893.

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4 Elizabeth Rice: b Mar. 1899, m Mike Grenland, res. Blairstown town, Iowa, 3 children.

iv Ella Jane Hannen: b 16 Nov. 1862 Henry Co., Iowa, m 13 Sept, 1882 at Blairstown, Iowa, Edward John Schmidt, b Clayton n Co., 16. Apr. 1859, son of Herman Henry Schmidt. He died 20 Sept. 1927 at Spirit Lake, Iowa. She survives him. They had:

1 Margaret Elizabeth Schmidt: b 30 Aug. 1883, m Gustave J. Olson, res. Willmar, Minn. They had:

a Ma Madalyn Margaret Olson.

b Ell Jane Olson.

c Lyle Isabell Olson

2 Delaphine Cordelia Schmidt: b 24 May 1886, m Roy P. Atkinson, res. Emmetsburg, Iowa. They had:

a Raymond Peter Atkinson: m Audrey Garrenson, they have a son, John Peter Atkinson.

b Rachel Iva Atkinson.

3 Henry Herman Schmidt: b 6 July 1888, m Mabel Maria Olson, res. Spirit Lake, Iowa. They had: a Ear John Schmidt.

4 Mildred Maria Schmidt: b 2 Nov. 1893, m Floyd Vilette a Reaney, res. Vermillion, S. Dak. They had:'

a Ma Vilette Reaney.

b David Deane Reaney.

5 Annetta Faye Schmidt: b 14 May 1895, m Sherman Oscar Edson, res. Long Beach, Calif. They had:

a Dar leen Annette Edson.

b Eve lyn Jean Edson.

6 Lyle Is bell Schmidt: b 3 Jan. 1899. She has furnished information of this family. We searched vainly for man years for some trace of Prudence and her descendants.

7 Elmer Edward Schmidt: b 27 Sept. 1901, m Loma Haze Hemingson, res. Spirit Lake, Iowa. They had:

a James Richard Schmidt.

v Prudence Anne: b 13 July 1864-65, m Walter M. Hartz, she died Aug. 1896.

vi Henry Lev Hannen: b 27 May 1872,, m Nancy Delzell, reside Blai irstown, Iowa. They had:

1 Delzell Hannen: b ca 1897, m Dessie, res. Blairstown, Iowa. They had:

a Bruce Hannen.

b Warren Hannen.

2 Leora Hannen: b ca 1905, m George Burrell, res. Blairstown, Iowa. They had:

a Bu Burrell.

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180 JACOB NEWTON (?) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter S, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Columbiana. County, Ohio 24 June 1812. He married (1) 29 July 1835 Nancy Jane Cameron, born 29 June 1814, daughter of George Cameron and Martha Castell; she died 22 May 1849. He married (2) about 1859 Jane McKane, a widow, born Ohio in 1819, she had a son at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer and resided Middleton township where he died 10 November 1889. Jane was living in 1880.

Children

i Robert T.: b 1836. Listed as a school teacher in June 1860, and as a lawyer in 1861. He enlisted 13 May 1861, 1st. Sgt. Co. C, 24th Ohio Inf., U. S., died 4 Oct. 1861 of fever at Cheat Mount, Va. He was six feet and three-fourths of an inch in height.

ii Allen Fisher (8) : b 17 June 1838.

iii Joseph D.: b 1841, died unm in 1860's.

iv Martha Louisa: b 1844-45, was unm in 1870, m or d before 1880.

v Rachel: b 1847, m Samuel Bishop, b Ohio 1847. They had, known:  
1 Nancy Bishop: b 1876.

vi George W. McKane: b 1851 Ohio. Step son, was a carpenter.

vii Ida: b 1862 2d wife, was unm in 1880.

viii Enos: b 1864, d 1870's.

181 JOHN W. (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John L, Francis 1.)* Born Columbiana County, Ohio in 1814. He married in 1849 Lydia, daughter of Nathan and Elizabeth Bayless, born Beaver County, Pennsylvania in 1822. He was a farmer and fruit grower, resided Middleton township, Columbiana County where he died 19 September 1884, she was living in 1890.

Children;

i Nathan B.: b 9 Oct. 1850. Admitted to the bar 23 Sept. 1873, m 18 May 1876 Mary, daughter of Judge Wallace, resided New Lisbon, Ohio in 1891. He was a Mason, Knight Templar, and Odd Fellow. Family Episcopalians. They had two sons and . a daughter living in 1891. No further details.

ii Celesta: b 1853. Was living in 1891.

iii John C.: b 1856, m 1886 Annie, daughter of Samuel and Lydia Bye, of Columbiana Co., Ohio. He inherited his father's farm. Served as Clerk of township for 6 years.

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He was a Mason, and Jr. O. U. A. Mechanics. Family Presbyterians. They had, known:

i Lydia Naomi: b 7 Jan. 1890.

iv Joseph Franklin: b 1858, d before 1890 unm.

v Simeon S. (8) : b 1859.

vi Robert: b 186-, d inf.

vii Mary E.: b 1864. Was living in 1891.

182 WILLIAM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Henry 6, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, North Carolina in 1789, moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina, and later to Georgia with his parents. He was a school teacher, taught in several localities, returned to Pendleton District, South Carolina, and later taught in Anson County, North Carolina. In the adjoining Marlboro District, South Carolina he met and married prior to 1823 Phebe Blackburn, born South Carolina in 1800. In 1827 a party said to have consisted of Powers Blackburn and his seven sisters, namely: Jane, born 1790 S. C. married to Thomas Massey; Phebe, married to William Billingsley; Frances, born 1815, who married in Alabama one David Ostein; Mrs. Huff; Mrs. Curtis; Mrs. Evans; and Mrs. York, set out in ox wagons and after a journey of six months arrived in Alabama where they settled. William owned considerable land by purchase and in 1847 he entered a homestead in Lauderdale County in the name of his son, John. This homestead is occupied by his grand son today (1932). William and Phebe were both living in 1860 in Lauderdale County, they are not listed in census of 1870 and his grand son informs me there is no will nor record of any administration of his estate on file in Lauderdale County. Dates of their deaths are not known.

Children:

i William: b 1823 N. C., died infancy.

ii John Powers (8) : b 1826 S. C.

iii Elizabeth: b 1828 Ala., m in 1845 Horace Massey, b N. C. 1824, son of Thomas Massey, b S. C. and Jane Blackburn, b S. C. 1790, and first cousins. Both deceased many years since. They had, known:

1 Thomas Massey:, b 1846 Ala., died unmarried.

2 John Collins Massey: b 1848, died unmarried.

3 Francis Massey: b 1856, m prior to 187? Elizabeth b Ala. in 1857. Both deceased before 1932, resided in north Ala.

They had:

a John S. Massey: b 1877.

b William Horace Massey: b 1879.

c Robert Massey: b 188-.

d Mollie Massey: b 18-.

e Ella Massey: b 18-.

f Emma Massey: b 18-.

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g. Joseph Massey: b 18-.

4 Esther Massey: b 18-, died unmarried.

5 Ann Massey: b 18-, m, d. s.

iv Mary: b 1830 Ala., m prior to 1858 J. Martin Lawson, b Ga. 1830, resided Lauderdale Co., Ala., then moved to Tenn. for a few years, returning to Lauderdale Co., Ala. about May 1870, both were living in 1880. They had six children who grew to maturity, three of them living in 1932, known are:

1 Joanna Lawson: b 1858 Ala., unm in 1880.

2 James M. Lawson: b 1860. Living 1880.

3 Elizabeth Lawson: b 1862, m prior to 1880 Jefferson Wallace, b Ala. 1861.

4 Martins Lawson: b 1864 in Tenn.

5 Minnie Lawson: b 1871 Ala., m Zhend, res. Florence, Ala.

v Henry A.: b 1832. He enlisted 7 Apr. 1862 as Pvt. C, 48<sup>th</sup> Ala. Inf., C. S. A. On a roll June 1863 shown as A. W. O. L. since Jan. 1863. On a roll of Hardee's Batt. Ala. Cav. Reserves, in Co. I, "Henry A. Billingsley" is shown captured at Blue Mount, Ala. 23 Apr. 1865 and paroled 24 Apr. 1865. No further military record. He moved to Miss. after the war and m , is said to have left children, no trace of them has been discovered.

vi William G. (8) : b 4 Feb. 1834.

vii James: b 1837-38, died unmarried.

### 183 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

*(William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.)* Born Pendleton District, South Carolina in December 1792, moved to Georg", a with his parents and married prior to 1818 Martha Ginshaw, born South Carolina in 1797, daughter of Hugh Ginshaw. They moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina and settled in that portion that became Pickens District where he engaged in farming and resided to about 1838 when they moved to Rabun County, Georgia. Both were living 'n 1860 and appear to have been deceased before 1870.

Children:

i Elijah (8) : b 1818 Ga.

ii Henry Hugh (8) : b 1820 S. C.

iii Andrew: b 1821, m (1) in 1840 Sarah Long, they moved to Ala. where she died in 1842, he m (2) about 1847 Malissa Thornton, b Ala. in 1831, daughter of James and Jane Thornton of Cherokee Co., Ala. He died in 1859 and she died Apr. 1860. The children were reared by the grandparents Thornton. They had:

1 Malissa: b 1849.

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2 James F.: b 1857.

3 Selina: b Apr. 1860.

iv Mary A.: b 1823 S. C., m prior to 1840 Robert J. Holden, b S. C. 1823. Resided Rabun Co., Ga. and both living in 1850. They had, known:

1 Mary J. Holden: b 1841 S. C.

2 James Holden: b 1843.

3 Margaret A. Holden: b 1846 Ga.

4 John Holden: b 1848 Ga.

v James B. (8) : b 1824 S. C.

vi Margaret: b 1827, died small.

vii William: b 1830, died in 1837.

viii Madison: b 1834 S. C., moved to-Alabama and m prior to 1868 Irene , b Ala. 1844. Resided Dallas Co., Ala. in 1870. They had, known:

1 John: b 1868 Ala. ix Martha: b 1836, m William Bynum in Rabun Co., Ga., see No. 72.

x William: b 1839 Ga. Served as Pvt. Cannon's Co., 4th Ga. Cav. C.S.A. On a roll not dated. He married prior to 1868 Amanda, b S.C. 1852 and moved to Pickens Dist., S. C. both were living in 1870. They had, known:

1 James A.: b 1868 Ga.

2 Martha C.: b 1869 Ga.

184 JAMES (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*James B. 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward L, Francis 1.*) Born Pendleton District, South Carolina September 1800, moved to Franklin County, Georgia with his parents about 1820. He migrated to Rutherford County, Tennessee where he married prior to 1825 Elizabeth Madison, born Tennessee in 1805, they moved to West Tennessee in 1833 and in 1842 moved to St. Francis County, Arkansas where he engaged in farming. About 1853 he went to Galveston, Texas with a view of locating there and died of Yellow Fever. She survived him and later married (2) a Mr. Shafer and moved to Texas about 1863.

Children:

i James R.: b 1825 Tenn., moved to Ark. with his parents in 1842. He returned to Tenn. about 1858 and was living in Warren Co., Ky. in 1861. He enlisted at Bowling Green, Ky. 18 Jan. 1862 as Pvt. K, 5th Ark., Inf., C. S. A. On 31 Dec. 1862 he was left wounded at Murfreesboro, Tenn. He is on a list of prisoners at Camp Butler Mar. 1863 "Captured at Murfreesboro 5 Jan. 1863," to Fort Monroe 14 Apr. 1863; 15 Apr. 1863 to hospital at Williamsburg with scalp wound; 8 May 1863 to Farmville hospital;

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18 July 1863 to hospital at Tunnel Hill, Ga. Furlo 12 Aug. 1863. Ordered to hospital Marietta, Ga. 11 Nov. 1863 to 31 Dec. 1863 on duty as Nurse. Severely wounded in arm in 1864 and sent to hospital, Macon, Ga., the Floyd House, 21 Oct. 1864. Left arm, shell wound, amputated upper 3d, stump nearly healed. No further record. He is said to have died in 1870's unmarried. ii Mary C.: b 1831, m 1854 Lafayette Tyler, b Ark. 1832. Resided Randolph Co., Ark. in 1860. They had: 1 Susan Tyler: b 1855. 2 Elizabeth Tyler: b 1857. 3 Jane Tyler: b 1859. iii Samuel M.: b 1833 Tenn., moved to Ark. with his parents in 1842. He enlisted 7 Sept. 1861 as Pvt. C, 14th Ark. Inf., C. S. A. 30 Nov. 1861, absent sick; 31 Jan. 1862 present "Sick in camp." No further record. He is said to have died of disease during the war.

iv William M.: b 1837 Tenn., moved to Ark. with his parents in 1842. He moved to Teas about 1858-59 and was in Smith Co., where he was conscripted and enlisted 8 Sept. 1862 Pvt. H, 11th Tex. Inf., C. S. A. Left sick at Trenton (Tenn. ?) 16 June 1863, transferred to Co. A, 28th Dismounted Cav. on 1 Feb. 1864. No further record. No subsequent information of him.

v Madision M.: b 1841 Tenn. Enlisted 18 June 1862 at Camp Cache for the war. Present with Co. to 31 Aug. 1863. No further record. Said to have died in service.

vi Matilda J.: b 1843 Ark., m 1858 John H. Miller, b N. C. 1831, he was a carpenter. They moved to Ill. about 1862 where they resided to Jan. 1870 then returned to St. Francis Co., Ark. They had, known:

1 Julia Miller: b 1859.

2 James W. Miller: b 1861.

3 John O. Miller: b Dec. 1869 Ill.

vii Martha J.: b 1843 Ark., a twin of Matilda, she m 1862 Levi Bonney, b Pa. 1839, he was a farmer and resided in St. Francis Co., Ark. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth Bonney: b 1866.

2 Thomas W. Bonney: b 1868.

### 185 JOHN ALLEN THOMAS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John A. 6, Thomas 5, Allen 4, Francis 3, Edward q, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland 4 July 1830. He was a physician. He married 19 February 1867 Elizabeth Ellen Cecilia Briscoe, born Maryland 26 August 1837. Resided St. Mary's County, Maryland where he died in 1885. She survived him and died 27 June 1911.

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### Children:

i Philip Briscoe: b 1868. Was living in Baltimore, Md. 1895 to 1910 and engaged in insurance business, said to have returned to St. Mary's Co., Md. and was deceased in 1933.

ii Mary Alice: b 1869-70, was deceased 1933.

iii Jane Reeder: b 1871, m R. M. Abell, he died and she moved to Baltimore, Md., had a daughter.

iv William Briscoe: b 1873, deceased in 1933.

v Fitzhugh Hooe: b 1877. Was living in 1880.

vi Elizabeth b 18-, m Dr. Russell Talbot, he was deceased sometime prior to 1933, she resides Calvert Co., Md., had a daughter who is probably married and resides Annapolis, Md.

### 185 THOMAS ALLEN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas B. 6, Thomas 5, Allen 4, Francis 8, Edward Q, Francis 1.*) Born Calvert County, Maryland 23 November 1839. Moved to Baltimore Maryland where he is listed as Commission Merchant in 1864. He married (1) 13 April 1865 Mary E. Dalrymple, born Maryland 18-, she died 18 April 1866 sine prole, he married (2) 16 December 1867 Alice Magruder Kent, born Calvert County, Maryland 25 November 1846, a daughter of Hon. Daniel Kent. He is listed in 1870 as a dealer in bags; in 1880 as a clerk. Alice died 14 July 1882 and he married (3) in 1888 Augusta Marriott, born Ann Arundel County, Maryland. In 1884 he is not listed in Baltimore, from 1887 to 1895 he appears as bookkeeper. He died 3 October 1896 in Baltimore and is buried in Ann Arundel County, Maryland, she survived him and died circa 1906.

### Children:

i John Thomas Russell: b 9 Mar. 1869. He was listed 1888 to 1895 in Baltimore, Md. as a printer; he m 2 Feb. 1901 Mary Treyhee, b Canada, she died 11 Aug. 1911, he survived her and died 13 Dec. 1931 resided New York City. They had

1 William Russell: b 10 Nov. 1901, resides Toledo, Ohio.

ii Margaret Kent: b 11 Apr. 1871, died 11 Oct. 1871.

iii Lillian Kent: b 7 Dec. 1874 Baltimore, Md. she m 21 June 1898 in Baltimore, Md. Charles Weems Tongue, b Ann Arundel Co., Md. 26 Nov. 1868, reside Calvert Co., Md. She has the family Bible and has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Charles Weems Tongue, Jr.: b 18 June 1899. Was in Training Camp at College Park, Md. and after the Armistice was in government service, he died at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C. 27 Dec. 1918 of pneumonia.



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2 Alice Kent Tongue: b 16 July 1904, m 20 Apr. 1925, Lester B. Stevens, b 30 June 1903; reside Baltimore, Md. They had:

a Lester B. Stevens, Jr.: b 28 July 1926.

b Bettie Kent Stevens: b 18 Jan. 1929.

3 Kent Billingsley Tongue: b 5 Nov. 1916. v Jeannette Ogden: b 11 Jan. 1877.

vi Dent Quinan: b 21 May 1880, m May 1905 Virginia Bailey, of Baltimore, Md. where they resided to 1933 then moved to Washington, D. C. They had:

1 Virginia bent: b Oct. 1909, m Dec. 1931 Roland Disney, reside Baltimore, Md.

### 186 JOHN P. (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Allinson 6, John A. 6, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia in 1837, moved to Kentucky with his parents. Moved to McCracken County, Kentucky about 1860 where he married in 1868 Martha Epps Allen, born Kentucky in 1844, he was a farmer and died in September 1876. During the Civil War he was drafted but paid the sum required and sent a substitute, not stated if C. S. A. or U. S. Martha married (2) Isaac Taylor, born England in 1832, his 2d wife. Resided in McCracken County, Kentucky where she died 21 July 1902. Children:

i Elizabeth Cook: b 29 Mar. 1870, m 24 Sept. 1890 at Cairo, Ill. Joseph P. Lieberman, b Ky. 1866, son of Feast and Mary Lieberman. Reside Pine Bluff, Ark. They had:

1 John Frank Lieberman: b 12 July 1891. He is a Major, Medical Corps, U. S. Army.

ii Rickard A.: b 13 Aug. 1871, unm.

iii Hollie T.: b 4 Jan. 1873, m June 1931 Mrs. Anna Slaughter, b Ky. 1891. Reside Pine Bluff, Ark. No children.

iv John P.: b 2 Nov. 1875, resides Fort Worth, Tex., unm.

v John Taylor: b 1870, his 1st wife.

vi Abraham Taylor: b 1872.

vii Grace Taylor: b 1878, 2d marriage, no Billingsley blood.

viii Emma Taylor: b Jan. 1880.

### 187 ADDISON LLEWELLYN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Allinson 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Robertson County, Tennessee 14 October 1839, moved to Todd County, Kentucky with his parents about 1840 then moved to McCracken County, Kentucky with them about 1860-61. He married June 1870 Frances Maria Knott, born Tennessee 1850. He was a farmer, paid for a substitute and did not serve in the Civil War, not stated if C. S. A. or

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U. S. He was generally known as "Tell." Resided in McCracken County where he died 13 July 1907, she survived him and died 1 Dec. 1930.

Children:

i Minnie Lou: b 9 July 1871, d 5 Dec. 1894.

ii Allie Knott: b 187-, d aet. 20 months.

iii John Zachary: b 1877, d aet. 14 years.

iv Sarah Elizabeth: b Feb. 1880, d aet. 6 years.

v Maude Ethel: b 27 July 1882, d Feb. 1895.

vi Mamye Wade: b 26 May 1884. Resides Kevil, Ky.,. unmarried. She has furnished information on this family.

vii Thomas Tell: b 16 Jan. 1886, m (1) Minnie Tucker prior to 1911, she died Apr. 1917 and he m (2) Agrees Law, b Scotland, of Detroit, Mich. where they reside. They had:

1 Howard Clay: b 31 Oct. 1911.

2 Margaret Agrees: b 13 Mar. 1921.

188 JOSEPH HENRY (?) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 25 November 1831, moved to Todd County Kentucky with his parents. He was a physician and married (1) prior to 1859 Mildred Bernard, born Kentucky 1839, daughter of Dr. W. N. and Catherine Bernard, moved to Clarksville, Tennessee about 1860 where she died 186- and he married (2) 10 May 1866 Ophelia Fowlkes, born Tennessee 18-. They moved to Florida where he died 30 January 1914 at Ocala and is buried near Riddick, Florida. No mention of Ophelia's death.

Children:

i Caroline: b 1859 Ky., m Allen and resided Louisville, Ky. at last accounts.

ii Catherine: b 186-, m James Randle of Hattiesburg, Miss.

iii Harry: b 186-, 2d wife. Said to have m and has children, resides Fla.

iv Percy: b 18-, said to have m and has children.

v Archie T.: b 18-, m was residing Miami, Fla. in 1931.

vi Jesse L.: b 22 May 1880 Tenn. Was a lawyer, m, a resident of Charlotte, N.C. and resided Miami, Fla. He was undergoing treatment at Mayo Clinic, came to Washington, D. C. and entered Washington Sanitarium and died 25 Jan. 1926 leaving no children.

189 JOHN DABNEY (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 6, John. A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward °J, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 8 October 1833, moved to Todd County, Kentucky with his parents about 1837. He returned to Virginia

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and married 20 November 1855 Sarah Elizabeth Gordon, born September, 1835, see No. 33.

They moved to Todd County, Kentucky early in 1860 and then moved to Orange County, Virginia about 1863. He was conscripted and enlisted 15 February 1864. as Private F, 6th Virginia Cavalry, C. S. A.; present 24 February 1865. Sarah died 4 October 1880, he survived her moved to Culpeper County where he died 19 March 1924.

Children:

i Ernest Gordon (8) : b 5 Dec. 1856.

ii Judith Dabney: b 28 Apr. 1859, m Mar. 1884 Robert C. Duval. Res. near Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

1 John Billingsley Duval: b 13 Nov. 1886. Is a lawyer, res. Richmond, Va.

2 Robert Cammack Duval, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1886, a twin. Served as 1st Lieut. in World War, severely wounded in France, m Mary Todd. He is a lawyer, resides Richmond, Va. They had:

a Ellen Boyd Duval: b 1923.

3 Maria Christine Duval: b 1 Jan. 1889, m June 1914, William Dickinson. Res. Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

a Margaret Dickinson.

b William Dickinson.

c Duval Dickinson.

d Mercer Clay Dickinson.

4 Edward Alexander Duval: b 20 Sept. 1890. Served in Rainbow Division, A. E. F. Res. Fredericksburg, Va.

5 Harry Gordon Duval: b 4 Oct. 1892, m Thelma Turner. Res. Richmond, Va. They had: a Nancy Turner Duval.

6 Charles Dabney Duval: b 9 Oct. 1894. Res. Orange, Va.

7 Lucy Lipscomb Duval: b 20 Nov. 1896. School teacher.

8 Ashcum James Duval: b 22 Nov. 1898, m 1930 Louise Palmer. Res. Richmond, Va. They had:

a James Palmer Duval: b Nov. 1931.

9 Addison McGuire Duval: b 1 July 1902, m 1930 Bettie Weymuth, he is a physician, resides Washington, D. C. They had:

a Martha Weymuth Duval: b Nov. 1931.

iii Jane Herndon: b 30 Nov. 1860. Resides King George, Va., unm.

iv John Poindexter: b 21 Mar. 1863, died 12 Apr. 1888.

v Laura Ellen: b 21 Mar. 1865, married Addison P. Billingsley, No. 194, which see.

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vi Jesse Frazer: b 27 Sept. 1867, m prior to 1894 Agnes Gordon, b Va. 18-. Reside Culpeper, Va. They had:

1 Elizabeth Lindsey: b 2 June 1894, m 16 May 1918 at Washington, D. C. William Rodes Lewis. Res. Cherrydale, Va.

2 Alexander Gordon: b 31 Aug. 1897, m Corinna Moore 7 July 1924. Reside Clarendon, Va. They had: a Corinna Gordon: b 10 Aug. 1926.

3 Lucy: b 31 Jan. 1906, died 14 Oct. 1928.

vii Addison Gordon (8) : b 16 Mar. 1872.

190 JOHN ASHCUM (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph A. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 20 July 1837, moved to King George County with his parents; about 1860 he married Naomi Arnold, born Virginia in 1840, he was a farmer and spent the rest of his days in King George County where he died 23 December 1913, she survived him some years but was deceased before 1930.

Children:

i John Ashcum, Jr.: b 1862, m in Washington, D. C. 12 Jan. 1892 Willie F. Connor, said to reside near Phoenix, Ariz. in 1930. They had:

1 Frederick Ashcum: b 18-.

ii James Ogle: b 1866, m in Washington, D. C. 26 Nov. 1896, Susie Watts Baker, reside Colonial Beach, Va. They had:

1 Adelaide Perry: b 189-.

2 Naomi Olivia: b 19-.

3 Charles: b 19-. Resides Washington, D. C.

iii Thomas H.: b 1869, m --. Resides Newport News, Va. They had:

1 James.

iv Ottaway Arnold: b 187-, m ca 189- a Miss Ratcliff, b Va. 187-, she died ca 1927-28 he survives her, resides Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

1 Cecil: b 189-, m Clemie Toombs, b Va. 189-, reside Fredericksburg, Va. They had:

a Eleanor: b 191-, m Charles Pollard, reside Fredericksburg, Va.

b Susan: b 191-, m.

c Eula: b ca 1917.

d Sydnor: b 1920.

e Thomas: b ca 1922.

f Ralph: b 192-.

g Broadie: b 1928.

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2 Bladen Addison: b 12 July 1896, m 18 Dec. 1918 Mary Nash, b Va. 2 Aug. 1899, reside Fredericksburg, Va. She furnished information on this family. They had:

a Bladen Ottaway: b 17 Apr. 1920.

b Frank Pratt: b 2 June 1922.

191 JOSEPH ZACHARY FRANCIS (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph A. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2; Francis 1.*) Born Spottsylvania County, Virginia 10 February 1839. He married (1) November 1854 Almira Virginia Price, born Virginia 19 April 1833. He was a carpenter, they moved to King George County, Virginia where they resided to about 1871 when they moved to Washington, D. C. She died 26 April 1898. He returned to King George County where he married (2) Judith Day (Lipscomb) Boxley, a widow, and daughter of John Lipscomb and Mary Billingsley. He died 26 December 1914 at Stratford, Virginia, she survived him and died about 1925.

Children:

i Lura Kate: b 7 Feb. 1858. She m (1) 15 Jan. 1884 George Henderson, he died 1 Sept. 1929 and she m (2) 10 Jan. 1931 James Nicholas Redman. Reside Washington, D. C. They had:

1 Everett Hazen Henderson: b 21 Sept. 1884.

2 Erving Julien Henderson: b 23 Sept. 1886, m 1908 Alice Fredora Kinsley of Montana. Served as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Ord. 1917, Capt. Motor Transport, 1918, and C. O. Advance Overhauling Co. in France, discharged 19 Aug. 1919. She died 24 June 1929. They had:

a Margaret Kinsley Henderson: b 1 July 1913.

3 Iola Henderson: b 21 Sept. 1888, d childhood.

ii Mary Mildred: b 20 Apr. 1859, m 6 Nov. 1877 in Washington, D. C. James Thomas Trew, b Va. 14 Oct. 1854. She died 22 Apr. 1920, he died Aug. 1931 resided Washington, D. C. They had

1 Milton Wilbur Trew: b 15 Aug. 1878, d aet. 6 months.

2 Wilmot Washington Trew: b 22 Jan. 1880, m 1 Dec. 1908 Alice Duckett. Reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Alice Olivia Trew: b 22 Sept. 1912.

b Dorothy Mae Trew: b 15 July 1914.

c Wilmot Washington Trew, Jr.: b 16 Aug. 1915.

3 Ollie Emerson Trew: b 4 Mar. 1882, m Lula Ramey, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Ollie Belle Trew: b 29 Sept. 1902, m George Wash

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ington Beane, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

al George W. Beane, Jr.: b 12 May 1923.

a2 Robert Earl Beane: b 10 Jan. 1930.

b Lura Mildred Trew: b 21 May 1905, d 22 Feb. 1919.

c Gladys Virginia Trew: b 9 Apr. 1908, m William Bray, reside Ballston, Va. They had:

c1 Marie Elaine Bray: b 28 Sept. 1928.

c2 Wilma Ann Bray: b 10 July 1930.

d Ollie Nathan Trew: b 16 Mar. 1911.

e Mary Elizabeth Trew: b 16 Dec. 1913.

f Florence Marie Trew: b 16 July 1917.

g Jack Emerson Trew: b 16 Sept. 1921.

4 Almira Price Trew: b 18 Jan. 1884, m 2 June 1903 at Washington, D. C., Claude Livingston of Ga. Reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Almira Livingston: b 29 Mar. 1904.

b Claude Livingston, Jr.: b 22 Sept. 1905, m 22 Mar. 1930 Helen Marvin, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

b1 Claude Livingston, III: b 13 May 1931.

c Mary Livingston: b 9 Mar. 1915.

5 Cora Belle Trew: b 18 Apr. 1886, m 8 Apr. 1908 Charles H. Sanford, b Westmoreland Co. Va. Reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Marguerite Elizabeth Sanford: b 31 Oct. 1914.

b Mildred Frances Sanford: b 16 July 1917.

6 Joseph Billingsley Trew: b 6 Oct. 1888, m Edna Ritchie, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Joseph Ritchie Trew: b 10 Dec. 1909.

b Fred Trew: b 25 Aug. 1914.

c Margery Ann Trew: b 13 May 1919.

7 James Thomas Trew, Jr.: b 11 Jan. 1890, m Gertrude E. Woodward. He died 27 Feb. 1922, she resides Washington, D. C. They had:

a Virginia Gertrude Trew: b 17 May 1918.

b James T. Trew, III: b 30 Dec. 1919.

8 William Leslie Trew: b 17 July 1892. Enlisted 17 Dec. 1917 Motor Transport Corps, discharged 1 May 1919. He m July 1919 Bessie Leech, of Baltimore, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Ellie Lucile Trew: b 18 Jan. 1921.

b William L. Trew, Jr.: b 5 May 1924.

c Thomas Eddie Trew: b 1927.

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1 Ann: b 1867 Ark. v Francis M.: b 1836 Ala., moved to Miss. with his father and then moved to Ark. with his brother about 1860. He enlisted as Pvt. D, 27th Ark. Inf., C. S. A., date not shown. Only subsequent record is a medical card showing; "In hospital Shreveport, La. 27 Mar. 1865 with rubeola, transferred 24 Apr. 1865, under remarks is 'buried Greenwood.'" of John: b 1839 Ala., moved to Miss. with his father and migrated to Ark. with his brothers about 1860. He enlisted 1 June 1861 in Lee Co., Ark., as Pvt. D, 2d Ark. Inf., C. S. A. (Brasher's Co) ; present with Co. 31 Aug. 1861, near Memphis, Tenn. No further record in War Dept. He is said to have been killed at Shiloh, Tenn.

#### 202 JESSE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Christian County, Kentucky in 1807, moved to Mississippi Territory with his parents about 1815, this section of the country became Alabama in 1822. He married prior to 1828 Rahab Fowler, born North Carolina 1805. He was granted 40, 40/100 acres of land in Blount County, Alabama, Sec. 20, T 14, R 7, 4 September 1835, and 40, 30/100 acres in Sec. 21, T 14, R 14, on 16 October 1835. (U. S. Land records.) They moved to Walker County, Alabama about 1843 and then moved to Pontotoc (county, Mississippi where he engaged in farming until his death 22 December 1861, she survived him many years moved to Texas with her son, John, about 1833 where she died 10 June 1898.

Children:

i John Fowler (9) : b ? Nov. 1823 Ala.

ii Mary Ann: b 1831 Ala., m prior to 1854 a Mr. Holly, he died in the 1860's, she survived him and was living in 1870 in Lee Co., Miss. They had

1 Whinier Holly: b 1854.

2 Jackson Holly: b 1856.

3 Marion Holly: b 1858.

4 John Holly: b 1860.

iii Nancy Maria: b 1833 Ala., m prior to 1856 a Mr. Walker, resided Pontotoc Co., Miss. where he died in the 1860's, she was living in Lee Co., Miss. in 1880. They had:

1 James S. Walker: b 1856.

2 Jesse H. Walker: b 1859.

3 Jane Walker: b 1862, m or d before 1880.

iv Elmiriam: b 1837, m before 1860 a Mr. Robertson.

v Carroll Lafayette: b 1840 Ala. Enlisted 2 Aug. 1861 at Poplar Springs, Miss., as Pvt. C, 1st Miss. Inf., C. S. A. No further record under this name. In this jacket is a





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### Children

i James E. Mathis (9) : b 1832.

ii Alfred Ashbury: b 1835, m prior to 1859 Nancy Pollard, b S. C. in 1833. He enlisted 28 Apr. 1862 in Fayette Co., Ala. as Pvt. I, 43d Ala. Inf., C: S. A.; left sick at Tuscaloosa 5 June 1862; captured 2- July 1863 at Elk River, Tenn. sent to Camp Shore 20 July 1863 and then to Camp Douglas 24 Aug. 1864. On a roll of prisoners at Camp. Douglas; died 20 Dec. 1864 of pneumonia: buried in block 2 City Cemetery, Chicago,. Ill. There is no mention of the date of death of Nancy. They had:

1 John Jephtha: b 1859, died act. 21 or 22 years.

2 Barbara, Ann: b 1861-62, m a Dr. T. R. Baldwin, she was a widow in 1930 and said to reside Waco, Tex. No mention of any children.

iii William Elisha: b 1837. He m prior to 1862 Sarah E. Odem, b Ala. 1832. He enlisted 1862 as Pvt. I, 43d Ala. Inf. C. S. A.; in hospital Richmond, Va. 3 July 1864 with a scalp wound, sent to General Hospital 18 July 1864; furlough for 60 days 22 July 1864; on a pay roll dated 8 Aug. 1864; no further record. They moved to Tishmiiigo Co., Miss. where they resided in 1880, and they probably moved to Ark. with other members of the family. They had:

1 Alfred E.: b 1862 Ala.

2 Clayton Alonzo: b 1866 Miss.

3 William F.: b 1870.

4 Charles Burwell (or Burrel): b 1874.

5 Leonard Boone: b 1876.

6 Martha Cora: b 1878, m a Mr. Fields, she was desc'd. 1930.

iv Clayton W.(9): b 1839.

v Mary: b 1841 was called "Polly" she m prior to 1859 Joseph Ussery, b Tenn. 1834. He was a Confederate soldier, and said to have served in 43d Inf., they are stated to have been the parents of nine children of whom only two were living in 1930. They had:

1 Ann Ussery: b 1859 Ala.

2 Ranzy Ussery: b 18- Living 1930.

3 Ellie Ussery: b 18-, m a Mr. Murdock, resided Ark. 1930.

vi John Burdine (9) : b 16 Sept. 1844.

vii Benjamin Franklin (8) : b 18 Jan. 1846.

viii Newton Kendrick (9) : b 22 May 1848.

ix Jesse Simeon (9) : b 8 Mar. 1851.

x Jeremiah T. Felenburg (9) : 6 1853.

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204 SAMUEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Christian County, Kentucky 9 June 1811, moved to Mississippi Territory with his parents about 1815, this portion became the State of Alabama in 1822. Resided Blount County where he married (1) prior to 1835 Lovenia, born North Carolina in 1817. They moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi about 1839 where she died about 1865, he married (2) in 1868 Mary T. (Williams), widow of James Price, she was born 26 May 1834, resided Pontotoc County, the section where they lived became a part of Lee County in the late 1860's. He was a Mason, and engaged in farming most of his life, he died at Tupelo, Mississippi 24 March 1884, she survived him, moved to Texas, and died 11 June 1924.

Children:

i Parthenia: b 1835 Ala., m prior to 1860 Shelton Rntherford, residence not stated, only child mentioned is:

1 William Rutherford: b 185-, m, both were deceased before 1930, said to have lived in Bosque Co., Tex., left 2 children.

ii Elizabeth: b 1837 Ala., m prior to 1860 Grant Miller, moved to Texas and resided in Fannin or Lamar Co., both were deceased prior to 1930, only known child was:

1 Martha Miller.

iii Byrum Loid (9) : b 6 Jan. 1838 Ala.

iv William P. (9) : b 1840 Miss.

v Thomas Jefferson (9) : b 1842 Miss.

vi Mary C.: b 1843 Pontotoc Co., Miss., she m in 1862 Francis Marion Payne, b Miss 1840, he was a farmer, resided in Lee Co., Miss. and both were deceased prior to 1931. They had, known

1 Elizabeth J. Payne: b 1863.

2 Zillah F. Payne: b 1865.

3 Emma L. Payne: b 1868.

4 Clemine Payne: b 1874.

5 Susan Payne: b 1877.

6 Mary (?) Payne: b Mar. 1880.

7 Lloyd Payne: b 188-, said to reside Tupelo, Miss., 1931.

vii George M. (9) : b 28 Apr. 1845.

viii Estemona: b 1848, m 1868 John L. McPherson, b Miss. 1848, resided Lee Co., Miss. in 1870. They had, known:

1 George Louis McPherson: b Jan. 1870.

ix James Taylor: b Sept. 1850 Miss., died ca 1886 in Red River Co., Tex.

x Annie E. (9) : b 1 Sept. 1853.

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xi Paralee: b 1855 Miss., m after 1880 William Garmony (?) .she is said to have died at Biardstown, Tex. No children.

xii Jesse Monroe: b 18 May 1862 Miss., he m ca 1886 Ida Heard, b Miss. 16 June 1861, she died 5 Sept. 1927 and he died 5 Nov. 1927, resided Tupelo, Miss. They had:

1 Myrtle Inez: b 16 Apr. 1888, m John C. Thompson, reside Las Vegas, Nevada. They had:

a John Clay Thompson.

2 Samuel Autry: b 3 Feb. 1890, m Ida Burt, reside Drew, Miss. They had, known:

a Samuel Autry, Jr.

3 Caroline Elizabeth: b 17 Mar. 1892, m (1) 17 Nov. 1911 Robert L. Johnson, b 6 Feb. 1888 in Ala., he died 26 Mar. 1913, she m (2) 26 Dec. 1915 Lee L. Duke, b 5 Oct. 1888 in Miss. Reside Greenville, Miss. She has furnished information on the family. They had

a Robert L. Johnson: b 24 Mar. 1913.

b Caroline Elizabeth Duke: b 7 Nov. 1916.

c Lee L. Duke, Jr: b 2 Dec. 1918.

d Ruth Marie Duke: b 4 Mar. 1920.

e Jessie Lawrence Duke: b 5 Jan. 1925, died same day.

f John Herald Duke: b 5 June 1926.

4 Jesse Austin: b 13 Mar. 1894, m Klema Oglesby, reside Raleigh, Tenn. They had:

a Jesse Austin, Jr.

b Klema LaRue.

5 Narbie Estelle: b 19 Mar. 1896, m (1) Marshall Martin, he died 1928 and she m (2) M. O. Tucker, reside Potts Camp, Miss. They had:

a Ludie Estelle Martin.

b Pattie Louise Martin.

c Dorothea Minyun Martin.

6 Heard: b 21 Mar. 1898, unmarried 1931.

7 Nannie Lou: b 21 Feb. 1900, m Victor Bell, she died 20 Feb. 1926, resided New Albany, Miss.

xiii John M.: b 1 July 1869 Miss., 2d wife, moved to Texas with his mother, m 29 Apr. 1916 Mrs. Alice Taylor nee Evans, b Va. 18-, reside Lancaster, Tex. No children.

xiv Lucy Williams: b 12 Nov. 1872 Lee Co., Miss., moved to Tex. with her mother and married Nov. 1892 F. R. Winniford, b 18-, reside Lancaster, Tex. They had:

1 Freda Winniford: b 26 Sept. 1900, m E. P. Anderson, have one child (1931).

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2 Drew Norrell Winniford: b 6 June 1902, m Gladys Hammond, residence not stated. They had: a Katherine Winniford. b Drew N. VVinniford, Jr.

3 Arlin Frank Winniford: b 6 Nov. 1906.

4 Jack Samuel Winniford: b 1 Nov. 1:910, m Dorothy Chamblens, of Cleburne, Tex. Residence not stated.

xv Nannie Turner: b 12. Nov. 1874 moved to Tex. with her mother. She is a business woman, resided Lamesa, Tex. in 1931. She furnished information on the family.

205 TABITHA (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5; William 4; William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born East Tennessee, probably in Knox County, 11 October 1804 moved to Warren County, Tennessee with her parents and then moved with them to Cooper County, Missouri about 1817. She married 4 January 1821 in Boone County, Missouri James Monroe burner, born North Carolina 29 December 1793, said to be a son of James Turner who moved from Southampton County, Virginia to North Carolina. James M. Turner was previously married and had a son at the tune of this second marriage. They moved to Gibson County, Tennessee about 1822 where he was a farmer and a slave holder, tho said to have been opposed to slavery.

He served as Sheriff of Gibson County for several years and died at his home in Trenton, Tennessee 2 May 1849. He was a Mason and is buried in the Masonic cemetery at Trenton. Tabitha survived him, moved to Bastrop County, Texas about 1852 where she resided some years then moved to Seguin, Texas and resided with her daughter, Burnetta Hollaman, where she died 28 February 1884 and is buried Riverside cemetery.

Children:

i Edwin O. Turner: b 1820 in Mo., 1st wife, moved to Tenn. with his father and to Tex. with his step mother in 1852 where he m prior to 1855 Maria, b Ireland in 1831, resided Bastrop Co., Tex. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Mary E. Turner: b 1855.

ii Belinda Turner: b 22 Sept. 1822 Gibson Co., Tenn. She m (1) 24 Dec. 1838 at Trenton, Tenn., John Baptista Hogg, b Tenn. in 1814, resided Gibson Co., Tenn. Where he is listed in 1850 as a "Hunter." He died in the early 1850's and she m (2) prior to 1858 Joshua Dean Hill, of Trenton, Tenn. She died 12 Feb. 1881. They had:

1 Thomas Henderson Hogg: b 25 Dec. 1839. Was living in Bastrop Co., Tex. in 1860, he moved to Ky. And enlisted at Hickman, Ky. 23 Apr. 1861 as Pvt. E, 1<sup>st</sup> Ky. Vols., C. S. A. Discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability 26 Aug. 1861 at Manassas, Va., Chronic Diarrhoea and general debility. (War Dept.

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records.) He never fully recovered his health and died at Baldwyn, Miss. 27 Nov. 1863, unmarried. He was 5 feet and 6 inches in height, hazel eyes, and light hair.

2 John Baptista Hogg, Jr.: b 1 Mar. 1843 at Trenton, Tenn. He enlisted 15 May 1861 as Pvt. F (White's Co.) 4th Tenn. Vols., C. S. A.; wounded at Shiloh 4 April 1862; on- a roll Feb. 1863, absent; Mar. and Apr. 1863, present; Brevet Lieut. 19 July 1863; a roll 15 Oct.. 1863, on sick furlough; signed a requisition 20 Nov 1863 as 1st Lieut., and another on Jan. 1864; a roll. Mar. 1864, present; signed a requisition Apr.. 1864 as 1st Lieut. No further record in War Dept. Family states he was killed in battle of Jonesboro, Ga. Sept. 1864.

3 Joel D. Hogg: b 2: May 1845; died 1852.

4 James Turner Hogg: b 10 July 1847 Trenton, Tenn., m 8 Jan. 1874 at Trenton, Tenn. Lida McCulloch, b Tenn. 18-, moved to El Dorado, Ark., where he died 19 May 1921, she survives him and furnished information on the family. They had:

a John Baptista Hogg: b 8 Oct. 1874, died infancy.

b Thomas Lewis Hogg: b 9 Aug. 1876, died 19 Dec. 1877.

c Lucy Virginia Hogg: b 1 Jan. 1878, m at Trenton, Tenn. 1 Nov. 1899 Thomas Hicks Herbert, reside El Dorado, Ark. They had:

c1 Thomas Earl Herbert: b 29 July 1900 Tenn.

c2 Charlotte Virginia Herbert: b 3 July 1902, m at El Dorado, Ark., 11 Jan. 1927 William Edwards Rhodes, reside Little Rock, Ark. They had:

c2a Mary Virginia Rhodes: b 20 Feb. 1929.

c2b William Edwards Rhodes: b 21 Apr. 1930.

d McCulloch Hogg: b 10 Nov. 1883, Tenn., resides El Dorado, Ark.

5 Charlie Albert Hill: b 2 Aug. 1858, 2d marriage.

6 Edward Everett Hill: b 18-, deceased.

7 Fannie Hill: b 2 Jan. 1862, she m prior to 1890 Erasmus Marshall Hicks, reside Trenton, Tenn. She furnished information on the family. They had:

a Charlie Hill Hicks: b 17 Oct. 1890, resides Minter City, Miss.

iii Lydia Turner: b 1824 Gibson Co., Tenn. She m prior to 1845 William B. Binyon, born 1818, census records show him b in Tenn., but his son states he was b in Ill. and

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moved to Tenn. when 14 years of age. Resided Henry Co., Tenn. to 1856 then moved to Anderson Co., Tex. where Lydia died in 1866; he moved to Johnson Co., Tex. and m (2) prior to 1870 Sarah ( ) Howard, b in Ala. 1827, widow of W. T. B. Howard, b Ala. 1819, died Johnson Co., Tex. 186-. She had some five or six children at the time of this marriage, both living in Johnson Co., Tex. in 1870, he died in 1871 at Corsicana, Tex., no data on her death. They had:

1 James Richard Binyon: b 1845 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m (1) prior to 1870 Louisa , b Tex. 1854, resided Johnson Co., in 1870, moved to Fort Worth, Tex. where Louisa died about 1877 and he m (2) Alice , b Tex. 1856. He is listed in Fort Worth for a number of years and was engaged in a variety of business ventures, he died in 1917, his widow survives him and resides Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

a Mary Binyon: b 1871. School teacher 1895-96, m Dr. Priestly Lipscomb, reside Denton, Tex.

b William M. Binyon: b 1875. Was clerk 1902-1906; manager of Optical Co. 1909-1918; resides Seattle, Wash. 1933.

c Ella M. Binyon: b 1877. Teacher 1895-96, m

d Eula A. Binyon: b Nov. 1879, 2d wife, was a stenographer 1902-1906.

e James R. Binyon, Jr.: b 188-. Was a clerk 1902-1908; president of Optical Co. 1809; no subsequent listing in Fort Worth, Tex.; resides Seattle, Wash. 1933.

f Artie Binyon: b 188-, m.

g Ruby Binyon: b 18-, m

2 Paschal Braselton Binyon: b 1847 Paris, Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m prior to 1870 Martha, daughter of W. T. B. Howard and Sarah ( ) his wife, Martha b Tex. 1853, resided Johnson Co., moved to Fort Worth, Tex. before 1880 where he engaged in the transfer business, he died in 1893, she survived him and died in 1915. They had:

a Walter P. Binyon: b 1870 after Sept. Was engaged in the Transfer business in Fort Worth, Tex. 1894 to 1903, m Norma Burbridge, a divorce, he resides New York City. They had:

al Burbridge Binyon.

b Harriet Binyon: b 20 Oct. 1871 Johnson Co., Tex. m in 1895 at Fort Worth, Tex. Joe L. Dreibelvis,

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b Schuyllkill Haven,. Pa. in 1871, reside Dallas, Tex. She has furnished information on the family. They had:

b1 Paschal Dreibelvis: b 1899, m Kathryn Lillard, reside Dallas, Tex.

c Edward Binyon: b 187-, died infancy.

d Lola Binyon: b 1878, m J. I. Johnson, reside Wichita, Kan. They had:

d1 George Johnson.

d2 Walter Binyon Johnson.

d3 Katherine Johnson.

d4 Elizabeth Johnson.

e Ada Binyon: b 188-, m J. E. Parks, she was deceased in 1933. They had

el Martha Parks: b 19-, m Milton Tucker, reside in Greenville, Tex. Had one child in 1933.

f Ann Binyon: b 188-, m R. Tillman Bibbs, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

fl Dorothy Bibbs.

f2 R. Tillman Bibbs, Jr.

g Jessie Binyon: b 188-, m after 1913 J. Groves Cohen, reside Chicago, Ill. No children.

3 William Jasper Binyon: b 1849 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m in 1872 Leila Howard, b Tex. 1859, sister to Martha who m Paschal B. Binyon, moved to Fort Worth, Tex. where he has been connected with Transfer and Storage business since before 1880. She died in 1908, he survives her and resides Fort Worth, Tex. Has furnished information. They had:

a Mattie E. Binyon: b 1873, m Claude Van Zant, he died in 1933, she survives him, resides Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

al Frances Van Zant: b 1---, m C. L. Morgan, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had: Francisca; Martha; James; and Charles.

b William Judson Binyon: b 1875, m Louise Orrick, resided Fort Worth, Tex. to about 1910, reside Houston, Tex. in 1933. They had:

b1 Eugene Binyon: b I-, resides New Mexico.

b2 William J. Binyon, Ill.

b3 Mary Sema Binyon.

b4 Martha Binyon.

b5 Lucy Binyon.

b6 Nicholas Binyon.

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- c Howard Lee Binyon: b .1877, m Lucy, reside Chicago, Ill. They had:
    - c1 Claude Binyon: resides Hollywood, Calif.
    - c2 Ruth Binyon.
    - c3 Howard Binyon: resides Waterbury, Conn.
  - d .Arthur Binyon: b 188,1, died 1897.
  - e Roy Binyon: b 1886, m 1909 Ethel Handy, of Sherman, Tex. Secty-Binyon-O'Keefe Transfer Co., reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:
    - e1 LeRoy Binyon: b 1910, .died 1913.
    - e2 Elizabeth Binyon: b 1912.
    - e3 Ethel Louise Binyon: b 4916.
    - e4 Lyman H. Binyon: b 1920, died 1921.
    - e5 Robert Handy Binyon: b 1922.
  - 4 Miriam Binyon: b 1852 Tenn., m prior to 1870 Seaburn E. Gray, b Ala. 1845, resided Fort Worth, Tex. in 1880, she died in Tyler, Tex. in 1927, sine prole.
  - 5 Elizabeth Binyon: b 1854 Tenn., m after 1870 John Odem, she died at San Angelo, Tex.
  - 6 Burnetta Viola Binyon: 'b 28 Oct. 1859 Tex., m at Grandview, Tex. 9 Nov. :1876, John Wesley Hightower, b Ala. 23 June 1853, he died 18 Oct. 1930, she survives him and resides Wichita, Kan. She furnished this information of her family, no mention of any children.
  - 7 Benton Lee Binyon: b 1862 Tex. Was living in 1880 with his brother, William J. Binyon, in Fort Worth, Tex., said to be living in 1933 near Ozona, Tex.
  - 8 Mary Howard: b 1849 Tex. (Step children of W. B. Binyon.
  - 9 Martha Howard: b 1853, m Paschal B. Binyon, see above. 10 Thomas Lee Howard: b 1856.
  - 11 David Howard: b 1857.
  - 12 Leila Howard: b 1859, m William J. Binyon, see above.
  - 13 Willie J. Howard: b 1860 La. or Tex. (daughter)
  - 14 William A. Howard: b 1864. Living in 1870 but is not mentioned by any one of the family subsequently.
- iv William Carroll Turner: b 2 -Sept. 1826 Gibson Co., Tenn. He m (1) 14 Mar. 1852 Martha Nesbit, b 31 May 1830, daughter .of Robert Nesbit and Sarah Jordan who were m 28 Sept. 1826; she died at Milam, Tenn. 12 Sept. 1881, he m (2) 22 June 1882 Mary Elizabeth Love, daughter of Robert Love, she died and he m (3) 30 Nov. 1886 Martha Ellen Jackson, widow of J. B. Horner. He died 15 Nov. 1907 at Nashville, Tenn. They had:



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- 1 Sarah Tabitha Turner: b 25 -Oct. 1853, died 6 Feb. 1854 at Jackson, Tenn.
  - 2 James Robert Turner: b 9 May 1855, died 19 May 1869.
  - 3 Emma Turner: b 30 Apr. 1857, died 1 Aug. 1858.
  - 4 William Emerson Turner: b 8 Apr. 1859 at Trenton, Tenn., m Lorenz Whitmore of Corinth, Miss., reside Brooklyn, N. Y. They had:
    - a Whitmore E. Turner: b 18-, m Bess, reside Dallas, Tex.
    - b Helen Turner: b 18-; m a Mr. Reuter, reside Brooklyn, N.Y.
    - c Jean Turner: b 18-, m Constant Benoit, reside Brooklyn, N. Y. They had:
      - c1 Constant Benoit: b Oct. 1924.
  - 5 John L. Turner: b 28 May 1861, died 31 July 1862.
  - 6 Thomas Lee Turner: b 6 Jan. 1863, m 27 May 1891 Meda E. Coyce, she died '9 May 1911, he resides Ruleville, Miss., Secty and Treas. Delta Printing Co. He has furnished information and has the family Bible. They had:
    - a Fleming Coyce Turner: b 16 Mar. 1892.
  - 7 Ella Jane Turner: b 20 Apr. 1865, died 2 Mar. 1883.
  - 8 Fannie Sue Turner: b 1.7 July 1867, died 6 Sept. 1868.
  - 9 Paschal Richard Turner: b 7 Aug. 1869 Milan, Tenn., m 26 Dec. 1899 Josephine E. Smith, b 5 May 1877, reside Mariana, Ark., in drug business. They had:
    - a Martha Wilmoth Turner: b 17 Apr. 1904, m 15 Feb. 1927 Charles Frank Hopkins. They had:
      - al Charles Turner Hopkins: b 28 Aug. 1930.
      - b Jane Eleanor Turner: b 5 July 1909.
  - 10 Walter Turner: b 6 Apr. 1871, died 1873.
  - 11 Hayes Burton Turner: b 22 Mar. 1883 at Milan, Tenn., 2d wife. He m 28 Sept. 1907 Ethel Davidson, b Trenton, Tenn. 16 Dec. 1882. He is railway service, reside Memphis, Tenn. No children.
  - 12 Charles D. Turner: b 3 Feb. 1888, 3d wife, at Milan, Tenn., m 21 Nov. 1917 at Dallas, Tex. Martha Lee Grigsby. He is a lawyer, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:
    - a Nancy Margaret Turner.
- v Jasper Turner: b 1828, died 1845.
- vi Son: b 1830, died infancy.
- vii Susan Turner: b 1831-32 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Tex. with her mother in 1852 and m in 1855 Judge John Stuart O'Connor of Gonzales, Tex., b Va. 28 Sept. 1823, she died 13 Jan. 1862, he m (2), he died 27 Mar.

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1907, said to have been children by 2d marriage. They had:

1 Texas O'Connor: b 1858-60 Tex. She m (1) Edward Lockart; (2) 19 Dec. 1910 at Roswell, N. Mex. Marshall S. Williams, a widower who had several children at the time of this marriage. Not known if Lockart died or a divorce. Williams was deceased prior to 1930 and she died in 1930, left a will. They had, known:

a Joe Rice Lockart: resides Houston, Tex.

b Rutherford Lockart: m a Mr. Baker and reside Houston, Tex.

c Nettie Lockart: m Hugh Lewis, she was living 1933, a widow, had a daughter, Nettie Lewis. No information obtainable from any of this family, reside Austin, Tex.

2 Josie O'Connor: b 186-, m a Dr. Norden of Mo., she died within a year after her marriage leaving a son.

3 Berdie O'Connor: b 18-, 2d wife. The record of this second set of children is HEARSAY evidence only. No Billingsley blood. She m (1) Dr. Tate; (2) W. L. Clark, said to reside Gonzales, Tex. Have children.

4 Lillie O'Connor: b 18-, m both deceased 1933.

5 Fred O'Connor: b 18-, said to reside Gonzales, Tex.

6 Etta O'Connor: b 18-, said to reside Gonzales, Tex.

viii Paschal Randolph Turner: b 15 Sept. 1834 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his mother in 1852 where he m (1) prior to 1858 Mary Grimes, b Tex. 1840. He enlisted 18 Jan. 1862 Pvt. B, 18th Tex. Cav., C. S. A.; elected Captain, 37th Tex. Cav. 21 Aug. 1863. Mary died and he m (2) 11 Dec. 1866 at San Antonio, Tex. Martha Charity Rice, b Mobile, Ala. in 1845, she died at San Antonio, Tex. 23 Dec. 1898. He m (3) 8 Feb. 1900 Julia Luthey Thompson, b 26 Jan. 1852. He died at San Antonio, Tex. 28 Jan. 1928, she survives him. They had:

1 Walter Jasper Turner: b 1858, died 1896-97.

2 Manassas Turner: b 186-, died infancy.

3 Mildred Rice Turner: b 23 Mar. 1873, 2d wife, died San Marcos, Tex. 12 Feb. 1874.

4 Nellie Antonette Turner: b 21 Feb. 1875. Supervisor of Art, Public Schools, Grantwood, N. J. in 1931.

5 Gideon Randolph Turner: b 8 Nov. 1878, died 22 May 1879.

6 Clyde Randolph Turner: b 15 Dec. 1882, died July 1899.

ix Miriam Turner: b 1836 Tenn., moved to Tex. with her

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mother and m prior to 1857 John B. Lubbock, b Ga. 1831, resided Bastrop Co. Tex. in 1850, later of Austin, Tex. No data on deaths and record of children other than William, may not be accurate as it is second hand information. They had:

- 1 William L. Lubbock: b 1857, resided Houston, Tex. 1931.
- 2 Elizabeth Lubbock: b 18-, unmarried 1931.
- 3 John Lubbock: b 18-, m , had a son, John, who resided Houston, Tex., 1932.
- 4 Henry Lubbock.
- 5 Susan Lubbock: m a Mr. Jacques, said to reside Houston, Tex.
- 6 Miriam Lubbock: m a Mr. Williams, said to reside Houston, Tex.
- 7 Sallie Lubbock (?)

x Mary E. Turner: b 1838 Tenn., m prior to 1859 James T. Nolan, b Tex. 1830, resided Bastrop Co., Tex. in 1860, moved to Calif. They had, known:

- 1 Mary E. Nolan: b 1859 Tex.

xi Daughter: b 1840, died infancy.

xii Elizabeth Austin Turner: b 22 Dec. 1842 at Trenton, Tenn. moved to Tex. with her mother and m 23 Oct. 1862 at Bastrop, Tex., Adoniram Judson Fry, b Pearisburg, Va. 25 Mar. 1837. He died at San Antonio, Tex. 23 Sept. 1892, she died 31 Dec. 1922. They had:

1 Judson Gordon Fry: b 3 Sept. 1863 Bastrop, Tex., m 18 Dec. 1883, Ella G. Gregory; he is Gen. Frt. Agt. B&O railroad, resides St. Louis, Mo. They had:

a Hugh Sinclair Fry: b 19 June 1885 at D'Hanis, Tex., m Ruth Matthews. They had:

al Hugh S. Fry, Jr.

b Henry Erkel Fry: b 11 Dec. 1886, m a Miss Hammond. He is Gen. Frt. Agt., Seatrain Lines, reside New Orleans, La. They had:

b1 Horace Judson Fry. b2 Henry E. Fry, Jr.

c Harry Douglas Fry: b 29 Jan. 1888, m Ethel Goodnight. No children.

d Florins Fry: b 14 Feb. 1891, m Russell L. Smith, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

d1 Martha Ruth Smith.

d2 Russell L. Smith, Jr.

d3 William J. Smith.

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d4 Judson.

e Gordon Fry, Jr.: b 9 Feb. 1894, is called "Pete," m Dorothy Phillips, reside St. Louis, Mo. They

had: el Judson G. Fry, Ill.

2 Elizabeth Turner Fry: b 21 Nov. 1866 at Sequin, Tex., m Frank T. Wood. He is deceased, she was residing San Antonio, Tex. 1931. They had:

a Edward Wood: b 18-. Was drowned in Mexico while serving as Secty to Pres. of Mex. Nat. Railway.

b Adoniram Judson Wood: resides South America.

c Margaret Wood: m Robert Burnett, a lawyer, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

cl Edward Wood Burnett.

c2 Robert Burnett, Jr.

c3 Ruth Burleson Burnett.

3 Jesse Sinclair Fry: b 25 Nov. 1868 at Sequin, Tex., m 11 Feb. 1891 at San Antonio, Tex. Daisy Alexander, she died 9 Nov. 1899 at Moberly, Mo. He resides Houston, Tex. They had:

a Jesse Fry: resides Shanghai, China.

b Lloyd A. Fry: resides Dallas, Tex.

4 Horace Hoadley Fry: b 12 Jan. 1872, died aet. 2 years.

5 Archibald Jennings Fry: b 4 July 1874, m Margaret Bindley. They had:

a Elizabeth Fry.

b Edward Fry.

xiii James Turner: b 1844 Tenn., died aet. about 21 years of Yellow Fever in Tex.

xiv Artenia Turner: b 1846 Gibson Co., Tenn. She m after 1860 Frank D. B. Hogan, b Mo. 1839, son of John D. Hogan, b Tenn. in 1809 and his wife, Hortensia, b Ill. 1812, who resided Bastrop Co., Tex. in 1860. No record of children.

xv Burnetta Lee Turner: b 21 Nov. 1848 Gibson Co., Tenn. She was called "Nettie Lee," moved to Bastrop Co., Tex. with her mother in 1852. She m 27 Feb. 1867 Col. George B. Hollaman, b 26 Mar. 1826 in N. C., a son of Exum Hollaman, he came to Texas about 1845. He was previously married to Jeannette Ferrell, b Danville, Va. 11 Oct. 1826, she died 25 Dec. 1865. They moved to Sequin, Tex. where she died 21 June 1879, her mother lived with her and took charge of the children until her death in 1884. He died 28 Apr. 1886. They had:

1Pattie Hampton Hollaman: b 15 Mar. 1850, 1st wife,

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no Billingsley blood, she died 21 Nov. 1875, step-daughter.

2 Nannie Johnston Hollaman: b 15 Mar. 1850, twin, died 26 Nov. 1897, step daughter.

3 Virginia Hollaman: b 15 Sept. 1852, died 19 Aug. 1930, step-daughter.

4 Exum Hollaman : b 21 Feb. 1859, died 27 Jan. 1879, step-son.

5 Thomas Hollaman: b 1860, resides Sequin, Tex. 1931, step-son.

6 Nettie Lee Hollaman: b 21 Dec. 1869, m 17 Feb. 1887 at Sequin, Tex. Edgar Nolte, b Tex. 29 Dec. 1855. He is a banker, reside Sequin, Tex. They had:

a Arthur Hollaman Nolte: b 9 Nov. 1887, died 15 Nov. 1887.

b Lalla Nolte: b 3 Nov. 1888, m 17 Feb. 1912 Hilman Starcke.

c Edgar Nolte, Jr.: b 6 July 1895, died 20 June 1911.

7 Berta Hollaman: b 28 Feb. 1875, m (1) James H. Terrell, he died and she m (2) John M. Bonnifield, both died at Shreveport, La. They had, known:

a Clarence Terrell: resides Minneapolis, Minn.

b James H. Terrell: resides Shreveport, La.

6 George Hollaman: b 28 Oct. 1877, m Carrie Collins, of Sequin, Tex., reside Robstown, Tex. They had:

a George B. Hollaman.

b Gladys Hollaman: m Whiting, reside San Antonio, Tex.

c Joe Hallaman: resides Houston, Tex.

9 Exum Hollaman: b 17 June 1879, died 15 Sept. 1879.

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(*Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5; William 4; William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Knox County, Tennessee 20 November 1806, he married (1) 21 February 1828 and probably in Rutherford County, Emaline L. Northcott, born Rutherford County, Tennessee ? December 1806, a daughter of John Northcott and Ruhamah Tucker. They moved to Gibson County, Tennessee where they resided in 1830 and about 1835 they moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi where they resided to about 1845 then moved to Iowa. Sometime during the 1840's he became a convert to the Mormon Church and it is believed this took place in Mississippi just prior to the move to Iowa. They resided at Mount Pisgah, Iowa to about 1850 then moved to Utah Territory with the general exodus of the Mormons from Iowa, and settled near Provo where they resided some years. He married (2) in February 1857 Mary DeGraw, born Illinois 6 October 1844. In January of 1868 they resided at St. Joseph, Pah Ute County,

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Arizona and there is in existence a letter written by him addressed to any brothers, sisters, nephews or nieces living in Texas asking them or any of them to write him upon which he would tell them more of the wonderful country where he lived, etc. It is not known how long they remained in this locality, they had returned to Kane County, Utah prior to November 1882 where Emaline, the first wife, died 5 November 1882. Elijah died 28 September 1888, and Mary, the second wife, survived and died 23 November 1899 in Arizona. Dates can be verified from Temple records at Salt Lake City. In these records Elijah left permanent data concerning his uncles and his grand father, Samuel Billingsley, unfortunately he failed to make any record of his grand mother Billingsley.

#### Children:

i Miriam Jane: b 31 Jan. 1829 Gibson Co., Tenn. She married prior to 1847 George Washington Adair, b Carthage, Tenn. 18 Mar. 1818, a son of Thomas and Rebecca Adair. They moved to Utah Ter. early in 1849 and this marriage was "Sealed" in the Utah Temple 6 Sept. 1852. They were both living in 1870 and resided Beaver Co., Utah. They had:

1 Emaline Rebecca Adair: b 1 Mar. 1847 in Iowa m in Utah after 1870 William Baldwin.

2 Sarah B. Adair: b 6 June 1849 Salt Lake City, Utah.

3 George W. Adair, Jr.: b 30 Apr. 1850 Utah.

4 Miriam Jane Adair: b 20 Mar. 1851, m prior to 1868 George William Holgate, b Eng. 19 Dec. 1846, resides Utah. They had:

a George W. Holgate: b 23 Feb. 1868 Beaver Co., Utah.

b Elijah Thomas Holgate: b 14 Feb. 1870 Beaver Co., Utah.

c Myron A. Holgate: b 25 Dec. 1872 at Provo, Utah m prior to 1899 Margaret Esplin, reside Orderville, Utah. He furnished some information on this family. They had:

c1 Lucy Ardell Holgate: b 28 July 1899, m Inglestead, she was deceased in 1931, left a daughter, Arlene.

c2 Myron Grandan Holgate: b 15 Aug. 1904.

c3 Velma Holgate: b 5 Jan. 1908, m Pugh, reside Orderville, Utah.

c4 Dubert Holgate: b 2 Mar. 1911.

5 Lona T. Adair: b 13 Jan. 1854 at Provo, Utah.

6 Elijah Thomas Adair: b 27 Nov. 1856 at Provo, Utah, m Lucy Hoyt.

7 Jedediah Adair: b 5 June 1859 at Washington, Utah.

8 William Wallace Adair: b 11 Jan. 1862 at Provo, Utah.

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9 Edwin P. Adair: b 10 Dec. 1864 at Beaver City, Utah.

10 Ruhannah Victoria Adair: b 10 Nov. 1869.

11 Eliza Estelle Adair: b 13 Dec. 1874, m Benjamin Watts, reside Utah. They had a Miriam Watts: b 9 Mar. 1904 at Parogona, Utah.

ii William Campbell (9) : b 8 Jan. 1831 Tenn.

iii Tabitha Louvina: b 6 Nov. 1832 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Miss., Iowa, and Utah with her parents. She m 19 Feb. 1851 Joseph Hyde, b Tenn. 1 Feb. 1825, a son of William Hyde and Sarah Johnson. They moved to Calif. During the early 1850's and returned to Provo, Utah in 1858, both were living in 1870. They had, known:

1 Alonzo Hyde: b 1853 Calif.

2 Jane Hyde: b 1855.

3 Cynthia Hyde: b 1858 Utah.

4 William Hyde: b 1860.

5 Charles Hyde: b 1863.

6 Estella Hyde: b 1865.

7 Edwin Hyde: b 1869.

iv James Turner (9) : b 11 Dec. 1834 Tenn.

v Joanna Artenia: b 5 May 183? Pontotoc Co., Miss., died 30 Aug. 1854 in Utah.

vi Archibald Houston A.: b 4 Oct. 1839 Miss., moved to Iowa and Utah with his parents. About 1870 he migrated to Idaho where he married prior to 1874 Jane, b England 1854, resided Oneida Co., Idaho in 1880. On 4 Jan. 1886 he was granted 160 acres U. S. land, S Y2, SEA, S Y2, SW 1/4 Sec. 21, T1 So., R 21 E. warrant No. 278, a resident at the time of Carey, Idaho. He was deceased in 1931, his widow was living, no information obtainable. They had, known:

1 Elizabeth: b 1874.

2 William: b 1876.

3 Emma: b 1878.

vii Margaret Josephine: b 22 Sept. 1841 in Miss., died 22 Sept. 1847 at Mt. Pisgah, Iowa.

viii Martha Isabelle (9) : b 13 Jan. 1844.

ix Joseph Smith: b 12 Sept. 1846, died 15 Dec. 1846 in Iowa.

x Elijah Morini: b 4 Aug. 1848 Iowa, died 25 Mar. 1883, Utah.

xi Emaline Victoria: b 15 Sept. 1852 in Utah. She married prior to 1870 Heleman Pratt, b 31 May 1846 in Iowa, resided Overton, Nevada and Utah to 1887-88 then moved to Chihuahua, Mexico where he died 26 Nov. 1909 and she died 13 Sept. 1910. This record furnished by Gladys Pratt Young, of Ogden, Utah. They had:

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- 1 Heleman Pratt: b 22 Mar. 1870 at Overton, Nev., died 24 Mar. 1871 at Salt Lake City.
  - 2 Lona May Pratt: b 15 May 1872 Salt Lake City, died 30 Oct. 1874 in Sevier Co., Utah.
  - 3 Aurelia Pratt: b 24 Jan. 1874 at Prattsville, Utah, died 20 June 1891 at Colonia, Mexico.
  - 4 Parley Elijah Pratt: b 29 Nov. 1875 Salt Lake City, died 15 June 1891 at Colonia, Mexico.
  - 5 Roy Lucero Pratt: b 11 Oct. 1878 Salt Lake City, m Mary Stark, he died 14 Apr. 1931 at Salt Lake City, she survives him and resides El Paso, Tex. They had:
    - a Child: b 19-, d inf.
    - b Child: b 19-, d inf.
    - c Rolfe Pratt: b 19-, m has a son, John R.
    - d Carl Pratt: b 19-, deceased.
    - e Mary Pratt: b 19-.
    - f Melba Pratt: b 19-.
    - g Tracy Pratt: b 19-.
    - h Emaline Pratt: b 19-.
    - i Beth Pratt: b 19-.
    - j Rey Pratt: b 19-.
    - k Heleman Pratt: b 19-.
    - l Betty Pratt: b 19-.
    - m Samuel Pratt: b 19-.
  - 6 Carl Lester Pratt: b 28 Jan. 1880 Salt Lake City, died 6 Dec. 1905 at Colonia, Mexico.
  - 7 Erastus Leon Pratt: b 14 Sept. 1886 Salt Lake City, m Grace Zenar, reside Colonia Dublan, Mexico. They had:
    - a Jean Pratt.
    - b Marguerite Pratt.
    - c Rollo Pratt.
    - d Andre Pratt.
    - e Norris Pratt.
    - f Rachael Pratt.
  - 8 Gladys Pratt: b 24 Mar. 1895 Colonia Dublan, Mexico, she married 31 May 1923 Seymour Dilworth Young, reside Ogden, Utah. They had:
    - a Dilworth Randolph Young: b 10 June 1924.
    - b Leonore Young: b 29 Dec. 1927.
- Children (2d wife)

NOTA BENE. While the ancestor of the descendants of this second wife was a Revolutionary Soldier no descendant of this second wife is eligible for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution.

xii Jesse Eugene: b 19 Nov. 1859. He m (1) ca 1879 Phebe



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Ellen Norwood, b 18-, she died 1884-86 and he m (2) 31 May 1888 Violet Marie Busby, b 11 Nov. 1870. He died 24 Mar. 1902 at Bisbee, Ariz. They had:

1 Mary Elizabeth: b 24 Nov. 1880.

2 Jessie Ella: b 29 Oct. 1883, m 17 July 1901 Robert Darius Adams.

3 Jesse James: b 2 Feb. 1890, 2d wife, died same year.

4 Harriet Elizabeth: b 19 Aug. 1891, m (1) Francis N. Miller, b 3 Jan. 1891; she m (2) Clarence E. McElyea, b 15 Aug. 1889 in Ind. Ter. They had:

a Vera Marie Miller: b 12 Sept. 1911, m Daniel Bruce Netz, b 15 Jan. 1907 in Ill. They had:

al Daniel B. Netz, Jr.: b 30 Aug. 1931.

b Frances Loraine Miller: b 24 Nov. 1920 at Nogales, Ariz.

5 Rosie Marie: b 10 May 1893, died 12 Aug. 1893.

6 Burdett Bryan: b 1 Oct. 1896, died 24 Sept. 1921 at Mesa; Ariz.

7 Maud: b 11 Oct. 1900, m 20 Sept. 1920 Clarence E. Post, reside St. David, Ariz. They had:

a Philip Eugene Post: b 28 June 1921.

b Ella Post: b 4 July 1923.

c Violet Post: b 24 Feb. 1925.

d Jack Richard Post: b 17 Sept. 1927.

e Bill Evans Post: b 8 June 1930, died 29 Dec. 1930.

xiii Elizabeth Mahala: b 3 May 1862, m 1879 Pere Pearson, she died 1898. They had:

1 Ana Cecilia Pearson: b 4 Aug. 1880, died 1895.

xiv Mary Ellen: b 20 Aug. 1864 at Provo, Utah, she married 22 Mar. 1888 at Mesa, Ariz., William Henry Stapley, b 8 May 1864, she died 23 Mar. 1926. They had:

1 William Henry Stapley: b 24 Sept. 1889, m 2 Oct. 1919 Bessie Ramsey at Snowflake, Ariz. They had:

a Velma Stapley.

b George Henry Stapley.

c Wilma Stapley.

d Floyd Stapley.

e Gerald Stapley: b May 1931.

2 Thomas Leslie Stapley: b 6 June 1891 at Mesa, Ariz., m 14 May 1913 Beulah Waddell, b 26 Nov. 1891 at Safford, Ariz. They had:

a Victor Eugene Stapley: b 1 Mar. 1914.

b Wanda Lee Stapley: b 3 Dec. 1915.

c Gerald Orville Stapley: b 30 Jan. 1918.

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3 Mary Ellen Stapley: b 21 Mar. 1893, she m 14 May 1910 at Bear Springs, Ariz. Charles Baren, b 31 July 1886. They had:

- a Gwendolin Baren: b 12 Jan. 1911.
- b Lavana Baren : b 10 Nov. 1912.
- c Odis Duane Baren: b 4 Oct. 1914.
- d Alva Baren: b 28 Apr. 1917, died 28 Apr. 1924.
- e Lela Baren: b 1 Feb. 1922.
- f Max Vaughn Baren: b 19 Feb. 1924.
- g Idona Mae Baren: b 8 Mar. 1928.
- h Ardin Leigh Baren: b 17 June 1930.

4 Myrtle Stapley: b 23 June 1895, m 17 Aug. 1912 at Safford, Ariz., Charles H. Spafford. They had:

- a Glenna Belle Spafford: b 17 Dec. 1913, m 2 Mar. 1928 John Williams Tallet. They had:
  - a1 Jackie Jean Tallet: b 28 Aug. 1929.
- b Elmer Clay Spafford: b 16 Oct. 1915, died 7 Jan. 1917.
- c Lawrence Harold Spafford: b 16 Mar. 1917.
- d William Henry Spafford: b 20 May 1919.
- e Rula Mae Spafford: b 10 June 1921.
- f Horace Leon Spafford : b 19 Nov. 1923.
- g Jack Edgar Spafford: b 11 Dec. 1927.
- h Charles Donald Spafford: b 26 July 1930.

5 Alta Matilda Stapley: b 23 July 1897 at Thatcher, Ariz., she m 23 July 1915 John Ivan Mathews, b 10 July 1887, reside Phoenix, Ariz. They had:

- a Charles Ivan Mathews: b 20 Apr. 1916.
- b Cleo Mathews: b 20 Oct. 1917.
- c Mary Mathews: b 8 Sept. 1919.
- d Vere Daunt Mathews: b 11 July 1923.
- e John Arnold Mathews: b 25 Sept. 1924, died same day.

6 Delbert Stapley: b 21 Oct. 1899 at Eden, Ariz., m 4 Dec. 1918 Nina Belle Johnson, b 30 Nov. 1899. They had:

- a Elden Stapley: b 28 Apr. 1920.
- b Eileen Stapley: b 19-.G
- c Marjorie Stapley: b 19-.
- d Dwight Stapley: b 1926.
- e Luella Stapley: b 1931.

7 Leona Stapley: b 16 June 1902 at Thatcher, Ariz., m. 11 Feb. 1920 Lawrence Ellsworth, b 15 June 1896 They had:

- a Maria Ellsworth: b 14 June 1921. b Kenneth Ellsworth: b 30 Apr. 1923.

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c Carroll Stapley Ellsworth: b 3 Aug. 1924.

d Dennis Reed Ellsworth: b 29 Aug. 1929.

8 Jaquiline Stapley: b 22 Jan. 1905, m 24 Sept. 1924 Emil E. Stein. They had:

a Robert Emil Stein: b May 1925.

b Delaris Stein: b 26 Aug. 1926.

xv Mariah Louisa: b 16 Jan. 1867 Nevada, she m Jan. 1887 John Tyler, she died 1 Aug. 1893. They had:

1 Daniel R. Tyler: b 1888 Utah.

2 John C. Tyler: b May 1890.

3 Elsie Maria Tyler: b May 1892.

xvi Alta Sophia: b 13 Sept. 1869 in Nevada, m (1) 1886 J. P. Lee, he died 1907 and she m (2) Louis Russell, she died 4 Jan. 1918. They had:

1 Child Russell: b Oct. 1909.

xvii John: b 27 Jan. 1872 at Mt. Carmel, Utah, m 27 Oct. 1897 at Bryce, Ariz., Dorothy R. Nelson, b 2 Apr. 1881, reside Pima, Ariz. in 1930. They had:

1 Mary Christina: b 18 Nov. 1898 at Eden, Ariz., died 20 May 1900.

2 Thomas: b 16 May 1904 at Trinidad, Colo., he m 25 Oct. 1926 at Miami, Ariz., Nell Beedle, reside Fort Thomas, Ariz. They had:

a Barbara Nell: b 3 Oct. 1927 at Miami, Ariz.

b Evelyn Jean: b 12 May 1929.

3 Nevada: b 8 Mar. 1908 at Wells, Nev., she m 18 Mar. 1926 at Safford, Ariz., Frank Mitchell, reside Miami, Ariz. They had:

a Rosa Nell Mitchell: b 10 July 1927.

b Vincent Mitchell: b 15 June 1929.

c Henry J. Mitchell: b 6 May 1931.

4 Olmsta J.: b 8 Dec. 1911 at Bryce, Ariz., died 4 Apr. 1930.

5 Samuel E.: b 11 Feb. 1913.

6 Lena May: b 16 May 1917.

xviii George Arthur: b 26 June 1874 at Mt. Carmel, Utah. He married 9 Feb. 1898 at Thatcher, Ariz., Melissa Jane Judd, b Lawrence Co., Ky. 18 July 1872, they moved to La Grande, Oreg. then returned to Arizona. Melissa was living in 1931, it was not stated if George was deceased or living. They had:

1 William Randolph: b 10 Oct. 1902 at La Grande, Oreg.

2 Emoral: b 1 Oct. 1905, died 11 Oct. 1923.

3 Emma: b 1 Oct. 1905 a twin, she m 6 Dec. 1922 Charles Sorrells, residence not stated.



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genealogy has been published and needs no repetition here. This marriage said to have been an elopement, they lived in a log cabin with a dirt floor; he built a -mill run by water and began to accumulate property. They moved to Bastrop County, Texas about 1848 where he engaged in farming. He served as Commissioner for Bastrop County for many years. Martha died in 1882 and he married (2) in 1884 Mrs. Frances R. Sharp Boon-Billingsley nee Thomas, she was the relict of Robert Billingsley. Elisha died at Elgin, Texas 9 May 1891, no data on the death of Frances. Family members of the Christian church..

##### Children

i Jephtha Lafayette (9) : b 4 Apr. 1832.

ii William Carroll: b 28 Sept. 1833. He followed the saddlers trade for awhile, moved to Llano Co. and became surveyor of said county and was exempt from service in the Civil War. He m (1) 20 Sept. 1859 Kitturia M. Holden, b Ga. in 1843, she died 3 Feb. 1860 and he m (2) Martha Emma Putnam, b Tex. 1843. They moved to Calif. and resided San Diego Co. in 1880. They had, known:

1 Olivia: b 1867 Tex., said to have m a Mr. Quincy.

iii Merica Phoebe (9) : b 29 Mar. 1835.

iv Jesse Preston: b 18 Nov. 1837 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Bastrop Co., Tex., with his parents where he was a stockman. He enlisted 7 Sept. 1861 as Pvt. D, Terry's Rangers, this organization later was consolidated and became D, 8th Tex. Cav., C. S. A. A roll dated Dec. 1861 shows him as absent, attending horses at Galveston; a roll dated Feb. 1864 shows him present with company, age given as 24 years. No further record in War Dept. A letter from the Adjutant Gen. of Texas quotes; Pvt. D, Terry's Rangers; wounded Dec. 1862; killed July 1864 before Atlanta. His horse came to the corral riderless and Jesse's body was never identified. This horse was called "Brown Dick," was taken back to Tex. by the troop and delivered to Elisha Billingsley and lived to be quite old, he was shot for bad habit of jumping into places he had no business.

v Thomas Clinton: b 9 Feb. 1839 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents. He moved to Llano Co. and on the formation of said County was elected Sheriff. He m 6 Nov. 1861 Melissa E. Bolt. He resigned as Sheriff and enlisted as Pvt. E, 17th Tex. Inf., C. S. A., 1 Apr. 1862 and was made Sgt.; a roll Dec. 1862 shows him as absent, sick; a roll Jan. 1863 shows, reduced to ranks, no notation as to cause; Feb. 1863 present with company. No further record in War Dept. His brother, Lock Kemp,

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is authority for the statement that he died 19 June 1863 of typhoid fever at Monroe, La., and was buried there. No children of record.

vi John Houston (9) : b 16 Aug. 1841.

vii James Madison: b 9 July 1843, died infancy.

viii Locke Kemp (9) : b 21 May 1845.

ix Miriam Ocenia: b 30 Nov. 1847 Gibson Co., Tenn., moved to Tex. with her parents where she m 18 Feb. 1866 Frederick S. Wade, b Canada 18-. He served in Confederate Army, she died after 1875 and he m (2) Elizabeth, no data on their deaths, he was a Mason, and family members of Christian church, residence not stated. They had, 1st wife:

1 Jessie Wade: b 3 Mar. 1867, m 27 Nov. 1887 J. Thomas Ovens, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

a Chester Irvin Ovens: b 25 Sept. 1888. Joined the Coast Guard during World War, m 192-, Myrtle Pledger, of Bastrop, Tex. They had: al Margaret Pledger Ovens.

b Birdville Wade Ovens: b 29 Nov. 1893, served in Infantry during World War and came out a Lieut. m Helen Matthews, of McKinney, Tex. She accompanied him to training camp and was prepared to go over seas, close of war prevented, reside Birmingham, Ala.

c Archie Thomas Owens: b 2 Jan. 1900, m 1925 Helen Trammell at Long Beach, Calif., reside Houston, Tex.

d Homer D. Ovens: b 11 Nov. 1905, resides Houston, Tex. e Jessie D. Ovens: b 1 Jan. 1909. B.A. Univ. of Tex., resides Austin, Tex.

2 Henry B. Wade: b 187-, m 20 Dec. 1896 at Elgin, Tex. - Vic Bradford McGinnis, reside Amarillo, Tex. They had:

a Fred S. Wade: b 24 Jan. 1899, resides Los Angeles, Calif.

b Ralph M. Wade: b 29 Aug. 1904, resides Portland, Oreg.

c Henry B. Wade: b 24 Jan. 1906, resides Borger, Tex.

d Ted Wade: b 21 Aug. 1907. Twins.

e Ned Wade: b 21 Aug. 1907.

f Gladys Wade: b 16 Aug. 19-, m 1 Jan. 1926 John Knox, reside South Plains, Tex. They had:

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fl Caffree Wade Knox: b 5 Oct. 1926, Los Angeles,  
Calif.

g Helen Wade: b 2 Nov. 1913.

h Eleanor Wade: b 11 July 1916.

3 Homer D. Wade : b 187-, m Nannie Burke, reside Dallas, Tex. No children.

4 Maurice Wade: b 9 Feb. 1875, m Ella Ramsey.

5 Roxie Wade: b 9 Feb. 1875, a twin, m 20 June 1906 Rufus Crausbay, reside Crosbytown, Tex. They had:

a Elsie Pearl Crausbay: b 22 Mar. 1913.

b Billie Louise Crausbay: b 5 Dec. 1917.

6 Wallace L. Wade: b 18-, 2d wife (no Billingsley blood)

7 Elisha B. Wade: b 18-.

8 Libbie Wade: b 18-, m Chester C. Cameron, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Nan Elizabeth Cameron.

9 Braxton Wade: b 18-.

x Harvey Fite: b 15 May 1852, was a civil engineer, m Ida V. Mahoney, he died 23 Sept. 1884.

xi Deltah Llano (9) : b 20 July 1855.

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*(Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born in Warren County, Tennessee 10 October 1810, moved to Missouri with his parents in 1817 and returned to Gibson County, Tennessee with them in 1827- 1828. With the exception of the following paragraph which has been rearranged this write up of Captain Jesse Billingsley is by E. L. E Billingsley, of Dallas, Texas.

In 1835 he migrated to Texas and settled on Cedar Creek in Mina Settlement, later Bastrop County. He organized the Mina Volunteers and was elected Captain. On the 28 February- 1836 his company was enrolled as company C, 1st Texas Regiment, commanded by Colonel Edward Burleson in the army of General Houston. This company participated in the battle of San Jacinto, 21 April 1836, in which engagement Lemuel Blakely, of this company was killed and four others wounded, Billingsley himself, was wounded in the left hand which rendered this hand crippled for life. In an article by J. K. Kuykendall, Tex. Hist. Association Quarterly, Vol. 4, April 1901, he states: "I arrived at Gonzales on the morning of :March 6, 1836 and found there two companies to wit: Captain Jesse Billingsley's from Bastrop, and Captain Sherman's from Kentucky."

In "Coronado's Children," a book of tales of lost mines and buried treasures in the Southwest, by J. Frank Dobie (Southwest Press) he is credited with coining the famous phrase "Remember the Alamo! Remember Goliad!" which was used by the Texas troops as the battle cry as they charged the much larger Mexican army at the Battle of San

Jacinto, April 21, 1836. The charge resulted in a complete victory and in the route of, the Mexican Army. This book says that such was the prowess of Captain Jesse Billingsley that his men were always proud to be known as the "Billingsley men." In a foot note this book says that during the battle General Houston sent word to Billingsley suggesting that he hold back his men from pressing the enemy; that Captain Jesse sent word back to the General about as follows: "Present my compliments to General Houston and tell him to go to Hell"

Among his papers there are numerous letters showing the controversy between General Houston and himself regarding the conduct of the war for Independence.

(Comment-When this write up was received we suggested that the author of the book be consulted for a statement as to the authority for his statement therein about coining of the phrase. In a communication from him in 1932 he stated his authority for the statement emanated mostly from A. 'P. Billingsley. A communication from Mr. Billingsley states: "my information in regard to the cry is direct from the men that heard it; old man Andrews died at Rockport, had 3 boys, Jim, Dick & Tom; old man Sparks died 91 years old at Rockport; Mr. Zuber, of Austin; Darlington & Scott, of Taylor, Tex.; and Bill Harden of Angelina Co." He also states: "Lee Litton has a letter written by Tom Andrews son of Mr. Andrews of Rockport whom I knew very well; I loaned her this letter now she says she lost it; it is very interesting and gives an account of uncle Jesse and how he cussed Houston at San Jacinto battle field." The numerous letters regarding the conduct of the war, which we have seen, show his character clearly and the message he is said to have sent to General Houston is very characteristic of the man.)

He was discharged 1 June 1836 and again enrolled in the Army July 1, 1836, and served until Oct. 1, 1836, as Captain of a ranging company. While thus engaged he was elected from Bastrop County as a member of the House of Representatives of the First Texas Congress, Oct. 3, 1836 to June 13, 1837. It is said that while a member of that body, he wore a buckskin suit he had captured from an Indian. At night he slept on a blanket on the floor of the Capitol at Columbia, Texas. He was re-elected to the House of Representatives of the Second Texas Congress (of the Republic of Texas), which was held at Houston, Texas, beginning in September 1837; he also served as a member of the Constitutional Convention of the Republic of Texas.

In 1838 and following years he commanded a ranging company upon the Texas frontier. In his autobiography he says that he "supported eighty men on the frontier with the wild game of the forest and clothed them with skins of the wild animals slaughtered, and we were only chargeable to the Government for one sack of coffee and one sack of salt." There is in possession of Mrs. J. T. Gauntt, Hubbard, Texas, an interesting account of a trip to the Llano and San Saba River country. He says that his expedition, consisting of twelve besides himself, left Bastrop



on Saturday, June 2, 1838; that they camped two miles above the Pilate (Pilot) Mound on Union (Onion ?) Creek; then on the North prong of the same creek. Tuesday that they traveled 18 miles and camped on the South prong of the "Pierthennallas" (Pedernales River); Wednesday they camped on the middle prong of the same river. For several days they camped at different points on the stream. On Saturday he records that they camped on the "Yanno" (Llano River. Sunday they moved farther on and camped near the Enchanted Rock, which he describes as "about 500 yards long and about 350 yards in breadth. It appears to be about half buried in the ground." He said that there was much in glass and some silver ore. After visiting the San Saba country the expedition returned to Bastrop.

In February, 1840, Mirabeau B. Lamar, President of the Republic of Texas, issued him a Commission "to inspect the records of the boards" of Land Commissioners in each of the counties west of the Brazos River," the Commission reciting that it was issued to him "he having been duly elected by joint vote of both Houses of Congress on January 31st, ult. (1840)." The original of this document is in possession of Mrs. J. T. Gauntt, Hubbard, Texas.

When General Adrian Woll, of the Mexican Army, captured San Antonio, Tex., in 1842, Captain Billingsley again answered the call of duty and joined Matthew Caldwell (Old Paint) at Salado Creek, to oppose him. After statehood, which occurred in 1845, he represented Bastrop County in the House of Representatives in the Fifth and Eighth Legislatures. The List of "Members of the Fifth Legislature of Texas," now the property of Mrs. Gauntt, lists Jesse Billingsley as a Representative and gives the following information: Age, 43 years; immigrated (to Texas), 1835; place of nativity, Tennessee; emigrated from, Tennessee; occupation, farmer; post office, Cedar Creek; county, Bastrop. Many men known to have been his warm personal friends were also listed, including Amasa Turner, who also came to Texas in 1835.

On December 24, 1846, J. Pinckney Henderson, Governor of the State of Texas, issued him a Commission as "Colonel of the second Regiment, second brigade, fourth Division of Militia." This document was attested by David G. Burnett, Secretary of State, and who was a lifelong friend of Jesse Billingsley. The original commission is now in possession of Mrs. J. T. Gauntt, Hubbard, Texas.

He participated in many Indian fights, one of them being the fight at Brushy Creek. He is represented in the large painting in the Rotunda of the Capitol of Texas at Austin, Texas, depicting the capture of Santa Anna, President of Mexico and Commander-in-chief of the Mexican Army, after the Battle of San Jacinto; also in the painting in the Texas Senate Chamber representing that famous battle.

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On 15 January 1847 he married Eliza Ann Winans, born Illinois 182526, a daughter of Francis Winans, born Virginia 1795, and Julia A. , born Kentucky 1807, who came to Texas about 1841, Eliza Ann was the oldest of ten children.

In 1872 he moved to McDade, Texas, where he died October 1, 1880, his remains, at his request, being buried in the lone grave in his front yard. The homestead in after years changed hands and for some time his grave was neglected. His body was exhumed by the State of Texas and on September 3, 1929, reinterred in the State Cemetery at Austin, Texas. The small head stone that had marked his tomb at McDade was removed and put at his new grave. Eliza survived him and died 24 January 1902.

He was a staunch and sturdy patriot and had a worthy part in the establishment of the great State of Texas. He served under three flags there, the Mexican, the Texas Republic, and the Stars and Stripes of the United States.

He was a staunch member of the Christian Church, sometimes known as Disciples of Christ.

Children:

i Jephtha P. (9) : b 29 Oct. 1848.

ii Francis Marion (9) : b 1850.

iii Miriam Ellen (9) : b 23 Nov. 1852.

#### 209 WILLIAM BUCK (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 13 May 1813 and all indications point to Warren County as the place of birth. He moved to Missouri with his parents in 1817 and then to Gibson County, Tennessee with them 1827-28. He migrated to Texas and probably went with his brother, Jesse, in 1835, and was engaged in fighting Indians, etc. for several years. He returned to Gibson County in the 1840's and was living with his sister, Tabitha Turner, in 1850 and listed as a merchant. He married (1) 19 May 1851 Eliza Pinckney Wilson, born Tennessee in 1825, a daughter of Samuel Wilson, born 1795, died 5 April 1853 Tenn. and . They moved to Bastrop County, Texas in 1854 and he became a leading merchant at McDade. Eliza died 15 March 1880 and he married (2) in 1884 Christine McGehee, born 18-. He died 31 August 1889, no mention of the death of Christine. Church affiliations and organizations not stated.

Children

i Samuel Wilson (9) : b 26 Mar. 1852.

ii Prairie Lee: b 19 May 1855 in Bastrop Co., Tex. She m 187- John Holden Gordon, b 18-, resided San Antonio, Tex. in 1931. They had:

1 Fannie Gordon: b 18-, m W. M. Morgan, reside San Antonio, Tex.

2 Emmet Gordon: b 18-.

iii Willie: b 185-, died infancy.

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iv Frances: b 185-, died infancy.

v Anna Davis: b 2: Dec. 1861, died set. 16 years. Was called "Dee."

vi Lillian Linwood: b 17 Apr. 1864, m (1) after 1880 Horace Nash, (2) Nat English, (3) Earl Barnett, residence not stated. No children by 2d and 3d marriages. They had:

1 William Nash.

2 Zulu Nash: m (1) Nat. Ligon, (2) Clint Moss, of Tulsa, Okla. They had:

a Dorothy Ligon.

b Natalie Ligon.

3 Harbot Nash: resided San Antonio, Tex. in 1931.

vii Charles Richard: b 15 Mar. 1866, resides Austin, Tex., unmm.

viii Rosa Gene Valentine: b 14 Feb. 1869 Bastrop Co., Tex. She is generally known as "Vallie," she m 27 Jan. 1892 Charles F. Afford, b Travis Co., Tex. 15 Aug. 1868, reside Austin, Tex. where he was serving as City Councilman 1931. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Vera Afford: b 29 June 1893, m 29 Dec. 1917, John Gibbs Knight. They had:

a Katheryn Gene Knight: b 2 Dec. 1919.

b Vera Lee Knight: b 1 Feb. 1927.

2 Charles Maxwell Afford: b 31 July 1896, m Berths Cook, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

a Charles Randolph Afford: b 7 June 1923.

3 Kathryn Dee Afford: b 7 Aug. 1899, m 5 Jan. 1924 William Smoots.

4 Samuel Buck Afford: b 18 Nov. 1905.

ix Wash Jones: b 6 Apr. 1886, 2d wife, resides Austin, Tex., unmm.

210 CARROLL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William -4 William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cooper County, Missouri 28 March 1825, moved to Gibson County, Tennessee and to Bastrop County, Texas with his parents. He married (1) about 1848-49 Eliza Dewees, born Texas 18-, they moved to Hayes County, Texas where she died about 1857 and is buried at San Marcos. He enlisted 18 June 1862 at Bastrop, Texas for one year as Private B, 18th Texas Cavalry, C. S. A.; a roll dated June 1863 shows, absent, escaped from Arkansas Post; a roll dated April 1864 shows, absent in Trans Mississippi Department; a memorandum slip filed with his papers is a record which shows, "C. Billingsley, Private B, 18th Texas Cavalry, discharged 16 July 1863, born Cooper Co., Mo., 5 feet and 11 inches in

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height, blue eyes, and dark hair, occupation, carpenter. (War Dept. records.) He married (2) in 1864 Eliza Clanton, born 1838 or 1845, both dates shown in Louisiana, they resided at San Marcos, Texas in 1880 when he is listed as a "Huckster,". no information as to the death of Eliza, he died 6 January 1901 at Kirbyville, Texas. Members of Christian church.

Children:

i John: b 1850, died aet. 21 or 22 years.

ii William: b 1853, died aet. 16 or 17 years.

iii Thomas Dewees (9) : b 7 Jan. 1855.

iv Kate Miriam: b 14 Dec. 1865, Bastrop Co., Tex., 2d wife. She m 13 Aug. 1890 at San Marcos, Tex. D. P. Rock, b Wadeville, Tex. She has furnished information of children of 2d wife. They had:

1 Kathleen Douglas Rock: b 15 May 1891, m J. Edwin White, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had:

a James Edwin White, Jr.: b 13 Sept. 1927.

2 Thomas Carroll Rock: b 11 Aug. 1893, m Anna Wickline, reside Woodville, Tex. They had:

a Joanna Rock: b 17 Mar. 1919.

b Frances Inez Rock: b 21 Feb. 1922.

v Ora: b 14 Dec. 1875 at San Marcos, Tex., m 20 June 1895 at Beaumont, Tex. Thomas Arthur Lindsey, b Hardin Co., Tex. 1 Mar. 1865, he died 10 Feb. 1925, she survives him and resides Dallas, Tex. They had:

1 Miriam Gertrude Lindsey: b 25 June 1898, m Tim Hennessy, Jr.

2 Willie Douglas Lindsey: b 28 Mar. 1901.

3 Maud Eilleen Lindsey: b 10 Dec. 1905, m J. C. Grin.

4 Thomas West Lindsey: b 10 Apr. 1910.

#### 211 SAMUEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born 3 October Bledsoe County, Tennessee. He married prior to 1830 a -Miss Anderson, born Tennessee circa 1809. A statement by Andrew C. Myers of Tennessee in 1930 says: "Sam married a society woman who loved to go to dances and such like, Sam did not approve of this; he moved West in the early 1840's, and I do not think he carried her with him.

He migrated to Arkansas about 1841-42 and located in Clark County and engaged in farming. In 1850 he is listed with a wife named Nancy born in Kentucky in 1812, from the differences in the ages of the 3d and 4th child she is probably his 2d wife.

They disappear from this County before 1860, they may have been deceased or may have returned to Tennessee. While three grand sons have been located they do not appear to know anything of their grandparents names or where they resided.

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Children: (known)

i Samuel: b 1830 Tenn., died childhood.

ii Anderson W. (9) : b 1832 Tenn.

iii Martha Jane: b 1834 Tenn.

iv John Benjamin Franklin: b 1844 Ark. (2d wife ?). He married about 1866 in Clark Co., Ark. Martha Lodema Thomas, b Ala. in 1844. She died in 1885 in Ark., he moved to Lamar Co., Tex., where he died in 1887. They had:

1 Martha Elizabeth: b 1868 Ark., died aet. 17 years.

2 Child: b 187-, died infancy.

3 Basil Nelson: b 12 Mar. 1874 Clark Co., Ark. He was reared in the home of his grand parents Thomas in Clark Co., Ark. He married 10 June 1902 at Prescott, Ark., Nora Belle Forbis, b 23 Jan. 1881, reside Slaton, Tex. He was furnished information on the family but owing to the early deaths of his parents it was very limited. No children. They have:

a Grady Pauline: b 19-, adopted.

4 Child: b 187-, died infancy.

5 Henry L.: b 1879, died aet. 9 years.

v Leona Rebecca: b 1847. vi Telitha Ledoma: b Sept. 1849.

212 JOHN CALVIN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 12 February 1812. He married prior to 1833 Elizabeth Blalock, born North Carolina in 1814. They moved to Hempstead Count-, Arkansas about 1842 where he engaged in farming, Elizabeth died in the late 1850's, he survived her a few years and died about 1862-63.

Children

i Martha: b 1833 Tenn., was called "Patsey," she m in 1847 John Bolt, b Ark. 1825, resided Hempstead Co., Ark. in 1850, they removed from this county before 1860. They had, known:

1 John T. Bolt: b 1848.

ii John (9) : b 1834.

iii Surminnis: b 1844 Ark, was called "Missie" she m after 1860 Montgomery Mabin he was known as "Gum Mabin," they are said to have lived and died at Delight, Pike Co., Ark. No family of this name listed in this County for 1870 or 1880, said to have left children of whom we have no record.

iv Barbara J.: b 1848 Ark., died after 1860 unmarried.

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213 ANDREW BLACKWELL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 1 February 1814: He married 24 July 1845 Susan Jane Myers, born Tennessee 9 January 1827, see Myers Excursus. He was listed as a farmer in 1850, and later became a minister in the Christian Church, he died 4 March 1889, she survived him many years and, died 20 September 1909, resided Bledsoe County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Nicrotia Pennina: b 2 May 1846, m (1) in 1865 Thomas Farmer, he died and she m (2) 3 May 1868 Andrew M. Payne. She died 2 Mar. 1922, resided Dunlap, Tenn. They had:

1 Mary Loutella Farmer: b 186-, m 23 Sept. 1886 W. V. Freiley, reside Dunlap, Tenn. They had:

a Lora Mae Freiley: b 18-, m Creed Bates Heard, reside Dunlap, Tenn.

b Andrew Lother Freiley: b 18-, m Flossie Della Lewis, reside Jackson, Miss.

c Leslie Christian Freiley: b 18-, m Bonnie Lee Hixson, reside Kingsville, Texas.

2 Andrew Tarleton Payne: b 18-, m Mary Putnam, he died 28 Sept. 1891, resided Billingsley, Tenn.

3 Homer P. Payne: b 18-, m Allie Jane Walker, reside Dunlap, Tenn. They had:

a Howard Berlin Payne: b 1-, m Mary O. Jones, reside Nashville, Tenn.

b Robert Walker Payne: b 1-.

ii John Trot: b 4 July 1848, m 24 Nov. 1875 Josephine Schoolfield, b Tenn. in 1852, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. In 1880. They subsequently moved to New Mexico and he died at Tucumcari 14 June 1924. They had:

1 Estil Andrew: b 1877, m Dolly Worthington, reside Tucumcari, N. Mex. They had:

a Pauline.

b: Martin.

c Mattie Joe.

d Howard.

e Willa.

f John T.

2 Lena Rivers: b 1878, m Thomas Andrew Farmer, b Feb. 1870, son of W. W. Farmer and Viola C. Billingsley, see No. 88. Reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

a Wade Farmer.

3 Patrick Henry: b 188-, m Abbie May Lawson, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

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a Lena Ruth. b Malcolm. c Norwood. d Maurine. e John T.

4 Harry Grover: b 188-; m Ola Ruth Smithers, reside Tucumcari, N. Mex. No children.

5 Thomas Samuel: b 18-, m Lois Hoge, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

a Conway.

b Josephine.

c Christine.

d Neal

e John. Twin.

f Billie, deceased.

iii Mary: b 20 Aug. 1850, m 25 Sept. 1872 Darius Samuel Pope, b 18 Nov. 1847, see Pope Excursus, she died 4 Sept. 1924, he survives her (1931), resides Texas. They had:

1 Andrew Victor Pope: b 18?- , m Belle Grisson, reside Warren Co., Tenn.

2 Mary Beatrice Pope: b 187-, m Jesse Duncan, she died 26 Nov. 1911, resided Warren Co., Tenn.

3 James Jarome Pope: b 187-, m Dovie Pendergraft, reside Warren Co., Tenn.

4 Susan Jane Pope: b 18-, m J. L. Whitlock, reside Washita Co., Okla.

5 LeRoy C. Pope: b 18-, died 21 May 1894.

6 Walter Pope: b 18-, m Effie Johnson, reside Corpus Christi, Tex.

7 Arthur Pope: b 18-, m Onia Patterson, reside Ciowa Co., Okla.

8 Tarlton L. Pope: b 18-, m Ruth Cooper, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

iv Elizabeth Mahala: b 10 Oct. 1852, m John Payne, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

1 Eula Mattie Payne: b 18-, m James Benton Miller, reside Athens, Tenn.

2 Wood Samuel Payne: b 18-, m Susie Powell, he died 31 Jan. 1919.

3 Lonas Andrew Payne: b 18-, m Irene Steadman, reside Pikeville, Tenn.

v Amanda: b 7 June 1857, m 22 Apr. 1879 Andrew Jackson Clark, she died Aug. 1887, resided Dayton, Tenn. They had:

1 Malcolm Lewis Clark: b 22 Nov. 1880, m Jan. 1912, Elizabeth Agee, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

a Amanda Lee Clark: b 26 Sept. 1912.

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b Anna Louise Clark: b 31 Aug. 1913.

c Lenol Jackson Clark: b 20 Dec. 1914.

d Evella Elizabeth Clark: b 22 July 1916.

e Malcolm Gordon Clark: b 8 Mar. 1918.

2 Nellie Abigail Clark: b 30 Aug. 1882, m James Colvard, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

a Clark Colvard: b 2 Dec. 1910.

3 Maggie Anah Clark: b 12 Sept. 1886, m 15 Dec. 1909 Coy Hixson Coulter, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

a Jeanelle Coulter: b 13 July 1911.

vi Thomas Snoddy: b 15 Mar. 139. He migrated to Texas in the 1880's changed his name to THOMAS RANSOM BILLINGER, he married 27 Dec. 1887, he died 7 Nov. 1919, resided at Lone Oak, Texas. He was completely lost to his relatives in Tennessee for more than twenty five years, we have not been informed the reason for the change of name. They had:

1 Estes Blackwood Billinger: b 188-, m Alice Sheldon, reside Ontario, Calif.

2 Velma Louis Billinger: b 189-, m R. C. Whittle, reside Point, Rains Co., Tex.

3 Erma Lee Billinger: b 189-, m N. A. Burnside, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.

4 Tennie Mae Billinger: b 189-, m Olin S. Gotcher, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

5 Willie Tom Billinger: b 18-, m Lean Mae, reside Bentonville, Ark.

6 Adelia Lucile Billinger: b 1-, m Porter Slack, reside Dallas, Tex.

7 James Lake Billinger: b 1-, m Georgia McMillan, reside Lone Oak, Tex.

8 Johnnie Elizabeth Billinger: b 1-, m Charlie Armstead, reside Temple, Tex.

vii Dora Ann: b 7 June 1864, she married 1 Dec. 1887 Charlie Pope, b 3 July 1860, see Pope Excursus, reside near Mt. Airy, Tenn. They had:

1 Lula Margaret Pope, b 15 Oct. 1888, married 9 Apr. 1916 William Joseph Holladay. She is active in D. A. R. work, and has furnished much of the information on this branch of the family, reside Cookeville, Tenn. They had:

a Charles Thomas Holladay: b 21 Feb. 1921.

2 Grace Imogene Pope: b 6 May 1890, m 2 July 1929 Percy H. Brown, reside Memphis, Tenn.



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- 3 Blanche Pope: b 28 Apr. 1893, m 18 Sept. 1912 William C. Evans, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:  
a William Pope Evans: b 10 Dec. 1913.  
b Harry Gunn Evans: b 28 Oct. 1916.  
c Joyce Ethyl Evans: b 9 Oct. 1918.
- 4 Andrew Hershale Pope: b 3 Dec. 1894, m 22 Oct. 1922 Virgie Mae Walker, reside Pikeville, Tenn. They had:  
a Ola Imogene Pope: b 9 Apr. 1924.  
b Charles Ernest Pope: b 15 Nov. 1925.  
c John Hollis Pope: b 24 Sept. 1928.
- 5 Clemma Lenora Pope: b 10 Feb. 1897, m 7 June 1930 Harold G. Ferguson, reside Pikeville, Tenn.
- 6 Sutton Oliver Pope: b 9 June, m 16 Sept. 1923 Ina Ruth Barker, reside Chattanooga, Tenn. They had:  
a Doris Lynn Pope: b 7 Dec. 1924.  
b Helen Ann Pope: b 8 Oct. 1930.
- 7 Paul Jarome Pope: b 27 Jan. 1904, died 31 Mar. 1907.

viii Susan Tecora: b 9 Jan. 1866, m 20 Nov. 1895 Charles Bissel Hart, she died 6 Feb. 1925, resided Pikeville, Tenn. They had:

- 1 Dimple Jane Hart: b 189-, a teacher, Milligan College, Tenn.  
2 John Hart: b 1-, Supt. of Schools, Gastonia, N. C.  
3 Ada Bess Hart: b 1-, a teacher Milligan College, Tenn.  
4 Grace Hart: b 1-, m John McMahan, reside Liberty, Miss.

#### POPE EXCURSUS

JONATHAN POPE was born in North Carolina in 1787, he married circa 1807 Delilah Coulter, born North Carolina in 1786 and moved to Bledsoe County, Tennessee prior to 1811 where they spent the rest of their days. He died 17 March 1860 and she died 19 March 1860.

Children:

i Margaret J. Pope: b ca 1809, m a Mr. Vaught, she died 4 July 1849. They had, known:

- 1 Leroy Vaught : b 1843.  
2 Jonathan Vaught: b 1845.

ii Thomas A. Pope: b 1811, m prior to 1838 Ailey, b Tenn. 1815, he died 29 Oct. 1878, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. They had, known:

- 1 Elizabeth Pope: b 1838.  
2 Eleanor Pope: b 1841.  
3 William Pope: b 1843.  
4 John Pope: b 1846.

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- iii Minerva Pope: b 181-, m Alexander Rankin, she died Sept. 1896, resided Dunlap, Tenn. iv- Michael Pope: b 181-, died 27 Sept. 1899. v James Jarome Pope: b 3 Jan. 1819 Bledsoe Co., Tenn., he m 23 Dec. 1841 Mary Worthington, b Tenn. 15 Nov. 1820, she died 22 June 1876, he survived her and died 9 Apr. 1880, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. They had:
- 1 Levander Worthington Pope: b 19 Jan. 1843, m (1) Martha Lamb; (2) Martha Wood. He died 6 Nov. 1925, resided in Tex.
  - 2 Leonidas Napoleon Pope: b 10 Apr. 1844, m 15 May 1869 Penelope Johnson, resided Hooker, Ga.
  - 3 Lenora Pope: b 13 June 1846, m 16 Dec. 1870 Dr. Josiah Laster, she died 20 Sept. 1880, resided Dunlap, Tenn.
  - 4 Darius Samuel Pope: b 18 Nov. 1847, m 26 Sept. 1872 Mary Billingsley, see No. 213.
  - 5 Margaret Julia Pope: b 16 Nov. 1849, m Joseph Hixson, resided Mt. Airy, Tenn.
  - 6 Josephine Pope: b 18 Apr. 1851, died. 10 July 1862.
  - 7 Penelope Pope: b 6 Mar. 1853, died 11 Sept. 1856.
  - 8 Jonathan C. Pope: b 10 Sept. 1855, died
  - 9 Elza Mercer Pope: b 29 Apr. 1857, died 19 Dec. 1921, unm.
  - 10 Jarome Alexander Pope: b ? Jan. 1859, m 6 Mary 1880 Susan Wimberly, resided Mt. Airy, Tenn.
  - 11 Charlie Pope: b 3 July 1860, m 1 Dec. 1887 Dora Ann Billingsley, see No. 213.
  - 12 Mary Delila Pope: b 27 Oct. 1862, died 18 Oct. 1863.

vi Levander W. S. Pope: b 18-, died 29 Aug. 1853.

#### WORTHINGTON EXCURSUS

SAMUEL WORTHINGTON was born in North Carolina 1 April 1775, he married prior to 1800 Mary Murphy, born North Carolina May, 1782, they were in Tennessee about 1800, resided Bledsoe County where she died 6 February 1867 and he died 30 March 1868. There was also living in Bledsoe County one Robert Worthington, born North Carolina in 1791 whose wife was named Frances, he was a minister of the Baptist faith and probably Campbellite, both were living in 1860, believed to be a brother of Samuel. Samuel and Mary had the following

Children i Rachel Worthington: b 1800 Tenn., m William Brown. ii Elizabeth Worthington: b 180-.

iii William Worthington: b 1805 Tenn., m (1) prior to 1829 Margaret , b Tenn. 1809, she died about 1853 and he m (2) Mariah, b Tenn. 1824. He was a farmer

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resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn., both were living in 1860. They had:

1 James Worthington: b 1829.

2 Jesse C. Worthington: b 1830, m prior to 1854 Sarah b Tenn. 1834, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. They had, known  
a Margaret Worthington: b 1854.  
b William Worthington: b 1858.  
c Thomas Worthington: b 1859.

3 Frances Worthington: b 1832.

4 Samuel Worthington: b 1833. Was unmarried in 1860.

5 William J. Worthington: b 1835, m prior to 1857 Teresa b Tenn. 1837, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. In 1860. They had, known:

a Rachel Worthington: b 1857.

b James Worthington: b 1858.

6 Reuben Worthington: b 1837. Was unmarried in 1860.

7 Kitturah Worthington: b 1840, m or d before 1860.

8 Murphy Worthington: b 1843.

9 David Worthington: b 1845. 10 Sarah Worthington: b 1847.

11 John Worthington: b 1849.

12 Martha Worthington: b 1853.

13 Thomas Worthington: b 1856, 2d wife.

14 Robert Worthington: b 1857.

15 Evalista Worthington: b 1859.

iv Sally Worthington: b 1807.

v Delilah Worthington: b 180-.

vi Robert Worthington: b 1811 Tenn., m prior to 1837 Mary J., b Tenn. 18-, she died about 1848, he was a farmer, resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn. and was living in 1860. They had:

1 Mary J. Worthington: b 1837.

2 James Franklin Worthington: b 1838.

3 Samuel Worthington: b 1840, m prior to 1859 Lidonia b Tenn. 1841. They had, known: a Samuel Worthington: b 1859.

4 Narcissa A. Worthington: b 1841.

5 William Worthington: b 1843.

6 Teresda Worthington: b 1845.

7 John E. Worthington: b 1848.

vii Lodema Worthington: b 181-.

viii Samuel Worthington, Jr.: b 1816. Was unmarried in 1860, was a-farmer and listed with real and personal estate valued at \$33,225.

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ix James Worthington: b 1818, m (1) prior to 1845 Minerva b Tenn. 1826, she died about 1850 and he m (2) Mary R., b Tenn. 1827, he was a farmer and listed with an estate valued at \$43,000 in 1860, resided Bledsoe Co. They had, known:

1 Sarah Lucretia Worthington: b 1845.

2 Samuel B. Worthington: b 1847.

3 Mary E. Worthington: b 27 May 1849, m Leander Travis Billingsley, see No. 215.

4 Reuben Worthington: b 1851.

5 James Worthington: b 1853.

6 Robert Worthington: b 1856.

x Mary Worthington: b 15 Nov. 1820, m 23 Dec. 1841 James Jarome Pope, see Pope Excursus.

xi Kitturah Worthington: b 182-.

xii Ann Worthington: b 182-.

#### MYERS EXCURSUS

JOHN MYERS was born in North Carolina in 1792, he married in 1812 Mary Snoddy, born North Carolina in 1790. She was a daughter of Thomas Snoddy, born 1761, died 1839 and Hannah Davis, born 1767, died 1839, married 1786; and a grand daughter of John Snoddy, born Ireland 1720, died 1784, and Agnes Glasgow, born 1722, died 1806, married 1741 at Philadelphia, Pa. and were parents of two sons, Thomas, see above, and William G. Snoddy. John Myers and his wife were in Tennessee prior to 1815 they were residents of Warren County in 1860 where Mary- died in 1869, he survived her and died in 1875.

Children (known):

i Hannah Davis Myers: b 1815 Tenn., m John M. Billingsley, No. 200, which see.

ii Thomas Myers: b 1818 Tenn., m Martha Billingsley, see No. 88.

iii John N. Myers: b 1820 Tenn., m prior to 1856 Naty b Tenn. 1837, resided Warren Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 Leonora Myers: b 1856.

2 Aden Myers: b 1858.

3 Caledonia Myers: b 1859.

iv Mary Blackburn Myers: b 1823, m James Davis Billingsley, No. 214, which see.

v Susan Jane Myers: b 9 Jan. 1827, m Andrew B. Billingsley, No. 213, which see.

vi Melicinie Myers: b 183-, m a Mr. McGregor, she died young and left a daughter, Tennie, who was reared by Rev.

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James D. Billingsley; she married Samuel Owens, resided Rockwood, Tenn.

vii Philip M. Myers: b 1832, m prior to 1859 Sarah, b Tenn. 1833, resided Warren Co., Tenn. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Benjamin Myers: b 1859.

viii Narcissus Ann Myers: b 1834, m Flavius Joseph Hutcheson, son of John Hutcheson and Nancy Billingsley, see No. 88.

### 214 JAMES DAVIS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 27 October 1819. He married 9 October 1845 Mary Blackburn Myers, born 25 October 1823, see Myers Excursus. He was a minister in the Christian church, resided Bledsoe County where he died 24 September 1877, she survived him and died 7 January 1895.

Children:

i Nancy Jane: b 6 July 1846, m 17 Aug. 1865 Jasper S. Acuff, b Tenn. 1842, a son of John H. Acuff and Emily Billingsley, see No. 85. They resided Bledsoe Co., Tenn., he was living in 1880, she died 18 Jan. 1898. They had:

1 James Davis Acuff: b 1866.

2 William L. Acuff: b 1868.

3 E. T. Acuff: b 1871, son.

4 Mary A. Acuff: b 1874.

5 C. E. Acuff: b 1877, daughter.

6 John E. Acuff: b July 1879.

ii Martha Evelyn: b 27 Oct. 1848, m 24 Dec. 1871 Samuel W. Henson, she died 25 July 1925, he was deceased prior to 1930. Only known child is:

1 Ersie Henson: b 18-, m a Mr. Bell, resides Tenn. some place.

iii David Malancthon: b 28 Apr. 1851, m Annie Hines, he died 13 Aug. 1921, no record of any children nor where they resided.

iv Mary Anzenettie: b 13 Jan. 1854, m 28 Nov. 1876 Leroy Holden Payne, she died 15 Dec. 1929 at Chattanooga, Tenn. She was interested in collecting the family records and was responsible for most of the records of this immediate family being preserved. She was negligent, however, in passing on any data about her own family and only children of record are:

1 Edith Payne: b 18-, m a Mr. Smith, reside Stevenson, Ala.

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2 Daughter: b 18-, m Oscar Crisman, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

v Samuel Alva (9) : b 31 Oct. 1856.

vi James Davis: b 5 Oct. 1859, died 13 Jan. 1890, unmarried.

vii John Andrew Calvin: b 28 Oct. 1865, m 31 Dec. 1890 Jessie Morgan, b Lynchburg, Tenn. He died 17 Aug. 1898, she survives him and resides Tullahoma, Tenn. No details obtainable from any of this family. They had:

1 Mary Boone: b 189-, m a Mr. Targ, reside Harlan, Ky.

2 Maude Layce : b 189-, m a Mr. Taylor, reside Tullahoma, Tenn.

3 John Calvin: b 1898. She was born a few months after her father's demise, is serving as Clerk to U. S. Attorney, Covington, Ky. (1930).

#### 215 LEANDER TRAVIS (8) , BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 20 October 1843. He enlisted 6 July 1861 at Knoxville, Tennessee for 2 years as Private Branham's Battalion, 1st Tennessee Cavalry, C. S. A. On 24 May 1862 he was re-enlisted in Company F, 2nd Tennessee Cavalry; A.W.O.L. 6 January 1863; captured at Pikeville 1 October 1863 sent to Louisville 12 November 1863 for exchange, sent to Camp Morton, Indiana 13 November 1863 and then to Fort Delaware 19 March 1864. A special roll dated 12 March 1864 shows him as Corporal, Stone's Company, 2d Tennessee Cavalry, exchanged 27 February 1865 and paroled 13 May 1865 at Morganton, North Carolina. He returned home and began farming. .He married 23 December 1873 Mary E. Worthington, born 27 May 1849, a daughter of James, see Worthington Excursus. She died 1 April 1890 and he married (2) 9 February 1897 Lucy Houston, born 13 May 1872, a daughter of William Houston. He served as Justice of the Peace for many years, was a Democrat in his politics and family members of the Christian church. He died 12 June 1927, she was living in 1931, resided Bledsoe County, Tennessee.

Children;

i Samuel W.: b 27 June 1875. Was in service in SpanishAmerican War, died 27 Dec, 1898 in Cuba.

ii Flora J.: b 4 Sept. 1877, died 28 July 1887.

iii John M.: b 10 Nov. 1879, m Lou Henderson, reside Dayton, Tenn.

iv Lucretia M.: b 22 Jan. 1882, m A. E. Swafford reside Chattanooga, Tenn. v Grover Cleveland: b 27 Dec. 1884, m 22 June 1911 at Nashville, Tenn. Estelle Marker. He was in the furniture business in Nashville, Tenn. for some years, but retired

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and was living on a farm in 1931. He furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Marker T.: b 1912.

2 Dorris B.: b 1919; son. vi Savage Leander: b 15 Aug. 1896, m Minnie McClonsey, reside Summerset, Ky.

vii Mary D.: b 1 Aug. 1888, died 16 Dec. 1893.

viii Angie Lee: b 11 Jan. 1898, 2d wife. She m 22 July 1918 Brown Swafford, reside Pikeville, Tenn.

ix Nell Virginia: b 17 Mar. 1900, m Charles P. Leslie, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

x Lola M.: b 22 Oct. 1902, m J. Thomas Swafford, reside Manchester, Okla.

xi William Bates: b 20 Jan. 1904.

xii Flossie Louise: b 17 Mar. 1906. Is a school teacher, has furnished much information on this family, resides Pikeville, Tenn.

xiii Charles Travis: b 22 Aug. 1907.

xiv Woodrow Lee: b 7 Mar. 1913.

216 SAMUEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born East Tennessee 21 September 1803, a twin, moved to Kentucky and Alabama with his parents, 1821-22. He married prior to 1825 Jane Stephenson, born Tennessee in 1804. He had a grant of land for 80, 13/100 acres on 30 November 1825, certificate No. 1869, Blount County, Alabama. They moved to Marshall County, Alabama about 1839 where he died July 1840. Jane survived him moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi about 1843 and was living in 1857.

Children:

i Samuel: b 1825, died 1847 in Miss., unmarried.

ii James A.: b 1827 Blount Co., Ala., moved to Pontotoc Co., Miss. with his mother and m (1) prior to 1847 Margaret Rains, b Tenn. 1824, they moved to Itawamba Co., Miss. before 1860 where Margaret died in 1861 and he m (2) Caroline Webster, b Miss. 1837, a daughter of Lucinda Webster. He enlisted 16 Feb. 1863 as Pvt. 1 7th Miss. Cav., C. S. A.; corporal in July 1863, wounded and at home; in 1864 on detached service with Engineer Corps at Wright's Mill, Ala.; on a roll of prisoners surrendered at Citronelle, Ala. 4 May 1865 and paroled 16 May 1865. He shows in the records as "J. A. and also as James M. Billingsley." He returned home after the war and engaged in farming and resided in Lee Co., Miss. They had:

1 Clinton: b 1847 died 1850's.

2. Martha: b 1849; died 1850's.

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3 James: b 1851, m 1877 Harriet, b Miss. 1855, resided Lee Co., Miss. They had, known:

a Lucy: b 1879.

4 Mary: b 1853, m Benjamin Gibson.

5 Samuel: b 1855.

6 Albert: b 1858.

7 Josephine: b 1863, 2d wife.

iii Jane: b 1829, m or d before 1860.

iv Mardus A.: b 1831 Blount Co., Ala., moved to Miss. With his mother and was listed as a farm laborer. He enlisted 14 Feb. 1863, at Verona, Miss., as Pvt. C, 10th Miss. Cav., C. S. A.; on a roll dated 30 Apr. 1863 as A.W.O.L.; his last record is a roll dated June 1863 which shows A.W.O.L.; no further record in War. Dept. Family records state he died during the Civil War.

v Elizabeth: b 1833 Ala., m in 1859 John Wilson, they moved to Texas where she died sine prole.

vi Mary: b 1838 Ala., moved to Texas with her sister and died unm.

vii William Stephenson: b 14 Dec. 1840 Marshall Co., Ala., posthumous, moved to Miss. with his mother. He migrated to Iowa about 1860 and then to Utah Ter. About 1861-62. He was baptized in the Mormon church 25 Dec. 1866; Logan Temple records show he was endowed 15 Oct. 1884 but do not show by whom. These appear to be the last records of him and it is not known if he ever married.

217 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sullivan County, Tennessee 21 September 1803, a twin of Samuel, moved to Alabama with his parents where he married January 1828 Elizabeth Alexander, born Tennessee 12 February 1806. They resided Blount County to about 1837 then moved to Morgan County where they resided to 1848 then moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi where he died 1852-53, she survived him many years and died 22 February 1893, aged 87 years, no months and ten days, resided Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

Children:

i John Calvin: b 15 Oct. 1828 Blount Co., Ala. He m prior to 188 Mary J., b S. C. 1832. He enlisted 10 Jan. 1863 as Pvt. K, 2d Miss. Cav., C. S. A. for 12 months; reenlisted 17 Jan. 1864, for 2 years or for the War and made 2d sergeant; he was 6 feet in height, blue eyes and light hair; on 5 May 1865 he was present with his Co. No further record. His residence was Pontotoc Co. to



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about 1868-69 when they removed from this locality, no data as to the death of either of them. They had, known:

1 James M.: b 1858, deceased before 1931.

2 John Thomas: b 1859, deceased before 1931.

3 William: b 186-, deceased before 1931.

4 Henry B.: b 186-, m. He was living in 1931 and resided at Corinth, Miss. No information obtainable. They had, known:

a John L.: b 18-. Is manager of the Billingsley Grocery Store at Corinth, Miss. He answered one letter but gave no information and has never replied to any further requests.

5 Crum: b 18-. Was living in 1931 in Miss. No information obtainable from him.

ii Nancy Jane: b 3 May 1830 Ala., died 13 July 1837.

iii Samuel: b 5 Mar. 1832, died 13 Mar. 1837.

iv James Barton: b 1? May 1836 Blount Co., Ala., moved to Miss. with his parents where he m prior to 1859 Mary A., b S.C. 1835. He enlisted 6 Dec. 1861 as Pvt. D, 2d Miss. Inf., C.S.A. for 60 days; present with Co. 24 Jan. 1862, no further record. Resided Pontotoc Co., Miss. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Calloway E.: b 1859.

2 Sarah: b Mar. 1860.

v David Armstrong: b 5 Aug. 1838 in Morgan Co., Ala., moved to Miss. with his parents. He enlisted 6 Dec. 1861 for 60 days as Pvt. Corona Guards, vols., this later became Co. D, 2d Miss. Inf., C. S. A.; present with Co. Jan. 1862; no further records. He m, said to have had a daughter, Elizabeth, none of those who furnished information on this family were able to state where David resided, etc.

vi Thomas William: b 22 Aug. 1840 Morgan Co., Ala., moved to Miss. with his parents. He enlisted 10 Sept. 1861 as Pvt. I, 2d Miss. Inf., C.S.A.; Apr. 1862 sick in camp; June 1862 sick in hospital, Lynchburg, Va.; Aug. 1862 present; killed at Weldon Railroad Station, near Petersburg, Va., 18 July 1864; born Ala.; age 23 years, 5 feet and five inches in height; blue eyes, and light hair; occupation, farmer.

vii Leonard Marion: b 7 July 1842 Morgan Co., Ala. Said to have been an invalid and had no service in Civil War, died unmarried so far as known.

viii Madison Asbury (9) : b 17 Jan. 1845.

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ix Mary Elizabeth: b 6 June 1847 Morgan Co., Ala., moved to Miss. with her parents and m 25 Sept. 1879 R. B. McNeil, b 23 Feb. 1848 in Miss. She died 29 Jan. 1904, he was living in 1931 and resided Tupelo, Miss. They had:  
1 Curtis McNeil: b 188-, m Bird Lawson.  
2 Allen McNeil: b 188-, m Mittie Nielon.  
3 Andrew McNeil: b 18-.

#### 218 THOMAS (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2L, Francis 1.)* Born East Tennessee in 1805, moved to Kentucky and Alabama with his parents. He married prior to 1829 Sarah, the daughter of F. William Stephenson and Jane Hamilton, she was born in Kentucky in 1810. They moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi about 1842 and resided there to 1854-55 then moved to Clark County, Arkansas where he engaged in farming. This portion of Clark became Nevada County sometime in the 1870's. He is stated to have died in the year 1889 aet. 84 years and Sarah died in 1890 aet. 80 years.

Children:

i Jemima Matilda: b 1829 in Ala. she m John Bell before 1860.

ii James Anderson (9) : b 14 Mar. 1835.

iii Counsel Campbell (9) : b 1838.

iv Josephine A.: b 1843 Miss., m (1) Shults (?); (2) Tim Buchanan.

v Frances A.: b 1846 Miss., m Ab. McGuire, said to be living 1931, reside Prescott, Ark.

vi Olando (9) : b 30 Oct. 1849 Miss.

#### 219 EDWARD COUNSEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Cumberland County, Kentucky in January 1809, moved to Tennessee and Alabama with his parents. He married prior to 1832 Winifred (Mannering ?) born North Carolina in 1815. They moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi about 1842 and then moved to Shelby County, Texas about 1859 where he is listed in 1860 as a farmer and local preacher, Campbellite Baptist. They were both living in 1880, no information as to their deaths.

Children:

i John: b 1832 Ala., died about 1848-49, Miss.

ii Elizabeth Emaline: b 1834 Ala. She m in 1851 Pontotoc Co., Miss., William Ambrose Long, b N. C. 16 Mar. 1826, they moved to Tex. where she died in 1882, he survived her some years and died in 1904 at Ferris, Tex. They had:

1 John A. Long: b 1854. He was a physician, m,

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he was deceased in 1931, his widow and 6 children, resided at Leland, Miss.

2 Idella Long: b 1860, m a Mr. Pratt, she was deceased in 1931, they had 5 children, residence not stated.

3 Willie Ann Long: b 1863 Miss., m in 1885 at Dallas, Tex. H. N. Swinny, b Tenn. 1853, he died in 1918, she survives him and resides Sinton, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a J. V. Swinny: b 18-, resides Sinton, Tex.

b John Boen Swinny: b 1899, is a physician, resides San Antonio, Tex.

4 Elizabeth Long: b 1868, m a Mr. Crum, reside Dallas, Tex., have 2 children.

5 Amanda Long: b 187-, m a Mr. Douglas, reside Dallas, Tex., have 7 children.

6 Dollie Long: b 187-, m a Mr. Buchanan, reside Fort Worth, Tex., have 2 children.

7 Daughter: b 187-, m J. B. Kinsey, reside Dallas, Tex., they have 1 child.

iii Sarah: b 1836, m or died before 1860.

iv Mary: b 1837, m or died before 1860.

v Courtney: b 1839, m or died before 1860.

vi Jemima: b 1841, m or died before 1860.

vii William Mannering: b 1843 Miss., he m prior to 1866 Wary b Tex. 1843, resided Shelby Co., Tex., both living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Gertrude: b 1866.

2 Martha: b 1869, died small.

3 Marshall: b 1871.

4 Raleigh: b 1873.

5 Sarah: b 1870.

6 Counsel: b 1877.

7 Nancy: b 1879.

viii James T.: b 1845 Miss., m prior to 1868 Elizabeth, b Ala. 1850, resided Shelby Ca., Tex., both living in 1870. They had, known:

1 John T.: b 1868.

2 James: b Feb. 1870.

ix Edward Counsel (9) : b 15 Jan. 1848.

x Martha: b 1850 Miss., she m a Mr. Prince, she was living in 1931 and resided Center, Tex. No information obtainable from her.

xi California: b 1852, Miss. She is said to have died at Tupelo, Miss. and left 2 children, i.e., James Holmes, and Callie Jones. This appears to indicate she was m twice.

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A letter sent to Miss Callie Jones was returned unclaimed.

xii Joseph: b 1854 Miss. was deceased before 1931.

xiii Isabella: b 1856 Miss. She was called "Tip," said to have m a Mr. Harrington, she was living in 1931 and resided Center, Tex. No information obtainable from her.

xiv Nancy Emma: b 1858 Miss. She was called "Babe" said to have m a Mr. Hooper, she was living in 1931, resided Center, Tex. No information obtainable from her.

### 220 WILLIAM G. (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Blount County, Alabama 19 April 1822. Census records consistently show him as born in 1822, his descendants claim he was born in 1827 but have not produced any documentary evidence to support their claim. He moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi with his father. He married prior to 1847 Sarah Lucretia Pollock, born Alabama 10 June 1832, a daughter of Benjamin Pollock, born Virginia 1803 and Rosa Capps, born Tennessee in 1809, they were also parents of: Robert, b 1825; Louise, b 1827-28; Jane, b 1830; Viola, b 1834; Angeline, b 1836-37; and Minerva, b ca 1840. They resided in Alabama to 1850 then moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi where they resided to 1855 then moved to Monroe County, Arkansas before December 1855. They later moved to Nevada County, Arkansas before 1880. He was a farmer, Sarah died in Hempstead County, Arkansas 21 August 1900, he survived her, moved to Yell County, Arkansas and died at the home of his son, Henry Monroe in 1904.

#### Children:

i Henry Monroe: b 1847 Ala., moved to Miss. and Ark. with his parents. He m (1) prior to 1866 Angeline McDonald, b Ark. in 1848, moved to Yell Co., Ark. where they resided in 1880, Angeline died sometime after June, 1880, and he is stated to have m (2) Sarah . He was living in 1903. Samuel B. Hill states. "I saw and talked to Monroe Billingsley at Bluffton, Yell Co., Ark. in the autumn of 1903. Monroe lived in the vicinity of Bluffton, was carrying a long squirrel rifle, muzzle loader, and had a shot pouch made of coon skin dressed with the fur and tail attached and had a powder horn swinging to the pouch. Monroe was apparently nearly 65 years of age; wore a full beard, untouched by razor or shears, and said his father was living in his (Monroe's) home. I did not learn his father's name or else have forgotten." This statement was written by Mr. Hill about 1919. He had the impression this Monroe was a grand son of his great uncle, Thomas Billingsley, which is not the case. Date of the death of Monroe is not known, Sarah survived him

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and died at DeQueen, Ark. in Apr. 1932. Some of the daughters reside in Fort Worth, Tex. but no information has been obtainable from any of them. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife, not known if any children by 2d wife:

1 Evelyn: b 1866 Ark. She m after 1880, resides Fort Worth, Tex.

2 John: b 1868. Was living in 1880.

3 Adaline: b 1870.

4 Virginia Annie: b 1872, m (1) a Mr. Blogg; (2) a Mr. Chidester, resided Fort Worth, Tex., moved to Longview, Tex. in 1932. Several have tried to get some statement from her without success. They had, known

a Daughter Blogg: b 18-, m W. Wayne Wallace, reside Fort Worth, Tex. Has ignored all requests for information.

5 Walter W.: b 1874 Ark. Was living in Fort Worth, Tex. in 1929, had a wife named Edna, not listed in 1931 and no further record.

ii Montgomery G.: b 1849 in Ala. Moved to Miss. and Ark. with his parents. He m (1) prior to 1869 Sarah Stone, b Ark. 18-, she died about 1874 and he m (2) Samantha L. Dunn, b Ark. in 1858. He was a farmer and resided Nevada Co., Ark. in 1880, they moved to Shelby Co., Tex. in the early 1890's where she died in 1895, he survived her some years and died in 1917. They had:

1 William G.: b 1869 Ark. He m about 1889 Ella I, daughter of John Billingsley, No. 379, b Ark. 16 Aug. 1873. He died ca 1901 and she m (2) Arthur Miller and resides Avant, Ark. No information has been obtainable from her. They had:

a Jordan: b ca 189-. Is a World War Veteran, m said to reside Avant, Ark.

b Virginia: b ca 1894, m Robinson.

2 James C.: b 1871.

3 Henry C.: b 1872.

4 Sarah A.: b 1874.

5 Dora: b 1877, 2d wife.

6 Benjamin H.: b 1879.

7 Michael: b ca 1881 m May, b 18-. He was listed as a Fireman, Mo. and Pac. Ry. in 1919, and as Engineer in 1929, resided Little Rock, Ark. in 1931. They had, known:

a George E.: b 19-. Listed as Brakeman, Mo. and Pac. Ry. 1931, resided Little Rock, Ark.

8 Albert: b 188-.

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9 Cole: b 188-.

10 William Smoot: b 23 Oct. 1885 at Prescott, Ark. Moved to Tex. with his parents. He migrated to Calif. And m 2 Apr. 1916 at Manzanar, Calif. Nora E. Spear, b Eng. 13 Dec. 1899, reside Oakland, Calif. He furnished information on this family. They had:

a Samuel Richard: b 19 Dec. 1916.

b Kathleen Patricia: b 18 Mar. 1919.

11 Clyde: b 18-.

12 Pet: b 18-.

iii Fernandez: b Sept. 1850 in Miss., died before 1860.

iv Josephus Leon: b 1852 Pontotoc Co., Miss., moved to Ark. with his parents and m prior to 1871 Samantha Breed. They moved to Red River Co., Tex. and later to Montague Co., Tex. where they both died, dates not stated. They had:  
1 William Lewis: b 12 Aug. 1871, Hempstead Co., Ark. He m at Nocona, Tex. 18 May 1904 Lelvera (Lella) Hill, b Grayson Co., Tex. 11 May 1880, daughter of Oliver H. Perry Hill, b Marion Co., Tex. 13 Nov. 1852, d Seymour, Tex. 28 Sept. 1930 and Parthena Pocahontas Sloan, b Randolph Co., Ark. 19 Nov. 1861, married 3 July 1877 at Montague, Tex. They were both school teachers before their marriage, he later was Superintendent of Public Instruction of Montague Co.; and then became cashier of a bank which position he held until his death 11 May 1911. He was a Mason, Knights of Pythias, and Odd Fellow. She survives him and is a Teacher in the Masonic Home at Fort Worth, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Frances Flake: b 7 Jan. 1909, she m 4 Apr. 1930 R.C. Daniel, a civil engineer with the T and P Railroad, reside Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Daughter: b 187-, m E. F. Wilson, she was deceased in 1932, said to have left 3 children.

3 Rossie: b 18-, deceased 1932.

4 Henry: b 18-, deceased 1932.

v Benjamin Jefferson: b 1854 Miss., died ca 1882 in Ark.

vi Alice Beauanna: b 22 Dec. 1855 Monroe Co., Ark., she m 6 May 1869 James Carol Morrow, b Prairie Co., Ark. 3 Jan. 1849, reside Prescott Ark. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Louis Byron Morrow: b 28 Feb. 1870, m 26 Apr. 1896

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Lou Whitley, he died 25 May 1927, she survives him. They had:

- a Oscar Morrow: b 11 Dec. 1898.
- b Arlis Morrow: b 28 Nov. 1901.
- c Alice Morrow: b 28 Jan. 1904, m Tate, reside Jonesboro, Ark.
- d Adolphus Morrow: b 4 Mar. 1907.
- e Horace Morrow: b 4 Apr. 1909.
- f Lester Morrow: b 24 Oct. 1911.
- g Bessie Morrow: b 15 Feb. 1917.

2 William Mark Morrow: b 4 May 1872, m 7 Nov. 1891 Laura Kitchen, he died 24 Feb. 1904, resided Okla. They had:

- a Lewis :Morrow: b 21 Jan. 1894.
- b Barney Morrow: b 9 Aug. 1902.

3 John Calvin Morrow: b 11 Jan. 1877, m 4 Feb. 1902, Amelia Cook, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

- a ElbeY Morrow: b 25 Feb. 1907.
- b Eunice Morrow: b 13 Sept. 1911, m a Mr. Duncan.
- c Elsie Morrow: b 10 May 1914.

4 James Rufus Morrow: b 27 July 1886 Nevada Co., Ark., m 7 Feb. 1923 Pearl Estes, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

- a Agnes Morrow: b 3 Jan. 1926.
- b Clara Mae Morrow: b 2 Nov. 1921.

5 Lillie Elby Morrow: b 3 Oct. 1888, m 20 Dec. 1908 Joseph Pledger Buchanan, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

- a Homer Buchanan: b 8 Feb. 1912.
- b Jewel Buchanan: b 30 Sept. 1916.

6 Thomas Wesley Morrow: b 21 Dec. 1891, m 26 June 1912 Alma Harris, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

- a Marie Morrow: b 15 Mar. 1914.
- b Thelma Morrow: b 2 Sept. 1918.
- c Evelyn Morrow: b 14 Feb. 1920.
- d Clarice Morrow: b 9 Feb. 1922.
- e Hubert Morrow: b 20 Apr. 1926.
- f Herbert Morrow: b 21 Dec. 1928.
- g Joy Rhea Morrow: b 20 Feb. 1932.

vii Virginia Augusta: b Feb. 1860 Ark. She m Elihu Dickey, reside Broken Bow, Okla. No information obtainable from her, the following is from her sister, Mrs. Morrow. They had:

1 Lenora Dickey: b 18-, m Relta Smith, she was deceased in 1932. They had:

- a Carl Smith.

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b Claude Smith.

c Clarence Smith.

2 Margaret Dickey: b 18-, m a Mr. Holland, reside Emmet, Ark

3 Henry Dickey.

4 Perry Dickey.

5 Leroy Dickey.

6 Ressie Dickey.

viii John Calvin: b 1861 Ark., he m after 1880 Susan May, he died about 1897. They had:

1 Alice: b 18-.

2 Ernest: b 18-.

3 Florence: b 18-.

4 Arthur: b 18-.

ix Mary Evelyn: b 1865 Ark. She m after 1880 Henry Dickey, b Ala. 1854, they moved to Tex. where she died prior to

1931. They had:

1 Agnes Dickey.

2 William H. Dickey.

3 Oscar Dickey.

4 Naomi Dickey.

5 Vernessie Dickey.

x Arthur Ernest: b 1867 Ark., he m Mary Porter, he died near Prescott, Ark. about 1902, she survives and resides Clark Co., Ark. They had:

1 Stella: b 18-.

2 Flandie: b 18-.

3 Rossie: b 18-.

4 Ernest: b 18-.

221 JOHN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born East Tennessee in 1795. He married prior to 1819 Mary born Tennessee in 1796. They migrated to Putnam County, Indiana about 1829 where he engaged in farming and died about 1837-38, she survived him and was living in 1850, resided Putnam County, Indiana.

Children:

i John: b 1819 Tenn., moved to Ind. with his parents and married in 1840 Harriet M. -, b Ky. in 1820. They moved to Iowa where he died in 1845, she returned to Putnam Co., Ind. and m (2) William D. Owen, b Ky. 1811, his 2d wife, he had 5 children at the time of this marriage. Resided Putnam Co., Ind. in 1860. They had:

1 Jonathan: b 1841 Iowa.

2 Martha: b 1843.



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3 Charles: b 1845 Putnam Co., Ind. He enlisted 5 Sept. 1861 at Terre Haute, Ind. as Pvt. D, 31st Ind. Inf., U. S., stating his age as 19 years, occupation, farmer, and born Putnam Co., Ind., was five feet and six inches in height, grey eyes, and light hair; he was discharged from the service at Calhoun, Ky. 30 Nov. 1861 by conviction by Regt. Court Martial, charge not stated in the records. He enlisted again 12 Dec. 1861 as Pvt. H, 43d Ind. Inf., U. S., stating his age as 17 years, occupation "Loafer," he deserted at Spottsville, Ky., 29 Dec. 1861. He enlisted again 21 Mar. 1864 at Greencastle, Ind., for 3 years, stating his age as 18 years, occupation, farmer, born Putnam Co., Ind., was five feet and six inches in height, grey eyes, and light hair, he was mustered in as Pvt. 7th Batt. Ind. Light Arty.; U. S. He was in arrest 2 June 1864, deserted 20 June 1864. There does not appear any details of his capture or trial, the final remark on his record on Muster Roll Dec. 1864 reads: "Shot, 23 Dec. 1864."

4 Elizabeth Owen: b 1848, 2d marriage. u William: b 1821 Tenn., died unmarried.

iii Reuben: b 1823 Tenn., moved to Ind. with his parents. He m about 1861 Mary Robinson, b Ky. 1824, a widow who had 4 children at the time of this marriage, both were living in 1870 and resided Putnam Co., Ind. They had:

1 Rachel Robinson: b 1846, Step daughter.  
2 Margaret Robinson: b 1852, Step daughter. 3 Ellen Robinson: b 1858, Step daughter. 4 Sarah Robinson: b 1860, Step daughter. 5 May: b 1863.

iv Martha: b 1825, died infancy.

v Mary A.: b 1827 Tenn. Was a school teacher and while in Monroe Co., Ky. she met and married in 1848 Silas Emberton, b Ky. 1814, resided Monroe Co., Ky. and both living in 1860. They had, known:

- 1 William J. Emberton: b 1849.
- 2 Thomas M. Emberton: b Feb. 1850.
- 3 Sarah J. Emberton: b 1851.
- 4 John S. Emberton: b 1856.
- 5 James H. Emberton: b 1857.
- 6 Louisa A. Emberton: b 1859.

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222 WILLIAM FREEMORTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in East Tennessee 18 July 1807, moved to Roane County with his parents and married (1) prior to 1838 Mahala (Stubbs ?) born Tennessee in 1808, she died about 1874 and he married (2) Lou C. born Tennessee in 1840, she is believed to have been a widow Reeves, who had a daughter, Mary, at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer, both were living in 1880 and resided Roane County, Tennessee. The family do not appear to have any record of his death.

Children:

i Mary Jane: b 1838, m 1861-62 John Gooden, b Tenn. 1838, resided Roane Co., Tenn. in 1880. They had, known  
1 Amanda Gooden: b 1864.

2 James Gooden : b 1869.

ii Samuel E.: b 3 Feb. 1839, died 25 Feb. 1911 in Okla. unmarried.

iii Elizabeth A.: b 27 Aug. 1842, m 31 Oct. 1867 Alexander Freels, b 25 Oct. 1841 in Campbell Co., Tenn., she died 29 June 1898 and he died 16 Oct. 1914, resided Roane Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Elijah M. Freels: b 12 Dec. 1868, m 12 Mar. 1899 Theresa Watson, b 22 Apr. 1877 Roane Co., Tenn. He has furnished information on this family, reside Wheat, Tenn. They had:

a Daisy L. Freels: b 14 Nov. 1904, m 14 May 1925 Thomas B. Grubb, reside Lenoir City, Tenn.

b Albert B. Freels: b 31 Dec. 1907.

c James F. Freels: b 5 Nov. 1909, m 3 Apr. 1927 Lorene Lindsay, reside Harriman, Tenn.

d Harold C. Freels: b 6 June 1912, m 15 Feb. 1931 Stella V. Magill, reside Wheat, Tenn.

e Gladys I. Freels: b 7 Oct. 1918.

iv James L. (9) : b 31 Dec. 1843.

v Amanda: b 1844, died in 1850's.

vi Eliza B.: b 1846.

vii Elijah T.: b 1850-51, moved to Texas after 1870, and last heard of was living in Okla.

viii Ida P.: b 1877, 2d wife.

ix Laura C.: b 1879.

223 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born East Tennessee in October 1812. He married prior to 1835 Sarah (McQuarter ?) born Tennessee 1814. They migrated to Missouri and located in Greene County where they resided some years then moved to Douglas County, both were living in 1860.

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Children i Nancy: b 1835 Tenn.

ii Melvina: b 1838 Mo.

iii Wade H.: b 1842.

iv Eliza: b 1844.

v James M.: b 1846.

vi John D.: b 1848.

vii McQuarter: b 1849, died in 1850's.

viii Mary Angeline: b May 1850.

ix Elias: b 1858.

224 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1797-98, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with his parents. He married (1) prior to 1821 in Washington County, Arkansas, Nancy Elizabeth Loftin, born 180-. They moved to Newton County, Missouri, about 1836 and in 1844 moved to Ellis County, Texas where she died 1846-47. He married (2) prior to 1849 Priscilla A. Baggett, the widow of Charles Handy, born Georgia 1822, she had three children at the time of this marriage. He was a signer for the organization of Johnson County in 1854 and removed to this County. He was a farmer and also interested in a mill on Nolen's River, jointly owned by him and his brothers. He was a resident of Hill County, Texas on 10 July 1860, he was drowned in the above mentioned river in the early 1860's during a flood which washed away the mill. Priscilla survived him and moved to Hamilton County, Texas with her children. No data on her death. Children:

i Naomi Laura: b 1821 Ark., moved to Newton Co., Mo. with her parents and m prior to 1838 Josiah Woolsey, b Ill. 1816. They moved to Ellis Co., Tex. in 1844 where he engaged in farming and died 1859, she survived him and was living in 1880 and is said to have died in 1886, both buried Red Oak Cemetery, Ellis Co., Tex. They had:

1 William G. Woolsey: b 1838 Mo. Served in C. S. Army.

2 Matilda Woolsey: b 1840 Mo., m or d before 1860.

3 Samuel M. Woolsey: b 1842 Mo., served in C. S. Army, m 1867-8 Caledonia, b Tex. 1847, resided Ellis Co., Tex. They had:

a William Woolsey: b 1869.

4 James H. Woolsey: b 1849 Tex., m 1877 Jane, b Tex. 1855, resided Ellis Co., Tex. They had:

a Samuel P. Woolsey: b 1878.

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5 John Woolsey: b 1852, m 1878 Mary, b Tex. 1857, resided Ellis Co., Tex. They had, known:

a John Woolsey, Jr.: b Feb. 1880.

6 Elizabeth Woolsey: b 1854, m 1874 Lee Demming, b Ala. in 1852, resided Ellis Co., Tex. in 1880. They had:

a Callie Demming: b 1876.

b Annie Demming: b May 1880.

7 Arena Woolsey: b 1857.

8 Naomi L. Woolsey: b 1859, died small.

ii William (9) : b 27 Mar. 1824 Ark.

iii Nancy: b 1827 Ark., moved to Texas with her parents in 1844 and m prior to 1850 Nathan Billingsley, son of Jacob, No. 100, b Tenn. He was living in 1870, she is said to have died in 1917 in Ellis Co., Tex. No children.

iv Jesse: b 1830, moved to Newton Co., Mo. and to Ellis Co., Tex. with his parents. He was issued Certificate No. 9 for 320 acres of land May 1852. This certificate recites that he entered Peters Colony prior to 1 July 1848 and that he arrived at the age of 17 before that time. Patent issued 9 June 1854. He died at the home of his brother, William, in 1862, unmarried.

v John: b 183-, died childhood.

vi Charles Handy: b 1840 Ga. Step son, m 1858 Syrenia b Tenn. 1840, resided Hill. Co., Tex. in 1860. They had:

1 Mary M. Handy: b 1859.

vii William G. Handy: b 1843 Ga. Step son.

viii Martha Jane Handy: b 1846 Tex. Step daughter.

ix Ann: b 1849, 2d wife, died small.

x Sarah Belle: b 1852, m B. J. Rhodes, said to have lived in Hill or Hamilton Co., Tex. They had, known:

1 Annie Rhodes: b 18-, m a Mr. Bloxom.

xi James Nathaniel (9) : b 14 Mar. 1854.

#### 225 SAMUEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1799, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with his parents. Resided in Crawford County and later moved to Washington County and settled at Cane Hill in or about 1827 where he married prior to 1830 Temperance Davidson, born South Carolina 27 June 1810. They moved to Newton County, Missouri about 1836 and then moved to Ellis County, Texas in 1844 where he engaged in farming and stock raising. He was a signer for the formation of Johnson County in 1854. He with his brothers, John R. and James, built and operated the first mill in the county located on Nolen's River, this mill

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was later washed away by a flood and they did not rebuild. They resided the rest of their days in Johnson County where he died suddenly in the winter of 1870-71, he was sitting comfortably by the fire, arose and put on a fresh log of wood, turned to his seat and dropped dead. Temperance survived him many years and died at the home of her daughter, Sarah, in December 1890.

Children:

i John Belden (9) : b 6 June 1830.

ii Mary Jane: b 1835 Washington Co., Ark. She was blind and died unmarried after 1870.

iii Rebecca Ann: b 1837 Newton Co., Mo., moved to Texas with her parents in 1844 and married 1 June 1854 Wallas Thompson Harris, b 30 Nov. 1825, by his 2d wife. The Harris Bible discloses: "Wallas Thompson Harris, born Nov. 30, 1825, married Christina Price Dec. 28, 1845, she was born Aug. 4, 1827; Elizabeth Charlotte born Nov. 2, 1846; William Thompson, born Dec. 1, 1848, died July 25, 1852; Sara Violet, born March 20, 1851; John B., born Jan. 6, 1853. Christina Price Harris died Jan. 14, 1854. They resided Weatherford, Texas where he died, no date stated, and she died 25 June 1909. They had:

1 Samuel Haygood Harris: b 11 Oct. 1861. He m 6 Nov. 1883 at Weatherford, Tex., Martha Morris Young. The Young Bible discloses: "John W. Young, born 1 Oct. 1835, died 1 May 1862, married 3 June 1858 Luvinia Chelwood Bailey, born Mississippi 21 Nov. 1837, died 14 March 1876 in Texas; Sarah Frances, born 3 June 1859; Martha Morris, born 17 Oct. 1860; John W., born 6 Apr. 1862, died 25 March 1899."

Resided Weatherford, Tex., where he died 2 Sept. 1921, she survives him and furnished information on this family. They had:

a Oscar Oliver Harris: b 26 July 1884, m 24 Nov. 1906 Hettie Walls, reside Calif.

b Annie Alma Harris: b 26 Sept. 1888, m 13 Oct. 1904 Robert T. Kelley, reside Weatherford, Tex.

c Sallie White Harris: b 29 Oct. 1890, m 7 Apr. 1909, Robert B. Treadwell, reside Weatherford, Tex.

d Ethel Elizabeth Harris: b 20 May 1893, m 25 Dec. 1912 Robert Walter Gregory, reside Santa Monica, Calif.

e Paul Ennis Harris: b 8 July 1896, m 15 Dec. 1917 Myrtle Ratts, reside Ranger, Tex.

f Daisy Eleanor Harris: b 25 June 1898, m 24 Aug. 1917 Clyde Coleman Billingsley, see No. 389.

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- g Ina Lee Harris: b 19 Sept. 1901, m 18 Aug. 1918 Derrell D. Hartnett, reside Dallas, Tex.  
h Roy C. Harris: b 10 May 1904, m 9 Oct. 1921 Pearl Head, reside Ranger, Tex.  
2 Edminson Harris: b 16 Feb. 1864, m Mar. 1887, Rosa Seals, reside near Weatherford, Tex.  
3 Elizabeth Jane Harris: b 22 Oct. 1866, m 1887 William Barlow, she died March 1927.  
4 Martha Thompson Harris: b 24 Mar. 1869, m Abner D. Billingsley, see No. 389, she died 20 June 1927.

iv Sarah Elvira: b 4 Sept. 1838 Newton Co., Mo., married Mark Billingsley, No. 395, which see.

v Rachel: b 26 Oct. 1840 Newton Co., Mo., moved to Texas with her parents in 1844 where she m about 1858 Andrew J. Robinson, b Ga. 183-, resided Johnson Co., Tex. He served thru the Civil War and died about 1867-68. She m (2) 2 June 1874 Rev. S. B. Sullivan, b 23 Mar. 1827, his 2d wife, he had 3 sons by his first wife, two died in 1873. He was a pioneer Methodist preacher of Texas, resided Marysville and later moved to Joshua, Tex. where he died May 1900, she survived him many years and died 3 Sept. 1928 having been a resident of Johnson County some 83 years. No children by the 2d marriage. They had:

1 William Sullivan: b 19 Dec. 1853, resided Joshua, Tex. in 1931.

2 Samuel Robinson: b 1860. Went to Montana about 1885 and last heard from was at Butte, preparing to leave for Alaska.

iv Naomi: b 1842 Newton Co., Mo., she m in Texas Elbert G. Billingsley, son of Jacob, No. 100, which see. She died sine prole in 1920.

#### DAVIDSON BIBLE RECORDS

John Davidson and Rebecca Newton were married September 29th, 1807.

Joel Davidson was born July 13th, 1808, died June 9th, 1809.

Temperance Davidson was born June 27th, 1810.

Abner M. Davidson was born December 7th, 1812, died January 21st, 1837.

Elvira H. F. Davidson was born January 8th, 1815.

Newton J. Davidson was born February 23rd, 1819, died September 7th, 1821.

Samuel and John Davidson born March 21st, 1822.

Rebecca Davidson died July 29th, 1824.

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Children by Second marriage.

Rebecca Marion Davidson, Daughter of John and Sarah Davidson, was born Aug. 27th, 1831.

Sarah J. Davidson, Daughter of John and Sarah Davidson, was born November 30th, 1835.

By Samuel J. Davidson

Washington County, Arkansas

November 9th, 1841

The following facts are known of this family:

Sarah Jane Davidson married Hugh Shipley.

Samuel J. Davidson married Mary Saul, they had: William B. who was living 1931, he has the family Bible; James J. Davidson who married a daughter of Robert M. Billingsley, No. 232, which see.

226 ANN REA (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1800, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with her parents. She married prior to 1828 in Washington County, Arkansas William Maxwell, born Tennessee in 1785, resided in Cane Hill township, Washington County, Arkansas, where he died in the 1850's. Ann survived him and was living in the home of her son-in-law, John H. Pyeatt, in Johnson County, Texas, in 1860. She is stated to have returned to Washington County, Arkansas where she died.

Children:

i William Maxwell: b 1828 Washington Co., Ark., m prior to 1849, it is not stated where they lived. Only children known are:

1 Finis E. Maxwell: b 1849 Ark.

2 John C. Maxwell: b 1851 Ark. Both of these resided in Johnson Co., Tex. in 1880 and unmarried.

ii John Maxwell: b 1830, died small.

iii Sarah Ann Maxwell: b 1832 Washington Co., Ark., m in 1851 John H. Pyeatt, b Ark. in 1830, resided Washington Co., Ark. to about 1858 then moved to Johnson Co., Tex. where he is listed as a stockman, both were living in 1880. They had:

1 William H. Pyeatt: b 1852.

2 Finis . Ewing Pyeatt: b 1854, m 1879 Fanny --, b Ala. 1854.

3 Martha J. Pyeatt: b 1856.

4 Elizabeth J. Pyeatt: b 1858.

5 Charles S. Pyeatt: b 1860.

6 James F. Pyeatt: b 1863.

7 John M. Pyeatt: b 1867.

8 Sarah Pyeatt: b 1869.

9 Edward Pyeatt: b 1874.

10 Mary E. Pyeatt: b 1876.

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iv Samuel M. Maxwell: b 1837 Ark. Was living 1860 unmarried. v Martha Jane Maxwell: b 19 Mar. 1840 Washington Co., Ark. she married 19 Nov. 1857 James Henry Pyeatt, b Ark. 1 Feb. 1829, moved to Johnson Co., Tex. about 1860-61 where she died 25 Apr. 1862. He married (2) prior to 1870 Elizabeth Young Billingsley, daughter of John Rankin Billingsley, No. 229. He died in Erath Co., Tex. 28 June 1879. Elizabeth married (2) a Mr. Nexbit and died leaving no children by either marriage. They had:

1 Loretta Augusta Pyeatt: b 14 Jan. 1859 Washington Co., Ark. After the death of her mother in 1862 she was reared in the home of her grand mother Maxwell. She married 28 Dec. 1875 in Johnson Co., Tex. Andrew Jackson Crane, b Ala. 19 Sept. 1844, he died at Childress, Tex. 8 May 1920, she survives him. They had:

a Louella Crane: b 10 May 1872 Erath Co., Tex., m 31 July 1901 E. R. Blair, b Tex. 24 July 1877, reside Childress, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

al Gladys Augusta Blair: b 20 May 1902, died 10 May 1908.

a2 Opal Estelle Blair: b 17 Oct. 1904, In 15 Dec. 1925 Jack A. Fleeting.

a3 Edith Marie Blair: b 16 Mar. 1906, m 20 July 1925 Leslie C. Gay, Jr.

a4Una Mildred Blair: b 17 Mar. 1908, d 12 Oct. 1911.

a5 E. R. Blair, Jr.: b 2 June 1910.

a6 Richard Gerald Blair: b 24 July 1912.

a7 Rowena Ruth Blair: b 9 Apr. 1914.

b James Lewis Crane: b 19 Dec. 1879, m Ella Fagan White.

c Claude Crane: b 25 Oct. 1882, m May Wood.

d Johnny Everett Crane: b 20 Dec. 1885, d 15 Nov. 1886.

e Joseph Warren Crane: b 5 Jan. 1888.

f Eppie Crane: b 7 Apr. 1891, m Emmett F. Blair.

g Robert Lee Crane: b 22 Dec. 1894, m Maude Alford.

h Lillian Crane: b 16 Feb. 1897, m Daniel F. Dunn.

vi Mary F. Maxwell: b 1843.

#### 227 VIRGINIA (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1803, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with her parents. She married prior to 1826 Thomas



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Tyner, born North Carolina 1798, resided Washington County, Arkansas where she died about 1831-1832, he married (2) prior to 1835 Mary Ann born Tennessee 1816. They were living in Washington County in 1850 and are stated to have moved to California with their son, Aaron, about 1855; where they lived is not known as they are not listed in County where Aaron resided, date of his death is not stated, she is said to be buried at Los Angeles.

Children:

i Aaron Tyner: b 12 July 1826 Washington Co., Ark. In 1848 he went to the Gold Fields of Calif. probably in company with Christopher Billingsley, and others of that section. He returned to Ark. before 1850. He married about 1854 Docia Ann McCabe, b Tenn. Feb. 1828. They moved to Calif. about 1855 and settled near Sonora where they lived to about 1870. He was a machinist and blacksmith. In 1870 they moved to Grangeville where he built a grist mill, sold out and moved to Oregon and Washington for a few years then moved to Hanford, Calif. and built another mill, sold out and opened a blacksmith and wood workers shop which he operated until a few years before his death. She died 16 Jan. 1901 and he died 15 Nov. 1908, both buried at Hanford, Calif. The family was Presbyterian. They had:

1 Lillian Tyner: b 11 June 1856, m (1) James Harris, of Texas, he was killed in the Mussel Slough tragedy 11 May 1880, she m (2) John Shipe, she died 2 Sept. 1888, buried at Hanford, Calif. They had:

a Forrest Lee Harris: b ca 1879, died 23 Feb. 1889.

b Elmo Shipe: b 188-, reside Fresno, Calif.

2 Thomas Tyner: b 4 June 1858, m 17 July 1889 Josephine Thornton, of Dyersburg, Tenn. Reside Calif. (1931) They had:

a Homer Clovis Tyner: b 6 July 1890. Enlisted 20 June 1918 at Presidio, Calif. in Signal Corps and was assigned to the Pigeon section, was in the 40<sup>th</sup> Div. then transferred to the 16th Div., discharged

3 Feb. 1919, member of American Legion. He married 28 Jan. 1933 Margaret Marcella, daughter of Rennie C.

Brown and Mary Bruff, reside Hanford, Calif. .He has furnished information on this family.

3 Charles Tyner: b 20 June 1859, resides Calif.

ii William Tyner: b ca 1829, died small.

iii Nancy Tyner: b 1835, 2d wife, and no Billingsley blood. m (1) Joseph Foster, (2) Walker Foster. They had:

1 Jennie Foster: m Pierce, reside Deming, N. Mex.

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- 2 Ella Foster.
- 3 Son.

iv Andrew Tyner: b 1837 Ark.. Served as Sheriff at Yuma, Ariz. for many years.

v Elizabeth Tyner: b 1839, m O.P. Calloway, she was said to be living 1931, resided Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

- 1 William Calloway.
- 2 Ella Calloway.
- 3 Ida Calloway.
- 4 George Calloway.
- 5 Frederick Calloway.

vi Mary Tyner: b 1841, m John Curran, of San Antonio, Tex. They had:

- 1 Claude Curran.

2 Lalla Rook Curran. vii Emma Tyner: b 1843, m James Allen Bacon, of Visalia, Calif. No children.

viii Henrietta Tyner: b 1845, m (1) William Butterick, (2) Dr. Bogel, of Visalia, Calif. They had, known:

- 1 Harold Bogel.

ix Edward Tyner: b 1847, killed by Indians in Okla. Ter. In 1860's.

x Henry Tyner: b 1849, killed by Indians in Okla. Ter. in 1860's.

228 RACHEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1805, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with her parents. She married prior to 1829 Benjamin G Garvin, born Virginia in 1800, resided Washington County, Arkansas, moved to Newton County, Missouri about 1836, and to Ellis County, Texas in 1844. He died in the 1850's she was living in 1870 and apparently deceased before 1880.

Children (known):

i John B. Garvin: b 1829 Washington Co., Ark., moved to Mo. and Tex. with his parents where he m prior to 1850 Nancy A., b Tenn. 1832, she died in 1870's and he m (2) prior to 1880 Mary T. , b Tenn. 1832, resided Ellis Co., Tex. both living in 1880. They had:

- 1 James M. Garvin: b 1850.
- 2 Mary J. Garvin: b 1851.
- 3 William Garvin: b 1852.
- 4 Ann Garvin: b 1854.
- 5 John Garvin: b 1855, m 1879 Jane, b Mo. 1858, resided Ellis Co., Tex.
- 6 Benjamin F. Garvin: b 1857.

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7 Mary Sarah Garvin: b 1859.

8 Thomas G. Garvin: b June 1860.

9 Peter E. Garvin: b 1864. 10 Samuel Garvin: b 1866. 11 Robert Garvin: b 1869. ii Eliza Garvin: b 1834 Ark.

iii William Garvin: b 1836 Mo., m 1855 Frances F., b Mo. 1841, resided Mo. came to Ellis Co., Tex. about 1859, she died in 1861, he was living in 1880, Ellis Co., Tex.

They had:

1 Robert L. Garvin: b 1856 Mo.

2. Thomas Benjamin Garvin: b 1859.

3 Ann Garvin: b 1861

(These children were reared in the home of their grandmother Garvin.)

iv Wary R. Garvin: b 1838 Mo., m a Mr. Reeves, she was a widow in 1860 and living with her mother. They had:

1 Samuel Mack Reeves: b 1858.

v Ann Elizabeth Garvin: b 1840 Mo., she m prior to 1857 in Tex. William Anderson Witherspoon, b Neosho, Mo., 1 Jan. 1836, she died 1860-61 and he married (2) her sister, Malinda. Ann's children were:

1 Coleman Garvin Witherspoon: b 1857.

2 Ann Witherspoon: b 1860; was living in 1880.

vi Thomas Finis Garvin: b 1842 Mo. Said to have served in C. S. Army, wounded in the head and compelled to wear a silver plate the rest of his days. He m prior to 1865 Mary, b Ala. in 1846, both living in 1880, resided Ellis Co., Tex. They had

1 Frances Minnie Garvin: b 1865.

2 Rebecca Rachel Garvin: b 1868.

3 Henry Garvin: b Jan. 1870.,

4 Charles Garvin: b 1872.

5 Hosea Garvin: b 1879.

vii Samuel N. Garvin: b 1845 Tex. He m 1869 Eva --, b Ala. 1850, resided Ellis Co., Tex. They had:

1 William Garvin: b 1870.

2 George Garvin: b 1873.

3 Lula Garvin: b 1874.

4 Marvin Garvin: b 1878.

viii Malinda S. Garvin: b Feb. 1847 Tex. She m in 1870 William Anderson Witherspoon, his 2d wife, and her brother-in-law. Resided Ellis Co. for some years then moved to Hereford, Texas where he died 9 Apr. 1902 and she died 9 Apr. 1908. They had:

1 Sallie Witherspoon: b 27 Nov. 1871, m R. L. Wilson, she died 28 Apr. 1926.

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- 2 Anderson Witherspoon: b 29 Aug. 1873, m Bessie Anderson, reside Canyon, Texas.  
3 Remmy Witherspoon: b 29 Nov. 1874, m Myrtle Harris, reside Hereford, Texas.  
4 Thomas D. Witherspoon: b 13 Apr. 1876, m Gertrude Laughland, they had some family, a separation in 1914, a communication from him in 1933 stated he had not heard of his family since they left him. Resides Amarillo, Tex. '  
5 Nancy Witherspoon: b 23 May 1878, m Henry Weems, she died 7 June 1926.  
6 Vernon Witherspoon: b 25 Jan. 1880, m Myrtle Bowe, reside Hereford, Texas  
7 Hugh Witherspoon: b 14 Feb. 1883, m Bessie Lowe, reside Hereford, Texas.  
8 Roxie Witherspoon: b 6 Dec. 1885, Ellis Co., Tex., m 28 Dec. 1909 at Hereford, Tex. Lin M. Fertsch, b Hallettsville, Tex. 7 Feb. 1885, reside .Austin, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:  
a Linnie Pauline Fertsch: b 20 Oct. 1910 Grad. Univ. of Tex. B.A.  
9 Leona Witherspoon: b 28 Oct. 188?, m T. Guy Rogers, she died 4 Oct. 1921.

229 JOHN RANKIN (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Logan County, Kentucky 11 May 1807, moved to Tennessee, Mississippi, and Arkansas with his parents. He married (1) 10 January 1828 Malinda V. Garvin, born 12 June 1809, moved to Newton County, Missouri about 1836 where she died 1841-42 and he married (2) 28 May 1843 Telitha Newton, born 26 November 1816 in Arkansas, they moved to Ellis County, Texas in 1844 where she died in 1853 and he married (3) 10 May 1854 Sarah Eleanor Blair, born 8 May 1828 in Tennessee. He was a signer to the formation of Johnson County in 1854. He was interested in a mill on Nolen's River with his brothers. They moved to Johnson County in 1854 where he died 11 August 1880, she survived him and died at Hereford, Texas 13 June 1906.

Children (1st wife):

i Thomas Young: b 9 Apr. 1830, died small.

ii John G.: b 29 Feb. 1832, died small.

iii Susan Ann: b 4 Mar. 1834 Ark., m 1854 Johnson Co., Tex. Stephen Drane Bright, b 17 Nov. 1826 in Ky. He was a signer to the formation of Johnson Co. in 1854 and served as Justice of the Peace. Resided Johnson Co., where he

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died 9 June 1869, she survived him and died in 1879. They had:

1 John Young Bright: b 17 Nov. 1856, m Julia Marceline Billingsley, daughter of John Belden Billingsley, No. 389 which see.

2 Clara Bright: b 1859.

3 Burton Bright: b 1863.

4 Willie M. Bright: b 1866 (daughter).

iv Poland: b 14 Mar. 1836 Ark. She m (1) prior to 1860 John Blair, he died and she m (2) Newton Carroll Laughlin, b Tenn. in 1818, his 2d wife. He was first married to Margaret J. Witherspoon, b Tenn. 1822 and resided in Mo. to 1846 then moved to Ellis Co., Tex. No data on deaths of either of them. Children of the two families known are:

1 Lina Ann Laughlin: b 1841 Mo. (His 1st wife).

2 Martha J. Laughlin: b 1842.

3 William M. Laughlin: b 1844.

4 Donald P. Laughlin: b 1845.

5 Paralee Laughlin: b 1847 Tex.

6 Nancy E. Laughlin: b 1849.

7 Benjamin F. Laughlin: b 1856.

8 Newton Allen Laughlin: b 8 July 1858, m Narcissa T. Billingsley, see below.

9 Rowena Blair: b 186- (Her 1st husband).

10 Edna May Laughlin: b 18-, deceased.

11 Carroll Newton Laughlin: b 18-, deceased, a daughter.

v Elizabeth Young: b 30 July 1838 Mo., m (1) about 1864, James Henry Pyeatt, his 2d wife, he died after 1870 and she m (2) a Mr. Nesbit. No children by either marriage. vi Eliza: b 10 Feb. 1841, died inf.

vii Lewis: b 10 Feb. 1841, a twin. He enlisted 14 May 1862 Hill Co., Tex. as Pvt. H, 12th Tex. Inf., C. S. A. War Dept. Records show he was present with his Co. Feb. 1864, no subsequent record. Family records claim he died near Pleasant Hill from wounds, never married.

Children (2d wife):

viii John Richeson: b 17 Mar. 1844, Mo. was an invalid from paralysis, died unmarried in Childress, Tex. after 1880.

ix Martha Jane: b 16 Apr. 1847 Ellis Co., Tex., m Aug. 1873 in Johnson Co., Tex. William Trimble, b Ky. Feb. 1848, son of John; he had brothers, George, James, who d C. S. A.; and Thomas; sisters, Climmie who m Perry Featherstone, and Margaret who m Frank Hill. Resided Erath Co., Tex. and moved to Childress Co. about 1900, where he engaged in farming and died Mar. 1910, she survives him (1931). They had:

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- 1 Orra Trimble: b 16 Oct. 1878, m James Williams. They had:
  - a Faye Bill Williams: b 23 Feb. 1903, m 1 Mar. 1925 Edgar M. Pryor, reside Willington, Tex.
  - b Elmer Dean Williams; b 19 July 1905, resides Childress, Tex.
  - c Richard Wayne Williams: b 5 Oct. 1907, m 23 Mar. 1929 Lillie Mae Reaves, reside Childress, Tex.
  - d William Kyle Williams: b 31 Mar. 1910.
  - e Eugene Glen Williams: b 22 Dec. 1913.
  - f Hal Neil Williams: b 2 July 1915.
- 2 Julian Trimble: b 22 Sept. 1881, died 3 Nov. 1925.
- 3 Ernest Trimble: b 29 July 1884, m, he died 28 July 1921. They had:
  - a Jimmie Dolores Trimble: b 8 Mar. 1906, m Lannie Richie, reside Dallas, Tex.
  - b Jack Billingsley Trimble: b 1 Sept. 190-.
  - c Donald Wayne Trimble: b 15 Oct. 1912.
- 4 Margaret Trimble: b 27 May 1888, m Walter Moore, reside Quanah, Tex. They had:
  - a Colleen Verne Moore: b 4 Oct. 1924.
- 5 Nell Young Trimble: b 29 June 1891.

x Telitha Virginia: b 2 May 1849, died Dec. 1921, at Childress, Tex.

xi Mandana H.: b 22 Nov. 1853, died infancy.

Children (3d wife)

- xii Mary Artenia: b 26 Feb. 1855, m 12 Dec. 1875, in Erath Co., Tex. James K. Polk Williams, b 31 Oct. 1852 in Ala., moved to Texico, N. Mex. where she died 26 Oct. 1905, he survived her and died 27 Nov. 1928. They had:
- 1 Dona C. Williams: b 23 Feb. 1877, m John Brown.
  - 2 Aaron Tyner Williams: b 16 Apr. 1878 Erath Co., Tex., m 15 Oct. 1907 Portales, N. Mex. Rosa Rodgers, b Benton Co., Ark. 30 Mar. 1881; reside Hot Springs, N. Mex. They had:
    - a Melba Erma Williams: b 10 Feb. 1909, m Boyd Nally.
    - b Artena Elizabeth Williams: b 19 Aug. 1911, m George Tucker.
    - c Robert Williams: b 6 Jan. 1913, died 26 Jan. 1913.
    - d Rex Elton Williams: b 4 Jan. 1915.
    - e Veta Maurine Williams: b 16 Mar. 1917.
  - 3 Stella E. Williams: b 20 July 1881, m Edwardton.
  - 4 Robert R. Williams: b 17 May 1889, m Lois Hagler.

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5 Mattie Eva Williams: b 28 Jan. 1893, m Orman Landon.

xiii Nancy: b 5 Apr. 1856, died infancy.

xiv Narcissa Tennessee: b 29 July 1857 Hill Co., Tex., m 22 Nov. 1888 Childress Co., Tex. Newton Allen Laughlin, b Ellis Co., Tex. 8 July 1858, son of Newton C. Laughlin and Margaret J. Witherspoon. Resided Childress Co., Tex. till after 1898 then moved to Hot Springs, N. Mex. He was active in farming until 1931 when he suffered a stroke of paralysis which left him helpless and from which he died in Mar. 1932. She survives him, she has a wonderful memory and has given much valuable aid in placing this family, each of her statements have been proven accurate when checked by authentic records. They had:

1 Ethel Mae Laughlin: b 28 Nov. 1889 Childress Co., Tex., m 2 Nov. 1909 at Hereford, Tex. Clyde Roberson, b 19 Feb. 1889 at Cleburne, Tex. Reside Hot Springs, N. Mex. They had:

a Allen Jesse Roberson: b 3 Sept. 1910, m 28 Mar. 1931 Elizabeth Spencer.

b Wayne Laughlin Roberson: b 22 July 1912.

c Clyde Leslie Roberson: b 2 June 1917.

2 Lida Lee Laughlin: b 7 Mar. 1893, m Finis Amend, of Sherman Co., Tex. She is a teacher, reside Hot Springs, N. Mex. They had:

a Nina Marie Amend.

b James Williamson Amend.

c Norma Lee Amend (deceased).

3 James Newton Laughlin: b 13 Oct. 1895. Enlisted 19 Sept. 1917 in Air service, was in England, France, and Germany, Sgt. 1st Class 186 Aero Squadron discharged 19 Aug. 1919. He operates a garage and repair shop at Hot Springs, N. Mex.

4 Jesse Allen Laughlin: b 27 July 1898 Childress Co., Tex., m 12 Dec. 1925 at Hereford, Tex., Eva Fay Sullinger, b 31 Dec. 1902, reside Hot Springs, N. Mex. They had:

a Wayne Allen Laughlin: b 24 Nov. 1926.

b Eula Fay Laughlin: b 17 June 1929.

xv Clarissa Leila: b 17 Dec. 1861, m 25 Nov. 1879 Joseph Tillman King, b 1856, resided Erath Co., Tex. to 1887 then moved to Childress Co., Tex. where they have resided to date. He died suddenly 9 July 1933 at his home, she survives him. We have been unable to obtain any details of this family and data hereon is taken from an obituary notice in a Dallas paper. They had 9 children, 8 living in 1933, order not known. They had:

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1 John E. King: b 188--,. resided Dallas, Tex.

2 Everett J. King: b 18-.

3 Joseph T. King, Jr.: b 18-.

4 Henry W. King: b 18-.

5 Elsie King: b 18-, m a Mr. Still.

6 Daughter: b 18-, m Matthew Jeter.

7 Daughter: b 18-, m George Robertson.

8 Daughter: b 18-, m Robert Jones. All above reside Childress, Tex. except as noted.

xvi Finis K.: b 30 Oct. 1863, died infancy.

xvii Robert Donald: b 23 Feb. 1865, m 22 May 1898 Ellanora Franklin, resided Childress Co., where he is engaged in farming, she died in 1929 having been an invalid for some 20 years. He survives her. They had:

1 Eula: b 19-, died aet. 23 years.

2 Homer: b 19-, died aet. 7 years

xviii Elbert Newton: b 15 Apr. 1867, m 1900, Georgia P. Webb. He is in real estate business, reside Childress, Tex. They had:

1 Thelma Lee: b 22 Nov. 1900.

2 Alla Marie: b 19-, m a Mr. East, reside Vernon, Tex. 3 Jack Bryan: b 6 May 1907. was drowned while duck hunting 28 Dec. 1930.

230 WILLIAM C. (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born "Davidson County, Tennessee 3 October 1810." This is the inscription on his tombstone, the census records for 1850-1860, and 1870 show him as born in Kentucky. He moved to Mississippi and Arkansas with his parents. He moved to Newton County, Missouri with his brothers and married prior to 1840 a Miss Carrel, born Tennessee 181-, they moved to Ellis County, Texas in 1844 where she died January 1846. He married (2) in 1847 Susan D. Garvin, born in Kentucky 4 May 1814, she had previously married a Mr. Wallace, he died leaving one child, she married (2) Thomas Harris, he died leaving one child. William C. Billingsley was a signer for the formation of Johnson County in 1854 to which place they removed and he engaged in farming. Susan died 29 January 1867 he survived her a few years and died 19 June 1874, buried at Marystown, Texas.

Children:

i William: b 1840 Mo., died childhood in Tex.

ii John Jesse: b Jan. 1843 Newton Co., Mo. Enlisted 1862 as Pvt. C, 10th Tex. Inf., C. S. A. and served thru out the war. After 1865 he lived in Hood Co., Tex. and migrated to Ala. in the late 1870's where he married about 1880 Sarah Ann Head, he is said to have lived about one



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year following his marriage, his death result of an injury. She m (2) a Mr. Shep. Herrel. No children.

iii Thomas T.: b 1844 Mo., moved to Tex. with his parents. He enlisted 16 Jan. 1862 Pvt. H, Young's Regt., the 8th, and later the 12th Tex. Inf., C. S. A. Re-enlisted 20 Apr. 1862; Aug. 1862 absent with a detachment; Oct. 1862, absent on leave; Apr. 1863, on sick furlough in Hill Co., Tex.; Feb. 1864, present with company. No further record. He is said to have been living in Hood Co., Tex. in the late 1870's.

iv Jonathan (9) : b 10 Dec. 1845 Tex.

v Mary Wallace: b 1835 Ark. Step daughter, m John B. Billingsley, No. 389, which see.

vi Julia Harris: b 1843 Ark. Step daughter, m 1858 William Garrett, b Tenn. 1829, resided Johnson Co., Tex. They had:

1 Susan Garrett: b 1860, m John Haslip.

2 Elida Garrett: b 18f., m W. J. Tidwell.

vii Martha Angeline: b 6 July 1845, 2d wife, died unmarried, buried at Marystown, Tex. Bible record shows she died 8 July 1876, her tombstone bears date of 3 July 1878.

viii Walter R.: b 11 July 1850 Tex., m 1874, Lula, b Ky. 1857, he is listed as a barber, both were living in 1880 and resided Johnson Co., Tex. They had, known:

1 Arthur: b 1875.

2 Lola: b 1877.

ix Malinda Garbin: b 6 Apr. 1852 Ellis Co., Tex. She m 26 Sept. 1877 at Fort Worth, Tex. William Wentfred Witherspoon, born Ellis Co., Tex. 1 May 1852, moved to Wilbarger Co., Tex. where she died 11 Mar. 1889, he survived her many years and died 17 Dec. 1929 in Runnels Co., Tex. They had:

1 Beulah Witherspoon: b 9 Dec. 1878, m 8 Dec. 1897 in Ellis Co., Tex., Grigsby Milton, b 22 Oct. 1876 in Ellis Co., Tex. Reside South Plains, Tex. They had:

a Buford D. Milton; b 30 Jan. 1899, m 1 Aug. 1922 at El Paso, Tex. Lillian M. Bagwell, b 29 Oct. 1900 at Sterling City, Tex., reside El Paso, Tex. They had:

al Fern Milton: b 12 May 1923.

a2 Doris Milton: b 24 Aug. 1927.

b Ruby Myrl Milton: b 14 Nov. 1900, m 5 Apr. 1923 Esley Yeary, b 2 Apr. 1902 in Floyd Co., Tex., reside South Plains, Tex. They had:

b1 Marion Esley Yeary: b 27 Mar. 1924.

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c Otto W. Milton: b 1 Dec. 1902, m 1 Jan. 1925 Lydia Emma Turner, reside Albuquerque, N. Mex.

d William B. Milton: b 3 May 1905, died B Feb. 1921.

e O. A. Milton: b 1 Jan. 1911.

f Armon Milton: b 15 July 1913.

g Grigsby Milton: b 24 Mar. 1915.

h L. F. Milton: b 22 Oct. 191?.

i L. R. Milton: b 16 Mar. 1920.

#### 231 JONATHAN BLAIR (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas in 1816 moved to Caneyhill, Washington County, Arkansas, with his parents in or about 1827. He married (1) prior to 1840 Martha, (Newton ?) born Arkansas in 182-, they moved to Newton County, Missouri during the year 1840. They moved to Ellis County, Texas during the year 1847. On 20 May 1850 he was issued a Certificate No. 679 for 640 acres of land, certificate recites he entered this colony prior to July 1848. He conveyed 320 acres of this tract to Elbert C. Newton and this was patented to said Newton 2 February, 1855, patent No. 1024, Vol. ii, 3d class. The other 320 acres were patented to Jonathan Billingsley 24 February 1858, patent No. 724, Vol. xvi, 3d class. This land was located in Ellis County eleven and one half miles N 22 W from Waxahachie, Martha died in 1847 and he married (2) prior to January 1850 Susan Kirkland, widow of William Dickson, born Tennessee in 1822. William Dickson is stated to have died about 1848 in Illinois of cholera, and Susan removed to Ellis County, Texas where her people resided. She had three children at the time of this marriage and Jonathan had five. On 30 June 1850 they resided in Ellis County, Texas. Owing to friction between the two sets of children the Dickson children were taken into the homes of their uncles, Isaac Kirkland and William Billingsley who married Arena Kirkland. He was a signer for the organization of Johnson County, Texas in 1854 to which place they removed. She either died or there was a separation during the year and he married (3) about 1855 Sally Farber, born Ohio in 1835, they moved to Parker County where they resided in 1860. They moved to Johnson County, Texas in or about December 1862 where he enlisted in Company A, 20th Battalion State Troops, this was a Home Guard organization. On 16 October 1863 he was detailed by Johnson County Court to take care of soldiers families. This item is found on a Roll dated 24 Jan. 1864 War Dept. records. They removed to Washington County Arkansas about 1870 where Sally died in 1872, he interred her remains at Marystown, Texas where he remained and died in 1874, he is also buried at Marystown, Texas, the graves are known but unmarked.

##### Children

i Martha: b 1840 Newton Co., Mo., died aet. ca 17 years.

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ii Mary Jane: b 1842 Newton Co., Mo., she m in 1860 Andrew Johnson, b N. C. 1840, they moved to Washington Co., Ark. about 1868, both living in 1870. They had, known:

1 Mary J. Johnson: b 1863 Tex.

2 William A. Johnson: b 1867 Tex.

3 Thomas A. Johnson: b 1869 Ark.

iii. Hannah Newton: b 1844 Newton Co., Mo., was living in 1860.

iv Nancy A.: b 1846 Newton Co., Mo., she m prior to 1862 Daniel C. Payne, b Ala. 1820, resided Johnson Co., Tex., where he died in the 1870's, she was living in 1880. They had:

1 Leah Ann Payne: b 1862, died in 1870's.

2 Martha M. Payne: b 1864.

3 Napoleon Bonaparte Payne: b 1866.

4 Nancy Payne: b 1868, died small.

v Sarah Elizabeth: b 1847 Ellis Co., Tex. She moved to Washington Co., Ark, with her parents and was residing with her sister in said Co. in 1870. Last record of her she was living in Benton Co., Ark. She is said to have caused considerable gossip among her relatives but we have not been able to discover any evidence to warrant recording it.

vi M. Elizabeth Dickson: b 1844 Ill. step daughter. (Some differences in statements as to her name, whether Mary or Martha.)

vii Isaac Dickson: b 1846 Ill., step son.

viii William W. Dickson: b 1848 Ellis Co., Tex., posthumous, step son. He m a Miss Fleming, she died and he placed the children out among his kin. He was deceased some years prior to 1930. They had:

a Andrew Dickson: said to reside Hamlin, Tex. in 1930.

b James Dickson: deceased.

c Isaac Dickson.

d Annie Dickson.

ix Margaret Jane: b Oct. 1850, 2d wife, in Ellis Co., Tex. She was living in Washington Co., Ark. in 1870 and last accounts of her she was living with her sister, Sarah Elizabeth, in Benton Co., Ark.

x Child: b 185-, died infancy.

xi Sallie Lanissa: b 1857 Parker Co., Tex., 3d wife. She m Frederick Shatter, in Ark., resided in Okla and Mo., she died in 1928 and is buried at DeQueen, Ark., no mention of his demise. They had:

1 Monette Shaffer: b 18-, died at Muskogee, Okla.

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2 Sophia Shaffer: b 18-, died in Mo.

xii Jonathan Lee: b 5 Apr. 1859 Parker Co., Tex.. He married in 1885 Emma Frances Copeland, b 28 July 1869, Parker Co., Tex. They moved to Okla. where he died 18 June 1906 at Orr, Okla., and is buried at Cornish, Okla. She married (2) a Mr. Honea, whom she divorced and married (3) George Williamson whom she also divorced, she resides Wilson, Okla. No children by 2d or 3d marriages. They had:

1 Donnie: b 1886, died 1889.

2 Allie: b 1888, died 1889.

3 Alice: b 1888, a twin, m Horace Holliman, reside Wellington, Tex. They had:

a Zebulon Holliman.

b Horace Holliman, Jr.

c Inez Holliman.

4 Fred: b 1890 Franklin Co., Tex. m 1913 at Orr, Okla., Beulah Roberts, b Cook Co., Tex., members Christian Church, reside Orr, Okla. They had:

a Ruby Neal: b 1914.

b Forrest: b 1920.

5 Frank: b 1893, m, he died 1924 at Aberdeen, S.D., sine prole, she m (2) –.

6 Rebecca May: b 1897, m 1912 Albert Turner, reside Wilson, Okla. No children.

7 Linnie: b 1900, died 1900.

8 Roy: b 1901, m 1923 Willie May Williams, family Baptists, reside Wilson, Okla. They had:

a George Homer: b 192-.

9 Monette: b 1904, m Robert Porter, reside Wilson, Okla. No children.

xiii John Lafayette (9): b 1861 Tex.

232 ROBERT MONTGOMERY (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 20 May 1819 moved to Caneyhill, Arkansas with his parents in 1827. He married (1) prior to 1840 Elizabeth J. Laughlin, born Tennessee 21 July 1822. Resided some years in Newton County, Missouri then moved to Ellis County, Texas in 1844. On 23 May 1850 a Certificate No. 691, was issued to him for two tracts of land containing 320 acres each in Ellis and Dallas Counties, these were patented to him under numbers 364, 365. In 1854 he was a signer for the organization of Johnson County to which place they moved, they then lived a few years in Hill County, returning to Johnson County before 1870 where he engaged in farming. Elizabeth died 15 October 1877 and he married (2) prior to 1880 Mary Caroline Barker nee Blair, a widow, born

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Tennessee in 1832. He died 15 April 1893, .he and his first wife buried at Marystown, Texas. No data on death of the second wife by whom he had no children.

Children:

i Edna Jane: b 1840 Newton Co., Mo. Moved to Tex. with her parents where she m prior to 1862 John Bennett Seets (Saets, Seats, all spellings found in records), b 7 June 1839 in Ark. He died in Ellis Co., Tex., after 1881, she survived him and died in Erath Co., Tex. in 1908. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth Seets: b 16 June 1862, m 9 May 1882 at Marystown, Tex., A. E. Walker, b Ala., 15 Aug 1854, he was deceased 1930, she survives and resides Alvarado, Tex. They had

a Charles R. Walker: b 20 May 1885, m Bessie Carr, reside Dallas, Tex. They had

a1 Joseph Allen Walker.

a2 Virgil Austin Walker.

a3 William Charles Walker.

a4 James D. Walker.

a5 Earl Walker.

a6 Frances Walker.

a7 Curtis Paul Walker.

a8 Sarah Elizabeth Walker.

a9 Viola Marie Walker.

a10 Ruth Alice Walker.

all Harold Floyd Walker.

b Virgil Clyde Walker: b 19 Mar. 1889, m Leta Edwards, reside Cross Plains, Tex. They had:

b1 Ava Monilla Walker.

b2 Eva Mildred Walker.

b3 Virgil Clyde Walker:

b4 Socrates Allen Walker.

b5 Edgar Garvin Walker.

c Ira Joseph Walker: b 3 Feb. 1897. Served in World War, m Gladys Caldwell, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

c1 Jessie Mozelle Walker.

c2 Elizabeth Earle Walker.

c3 Leo Claudine Walker.

c4 Robert Lee Walker.

c5 Allen Herbert Walker.

c6 Ira Hicks Walker.

2 Samuel Porter Seets: b 1865.

3 Ranny Seets: b 1866, died infancy.

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4 Josie Marinda Seets: b 1867 Johnson Co., Tex., m in 1889 Isaac Joshua Moore, b 1865 in Ala., he died 2 Jan. 1917, she survives and resides Parnell, Tex. They had

a James Herman Moore: b 10 June 1890, m Mabel Julia Brim, reside Parnell, Tex. They had:

a1 James H. Moore, Jr.: b 1 Jan. 1920.

a2 Anna Muriel Moore: b 28 May 1922.

a3 Thelma Gene Moore: b 11 Dec. 1924.

a4 Nena Joyce Moore: b 11 Mar. 1927.

b Alma Lee Moore: b 27 May 1892, m Ernest Jackson Brunson, she died 17 Apr. 1929, he resides Parnell, Tex. They had:

b1 Onida Maurine Brunson: b 15 Oct. 1914.

b2 Jimmie Ione Brunson: b 5 Sept. 1917.

b3 Bertha Christine Brunson: b 23 Dec. 1920.

b4 Theta Lee Brunson: b 21 Apr. 1922.

c Edna Unis Moore: b 4 Oct. 1894, m Claude Allen Nivens, reside Parnell, Tex. They had:

c1 Colesta Josephine Nivens: b 24 Sept. 1919.

c2 L. T. Nivens: b 27 Sept. 1922.

c3 Joseph Barton Nivens: b 30 June 1927.

5 Lewis Seets: b Feb. 1870, died small.

6 John B. Seets: b 1871, deceased.

7 Charles Rennick Seets: b 1873 deceased.

8 Effie Seets: b 24 Aug. 1878, m 4 Dec. 1913 Frank Groves, reside Hermleigh, Tex. They had:

a Robert Groves: b 26 Dec. 1916.

b Helen Frances Groves: b 24 Sept. 1919.

9 Meredith Montgomery Seets: b 7 Sept. 1881 Johnson Co., Tex. He m 3 Feb. 1915 at Cleburne, Tex. Gertreaine Stewart, b Cleburne, Tex., 8 Feb. 1894, reside Joshua, Tex. They had:

a Meredith Stewart Seets: b 1 Apr. 1919 Alvarado, Tex.

b Mary Jane Seets: b 18 May 1927 Cleburne, Tex.

ii John Laughlin: b 18 Apr. 1842 Newton Co., Mo. He was generally known as "Major." He enlisted 16 Jan. 1862 as Pvt. H, Young's Regt., 8th Tex. Inf., C. S. A., this later became the 12th Tex. Inf., enlisted under the name of "John L. Billingsley" and mustered in at Camp Herbert, Tex. He was reenlisted 20 Apr. 1862 at Millican under name of J. L. Billingsley"; Oct. and Dec. 1862 sick in Camp; Feb. 1864, present; this is the last of his military record. He married prior to 1868 Malinda Seets, b Ark. 18-, she died in 1868, he survived her some years

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and died 17 Jan. 1893 of cancer, buried at Marystown, Tex. They had:

1 Emma G.: b 1868, she m T. D. Gee, and resides at Estilene, Tex. No information has been obtained from any source as to her family.

iii Temperance: b 18 Nov. 1846 Ellis Co., Tex., m 1873 at Cleburne, Tex., William A. Cobb, b Ga. 184-, he died in Johnson Co., Tex. in 1884, she survived him and died at Hereford, Tex. 13 Jan. 1913. They had:

1 Lewis Ewell Cobb: b 12 Nov. 1874 Johnson Co., Tex., he m at Joshua, Tex. in 1897 Neely Ann Bandy, b Frankfort, Ky. 1871, reside Estilene, Tex. They had:

a Lois Edna Cobb: b 12 Jan. 1898, m Carl M. Jones.

b John Otis Cobb: b 10 Aug. 1901, m Ruth Helm.

2 Mary Cobb: b 1877, died infancy.

iv Nancy: b 1849 Ellis Co., Tex., m in 1893, W. G. Ross, b Ky. in 1842, he died at Hereford, Tex., she was living in 1931 at Estilene, Tex. No children.

v Rebecca America: b 1851, died in 1870's unmarried.

vi Ann Amanda: b 1856, m in 1870's James Jefferson Davidson, b 6 Jan. 1856, a son of Samuel J. Davidson and Mary Saul, see Davidson record under No. 225. He died 17 May 1893, she moved to Hereford, Tex. where she died 11 Dec. 1929. They had:

1 Hallie Kitron Davidson: b 1877, m, he died 2 Dec. 1930, resided Joshua, Tex., left some children but no record of them.

2 Oliver A. Davidson: b Jan. 1880, resides Estilene, Tex.

3 Bessie Davidson: b 6 Apr. 1882, m Rollie White Lovelace b 26 Oct. 1879, she died 5 May 1915 at Hereford, Tex., he survives and resides Marfa, Tex. They had:

a Thelma Hallie Lovelace: b 190-, died 1903.

b Annie Lora Lovelace: b 1 Nov. 1903 Hereford, Tex., m 25 Dec. 1928 at Wellington, Kan., Ernest Roll, b San Angelo, Tex., 19 July 1903, reside Wichita, Kan. They had:

b1 Carol Ann Roll: b 17 Mar. 1931.

c James Lee Lovelace: b 1905, died 1907.

d Henry Weldon Lovelace: b 5 May 1915, died Feb. 1917.

4 Roscoe L. Davidson: b 4 Dec. 1884 Joshua, Tex., moved to Hereford, Tex., in 1899 and m 24 May 1908, Elizabeth C. Anthony, b Rice, Tex. 25 July 1889. He served as County Treasurer for two terms; Cashier and Vice President of a Bank, moved to Clovis, N. Mex.

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in 1924 and was with N. Mex. Utilities Co. in 1931. They had:

a H. Milton Davidson: b 12 Jan. 1913.

b Earl Gray Davidson: b 1 June 1921.

c Wayne A. Davidson: b 1 June 1924.

d Jean Y. Davidson: b 24 July 1926.

5 Anna Catheryn Davidson: b 19 June 1887 at Union Hill, Johnson Co., Tex., m 1 Nov. 1908 at Hereford, Tex.

Dudley G. Reid, b Johnson Co., Tex., he resides Amarillo, Tex. and she resides El Paso, Tex. They had:

a Mary Drayton Reid: b 3 Feb. 1910, m Herald P. Martin, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

6 Nannie Lou Davidson: b 8 Feb. 1890 at Jacksboro, Tex., m 21 Mar. 1917 at Amarillo, Tex. Mance Harvey Parman, b Johnson Co., 20 Sept. 1880, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. No children.

vii William Wright (9): b 1859.

viii Robert E. Lee: b 28 Sept. 1863, d 11 May 1893, of cancer, unm.

233 THOMAS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Smith County, Tennessee 13 March 1804, moved to Warren County, Kentucky, and then to Rutherford County, Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1826 Tabitha, born Tennessee in 1804. They moved to Blount County, Alabama where they resided some years and then moved to Fayette County, Alabama where they resided to 1845 then moved to Itawamba County, Mississippi, where he engaged in farming. Both were living in 1860 and removed from this County or else were both deceased before 1870.

Children:

i Nancy: b 1826 Ala., m John Franklin, resided Fayette Co., Ala.

ii William: b 1828 Ala., m 1848 in Miss., Lucinda Woolridge, b Ala. 1829, daughter of John and Susannah Woolridge, natives of N.C. William died 1855-56, Lucinda survived him and resided in the home of her parents 1860 and 1870, resided Itawamba Co., Miss. They had:

1 Tabitha: b 1849.

2 Susan: b Mar. 1850.

3 Mary W.: b 1853.

iii Emaline: b 1831 Ala., m in 1849 Miss., Noah C. Green, b Ala., 1824, he was a farmer and resided Itawamba Co., Miss. in 1860. They had, known:

1 Ross L. Green: b 1850 Ala.



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2 Frances A. Green: b 1851 Ala.

3 Noah C. Green, Jr.: b 1852 Miss.

4 Martha E. Green: b 1854.

5 Amanda Billingsley Green: b 1856 Miss.

iv Catherine A.: b 1834 Ala.

v Elizabeth: b 1836.

vi Frances: b 1838.

vii Jesse: b 1842 Ala. He enlisted 1 Apr. 1864 at Fulton, Miss. as Pvt. A, 3d Batt. :Miss. Cav. (Ashcraft's) C. S. A. He was 5 feet and 8 inches in height, blue eyes, and dark hair, occupation, farmer. The last record of his service is a roll 4 May 1864 which shows him "absent sick." He m prior to 1866 Frances Woolridge, b 1847-48, she died in 1868. He left his two children with his sister-in-law, Lucinda, widow of William Billingsley, and moved to Texas. No subsequent record of him. They had:

1 Frances: b 1866.

2 Missouri: b 1868.

234 JESSE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Rutherford County, Tennessee in 1819. He moved to Blount County, Alabama where he worked as a farm laborer. He moved to Mississippi about 1842 and married prior to 1844 Temperance, daughter of James Billingsley No. 158, born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1821. Resided in Lafayette County to 1860-61 then moved to De Soto County, Mississippi where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1870, neither of them are listed in this County in 1880 and were probably deceased. The descendants of this family have been very difficult to contact and are reticent hence we have not been able to learn exact dates of their deaths.

Children:

i Sarah A.: b 1844, m prior to 1862 a Mr. Bowles, she died about 1870 and he died in 1878. They had, known:

1 Charles S. Bowies: b 1862.

2 Lucy Bowies: b 1866.

3 John Bowies: b 1870.

ii Temperance: b 1847, died small.

iii Rosannah: b 1850, m prior to 1868 James Harrison Carter, b Ga. 1845, both living in 1880 and resided Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Madilla Carter: b 1868.

2 Jesse Alva Carter: b June 1870.

3 Edmond Carter: b 1873.

4 Mary Carter: b 1875.

5 Virginia Carter: b 1879.

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iv John: b 1854 Miss. He was generally known as "John Jess" to distinguish him from the various other Johns in the same vicinity. He married in 1879 Ellen Ora, daughter of Joseph H. Billingsley, of Marshall Co., Miss., No. 323, born 30 Dec. 1852. Resided near Senatobia, Miss. where she was living in 1932, no mention of his death and it is not known if he was living at that date. They had:

1 Alfred Claud: b ca 1882, m 1902 Rosa Lee Wynn, reside Senatobia, Miss. They had:

a Jesse: b 190-, died Jan. 1908.

b Vernon: b 190-, died 31 Dec. 1931, unmarried.

c Earl Evert: b 4 May 1906, m 1929 Inez Alma Garner.

d Alfred Claud, Jr.: b 31 Jan. 1905. j

e J. D.: b 22 Apr. 1911.

f Haywood: b 191-, died aet. 18 months.

g Kathleen: b 2 July 1920.

h Aslee: b 2 Feb. 1922.

i Hazel: b 2 Apr. 1925.

v Paralee: b 1856, m prior to 1876 Robert Billingsley, b 1849, son of Elias Billingsley, No. 324. She died in 1887, he survived her many years and died in 1920. They had:

1 Virginia: b 1876, deceased.

2 Mary: b 1878, deceased.

3 Leonard: b Sept. 1879, resides Waterford, Miss.

vi Charles: b 1859, died small.

vii Eulissa: b 1866 (a son), died unmarried after 1880.

235 JOHN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logan County, Kentucky in January 1802, moved to Arkansas with his parents prior to 1817 where he married (1) prior to 1823 Rebecca born Kentucky in 1804. He was a farmer and resided in Mountain township, Washington County. Rebecca died about 1864-65 and he married (2) 10 October 1867 Elizabeth, daughter of James Drake, b Va. 1795, and Margaret, his wife, b N. C. 1798, and the widow of -Graham, she was born in Illinois in 1817, and had two children at the time of this marriage. John dated his will 11 May 1875, died January 1883, and the will was probated 30 January 1883. (Wills Lib. A. & B. fol. 166.) Elizabeth was requested to take a one seventh part instead of dower, executors named were, James D. West, Stephen D. Gilbreath, and John M. Dearing.

Children (known):

i Lucinda: b 1823 Ark., m 1839 James Vii. Sawyers, b Va. 1810, he was a farmer and resided Washington Co., Ark., both living in 1883. They had:

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1 John M. Sawyers: b 1840.

2 Mary E. Sawyers: b 1851, m a Mr. Strickler. ii . Mary: b 1826, m prior to 1847 John S. Shannon; b Ky. 1827, son of Granville, b Ky. 1801, and Unity, b Ky. 1810, Shannon. He died 1857-58, she survived him a few years and died 1864-65, resided Washington Co., Ark. Her children were heirs to one seventh part of the estate of John Billingsley. They had:

1 Melissa Jane Shannon: b 1847, m 1865 John Campbell, b 1844 in Ark., both living in 1880 and resided Washington Co., Ark. They had, known:

a Lillie Campbell: 1867.

b Dora E. Campbell: b 1870.

c Mary R. Campbell: b 1871.

d William J. Campbell: b 1873.

e Elizabeth Campbell: b 1876.

f Hugh Campbell: b Dec. 1879.

2 John S. Shannon: b 1849.

3 Samuel Shannon: b 1851.

4 James M. Shannon: b 1856.

iii Sarah: b 1830 Ark., m in 1844 John M. Dearing, b Tenn. 1822, resided Washington Co., Ark., he was a farmer and one of the executors to the estate of John Billingsley, both were living in 1883. They had:

1 Christopher bearing: b 1846. Was living in 1860.

2 Francis bearing: b 1849, m 1877 Martha, b Ark. 1853, resided Washington Co., Ark.

3 Gilbert bearing: b 1851, m 1875 Alpha --, b Ark. 1855, resided Washington Co., Ark. in 1880. They had:

a Oscar bearing: b 1876.

4 John S. Dearing: b Sept. 1859, m 1879 Nancy , b Ark. in 1859, resided Washington Co., Ark. in 1880.

iv Narcissa Jane: b 1837, m 1856 William B. Parks, b Ark., in 1836, she died in 1860 and he m (2) Permelia C., b 1846 Ark. Resided Washington Co., Ark. Her children were heirs to one seventh part of the estate of John Billingsley. They had:

1 Anderson Parks: b 1857.

2 Mary E. Parks: b 1859.

v Frances: b 1837, a twin of Narcissa J., she died in 1850's.

vi Fragetta: b 1842, m 1858 James D. West, b Tenn. in 1839, resided Washington Co., Ark. He was one of the executors to the will of John Billingsley. They had:

1 James W. West: b 1860.

2 Philip L. West: b 1863.

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3 John J. West: b 1865.

4 Anna West: b Jan. 1870.

vii Susan: b 1844, m 1867 Stephen D. Gilbreath, b Ark. in 1845, son of Cyrus, b Ill. 1808 and Sarah Gilbreath. Resided Washington Co., Ark. He was one of the executors to the will of John Billingsley. They had:

1 James M. Gilbreath: b 1869.

2 William H. Gilbreath: b Mar. 1870, died 1870's.

3 Sarah R. Gilbreath: b 1872.

4 John C. G. Gilbreath: b 1874.

5 Walker D. Gilbreath: b 1878.

viii Malinda Graham: b 1838 Ark. Step daughter.

ix Sarah Graham: b 1840 Step daughter, m 1860 C. L. Edminston. They had:

1 Sarah Edminston: b 1862.

2 Charles Edminston: b 1866.

3 Ada Edminston: b 1871. .twins.

4 Ida Edminston: b 1871.

### 236 BURTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Logan County, Kentucky in 1804, moved to Arkansas with his parents prior to 1817. He married prior to 1828 Grace Butler, born Kentucky in 1803-04. He was a farmer and resided in Washington County where he died prior to June 1850 a comparatively young man. Grace survived him and resided with her daughter in Franklin County, Arkansas in 1850, she then moved to Johnson County, Texas with them in the late 1850's, and then moved to Bell County, Texas in the 1860's and resided with her son where she died in the 1870's.

Children

i William Franklin (9) : b 1 June 1828.

ii Elizabeth (9) : b 5 Sept. 1830.

iii Child: b 183-, died infancy.

### 237 CHRISTOPHER (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Tennessee 12 March 1810 in either Montgomery or Davidson County, moved to Arkansas with his parents sometime prior to 1817. He married in Washington County 8 November 1832 Lavesta Ann Brown, born Kentucky 8 July 1814. She was a daughter of Joshua and Ruth Brown, who were also parents of, order not known: Thomas, who died in Arkansas ca 1883; John, who was a Union soldier in Civil War and was killed by bushwhackers 1864-65; Samuel Shipley, who was a blacksmith, went to New Orleans with soldiers during the Mexican War, after the War he went to Central America and participated in an insurrection,

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he soon returned-home and then went to California where he married, died leaving 2 sons; Lennis; Kitty; Ruth; Elizabeth; and Dorcas, born Kentucky in 1820 m 1840 Edminston Cox, born Kentucky in 1809 moved to Fannin County, Texas where he died in 1861, she survived him and died 16 October 1888, they were the parents of 9 children, all deceased except as noted: Margaret Ann; Josephine; Mary; Frances J.; Greenfield; Christopher C.; Timothy, b 30 September 1855, living Burnett, Texas in 1933 and who furnished this information, has never married; Narcissa M., who married James Cotham, resides Burnett, Texas; and John R. Christopher resided in Washington County, Arkansas to about 1843 then moved to Newton County, Missouri. The family records claim that about 1849 he, "Chip" Brown (Samuel Shipley Brown), his brother-in-law, Aaron Tyner, and some others went to California, Christopher returned to Missouri to get his family, started out again and got as far as Ellis County, Texas and no further, this was after 1850. In 1854 he was one of the signers for the organization of Johnson County and served some time as County Commissioner. He later purchased 640 acres of land south of Alvarado, Texas and established a home where they lived for some years. About 1867 they moved to Red River County and spent some time with their son, Burrow, they then moved to Sebastian County, Arkansas and resided with their son, James Thomas. They later moved to Washington Territory. His grand daughter, Lavesta Gray Ewing says of him:

"Grandfather was a farmer and a great man to go and settle a new country and help blaze the path of civilization. He was far seeing and looked ahead for posterity. He was honest, and high minded and must say his posterity all along down the stream have not cast a shadow on his ideal of life." Of her grandmother she states: "She was the mother of six children who could always speak the word mother with feeling and reverence. She, it seemed, was a great woman of her day, quietly lived her life by the side of grandfather, but her life was strong and forceful and made itself felt in all she came in contact with-a real home builder, loved her husband and children, and underwent the hardships of life on the frontiers that her children and grand children might rise up and call her blessed."

He died 9 March 1891, she survived him and died 18 April 1899 in Washington Territory. She was blind the last four years of her life. Both are buried at or near Wilbur, Washington. The data on this family is compiled from information compiled by Lavesta Gray Ewing and Alice Hood, with late corrections supplied by Mrs. Ewing, and the various members of the family, and from the family Bible of Christopher Billingsley written by himself, said Bible is in possession of Mrs. John Widby, of Seattle, Washington. It may be stated in passing that the compilers of the family record above referred to were on solid ground when they reached the family of Christopher Billingsley.

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Children:

i Cecilia: b 3 Aug. 1833, died infancy.

ii John Henry: b 1 Dec. 1834, died infancy.

iii Mark (8): b 3 Nov. 1835.

iv Grandison (9): b 6 Apr. 1838.

v Edminston (9): b 11 Feb. 1840. .

vi Ruth Ann (9): b 7 June 1842.

vii Burrow (9): b 30 July 1844 Mo.

viii James Thomas (9) : b 26 June 1847 Mo.

238 OLIVER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born Crawford County, Arkansas in 1817, moved to Washington County, Arkansas with his parents prior to 1830. He moved to Newton County, Missouri with some of his brothers in or about 1836 and married prior to 1841 Lucy Hudson, born Kentucky in 1821. They moved to Washington County, Arkansas where he engaged in farming and died in 1848, still a young man. It is stated that the father and a son died within the week. She married (2) in 18-19 William A. Hulse, born Tennessee in 1822, his 2d wife, they resided Washington County, Arkansas to about 1862 then moved to Saline County, Missouri, both were living in 1870.

Children:

i John: b 1841, died in 1848 in the same week as his father.

ii James Douglas (9) : b 6 Aug. 1843.

iii Oliver: b 1848, died in 1850's.

iv Susan Hulse: b 1842, his 1st wife, was living in 1850, not listed in the home in 1860.

v Isaac N. Hulse: b July 1850, 2d marriage, moved to Saline Co., Mo. with his parents and m prior to Aug. 1870  
Frances, b Mo. 1853.

vi Nary Hulse: b 1853, m or d before 1870.

vii William P. Hulse: b 1850.

viii Emily Hulse: b 1857-58.

ix Lucy J. Hulse: b 1861 Ark.

239 BURROW (8) BILLINGSLEY'

(*James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born Arkansas in 1824, probably in Crawford County, moved to Washington County, Arkansas with his parents where he married (1) 22 December 1845 Malinda Francisco, born Arkansas in 1826, resided in Washington County where she died 1857-58 and he married (2) in the early 1860's Levina ( ) Culender, born Illinois in 1817, a widow who had a daughter, Sarah, at the time of this marriage. They moved to Bell County, Texas about 1875 where he died in or about 1878. Levina survived him some years. No children by the second marriage.

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Children:

i Sarah Catherine: b 31 Oct. 1846, m 8 Mar. 1868 John A. Riggins, b Tenn. 21 Apr. 1839. He was a Confederate soldier, resided in Washington Co., Ark. where he engaged in farming and died 31 July 1923, she survived him a few years and died 24 Apr. 1929; her daughter states she never walked during the last 12 years of her life. They had:

1 Mary Malinda Riggins: b 25 Mar. 1869, died 21 Oct. 1878.

2 Nancy Lovina Riggins: b 27 Feb. 1871, m 25 Nov. 1889 A. J. Cardwell, reside Johnson, Ark.

3 Fannie Belle Riggins: b 17 Dec. 1872, m Calm Lenox, she died 11 Jan. 1927 at Springdale, Ark.

4 John William Riggins: b 16 Apr. 1876, m 1903 May Benson.

5 Charles Franklin Riggins: b 4 Jan. 1878, m Etta Graham, reside Burbank, Calif.

6 James Lewis Riggins: b 27 Dec. 1881, died 15 Feb. 1898.

7 Elizabeth Riggins : b 1 Nov. 1883, m 27 Sept. 1904 J.O. Graham, b Ark. 18 July 1881, resided Washington Co., Ark. to 1932 then moved to Grove, Okla. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Raymond Graham: b 28 Nov. 1905, m Dec. 1925 Helen Strode, reside Grove, Okla. They had:

al Joe Allice Graham: b 11 Dec. 1926.

b Lewis Graham: b 21 Sept. 1907, m 12 Jan. 1927 Lucite Meredith, reside Tulsa, Okla.

c Harley Graham: b 13 July 1911.

d Nolen Graham: b 13 Oct. 1915.

8 Robert Benjamin Riggins: b 22 Feb. 1886, m Ada Wilson, reside Montebello, Calif.

ii Elizabeth Mary (9) : b 4 Apr. 1848.

iii John J.: b 1854 Ark. He m in Tex. Mattie Cavin, resided in Texas and Lehigh, Okla. He died at Oklahoma City, Okla. and is buried at Lehigh, Okla., she died at Lehigh, Okla. They had

1 Burr: b 18-, m, he died aged about 45 years, buried at Lehigh, Okla. They had:

a Decker: b 1-, died small.

iv George Franklin (9): b 1856.

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240 WILLIAM PARK (8) BILLINGSLEY.

(*Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, Willam 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Tennessee 9 July 1798, moved to middle Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1820 Mary Jane , born Virginia in 1801. They moved to Claiborne County, Tennessee where he engaged in farming, Mary Jane was living in 1840 and died before 1850, he was living in 1850 and was deceased before 1860. There is in possession of his granddaughter a pair of hand scales made in London which were used by him for weighing out medicines. Both buried in Claiborne County, but graves are unmarked.

Children:

i George 1-Ic. (9) : b 23 Jan. 1820.

ii Mary Jane: b 1821, m 1845, Ananias Ely, b Tenn. 1818, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. and both were living in 1870. They had, known:

1 Sarah Ely: b 1846.

2 Newton Ely: b 1848.

3 Sidney Ely: b 1852.

4 Simeon Ely: b 1854.

5 Isaac Ely: b 1856.

6 Mary J. Ely: b 1858.

7 Jefferson D. Ely: b 1862.

iii Jerusha: b 1823, m 1845 Elias Ely, b Tenn. 1821, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. where she died in 1870's, he was living in 1880. They had, known:

1 Nancy Ely: b 1846.

2 Benjamin Ely: b 1848.

3 James Ely: b 1853.

4 Thomas Ely: b 1854, m 1876 Nancy Mollie Billingsley, see No. 404.

5 Mary M. Ely: b 1856.

6 Martha Ely: b 1858, died 1860's.

7 Eliza Jane Ely: b 1860.

8 William B. Ely: b 1862.

iv Emily: b 1825. Living 1850, unmarried.

v Linnaeus (9): b 1827.

vi Elizabeth: b 1829.

vii William Park, Jr.: b 1831, died 1840's.

viii Sarah: b 1833, m 1856 Jordan Hunter, b Tenn. 1817, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn., both living in 1870. They had:

1 James Hunter: b 1859.

2 Elizabeth Hunter: b 1862.

3 Lucinda Hunter: b 1863.

4 Rachel Hunter: b 1865.



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ix Samuel M.: b 1837. He moved to Monroe Co., Ky., was a school teacher, m about 1868 Mary E. Simmons, b Ky. 1841, a widow who had 2 children at the time of this marriage, resided Monroe Co., Ky. in 1870. They had, known:  
1 Jane A. Simmons: b 1861, Step daughter.  
2 James T. Simmons: b 1863, Step son.  
3 Josephine: b May 1870.

241 JESSE D. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Tennessee 25 January 1804. He married prior to 1832 Nancy, born Kentucky in 1811. They moved to Kentucky about 1838 lived a few years in Simpson County, then moved to Warren County where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1870 but are not listed in this County in 1880, not known if both deceased at that date.

Children:

i George W.: b 1832 Tenn., m 1859 Elizabeth, b Ky. 1833, resided Monroe Co., Ky. in 1860.

ii John F. (9) : b 1834 Tenn.

iii Nancy: b 1836 Tenn., m James Davis, b Ky. 1835, moved to Ark.

iv David L.: b 1839 Ky. Was living in 1860.

v Sarah C.: b 1843 Ky., m or d before 1870.

vi Evaline A.: b 1846.

vii Frances Matilda: b 1850.

viii Mary Ellen: b 1853.

242 REUBEN MILSAP (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Tennessee in December 1807, moved to middle Tennessee with his parents and married prior to 1833 Mary Buckner, born North Carolina in 180?. They moved to Cumberland County, Kentucky and then moved to Monroe County, Kentucky in the late 1840's where Mary died 5 December 1850. He was a farmer and survived her many years resided Monroe County then moved to Barren County and resided with his various children and died 20 February 1896.

Children:

i Benjamin Franklin: b 1833 Ky. Last heard from was living in Calif. in 1886, and unmarried.

ii Jesse J. H.: b 22 July 1835 Cumberland Co., Ky., moved to Monroe Co., Ky. with his parents in 1840's; went to California in the Gold Rush and returned to Monroe Co., Ky. in 1850 where he resided to 1870 then moved to

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DeKalb Co., Tenn. where he married in 1871 Sarah Elizabeth Johnson, b 1852, resided in DeKalb Co., in 1880 when he is listed as a miller. They later moved to Nashville, Tenn. where he was a teacher of penmanship, she died 1 May 1896, he survived her some years and died in 1911. Family Baptists. They had:

1 Annie: b 25 Apr. 1874, m James L. Johnson, she died 2 Jan. 1928, resided Nashville, Tenn. They had:

a Luther Johnson.

b Arthur Johnson.

c Grover Johnson.

d Hiram Frank Johnson.

2 Mary Isabelle: b 14 July 1878 DeKalb Co., Tenn., m 1895 Ira K. Agee, b Smith Co., Tenn. 18-, he died 28 Nov. 1928, she survives him and resides Carthage, Tenn. Family Baptist. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a William C. Agee: b 25 Feb. 1896, m Nettie Midgett, reside Gordonsville, Tenn. They had:

a1 Margaret Edna Agee.

a2 Clyde Edward Agee.

b Minnie C. Agee: b 11 Dec. 1901, m 23 Dec. 1922 Teamon Gass, reside Shop Spring, Tenn. They had:

b1 Gladys Marie Gass: b 23 Dec. 1923.

3 James Frank: b 8 Apr. 1881, m Martha Jane, she died 10 Apr. 1932, residence not stated nor any mention of any children.

4 Robert: b 1 Mar. 1883, died 21 Sept. 1931.

iii Elizabeth: b 1837 Ky., m prior to 1862 in Monroe Co., Ky., John A. Burks, b Va. 1825, moved to Warren Co., Ky., both were living in 1880. They had:

1 Benjamin J. Burks: b 1862, deceased 1931.

2 Mary A. Burks: b 1863, deceased.

3 Reuben Billingsley Burks: b 1865. Was living in 1932.

4 Martha J. Burks: b 1867, deceased.

5 James R. Burks: b 1869, living 1932.

6 Robert A. Burks: b 1871, died inf.

7 John T. Burks: b 1873, deceased.

8 Andrew Jackson Burks: b 1876, died inf.

9 Jesse A. Burks: b 188-, Living 1932.

iv Patience A.: b 1838, m prior to 1864 Woodson Denham, b Ky. in 1827, resided Monroe Co., Ky. in 1870. They had:

1 Mary J. Denham: b 1864, deceased 1931.

2 William J. Denham: b 1866, deceased 1931.

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3 James R. Denham: b 1869. Living Barren Co., Ky. in 1932.

v Francis Marion (9): b 14 Apr. 1839.

vi Martha C.: b 1843, m after 1870 in Warren Co., Ky. David Almany, both deceased prior to 1932. They had:  
1 Minnie Belle Almany: b 18-, deceased in 1932.

vii John N.: b 20 Oct. 1844. He enlisted 24 Oct. 1863 in Metcalf Co., Ky. as Pvt. A, 30th Ky. Inf. U. S., for one year. Was five feet and ten inches in height, dark eyes and dark hair, age given as 24 years. Reenlisted 31 Mar. 1864 as Pvt. G, 3d Ky. Cav., U. S., for 3 years, age given as 19 years; Dec. 1864 sick at Nashville, Tenn.; Feb. 1865 sick at Madison, Ind.; Discharged 15 July 1865. He married 20 July 1879 Margaret Almeda Almany, b Tenn. 1855.

He was pensioned, was a resident of Warren Co., Ky. in 1880. He was stricken with cerebral hemorrhage Oct. 1922 and died at Etoile, Ky. 3 Aug. 1924, she survived him some years and died at Glasgow, Ky. They had:  
1 William Francis Marion: b 9 Feb. 1881, died 23 Apr. 1911, unm.

2 Martha E.: b 20 Sept. 1882 Warren Co., Ky., m 27 Aug. 1905 at Etoile, Ky. G. H. Jackson, b Ky. 18-, reside Scottsville, Ky. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Levi Jackson: b 17 June 1906.

b Gertie M. Jackson: b 8 Aug. 1907.

c Arthur D. Jackson: b 31 Mar. 1909, m 25 Oct. 1931

d Annie B. Jackson: b 14 Oct. 1910.

e Haskel C. Jackson: b 9 May 1912.

f Mary L. Jackson: b 5 Apr. 1915.

g Lena P. Jackson: b 10 Aug. 1917.

h Oma L. Jackson: b 19 Mar. 1920.

3 Lora May: b 25 Aug. 1885, m 4 May 1907 J. A. Burks, reside Glasgow, Ky. No children.

4 Rosanna: b 7 Sept. 1887, m 20 June 1918 H. M. Jones, she died 25 June 1919. He m (2) see below.

5 Oma Lee: b 20 Jan. 1891, died 21 Feb. 1919, unmarried.

6 Mary Isabelle: b 17 Sept. 1893, m 5 Oct. 1921, H. M. Jones, his 2d wife and her brother-in-law, reside Scottsville, Ky. No children.

7 John Thomas: b 16 May 1895, died 13 Aug. 1917, unmarried.

viii Mary Ellen: b 1847 Monroe Co., Ky., moved to Warren, Co., Ky., resided many years with her sister, Elizabeth,

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and was residing 1932 with Mrs. G. H. Jackson, Scottsville, Ky. She furnished information on this family. Has never married.

243 JOHN H. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born East Tennessee in 1801, moved to Roane County, Tennessee with his parents where he married prior to 1820 Mary (Houston ?), born Tennessee in 1801. He succeeded to the homestead when his father moved to Kentucky and spent all his days on this place. He was a farmer and blacksmith. He was a Mason. During the latter part of his life he became blind and died at his home in 1895. No mention of the death of his wife, she was living in 1880.

Children:

i Sarah J.: b 1820, m prior to 1845 Daniel McCoy, b Tenn. 1810, resided Roane Co., Tenn., both living in 1870 and only child of record is:

1 William McCoy: b 1852.

ii Joseph (9) : b 1822.

iii Julia Ann: b 1824, m prior to 1842 Winfield Hick, b Tenn. in 1814, he was a farmer, resided Roane Co., Tenn. To 1860 and said to have migrated to Mo. They had, known:

1 Joseph Hicks: b 1842.

2 Mary J. Hicks: b 1844.

3 Keziah Hicks: b 1846.

4 John T. Hicks: b 1848.

5 Sarah A. Hicks: b 1857.

6 Margaret E. Hicks: b 1858.

iv Susannah: b 1828, m prior to 1845 Darius Hudgens, b Va. 1818. He was a farmer, both living in 1870, resided Roane Co., Tenn. They had:

1 John C. Hudgens: b 1845.

2 Calvin Hudgens: b 1849.

3 Catherine Hudgens: b 1852.

4 William Hudgens: b 1854.

5 Rachel Hudgens: b 1855, m a Mr. Wilson.

6 Darius Franklin Hudgens: b 1857, m (1) Julia Wilson, she had one child and died, he m (2) prior to 1899 he was living in 1931, resided Sweetwater, Tenn. They had:

a Child: b 18-, 1st wife, died inf.

b Mary Sue Hudgens: b 1899, 2d wife, m Samuel

Swiger.

c Robert Hudgens: b 1906

d Roy Hudgens: b 1906, a twin, died inf.

7 Andrew J. Hudgens: b 1859.

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8 Ransom E. Hudgens: b 1862.

v Rebecca Jane: b 1830, m 1849 Richard Havens, b Tenn. 1829, resided Roane Co., Tenn in 1850, may have moved to Mo., no subsequent record in Roane Co. They had, known:

1 James H. Havens: b Apr. 1850.

vi Benjamin F. (9) : b 1833.

vii Louisa (9) : b 1835.

viii John H. (9) : b 1837.

ix James Houston (9) : b 1842.

244 GEORGE HALE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Tennessee in 1803, moved to Roane County, Tennessee with his parents. He married (1) prior to 1828 Sarah Bowman, born Tennessee in 1804, they moved to Bledsoe County where they resided some years and Sarah died about 1853, he married (2) prior to 1857 Catherine Hinkle nee Bowman, born Tennessee 1828, she had two children at the time of this marriage. They moved to Monroe County, Kentucky before 1860 and then moved to Barren County before 1870, she was deceased before 1880 and he returned to Bledsoe County, Tennessee where he died in 1886. He was a farmer and in his early days engaged in logging and timber work.

Children:

i James D. (9) : b 1828.

ii Viannah: b 1835, m prior to 1855 John Heard, b Tenn. In 1830, resided in Sequatchie Co., Tenn., both were living in 1870. They had:

1 Rebecca Heard: b 1855.

2 George Heard: 1856.

3 William Heard: b 1859.

4 James Heard: b 1861.

5 Nancy Heard: b 1863.

6 John Heard, Jr.: b 1865.

7 Alonzo Heard: b 1867.

8 Mary Heard: b 1869.

9 Eddy Heard: b June 1870.

iii Samuel Mc. (9) : b 9 Dec. 1837.

iv John M.: b 1840. He enlisted 30 Sept. 1861 Pvt. F, 21<sup>st</sup> Ky. Inf., U. S. Deserted at Shelbyville, Tenn. 10 May 1862, reported to Co. on 8 :war. 1863, was tried and charge changed to A. W. O. L., was restored to duty with a forfeit of pay. Detailed to 8th Ky. Batt. 19 June 1864, Aug. 1864 in hospital; was retained in service to make good time lost in absence and discharged 19 Oct. 1865. He never made claim for pension. He married prior to

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1864 Mary J.— (Martin ?), b Ky. 1847, resided Monroe Co., Ky. in 1870 and no subsequent record. They had, known:

1 John T.: b 1864.

2 William C.: b 1867.

v Jane: b 10 Jan. 1844 Tenn., m (1) in 1859 Richard Meadows, b Ky., 1842, he died in 1865 at Victoria, Tex. and she m (2) William Taylor, b Ky. ca 1844, he died in 1913 in Ky., she survives him and resides Tompkinsville, Ky. They had:

1 George M. Meadows: b 9 May 1861 Ky., m Mary E. Petcock.

2 Dolly Jane Meadows: b 11 Aug. 1863, died childhood.

3 Pattie Taylor: b 1807, m John E. Leslie, she was deacd. 1932.

4 John Taylor: b 186-, m Emmy Rines, reside Redley, Calif.

5 Lon Taylor: b 187-, m Ethel Pitcock, reside Vernalis, Calif.

6 Bent Taylor: b 187-, m Effie Pitcock, he was deacd. in 1932.

vi Ruth: b 1846, m prior to 1862 F.H. White, b Ky. 1839, both living in 1880, resided Monroe Co., Ky. She is said to have died in Metcalfe Co., Ky. They had, known:

1 George W. White: b 1862.

2 William B. White: b 1864.

vii Tennessee: b 1847, m (1) after 1860 Brice Meadows, b Ky. 1840, he died and she m (2) a Mr. Bartley, all deceased, no record of children.

viii Joseph Lafayette: b 1849 Tenn., m prior to 1869 Mary Jane Wilbur, b Ky. 1851, resided Barren Co., Ky. In 1880, both deceased in 1932. They had, known:

1 William T.: b 1869.

2 Melvin E.: b 1872.

3 Thaddeus C.: b 1876. .

4 Robert B.: b 1879.

ix Mary Elizabeth Hinkle: b 1851 Step daughter.

x William Hinkle: b 1852, Stepson.

xi Evalista: b 1857 Ky., 2d wife, m prior to 1880 a Mr. Williamson, she is said to have died in Mexico, Mo., leaving 8 children of whom we have no further record.

xii Sarah E.: b 1859. Was living in 1880 unmarried.

xiii George W. (10): b Dec. 1860.

xiv Martha: b 1864, died young.

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xv Robert Luther: b 1870, m, resides Eighteigh, Ky. is said to have some family, no information obtainable from him.

245 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Tennessee in December 1804, moved to Roane County, Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1831 Sarah Heiston, born Tennessee in 1807. They moved to McMinn County, Tennessee in the early 1840's and resided there to sometime in the late 1850's then moved to Kentucky and after a short time moved to Perry County, Illinois. Both were living in 1870.

Children:

i Joseph: b 1831 Tenn., he m prior to 1858 Nancy R., b Tenn. in 1834 moved to Washington Co., Ill. about 1862 where he was employed in railroad work to about 1872-73 they then moved to Perry Co., Ill. where they resided in 1880 and he is listed as an engineer. They had:

1 Sarah E.: b 1858 Tenn., m or d before 1880.

2 Calvin Heiston: b 1863 Wash. Co., Ill.

3 Mary Jane: b 1866.

4 Anna: b 1875, Perry Co., Ill.

ii Sarah: b 1834 Tenn.

iii Rebecca Amanda: b 1836 Tenn., m prior to 1862 Herman Weaver, b Germany 1838, he was a farmer, resided Perry Co., Ill. and both living in 1870. They had:

1 Ira M. Weaver: b 1862.

2 Eugene Weaver: b 1864.

3 Mary Weaver: b 1866.

4 William Weaver: b 1868.

iv James Alfred: b 1838 Roane Co., Tenn., moved to McMinn Co., Tenn. with his parents and was living with his grand parents Billingsley in Monroe Co., Ky. in 1850. When his father moved to Ill. he went to live with his uncle, John Billingsley, in Roane Co., Tenn. and worked as a farm laborer. He enlisted 9 Nov. 1861, Sgt. F, 43d Tenn Inf., C.S.A.; captured at Vicksburg 4 July 1863 and paroled 9 July 1863, no further military record. He married about 1868 Mary C., b Tenn. 1843, was a farmer and resided in Roane Co., Tenn., both were living in 1880 and no subsequent record of them. They had, known:

1 John H.: b 1869, married Alice, she was living at Loudon, Tenn. in 1933, not known if he is deceased. as no information has been obtainable from her.

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2 Araminta: b 1878. She married a Mr. Johnson and resides Loudon, Tenn. Every effort to get information from this party has met with failure, even a personal interview did not result in anything other than the acknowledgment that she, Mrs. Johnson, did not know who her grand father was. It is not known if she has any family. Interview by Mrs. Carter.

v Calvin Heiston: b 1840 Roane Co., Tenn., moved to McMinn Co., Tenn. with his parents and then to Ky. and to Perry Co., Ill. He married about 1875 Sarah Jane Mecum, b Ohio in 1832, a widow, who married previously (1) Joseph Holt, b Vt. 1828, m ante 1850 and died in 1860's. (2) a Mr. Ong, b 18-, who died about 1869, she had 9 children at the time of this marriage, resided Perry Co., Ill. to 1882 then moved to Indian Territory and after living in several places settled at Talihina where he died in 1905, she survived him and died in 1914. There were several Billingsley children all died in infancy except as stated. They had:

1 William C. Holt: b 1850, 1st marriage. Step son.

2 Harriet E. A. Holt: b 1854.

3 Margaret J. Holt: b 1856.

4 Mary Minerva Holt: b 1858.

5 Robert B. Holt: b Jan. 1860.

6 Gilbert Holt: b 1862.

7 Clinton Holt: b 1864.

8 William Ong: b 1868, 2d marriage. Step son.

9 Joseph Ong: b Jan. 1870.

10 John Calvin: b 26 Aug. 1880 Perry Co., Ill., moved to Ind. Ter. with his parents about 1882. He married 29 Nov. 1905 at Paris, Tex. Clara Mayfield Harper, b 31 Aug. 1883 at Prattville, Tex. He began work with the Frisco railroad in 1896 and was Conductor in 1909. They moved to Fort Smith, Ark. in 1901 where they reside at present. He is a Mason, and family Methodists. They had:

a John Harper: b 23 Jan. 1909.

b Donald Calvin: b 24 Dec. 1914.

vi Mary Samantha: b 1842 Tenn. Living 1870 unmarried.

vii John F.: b 1844 Tenn., died unmarried.

viii George: b 1846 Tenn. Living in 1870 unmarried.

246 EDWARD NATHANIEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee in December 1801, moved to Giles County, Tennessee with his parents where he married prior to 1820 Winifred Jane Brooks,



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born North Carolina in 1801, resided Giles County, then moved to Carroll County, Tennessee for some years then moved to Mississippi about 1840. They moved to Sevier County, Arkansas about 1845 where he was a farmer, both were living in 1860 and apparently deceased before 1870.

Children:

i John Denicks (9) : b 1820.

ii James Thomas: b 1823 Giles Co., Tenn., moved to Miss. with his parents about 1840, he returned to Carroll Co., Tenn. where he married in 1849 Amanda --, b Tenn. 1823, resided there to 1853 then moved to Sevier Co., Ark. where he engaged in farming. He was killed by lightning in 1859-60, Amanda survived him, moved to Bell Co., Tex. where she was living in 1880 with her daughter. They had:

2 Emma: b 1853 Ark.

3 Florence Rosalee: b 1855 Ark., m 1872 Joseph W. Brooks, b Tenn. 1839, resided Bell Co., Tex. in 1880. They had, known:

a George H. Brooks : b 1873.

b Aaron T. Brooks: b 18 7 6.

c Joseph W. Brooks, Jr.: b 1878.

iii Sarah J.: b 1825 Tenn., moved to Miss. with her parents and m (1) , he died and she m (2) a Mr. Thomas, he died and she moved to Sevier Co., Ark, before 1860. She later moved to Tulare Co., Calif. where she died. They had, known:

1 Martin V. Thomas: b 1846 Miss.

2 John Thomas: b 1848 Miss.

iv Amanda: b 1829 Tenn., moved to Miss. and Ark. with her parents where she m Sherrill French, she is said to have died in Sevier Co., Ark. No record of her children.

v Samuel Edward (9) : b 1830 Tenn.

vi Granville: b 1833 Tenn. He enlisted 27 July 1861 Pvt. G. 2d Mtd. Rifles, Ark., C.S.A.; 31 Oct. 1861, sick in hospital; a roll dated 31 Dec. 1861 shows "Died 13 Dec. 1861 on road home, he being on sick leave."

vii Elizabeth: b 1835 Tenn., died unmarried.

viii Susan: b 1838 Tenn., moved to Miss. and Ark. with her parents. She m (1) Colonel Levi French who served in the Confederate Army and according to a statement by Samuel Billingsley, No. 490, "Three days after the surrender French met one John Ash on the road to Rocky Comfort; Ash had deserted and went over to the Yankees, an argument ensued and they killed each other." She

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afterwards m (2) William Gooch and moved to Texas. Said to have been 2 sons by French. ix Amarillis: b 1840 Tenn., died 1850's Ark. x William A.: b 1842 Miss., moved to Calif. after the Civil War and died in Stockton, Calif., after 1900, unmarried.

247 JOHN CRAWFORD (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 7 October 1807, moved to Giles County, Tennessee with his parents where he married prior to 1830 Catherine Brooks, born Tennessee in 1805, they moved to Henry County, Tennessee where they resided to 1838 then moved to Alexander County, Illinois where Catherine died in 1840 shortly after the birth of her daughter. He moved to Sevier County, Arkansas in 1846 where he spent the rest of his days engaged in farming and died at his home 25 January 1872.

Children:

i Thomas Jerome: b Dec. 1830 Tenn., moved to Ill. and Ark. with his father. He m (1) in 1856 in Ark. Mary , b Ark. in 1838, she died in 1862 and he m (2) prior to 1867 Susan , b Ga. 1840. He enlisted 22 May 1862 Pvt. D, 1st. Ark. Cav., C.S.A.; captured at Monro City, Kan. 24 Oct. 1864, sent to St. Louis and to Alton, Ill. 14 Nov. 1864, on 7 Dec. 1864 sent to Rock Island, Ill., Released 28 May 1865. Records show age 34 years, five feet, six and one half inches in height, blue eyes, and auburn hair, residence Sevier Co., Ark. Susan died in 1873, he was living in 1889 in Little River Co., Ark. where he died in 1907. They had:

1 John C.: b 1858. Living 1880.

2 J. Pinckney; b May 1860.

3 Wary Jane: b 1862, m 1880, J. J. Pipkin, b Tenn. 1858, resided Little River Co., Ark.

4 Columbus: b 1867, 2d wife.

5 Susan: b 1873, m Jesse Brazil, b 1871.

ii John E.: b 1832 Tenn., moved to Ill. and Ark. with his father. He m in 1850 Sarah , b Tenn. 1834. He enlisted 22 May 1862 Pvt. D, 1st Ark. Cav., C.S.A., died 7 Dec. 1862; claim filed by his widow for \$250.25 which was allowed and paid 11 Jan. 1865. They had, known:

1 Melvina: b 1851.

2 John: b 1852, m 1876 Elizabeth Anderson, b Ark. 1859, he died in 1879. They had:

a Maude: b 1877.

b Cassandra: b July 1879.

3 Columbus Elliott: b 1858.

4 Martha: b 1860.

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5 Levi: b 1862.

iii Jesse Grandison (9) : b 3 Jan. 1834.

iv Christopher Columbus: b 1837 Tenn. Living in 1860.

v Sarah Jane: b 1840 Ill., moved to Ark. with her father and m in 1862 Edward (?) Gray, resided in Little River Co., Ark., she was living in 1889. They had, known:

1 Mary Gray: b 1864 called "Polly."

2 Edward Gray: b 1866.

248 ALEXANDER DOAK (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born middle Tennessee 26 July 1809, moved to Simpson and Warren Counties, Kentucky with his parents and married (1) 8 November 1831 Elizabeth McMurray, born Allen County, Kentucky 3 October 1811, resided in Allen County to about 1836 then with his father-in-law and others they moved to Putnam County, Indiana where they entered a large tract of land. Elizabeth died 14 September 1864 and he married (2) Emily Williams, born 18-. They removed to Indianapolis where he died 16 January 1870, she married (2) a Mr. Featherstone, they both died prior to 1890. No children by 2d marriage. ' Children:

i John James Warren (9) : b 18 Sept. 1832 Ky.

ii Mary Adelaide: b 2 Jan. 1834 Ky., she m 1 Sept. 1857 Uriah McKay, b Ivy. in 1824, he was a school teacher in 1850, Putnam Co., Ind.

"He became a Baptist preacher, moved to near Mason City, Ill. then moved to Iowa near Des Moines. They had some family, number and names, have forgotten. They sought to educate their children. One son was a Baptist preacher, and went to the Foreign field for a time but returned; another committed suicide while in college; Mary Adelaide died in Des Moines, Ia., date forgotten. The preacher son went to Texas and after her death, McKay and daughter went to Texas, stayed a few years and he died, and carried back to Des Moines for burial. I do not know anything of the family now." (Quotation of J. M. Billingsley as of 1910). From another source we learn she died Nov. 1891.

iii Henry Mitchell: b 27 Oct. 1837 Putnam Co., Ind. He enlisted 22 Apr. 1861 Pvt. I, 7th Ind. Inf., U. S., for 3 months, discharged 2 Aug. 1861. He enlisted 8 Aug. 1862 Pvt. I, 4th Ind. Cav., U. S., this record shows: born Putnam Co., Ind., 5 feet 91 inches in height, light hair, and gray eyes: law student; promoted to Sgt. 22 Aug. 1862; June 1863, sick in hospital at Murfreesboro, Tenn.; 2d Lieut. 12 Nov. 1864; 1st Lieut. 20 June 1865. He married 30 Aug. 1865 Mary E. Hall, was living in 1910 and

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J. M. Billingsley states: "He is a Christian. man, Baptist, and a good worker." Resided near Crawfordsville, Ind. where he died ca 1918. No children.

iv Lorenzo Wilson: b 14 Sept. 1841 Ind. He enlisted 22 Apr. 1861 Pvt. H, 7th Ind. Inf., U. S. for 3 months, discharged 2 Aug. 1861. He enlisted 8 Aug. 1862 Cpl. I, 4th Ind. Cav., U.S.; 2d Lieut. 14th U. S. Colored Inf., 31 Dec. 1863; Captain, March 1865; date of discharge not stated. He married (1) 10 July 1865 at Cincinnati, Ohio, Eliza J. Laboree, daughter of Dr. Laboree, of Ladoga, Ind., she died 20 Nov. 1865. He married (2) at Des Moines, Ia., 15 Sept. 1869 Ella Augusta Knox, they moved to Lincoln, Neb., where he practiced law with a Mr. Lamb. He was U. S. Commissioner for some years. Ella died 13 Sept. 1904 and he married (3) 22 Apr. 1906 at Des Moines, Ia., May Jay Lorimer. They moved to the West coast and located in Washington, moved to San Diego, Calif. in 1909 where he died 9 Feb. 1916. She survives him and has furnished information on this family, she resides Pasadena, Calif. They had:

1 Beatrice: b 21 Mar. 1884 Lincoln, Neb., m 15 Sept. 1906 Otto Wittman, she died 14 July 1918, he resides Kansas City, Mo. They had:

a Otto Wittman, Jr.: b 1911.

b Winifred Wittman: b 1913.

v Eliza Serepta: b 9 Sept. 1844, m 19 Nov. 1865 Newton Hume, b 18 May 1837, son of Elder Hume, a Primitive Baptist preacher, of Ind., a preacher of ability. He died ca 1880 at Indianapolis, Ind. She m (2) a Mr. Williams, a brother of her step-mother, Emily, a business man of Terre Haute, Ind., she died Oct. 1892. They had:

1 Estelle Hume: b 17 Apr. 1867, m 3 May 1888 Harry G. Brownell, b Elmhurst, Ill. 9 Aug. 1866, she died 12 Mar. 1926, he survives her and resides Louisville Ky. They had:

a Halford H. Brownell: b 30 Dec. 1889.

b Albert H. Brownell: b 31 Aug. 1893, m, he died 24 July 1929, leaving a son.

c Norman W. Brownell: b 17 Dec. 1897.

2 Halford Hume: b ca 1870, died ca 1881.

249 JOHN MITCHELL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Warren County, Kentucky 17 September 1825. He married (1) 14 November 1848 Ally Matilda Lambert, born Kentucky in 1823. He had a grant of 39 acres of land in Allen County, Kentucky 20 February

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1852. He enlisted 17 September 1863 at Scottsville, Kentucky as Private C, 52d Kentucky Mounted Infantry, U. S.; elected Captain 3 October 1863 and served thru the War; discharged 17 January 1865, he was five feet and nine inches in height, blue eyes, and dark hair, occupation stated as farmer. After the War he became an active Baptist minister and moved to Illinois sometime prior to 1885, Ally died at Ewing, Illinois, 4 March 1885 and he married (2) 11 March 1890 Susan Green, born 18-. Resided Clark County in 1890; Menard County in 1892; Cass County in 1896, and Franklin County in 1897. About 1910 he wrote out a lengthy history of the family in a somewhat running style, beginning with John Billingsley (6). He had kept accurate record of the various items essential and incorporated them in his record. The original of this record is now in possession of Carroll John Badger, Ewing, Illinois, who was kind enough to send us this original with permission to use any or all of it. An accurate typewritten copy is in possession of the compiler. The accuracy of this record is borne out by documentary evidence from other sources. We take this opportunity to express appreciation of the interest Captain Billingsley felt for his family record as it saved much from oblivion. He was somewhat reticent in the account of himself but we have been able to get a few facts from other sources. He died 21 March 1912 at Ewing, Illinois, his widow was pensioned, no mention made of any children by 2d marriage. She died 21 January 1917 at Virginia, Cass County, Illinois.

The only information he gave of himself we quote in full: "I was converted July 29th, 1841 in the woods about Y4 mile from Union Church house in W Warren Co., Ky. Approved for Baptism by the Baptist Church at the November meeting 1845. Was baptised in Drake's creek near the mouth of Lein Skaggs' Spring branch close to where William Thornton then lived, the fifth Sunday January 1846, was licensed to preach by the same church July meeting 18-18, and ordained by the same church November 18th, 1851. Elders J. VI. Pendleton, M. F. Ham, William Kidd, and Joseph Skaggs officiated. Elder O. H. Morrow was the Pastor; being sick was not present. Elder Wesley Knight was ordained under the same ceremonies."

Children:

i John Lambert: b 24 Aug. 1850, died 2 Sept. 1867. "Was a good boy and reliable."

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 19 Sept. 1852 in Ky., m 25 Dec. 1885 Ill., John Thomas Whitlock, she died 23 Mar. 1887. They had:

1 John Kelley Billingsley Whitlock: b 17 Mar. 1887, m Mabel Reid, of Mt. Vernon, Ill. where they resided 1911. They had:

a Mary Gertrude Whitlock: b 31 Mar. 1910.

b Edurna Whitlock: b 4 Oct. 1911.

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iii Syntha Kereen Haseltine: b 17 Nov. 1854, died 29 Jan. 1866.

iv Arethusa Jane: b 28 Mar. 1857 Ky. She married 27 June 1889 . Elder Samuel Douglas Badger, b 18- a Baptist minister. He died at Superior, Nev. 13 Mar. 1899. "He was an educated man, a good minister of Jesus Christ, and a pious Christian." She married (2) a Mr. Booth who was deceased before 1931, she survives him and resides Ewing, Ill. in 1931. They had:

1 Edith Mary Badger: b 8 Jan. 1891 at Knoxville, Iowa, m May 1922 Oliver A. Rogers, reside Hartsville, Mo. No children.

2 Carroll John Badger: b 12 Nov. 1892 at Creighton, Neb. He married 19 Dec. 1928 Ida Muriel Holstlaw, reside Ewing, Ill. No children. He furnished the original article written by John M. Billingsley referred to above.

3 Charlene Ally Badger: b 14 July 1897 at Galena, Ill., m 29 July 1923 Alman Hugo Karraker, reside Anchorage, Ky. They had:

a Alman Gene Iarraker: b 18 Feb. 1926.

b James Douglas Karraker: b 24 May 1929.

LAMBERT EXCURSUS

The following is compiled from the writings of John M. Billingsley. While not complete it gives an outline of the family. Josias Lambent was born 27 January 1791, he married prior to 1823 Elizabeth Wyatt, born 179-. They resided in Kentucky and probably in Warren County. No data on their deaths.

Children:

i Ally Matilda Lambent: b 1823 Ky., m John Mitchell Billingsley, No. 249 which see.

ii Sarah Lambent: b 182-, m Benjamin J. Herrington, she died 5 Sept. 1854.

iii Elizabeth Lambent: b 182-, m John W. Wright, she died 5 Oct. 1854. They had:

1 Lycurgus Thornton Wright: b 185-.

2 Joseph Philip Wright: b 185-, died 20 Sept. 1854.

iv William Wyatt Lambent: b ca 1829, m (1) a Miss Dixon, she died and he m (2) Julie Frances Poe. They had

1 James Knox Pope Lambent : b 185-, died near grown.

2 Kerenhappuk Lambent: b 185-, 2d wife, died 10 Sept. 1854.

v Josias Lambent, Jr.: b 183-, m Dec. 1858 Mary Wright. They had:

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1 Henry Banister Lambent: b 186-, m a Miss Fine, had 3 children; Mrs. Wade, Lee and Inie.

2 Joseph Thornton Lambent: b 186-.

3 Bertha Blane Lambent: b 186-.

4 Mitchell Lambent: b 186-, died near grown, accidental pistol shot by his cousin Josias Grant Pope.

vi Barbara Ann Lambent: b 183-, a twin of Josias, Jr. She married Nathan Pope, residence not stated, probably Ky. They had:

1 Lillie Pope: was unmarried in 1910.

2 Josias Grant Pope: b 186-, m a Miss Jones, had 3 children.

3 Daughter: was unmarried in 1910.

250 THOMAS HENRY HARRIS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(John 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Warren County, Kentucky 13 April 1832. He married 25 October 1857 Henrietta Ryon, born Kentucky in 1839. One "Thomas Billingsley" enlisted 16 August 1862 at Aurora, Indiana, as Private E, 11th Kentucky Cavalry, U. S., aged 30 years; on 2 February 1863 A.W.O.L. On a roll dated 31 March 1864 is "Deserted 4 February 1863 at Lebanon. Kentucky taking home and complete outfit." We have no definite proof this is the same man, so far as known there was no Thomas Billingsley living in Indiana in 1860. Henrietta died 26 December 1862 and he married (2) 18 December 1866 Mrs. Mary Short, nee Lenier. They moved to Ellis County, Texas where he died 19 December 1905, and she died November 1909.

Children:

i Child: b 188, died infancy.

ii Mary Frances: b 1859, m Wib Kirby. He was a merchant in 1910 and resided Woodburn, Ky. Said to be living in 1931 but no information obtainable from them. They had, known:

1 Son: b 18-, was said to be a cashier in a bank at Woodburn, Ky. in 1910.

iii John Mitchell (9) : b 5 Jan. 1861.

iv Twins: b 186-, died infancy, 2d wife.

251 ALFRED CARTER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Tennessee, Knox or Jackson County, 27 March 1810, moved to West Tennessee with his parents and resided in Carroll County in 1830. He married about 1832 Rebecca, daughter of Thomas Billingsley, No. 97, born Tennessee 16 December 1809. Resided Carroll County, Tennessee to 1838, then moved to Mississippi, then to Illinois before 1842, where in

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Missouri in 1843 and then moved to Izard County, Arkansas about 1845. He was a practical mechanic and built the first threshing machine in Izard County, and constructed the second sorghum mill in that County. They lived at first near what is now Franklin, and in November 1859 they moved to Piney township, Van Buren County, this later became a part of Cleburne County in the late 1870's, where he died November 1878, Rebecca, generally known as "Aunt Becky," survived him some years and died at the home of her son, Thomas Co., at Hanson, Oklahoma in January 1900.

Children:

i John Nickias Alexander (9): b 1834.

ii Mary Jane: b 1836 Tenn., m. 6 Sept. 1856 Richard Davis, she died Van Buren Co., Ark. about 1859-58. They had:  
1 Sarah A. Davis: b 1857.

2 James T. Davis: b 1858, m 1877 Nancy, b Ark. in 1860, resided Van Buren Co., Ark. in 1880. They had, known:  
a John F. Davis: b 1878.  
b Sarah A. Davis: b 1879.

iii Samuel Emanuel: b 1838. He enlisted 26 June 1862 as Pvt. Lewis's Co., McRae's Regt. which became Co. E, 36th Ark. Inf., C. S. A.; a roll dated 30 Apr. 1863 shows he died Apr. 10 1863 in Van Buren Co. Family records show he died of measles.

iv Sarah Adaline: b 1840 Miss., m after 1860, she died leaving a daughter, Sarah.

v Ruth Ann: b 1842 Ill., m prior to 1867 George Washington Crosby, b Ark. 1846, a minister, church not stated. She died about 1886, resided Cleburne Co., Ark. They had; known

1 Cyrus T. Crosby: b 1867, resided Parlier, Calif. 1933.

2 Mary E. Crosby: b 1869.

vi Harriet Ellen: b 1843 Mo., she m after 1860 William Lee, said to have been living in 1919 some place in Ark. They had:

1 Julia Lee.

2 Minnie Lee.

3 Margaret Lee.

vii Thomas Calhoun (9) : b 18 Jan. 1844.

viii Elizabeth A.: b 1847 Ark., died in 1860's, unmarried.

ix Ursula Sidonia: b 1849, m after 1870 William Ragan, b Ark. in 1846, she was said to have been living in 1919,



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resided Cleburne Co., Ark., had children of whom no record.

e Alfred Leonidas: b 1852 Ark., died Cleburne Co., Ark. when about grown.

252 REUBEN R. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 6 April 1816 in either Knox or Jackson County. He married in 1833 in Carroll County, Tennessee, Adelia Breeden, born Tennessee 25 September 1813, moved to Montgomery County, Tennessee where he engaged in farming and died 25 December 1846, she survived him a few years and died 28 October 1858.

Children:

i Mary Jane: b 11 Apr. 1835 Tenn., married James Outlaw, she was deceased some years prior to 1931, residence not stated, nor any data of her children.

ii Nancy: b 5 June 1837 Tenn., m William Black, she died 30 Oct. 1912 in Ark. They had, known:

1 Adelia Black: 6 18-, m Charles Kirkbride.

iii Sidney Thornton (9): b 7 Mar. 18-11.

iv Cyrenius Augustus (9): b 26 May 18.13.

v Mary: b 25 Dec. 1846, m 1864, Benjamin Moore she was deceased some years prior to 1931, residence not stated.

253 NATHANIEL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William d, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 10 December 1818, moved to West Tennessee with his parents. He migrated to Arkansas prior to 1840 and married prior to 1842 in Izard County, Arkansas, Matilda Creswell, born Arkansas in 1824. He was a farmer and resided all his life, after marriage, in Izard Count- where he died early in the year 1880, she survived him a few years and died about 1388, both buried on the farm where they lived. :Members of the Christian church.

Children:

i William Washington (9) : b 1842.

ii Samuel Houston (9): b 1814.

iii Mary Jane: b 1847 Ark., m David W. Billingsley, No. 429, which see.

iv Lennia. Elzadie: b 17 Jan. 1850, m 1868 James Gaston. She was born, married, and spent her whole life in Izard Co., Ark. She died 11 Jan. 1915 and buried at New Liberty cemetery. They had 11 or 12 children of whom 9 were living in 1931. One of the sons wrote that his father was still living but very feeble. This is all the information we were able to obtain.

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v James Alexander (9) : b 18 June 1852.

vi John Franklin (9): b 1854

vii Child: b 1856, died infancy.

viii Joshua Lafayette (9); b 1858.

xi Ruth Ann: b 1861. Was living in 1880, unmarried.

x Thomas Nathan: b 7 Dec. 1866, m 1888-89 Josephine Guthrie, b. Ark. 187-, 1st cousins. He died 2 Aug. 1926. she was deceased 1931, both buried Roberts cemetery, Franklin, Ark. They had, order not stated:

1 Ruth: b 18-, m Robert Baker, reside Melbourne, Ark. No children.

2 Madge: b 18-.

3 Jewel: b 18-, resides Mo., he is unmarried. 1931.

4 Winnie: b 18-, resides Melbourne, Ark.

5 Guthrie: b 18-.

254 JOSHUA (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James .5, William 4, William 3, John ;2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 11 November 1820, moved to West Tennessee with his parents. He migrated to Arkansas with his brother, Nathan, prior to 1840 and married about 1841 in Izard County, Arkansas, Catherine Elizabeth Faulkenberry, born Tennessee in 1822. He was a minister in the Christian church, he died at his home in December 1878 in Fulton County, Arkansas, Catherine was living in 1880, no data on her death.

Children:

i David Warren (9) : b 1843.

ii Mary Belinda: b 1845, m a Mr. Grimuiett, no information as to her children.

iii Ruth Ann: b 17 Jan. 18-18, in 28 May 1871 S. L. Guthrie, she died 23 June 1928 at Marionville, Mo., and is buried at Calico Rock, Ark. They are said to have had six children, only one known is:

1 Josephine Guthrie: b 18?-, m Thomas N. Billingsley, son of Nathan Billingsley, No. 253, which see.

iv Samuel Hale (9): b 25 July 1850.

v John Calvin: b 20 Jan. 1854, m 1884 Elizabeth Beaver-Bates, she died 31 Oct. 1915 and he died 20 Mar. 1917, both buried in Roberts cemetery, Franklin, Ark. Members of Christian church. They had:

1 James Walter: b 19 Jan. 1886, m Apr. 1912 Grace Baker, reside Melbourne, Ark.

2 Sarah Ethel: b 26 Apr. 1888, m 22 June 1918 J. D. Boler, she was a widow in 1931, resided Franklin, Ark.

vi Margaret Katherine: b 1856, m 187-, George Hooks, she died about 1879 is buried Roberts cemetery, Franklin,

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Ark. She left a daughter, Minnie, who is said to reside in Texas.

vii Elizabeth Agnes: b 1860, m R. E. Patterson after 1880, she died 1890 and buried at Willow Springs, Mo. Left 3 or 4 children.

viii James P.: b 1 Mar. 1864. Went to Texas in his early days and returned to Ark. where he married 29 Aug. 1892 Mrs. Nora Hatfield, of Izard Co., Ark. He is a shoemaker, reside Hardy, Ark. They had:

1 Owen: b 30 Nov. 1894, died 8 Apr. 1920.

2 Minnie: b 19 Jan. 1896, m 1925

3 Frank: b 14 Nov. 1899, died 23 Dec. 1903.

4 Billie: b 10 Feb. 1901.

5 Iva Lee: b 15 Oct. 1904.

6 Elmer: b 26 Mar. 1907.

7 Marshall: b 10 May 1910.

8 Joe: b 10 Dec. 1912.

ix Theodosia: b 1867, m 17 Aug. 1890 John W. Bryant, she died Oct. 1895, buried Roberts Cemetery, Franklin, Ark. They had:

1 Winston Bryant: b 22 June 1893, resides Franklin, Ark.

255 SAMUEL EDWARD (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Carroll County, Tennessee, 4 May 1832, moved to Arkansas with his father and stepmother. He married 9 January 1856 Martha Hannah Hastings, born Tennessee in 1831, resided in Izard County where he engaged in farming. His name does not appear in any record for service in Confederate army. He died at his home 6 April 1906, she survived him a few years and died in 1910.

Children:

i John Alfred: b 17 Feb. 1857, m 15 Dec. 1889 Josie L. McCuistion, b Ark. 21 Aug. 1862, reside Violet Hill, Ark., where he is postmaster, and a general merchant. They had:

1 Guy: b 3 Dec. 1890, m Faye Brummitt, reside Violet Hill, Ark. They had:

a Thelma Aldean: b 27 Jan. 1915 at Caney, Kan.

b John Alden: b 12 May 1917 at Caney, Kan.

c L.D.: b 8 Oct. 1920 at Franklin, Ark.

d Donard Brummitt: b 18 Mar. 1922 at Franklin, Ark.

2 Buell: b 30 Sept. 1893, m Millie Smith, reside Violet Hill, Ark. They had:

a Sibyl Montine: b 22 Sept. 1921.

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b Bettie Sue: b 6 Feb. 1928.

3 Eula: b 11 Oct. 1895.

4 Zula: b 6 June 1897; m Delbert Mathis, reside Violet Hill, Ark. They had

a Gerald Bedford Mathis: b 14 Sept. 1923.

b Harold Billingsley Mathis: b 8 Aug. 1925.

c Evelyn Sue Mathis: b 11 Aug. 1929.

5 Otis: b 2 Feb. 1900.

6 Beulah: b 3 July 1902:

7 Lula: b 14 Jan. 1905, m Edison Dillard, reside Oxford, Ark.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 1 Oct. 1858, m George F. Long, both living in 1932, reside Wideman, Ark., said to have had eight children.

iii Margaret Melinda: b 8 Mar. 1860, m Robert T. Reid, she died 4 July 1890, he was deceased before 1932, resided at Franklin, Ark. They had:

1 Claude Reid.

2 Nora Reid.

iv Samuel Francis Hastings: b 5 Feb. 1862, resides Franklin, Ark., where he is engaged in mercantile business. No information obtainable from him. His brothers, John and David have furnished the following: he married Matilda Wilson, she died circa 1905, they had 6 children, 2 sons deceased, and living are:

1 Mabel: m Moser, reside Violet Hill, Ark.

2 Ina: m Gaston, reside Franklin, Ark.

3 Nellie; m –m – Croom, reside Scottsdale, Ariz.

4 William E.: In 1931-2, he was cashier of a bank at Franklin, Ark. and in 1933 was serving as County Clerk, Izard Co., Ark.

v James Milton: b 28 Dec. 1864, died 1872.

vi Lydia Ruthan Eveline: b 9 Jan. 1867, m Jefferson Davis Boler, resided at Franklin, Ark. where she died ca 1914, he survived her and died in 1925. They had:

1 Gordie Boler: m –Williams.

2 Tot Boler: m – Rogers.

vii William Reuben: b 7 Feb. 1869, m (1) Eunice Hoyte or Hite, she died and he m (2) Laura Trent, reside Franklin, Ark. According to information furnished by his brothers they had:

1 Oma: m ca 1928 Robert Earl Payne, he died 1932, she survives him and is a school teacher, resides Mexia, Tex., has two children.

2 Basha: m L. Ballard, have two children, reside either at Wichita Falls, Tex. or Wayne, Okla.

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3 Rennet Ray: b 1-, 2d wife.

viii Arch Alexander: b 22 Oct. 1870; m (1) Hannah Roberts, b 1878 in Sharp Co., Ark., she died 1 July 1917 and he m (2) prior to 1920 Nouella Gett, b 19 Nov. 1887. He is a member of the Odd Fellows and the family Baptist, reside Franklin, Ark. They had:

1 Rufus Monroe: b 5 Aug. 1895, died 15 Nov. 1896.

2 John Alexander: b 30 Sept. 1896, m (1) Dec. 1915 Ella A. Jones, b Ark. Oct. 1896, she died at Texarkana, Tex. 29 Jan. 1928 and he m (2) 12 Jan. 1929 Myra Hooker, b Tex. 17 July 1898, reside Texarkana, Tex. They had:

a Roy Morris: b 11 Oct. 1918 Tuckerman, Ark.

b Thurman Jewell: b 25 Apr. 1931 Texarkana, Tex.

3 Pearl Ruth: b 1 Aug. 1898, m 9 Jan. 1918 Preston Herron, of Sharp Co., Ark., reside Franklin, Ark.

4 William Edward: b 3 Sept. 1900, died 17 June 1902.

5 Reuben Clarence: b 9 Jan. 1903, m 20 Dec. 1924 Chloe Miller, of Franklin, Ark., reside Coshing, Okla.

6 Robert Lee: b 17 Feb. 1905, m 9 Feb. 1928 Fay Berry, reside Franklin, Ark.

7 Ruby: b 8 July 1907, m 19 Nov. 1921, Earl Jones, reside Tuckerman, Ark. A

8 George Roy: b 20 July 1910, m 26 Oct. 1930 Zelma Barnes, reside Violet Hill, Ark.

9 Elmer: b 22 1-lay 1911, died 11 June 1916.

10 Samuel Alfred: b 18 Apr. 1917, died 17 Dec. 1917.

11 Nala Mae: b 4 June 1920, 2d wife.

12 Ewell: b 4 June 1922, died 5 June 1922. Twins.

13 Jewell: b 4 June 1922, died 5 June 1922.

14 Archie Bennie: b 28 Sept. 1923.

15 Aubrey: b 17 Aug. 1925.

16 Audrey: b 17 Aug. 1925, a twin, died same day.

17 Nina Bell: b 24 Aug. 1928.

ix Burse Monroe: b 17 Apr. 1872, m Maud McJunkin, reside Ashland, Okla. Information as to family furnished by his brother, John. They had 4 children, living 1933 were:

a Valda: m Gaston, reside Coshing, Okla.

b Rennell.

c Eunice.

x David Lysander: b 17 Feb. 1874 Izard Co., Ark. He married in 1902 Arrie Frances Berry, b Ark. 12 July 1881, moved to Marion Co., Ark., and then moved to Springfield, Mo., later moved to Waterville, Wash., both living 1933 and reside near Wenatchee, Wash. They had:

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1 Kirby Howard: b 11 Oct. 1903 at Cotter, Ark., moved to Wash. with his parents and married 24 Dec. 1926 Gabelle J. Graevele. He is a newspaper man and connected with Wenatchee World, reside Wenatchee, Wash. They had:

a Gabrielle Mary: b 6 Jan. 1933.

2 Robert Edward: b 25 Nov. 1905 at Springfield, Mo.

3 Bessie Marie: b 15 Dec. 1908 at Waterville, Wash., m 28 May 1932 Royden Zenkir, reside Wenatchee, Wash.

xi Malissa Elzada: b 9 Dec. 1876, m Fiburn M. Wolf, b Ark. Mar. 1860, son of Maj. Enoch O. Wolf and Elviza, his 1st wife, reside Whitesboro, Okla. No children.

xii Stephen Alonzo Lafayette Elmo: b 7 Mar. 1878, resides Franklin, Ark. No information has been obtainable from hint. The following was sent by his brothers, John A. and David L. He married Lucy Brumitt, operated a rolling mill for some years and was burned out and is at present (1932) engaged in farming. They had:

1 Claudie: m Turner, reside La Cross, Ark.

2 Gladys: m King, reside Salem, Ark.

3 Harry.

4 Treba Lee.

5 Cecil.

256 ELIZABETH AGNES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Warren County, Kentucky 2 May 1839, moved to Arkansas with her parents, she married (1) 9 May 1856 John Atkins Simpson, born Tennessee in 1826. He died at Franklin, Arkansas 29 August 1872, and she married (2) June 1880 'vlajor Enoch Obert Wolf, born Ohio 1829, his 2d wife; he is stated to have been a veteran of the Mexican War and also of the Civil War, no data on his death, she died at the home of William E. Hill, 24 July 1882 and buried at Franklin, Arkansas. John A. Simpson was a son of James Littleton Simpson, born Tennessee, died 1855 in Arkansas, and Christian Atkins, born South Carolina 1805, died Arkansas in 1882. John A. Simpson appears to have been previously married and had at least two children at the time of this second marriage, i.e.: James L., b. 1849, and William R., b 1851.

Children:

i Samuel Francis Simpson: b 25 Dec. 1857, m about 1881 Parthena A. Wilson, b Tenn. They moved to Washington state about 1902, he died at Soap Lake, Wash. 18 July 1918, she survives him and resides Astoria, Oreg. They had: Eunice; Lois; Zola; Don; Faith, died 1903; Harold C.; son, name not known; and Thelma.

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ii Margaret Ann Simpson: b 15 Jan. 1859, died 18 Oct. 1913 unmarried.

iii John Simpson: b 15 Aug. 1861, died May 1862.

iv Milton Lee Simpson: b 24 July 1863, moved to Tex. but returned to his home where he married 1886 Emily Wolf, then returned to Texas. They had: Fred; Reuben; John; Leonard; and Elmer. She died about 1912 and he m (2) Grace, no children by 2d marriage. Reside Snyder, Texas.

v Christie Elizabeth Simpson: b 18 Sept. 1865, m 1890 William L. Williams, they moved to Washington about 1901. She died 30 Apr. 1930 at Pullman, Wash. Several children died in infancy. They had: Hill; George; Joyce.

vi Thomas Warren Simpson: b 25 Nov. 1868, m 19 Oct. 1897 Sallie Martin, b Wilkes Co., N. C. 30 July 1870. He is President of the Bank of Franklin, reside Franklin, Ark. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 John Martin Simpson: b 15 July 1898, died 23 Mar. 1924.

2 Thomas Warren Simpson, Jr.: b 1 Jan. 1907.

3 Mary Ruth Simpson: b 24 July 1908.

vii Joseph Simpson: b 25 May 1870, died 1 Jan. 1877.

viii Ernest Knox Wolf: b 24 Dec. 1881, 2d marriage.

257 MARGARET JANE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 12 July 1841. She married 19 February 1863, the Reverend Henry- Hays, a Methodist minister, officiating, William E. Hill, born Arkansas in 1841, son of Thomas R. Hill, born Kentucky in 1808 and Eliza --, born Kentucky in 1805, who settled in Arkansas about 18-11 and resided Fulton County, they were also parents of Mary Ann, 1833 Ky John, b. 1835 Ky.; Elizabeth, b 1837 by .; James, b 1839 Ky.; Thomas Jefferson, b 1843; Benjamin, b 1845; Reason, b 1848. They moved to Washington after 1900 where she died 27 Feb. 1921, no data on his death.

Children:

i Elizabeth Ann Hill: b 28 Feb. 1869.

ii William Edgar Hill: b 15 Nov. 1870.

iii Thomas Robertson Hill: b 12 Nov. 1872, died 3 Sept. 1915 at Spokane, Wash.

iv Samuel Billingsley Hill: b 2 Apr. 1875, educated in the public schools, graduated LL.B, University of Arkansas, admitted to the bar 1898; married 1914 Barbara Wake Wave Heck, of Oklahoma; prosecuting attorney Douglas Co., Wash.; Judge Superior Court 1916 to 1920; elected to Congress in 1923 and still representing his District in

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1932. He collected considerable data from his mother regarding the descendants of John Billingsley and in 1919 wrote up a valuable paper which was widely distributed among the descendants of Judge Samuel Billingsley. He did not make any effort to carry the lines below the grand children. We have drawn freely from this paper and have been able in many instances to bring the lines to the present time. The descendants of Judge Samuel Billingsley owe a debt of gratitude to Samuel B. Hill for his placing in permanent record such facts as his mother stated. They had:

1 Samuel B. Hill, Jr.: b ca 1916.

v James Milton Hill: b 3 Sept. 1877.

vi John Westal Hill: b 13 Apr. 1880.

vii Joseph Erasmus Hill: b 23 Feb. 1883.

viii Stella Winnifred Hill: b 30 Nov. 1885.

#### 258 WILLIAM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 27 June 189. "He had meager advantages as to schools and teachers, but acquired a fair education the result of studious habits and individual application, was a genius in mechanics: was a logical thinker and could write entertainingly." (Quoting Samuel B. Hill.) He married 27 June 1869 Sierra Nevada, daughter of Major Enoch Obert Wolf, born Arkansas 11 November 1853. They resided Izard County, Arkansas to about 1887 when they moved to Rockwall County, Texas, excepting short intervals in the States of Washington and Oklahoma he spent the remainder of his life in Texas. He died 15 January 1910 and was buried in Llano cemetery under the auspices of the Odd Fellows. He was the only son of Judge Samuel Billingsley who was an Odd Fellow. She survived him some years and died 27 February 1925 at Ephrata, Washington. :Major Enoch Obert Wolf, was born in Ohio in 1829 and is stated to have been a veteran of the Mexican War and also of the Civil War. He married (1) prior to 1850 Eviza , born Arkansas in 1832, resided in Fulton County, Eviza died in 1870's and he married (2) Elizabeth Billingsley, widow of John A. Simpson, in June 1880, see No. 256 for her record. No data on his death; the following children were living in 1860 there were probably others: Elizabeth Wolf, b 1850; Sierra N.; Eviza, b 1857; Fiburn, b Mar. 1860.

Children:

i Christine Elizabeth: b 2 Oct. 1870 Izard Co., Ark., m 24 Feb. 1889 at Chisholm, Tex., Edward Searcy Briggs, b Lauderdale Co., Ala. 1 Jan. 1860. He is a member of Woodmen of the World, and she is a member of the Eastern Star, and a Christian Scientist. Reside Rockwall, Tex. They had:



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1 Willie May Briggs: b 12 July 1890, a school teacher.

2 John Raymond Briggs: b 20 Aug. 1892 at McLendon, Tex., m 23 June 1917 Matty Irene Heffington. He enlisted 15 Dec. 1917 at Dallas, Tex. served as mechanic 167 and 187 Aero-Squadrons, discharged 15 Jan. 1919. Reside Terrell, Tex. They had:

a John Raymond Briggs, Jr.: b 14 June 1918 McLendon, Tex.

b Betty Margaret Briggs: b 2 June 1924 Terrell, Tex.

c Edward Grier Briggs: b 4 Sept. 1929 Beeville, Tex.

3 Paul Allen Briggs: b 11 July 1896 McLendon, Tex. He enlisted at Dallas, Tex. Aug. 1918, served in 167 and 199 Aero-Squadrons, discharged Apr. 1919. Resides Los Angeles, Calif.

4 Edward Lee Briggs: b 27 Jan. 1903 at McLendon, Tex., m 26 Jan. 1924 at Terrell, Tex. Tessie Loraine Hardy, reside Terrell, Tex. They had

a Edward Lee Briggs, Jr.: b 9 Sept. 1926.

5 Fay Elizabeth Briggs: b 21 Dec. 1904 at McLendon, Tex., m Aug. 1929 Raymond Earl King, reside Terrell, Tex.

ii Emma Serepta: b 21 Dec. 1872 at Franklin, Ark., she m Apr. 1899 at Dallas, Tex., John Fee Wilson, b Ohio 18-, he was a Methodist and she was a member of Christian church, she died 23 June 1914 at Amarillo, Tex., he died 30 Dec. 1920 at Rockwall, Tex. They had:

1 Fern Wilson: b 28 Sept. 1901, resides Houston, Tex.

2 Hal Eric Wilson, b 12 Jan. 1903, resides Wellington, Kan.

3 Jewell Agrees Wilson: b 1 Dec. 1905, is a Nurse.

iii Eviza Ann: b 25 Feb. 1875 at Franklin, Ark., m 24 Sept. 1893 at Rockwall, Tex., James Dwight McCrommen, b Waxahachie, Tex. 24 May 1870, members of Christian church, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

1 Lillian F. McCrommen: b 11 Sept. 1894, m 8 Oct. 1911 Norman Dodson, she died 7 Sept. 1913.

2 Neva Christine McCrommen: b 30 Sept. 1896, m 8 Feb. 1921 H. C. Houter, reside Grand Junction, Colo. They had:

a Shirley Marie Houter.

3 Daughter: b 20 Nov. 1898, died same day.

4 Ruth B. McCrommen: b 12 Jan. 1900, m 14 May 1917 O. H. Morrison, reside Amarillo, Tex. They had:

a Mary Ann Morrison.

b Olland Harrel Morrison.

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5 Emma. Kate McCrommen: b 4 Feb. 1902, m 21 Apr. 1920 J. E. King, reside Denver, Colo.. They had:  
a Virginia King: b 1921.  
b Martin King: b 1924.

6 William James McCrommen: b 28 Jan. 1904, died 14 May 1904.

7 Gussie F. McCrommen: b 31 Mar. 1905.

8 Norman M. McCrommen: b 1 Oct. 1907, resides San Francisco, Calif.

9 Pauline E. McCrommen: b 23 Sept. 1911, m 23 May 1930 Marvin Schaffer, reside Grand Junction, Colo.

iv Preston Fiburn: b 19 Aug. 1877 at Franklin, Ark., m 27 June 1907 at Wallace, Idaho, Ida May Tweedy, b Weston, Oreg., 6 Jan. 1882. He possesses the Samuel Billingsley Bible and has furnished the written contents which we have used herein; there is some variation in dates as furnished by others. Reside Ephrata, Wash. They had:

1 Thelma Beatrice: b 26 Apr. 1908, m 3 July 1927 Gordon Nicks, reside Ephrata, Wash.

2 Lemuel Walter: b 10 Dec. 1910.

v Clara Anderson: b 9 Jan. 1879 in Ark. She m at Rockwall, Tex. 6 Jan. 1898 W. Henry Atkeison, born Somerville, Tenn. in 1873, reside Mundy, Tex. They had:

1 Richard Atkeison: b 1899, m 1920 Iosa Ferguson, reside Tex., probably at Mundy. They had:

a Ann Atkeison: b 1922.

b Dixie Atkeison: b 1924.

2 Thelma Atkeison: b 1900.

3 Hollis Atkeison: b 1903, m, reside Haskell, Tex.

4 Henry Atkeison: b 1908, resides Haskell, Tex.

5 Kathleen Atkeison: b 1910.

6 Louise Atkeison : b 1913.

7 Virginia Bess Atkeison: b 1915.

vi Edna Augusta: b 25 Jan. 1882 Ark., m 18 Sept. 1904 at Rockwall, Tex., P. Lea Renison, b Colorado City, Tex., 12 Aug. 1880, reside Fullerton, Calif. They had:

1 Ralph Leonard Renison: b 15 Feb. 1905 Tex.

2 Reba Nevada Renison: b 17 Aug. 1907 Tex.

3 Preston Lea Renison: b 7 June 1918 Tex.

vii Alvin Lee: b 13 Aug. 1884 Ark., m 17 Jan. 1911 at Hardy, Ark., Laura Bell Tucker, b Highland, Ark., 26 June 1883, reside Fullerton, Calif. They had:

1 Hazel L.: b 18 Nov. 1911 at Amarillo, Tex.; m 28 Oct. 1930 at Riverside, Calif., Jerrold D. Lutschg.

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2 Lera Ruby: b 18 Apr. 1913 at Monette, Ark.

3 Bonnie Bernice: b 18 Feb. 1917 at Hardy, Ark.

4 Richard Lee: b 21 May 1923 at Anaheim, Calif.

viii Daughter: b 30 June 1886, died infancy.

ix Milton Frederick: b 31 Dec. 1888 at Chisholm, Tex. He married 1,0 Dec. 1914 at Royse City, Tex., Jane Bounds, b Royse City, Tex. 12 Dec. 1890. He is a lawyer, reside Mundy, Tex. They had:

1 Ernest Milton: b 19 Nov. 1915 called "Bill."

2 Robert Minor: b 25 Dec. 1916 called "Bob."

3 Dan Obert: b 25 Aug. 1922.

x Margaret Frances: b 31 Dec. 1888 a twin, died 2 Oct. 1893.

xi Billie Ruby: b 29 Dec. 1892 at Santo, Tea., she m 27 June 1912 at Amarillo, Tex. Lex E. Riggan, b Ellis Co., Tex. 8 Aug. 1894, reside Placentia, Calif. They had:

1 Lex E. Riggan, Jr.: b 25 July 1917.

2 Winfield Lea, Riggan: b 28 Nov. 1919.

3 William Robert Riggan: b 27 Jan. 1922.

4 Mary Catherine Riggan: b 12 Apr. 1924.

xii Lemma Cate: b 27 Mar. 1895 at Rockwell, Tex., she m 5 Sept. 1920 at Ephrata, Wash., Wesley Leo Robinson, b Grand Rapids, Mich. 4 June 1896. He is a World War veteran. Reside Ephrata, Wash. They had:

1 William Leo Robinson: b 18 Dec. 1921.

2 Janice Elaine Robinson: b 15 Mar. 1926.

xiii Wary Nevada: b 13 Sept. 1897 at McLendon, Tex., she m 31 July 1920 at Spokane, Wash., John Morgan Porter, b Harrisburg, Oreg., 11 Jan. 1895, reside Ephrata, Wash. They had:

1 John Morman Porter, Jr.: b 6 June 1921.

2 James David Porter: b 31 Aug. 1925.

3 Mary Carolyn Porter: b 28 June 1930.

259 NANCY (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jacob 7, John 6, James .5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Lawrence County, Tennessee in 183:3. She married in 1852 in Tennessee John Beshers, born Tennessee 18-. They started to Texas early in 1854 and made a visit to his relatives in Arkansas where they remained some months, arrived in Texas in 1855 and settled in Johnson County where he died before 1860, she married (2) William Smith, no data on her death.

Children:

i Elbert G. Beshers: b 1854 Pike Co., Ark. He was living in 1931 and furnished some facts on the family, resided Cleburne, Tex.

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ii Mary Rebecca Beshers: b 1856 Johnson Co., Tex. She m in late 1870's John Mitchell, who was an early settler in Johnson Co., Tex. She was living in 1931, resided Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

1 Summer Mitchell: m Cavin, reside Mountain Park, Okla.

2 Jeff Mitchell: m—.

3 Arthur (Dee) Mitchell: m reside Dallas, Tex.

4 Edward Mitchell: m Robbie Noyes, reside Mountain Park, Okla.

5 Lafayette Mitchell: m – Allen.

6 Quincy Mitchell: m – Allen.

7 Alice Mitchell: m John Brodie, reside Alvarado, Tex.

8 Lillie Mitchell: m—.

9 Belle Mitchell: m – Dunlap, reside Fort North, Tex.

iii Eliza Smith: b 186-, 2d marriage.

iv Ophelia Smith: b 186-, m James Benton, reside Sweetwater, Tex.

v Joseph Smith: b 18-.

260 JOSEPH (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina January 1820, moved to Illinois with his parents about 1831. He married in 1841 Phebe, born Illinois 1816 and settled in Clinton County where they resided till the late 1860's then moved to Missouri. No data on their deaths. Children:

i Catherine: b 1842.

ii Edmund: b 4 Apr. 1843. He enlisted 14 Aug. 1862 as Pvt. G, 117th Ill. Inf., U. S. and served thru the war, resided in Clinton Co., Ill. 1865 to 1876, then moved to Neck City, Mo., where he m 3 June 1880 Sarah \I. and spent the rest of his days. He was pensioned. Was five feet and one half inches in height, blue eyes, and dark hair, occupation stated as farmer. He died 10 Feb. 1923. Sarah made application for widow's pension Mar. 1923 and died 13 June 1923 before the claim was approved. This claim was witnessed by Pearl E., wife of Charles E. Scale and Ida M. Smith. It is not known if these are two daughters. No children are mentioned in his original claim.

iii Nancy: b 1845.

iv Jane: b 1846.

v Emily: 1848.

vi Sophia: b 1849

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vii Benjamin Franklin: b 1851.

viii Lyman: b 1854.

261 JOHN HEARD (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1808, moved to Alabama with his parents. He migrated to Georgia about 1830 and married there prior to 1834 Tabitha Peterson, born Georgia in 1816, resided in Heard and Troupe Counties to 1849 then moved to Tallapoosa County, Alabama where he engaged in farming and died about 1858. Tabitha survived him and was living in 1870 and deceased prior to 1880.

Children:

i Dicy: b 1834 Ga., m or d before 1860.

ii Nancy America: b 1837 Ga., m 1850 Marion Crow, b N.C. 1830, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala. They had:

1 Nancy A. Crow: b 1851.

2 Amanda Crow: b 1852.

3 Michael Crow: b 1854.

4 Henry Crow: b 1857.

5 Frances Crow: b 1859.

iii Barzillai: b 1839 Ga., m 1859, Marietta Martha –, b Ala. 1843. He is said to have been a Confederate soldier, his name does not appear on War Dept. records. Both were living in 1880 in Tallapoosa Co., Ala. They had:

1 John Heard: b 1851. Was living in 1870.

iv Mary: b 1841, died in 1850's.

v Sarah: b 1845, m 1865 Elisha Jones, b Ala. 1835, his 2d wife, he had 3 children living at time of this marriage, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala. They had, known:

1 Frances Jones: b 1867.

2 George Jones: b Feb. 1870.

vi Peterson B.: b 1847 Ga., m in 1868 Henrietta –, b Ala. 1852, he is listed as a farm laborer, resided in Tallapoosa Co., Ala. and both living in 1880. They had, known:

1 William H.: b Dec. 1869.

2 Peterson F.: b 1872.

3 Nancy: b 1874.

4 Reuben A.: b 1876.

5 Cora E.: b 1879.

vii Eliza V.: b 1849 Ga.

viii Anna: b 1853 Ala.

ix Susannah E.: b 1855.

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262 WILLIAM H. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1810 moved to Alabama with his parents where he married prior to 1840 Nancy B. , born in Alabama 1820, they resided in Greene County, then moved to Leake County, Mississippi about 1843 where Nancy died in 1853-54. He moved to De Soto Parish, Louisiana where he married (2) prior to 1860 Sarah E. ( ? ) Flencken, born Alabama in 1828, a widow who had 3 children at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer and died about 1871-2, she survived him and was living in 1880.

Children: (known)

i Joseph 'V.: b 1840 Ala., died in 1850's in Miss.

ii James Joshua: b 1844 Leake Co., Miss., moved to La. with his father. He enlisted 3 May 1862 Pvt. D, 11th La. Inf., C. S. A. and is listed as Pvt. Consolidated La. Inf. later; Feb. 1864, absent sick; listed as Sgt. D, 8th La Cav. on a roll of prisoners paroled in 1865. He married prior to 1869 Mary E. , b La. 1846, both were living in 1880 and residing in De Soto Par., La. Some of his sons are living today in and around Mansfield, La., no information obtainable from any of them. They had, known:

1 Willie L: b Dec. 1869.

2 John H.: b 1873.

3 Jane J.: b 1875.

4 William R.: b 1877.

5 James Joshua: b 1879.

iii Lelita L.: b 1846 Miss.

iv Mary : b 1851 Miss., died small.

v William P. Flencken: b 1847 Ala. Stepson, m 1871 Mary J., b Miss. 1860, resided De Soto Par., La.

vi Bradley D. Flencken: b 1849 Stepson.

vii John Flencken: b 1851 Ala. Stepson.

viii Lucy: b 1860 La., 2d wife.

ix Wade H.: b 1862 La.

x Thomas A.: b 1865 La.

xi Emma: b 1869 La.

262 DAVID A. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William H. 7, William H. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1814, moved to Alabama with his parents and married prior to 1840, Martha J., born North Caroline, in 1821, resided Tuscaloosa County, Alabama, moved to Leake County, Mississippi about 1843 where they resided to 1848, then moved to Pickens County, Alabama where they resided to about 1857, they then moved to De Soto Parish, Louisiana where he engaged in

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farming: Martha was living in 1870 and died before 1880, he was living in 1880. Some of his descendants are living today in and around Mansfield, Louisiana, no information obtainable from any of them.

Children: (known):

i Martha: b 1841 Ala.

ii Missouri C.: b 1844 Leake Co., Miss., m or d before 1870.

iii Walter :1.: b 1846 Leake Co., Miss. Enlisted as Pvt. D, 8th La. Cav., C. S. A., date not given, he is on a list of prisoners paroled in 1865, no other data. He m in 1876 Mary --, b Miss. 1858, resided De Soto Par., La. in 1880.

They had, known:

1 Emma b 1879.

2 Walter: b Feb. 1880. iv Elvira T.: b 1848.

v Narcissa: b May 1850 Ala., died in 1850's.

vi David Winfield Scott: b 1852, was unmarried in 1880.

vii Mary C.: b 1854 Ala.

ix Narcissa A. M.: b 1861 La.

#### 263 GEORGE M. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John A. 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born White County, Indiana 29 September 1840. He enlisted 5 September 1861 as Private A, 9th Ind. Infantry, U. S. He was five feet and ten inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, occupation farmer. Sick in hospital, Nashville, Tenn. 26 December 1862.

Re-enlisted 24 January 1864, as Veteran, Corporal 'A'-lay 1865; A. W. O. L. 17 June 1865 to 2 July 1865. No further military record. He was pensioned. He married 7 June 1867 Carroll County, Indiana, Lavina Jane Maxwell, born Indiana 18-1--. Resided in Carroll, White, and Cass Counties, Indiana, moved to Crawford County, Kansas in 1878 and then to Benton County, Arkansas in 1883, and then in 1890 they moved to Labette County, Kansas where she died in 1911, he survived her and died 18 May 1917.

Children:

i Maud: b 25 Jan. 1871 Ind.

ii Josephine: b 10 Aug. 1873 White Co., Ind.

iii Claude: b 14 Feb. 1876 Cass Co., Ind.

iv Blanche: b 19 Oct. 1878 Crawford Co., Kan.

v Jessie G.: b 24 July 1881.

vi Rose: b 23 Feb. 1884 Benton Co., Ark.

vii George F.: b 22 Mar. 1887.

viii Luther Blaine: b 14 Oct. 1891 Labette Co., Kan.

#### 264 JAMES M. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Jackson County, Tennessee 11 May 1830. He married (1) in 1850

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Sophia (McDonald?), born Tennessee in 1834, she died in 1855 and he married (2) in 1857 Louverna Birdwell, born Tennessee in 1834. He was a farmer and resided in Jackson County all his days where he died 5 March 1903 and she died 20 April 1904.

Children:

i Thomas L.: b 1853, m 1872 Elizabeth, b Tenn. in 1851, he died in 1879, she was living in Jackson Co., Tenn. in 1880. They had:

- 1 Sophia: b 1874.
- 2 James- b 1875.
- 3 Dowell: b 1878.
- 4 Mack: b 1879.

ii Edward McDonald: b 1855. Was not living at home in 1880, it is not known if he was deceased.

iii Martha J.: b 10 Nov. 1859, 2d wife. She m 20 Dec. 1879 (?) J. B. Wheeler, residence not stated, she was living in 1931. They had:

- 1 Lytton Wheeler.
- 2 Verne Wheeler.
- 3 Lura Wheeler.
- 4 Hobert Wheeler.
- 5 Callie Wheeler.
- 6 Belle Wheeler.

iv James B.: b 17 Sept. 1861, m 1884 Rhoda Brown, b Tenn. in 18-, reside Bloomington Springs, Tenn. They had:

- 1 James B.: b 188-.
- 2 William: b 188-.
- 3 Arby: b 18-.
- 4 Byrd: b 18-.
- 5 John: b 18-.
- 6 Mary: b 18-.
- 7 Clara: b 1-.

v Mary D.: b 1864. Was living unto. in 1880.

vi Grant: b 1866, died small.

vii Cary Elizabeth: b 4 May 1867, m in 1889 By-rd M. Brown, reside Berkeley, Calif. 1931. They had:

- 1 Lovie Brown.
- 2 Carlos Brown.
- 3 Bertha Brown.
- 4 Luke Brown.
- 5 Nora Brown.
- 6 Everett Brown.
- 7 Notie Glow Brown.
- 8 Charles Brown.

viii Van Dorn: b Aug. 1869, died small.



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ix Finando Nitious: b 1870, m 9 Sept. 1894 Callie Belle Martin, b Tenn. 18-, reside Bloomington Springs, Tenn. They had

1 Lou Oma: b 5 July 1895, died 13 July 1896.

2 Ora Parisetta: b 10 Dec. 1896, died 17 Oct. 1902.

3 Harrison Ord: b 2 June 1899, died 2 Dec. 1918.

4 Lora Juanita: b 25 Apr. 1904, m 19 July 1930 Claude S. Huddleston.

5 Mary Allan: b 29 July 1916.

x Sophia: b 28 Aug. 1873, m 1891 William E. Carrington, residence not stated. They had:

1 Joseph H. Carrington.

2 Toy Carrington.

3 Belle Carrington.

4 Oneida Carrington.

xi Lula: b 1877, m 1893 Malbert McBroom, reside Bloomington Springs, Tenn. They had:

1 William McBroom.

2 Ira McBroom.

3 Winifred McBroom.

4 Alfred McBroom.

5 Lora McBroom.

6 James Lee McBroom.

xii Arby: b 1879, deceased prior to 1931.

265 JOHN (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1).* Born McMinn County, Tennessee 8 January 1823, moved to Benton and Cherokee Counties, Alabama with his parents. He married (1) 24 December 1845 Lunacie Mertilla Simms, born Georgia 1825, she died 1 October 1861. He enlisted in 1862 and was appointed second Lieutenant B, 31st Alabama, Infantry, C. S. A. mustered in 27 March 1862 at Cherokee, Alabama. He resigned 30 April 1863 on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability, chronic diarrhoea. (War Dept. records.) He married (2) 27 June 1862 Mica Parthenia Simms, born Cherokee County, Alabama 15 October 1838, a sister of his first wife, and daughter of Reuben Simms and Miss Sharp who were the parents of nine daughters and one son, Mrs. Simms died in the 1840's he married (2) - , and moved to Mississippi. Parthenia died 30 January 1899, he survived her a few years and died 28 June 1901, resided. Cherokee County, Alabama.  
Children

i Thomas Walter (9) : b 22 June 1853.

ii Mary Mertilla: b 18 Dec. 1865, 2d wife, she married 4 Feb. 1886 Wiley W. Burnes, b Cherokee Co., Ala. 1861. He was a son of Andrew Jackson Burnes, b Ga. 1836, d ca 1869 and Levina Casey, b 1834 Cherokee Co., Ala., a

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grandson of Andrew Burnes, b S.C. 1803 and Margaret b S.C. 1803, who moved to Ga. about 1827 and to Cherokee Co., Ala. about 1838: They were the parents of, known: William, b 1828; Francis, b 1832; Hannah, b 1834; Sarah, b 1835; Andrew J., b 1836; Margaret, b 1839, Ala.; Archibald, b 1843; Martha, b 1845; and Samuel, b 1847. Levina was a daughter of Wiley Casey, b Ga. 1802 and Matilda --, b Ga. 1813, moved to Cherokee Co., Ala. 1832-33, both were living in 1880, they were the parents of: Levina, b 1834; Clement, b 1836; Harris, b 1839; Althea, b 1840; Neil, b 1842; Arthur, b 1844; John, b 1845; Wiley, b 1847; and Elizabeth, b. Sept. 1850.

Andrew J. Burnes was married in Cherokee Co., Ala. in 1857-58 moved to Ark. about 1862 where he died ca 1869, his widow was living in Cherokee Co., Ala. in 1880, they were the parents of Margaret, b 1859; Wiley W., b 1861 Ala.; Ross, b 1863 Ark.; Bluford, b 1866; and Jacob, b 1868 Ark.

Wiley W. Burnes resided in Cherokee Co., Ala. and moved to Rome, Ga. after 1904. He died Oct. 1927, she survives him and resides Rome, Ga. 1931. They had:

1 Norman Norwood Burnes: b 7 Nov. 1887, m prior to 1912 Bessie King, b Rome, Ga. Apr. 1888. Reside Rome, Ga. They had:

a Norman Norwood Burnes, Jr.: b 2 June 1917.

b William Calvin Burnes: b 26 Oct. 1914.

c Mary Frances Burnes: b 8 May 1918.

d Hugh Sydnor Burnes: b 27 Mar. 1921.

e Charles Carrington Lamborn Burnes: b 6 Aug. 1926.

2 Romye Inez Burnes: b 24 Jan. 1889, m 24 June 1920 at Baltimore, Md. Charles C. Lamborn, b ca 1869-70. He is a banker, reside Washington, D.C. They had:

a Ruth Burnes Lamborn: b 28 Jan. 1921.

b Mary Eleanor Lamborn: b 4 Aug. 1923, d 4 Mar. 1927.

c Martha Jane Lamborn: b 15 Oct. 1927.

3 Wiley Hugh Burnes: b 19 July 1891, served in World War, in Tank Corps, was over seas, died 1921.

4 Marvin Edmund Burnes: b 18 Jan. 1894, served in World War, overseas. He m prior to 1927 Grace Clements, b Rome, Ga. 1901, reside Rome, Ga. They had:

a Marvin Edmund Burnes, Jr.: b 15 Mar. 1927.

b Betty Jean Burnes: b 26 Dec. 1929.

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5 Herman Milton Burnes: b 2 Nov. 1898, m Agnes Hirsch, b Atlanta, Ga. 1904, reside Rome, Ga. They had:  
a Mary Hugh Burnes: b 28 Sept. 1929.

6 Elbert Roy Burnes: b 21 Oct. 1901.

7 Ross H. Burnes: b 11 Dec. 1904.

iii Sarah Ella: b 11 Sept. 1871 Cherokee Co., Ala., she m 3 Dec. 1911 at Cedar Bend, Ala., James A. Dodgen, b Calhoun Co., Ala. 9 Dec. 1868, he died 16 May 1927, she survives him and resides Keener, Ala. They had no children. She has furnished information on this family.

266 JAMES WASHINGTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 29 July 1828 probably in McMinn County, moved of Alabama with his parents where he married in 1849, Altazara Wolfe, born Georgia 23 November 1830, resided in Cherokee County where he died 23 March 1885, she survived him and died 5 March 1900.

Children:

i Lewis Walter: b 8 Nov. 1851, m Elvira Ferguson, he died 15 Sept. 1926 resided Tecumseh, Ala. No record of children.

ii John Roberts: b 27 Oct. 1853, m Elizabeth Davis, he died 24 Feb. 1931, resided Rome, Ga. No record of children.

iii Annie Elizabeth: b 18 Dec. 1855, m 28 Jan. 1875 William Martin Hardin, b Coosa, Floyd Co., Ga. 23 Feb. 1845, he died 2 Mar. 1927, she survives him and resides Rome, Ga. They had:

1 Ella Beatrice Hardin: b 30 Dec. 1875, d 12 Sept. 1895.

2 Alfred Alonzo Hardin: b 2 Feb. 1878, m Mattie Lou Johnson, reside Atlanta, Ga.

3 William Gordon Hardin: b 31 Mar. 1880, resides Frisco, Tex.

4 James Edgar Hardin: b 10 Aug. 1882, d 17 Aug. 1882.

5 Mark Anthony Hardin: b 23 Aug. 1883, m Hattie Johnson; reside Miami, Fla.

6 Annie May Hardin: b 12 Dec. 1886, resides Rome, Ga. She has furnished information on this family.

7 Martha Lillian Hardin: b 25 May 1889, resides 'Miami, Fla.

8 Walter Leonidas Hardin: b 18 Apr. 1892, m Myrtle Pinkston, reside Madison, Ga.

9 Nellie Clyde Hardin: b 8 Apr. 1895, m Raleigh Johnson, reside Rome, Ga.

10 Mary Ballenger Hardin: b 12 Oct. 1897, m J. D. Andrews, reside Rome, Ga.

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iv Henry: b 3 May 1858, d 4 Oct. 1862.

v Ira Francis (9) : b 22 Sept. 1859.

vi Martha: b 28 Aug. 1864, m J. E. Pennington, reside Esom Hill, Ga. No information obtainable of her children.

vii Sarah: b 15 Jan. 1867, d 3 Aug. 1881.

viii Temple: b 9 Mar. 1870, m Charles Griffith, she died 30 Mar. 1895, resided Birmingham, Ala.

ix Allison: b 21 Feb. 1872, m Ida Aycock, he died 28 Feb. 1897, she was deceased in 1931, resided Crystal Springs, Ga. No record of children.

267 SAMUEL LAFAYETTE P. (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John, 2, Francis 1.)* Born McMinn County, Tennessee in 1831, this portion of McMinn County became Bradley County in late 1830's. He married in 1851 Martha Foster, born Athens, Tennessee, in 1830. War Department records show: Samuel L. P. Billingsley enlisted 12 November 1861 at Cleveland, Tennessee as Private C. 5th Tennessee Cavalry (McKenzie's), C. S. A., present April 1862, age given as 30 years. Another card shows S. L. P. Billingsley, enlisted 26 October 1861 at Cleveland, Tenn. for one year, reenlisted 16 May 1867 as Private H, 63rd Tenn. Infantry, C. S. A., for 3 years at Charleston, Tenn. Roll dated June 1862 shows "on furlough." August 1862, present with company. A roll dated 9 April 1864 carries a notation: "Deserted 8 September 1863 near Dalton, Georgia." After the war they migrated to Meigs County, Tennessee where he engaged in farming, he was kicked on the head by a mule and died 30 August 1897, Martha survived him a short time and passed on 12 May 1893.

Children:

i Levinia: b 1853, died small.

ii William Foster: b 1854, m Mrs. Mary Filpot in 1881, he died Apr. 1888 in Tenn. No mention of any children.

iii Frank Samuel: b 1850, m 1880 Laura McCowan, he died 14 Mar. 1917 at Bigsring, Tenn. His widow resides Daisy, Tenn., no information obtainable from her or her son, Britt, who is said to be m and resides same place.

iv David Milton: b Mar. 1857, m , moved to Mo., and was injured in a saw mill about 1890 and died the following year. Said to have left two children who were believed to be deceased in 1931.

v Samuel George: b 186-, died March 1886 at Bigsring, Tenn. of pneumonia.

vi Lafayette Foster: b 186-, died Feb. 1897 at Jenny Lind, Ark. of meningitis, left a wife who also died the same year. No mention of any children.

vii Robert Leroy: b 1869 at Loudon, Tenn., died Meigs Co., Tenn. Aug. 1880 of typhoid fever.

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viii. William Edward: b 9 Oct. 1871 at Morgantown, Tenn. Ordained a Baptist minister in 1896. Resides Jasper, Tenn. Never married. He has furnished information on this family.

268 GEORGE PLOWMAN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bradley County, Tennessee 4 May 1833. He married in 1856 Mary Jane Camp, born near Athens, Tennessee 18 June 183?. Resided in Bradley County on a farm which his wife inherited, when the children were of school age they moved to Charleston, Tennessee where they were educated and he engaged in merchandising. After some years they moved to Gadsden, Alabama where he operated an hotel, then lived a few years in Texas at the home of his daughter, Anna, returned to Gadsden, Alabama where Mary died 3 January 1915, he survived her some years and died 31 October 1926, both buried at Cleveland, Tennessee.

Children:

i John Camp: b 26 Mar. 1857 Tenn., died 3 Apr. 1913.

ii Anna McMillan: b 4 May 1861. Went to Texas after she finished school and taught music for some years, met and married Charles William Callom, b Texas. They moved to Gadsden, Ala. where he died about 1923. She survives him. No children.

iii Elizabeth Parkinson: b 29 Sept. 1863 in Tenn. She married 3 Apr. 1884 at Charleston, Tenn. Alexander Filmore Lankford, b Staunton, Va. 18 Sept. 1859. He died at Roanoke, Va. 14 Nov. 1928, she survives him and resides Gadsden, Ala. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Mollie Lankford: b 23 June 1887 Charleston, Tenn., died 3 Apr. 1888 at New River, Va.

2 Alexander Filmore Lankford, Jr.: b 28 Dec. 1900 at Gadsden, Ala. m 21 Nov. 1924 Paulina Guest, reside Gadsden, Ala. They had:

a Alexander Filmore Lankford: b 16 Apr. 1927.

iv Sterling Thomas: b 30 June 1865. He has been a railroad man most all his life, serving in many positions, was with Railroad Administration for some years. He married prior to 1902, Margaret Milbert, b Pittsburgh, Pa. 18-, reside Gadsden, Ala. in 1932. They had:

1 Anna Kathryn: b 11 Oct. 1902, m

v Mary Lula: b 17 June 1867 Tenn., died San Bernards, Tex. 3 Aug. 1927. This is the one who went to Montana and brought her uncle, David M. Billingsley, to her home, etc.

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vi Lynn Blount: b 21 June 1875 Tenn. He married prior to 1906 Rose Bonner, she is called "Pansy," resided San Bernards, Tex. where he died 18 Apr. 1930, she m (2) prior to 1932, C. E. Gilmore, reside Buckeye, Tex. They had: 1 Mary Elizabeth: b 26 Jan. 1906. 2 Bromie Lucile: b 12 Mar. 1908.

3 Rose Bonner: b 6 Nov. 1909.

4 Lynn Blount, Jr.: b 9 Oct. 1911.

5 George Plowman: b 16 Feb. 1914. 6 Frank Hudson: b 1918.

269 JOSEPH WILLIAM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bradley County, Tennessee in 1840. He migrated late in the year 1860 to Texas. He enlisted 10 May 1861 at Camp Cooper for the war, as Private C, 1st Texas Cavalry (McCullough's) C. S. A.; by reorganization he became Private E, 8th Batt. Tex. Cav. (Taylor's). On 60 day furlough 6 July 1862. In May 1863 this battalion consolidated and he became Private H, 1st Tex. Cav. (Yager's). On detached service with horses at Camp Bernard, no date. February 1864 present with company. Born Bradley Co., Tenn. age given as 21 years, six feet in height, blue eyes, and dark hair. He was pensioned by the state of Texas for this service. On 9 June 1871 he was commissioned Second Lieutenant, Texas Militia and served some seven years. Original commission in possession of his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Sanders, Lipari, Texas.

He married (1) in 1878 Mrs. Ellen Talbot Barton-Frost, born Iuka, Mississippi 17 January 1848, she was daughter of John G. Barton and Catherine Maria Carter, born Virginia 8 September 1822, and married in :Mississippi in 1840. John G. Barton died in Confederate service and Catherine died at Ozona, Texas in 1911, they were parents of John; Clarke; James; Jacob; Thomas; William; Katherine; Molly; Harriet; and Ellen T. Ellen T. Barton married (1) in 1866 George Frost who died in 1872 in a boiler explosion in Mississippi, she had a daughter at the time of her second marriage. She died 6 May 1889 in Fannin County, Texas. Joseph married (2) May 1892 at Dublin, Texas Mrs. Christina Robertson, she \_ died at Breckenridge, Texas 30 April 1913, he survived her a short time and died 22 August 1915.

Children:

i Hattie Beale Frost: b 30 Sept. 1869 Miss. Stepdaughter. She m 26 June 1893 at Rock Springs, Tex. William French, she was drowned in Llano River, near Junction, Tex. 5 Aug. 1894.

ii Cleola Lee: b 12 Nov. 1880 Delta Co., Tex. She married 14 June 1898 at Dublin, Tex. Daniel D. Barrett, born Robertson Co., Tex. 10 Nov. 1873. Divorced 27 Nov.

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1917. She resides Weatherford, Tex. She has been active in aiding in the collection of data on some "Missing" families and has discovered many who were considered fully "Lost." She furnished information on this family.

They had:

1 Leo Mansell Barren: b 11 Jan. 1900 at Dublin, Tex. Enlisted 29 Apr. 1917 Co. I, 19th Inf. and later transferred to Co. I, 85th Inf., discharged 2 Feb. 1919. At present (1931) he is with West Tex. Utilities Co., un married.

2 Cecile Berenice Barrett: b 1? Dec. 1901 at Duffan, Tex. m 6 Jan. 1930 at Ft. Worth, Tex. Marion B. Carroll, reside near Weatherford, Tex. They had:

a Myrna Gayle Carroll: b 31 Aug. 1931.

3 Erna Lee Barrett: b 10 Feb. 1907 at Sour Lake, Tex. Is a nurse, and unmarried in 1931.

4 Viola Erlene Barrett: b 13 July 1909 at Sour Lake, Tex. Is a graduate nurse, unmarried 1931.

iii Eula Jo.: b 22 Sept. 1883 Delta Co., Tex., she m 29 Nov. 1903 M. E. Sanders, b 14 Sept. 1883, reside Lipan, Tex. They had:

1 Son: b 190-, d. infancy.

2 Ethyl Lee Sanders: b 14 June 1906, m Aug. 1925 N. S. Chenault, reside Abilene, Tex. They had:

a Deronda Myrl Chenault: b 9 Sept. 1926.

b Maurice Vaught Chenault: b 1 Nov. 1927.

c Millard C. Chenault: b 15 Nov. 1929.

3 Edna Wherl Sanders: b 1 Oct. 1908, m 13 Apr. 1929 Charles P. Carter, residence, not stated. They had:

a Leo C. Carter: b 7 Jan. 1930.

4 Daughter: b 191-, died infancy.

iv Clarke Galbreath: b 20 Mar. 1889. He is stated to have been reared in the home of some of his uncles Barton and now uses the surname of Barton. He m 1906 Letitia Coates, reside Ozona, Tex. They had:

1 Dorothy Barton: b 1911.

v George Ivan: b 5 Aug. 1894, 2d wife. He m 1914 Rhea Weldon, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

1 George Evelyn. b 1916.

270 WILLIAM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born McMinn County, Tennessee in 1830, moved to Arkansas with his parents in 1843. He married prior to 1856 Mary Ann Weaver, born Missouri in 1838. Resided in Marion County, Arkansas where he died in 1862, she moved to Missouri with her children and died about 1871.

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Children:

x John H.: b 1 Dec. 1856 Ark., m Ava Draper, b 18-,resided Springfield, Mo. in 1930, moved to Spokane, Mo. in 1931. This family has been reticent about furnishing any information. They had: (order not known)

1 Oren.

2 Waldo.

3 Walter.

4 J awes.

5 Benjamin H. resides Springfield, Mo. in grocery business.

6 Welthy.

7 Addie.

ii Elizabeth: b 1858, m a Mr. Brimm, resides Hartwell, Mo. No information obtainable from her.

iii Sarah: b 186-, deceased in 1931.

iv Martha: b 186-, m a Mr. Hart, resides Longrun, Mo. No information obtainable from her.

271 JOHN (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jesse 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born McMinn County, Tennessee in 1832, moved to Arkansas with his parents in 1843. Resided in Marion County in 1850, married 19 February 1855 in Searcy County, Arkansas Mary Elizabeth Golliver, born Arkansas in 1836. He enlisted 28 June 1862 at Yellville, Arkansas as Private K, 27th Ark. Inf., C. S. A. On a roll February 1863, he is shown as "Deserted 26 July 1862." He enlisted 30 July 1862 as Private D, 8th Mo. Cav. U. S. On a roll February 1863, shown as "sick." No further military record. He resided in Douglas County, Missouri and engaged in farming where he died 11 April 1873. His widow made application for a pension on the U. S. service and it was allowed and paid to 7 December 1884 when she married (2) Elijah Hurst, a U\_ . S. soldier from Indiana. She died 2? December 1906.

Children

i Nancy Jane: b 27 Dec. 1855, died 28 Feb. 1873.

ii Ona Paralee: b 3 Apr. 1857.

iii Hannah Adelaide: b 20 Jan. 1861, m 1879 John Capps, resided Douglas Co., Mo. They had, known:

1 Mary E. Capps: b May 1880. iv Mary Elizabeth: b 17 May 1865. v John C.: b 20 Mar. 1867.

vi Martha A.: b 3 Feb. 1869.

vii James A.: b 20 Mar. 1871.

viii Indiana: b 1 May 1873.



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271 JESSE J. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bradley County, Tennessee in 1842, moved to Arkansas with his parents in 1843. He enlisted 13 July 1861 as Private B, 14th Ark. Inf., C. S. A. Dropped as A "deserter" 26 July 1862. He enlisted 14 August 1862 as Private Zimmermann's Battery, Ark. Light Artillery, C. S. A., present 28 February 1863. No further military record. He married prior to 1867, Josephine Mannard, born 18- and resided in Franklin County, Missouri in 1867. He died at Arno, Missouri in March 1898. His son states in 1932: "I do not know if my mother is living or not, she went away when I was eleven months old and I have never heard of her since."

Children:

i George Washington: b 22 July 1867 at Pacific, Mo., moved to St. Louis, Mo. about 1892, m 17 Mar. 1897 Anna Randall, b St. Louis, Mo. 26 Jan. 1876, reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

1 Vivian: b 11 Jan. 1898, m Perry Brown, reside Shirley, Mo.

2 George Clifford: b 16 Nov. 1900, m Josephine Brown, reside St. Louis, Mo.

3 James: b 23 Dec. 1904, died 24 May 1927.

4 Ralph: b 11 May 1912, m Bengten Olsen, reside St. Louis, Mo.

5 Roland Bert: b 11 May 1912, a twin, m 18 June 1929, Julia Komars, reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

a Roland Bert, Jr.: b 1931.

6 Ward: b 16 May 1914. '

272 LORENZO DOW (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Basil 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Guilford County, North Carolina in 1817, moved to Rockingham County North Carolina with his parents prior to 1825. He was deeded household furniture, etc. (deed of gift) by Isaac Robertson, his stepfather, 22 November 1833 (Deeds Lib. 2F, fol. 5). He married prior to 1839 Sarah born North Carolina in 1811. It is not known if Sarah was a sister to one E. D. Oaks, or if Oaks and Billingsley married sisters.

No mention of Oaks is found in wills or deeds in this county. He was a farmer and inherited land from his mother but no record to show how. He dated his will 1849, was living June 1850 and the will was probated 13 July 1850. He leaves all estate to wife, Sarah, during her life and at her death to children, not named. Wife, Sarah, named as executrix. and my "brother-in-law, E. D. Oaks," to assist her in the administration, will witnessed by W. S. and Edmond W. Ogburn. (Lib. C, fol. 110.) Sarah was living in 1870 and about 1884 begins a series of quit claim deeds among her heirs concerning the land.

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Children:

i Mary Ann: b 1839, m 15 Dec. 1859 Andrew W. Wray, b N. C. 1834, son of Alexander and Polly Wray of Rockingham Co. He was a farmer, both were living in 1899 and believed to have been living in 1921. They figure in several deeds regarding the land left by L. D. Billingsley. They had, known:

1 Martha E. Wray: b 1860.

2 Robert Wray: b 1862.

3 William Wray: b 1865.

4 John D. Wray: b 1868.

ii Permelia Elizabeth: b 1841, m 23 Nov. 1860 Edwin Grey Southerland, b N. C. 1831. He was deceased in 1884, she figures in deeds concerning her father's land, etc. She was living in 1897-98. They had, known:

1 Martha Southerland: b 1866.

2 Elizabeth Southerland: b 1869.

iii Martha J.: b 1843. She m prior to 1884 John H. Simpson, his 2d wife. His 1st wife was Martha Ann Robertson, daughter of Aaron Robertson. Martha and her husband figure in the deeds concerning her father's land, etc. No record of children.

iv Sarah: b 1845, m 25 Feb. 1874 in Guilford Co., N. C. Thomas Newell, b N. C. 1829. They figure in the deeds concerning the land left by her father, etc. Resided in Guilford Co., N. C. where he died in 1900, estate administered by John R. Dwiggin. Only child known is:

1 Walter W. Newell: b 187-, m twice, and living in 1919, Guilford Co., N. C.

v William J.: b 1848. Living in 1860, probably died in childhood, not listed in 1870 and not mentioned in the va

vi John E.: b Jan. 1850, m prior to 1880 Sarah A. Figures in many land records to 1899 and resided in Rockingham Co., N. C. No record of children. There was record of a William D. Billingsley in 1930 as buying an automobile, it was indexed but not in Tiber, resided in this Co. and possibly son of John.

273 SAMUEL COLEMAN (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John ,2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia 17 August 1812; moved to Taliaferro County, Georgia with his parents where he married 8 July 1836 Elizabeth Coma Peek, born Georgia in 1815. They migrated to Wharton County, Texas about 1845 and resided there several years then moved to Rankin County, Mississippi where he owned considerable

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holdings of land and engaged in farming. Elizabeth died 1 January 1889 and he died about 1891. He is said to have been well educated, a refined Christian gentleman, much loved and respected in the community.

Children:

i David Francis Calloway: b 15 Jan. 1837 Taliaferro Co., Ga., moved to Tex. and Miss. with his parents. He enlisted 21 May 1861 Pvt. A, 18th Miss. Inf., C. S. A., for 12 months. Reenlisted 26 Apr. 1862 at Lee's Mill, Va., for 2 years, sick at Richmond, Ira. July to Nov. 1862. Transferred 1 Feb. 1863 to Batt. B, 1st Light Arty., captured at Port Hudson 9 July 1863 and paroled; Apr. 1864 was absent on furlough; captured at Blakeley, Ala., 9 Apr. 1865 and sent to Vicksburg 1 May 1865. He came out of the army much broken in health and died about 1871 unmarried.

ii John Bradford: b 16 July 1839 Ga., moved to Tex. and Miss. with his parents. He migrated to Texas early in 1861, enlisted at Houston, 24 Aug. 1861 Pvt. D. 2d Tex. Inf., C. S. A., Cpl. Mar. 1862 and killed at Shiloh, Tenn. 6 Apr. 1862.

iii James Alexander: b 1840 Ga., died in Tex. aet. 6 years.

iv Martha Elizabeth: b 1842 Ga. She married about 1867, James Monroe Downing, b Miss. 1839. He died at Miles Station, Miss. 12 Feb. 1912, and she died 3 Nov. 1913. Resided Rankin Co., Miss. They had:

1 Ollie Elizabeth Downing: b 11 Feb. 1870, m ca 1889 Patrick Ernest Bolls, of Utica, Miss. He died at Beulah, Miss., she survives him and resides Jackson, Miss. They had:

a Mary Bolls.

b Mattie Lea Bolls.

c Downing Bolls.

d Ernest Bolls.

e May Julia Bolls.

f Newman Bolls.

2 Bruce Downing: b 1872, stated to have m 12 Sept. 1919, Mary Williams, reside Raymond, Miss.

3 Ernest W. Downing: b 5 Oct. 1873 at Edwards, Hinds Co., Miss. He m (1) prior to 1896 Leila Perry, b 1870, she died 1907 and he m (2) 7 Oct. 1908 Annie B. Moss, reside Raymond, Miss. They had:

a James Monroe Downing: b 15 July 1896.

b Agnes Hall Downing: b 9 June - 1898.

c Child: b 29 Nov. 1901.

d Lonnie Mae Downing: b 27 July 1903.

e Willie Ernest Downing: -b 9 Aug. 1909, 2d wife.

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- f Clara Bell Downing: b 31 Oct. 1911. g Thomas Sparks Downing: b 30 June 1913, d 20 Sept. 1926.  
h Annie Bond Downing: b 12 Jan. 191.  
i Julius Chrisler Downing: b 1. Apr. 1916, d 11 Nov. 1919.
- 4 Eugene P. Downing: b 15 Dec. 187-1 Hinds Co., Miss., m prior to 1907 at Eudora, Ark., Mitie Francis, b Ark. 25 Oct. 1887, reside Eudora, Ark. They had:  
a Lucille Downing: b 7 Oct. 1907.  
b Thelma Pulley Downing: b 22 Dec. 1908.  
c James Henry Downing: b 28 Nov. 1911.  
d Frankie Downing: b 14 Oct. 1914 (girl).  
e Eugenia Downing: b 13 Mar. 1917.  
f Jennie Lea Downing: b 7 Oct. 1928.
- 5 J. Charlton Downing: b 187-, m Julia Stubbs, reside Raymond, Miss. They had:  
a Julia Mae Downing.  
b J. Charlton Downing, Jr.
- v Sara Rebecca (9) : b 5 Dec. 1843.
- vi Mary Samuella Shackelford: b 1848, m after 1870 Edward Downing, b Miss. 184-, she died about 1926, resided Miss. They had  
1 Francis Downing: b ca 1872, m Margaret Lewis. They had:  
a Francis Downing.  
b Edward Downing.  
c Marguerite Downing.
- 2 Elizabeth Downing: b 187-, m Robert L. Ellis, reside Mobile, Ala. No children.  
3 Edward Downing: b 187-, m, he is deceased, left one child.  
4 Jared Downing: b 187-, m, reside Jackson; Miss. No children.  
5 Van Robinson Downing: b 18-, m Minnie, reside Jackson, Miss. They had:  
a Minnie Lee Downing.  
b Van R. Downing, Jr.  
c James Terrell Downing.
- 6 Ella Downing: b 18-, m James T. Atkins, reside Jackson, Miss. No children.
- vii William Franklin (9) : b 22 Oct. 1852.
- viii Anna Thomas: b 22 Oct. 1852, a twin of William F. She married 22 Dec. 1870, Reuben Numen Downing, b Rankin Co., Miss. 27 July 1847, he died 25 Jan. 1889

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and she moved to Texas with her children, resides Hutto,  
Tex. They had:

- 1 Samuel Coleman Downing: b 30 Nov. 1873, m prior to .1905 Fannie Highsmith, reside Hutto, Tex. They had:
  - a John Samuel Downing: b 26 Nov. 1905.
  - b Bernice Numen Downing: b 18 Sept. 1908.
- 2 Willie Estling Downing: b 11 Nov. 1875, m prior to 1909 Mary Jane Rogers, reside Texas. They had:
  - a Bessie Maurine Downing: b 11 June 1909.
  - b Helen May Downing: b 5 May 1911.
  - c Agnes Wylmah Downing: b 12 Feb. 1915.
- 3 May Downing: b 7 Nov. 1877, m prior to 1898 Will Kenedy, reside Lelia Lake, Tex. They had:
  - a Warren Downing Kenedy: b 1898, m, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.
  - b Van Kenedy: b 9 Sept. 1900, m Ann, reside Clarendon, Tex.
- 4 Reuben Henry Downing: b 12 Apr. 1882, m Annie Early, he died 4 Nov. 1931, she survives him. They had:
  - a Dorothy Mae Downing: b 12 Apr. 1911.
  - b Jack Downing: b 1913.
  - c Delphine Downing: b 1917.
- 5 Edmund Monroe Downing: b 11 May 1884.
- 6 Bruce Thomas Downing: b Jan. 1887, m prior to 1916 Alma Barr, reside Texas. They had:
  - a Harold Downing: b Nov. 1916.
  - b Estelle Downing: b May 1918.
- 7 Ossa Burney Downing: b 21 Sept. 1889, m prior to 1920 Bertha Ray, reside Texas. They had:
  - a Ossa Burney Downing: b 2 Dec. 1920.
  - b Walter Daniel Downing: b 26 June 1922.

ix Samuel Winston (9) : b 1854.

274 MARTHA (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1817. She married (1) prior to 1833 and probably in Taliaferro County, a Mr. Watts, he died and she married (2) a Mr. Stokes, a Baptist minister, the only known child of this marriage may have name of his father. We have been unable to secure any information as to date or place of the death of Martha. It is believed she was deceased prior to 1852 as her son, Dr. David Watts, was administrator to the estate of Francis B. Billingslea and advertised extensively in the state of Texas trying to locate a grand daughter of the 2d marriage but without success. We have been informed by members

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of the family now resident in this county where the estate was located that this portion of the estate is still intact.  
Children:

i David Shelton Watts: b 29 Dec. 1833 in Ga. After his father's death and his mother's remarriage, he spent much of his time with his grand parents Billingslea. He graduated from Medical College of Ga. at Augusta in 1856, moved to Camden, Miss. where he married Nov. 1859, Anna Narcissus Sutherland, b Madison Co., Miss. 28 Oct. 1840. He was resident of Madison Co., in 1880; was located at Goodman, Miss. in 1893; and at Sharpsburg, Miss. in 1902. He is not listed in the Medical Directory for 1906, he died at his home 13 Mar. 1909. His widow survives him and was living in Madison Co., Miss. in 1932 and furnished some of this information. They had:

1 Martha L. Watts: b 1861, m after 1880 James Dancy, he was deceased in 1932, she survives him. They had:

a Lucy Dancy: b 18-, m F. W. Weaver, reside East Orange, N. J. They had:

al Margaret Weaver.

a2 Dancy Weaver.

b Istalena Dancy: b 18-, m a Mr. Messick, and reside near Memphis, Tenn. No children.

c Robert Dancy: b 18-, resides Tampa, Fla.

2 Aurelia S. Watts: b 1863, m Joseph Brown, reside Indianola, Miss. Said to have 5 sons and a daughter, Lucy.

3 William Walter Watts: b 1865, m Estelle-, reside Way, Miss. They had:

a Marvel Taylor Watts (adopted).

4 Anna Belle Watts: b 1866, m Oliver H. Billingslea, No. 436, which see.

5 Olivia C. Watts: b 1868, m Frank Cassell, reside Tallula, Miss., have 3 sons and 2 daughters.

6 David Sherrill Watts: b Apr. 1870, d unmarried.

7 Charles Dudley Watts: b 1872, m Emma Arderson, they have 6 children, residence not stated.

8 Hallie May Watts: b 1873, d small.

9 Clifford Peyton Watts: b 19 Oct. 1876, d 16 Apr. 1879.

10 Bertha M. Watts: b Oct. 1879.

11 Johnson Watts: b 20 Nov. 1881, m 10 June 1901 Josie\* L. Milton, reside Camden, Miss. They had:

a David Eugene Watts: b 18 June 1918..

b Maurice Olive Watts: b Nov. 1920.

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c Charles Wilbur Watts: b 28 July 1923. 12 James Reed Watts: b 188-.

ii William Stokes: b 183-, in Ga. 2d marriage. He married said to have had three children, two died in infancy and one daughter grew to maturity. Her father was possibly living some place in Texas in the early 1850's as this is the grandchild that was sought as heir to Francis B. Billingslea.

275 OLIVER F. (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Taliaferro County, Georgia 2 November 1828, moved to Texas and Mississippi with his parents. He married (1) prior to 1856 Mary E. (Holiday) Nash, a widow, born Georgia in 1832. He enlisted 28 April 1862 at Canton, Mississippi as Private, Richard's Company Mississippi Light Artillery; Corporal 6 June 1862; a roll dated February 1864 shows him on sick furlough. In August 186-1 a "Par Department Order, C. S. A., detailed him to Post duty on account of a disability, and in October 1864 he was detailed as "Agriculturist." He was paroled 13 day 1865, resided in Madison County, Mississippi and lived in the homestead established by his father. Mary died in or about 1865 and he married (2) prior to 1867 Cornelia Mothershed, born Mississippi circa 1842. They moved to Washington County, Texas where they resided a few years then returned to Madison County, Mississippi where he died 26 February 1878, Cornelia survived him was living in Madison County in 1880 and died at the old home 19 December 1913. Both buried Concord Presbyterian church yard.

Children:

i Otho F.: b 11 Oct. 1856. Was accidentally killed 30 Oct. 1882 by one William Baldwin while handling an "unloaded revolver".

ii Clifford Irene: b 12 July 1858, m prior to 1879 Edward W. Exum, b Miss. 1857, she died 14 May 1885 leaving 3 children. He m (2), had some family, all of them said to be deceased in 1931, except Edward W., Senior, who resided in Memphis, Tenn. They had:

1 Emma Exum: b 1879, died childhood.

2 Otho Exum: b 188-, died childhood.

3 Child: b 1885, died infancy.

iii William H.: b Feb. 1860, died small.

iv Oliver Holiday (9) : b 1861.

v Bradford F.: b 1867, 2d wife; migrated to Texas sometime after 1880 and died at Waco, Tex. in 1918 unmarried.

vi Theresa: b 1869, m Thomas Willis, he died in 1929, she survives him and resided Madison Co., Miss. in 1931. No children.

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276 MARY WHITE (8) NORRIS

(*John B. Norris 7, Sarah A. Billingsley 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cahaba, Dallas County, Alabama, 17 February 1822. Moved to Monroe County and to Mobile, Alabama with her parents. She married 3 December 1840 at 91 St. Louis Street, Mobile, Alabama, David Rogerson Williams Davis, born Marion District, South Carolina 8 May 1813. They moved to Galveston, Texas about 1841 where they- resided to 1844-45 returning to Mobile, Alabama prior to March 1845 where they spent the rest of their days. He died 27 February 1867 of apoplexy. Mary survived him many years and died in Mobile, Alabama at the home of her son, John B. Davis, 11 June 1886.

Both are buried in Magnolia cemetery. He was a member of Mobile Lodge, No. 40, was a Royal Arch Mason, and a Knight Templar. We have made this record brief as further details can be ascertained, if desired, from *The Davis Family in Wales and America*, by Harry A. Davis, 1927.

Children:

i John Bradford Davis: b 25 Sept. 1841 Tex., died 15 Mar. 1908.

ii Henry Graves Davis: b 27 Sept. 1843 Tex., died C. S. A.

iii David Rogerson Williams Davis, Jr.: b 19 Mar. 1845, Mobile, Ala., m 1 Oct. 1873, Mobile, Ala., Mary Twelves Deering, b Mobile, Ala., 5 Oct. 1850; he died at Monroeville, Ala., 6 Feb. 1906, she survived him some years and died 11 Oct. 1924, both buried Monroeville, Ala. They had:

1 Harry Alexander Davis: b 17 Mar. 1875 Mobile, Ala. Major U. S. Army, retired, m 12 Mar. 1907 Washington, D.C., Amelia Becker, b D. C. 3 Oct. 1878, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

a Margaret Deering Davis: b 15 Oct 1908 Va., m 30 Sept. 1933, Washington, D. C., Carroll White Hughes, b Kan. 23 May 1910, reside Washington, D. C.

b Josephine Williams Davis: b 4 May 1914 D. C.

2 Helen Cluis Davis: b 20 Aug. 1877, m William M. Barnes, reside Suggsville, Ala. 3 children

3 Mary Williams Davis: b 22 Jan. 1879, m Robert E. Barnes, reside Washington, D. C., 1 son.

4 Margaret Alice Davis: b 14 Jan. 1885, died 3 Sept. 1887.

5 Caroline Norris Davis: b 9 Jan. 1887, m Joseph Frank Lasseter, resided Ashville, N. C. 1933. 1 son.

iv Clement Billingsley Davis: b 8 May 1846, died 1891.

v Margaret Allison Davis: b 9 Oct. 184?, died 15 Sept. 1917.

vi Richard Maiben Davis: b 13 Apr. 1849, died 7 Nov. 1881.

vii Franklin Pierce Davis: b 13 June 1852, died 6 Apr. 1908.



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277 JAMES CLEMENT (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement C. 7, William 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, Alabama 27 December 1826. Student at University of Alabama in 1843. Enlisted 23 May 1846 Mobile, Alabama 3d Corporal, Seibel's Co., Alabama Volunteers, Mexican War, 4th Sergeant 3 January 1846; discharged 18 August 1846. He married in 1847 Mary Ellen Wooley, born Tuscaloosa, Alabama 21 December 1829. He was a physician and resided in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama to 1853; moved to Henderson, Texas then returned to Tuscaloosa before July 1856, they moved to Mobile, Alabama about June 1860. On 24 January 1862, a record shows he had been a Contract Surgeon and was not recommended as Acting Assistant Surgeon; C. S. A. on account "Intemperate." He enlisted 19 May 1862 and was commissioned 1st Lieutenant, Marshall's Co. Ala. Mounted Vols. (Mobile Dragoons.) He was a prisoner June 1862; on sick furlough 3 Feb. 1863 and resigned 21 Feb. 1863 on Surgeons Certificate of Disability, partial paralysis and amaurosis. (War Dept. Records.) They returned to Tuscaloosa, Alabama, before May 1864 and removed to Augusta, Arkansas before December 1867 where he died 25 December 1869. She survived him many years and died at Hermitage, Ark. 2 March 1911.

Children:

i James Clement, Jr.: b 24 July 18-I9 Ala., died 18 Mar. 1883.

ii Condý Raquot: b 30 June 1852 Ala., died 18 Dec. 1880 Ark.

iii William M.: b 2 Sept. 1854, Henderson, Tex., died 25 May 1864 at Tuscaloosa, Ala.

iv Eugene Lane (9) : b 4 July 1856.

v Lucy Beale: b 19 May 1858 Ala., m 28 Nov. 1878 Foster R. Dowell, she died 11 Aug. 1919, in Ark. They had:

1 Harry E. Dowell: b ca 1880, m Mabel Kimberland, of Tuckerman, Ark., reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

a Dorothy Dowell.

b Mildred Dowell.

2 Earl Dowell: b ca 1897, m, reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

a Earline Dowell.

vi Sarah Matilda: b 23 May 1860 at Tuscaloosa, Ala., m 15 July 1878 J. S. Perryman, she died 25 Oct. 1879, sine prole.

vii Louis Hallett: b 20 Jan. 1862 at Mobile, Ala., m 29 Oct. 1890 Virginia Eskew, he died 3 Dec. 1926 in Ark. They had:

1 Herman: b 189-, died circa 1907.

viii Joshua: b 19 July 1864, died 13 Aug. 1864.

ix Anna Bett: b 7 Sept. 1865 Tuscaloosa, Ala., died 9 Apr. 1872.

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x Foster Manly: b 21 Dec. 1867 Woodruff Co., Ark., m 24 Oct. 1858 Amanda Hays, he died 10 Aug. 1898 Ark.  
They had:  
1 Hallett: b 189-, died 1898.

277 ELIZA NARCISSUS (8) BYROM

(*Mary 7, Walter 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Jasper County, Georgia 19 November 1813. After the death of her father in 1814 John Byrom, her uncle, -was appointed her guardian. he died in 1819 and Jarrell Beasley was appointed guardian, the last return of his guardianship was dated 17 March 1825. It is stated her father left her quite a nice estate for that day and time. She married (1) prior to 1833 Robert C. Beasley, born Georgia circa, 1808. He was a son of Jarrell Beasley, born 1779, died 30 December 1854 and Anna Watson, see Park Excursus, born 1753, died 22 March 1844 in Troup County, Georgia they were the parents of the following: Berry, b 180-, died small; Julia, b 23 flay 1805, married John T. C. Townes, died 23 May 1837, left a daughter, Mary A. Townes b 1836: Stephen W., born 1810 m Matilda , moved to Texas after 1850; William P., born 10 February 1812, m Maria L. Edwards, he was a physician and had considerable family living in 1850 Troup Co., Georgia. Robert C. Beasley was killed by Samuel McDaniel 23 December 1833 near Hillsboro, Georgia. His widow married (2) John Smith Swain and died 1 March 1886 near Lagrange, Georgia.

Children:

i Robert J. Beasley: b 3 July 1833, m 2 Feb. 1852 at Lagrange, Ga. Frances A, Wilkinson, b Campbell Co., Va., 3 Apr. 183-1. They moved to Chilton Co., Ala. after 1870 where she died 16 Aug. 1887, he moved to Birmingham, Ala. where he died 18 Jan. 1912. They had:

1 Mary Anna Beasley: b 21 Jan. 1854, d ca 1914.

2 William Andrew Beasley: b 31 July 1855, d young.

3 Joseph Thomas Beasley: b 31 Mar. 1857, m Martha Anderson, he died 28 Apr. 1930, resided Birmingham, Ala. and Tampa, Fla.

4 Cora Wilkinson Beasley: b 22 Oct. 1858, m William Bates, reside Birmingham, Ala.

5 Ophelia Beasley: b 23 Apr. 1860, died childhood.

6 Stephen Watson Beasley: b 4 Feb. 1862, m Mamie Baird, he died ca 1908 resided Birmingham; Ala.

7 Roberta Beasley: b 24 Jan. .1866,.. died small.

8 Jarrell Echols Beasley: b 23 Jan. 1866 Ga., m 4 Aug. 1892 Shelby Co., Ala., Jessie Lloyd Davis, b 4 Aug. 1869 Shelby Co., Ala., moved to Nashville, Tenn. after 1895 where he died 7 Dec. 1931, she survives him. They had

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a Frances Margaret Beasley: b 10 May 1893.

b Luella Cole Beasley: b 16 Apr. 1895 Birmingham, Ala., resided Nashville, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family-.

c Lydia Elizabeth Beasley: b 14 Jan. 1898, m Lieut. Leon G. DeBrohun, U.S.N.

d Jarrell Echols Beasley, Jr.: b 26 Dec. 1903, died Feb. 1904.

e William Davis Beasley: b 26 Jan. 1908.

9 Henriatta Beasley: b 9 Feb. 1368, m Frank Brittain, reside Birmingham, Ala.

10 Walter Lee Beasley: b 25 Sept. 1872, m Charlotte Bessie Defter, reside Birmingham, Ala.

11 Ella Caledonia Beasley: b 27 May 1877, m Eugene Clifton Bondurant, reside Memphis, Tenn.

ii Said to have been several children by the second marriage, only one mentioned is John Smith Swain, echo was living in 1932 near Lagrange, Ga. unmarried.

277 SARAH ELIZABETH (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Joseph L. 7, Walter 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Warren County, Mississippi 25 March 1837, she married 4 March 1855 Livingstone Briers, born Lebanon, Tennessee 5 March 1820, son of Elisha Briers, b Virginia, and Sarah Elizabeth Johnson, his 2d wife. He was a lawyer, resided Warren County, Mississippi, where he died 17 May 190-1, she survived him and died 6 November 1913. Family Methodists. He was a Mason.

Children:

i Rochia Briers: b 1856, m prior to 1880 Silas Sexton Pender, she died 1907. They had:

1 Sallie Pender: b 18-, m --, resides Texas, has a daughter, Sarah.

2 Claire Pender.

3 Briers Pender.

4 Henry Pender: resides Miss.

ii Lucy Howard Briers : b 1857, died 1863.

iii Joseph Warren Briers: b 1859, died 1863.

iv George James Briers: b 19 May 1862, m Susie Mendrop, he died 1916.

v John Smith Briers: b 1863, died 17 Jan. 1894.

vi Elisha Livingstone Brien: b 19 May 1870; m 8 Nov. 1893 at Lebanon, Tenn., Anna Bell Neal, b Lebanon, Tenn. 7 May 1874, a daughter of James A. Neal, who served as Sgt. Co. --, 7th Tenn. Inf., C. S. A. He is a lawyer and Circuit Judge, he and his sons are Masons, family Methodists, reside Vicksburg, Miss. Judge Briers and his wife

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have furnished the data on the late generations of this family. They had:

1 James Neal Brien: b 3 Nov. 1594, m Ruby Hammock, and resides Jackson, Miss.

2 Elisha Livingstone Brien, Jr.: b 12 July 1897. Served in World War, officers Training Camp Ft. Logan H. Roots, Ark.; Capt. Inf. and A. D. C. to Comd. Gen. 39th Div. in France, m Elizabeth Holmes Watkins, and resides New Albany, Miss. They had, known:

a Sarah Elizabeth Brien.

3 Sarah Manson Brien: b 6 Oct. 1899, m Emmett Cleveland Neill, reside Vicksburg, Miss. World War Veteran, Lieut.

278 WILLIAM ALEXANDER (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*James W. 7, Francis J. 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Taliaferro County, Georgia 20 February 1834. He left home about 1851 and began work as a clerk in a store. He was in Dougherty County, Georgia in 1860 and is listed as "overseer." He enlisted 4 March 1862 as Private, Teller's Company, Echols Light Artillery, C. S. A. Was Quartermaster Sergeant April 1863. Paroled April 1865 at Greensboro, North Carolina. After the war he returned to Albany, Georgia and engaged in the mercantile business an associate of the firm of Mercer d; Smith. He married 9 April 1872 Lucy Ann, the daughter of John Hay and Elizabeth Maund, of Randolph County, she was born Alabama 13 Nov. 1844. After his marriage he concentrated his business interests into the operation of his plantation in Dougherty County and a farm in Terrell County. He is said to have been tall, handsome, and possessed of a quiet manner, and noted for his altruism, his generosity and kindness. He was a strong advocate of prohibition. He died at his home in Shellman, 23 August 1885 and is buried in Eastern cemetery Cuthbert, Georgia. She survives him. Family Baptists.

Children:

i Lucy Hay: b 9 Jan. 1873 Altho, but 12 years of age at her father's death she was a companion, friend, and counselor to her mother. She was a girl of wonderful ingenuity and initiative ideas, and was an ardent Christian worker. She died 18 Oct. 1890.

ii William Carter: b 21 Jan. 1875, died 20 June 1875.

iii Sarah Elizabeth: b 29 Jan. 1878. Has furnished information on this family. Resides Albany, Ga.

iv Martha Rebecca: b 10 Mar. 1879, died 25 Nov. 188-1.

v James Alexander: b 25 Dec. 1881, died 27 Nov. 1888.

vi John Simmons: b 14 Sept. 1884. He married prior to 1912 Hattie Marks, born Cincinnati, Ohio 18-. He is presi-

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dent of Georgia-Alabama Cotton Co., and has served as Mayor of Albany, Ga. for some years. They had:

1 Hattie: b 22 June 1912, m 6 Sept. 1930 Frank Lundy.

2 Ruby: b 8 Sept. 1914.

3 Sue: b 17 Aug. 1916.

279 MISSOURI ANN EDRINGTON (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Francis J. 7, Cyrus 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Morgan County, Georgia 5 August 1834, moved to Greene County, Georgia with her parents where she married 23 February 1849 James Billingslea Park, born Georgia. 25 November 1825, see Number 47, and Park Excursus. They moved to Polk County, Tennessee where they resided to about 1853 then moved to Morgan County, Georgia where he engaged in farming for some years. They then moved to Greene County, Georgia in the late 1860's where she died 13 August 1885. He survived her many years and died 9 July 1901.

Children:

i Eliza C. Park: b 22 Dec. 1850 Polk Co., Tenn., in John W. Moore, b 5 Sept. 1850, d 9 Apr. 1911, she d 17 Jan. 1927.

ii Thomas J. Park: b 3 Sept. 1852 Polk Co., Tenn., m Eugenie Hearn, he died 18 Mar. 1905.

iii James Billingslea Park: b 28 Feb. 1854. He married 2 June 1880 Anna Maria Poullain, born Ga. 4 Nov. 1856. Reside Greensboro, Ga. He is a lawyer, and Judge of the Ocmulgee Circuit. He possesses the old family Bible of James Park, and has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Henry Lewis Park: b 16 Apr. 1881, died infancy.

2 Noel Poullain Park: b 28 May 1882, m 5 Nov. 1907 Elizabeth Horkan, b Augusta, Ga. 6 Oct. 1886. Reside Atlanta, Ga. They had:

a Elizabeth H. Park: b 18 Oct. 1908, m Dr. Jack Dupree Parker, b Ga. 1904. Grad. Emory Medical College 1926. Reside Greenville, S. C. They had:

al Catherine Parker: b 14 Sept. 1930.

3 Hallie B. Park: b 27 Nov. 1883, m John A. Smith, reside Greensboro, Ga. They had:

a Hallie A. Smith: b 26 Apr. 1916.

b John A. Smith: b 3 Mar. 1918.

c Katherine E. Smith: b 26 Aug. 1919.

d James Park Smith: b 18 Nov. 1921.

4 Catherine E. Park: b 16 Apr. 1885, died 5 Sept. 1904.

5 Anna Maria Park: b 18 Oct. 1887, m 17 Apr. 1912 Henry Beman Harris, b Sparta, Ga. 9 Oct. 1882, reside Atlanta, Ga. They had:

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a Anne Poullain Harris: b 4 Dec. 1913.

6 Celeste VI. Park: b 3 Feb. 1891, m R. K. Smith, residence not stated.

7 Marion McHenry Park: b 30 Dec. 1900, m Charles B. Merritt, reside Atlanta, Ga. They had: a Marion Poullain Merritt: b 23 July 1931. iv Richard S. Park: b 6 Dec. 1856, Ga., m Mary Will Hearn, he died 4 Apr. 1910. v

Flewellen W. Park: b 7 Dec. 1858. vi Mary E. Park: b 22 Jan. 1862, m William W Leake. vii John M. Park: b 1 Aug. 1864, d 11 Sept. 1893. viii Charles F. Park: b 14 Mar. 1866, m Ethel McGinty. ix Henry Edgar Park: b 29 Jan. 1872, m Carrie McCallor, he died 2 Sept. 1910.

### PARK (PARKS, PARKES) EXCURSUS

JAMES PARKS, born 17- appears to have come front North Ireland with the Alexanders, Reids, Fultons, Thomson (Presbyterian preacher), Sankeys and others. A large group of these settled in Prince Edward County, Virginia. He married Mary Fulton, and died circa 1769, she survived him and died about. 1774. She left a will in which she mentions, my daughter Margaret Watson, and her SON, Douglas Watson; also makes mention of SON, Andrew Wallace, who married Catherine Parks.

Children :

i Joseph Parks: b 17

ii James Parks, Jr.: b ca 175

iii Margaret Parks: b 175-, m Douglas Watson, b Va. Ca 1750. He served as Lieut. Va. Troops, Pr. Edward Co., Va. Va. Arch. War 23 (1777) shows: :3 June 1776, Watson, Douglas, Lieut. for pay, rations S,: forage, wagon hire, etc. on Cherokee Espn. 35-12-5 pounds." They removed to Wilkes Co., Ga. He was living in 1792 and was sent by U. S. government as scout to inspect the frontier. On this trip he discovered Indian Springs. (Ga. Vol. i, Knight.) He is said to have died about 1791, no record of her death. They had:

1 Joseph Watson: b 1772 Va., m prior to 1804 Catherine Bonar, b 1780, he died 1832 and she died 1839, had several children, only one known is:

a Anna Watson: b 1804, m prior to 1825 William Varner, b 1800, she died 1838, he died 1846. They had, known:

al Joseph Watson Varner: b 1825.

a2 William Felix Warner: b 1832.

2 Margaret Watson: b ca 1775, m 1793 Oliver Porter,

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b 1763 a Rev. Sol. Va. he died 1838, no data on her death, resided Ga. They had, known:  
a Douglas Watson Porter.  
b John Watson Porter.

3 Douglas Watson, Jr.: b 177-, m Sarah Green, said to have been a Colonel in the Creek War, resided Ga.

4 William Watson: 17-, m Martha Moreland.

5 Anna Watson: b 1783, m Jarrel Beasley, she died 22 Mar. 1844 Troupe Co., Ga. See No. 277-A.

iv Ezekiel Parks: b 17- Va., died Ga.

v Catherine Parks: b 17-, m prior to 1774 Andrew Wallace.

vi Mary Parks: b 17-.

2 JAMES (2) PARKS

(*James 1.*) Born Prince Edward County, Virginia, ca 175-. He served as Private 11th Virginia Regiment, enlisted 1776. (War Dept. Records.) In 1781 he was appointed 1st Lieutenant Prince Edward County Militia during the month of September. (Va. Hist. Mag. Vol. xxi, 202.) He married (1) prior to 1787 a Miss Sankey, they migrated to Wilkes County, Georgia about 178? where she died 179 and he married (2) prior to 179-1, Phebe Hogue, born 2 February 1774. They later moved to Greene County, Georgia where he purchased 862 acres of land from Abraham Sanders 8 miles southwest of Greensboro, for 300 pounds. At the time of this purchase the Oconee River was the boundary between the whites and Indians, the west side of the river was ceded by the Indians in 1803. They resided on this farm until his death 27 November 1823, Phebe survived him and died 13 January 1839. He and his 2d wife are buried in the family plot on this plantation. The family record is taken from his family Bible which is in possession of his great grand son, Judge James B. Park, of Greensboro, Georgia. His descendants use the name of PARK.

Children:

i Richard Sankey Park: b 1787 Va., m late in life and about 1840 Nancy T. , b Ky. 1823, resided Morgan Co., Ga. in 1850. They had:

1 Mary E. Park: b 1842.

2 Elizabeth A. Park: b 1846.

3 Nancy Park: b 1849.

ii Elizabeth Ann Park: b 1790 Ca. Called "Betsy," was living in Morgan Co., Ga. in 1860 unmarried.

iii Harriet Park: b 2 Feb. 1794, 2d wife, m a Mr. Swinney, she was living in 1870 Greene Co., Ga.

iv James Park, Jr.: b 25 July 1795, died after 1820.

v Joseph Park: b 4 Feb. 1797, died and buried 25 Dec. 1824.

vi Matilda Park: b 6 Nov. 1798, m Dr. William Wilson.

vii Sophia Park: b 30 Oct. 1800, m Dr. William J. Russell.

viii Thomas Jefferson Park: b 17 Mar. 1802, m Eliza Elizabeth

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Billingslea, daughter of Cyrus Billingslea, No. 47, which see.

ix John L. Park: b 1 Mar. 1803, died 25 Mar. 1840, buried at Aberdeen, Miss.

x Wallace M. Park: b 20 July 1806. Twins.

xi Phebe W. Park: b 20 July 1806.

xii Augustus M. Park: b 8 Nov. 1808.

xiii Columbus M. Park: b 5 Sept. 1810, m prior to 1839 Mary Armour, b Ga. 1822. He was a physician, said to have been a pensioner for Indian War, both were living in 1870 Greene Co., Ga., he lived to be 80 years old. They had, known:

1 Eliza Park: b 1839.

2 Betsy Park: b 1841, m 1860. a 'Mr. Howell, she was a widow in 1870, resided Greene Co., Ga. They had  
a Barton Howell: b 1861.

b Arthur Howell: b 1867.

3 Adaline Park: b 1843.

4 Sophia Park: b 1845.

5 William Park: b 1847.

6 Augustus Park: b 1849.

7 Ezekiel Park: b 1851, died small.

8 Columbus Park: b 1804.

9 Mary Park: b 1864.

xiv Rebecca Park: b 8 Jan. 1812.

xv Washington Park: b 8 Aug. 1813, died 23 Aug. 1814.

xvi Mary S. Park: b 14 May 1815, m prior to 1835 Reuben B. Armour, b Ga. 1817, he was a farmer and resided Greene Co., Ga., both living in 1870. They had, known:

1 William B. Armour: b 1835.

2 Elizabeth A. Armour: b 1837.

3 Sarah M. Armour: b 1839.

4 James M. Armour: b 1841.

5 Mary A. Armour: b 1843.

6 Reuben B. Armour: b 1845.

7 Oliver H. Armour: b 1846.

8 DeWitt Armour: b 1847.

9 Irene Armour: b 1848.

10 Georgia Armour: b Jan. 1850.

11 Lennie Armour: b 1852.

12 Effie Armour: b 1854.

13 Thomas S. Armour: b 1855.

14 R. W. Armour: b 1857, died small.

15 Vernon Armour: b 1860.

xvii Elijah J. Park: b 19 Mar. 1817, m Clark Howell.



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279 ROBERT JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W. 7, John 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Shelby County, Alabama 7 September 1819. He migrated to Jefferson County, Alabama when his father moved to Arkansas and was a farm laborer. He married (1) 5 November 1843 Emily Caroline Cross, born Georgia in 1824. They moved to Montgomery County, Arkansas about 1848 where he engaged in farming. Emily Caroline died in 22 May 1851 and he married (2) 14 December 1851 Mary L. Woods, born Georgia 3 March 1831. They moved to Parker County, Texas about 1852 where he died 12 November 1859. Mary was living in 1860, moved to Waco, Texas, then Navarro County, and then to Kaufman County where she died 18 November 1873. He was a Mason, and family members of the Christian church.

Children:

i Margaret E.: b 2 Nov. 1844 Ala., died 8 Feb. 1861. Tex.

ii Samuel C.: b 9 March 1846, died 20 Feb. 1848.

iii William D.: b 7 June 1849 Montgomery Co., Ark. (tombstone has date of 10 June 1849), moved to Texas with his parents and left an orphan at an early age, was partly reared by Bob Parker and a James Brown, an uncle by marriage, spending his boyhood days in Parker, Denton, and Wise Cos., Tex. Went to Bosque Co. in his early manhood and married Oct. 1873 Irene Soptxronia, daughter of Isaac and Susan Gary, born Texas 4 Mar. 1850.

Was a resident of Bosque Co., to about 1895 engaged in farming and stock raising. His early schooling was meager but he applied himself with his wife as a teacher, and acquired an education. They moved to Fort Chadbourne, Tex. in 1895 where he engaged in general merchandising with fair success. He was one of the promoters of the Fort Chadbourne Cooperative Association (a general merchandising business) and was general manager for several years. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church, his sons states: "I was 33 years old at the time of his death and I never heard him swear or saw him take a drink of liquor." He died 8 May 1909, she survived him and died 25 Oct. 1914; both buried at Fort Chadbourne, Tex. They had:

1 Isaac Newton: b 2 Sept. 1,874. Resides Sobol, Okla. in 1932. He has furnished considerable information about the family. He is a Mason, owns property at Fort Chadbourne, Tex., has been a "cow puncher" and lived in many parts of the West. Never married.

iv Eliza C.: b 15 Mar. 1851. We have not been able to get any information from any of her children. The following

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is second hand and may not be correct. She is said to have m (1) Joseph Barbee; (2) Hugh Dennis. They had:

1 William J. Barbee: b 18-, m he d 1902-06. They had:

a Lonnie Barbee: b 1-,drowned at Waco, Tex. ca 1910.

b Ray Barbee: b 1-,resided Waco, Tex. about 1916.

2 Mary Barbee: b 18-, m Henry Hubbard, reside Hereford, Tex.

3 Susan Dennis: b 18-, m Horace Miller, reside Kerrville, Tex.

v James Robert: b 5 Aug. 1852 Montgomery Co., Ark., moved to Parker Co., Tex. with his parents. He married 8 Oct. 1879 in Kimble Co., Tex. Eliza Jane Gorman, b Bastrop Co., Tex. 26 Nov. 1862. They moved to Grant Co., N. Mex. about 1884 resided there some years then moved to Deming, N. Mex. where she died 12 Oct. 1917 and is buried at Deming, N. Mex. He survives her and resides with his daughter in Los Angeles, Calif. (1932). They had:

1 Lillie May: b 18 May 1881 Tex., m 10 Oct. 1907 at Deming, N. Mex. Colin Rae Cameron, b Mason City, Ill. 8 July 1877, he died 5 Dec. 1932 at Eureka, Calif. She survives him and resides Oakland, Calif. No children of record.

2 Cora Andrew: b 20 Sept. 1883 Kimble Co., Tex., m 24 Oct. 1924 at Los Angeles, Calif. Lee Adelbert Moyer, b 14 Apr. 1888 at Arvilla, Ind. Reside Los Angeles, Calif. No children of record.

3 Joel Alva: b 9 Apr. 1886 Grant Co., N. Mex., m 12 Jan. 1912 at Deming, N. Mex. Celina Walsh, b Ark. Co., Ark. 21 May 1888, resided N. Mex. moved to Los Angeles, Calif. after 1921. They had:

a Dorothy Wanda: b 10 Aug. 1913 N. Mex.

b Thora: b 13 Feb. 1915 Silver City, N. Mex.

c James Wilbur: b 28 Dec. 191? Deming, N. Mex.

d Mamie Rose: b 21 Nov. 1919 Santa Rita, N. Mex.

e Elva Christine: b 21 Aug. 1921 Deming, N. Mex.

4 Robert Elva: b 9 Apr. 1886, a twin, resides Deming N; Mex.

5 Grace Ferril: b 12 Nov. 1888 at Hudson, N. Mex., m 15 Sept. 1904 at Deming, N. Mex. Benjamin Hudson, b Ark. 28 Jan. 1878, reside Deming, N. Mex. They had:

a James Baker Hudson: b 7 Sept. 1910 Hazen, Ark.

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- b Clement Benjamin Hudson: b 14 Aug. 1914 Deming, N. Mex.
- c Billingslea Hudson: b 2 June 1916 Deming, N. Mex.
- d Lou Grace Hudson: b 18 Nov. 1918 Deming, N. Mex.
- e Marvin Alfred Hudson: b 8 Sept. 1921.
- f Lillian Margaret Hudson: b 8 Jan. 1924.
- 6 Verna Catherine: b 5 June 1893 Faywood, N. Mex., m 6 Jan. 1918 at Deming, N. Mex. James Alfred Poore, b Ballinger, Tex. 6 Feb. 1894, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:
  - a Ina Louise Poore: b 1 Aug. 1921 Eureka, Calif.
- 7 Olney Homes: b 3 Dec. 1897 Faywood, N. Mex., m Sept. 1931 at New York City Mary Graham, reside New York, N. Y.
- 8 Ina Isabel: b 23 Apr. 1901 Deming, N. Mex., m 3 Sept. 1922 at Eureka, Calif. Harry Gibson, b 31 Dec. 1897 at Elkton, Md. reside Oakland, Calif. They had:
  - a Corrine Rae Gibson: b 3 July 1923 Eureka, Calif.
  - b Carrol Jean Gibson: b 5 Feb. 1931 Oakland, Calif.
- vi Lenora: b 1 Apr. 1855 Parker Co., Tex., she m (1) 5 Sept. 1872 William Smith, he died about 1882 and she m (2) Nov. 1887 J. J. Smith, reside Junction, Tex. They had:
  - 1 Mollie Smith: b 22 Mar. 1876 Llano Co., Tex., m 23 July 1896 Kimble Co., Tex. F. Stanley Wilson, reside Fort Stockton, Tex. They had:
    - a N. T. Wilson: b 23 Sept. 1907, died 16 Feb. 1917.
  - 2 Willie Smith: b 6 Jan. 1879 Junction, Tex., m 4 Apr. 1909 at Junction, Tex. Ned A. Linn, b 12 Feb. 1880, reside Junction, Tex. They had:
    - a Paralee Linn: b 4 July 1912.
    - b Will Alvin Linn: b 5 June 1916.
  - 3 Clintie Smith: b 5 June 1881.
  - 4 Lem Smith: b 10 June 1883, m Frankie Mauk, reside Fort Stockton, Tex. They had:
    - a J. W. Smith, deacd.
    - b Ruth Smith.
    - c Pryor Wilson Smith.
    - d Evelyn Smith.
  - 5 Blackston Smith: b 8 Nov. 1888, 2d marriage.
  - 6 Pet Smith: b 28 Nov. 1890, m 19 Dec. 1913 at Junction, Tex. Burney Ligon, b Travis Co., Tex. 2 Sept. 1885, reside Fort Stockton, Tex. They had:
    - a Lenora Louise Ligon: b 26 Dec. 1915.
    - b Jesse Burney Ligon: b 9 Jan. 1920.

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7 Hunter Smith: b 4 Mar. 1892.

8 Jessie Smith: b 6 Jan. 1897.

vii Jesse K.: b 18 Sept. 1857 Parker Co., Tex., moved with his mother to Waco, Tex. for a year, then moved to Navarro Co., Tex. for 2 years, then to Kaufman Co., Tex. where the mother died when he was 16 years of age. He followed "Cow punching" for several years then went to Navarro Co., then to Llano Co., and then to Kimble Co. where with James and Lenora he bought a small farm. After two years he moved to Gatesville, Tex. and farmed. On 25 Apr. 1881 he married at Belton, Tex. Malissa Josephine Copeland, b 25 May 1858, parents' names not known, they were married 5 Dec. 1855, her father was a soldier in Capt. Greene's Co., Col. Pleasant's Regt. Tex. C. S. A. and died 24 Nov. 1862 aged about 26 years. In 1886 they moved to Fleming, Tex. and after a few years moved to Gustine, Tex. where he owned a small farm to 1909 then traded this tract for a larger one where they resided until her death 9 Sept. 1930. He then broke up the home and spends his time with his various children. Family members of Christian church. They had:

1 Mary Eula: b 9 Sept. 1882 Belton, Tex., m 10 Feb. 1915 at Comanche, Tex. R. C. Thorn, reside Blackwell, Tex. No children.

2 Minnie Belle: b 16 July 188-1 at Belton, Tex., m 22 Sept. 1912 at Gustizie, Tex. J. J. Corbin, b Va. 18-, she resides Gustine, Tex. They had:

a J. K. Corbin: b 22 Aug. 1915 at Waco, Tex.

3 Elzy B.: b 13 Sept. 1889. Enlisted 19 Sept. 1917 Pvt. L., 143 Inf., in France 29 July 1918, promoted to Cpl. and sent to school for gas training, returned to U. S. and discharged at Camp Bowie, Tex. 14 June 1919.

4 Myrtle Elizabeth: b 12 Apr. 1891 Gustine, Tex., m 13 May 1913 Frank Black, reside Blackwell, Tex. They had:

a William Jesse Black: b 10 Apr. 1914.

b D. J. Black: b 23 July 1916.

5 Daisy Lee: b 25 Jan. 1893 Gustine, Tex., m 1 Dec. 1915 W. J. Lee, reside Lida, N. Mex. They had:

a Clifton Lee: b Sept. 1917 at Anson, Tex.

b Mary Pauline Lee: b 14 Oct. 1921 Goldthwaite, Tex.

c Willie Joe Lee: b 19 Sept. 1930 Blackwell, Tex.

d Jack Lee: b 2 Apr. 1932 Blackwell, Tex.

6 William Chester: b 1 Mar. 1897, resides Porterville, Calif.

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7 James Vestes: b 30 Nov. 1901, resides Strathmore, Calif.

280 WILLIAM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W 7, William 6, Sias 5, William 4; William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia in 1829, moved to Allegheny County, Pennsylvania and then to Washington County, Iowa with his parents. He married prior to 1855 Sophia J. , born Ohio 1833. Resided Washington County, Iowa in 1860 but is not listed in this County in 1870. One of his grandsons states he was a prosperous farmer and interested in several banks. He is said to have had a second wife. Information concerning this family is existent and was collected by his son, Ray Billingsley. We have not succeeded in getting any details from those now living.

Children: (known)

i Ray (9): b 1855 Iowa.

ii May: b 1857, m Fred B. Lathrop, resided Los Angeles, Calif. in 1930.

iii Jay: b 1859. He married. We have no information where they lived prior to 1892; in this year his name is found in directory of Des Moines, Iowa and listed as "Travelling Agent." He has continued to reside in this city and was living in 1931. No information has been obtainable from him. They had:

1 Carrie S.: b ca 1885. Was a student at Iowa Business College in 1903, and listed as Stenographer in 1905. She is said to have married John D. Taylor and to reside Laramie, Wyo., in 1931. No information obtainable.

2 Milo William: b 18-. He is married and resides Mesa, Arizona. We have had one communication from him giving a rather hazy outline of the family, no details or dates.

281 CYRUS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W. 7, William 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 16 July 1835, moved to Allegheny County, Pennsylvania and to Washington County, Iowa with his parents. He married 18 July 1860 Margaret Jane Stinson, born Ohio 20 December 1840, daughter of Daniel Stinson. He died near Norwood, Missouri 29 September 1909, she survived him and died 5 May 1923, both buried at Girard, Kansas.

Children:

i Clara: b 22 Oct. 1861, died 12 Oct. 1862.

ii Samuel Webster: b 8 Dec. 1862 Washington Co., Iowa, he m 29 July 1888 Bessie I. Whitson, b Iowa 4 Nov. 1866.

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He is a merchant and resides North English, Iowa. They had:

1 Fern: b 1889, m George B. Denton, reside Evanston, Ill.

iii Carrie A.: b 5 May 1865, m (1) 1886 at Girard, Kan. H. W. Struble, b 2 Oct. 1864 in Mercer Co., Pa. He died 2 Nov. 1908 at Girard, Kan. and she m (2) a Mr. Conder, reside Cheopta, Kan. They had:

1 Grace May Struble: b 16 May 1887, died 27 Apr. 1927.

2 Earl Struble: b 4 Sept. 1888, died 1 May 1893.

3 Max Gorden Struble: b 1 May 1890, m, reside Girard, Kan. They had:

a Max W. Struble: b 1918.

b Donald Ray Struble: b 1920.

iv Ella May: b 27 Apr. 1867, m 25 Dec. 1894 at Girard, Kan., Gilbert Mann Wetmore, she died 8 July 1899.

v George Franklin: b 30 Aug. 1869, m Alta Watson, he died 2 May 1931. They had:

1 George Cyrus: b 20 Mar. 1902, resides Lemoore, Calif.

vi Ida Lillian: b 24 Feb. 1872, m a Mr. Crawford, reside Kansas City, Mo. 1932.

vii Cora Alice: b 5 July 1874, m a Mr. Boyd, reside McAlester, Okla. in 1932.

viii Margaret R.: b 28 Dec. 1876, m W. W. Root, reside Kansas City, Mo. in 1932.

ix Emma: b 30 Nov. 1878 at Riverside, Iowa, she married (1) 3 Oct. 1902 at Erie, Kan. George Edward Littler, b Ill. 11 Sept. 1871, he died in Calif. 15 Jan. 1922 and she m (2) 15 May 1924 at Visalia, Calif., John S. Dixon, reside Lemoore, Calif. They had:

1 Hazel Margaret Littler: b 2 May 1904.

x William Ray: b 15 Dec. 1879, resided Kansas City, Mo. in 1932.

xi Jay G.: b 28 Nov. 1882, resided Santa Cruz, Calif. in 1932.

282 WILLIAM ASBERY (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia 9 October 1842. For some unknown reason he was not a legatee in his grandfather's will in 1851. He was not living at home in 1860 and was probably working on' some nearby farm. He was taken on as a Teamster by the Quartermaster Department, U. S. Army in 1861 and worked for the government some two or three years. He married 14 February 1864 Charlotte Edgell, born Virginia 16 August 1846. On the 9th of April 1865 he was drafted and enlisted as private Company F, 7th West Virginia Infantry, U. S. at Grafton, West Virginia,

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age stated as 24 years, born in Marion County, .was five feet and seven inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair. War Department records show this William A. Billingsley deserted at Munson's Hill, Virginia 10 June 1865. They moved to Missouri before 1869 not stated what County they lived in. They later moved to Oklahoma where Charlotte died 18 October 1903. He survives her and was living in 1932 but in very feeble health.

For many years he has sought to secure a pension, first claiming service from 1861 to about 1863 when he was employed in the Quartermaster Department. Then claim was made he was the William A. Billingsley who was Private K, 12th W. Va. Inf. but this was shown to be incorrect as this man had claimed and been allowed his pension and was deceased. The comparison of signatures definitely proved the case. At no time has his claim been based on the real Company and Regiment he was actually drafted and enlisted in. He was living in Wheeling, Missouri in or about December 1932.

Children:

i Laura: b 29 Oct. 1864 W. Va., moved to Mo. and m prior to 1899 Robert Henry Chittick, b 10 June 1863. He is a Mason and Odd Fellow, family Baptists, reside Chillicothe, Mo. They had:

1 Lina Chittick: b 30 Oct. 1899 in Livingstone Co., Mo., married 24 Aug. 1927 in Washington, D. C. Richard A. Mahar, b Troy, N. Y. 25 Mar. 1895. He is a lawyer and member of the Knights of Columbus, reside Washington, D. C. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Robert Francis Mahar: b 9 Aug. 1929.

2 Carrie Marie Chittick: b 17 Aug. 1906, m (1) Thomas Wilhite, a divorce, and she m (2) , and resides in Chicago, Ill. They had:

a Ray Thomas Wilhite: b 19-, died aet. ca 9 years.

b Catherine Wilhite: b ca 1925.

ii Alice: b 23 June 1866, m James Pearman, she died 31 Jan. 1927 sine prole.

iii Emeth L.: b 19 Dec. 1869 in Mo., moved to Okla. where he entered a homestead and owned 990 acres of land in 1929. Was at one time principal operator of this farm and engaged in stock raising, has now discontinued and rents most of the acreage. He married 26 Apr. 1916 Edith May McAfee, b Ark. He is a Mason and Odd Fellow, family Methodist, reside Mutual, Okla. They had:

1 Leonard: b 19-.

2 Elmer: b 19-.

3 Ray: b 19-.

iv Harry: b 9 Aug. 1872 Mo., moved to Okla. where he m

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and died 29 Oct. 1928, probably resided in Woodward Co. said to have left several children.

v Minnie: b 10 Apr. 1877, Mo., resides Wheeling, Mo.

vi. Essie: b 6 Nov. 1880, Mo., resides Wheeling, Mo.

vii Fred: b 6 Aug. 1886.

283 ULYSSES MORGAN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 24 January 1835. He married 28 August 1856 in Marion County, Virginia, Julia January born Virginia 7 April 1839. She died 10 August 1908, he survived her some years and died 10 November 1919. His estate was administered and settled, recorded in Lib. 44, fol. 336 Marion County records. Lived and died in Marion County, West Virginia.

Children:

i Bernard Orrington: b 23 Aug. 1857, m (1) 24 Jan. 1878 Rebecca E. Hibbs, b Va. 1857, she died about 1908 and he m (2) 19 Mar. 1913 Pleasy Conklin, b Va. 1863, reside Fairmont, W. Va. They had: (1st wife)

1 Sula: b 1882, m 24 May 1905 Orion D. Nutter, b Va. 1877, she died in 1906. They had:

a Bernard Nutter: b 1906.

2 Omar Lee: b 1885, m 15 Aug. 1913 Jeanette B. Robison, b Va. 1888, he is said to have a second wife named Eva Riggs, reside Clarksburg, W. Va. No children.

3 Maude: b 188-, m Grover Strother, reside Sandusky, Ohio. They had:

a May Belle Strother.

4 Lloyd: b 18-, m Ruth Shough, reside Hundred, W. Va. They had a Helen Louise.

ii William Seward: b ? June 1859, m 17 Feb. 1880 Maria Grant Boggess, born 18 Sept. 1864, daughter of Thomas Price Boggess, b 12 Nov. 1826, d 19 Nov. 1872 and Fannie Brock, b 29 Jan. 1827, d 10 Sept. 1905. Family Methodist and reside Fairmont, W. Va. We spent a very pleasant evening at the home of these kinsmen in 1931 and Maria was unusually well posted on the family and furnished much valuable information. They had:

1 Bessie Ceola: b 29 Dec. 1880, m 25 Nov. 1903 Charles W. Pople, b 29 Mar. 1882, reside Fairmont, W. Va. They had

a Christie Pauline Pople: b 29 May 1908, m 1 Jan. 1927 Frederick Jackson Poling, b 8 Oct. 1903, reside Fairmont, W. Va. They had:

al Bettie Lucile Poling: b 2 Aug. 1927.



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a2 June LaVerne Poling: b 26 Mar. 1930.

2 Lessie Berl: b 22 Jan. 1887, died 18 Mar. 1891.

3 Essie Beaudrie: b-13 Feb. 1892, died 12 Apr. 1892.

iii Lavarah Anna: b 2 Jan. 1862, died 26 Apr. 1881 unmarried.

iv Eldora C.: b 7 July 1863, m 17 Aug. 1879 Galen Bickley Youst, b Va. 1858, she died July 1926, resided Fairmont, W. Va. They had, order not known:

1 Carl D. Youst.

2 Pearl R. Youst.

3 Este Youst: m Smith.

4 Florilla Youst: m Sherring.

5 Spray Youst: decesd. 1931.

6 Cayde Youst.

7 Stella May Youst: died inf.

8 Rowena Dove Youst: m Meadows.

9 Virginia Youst: m Ray Keith.

10 Roy Youst.

v Darley A.: b 16 July 1865, died 8 July 1870.

vi Sias Emery: b 13 Feb. 1867, m 6 Apr. 1892 Lillie Susan Dexter, b Va. 10 June 1875. Reside Phoenix, Ariz. They had:

1 Ruby Opal: b 21 Jan. 1893, m (1) Hawley; (2) Walter Knox Hopkins, reside Los Angeles, Calif. No record of children.

2 Russell J.: b 24 Sept. 1894. He is generally known as "Pete Billingsley." Is a veteran of World War, served A. E. F. June 1917 to May 1919. He m at Tucson, Ariz. 4 Apr. 1924 Laura Belle Hamilton, b Norman, Okla. 12 Jan. 1903. He is a 32nd degree Mason and member of the Mystic Shrine. Was Fire Marshall at Phoenix in 1932. No children.

vii Carly D.: b 15 Jan. 1870, died 4 July 1870.

viii Lillie Dove: b 4 Sept. 1871, m 6 Apr. 1889 John W. Downs, b Va. 1869, reside Wolf Summit, W. Va. They had:

1 Ocie Downs: b 189-, m Rodney Parks, reside Charleston, W. Va.

2 Gay Downs: b 18-, m Josephine Grimm.

3 Harold Downs: b 18-. Was in U. S. Navy 1931.

ix Larney C.: b 1 Apr. 1874, m 24 Dec. 1893 at Morgantown, W. Va. Della Jones, b Va. 18-. reside Farmington, W. Va. in 1931. They had:

1 Clyde D.: b 5 Sept. 1899, m 16 June 1922 Alice Watson, b 1903, resided Buckhannon, W. Va. in 1931. They had:  
a Bettie Frances: b 1928-29.

2 Ray: b 1906, m Genevieve Price. No- children.

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x Francis Aaron: b 30 Dec. 1876, m 14 May 1905 Ora Crimm, b W. Va. 1877, reside Mannington, «'. Va. They had:  
1 Naomi: b 1912.  
2 Mildred: b 1914.  
3 Nina: b 1916.

284 JAMES SAMSON (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Sias 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia 25 June 1838. He married 11 April 1861 Nancy Jane Hawker, born Mannington, Virginia in 1841, daughter of William Hawker, resided Worthington, Nest Virginia where he died 10 March 1919, she survives him (1931).

Children:

i Elbert L.: b 1 June 1862, m Alice Cunningham, reside Worthington, W. Va. They had:

1 Georgia: b ca, 1893. 2 Frank Lee: b 1903.

ii William Hawker: b 20 July 1864 'Marion Co., W. Va. Taught school in this county. In 1855 moved to Hamilton, Kan. and prepared a farm, then moved to Kendall and went into real estate business, migrated to Salt Lake City, Utah and engaged in abstract and title business for a year and returned to W. Va. about 1890. He m 9 Apr. 1893 Florence, daughter of Isaac Snodderly and Elizabeth lee, both of whom were living in 1923, Florence was b at Fairmont, W. Va. in 1872. He was elected as County Assessor as a Republican; later nominated for legislature but declined. Was engaged in furniture business in Fairmont a few years but retired to give attention to coal lands, organized Fairmont & Cleveland Coal Co. Reside Fairmont, W. Va. He is a member of Fairmont Lodge, No. 9, A. F. A. M., Royal Arch chapter, Crusade Commandery, and Osiris Temple, Mystic Shrine, and Knights of Pythias. Family Baptist. They had:

1 Paul: b 1898. Grad. C. E. Valparaiso, Ind. Chief Engineer Brady Coal Co. He m 4 Apr. 1920 Octavia M. Hunt, b W. Va. 1900. Reside Fairmont, W. Va. No children.

2 Jean: b 19-. Grad. Univ. W. Va. A.B. in 1919. Teacher Fairmont High School 1923, m prior to 1930 Dr. Philip Johnson, reside Fairmont, W. Va. They had:

a Philip Johnson, Jr.: b 1931.

iii Francis: b 1867, died small.

iv Fred M.: b 1871, m 25 Jan. 1894 Allie Parrish, b W. Va. in 1871. He is a hardware merchant and resides Worthington, W. Va. They had:

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1 Edith Blanche: b 1 Nov. 1896, m Reid C: Cunningham, reside Mannington, W. Va. They had:  
a Maralyn Cunningham: b 1924.

2 Albert Blake: b 31 Oct. 1899. He is a lawyer, is a 32 degree Mason, and member of Mystic Shrine and Elks. Served in World War in U. S. Navy, and member of American Legion. Methodist. Resides Fairmont, W. Va., unmarried 1931.

3 Mary: b 1901, m 19 June 1923 Glenn McGregor, b Va. 1900, reside Clarksburg, W. Va. They had:  
a Mary Alice McGregor: b 1926.

4 Daughter: b 4 Mar. 1874, died infancy.

285 WILLIAM TURNER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia 28 December 1849. He married 18 October 1877 Harriet Belle McCray, born Virginia in 1856. He was a farmer and resided Marion County, West Virginia where he died about December 1928. His will was dated 11 February 1920 and probated 15 January 1929, leaves all estate to his wife, and at her death to the children, not named. She was living in 1931.

Children:

i Clyde: b 1878, died 4 Sept. 1878.

ii Rella: b 7 June 1880, m Clarence Hawkenberry, reside Joliet, Ill. They have a son.

iii Harry C.: b 7 Jan. 1882, m 31 Dec. 1911 Lillian B. Sapp, b W. Va. 1892, reside Burnsville, V4'. Va. Have 4 children.

iv Lessie B.: b 26 Mar. 1886, m 1 Aug. 1907 Edward R. Shackelford, b W. Va. 1881, reside Barrackville, W. Va. They had, known:

1 Fay Shackelford: b 190-, m

2 May Shackelford: b 191-, m Glen Reid. v Jessie: b 26 Mar. 1886 a twin, died infancy. vi Francis: b 188-.

286 SIAS MORGAN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia 31 December 1851. He married 11 March 1875 Malinda Lough, born Virginia in 1853. He died prior to 1928 and she died about December 1928, her estate administered by Hazel Grapes 5 January 1929 and final settlement 29 January 1930.

Children:

i Zella: b 1876, m 27 June 1910 Dr. O. A. Westover, of Portage Co., Ohio. No children.

ii Claude Custer: b 7 July 1878, m 28 Oct. 1902 Nettie E.

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Core, b W. Va. 1333, they had 2 sons and 2 daughters in 1931, residence not stated. .

iii Harold: b 27 Sept. 1881. Was living in 1930.

iv Byron: b 15 Aug. 1884, m 26 July 1919 Millie Haines, b W. Va. 1886, resided Marion Co., W. Va. They had 3 daughters.

v Hazel: b 188-, m prior to 1929 Lloyd Grapes.

287 GEORGE EVANS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Monongalia County, Virginia 2 December 1835, moved to Tyler County with his parents and later migrated to Lexington, Kentucky where he married 27 November 1872-?3 Nannie Davidson, born Kentucky 6 June 1852. Resided at Lexington, Kentucky where he died in 1913, she survived him and died 11 June 1920.

Children:

i Katherine: b 25 Aug. 1877, m Frank Kinniard, reside Park Ridge, Ill.

ii Harriet: b Sept. 1879, m Joseph W. Norwood, reside Louisville, Ky.

iii Lylie: b Nov. 1882, m H. R. Neiswonger, reside Raleigh, N. C.

iv George Evans, Jr.: b 13 July 1884, m 25 Apr. 1914 at Chicago, Ill., Marie Made], b Clintonville, Wis. He is connected with Lake Shore Athletic Club, Chicago, Ill. No children. He has furnished information on this family, none of his sisters would answer any requests.

v Jennies b 9 Mar. 1889, m Roby Clay, reside Louisville, Ky.

288 BYRON OSCAR (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tyler County, Virginia 26 April 1844. He migrated to Fayette County, Kentucky where he married 12 October 1869 Eliza A. Burbridge, born Kentucky in 1847. He was appointed a clerk in the Treasury Department and moved to Washington, D. C. about 1875. He is listed in the various directories of this city until his death 6 September 1907, he is buried at Paris, Kentucky. She survived him some years.

Children:

i Oscar Henry: b 4 Aug. 1870, m 7 May 1902 Masie Perkins Johnson. They are believed to reside in the vicinity of Washington, D. C. They had, known:

1 Byron H.: b 6 May 1904.

ii Maude Byron: b 25 Aug. 1873, m George P. Goll, he is deceased. She is said to reside in Washington, D. C. but would not furnish any information on the family to a member in Morgantown, W. Va. They had:

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i Gertrude Margaret Coll. iii Harriet Lowry: b 7 Mar. 1877, resides Roselyn, Va. unm. iv Louise M.: b 8 Mar. 1880, m Paul Whitney Fishbaugh, he died 1905, she died 1929-30. v Thomas Evans: b 30 Sept. 1886. He is with Southern Railway Co., resides Roselyn, Va. and is unmarried (1931).

289 RAWLEY EVANS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tyler County, Virginia 31 March 1846. He married prior to 1872 Anne Atterberger, born Virginia 18-. Resided Tyler County West Virginia where he died 22 February 1896, she is stated to have predeceased him a short time.

Children

i Guy W.: b 1872, m prior to 1898 Elizabeth Chidester, b 22 Oct. 1861-68. He was a Mason, resided Tyler Co., W. Va. where he died Feb. 1904, she survives him and resides Webster Springs, W. Va. They had:

1 Paul: b 4 Dec. 1898 Allegheny Co., Pa. He married 5 Mar. 1917 at St. Clairsville, Ohio, Golda White, b 15 Dec. 1897. He is a Mason, and Royal Arch Chapter, reside Morgantown, W. Va. They had:

a Mary Evelyn: b 8 Oct. 1921.

b Margaret Ann: b 4 June 1924.

2 Harry: b 30 Nov. 1903. He m June 1924 at Marion, Ohio, Louise Withered, b Greenbrier Co., W. Va. In 1902. He is a Mason, reside Webster Springs, W. Va. No children.

ii Byron S.: b 187-. He m Catherine , of Atlanta, Ga. He died about 1906 at Pittsburgh, Pa. She m (2) They had, known:

1 Helen: b ca 1896, resided Louisville, Ky. in or about 1930.

290 HENRY FRANCIS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*David S. 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harrison County, Virginia in 1840, moved to Marion County, Virginia and to Warren County, Illinois with his parents. He married 1 January 1863 Priscilla Boyden, born Cameron, Illinois October 1846. He was a farmer and resided in Warren County, Illinois in 1880, they later moved to Minnesota where she died September 1908 at St. Paul. He died 30 December 1918 at San Diego, California.

Children:

i Archie: b Apr. 1864, died Mar. 1865.

ii Jennie Bertha: b 22 Dec. 1866, m 1 Jan. 1891 at Campbell Minn. James Forrest, b 27 Sept. 1862 at Wabasha, Minn.

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Reside St. Paul, Minn. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

iii Frances L.: b 15 Apr. 1868, m J. J. Conway, she was s, widow in 1932 and resided St. Paul, Minn.

iv Adda B.: b 27 Apr. 1870, m W. W. Cleveland, reside Mobile, Ala. No information as to her children.

v Cora: b 30 June 1872, m C. A. Mihlies, reside St. Paul, Minn.

vi William David: b 4 Oct. 1875, m 16 May 1900 at Campbell, Minn. Cornelia S. Giddings, b 2 Oct. 1876 at Ludlow, Ill. He is a railroad man and resides Sparks, Nev. He furnished information on this family. No children.

vii Henry Ralph: b Aug. 1878, resides Salt Lake City, Utah.

viii Chester Arthur: b 10 Nov. 1879, m Bessie Jones, reside Columbus, Ohio. No information as to children.

297 DAVID LUTHER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Davis S. 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia in 1843, moved to Warren County, Illinois with his parents about 1854. He married prior to 1867 Levina Meacham, born Illinois in 1843. They moved to Goodhue County, Minnesota where both died in the early 1880's, both buried at Redwing, Minnesota.

Children:

i Thomas L.: b 1867 Ill., resided San Francisco, Calif. in 1932.

ii William L.: b 1870 Minn., deceased in 1932.

iii Laura: b 1873, m W. S. Price, reside Minneapolis, Minn.

iv Ralph Horton: b 16 Mar. 1876, near Redwing, Minn. Enlisted 7 May 1898 Cpl. E. 13th Minn. Vols. Spanish American War, served in Philippines and discharged 3 Oct. 1899. He married at St. Paul, Minn. 17 Sept. 1901 Harriet Aline Adam, b Hudson, Wis. 3 Jan. 1879, reside Portland, Oreg. They had:

1 Gordon D.: b 30 July 1902. He is a physician and resided Miami, Fla. in 1932.

v Elizabeth: b Nov. 1879, m John Vincent, she was deceased 1932.

292 AMBROSE H. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thornton 7, Samuel 6, Sias 5, William 4; William 3; John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marion County, Virginia in 1847. He migrated to Gage County, Nebraska about 1880 and returned to West Virginia before November 1882 and married 26 November 1882 Emma L. Hawkins, born Virginia in 1865. Resided Fairmont, West Virginia in 1932. Family Methodists.

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### Children:

i Arlice Christie: b 13 Mar. 1886, m 11 Sept 1907 Rev. Edgar Burton Reese, b W. Va. in 1880, he died and she m (2) Glenn A. Lowe, reside Fairmont, W. Va. They had:

1 Edgar Billingsley Reese: b 190-. Grad. Univ. of Md. in Dentistry May 1931, m Martha Carpenter, and reside Richwood, W. Va.

2 Robert Billingsley Lowe: b ca 1920.

ii Cecil C.: b 9 June 1889, m Osie Backus, b 18-, of Huntington, W. Va. They moved to Arizona about 1910 and reside Wickenburg, Ariz. They had:

1 Leyontine.

2 Lucille.

3 Grant.

4 George.

5 Ruth.

6 Cecil C., Jr.

iii Kester Jarvis: b 9 Nov. 1892, m prior to 1912 Genevieve Murphy, b ;Madison, Wis. 1 May 1893. Reside Phoenix, Ariz. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Fay: b 17 Sept. 1912 Prescott, Ariz.

2 Virginia: b 28 Apr. 1916 Prescott, Ariz.

3 Roderick: b 15 Aug. 1917 Congress Junction, Ariz.

4 Genevieve: b 28 Aug. 1920 Prescott, Ariz.

## 293 URBAN CLARK (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Norval 7, Francis 6, Sias .5, William 4, William 3, John ;2, Francis 1.*) Born Cooper County, Missouri 18 October 1844. After the death of his father he migrated to California and was living in Sacramento in 1870 and listed as a clerk in a store. He married 13 November 1872 Mary F. Trafton, born Sacramento, California 31 March 1851, daughter of Dr. William Trafton, born Indiana 1825 and Almira , born New York 1829, they were parents also of Augusta, b 1855; William A., Jr., b 1862; and Charles, b 1864. They resided in Sacramento, where he died 22 April 1925, she survived him.

### Children:

i Ferdinand Russell: b 5 Aug. 1873, died 28 Oct. 1905.

ii Urban Clark, Jr.: b 11 July 1875 Sacramento, Calif. Grad. Cooper Medical College, San Francisco, now Stanford Univ., in 1904. He married at Florin, Calif. Nov. 1906 Florence Tootell, b Florin; Calif. 11 Apr. 1883. He is practicing his profession and resided Hayward, Calif., in 1931. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Alice C.: b 21 June 1912.

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iii Frank Lee: b 18 Oct. 1877, died 18 Dec. 1898.

iv Carries b 26 Nov. 1881, died 24 Dec. 1898.

v Edwin: b 8 Oct. 1883, died 10 Feb. 1899.

294 JOHN RAY (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 7, John 6, John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Anson County, North Carolina 7 March 1818, moved to Wilson County, Tennessee with his parents about 1822. He migrated to Texas about 1860-61 and enlisted 15 September 1863 at Austin as Private C, 33d Texas Cavalry, C. S. A., states he was born Anson Co., N.C., age 44 years, 6 feet one inch in height, hazel eyes, and grey hair, and a farmer. Sick in hospital May and June 1864, discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability at Camp Gano, Ind. Ter. 15 Nov. 1864 for "Old age & general debility, practically no duty since enlistment." He married prior to 1867 Emma Tinnon, born Arkansas 1842, resided Travis County in 1870 and first listed in Austin, Texas in 1881 as a gardener, He died 4 August 1883; she survived him a short time and died about 1886.

Children:

i Jesse John: b 1867, m date unknown, Mamie -- b 18-. Listed in Austin, Tex. in 1886 to 1894 as a gardener; not listed 1895 to 1899; appears again 1900 to 1904; not listed 1900 to 1914; appears in 1916 listed as grocer and is listed to include 1929. Said to have been living in 1931. They had six children order and all names not known as no information has been obtainable from the family.

1 Jesse S.: b 189-. Listed as Student in 1916.

2 Beatrice: b 189-. Listed as Student 1916 and as Nurse in 1920 to 1922.

3 Emma R.: b 189-. Listed as Student 1916 and as Teacher in 1920, last record of her.

4 Samuel J.: b 19-. Listed as Soda Clerk 1920, and listed to include 1924 in Austin, Tex. No subsequent record.

5 Robert E.: b 19-. Listed in home of his parents 1922 to 1927, no subsequent record.

ii Sophia Ida: b 1871, m 5 Feb. 1891 John E. Keller, she died in 1912, he is later listed with other wives, no record of any children.

iii Joseph P.: b 1874. He is listed in Austin, Tex. 1889 to 1892 as cigar maker; 1893 to 1904 as gardener; 1905 and 1906 as proprietor Cotton Exchange saloon; 1909 to 1918 as bartender. He is listed in 1918 with a wife named Hattie, this is first listing of names of wives, and date of marriage is not known. He was listed in 1931, and is stated to have died May 1932. No record of children.



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iv Walter R.: b 1878. Listed in Austin, Tex. 1893 to 1904 as a gardener; 1909 to 1918 as a bartender. Appears in 1918 with a wife named Beulah and does not appear again. In 1924 there appears a Mrs. Billie Billingsley, and in 1927 her name appears as widow of Walter, and employed in Health Dept. Not known if this is a 2d wife. There appear to have been at least two children:

1 Hazel: listed 1927 as a Student.

2 Mary Lou: listed 1929 as a Student and at home in 1931.

v Pearl E.: b 188-. Listed 1893 to 1904 at home of her sister, Mrs. Keller; 1905-1906 resided 1605 Colorado, she m after 1906 John Bock, she died in 1913. They had

1 Ida Mae Bock: resides Austin, Tex.

2 Pearl Julia Bock: resides Austin. Tex.

3 Walter Bock: resides Austin. Tex.

#### 295 JAMES CLEMENT (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James C. 7, John 6, John 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Rankin County, Mississippi 27 January 1851, moved to Ashley County, Arkansas with his mother about 1870. He married about 187-1 Susan McCauley, born Mississippi in 1853, daughter of Nancy McCauley, born Mississippi in 1812 and living in Arkansas in 1880. In 1876 owing to illness of their son, Daniel, they were advised to seek another climate and moved to Williamson County, Texas. They returned to Ashley County, Arkansas prior to March 1880 where they resided until 3 Apr. 1893 when they again moved to Texas and located in Montgomery County. He and his wife were both deceased prior to 1930.

Children:

i Daniel James: b 11 Nov. 1873 in Ashley Co., Ark., made the move to Texas with his parents, etc. He married 17 June 1923 at Cleveland, Tex. Mrs. Hortense Sanders, b Polk Co., Tex. 18 May 1894. She had three children at the time of this marriage, reside Cleveland, Texas. No children. He has furnished some information on the family, etc.

ii Mary Virginia: b 24 Oct. 1877 Tex. Resides Cleveland, Tex.

iii John A.: b 6 Mar. 1880 Ashley Co., Ark. He m (1) 25 Dec. 1904 Willie Clemmons Campbell, b 11 Mar. 1882 Ark., 1st cousins; she died 7 Mar. 1908 and he m (2) 9 Sept. 1911 Nancy L. Brown, she died 31 Oct. 1920 sine prole, and he m (3) 19 Dec. 1923 Sadie Belle Needham, of Porters, Tex. where they reside. They had:

1 Annie Laura: b 22 Nov. 1905, m Lazzie Phillips, said to have several children, reside Hortense, Tex.

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2 Ora Lillian: b 3 -Aug. 1907, m Edgar Brashear, reside Houston, Tex.

3 Thomas M.: b 20 Oct. 1924.

4 Letha Fay: b 2 Nov. 1925.

5 Velma Lorene: b 8 June 1927.

6 Samuel C.: b 24 Sept. 1928.

7 Joel Conrad: b 9 June 1931.

8 Son: b 1932.

iv Daughter: b 10 June 1883, m -, reside Harlengen, Tex.

v Samuel Levi: b 10 June 1886. Left home in 1902 and has not been heard from since.

vi Callie: b 13 Feb. 1891, died act. 18 months.

vii Benjamin Oscar: b 1 Aug. 1894.

viii Braska Isabell: b 1 Aug. 1894, a twin.

296 JAMES XI. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Hezekiah B. 7, John 6, John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina 26 October 1843. He enlisted 23 February, 1863 at Wadesboro, N. C. as Private A, 23d N. C. Inf., C. S. A. Captured at Gettysburg July 1863, wounded and right arm amputated; furlough for 60 days on a roll dated December 1863, no further military record. He married 18 December 1867 Rebecca Redfern, born North Carolina, 18-1-. He died 1 January 1926, she survives him and was living 1931 with her daughter, we talked over many family records with her, she was recovering from a fractured hip at the time. Resided in Anson County, North Carolina.

Children:

i John Franklin: b 26 Nov. 1868, m 4 Aug. 1907 Eva Mabel Lowry. Reside Peachland, N. C. They had:

1 Harriet Rebecca: b 23 Feb. 1912.

2 James Madison: b 10 July 1914.

3 Martha Mabel (Patsey): b 4 Apr. 1917.

ii Lucy Wilma: b 28 July 1872, m James Richard Crowder, b 18-. Family Baptists, resided Peachland, N. C. They had:

1 Aline C. Crowder: b 28 Sept. 1896, m Parks Pickett, reside Liberty, N. C. No children.

2 James Richard Crowder: b 4 Sept. 1900, m Mildred Arrowood, reside Peachland, N. C. They had  
a Rebecca Crowder: b Oct. 1930.

3 Elva C. Crowder: b 31 Mar. 1904, m J. Talmadge Austin, reside Peachland, N. C. They had:

a J. Talmadge Austin, Jr.: b Aug. 1923.

b Sarah Elizabeth Austin: b Aug. 1925.

c James Crowder Austin: b Mar. 1929.

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4 Frank Crowder: b 17 Mar. 1911.

iii Charles: b 7 Oct. 1874, died aet. 8 months.

iv William Clyde: b 7 June 1876, m 24 Dec. 1907 Fannie Carpenter, reside Matthews, N. C. No children.

v Julia Pearl: b 18 Sept. 1878, m-24 Aug. 1898 Hogan Hampton Redfern b 18-, reside Hartsville, S. C. They had:

1 James Perry Redfern: b 23 June 1900, m 4 Apr. 1923 Roma Waddell. They had:

a James B. Redfern, Jr.: b May 1925.

b Charles Redfern: b May 1925.

2 Margaret Rebecca Redfern: b 23 Oct. 1902, m 11 May 1924 Harold Sam Presson. No children.

3 Benjamin Heath Redfern: b 26 Aug. 1906, m 6 Oct. 1929 Eleanor Lesesne. They had:

a Eleanor Jean Redfern: b July 1930.

4 Theron Lee Redfern: b 23 Mar. 1911.

5 Julia Billingsley Redfern: b 11 Sept. 1919 called "Billie."

vi Hezekiah: b 19 Mar. 1881, m 12 Nov. 1905 Estelle McRae, reside Peachland, N. C. They had:

1 James McRae: b 30 Aug. 1906.

2 Mary Louise: b 12 Jan. 1909.

3 John Robert: b 13 Oct. 1916.

297 JOHN S. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Hezekiah B. 7, John 6, John 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina in 1851. He married 21 December 1874 Julia Martin Ramsey, born 18-, daughter of Matthew J. Ramsey and Margaret Waddill. Resided Anson County, North Carolina where he died October 1903, she married (2) A. J. Allen and was living in 1931, resided Lilesville, N. C.

Children:

i Annie Eliza: b 8 Nov. 1878, m 23 Oct. 1895 William Walter Barrett, b N. C. 1865, he died 11 Mar. 1926, she survives him and resides Southern Pines, N. C. Family Presbyterians. They had:

1 Robert Gordon Barrett: b 19 June 1897.

2 Claud Barrett: b 28 Jan. 1900, m June 1922 Jenna Lee. They had:

a Annie Sue Barrett: b 10 Dec. 1923.

b Celia Barrett: b 15 Jan. 1927.

c Noma Lee Barrett: b June 1929.

3 Julia Ramsey Barren: b 25 June 1903, m 22 Dec. 1922 Clyde Davidson. They had:

a Clyde Davidson, Jr.: b 27 Nov. 1923.

b Dorothy Gomeria Davidson: b 15 July 1927.

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4 Frances Virginia Barrett: b 24 Feb. 1906.

5 Helen Barren: b 23 July 1908, m 24 May 1928 Herman Moore. They had:  
a Robert Nelson Moore: b Dec. 1929.

6 William Walter Barrett: b 10 Oct. 1911.

7 Dorothy Barrett: b 9 Apr. 1914.

ii Frank Matthew: b Dec. 1880, m Sept. 1906 Mattie Burch, she died Feb. 1920. They had:

1 Annie: b 12 June 1911.

2 Julia Virginia: b Feb. 1913.

3 Mary Louise: b 10 June 1915.

4 Frank M., Jr.: b 4 Dec. 1917.

5 Andrew Jackson: b 30 Dec. 1919. Reared in home of his aunt Griffin and goes by name of Jack Billingsley Griffin (1931).

iii Virginia Covington: b 29 Oct. 1884, m 29 Oct. 1902 :atlas D. Griffin, family Baptists, reside Peachland, N. C. where he was Postmaster in 1931. They had:

1 James Murphy Griffin: b 29 Aug. 1903, m 18 Oct. 1930 Nettie May Cloniger. ,

2 John Roswell Griffin: b 14 May 1907. .

3 Julia Virginia Griffin: b 1 Mar. 1909. '

4 Mary Frances Griffin: b 30 May 1911.

iv Rachel Ramsey: b 18 Nov. 1889, m 18 Nov. 1909 Benjamin

James Cromartie, family Presbyterians, reside N. C.

They had:

1 Julia Elizabeth Cromartie: b 23 Jan. 1911.

2 Annie Virginia Cromartie: b 1 Apr. 1916.

3 Eleanor Ramsey Cromartie: b 20 Jan. 1921.

v Edmund Waddill: b 13 Nov. 1895, m 15 Jan. 1930 'Myrtle  
Franks. He served in World War in Signal Corps.

298 HEZEKIAH BOULT (8) BILLINGSLEY

(Hezekiah B. 7, John 6, John 5, Bowles 4, William °3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Anson County, North Carolina Jan. 1855. He married 29 August 1881 Mary Alice Thomas, born North Carolina 2 December 1863, resided Monroe, North Carolina where he died September 1925, she survives him.

Children:

i Lee Thomas: b ca 1883, m Tiny Helms, reside Monroe, N. C. They had:

1 Hugh.

2 Elizabeth.

3 Dorothy.

4 Arthur.

5 Curtis.

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6 Augustus.

ii Katherine Ghist: b 9 Feb. 188-, m Oct. 1912 in Union Co., N. C. George Barber Riddle, b 9 Feb. 1887. He is a locomotive engineer, reside Raleigh, N. C. They had:

1 George B. Riddle, Jr.: b Feb. 1914.

2 Catherine Lee Riddle, b Oct. 1915.

3 Dorothy Keltz Riddle: b Aug. 191?.

4 Richard Riddle: b Oct. 1920.

5 Elizabeth Barton Riddle: b 10 Nov. 1922.

6 Mary Alice Riddle: b June 1925.

iii Frank Thomas: b July 188-, m Effie Lavina, he is a locomotive engineer. They had:

1 Frank Thomas, Jr.: b ca 1924.

2 Jean: b ca 1926. iv Roswell Clark: b Dec. 188-, m Janie Woodward. He is a railroad man, reside Hamlet, N. C.

They had:

1 Janie Grey: b ca 1929. v Harry: b ca 1891, m Edna Plyler, is an electrician. No children.

vi Allie May: b Sept. 189-, m ca 1924 Robert Alexander Douglas, reside Chester, S. C. They had:

1 Robert Alexander Douglas, Jr.: b ca Apr. 1925.

vii Hugh: b 189-, is an electrician, unmarried 1931.

299 CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Clement 6, James 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1817, moved to Alabama with his parents about 1833 and moved to Mississippi with them about 1838. He returned to Alabama in 1842 where he married Nancy, born Alabama 1824. He is listed as a farmer in 1850 and also in 1860, and in 1870 is listed as a Baptist Minister, both were living in 1880 and resided in Autauga County, Alabama.

Children:

i William : b 1843, died 1850'x.

ii Alabama: b 1845, m or d before 1870.

iii John R.: b 1847, m prior to 1874 Martha E., b Ala. 1857; resided Autauga Co., Ala. They had, known:

1 James W.: b 1874.

2 William J.: b 1876.

3 Minerva: b 1879.

iv Christopher Columbus (9): b 30 Sept. 1848.

v Thomas J.: b 1850, m 1878 Mary A., b Ala. in 1860, resided Autauga Co., Ala. They had, known

1 Robert N.: b Feb. 1880. .

vi Nancy J.: b 1851, m or d before 1880.

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vii Mary Lucinda: b 1853, m 1876 Lindsay Turner. They had, known:  
1 William D. Turner: b 1878.

viii James: b 1856, died small.

ix. Joseph N.: b 1858, resided in Etowah Co., Ala. in 1880 and employed in a mill, unmarried at that date.

x Angeline: b 1860, was unmarried in 1880.

xi William J.: b 1862.

300 WILLIAM N. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Stafford County, Virginia in 1833, moved to Alabama with his parents and then to Holmes County, Mississippi with them. He returned to Autauga County, Alabama about 1861 and enlisted as Private Co. I, 6th Alabama Infantry, C. S. A. and served through the war. He married prior to 1865 Julia Ann , born Alabama in 1835, both were living in 1880 and resided in Autauga County, Alabama.

Children:

i Malphas Porter: b. 1865, m. He was living in 1931 at Marbury, Ala. They had a son, William N., b. Ala. 18-, who m prior to 1921, Elizabeth Gibson and they had a daughter Catherine Gibson Billingsley, b 19 Aug. 1921 at Pascagoula, Miss. They were divorced and she was living 1931 at Chula Vista, Calif. He is said to have m (2) and was living Saunas, Calif. in 1931.

ii Virginia: b 1868.

iv Samuel: b. 1872.

v Balsona: b 1874.

vi Clara: b 1875.

vii Price: b 1878.

301 JOSEPH SMALLWOOD (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement T. 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bibb County, Alabama 11 September 1848, moved to Autauga County, Alabama with his parents about 1855, moved to Upshur County, Texas about 1870, and then to Hill County, Texas about 1875 where he met and married prior to 1877, Arizona Elizabeth Sachse, born Texas 1860: They moved to Collin County, Texas before 1880 where he engaged in farming. She died about 1881, he survived her many years and died at Wylie, Texas in 1925.

Children:

i James Clement (9) : b. 27 May 1877.

ii Birdie: b Dec. 1879, m James Morris, she died about 1926 in Texas.

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301-A WILLIAM THOMAS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clement T. 7, Clement 6., James 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Autauga County, Alabama in 1857 and was generally known as "Bud," moved to Upshur County, Texas with his parents in or about 1870, and is listed in said County in census of 1880, living in the home of his sister Mrs. Thomas Brown. He married prior to 1888, Beulah Barwick, born Texas in 1868. He was a farmer and resided near Gilmer, Texas where he died 9 February 1905, she survived him and died 28 July 1916.

Children:

i Essie: b 29 Feb. 1888, m 13 Oct. 1907 at Gilmer, Tex., William Lewis Crain, b Gilmer, Tex. 12 Jan. 1883, reside Pasadena, Calif. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Mittie Crain: b 10 Aug. 1908, m Walter Benedict.

2 Will Hazel Crain: b 1 June 1917.

ii Jack Hilton: b 23 Aug. 1889, m Cathleen Davis, reside Tulsa Okla. They had:

1 Helen: b 19-.

iii Fred Boyd: b 21 Feb. 1891, m Ben Griffin, reside Garland, Tex. They had:

1 Ben: b 19—.

2 Fred: b 19—.

3 Margaret: b 19-.

iv Lake Lynn: b 21 Feb. 1893, resides Terrill, Tex., unkm.

v Olin Clifton: b 189-, m Lois Chandler, reside Jefferson, Tex. They had:

1 Olin Clifton, Jr.: b 19-.

vi Florine: b 8 Apr. 1897, m Ophie Oliver, reside Tyler, Tex. They had:

1 Shirley Ann: b 19-.

vii William Thomas, Jr.: b 23 Aug. 1900, m Lou Ora Burnett, reside Dallas, Tex. He furnished some information on this family. They had:

1 Frankie May: b 19-.

2 Billie Lou: b 19-.

2 Beulah Alice: b 19-.

viii Helen: b 2 Feb. 1903, died 2 Jan. 1905.

ix Nellie Maud: b 17 July 1905, m John Chapman, reside Longview, Tex.

302 JOSEPH BOWLES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James R. 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Autauga County, Alabama in 1832, moved to Sabine Parish, Louisiana with his parents. He is listed in 1850 as a "Mail Rider" and was living with his parents. He married prior to 1853, Elizabeth Brady, born

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England in 1836, she was a daughter of Nathan H. Brady, born England 1802, died post 1870, and Elizabeth, his wife, born England 1801, died post 1870, residents of Sabine Parish, Louisiana. They resided in Moorehouse Parish a few years then moved to Sabine Parish. He enlisted in Confederate Army in 1863 for one year, discharged and re-enlisted at Dalton, Georgia, 1 April 1864 and assigned as Private, Company B, 3d Confederate Infantry, a consolidated organization with the majority of the companies from Arkansas organizations, he is carried on the rolls as "J. Billingsley," sent to hospital 12 May 1864, on a roll dated August 1864 he is shown as "Absent, sick." He has no further military record. He is stated to have been sent home much broken in health and died sometime in 1865, Elizabeth moved to the home of her parents where she died 1868-69 and the children were reared in the home of their grand parents Brady, Sabine Parish, Louisiana.

Children:

i James J. (9) : b 31 Dec. 1853.

ii Martha E.: b 1857.

iii David H.: b 1839, died 1861.

iv David C.: b 1862.

#### 303 JAMES JONES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1817, moved to Harrison County, Ohio with his parents where he married prior to 1839 Jane Meldrum, born Ireland in 1811, he was a farmer, both were living in 1880 and resided Harrison County, Ohio. She is said to have died 1 October 1881.

Children: (known)

i Thomas: b 1839, died in 1850's.

ii Sarah E.: b 18-10, died unmarried after 1880.

iii Mary J.: b 1845, died unmarried after 1880.

iv Prudence Rebecca: b 1847, m in 1860's a Mr. Hefting, she died at Tippecanoe, Ohio.

v Isabella Ann: b 1848, m 1860's a Mr. Fellows, she died at New Philadelphia, Ohio.

vi William N.: b 1851, m prior to 1876 Ellen, resided Harrison Co., Ohio in 1880 and later moved to Ind. Where he died leaving three children, known are:

1 Frederick: b 1876, Ohio.

vii Leah N.: b. 1854, m after 1870, a Mr. Moore, she died Rumford Co., Iowa.

#### 304 SAMUEL KIRK (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1819, moved to Harrison County, Ohio with his parents where he married prior to 1844 Rebecca Fester Knight, born Pennsylvania in 1822. He enlisted 12 August 1862, Ser-



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geant E; 98th Ohio Infantry, U. S.; age stated as 43 years, five feet seven inches in height, hazel eyes, and auburn hair. A roll November 1862 shows A. W. O. L.; a roll 1863 shows "at home, sick, A. W. O. L., dropped as a deserter 26 May 1863." Medical record shows "Discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability" 4 June 1863. The last muster roll showing his name bears the remark, "A. W. O. L. November 1862 to July 1863." (War Dept. Records) Resided in Harrison County, Ohio and moved to Jefferson County, Iowa before 1870 where he died 26 August 1871, she survived him a few years and died 26 September 1874 near Glasgow, Iowa.

Children:

i John H.: b 1844, died 1850's.

ii Elijah Pickering (9) : b 15 Sept. 1845.

iii William Fletcher (9) : b 13 May 184?.

iv James A.: b 1849, died 1850's.

v Andrew Magee: b 27 May 1851, m 28 Mar. 1880 at Salem, Iowa, Margaret Stonehocker, he died 21 Jan. 1913.

They had:

1 Clyde: b 188-, died inf.

vi Samuel Cunningham (9) : b 6 Sept. 1853.

vii Levi Kirk: b 17 Sept. 1856, Ohio, m 15 June 1882 in Louisa Co., Iowa, Flora Alice Elliott, of Newton, Iowa. He was a Methodist Minister and listed as Pastor of Wesley Methodist church, Des Moines, Iowa in 1903; in 1908 as Secty. and Treas. Methodist Hospital, etc. He died 17 June 1930, not stated if she was deceased in 1932. They had: 1 John William: b 1889. Grad. M.D. Western Reserve Univ. Ohio in 1914, m 19-, Mabel, had two children living in 1932, reside Newton, Iowa.

viii Sarah J. (Jennie): b Sept. 1859, died aet. 12 years.

#### 305 WILLIAM PRIM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio in 1828, moved to Harrison County, Ohio with his parents and married there about 1851 Leah Randall, born Ohio in 1824, he was a farmer and resided Harrison County, Ohio, both were living in 1880, he is said to have died aged 87 years.

Children: (known)

i Sarah M.: b 1853, died aet. 10 years.

ii James L.: b 1855, m 1878/79, Mary., b Ohio 1861. Resided Harrison Co., Ohio in 1880, said to have been living in 1931 at Lorain, Ohio. They had, known:

1 Walter: b Mar. 1880.

iii John A. Bingham: b 1857, was unnm in 1880 and listed as a laborer and afflicted with Scrofula, he was deceased prior to 1931.

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iv Marion L.: b 1859, was deceased prior to 1931.

v Albert Magee (9) : b 25 Oct. 1860.

vi Nicholas Webster: b 1863 said to have been living 1931 at Tippecanoe, Ohio.

vii Emma Jeannette: b 1866, m Gladman, resided Deersville, Ohio in 1932.

viii Ida Alice: b 1869, m — Lyon, resided Uhrichsville, Ohio in 1932.

306 WILLIAM ALEXANDER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Belmont County, Ohio, 1 January 1835, moved to Ohio County, Virginia with his parents. He married (1) 18 August 1857 Margaret Cordner, she died 30 June 1860, and he married (2) Susan Cadrick nee Padget. He enlisted 16 May 1861 Private, Captain Park's Company, Virginia Volunteers, U. S. for 3 months, discharged 27 August 1861. He enlisted 15 August 1862, Private, 12th Virginia Infantry, U. S., born Belmont Co., Ohio, aged 27 years, a cooper by trade, six feet in height, grey eyes, and auburn hair. December 1862, sick and not mustered into service. February 1863 absent at home; April 1863 a prisoner; February 1864 detached to Quartermaster department as a Carpenter; 16 June 1865 transferred to 10th W. Va. Inf., and discharged July 1865.

Susan died August 1865 sine prole and he married (3) 1867-68 Lucy Stout, of Warrenton, Ohio, born in 1852, she died September 1880, and he married (4) 13 December 1893 May Caroline Thomas at Wellsburg, West Virginia. He was pensioned for service and died at his home 21 September 1917, resided most of his life in Brooke County, West Virginia. No children by 4th wife who survived him and drew widow's pension to 15 August 1923 when she married (2) George Miller, of Royland, Ohio and pension ceased.

Children:

i Sarah E.: b 14 June 1858, m a Mr. Cawthorn, resided Wellsburg, W. Va. in 1918.

ii Margaret: b 22 June 1860.

iii Stella M.: b 1 May 1870, 3d wife.

iv Maurice Lester: b 21 Oct. 1871.

v William Edwin: b 2 May 1873, was deceased prior to 1915.

vi Maud Irene: b 10 July 1874-75.

vii George Sidney: b 23 June 1877, was deceased prior to 1915.

viii. Ethel Clare: b 14 Jan. 1880.

307 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Ohio County, Virginia in 1839, this portion subsequently became Brooke County. He enlisted at Wheeling, Virginia 2 February 1862,

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Private B, 1st Virginia Infantry, U. S., states he was born Brooke County, Virginia, age 23 years, five feet, six and one half inches in height, black eyes, and dark hair, a farmer; captured 11 September 1863 at Moore's Ford and exchanged June 1864, discharged 1 March 1865; Veteran and Private, D, 2d W. Va. Inf. 1865. Pensioned. He married 18 Nov. 1871 Jefferson County, Ohio, Ann Eliza Jackson, born Brooke County, Virginia 9 June 1852 and a daughter of James and Eliza Jackson who were the parents of the following children also: Vincent, b 1836, d 19 Aug. 1862 U. S.; John, b 1838, d 14 Sept. 1862 U. S.; William, b 1840; Louis, b 1842; Albert, b 1844; Leander, b 15 July 1846; James M., b 3 Mar. 1848; Mary Eliza, b 20 Feb. 1850; and Sarah Jane, b 18 Mar. 1854. Eliza Jackson, the mother of these children was born in Pennsylvania in 1811 and was living in 1870 Jefferson County, Ohio. They resided at Royland, Jefferson County, Ohio where he died 10 December 1913, she survived him and was living in 1930. „She testified in 1918 in the pension claim of widow of William A. Billingsley that she was his "sister-in-law," etc.

Children:

i John J.: b 1 Apr. 1873. Was living in 1918 at Royland, Ohio, made affidavit in pension case of widow of William A. Billingsley.

ii Mary A.: b 1 Mar. 1874.

iii Cassie M.: b 18 Apr. 1881.

iv Jessie B.: b 28 June 1884.

v Nora: b 29 Apr. 1888.

vi Ora: b 29 Apr. 1888. Twins.

vii Blanche: b 7 July 1893.

viii Frank: b 23 May 1896. Twins.

ix Winnie: b 23 May 1896.

#### 308 BRIGHT W. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1822, moved to Alabama with his parents latter part of the year 1830 and resided in Green County till about 1845 when he moved to Carroll County, Mississippi where he married prior to 1848 Telitha , born Alabama in 1829. He was a farmer and resided in Carroll County till after 1850 then removed to Louisiana before 1860, no definite records of their deaths or the locality

Children: (known)

i Thomas Jefferson (9): b 1848 Miss.

ii James W.: b Feb. 1850 Carroll Co., Miss., moved to La. where he m prior to 1870 Emily, b La. 1850. Resided in De Soto Par. in 1880. Billingsleys living today at Loganport, and Mansfield, La. said to be of this family. No information has been obtainable from any of them. They had, known:

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- 1 William: b 1873.
- 2 Nannie: b 1875.
- 3 Martha: b 1877.

iii Walter H.: b 1853 Carroll Co., Miss., moved to La. and m prior to 1877 Mary, b Ala. 1848, resided De Soto Par., La. in 1880. They had, known:

- 1 William: b 1877.
- 2 James: b 1878.
- 3 Mary: b 1879.

### 309 JOHN POWELL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina 26 October 180?, moved to Montgomery County, North Carolina with his parents. He and his brother, James A. migrated to Florida about 1825 where he married 1 October 1829, Ann Smith, born Georgia 16 November 1808, resided a time near Pensacola then settled in Leon County, Florida where he engaged in farming. He died 1 October 1863, she survived him and died 22 February 1888.

Children:

i Mary Ann: b 18 Aug. 1830, died 18 Jan. 1832.

ii Eliza Jane (9) : b 30 Dec. 1831.

iii Susan A.: b 16 Oct. 1833, m 4 Mar. 1852, John Henry Hall, b Fla. 1832, he died 1863-69, she moved to Texas where she died, locality not stated. They had:

- 1 John Henry Hall: b 1855.
- 2 Thomas Hall: b 1857.
- 3 Elizabeth Hall: b 1858-59.
- 4 Martha Hall: b 1861.

iv Thomas S.: b 26 Mar. 1835, died 26 Aug. 1835.

v John Smith (9) : b 16 Dec. 1836.

vi Henry Clay (9) : b 1 Apr. 1839.

vii Elizabeth: b 5 Dec. 1840, m 8 Jan. 1868, Francis M. Hubbard, b Fla. 1844, resided Pensacola, Fla., both deceased many years, no record of their children.

viii George Washington (9) : b 20 Dec. 1842.

ix Martha Ann: b 21 Nov. 1845, died 4 Aug. 1852.

### 310 DAVID D. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County; North California 1 January 1811, moved to Montgomery County, North Carolina with his parents. When his father moved to Georgia he returned to Anson County, North Carolina where he married (1) prior to 1833 (earliest marriage records extant in this county are 1872) Alie Carpenter, born North Carolina 180-, she died in 1848 and he married (2) prior to 1850 Mary Gandinson (spelling of this

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surname is uncertain), born North Carolina in 1820. He dated his will 17 June 1851, died on his farm on Rocky River 6 July 1851, and will probated July 1851, names wife, Mary, and children, unnamed, etc. She survived him and removed to Texas where she died in the 1870's.

Children:

i Lucy Ann: b 1833, died about 1845, was with her father while he was clearing some new ground and her dress caught fire.

ii Edmond F.: b 1835. Enlisted 22 Apr. 1861, Pvt. Capt. Smith's Co., 4th N. C. Inf., C. S. A., this Co. later became Co. C, 14th N. C. Inf.; captured at Sharpsburg, exchanged Nov. 1862; wounded at Chancellorsville, and killed in action 12 May 1864 at Spotsylvania Court House, Va.

iii John Powell: b 1837. He is said to have served in Confederate Army, no record of his service has been discovered. He married prior to 1860 Frances Sturtivant, she died sine prole and he m (2) 21 Dec. 1875, Ida M. Raney. She was evidently deceased before 1904. He dated his will 12 Apr. 1904, devises one half of land on East side of the road where I now live, to Lucy, daughter of Sidney, my brother; Janie Pratt, the 4th daughter of James L. Pratt, the other half, provided I have no living wife at the date of my death, then all above reversed. A codicil, 19 June 1906 devises all the land intended for Lucy to Sallie Billingsley, her sister. He died 13 Dec. 1912, will probated 20 Jan. 1913. No children.

iv James Jefferson: b 1843. Enlisted 22 Apr. 1861, Pvt. Smith's Co., 4th N. C. Inf., C. S. A., this later became Co. C, 14<sup>th</sup> N. C. Inf.; Aug. 1861, absent sick; Corporal 10 Sept. 1862; wounded in arm at Sharpsburg 17 Sept. 1862; in battle at Gettysburg July 1863; reduced to ranks and put on extra duty with Provost Guard; paroled 9 Apr. 1865 at Appomattox Court House, Va. He was a prosperous farmer in Anson Co., N. C. where he died 25 May 1923. Never

v Sidney Coleman (9) : b 1844-45.

vi William Martin (9) : b 1848.

vii David: b 1850-51, 2d wife, moved to Texas with his mother and died in childhood.

#### 311 THOMAS POWELL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina 3 December 1812, moved to Montgomery County, North Carolina with his parents before 1820. He married 31 January 1833 Harriet, daughter of Wilson H. Billingsley, Number 155, born North Carolina 17 August 1813, 1st cousins, they

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moved to Pike County, Georgia where she died 20 September 1840. He migrated to -Texas and the two children were reared in the home of their grandfather; Elias Billingsley. He enlisted . at Minden, Rusk County, Texas, 14 May 1862 as Private H, 19th Texas Infantry, C. S. A.; made Wagoner 11 August 1862; December 1862 sick in hospital at Little Rock, Arkansas, with mumps; February to July 1863 on detached service at Alexandria, Louisiana; September 1863 sick at Alexandria, Louisiana; joined company February 1864; captured at Fort DeRussy 14 March 1864, sent to General Hospital at New Orleans, Louisiana 29 May 1864 and died 10 June 1864 of Chronic Diarrhea, buried Cyprus Grove cemetery.

Children:

i Eliza Jane: b 12 Nov. 1833 N. C., died 4 Jan. 1838 Ga.

ii James A. (9) : b 20 May 1836 Ga.

iii John Powell: b 7 Feb. 1839 Ga., died 22 Feb. 1878 Tex.

#### 312 JAMES ADDISON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 7 May 1815, migrated to Florida with his brother, John P., in the late 1820's. He married prior to 18-14 Mary Hall, born Georgia 1827-28 and resided in Leon County, Florida. This home site was on the Georgia-Florida line and either state could be claimed. James Billingsley is listed in Florida Soldiers, enlisted 6 September 1855 Captain R. B. Sullivan's Company, Indian War, discharged 1857. Listed in Leon County, Florida in 1850 census, not listed in 1860, and again listed in this County in 1870, and listed in Thomas County, Georgia in 1880. We have no definite record of all children and it is claimed there were twelve of them, no mention or record of the death of any of them. A daughter, Emma, was living in 1932 and said to have the family Bible. No one has been able to elicit any information from this party either by letter or personal interview.

Children: (known)

i Robert Benjamin (9) : b 1844.

ii William Henry (9) : b 1846.

iii Lucy Ann: b 15 Jan. 1849 Fla., m 5 Oct. 1865 Thomas Jefferson Hutto, he died 10 Nov. 1919 and she died 18 Mar. 1925, resided Leon Co., Fla. Post Office not stated. They had:

1 Martha Eugenic Hutto: b 28 Sept. 1866, m (1) 2 Nov. 1882, William A. Murray, he died 11 Apr. 1884 and she m (2) 21 Dec. 1887 William T. Gramling. No children.

2 Mary Jessie Hutto: b 20 June 1873, m 29 Sept. 1891 Charles W. Burney, he died 12 June 1922. They had:

a Thomas Richard Burney: b 19 Aug. 1893, m 8 Oct. 1916, Adeline Herold. .They had:

al Herold Wesley Burney: b 15 Aug. 191?.

a2 Mary Elizabeth Burney: b 6 Dec. 1919.

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a3 Thomas Hutto Burney: b 3 Oct. 1931.

b Annie Eugenia Burney: b 23 June 1898, m 23 Aug. 1921, Alonzo Rozier. No children.

c Edgar G. Burney: b 25 Oct. 1909.

iv Child (?).

v James: b 1853. Was living 1880 Thomas Co., Ga. and unmarried.

vi Mary F.: b 1855.

vii Sarah D.: b 1858.

viii Child (?).

ix Walter: b 1862. We have been unable to get any definite information of this man. He m , and resided at Sunny Hill, Ga., where he died when his only child was about two years old. His widow moved to Tallahassee, Fla. and m (2) a Mr. Hill, who died Sept. 1931. They had:

1 John A.: b 18-, m Julia . He was proprietor of Temple barber shop, Jacksonville, Fla. in 1928, city directory shows a John W. Billingsley, yard clerk, and a Ruth Billingsley, living at same address as John A. It is not known if these are his children. John A. is said to have died in 1928. Julia was living in 1931 but no information obtainable from her.

x Emma: b 1866, m A. A. Blair, and reside Thomasville, Ga. She was living in 1932 and is the one who possesses the old family Bible. She has been written to by numerous persons and will not reply to any one. So far no one has been able to secure any information personally or to see this Bible and copy the records. No one has mentioned if she has any children.

xi . Nancy Ella: b 1868. xii Harriet: b 1870.

313 WILLIAM (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1807, moved to Alabama with his parents where he married prior to 1829 Sarah Harrison McKinney, born Georgia in 1812. They moved to Carroll County, Mississippi about October 1840. He was a farmer and died at his home July 1844, Sarah survived him and died 1866-67.

Children:

i Sarah: b 1829 Ala., died small.

ii Thomas Wilson (9) : b 1831 Ala. .

iii Elizabeth: b 1835 Ala., died small.

iv Martin Truman: b 1840 Miss. War Dept. records show he enlisted 7 Aug. 1861 at Manassas, Va. Pvt. G, 4th Ala. Inf. C. S. A.; 1st Sgt. 23 Apr. 1862; 2d Lieut. 12 Nov. 1862;

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1st Lieut. 3 Mar. 1863; in Command of Company June 1863; killed at Chickamauga, 20 Sept. 1863; b Miss., farmer, age 21 years, single, residence Vaiden, Miss.

v Jane Eliza: b 1843 Miss., m 1,863 Andrew Holman, she died 1878, resided Miss. They had:

1 William Holman: b 186-, deceased in 1931.

2 Eola Holman, b 186-, m (1). , (2) .

3 Lula Holman: b 18-, m Epp Baker, resided Duck Hills, Miss., she was deceased in 1931.

4 Vivian Holman: b 18-, resided Calif.

vi Ann Elizabeth: b 5 Jan. 1845 Carroll Co., Miss., m 7 Dec. 1865 at Vaiden, Miss., Dr. Tillman Richard Trotter, b 8 Mar. 1837 at Lodi, Miss. He died 9 Dec. 1914 Montgomery Co., Miss. She survives him and resides Flora, Miss. She has furnished information on this family. They had: (all b Duck Hills, Miss.).

1 Solon Billingsley Trotter: b 30 Oct. 1866, d 1 Dec. 1866.

2 Clifford Haddick Trotter: b 29 Feb. 1868, he is a physician, m 8 July 1901 Alberta Burress, address unknown in 1929. They had:

a Lena Corinne Trotter: b 1902, m John J. Outcalt, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:

a1 John J. Outcalt, Jr.: b 19-.

b Katherine Hunt Trotter: b 1903.

3 Clarence Tillman Trotter: b 2 Aug. 1869, died 28 Sept. 1899.

4 Arthur Lee Trotter: b 18 Aug. 1871, died 11 Aug. 1878.

5 Ethel Guy Trotter, b 10 Dec. 1875; died 24 June 1876.

6 Corinne Inez Trotter: b 30 Mar. 1877, m 16 Mar. 1897 Wesley Wade Westmoreland. Reside Johnson City, Term. They had:

a Evelyn Elizabeth Westmoreland: b 14 Mar. 1898, m a Mr. Seals. They had

a1 Evelyn Westmoreland Seals: b 10 Dec. 1918.

b Wesley Wade Westmoreland, Jr.: b 8 Jan. 1900.

c Corinne Inez Westmoreland: b 24 Aug. 1904, m William Mason Loy. They had:

c1 Corinne Westmoreland Loy: b 25 Feb. 1926.

c2 William Mason Loy, Jr.: b 5 July 1929.

d Dorothy Hancock Westmoreland: b 22 Aug. 1910, m a Mr. Spears. They had:

d1 Wesley Westmoreland Spears: b 8 Aug. 1931.

7 Annie Lena Trotter: b 29 Aug. 1878, m 4 June 1903 John G. Foster, reside Canton, Ga. They had:

a John G. Foster: b 28 Mar. 1904, Lieut. U. S. Navy.



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- b Tillman Richard Foster: b 10 Apr. 1906. Civil Engineer.
- c William Thomas Foster: b 23 Oct. 1907. Teacher.
- d Clifford Clarence Foster: b 18 Oct. 1912.
- 8 Stella Florence Trotter: b 9 Aug. 1880, died 4 Feb. 1882.
- 9 Eugene Nolter Trotter: b 6 June 1883, died 14 Nov. 1888.
- 10 Myrtle Lillian Trotter: b 1 Aug. 1885, m 28 May 1914, Noble E. Reynolds, reside Brookline, Mass. They had:
  - a Ruth Reynolds: b 29 Mar. 1920.
  - b Edward Reynolds: b 25 July 1922.
- 11 Olive Beatrice Trotter: b 1 Aug. 1885, a twin, m 24 May 1906 Hal J. Jones, he died 9 Dec. 1929, she survives him and resides Flora, Miss. They had:
  - a Hal T. Jones: b 8 Nov. 1907.
  - b Beatrice Jones: b 9 Nov. 1909, m C. C. Dinkins. They had:
    - b1 Olive Beatrice Dinkins: b 21 Sept. 1927. '
    - b2 Josephine Dinkins: b 22 Oct. 1929.
    - b3 C. C. Dinkins, Jr.: b 19 Apr. 1931.
    - b4 Theo. Dinkins: b 19 Apr. 1931.
  - c Flora Jones: b 24 Sept. 1911. Twin.
  - d Elizabeth Jones: b 24 Sept. 1911.
  - e Christine Jones: b 10 Oct. 1915.
  - f Jessie Mae Jones: b 4 Nov. 1918.
  - g W. B. Jones: b 26 Dec. 1922.

314 MARY (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1809, moved to Alabama with her father where she married in 1824 Dr. Daniel Long, born Laurens District, South Carolina in 1787, a son of Robert Long and Elizabeth Ralston. Robert Long was born County Antrim, Ireland circa 1 April 1763 and came to Pennsylvania with his parents as an infant, later moved to Laurens District, South Carolina with them prior to 1778. He enlisted 15 April 1778 as Private, Captain Joseph Greer's Company, South Carolina Militia, had several terms of service totaling some 12 months. Stub Entries to Indents Lib. T, No. 117 show payment for service. He was pensioned in 1843 and this pension record is quite a remarkable document." There was also published by the Habersham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution some years ago some papers of the deceased Dr. Logan and in these papers are some notes sent to Dr. Logan by Daniel C. Long, of Dallas County, Alabama in 1858, who states he was the only living son of Robert Long; that he had a brother in law Thomas Weir, of Laurens District, South Carolina still living. This is

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the only record in which Dr: Daniel Long shows with any middle initial. A communication from the Dean of the University of Pennsylvania, Medical School, states, "Daniel Long attended the session of 1811-12, did not attend the session of 1812-13." He served as Surgeon's Mate, Lieutenant Colonel John A. Alston's Regiment South Carolina Infantry, 6 November 1814 to 8 March 1815, War of 1812 (War Dept. Records). He removed to Alabama prior to 1824. They resided in Perry County, in 1840 and then-settled on his plantation in Dallas County, where he is listed. as a practicing physician in 1850. He died at his home in 1862. Mary was living in 1870 with her son, Thomas, in Dallas County, Alabama. No data on her death.

Children:

i Robert Alexander Long: b 1825 Ala., m prior to 1850 Sarah Ann Underwood, b near Marion, Ala. in 1832, resided in Dallas Co., Ala. in 1850, then moved to Washington Co., Ala., where she died in 1886 aged 54 years, he survived her some years and died aged 77 years. They had:

1 William H. Long: b 1850, d aet. ca 16 years.

2 Daniel James Long: b 1852, m after 1880 Willie Archie Williams. He served as Sheriff, and later as Probate Judge of Washington Co., Ala. He was deceased prior to 1931. They had

a Minnie Lee Long: b 18-, m Wallace P. Pruitt, reside Chatom, Ala. They had:

a1 Minnie Lee Pruitt. Resides Deatsville, Ala.

a2 Wallace P. Pruitt, Jr.: b 18-. Resides Washington, D. C.

a3 Daniel McCormick Pruitt: b 1-,resides Montgomery, Ala.

a4 Robert Allen Pruitt: b 1-, decsd.

a5 Archie Long Pruitt: b 1-.

a6 David Pruitt: b 1-.

a7 Enoch Pruitt: b 1-.

b Willie Archie Long: b 18-, m R. Nathan Mills, reside Chatom, Ala. They had:

b1 Willie Archie Mills.

b2 R. Nathan Mills, Jr.

c Maude Long: b 18-. Resides Chatom, Ala.\*

d Daniel J. Long, Jr.: b 1892. Grad. Univ. Ala. In 1916 M.D., m Elizabeth Strock, resided Fairfield, Minn 1929.

e Sallie Underwood Long: b 18-, decsd.

f Mamie Long: b 18-. Resides Chatom, Ala.

g Robert Alexander Long: b 18-.

3 John H. Long: b 29 Oct. 1853. He m (1) prior to 1874 Fannie Powers, she died ca. 1879 and he m (2) Minnie

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Turner, she died and .he m (3) Mary G. Hamilton. Removed to Hazelhurst, Miss. about 1887 and was engaged in insurance business, he furnished the information of his own family, etc. in 1931. He it said to have died Sept. 1932. They had:

a Robert Ira Long: b 1874, m Gabrilla Campbell, he is a Presbyterian minister, residence not stated. They had:

a1 Frances P. Long, m Rev. Roy Aldrich, they had a son Roy Aldrich, Jr.

a2 James H. Long.

a3 Robert Ira Long, Jr.: m Helen Sweets.

a4 Grace Long.

a5 John Ross Long.

a6 Campbell Long.

b John H. Long, Jr.: b 1877, m Maude Hendrick, he d ca 1928-29. They had:

b1 Frances K. Long: m Courtney Parker, no children.

c Frank Long: b ca 1879, d inf.

d Mary Gertrude Long: b 18-, 3d wife, d net. 8 yearn.

e James Underwood Long: b 18-, m Fannie Mae Enochs, no children.

f Hamilton A. Long: b 18-. Said to be a World War Veteran, is a lawyer, resides New York City.

g William Alexander Long: b 18-, m Mary Lynn Jones, was in insurance business in 1931, resided Hazelhurst, Miss. They had g1 William A. Long, Jr.

4 Emma Long: b 1855, died aet. 5 years.

5 Robert Cole Long: b 1857, m Mary Scruggs, reside Gilbertown, Ala. in 1932. They had:

a Mamie Long: b 18-, m Odell Taylor, he was decsd in 1932, she resided Butler, Ala. They had:

a1 Mamie Odell Taylor: b 1-, m Wyatt Poole, reside Gilbertown, Ala. Had two daughters in 1932, Dorothy and Virginia.

a2 Robert Taylor.

a3 Emeline Taylor.

b Ruth Lee Long: b 18-.

c Jessie Scruggs Long: b 18-, m Grover Williams, reside Sheffield, Ala. They had:

c1 Jessie Williams.

d Robbie Cole Long: decsd.

e Lois Long: decsd.

f Claudia Pauline Long: b 1-, m Dobbs Scott, reside, Birmingham, Ala. They had:

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fl Mary Earle Scott.

8 Thomas Augustus Long: b 1860, m Jessie Scruggs. He represented Clark Co., Ala. in state legislature several terms. He was decesd prior to 1932. They had:

a William Earle Long: b 18-, m Coral Lee Wilson, he d prior to 1932 sine prole.

b Bessie E. Long: b 18-, res. Wash., D. C.

c Reginald Long: b 18-, res. Mobile, Ala.

d Thomas A. Long, Jr.: b 18-, res. Coffeev ille, Ala.

e Gertrude Long: b 18-, decesd.

f Eddie Long: b 18-, decesd.

g Lucile Long: b 1-, m Julian R. Holt, reside Bessemer, Ala. They had

gl Lucile Holt.

h Louise Long: b 18-, m Val Price, reside Chicago, Ill. They had

hl Val Price, Jr.

i Helen Long- b 1-,resides Birmingham, Ala.

7 Albert Sydney Long: b 186-, died aet. ca 2 years.

8 Edward Lee Long: b 1864, m 23 May 1894, Annie Slater Thornton, reside Eutaw, Ala. They had:

a Edward Lee Long, Jr.: b 30 July 1895, d 20 May 1896.

b Sarah Hattie Long: b 20 Aug. 1897, m 21 Feb. 1922 William Monroe Meredith. He served as Capt. Co. F,

106 Civil Engs. World War, he died 25 Mar. 1928, she resides Birmingham, Ala.

c Guesnor Long: b 15 July 1899, died 1? July 1900.

d Wilbur Maurice Long: b 17 July 1902. Is a merchant at Eutaw, Ala., unmarried 1932.

e Thornton Underwood Long: b 29 June 1905, died 6 Sept. 1930.

f Robert A. Long: b 12 Dec. 1909, died 20 Nov. 1910.

9 Jesse Long: b 186-, died aet. ca 2 years.

10 Walter Underwood Long: b 186-, d unm after 1880 aet. ca 21 years.

11 Harry Long: b 187-, died aet. ca 5 years.

12 Hugh Long: b 187-, d aet. ca 6 years.

13 Sallie Long: b 1878, m Dr. William B. Staples, grad. Univ. Nashville, 1896 N.D., reside Bladon Springs, Ala. They had:

a Gladys Staples: b 1-, m Richard H. McLemore, reside Mobile, Ala. They had:

a1 Richard H. McLemore, Jr.

b Norman A. Staples: b 1-. He is a dentist, m Helen Prince, reside Union Springs, Ala. They had:

b1 Betty Ann Staples.

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ii Thomas Ralston Long: b 1827 Ala., m prior to 1856 Mary Ware, b Ga. 1834, daughter of George N. Ware and Susan Cochran, natives of Ga. who came -to Ala. about 1838, see Ware Excursus. They resided in Perry Co., in 1860 and moved to Washington Co., Ala., before 1861, returned to Perry Co. before June 1880 at which date both were living, no mention of their deaths. They had:

1 Martha Rebecca Long: b 1856. Was living in 1932 Ala.

2 James Daniel Long: b 1858, m Rosa Royle. They had:

a Thomas Edward Long: b 18-, m Lucy Pegues, resided Ala., he died in 1925. They had:

al Thomas Edward Long, Jr.: b 1----, d 1925, the same day his father.

b Annie Mimms Long: b 18-, m Watson Hem, he died in 1927, she survives him and resides Uniontown, Ala. They had

b1 Watson Hem, Jr.

3 Robert Long: b 1859, died inv.

4 Thomas Henry Long: b 5 Oct. 1861, at St. Stephens, Ala., m 2 July 1890 at Uniontown, Ala, Mary Coleman, b 25 Sept. 1867 at McKinley, Ala., daughter of James W. Coleman, b 1824, Spottsylvania Co., Va., m 1851, Sally Ann Davison, b Va. 1824, they were parents also of James D., b 1865, m Emma Dent; Maria O., b 14 Oct. 1870; and Catherine, b 16 Oct. 1873. He died 15 Oct. 1931, she survives him and resides Perry Co., Ala. They had:

a Mary Long: b 3 May 1891, died 1899.

b Thomas Ralston Long: b 18 Jan. 1893, m 2 June 1917 at Jacksonville, Fla., Frances White, b Uniontown, Ala. 27 Feb. 1896, reside Uniontown, Ala. He furnished data on this family. They had:

b1 Thomas Ralston Long, Jr.: b 7 Apr. 1918.

b2 Frances Long: b 19 June 1919.

c Henry C. Long: b 12 May 1895.

d J. M. Long: b 6. May .1898.

e Robert L. Long: b 29 July 1900.

f J. H. Long: b 29 Oct. 1902, died 20 July 1929.

g Sarah Long: b 13 Feb. 1905, m – Paschal.

h Mary C. Long: b 2 Sept. 1912, m – Cobb.

5 William Lee Long: b 186-, m prior to 1892 Willie Frances Smith, of Gad sden, Ala. Reside Marion, Ala., where he is a prosperous farmer. He furnished information on this family. They had:

a Julia Long: b 1892, unmarried.

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- b Carrie Vickers Long: b 1896, m Lucius Jordan de Yampert, reside Marion, Ala. They had:  
    b1 Lucius Lee de Yampert.  
    b2 Julia Mae de Yampert.  
    b3 Elizabeth Moore de Yampert.  
    b4 Robert Webb de Yampert.
- c Willie Lee Long: b 1907, m Kenneth Forbes, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:  
    c1 Kenneth Forbes, Jr.  
    d Mary Winifred Long: b 1907, a twin, m Rev. Holmes Ralston, reside Rockbridge Baths, Va.
- 6 George `Pare Long: b 1871, m (1) Annie, daughter of Rev. Lovelace; (2) Dora May, residence not stated. They had a Lovelace Long. b Grace Long. c Several children by 2d wife, of whom no data.
- 7 Leonard Long: b 1874, m Mary Griffin, residence not stated. They had:  
    a Martha Rebecca Long: b 1-, m Oscar Keith, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.  
    b Annie Kirtley Long: b 1-, m William H. Abbritton, a lawyer, reside Dothan, Ala.
- iii Martha Elizabeth Long: b 1830 Ala., m prior to 1853 Edward Tabb, b Ala. 1826, resided some years at She is said to have died about 1869-71. He m (2) prior to 1877 Miss H. N. , b Ala. 1840, both were living in 1880 at Bladon Springs, Ala., where he is listed as a "sewing machine agent," and his wife as "teacher, School No. 3." They had:  
    1 Mary L. Tabb: b 1853, m prior to 1876 George W. Powe, b Ala. 1851, resided Bladon Springs, Ala. in 1880, she resided Eutaw, Ala. in 1932, not stated if he was deceased. They had, known  
        a Robert Edward Powe: b 1876.  
        b Wilds Powe: b 1878.
- 2 Jessie R. Tabb: b 1865.
- 3 Elisabeth L. Tabb: b 1868.
- 4 Annie L. Tabb: b 1877 (not known if 1st or 2d wife).
- iv Mary Ann Long: b 27 Aug. 1832 Ala., she m 4 Oct. 1860, Dr. L. J. Sherrill, b 12 June 1827, at Covington, Tenn. He died 21 Feb. 1902, and she died 25 June 1920, resided some time in Perry Co., Ala. They had:  
    1 Sidney Long Sherrill: b 186-, d small.
- 2 Kate Elizabeth Sherrill: b 19 Mar. 1864, died 4 June 1890. Was a school teacher, never married.

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3 Annie Lou Sherrill: b 23 Dec. 1868. Was a school teacher for 35 years, m 23 Dec. 1920, W. T. Pierson, and reside Plantersville, Ala. Ala. She furnished the data on this family. No children.

4 Linnie Caroline Sherrill: b 30 Nov. 1870, m Sept. 1920 A. O. Vanzant, residence not stated.

5 Mary Lee Sherrill: b 18-, died small.

v Jane Long: b 1834, died act. 19 years.

vi Louisa E. Long: b 1836, m prior to 1856, Henry Ware, b Ga. 1829, son of William Ware and Nancy Scott Billingslea, No. 119, and grand son of Cyrus Billingslea, No. 47, which see. See also Ware Excursus. They resided in Washington Co., Ala. 1870 and 1880, later moved to Bladon Springs, Ala. where they both died. The descendants of this family whom we have located are not in the least communicative on the subject. They had, known:

1 William H. Ware: b 1856-57, m 1879 Sophia P., b Ala. 1859. Resided Wash. Co., Ala.

2 Daniel J. Ware: b 1859.

3 Martha Louise Ware: b 1861, m prior to 1880 Levin Jefferson Wilson, reside Albertsville, Ala. They had, known, no details obtainable, and order not known:

a Caro Wilson.

b Leroy Wilson.

c Henry Wilson.

d Mollie Wilson.

e Lucille Wilson.

f Frances Wilson (one of the daughters m John W. Luke, and is music teacher, Birmingham, Ala. Another daughter m Thomas E. Orr, a lawyer, and resides Albertsville, Ala.)

4 Thomas B. Ware: b 1865.

5 Laura E. Ware: b Jan. 1870.

6 Anne Ware: b 1873.

vii Daniel W. Long: b 1838, died unmarried.

viii William Henry Harrison Long: b 19 June 1841 near Uniontown, Ala. He served in Co. D, 4th Ala. Inf., and Co. F, 7th Ala. Cav., C. S. A. 1861-1865. He married (1) prior to 1868 Lottie Rogers, b Ky. 18-, daughter of Rev. John Irving Rogers and Lucinda Ficklin, of Danville, Ky., she died in 1872 and he married (2) 29 June 1876, in Jefferson Co., Ala., Nancy Lane Thompson, b Marengo Co., Ala. 7 Aug. 1850, daughter of John Simpson Thompson and Nancy Lane Bryan, of Marengo Co., Ala. He dropped the Harrison part of his name and went under the name of William

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Henry, and. was called "Hal." Nancy died 27 May 1910, he died 18 Aug. 1918 at Decatur, Ala. They had:

1 Mary Louise Long: b 1868; m prior to 1889 J. W. Brand, reside Montgomery Ala. They had:

a Louie Coleman Brand: b 7 Oct. 1889, m (1) 5 Dec. 1916, Lieut. Algernon Sidney Cowan, World War Veteran, he died 4 Feb. 1930 and she m (2) 13 May 1932 John Roy Jones of Montgomery, Ala. They had:

al Margaret Elizabeth Cowan: b 17 Sept. 1917.

a2 Lottie Brand Cowan: b 6 Oct. 1920.

a3 Algernon Sidney Cowan, Jr.: b 27 Jan. 1924.

b James Louis Brand: b 31 Dec. 1894. Served in the Army several years, was Sgt. Co. F, 332 Inf. in 1917. He m 15 Oct. 1920 Maud Kreider, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:

b1 Joy Louise Brand: b 2 Apr. 1929.

c Eloise Brand: b 11 Apr. 1898, m 9 Nov. 1916 William Graham Moffat, he is manager of Redmont Hotel, Birmingham, Ala. They had:

c1 William G. Moffat, Jr.: b 11 Mar. 1918.

d Clotilde Brand: b 12 Feb. 1907.

2 Hallie Rogers Long: b 1870, died childhood.

3 John Irving Long: b 1872, he m, he died at Pine Bluff, Ark. Mar. 1932, not stated if his widow survives him. They had, known:

a Dorothy Long: b 1- m, Price.

4 William Henry Long, Jr.: b 15 Apr. 1877, 2d wife. He served in World War as Major of Infantry. He married 17 Nov. 1927 at Richmond Va., Sara Lapsley Liston, b Wetumpka, Ala. 6 Oct. 1900, daughter of Rev. Robert Todd Liston, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Isabel Lapsley, the latter a daughter of Judge James W. Lapsley, of Selma, Ala., and Sara Eliza Pratt, of Tuscaloosa, Ala. He is a lawyer, and resides Decatur, Ala. He has furnished data on this family, and has also been successful in obtaining data from some other branches of Dr. and Mary Longs children, etc. They had:

a William Henry Long, III: b 20 Sept. 1928. .

b Robert Todd Liston Long: b 2 Nov. 1930. .

c Needham Lapsley Long: b 21 Sept. 1932.

5 Needham Thompson Long: b 29 Jan. 1879, died 2 June 1879.

6 Nancy Thompson Long: b 2 Jan. 1881, died 29 Mar. 1910.



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7 Coleman Thomas Long: b 26 Aug. 1882, died 2 Jan. 1909.

8 Maggie Mae Richardson Long: b 1 May 1886. Resides Birmingham, Ala., unmarried.

9 Daniel Thompson Long: b 6 Aug. 1887, died 3 July 1888.

10 Louis Sherrill Long: b 2 Aug. 1892, died 17 June 1893.

ix Eliza K. Long: b 1845, m after 1860 William Brown, of Brown's Station, Ala., both deceased some years prior to 1932. They had:

1 William Brown: b 186-, died unmarried.

2 Minnie Brown: b 15 Oct. 1871, m prior to 1896 Dr. Braxton Bragg Pugh, b 17 July 1864, she died 14 Apr. 1931, residence not stated. They had:

a Carrie Lee Pugh: b 10 Feb. 1896, m 2 Jan. 1928 Philip G. Reid, reside Garysburg, N. C. They had:

a1 Lillian Pugh Reid: b 19 Sept. 1930.

b Katrine Pugh: b 24 Aug. 1897, m Victor W. Coleman, she died 21 Dec. 1930.

c Martha Lillian Pugh: b 24 Apr. 1900. Was a school teacher, she m ?June 1932 Victor W. Coleman, his 2d wife, he was with Planters and Merchants Bank, Uniontown, Ala. in 1932. No mention of any children by the 1st wife.

d Braxton Bragg Pugh, Jr.: b 13 Dec. 1902, m Thelma Johnson, b 26 June 1906, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had

dl Martha Mae Pugh: b 13 Feb. 1927.

3 Carrie Brown: b 187-, m W. W. Wiggins, of Weldon, N. C. He died about 1930, she was living 1932, resided Weldon, N. C. They had:

a Katrine Wiggins: b 19-, Was a Teacher. at Weldon, N. C. in 1932.

315 CYRUS (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina, 10 March 1817, moved to Alabama with his father prior to 1824. He married prior to 1840 Sarah McKnight Hogue, born Alabama 1? January 1822. Resided in Dallas County, Alabama in 1850, moved to Perry County before 1860 where he engaged in farming. They moved to Brooksville, Florida where Sarah died 22 April 1882. He married (2) , no-mention of her name or any children by second marriage. He died 29 ,January 1891 at Marion, Alabama. Children i John Thomas: b 1840 Dallas Co., Ala. He enlisted 15 July 1861 at Selma, Ala. Pvt. Montgomery County Vols.,

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C. S. A.; Sgt. 10 Aug. 1861; left sick at La Grange, Ga. 24 Sept. 1861. He left Camp 26 Oct. 1861 "on the grounds of not having .been .mustered into service and not having received any pay." His Co. Commander added a note to the remark "In my opinion a deserter." He enlisted again 16 Feb. 1862 at Bull Run, Va. as Pvt. Jeff Davis' Arty., served to 29 May 1863 when he put in a substitute, one John Hartigan, this record shows: born Dallas Co., Ala.; age 23 years; blue eyes; light hair; five feet and nine inches in height; student. He enlisted again 31 Jan. 1864 at Mobile, Ala. Pvt. Wood's Light Arty., present 29 Feb. 1864. No further military record. He married prior to 1865 Laura Byrd, b Ga. 1844, of Eutaw, Ala. They moved to Iberia Par., La. before 1870, then later returned to Ala. where he is said to have died about 1921. They had, known:

1 John: b 1865 Ala.

2 Mary: b 1867 Ala.

3 Laura: b 187-. Probably in La.

4 Martin: b 187-. Said to have been a Doctor and lived in Chicago, Ill. The only record we have been able to find concerns one MARTIN TAYLOR BILLINGSLEA, said to have been born in 1872 in Illinois, graduated from Dearborn Medical College, Ill. in 1906; this college became extinct in 1907. He then graduated from University of Ill, in medicine in 1908, is listed as registered and practicing at Altoona, Kansas in 1914, where he died of heart disease 26 February 1917. These may be two entirely different men but apparently are one and the same. We have no information of any family.

5 Victoria: b 18-, m a Mr. Turnley.

ii Martin Isaac: b 1842 Dallas Co., Ala. He enlisted 24 Apr. 1861 for one year at Marion, Ala., as Pvt. G, 4th Ala. Inf., C. S. A.; reenlisted 11 Dec. 1861. Wounded at Chickamauga 20 Sept. 1863; Oct. to Dec. 1863, absent on furlough on Wound Certificate; killed in skirmish 14 Aug. 1864, near Deep Bottom. His Captain wrote on the Muster Roll, "The best soldier in Confederate States Army."

iii David Hodges: b 16 Aug. 1844, probably in Dallas Co. He enlisted at Mobile, Ala. prior to Feb. 1863 as Pvt. Winston's Co. Tenn. Light Arty., discharged 11 Feb. 1863 and furnished a substitute, one Edward Bruno. He enlisted 20 July 1863 as Pvt. Goldby's Co., Mounted Inf., Local Defence, a roll dated 20 July 1863 shows, "His substitute in Confederate service." On 22 Sept. 1863 he was conscripted and enlisted at Marion, Ala., as Pvt. G, 4th Ala. inf., C. S. A.,

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joined at Knoxville, Tenn.; A. W. O. L. 31 Oct. 1863; on a list of prisoners paroled Apr. 1865. He married prior to 1870 Gertrude R. , b Ala. 1845, resided Belleview Dist. Dallas Co., Ala. where he died 13 Sept. 1583, no data on her death or maiden name. They had:

1 Janie: b 187-.

2 Sallie Mae: b 187- (Both of these said to be married and residing in Washington, D. C. We have never been able to learn their names.)

3 Clarence: b 5 Aug. 1874, died 18 Apr. 1887.

4 Robert: b 18-.

iv William Cyrus: b 23 Nov. 1846, probably in Dallas Co., Ala. He resided in Dallas Co., in 1870 and married 22 Nov. 1881 Mary Susie Gray of Browns, Ala., she was a daughter of John Q. Gray, b N. C., who was a Lieut. C. S. A., wounded at Chickamauga, and died in hospital at Atlanta, Ga. 186-, and Elizabeth Weissinger, b 3 Aug. 1834, married 25 Apr. 1855, and died 10 July 1857, Mary Susie was born 3 July 1857. Said Elizabeth Weissinger was a daughter of Jesse Weissinger, b 15 Oct. 1806, died 19 Dec. 1851, and Susannah Bell, b 26 Feb. 1816, died 18 Aug. 1862; said Susannah was a daughter of Enoch Bell, b Chatham Co., N. C. 2 Mar. 1789, married Frances Maughn 8 June 1809 and settled in Alabama in 1818, he died at Browns, Ala. 28 Aug. 1850. Mary Susie died at Browns, Ala. 23 Nov. 1908, he survived her and died at Tuscaloosa, Ala., 22 May 1917. They had:

1 William Cyrus: b 5 Oct. 1884, died 18 Apr. 1887.

2 Deane: b 28 July 1886, m 6 Dec. 1905 Dr. James Cephas Smith, b Eutaw, Ala. 10 May 1881. Reside Browns, Ala. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Mary Gray Smith: b 31 Oct. 1906, died 23 June 1919 at Selina, Ala.

3 Nonnie Clifford: b 7 Oct. 1888, m 22 Nov. 1912 James Attaway Lanham, he is a rail road conductor, residence not stated. They had:

a William Cyrus Lanham: b 7 Aug. 1918.

4 Willie Mae: b 12 Jan. 1892, m William J. Shoaf, reside Nashville, Tenn. They had:

a William J. Shoaf, Jr.: b 19-.

v Llewellyn: b 1848. Was living in Dallas Co., Ala. in 1870. He married, and said to have moved to Florida where they lived and died, said to have left children, we have not been able to get in touch with any one of them.

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vi Sudie E.: b 1850, m (1) Emmett Lee; m (2) a Mr. Flood. They had, known:  
1 Lallie Lee.

vii Sarah N.: b 17 May 1853, m Martin T. Summer, of Eutaw, Ala., she died 24 Feb. 1883, sine prole.

viii James: b 17 May 1855, died 29 July 1856.

ix Mary: b 17 May 1858, m 23 Nov. 1876 at Marion, Ala., Charles Gayle Brown, b Marion, Ala., 29 Dec. 1844. He served as 1st Sergt. Co. F, 20th Ala. Inf., C. S. A. He m (1) in 1874 Irene Huntington, she died and he m (2) as stated above. He was a lawyer, and was Attorney General of Ala. at one time. He died 24 Dec. 1913, she survives him and resides Birmingham, Ala. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Carl Abercrombie Brown: b 5 Dec. 1878, m Lucile Jones, reside Birmingham, Ala. in 1932.

2 Cyrus Billingslea Brown: b 11 Nov. 1880. He served as Secretary of State, Ala. at one time. He m (1) 16 Nov. 1904 Clara L. White; he m (2) Mrs. Ernestine (Poole) Hinson. He is member of Knights of Pythias and Woodmen of the World, family Baptists. Reside Montgomery, Ala. They had:

a Cyrus Brown.

b Mary Keath Brown.

3 Bradley Gayle Brown: b 26 July 1883, m Marie Graves, he died at Albany, N. Y. in 1927. They had:

a Bradley Gayle Brown, Jr.: b 19-, m Peggy Ashe. They had:

al Peggy Gayle Brown.

b Marie Dolisha Brown.

4 William H. Brown: b 11 Feb. 1886. Resides Portela, Calif.

5 Lamar Gayle Brown: b 9 Apr. 1889, m Mildred Sumner, reside Birmingham, Ala.

x Robert Bruce (9) : b Apr. 1860.

xi Victor: b 17 Dec. 1863, died 23 Sept. 1865.

316 DAVID (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 12 January 1813. He and his brother, George W. Billingsley, migrated to Alabama prior to 1836 where he married 15 September 1836 Martha E. Estes, born Georgia in 1816, resided Randolph County in 1840, later moved to Tallapoosa County and this part became Elmore County in the late 1860's. He was a farmer and spent the rest of his days in Elmore County where he died 4 May 1897, Martha was living in 1880, no data on her death.

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Children:

i Francis Marion: b 20 June 1837, m prior to 1862 Mary, b Ala. 1844, resided Elmore Co., Ala. in 1870. They had:  
1 Permesia: b 1862, m a Mr. A. Childers, he died 1933, she survives him and resides Fayetteville, Ala. No mention of any children.

2 Cornelia: b 1864, m John E. Caldwell, reside Alpine, Ale.

3 Thomas: b 1867 Ala., resides Pecan Gap, Tex. 1933.

4 Lilly: b 1869.

5 Artie: b 187-, m J. C. Little, reside Montgomery, Ala.

6 O. E.: b 1870, resides Tallassee, Ala.

ii Green: b 25 Sept. 1841, m Emaline, b Ala. in 1850, resided Elmore Co., Ala. in 1880, said to have left children.

iii Lucinda Ann: b 25 Feb. 1844.

iv John D.: b 15 Apr. 1855, m prior to 1879, Martha E., b Ala. 1858, resided Elmore Co., Ala. where he died in 1931. They had:

1 Charles Homer: b Oct. 1879, m 1932-33, resides Tallassee, Ala.

v Martha E.: b 3 May 1857, died 31 Dec. 1872.

317 GEORGE WASHINGTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1816. He migrated to Alabama prior to 1836 and married (1) prior to 1839 Catherine Ashcraft, born South Carolina in 1817. They resided Randolph County in 18-10, moved to Talladega County after 1854, this portion became Clay County in the late 1860's. Catherine died in the 1860's and he married (2) prior to 1871 Miranda (Harlin) Black, born South Carolina in 1840, she had a son Henry L. Black at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer and spent his last days in Clay County where he died in 1900, Miranda and her daughters moved to Arkansas with her son, Henry Black, where she died a few years later.

Children:

i Emily: b 1839 Randolph Co., Ala., died unmarried after 1870.

ii Elizabeth: b 1842, m after 1870 Rev. C. W. Brooks, of Ashland, Ala.

iii Missouri Lilly: b 1847, m after 1870 Bud Anderson, resided Millersville, Ala.

iv Sias Clay (9): b 5 July 1854. .

v George H.: b 1862, died childhood.

vi Henry L. Black: b 18-, stepson, moved to Ark. about 1902.

vii Margaret: b 1871, 2d wife, moved to Ark. and later to Okla. where she m and d. s. p.

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viii Dosie: b 1873, m 1889, George Dye, moved to Ark. about 1902 with her mother, sister and brother, then moved to Okla. where she died, left children but no record of them.

ix Hilliard Bruer: b 1877, died aet. 12 years.

318 MARGARET LOUTICIA (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1817. She married in 1834 Gabriel Ingrain, born North Carolina 25 May 1810. They moved to Troupe County, Georgia and in or about 1833 moved to Talladega County, Alabama where he engaged in farming, she died in 1851 and he married (2) prior to 1862 Louisa Melton, born Georgia in 1830, she appears to have been a widow, had a daughter, Nancy, born 1852. He died about 1876-78, no mention of her death, resided in Clay County, Alabama.

Children:

i James Ingrain: b 1835 Ga.

ii Hezekiah Ingrain: b 1837 Troupe Co., Ga., m 1859 in Ala., Lavina Horn, b Ala. 1842, resided Talladega Co., Ala. In 1860, and in Clay Co., Ala. in 1880. They had, known:

1 Minerva J. Ingrain: b 1861.

2 Missouri A. Ingrain: b 1862.

3 John Y. Ingrain: b 1863.

4 Lafayette Ingrain: b 1864.

5 Anderson Ingrain: b 1869.

6 Mary T. Ingrain: b 1871.

7 Julius Ingrain : b 1873.

8 Cora Idella Ingrain: b 1876.

9 Lavina Ingrain : b Sept. 1879.

iii John P. Ingrain: b 1839 Talladega Co., Ala., m a Miss Wyatt.

iv Martha J. Ingrain: b 1841 Ala., m 1859 William R. Jones, b Ala. 1840.

v Emanuel Ingrain: b 1843 Ala., m prior to 1870 Mary Thomas b Ala. 1848, he was a carpenter, resided Tallapoosa Co., Ala., both living in 1880. They had:

1 Margaret Ingrain : b 1870.

2 Emma Ingrain: b 1872.

3 Ann Ingrain: b 1874.

4 Maria B. Ingrain: b 1877.

5 John C. Ingrain: b Nov. 1879. Twins.

6 Jessie P. Ingrain : b Nov. 1879.

vi William Ingrain: b 1844. Living in 1860.

vii Mary Elizabeth Ingrain: b 17 Nov. 1845 Talladega Co., Ala. She married in 1869 in Clay Co., Ala. Marcus Lafayette Jarrett, b Ala. in 1849, his parents said to have come to

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Ala. from Ga., names not known, nor is it known what county they resided before locating in Ala. He died 12 Feb. 1895 Talladega Co., Ma., she survived him and died 9 Feb. 1931. They had:

1 William Melville Jarrett: b 7 Jan. 1870 Clay Co., Ala., m 30 Mar. 1904 Talladega Co., Ala., Josephine Erwin, b La. 8 May 1876, reside Oxford, Ala. They had:

a Bessie Elizabeth Jarrett: b 10 Jan. 1906, m 26 Oct. 1929 Wales Roy Kendrick, reside Ensley, Ala. She has furnished information on this family.

b William Charlie Jarrett: b 1 Aug. 1908.

e Hugh Melville Jarrett: b 21 July 1912.

d Glen Avis Jarrett: b 18 Aug. 1914.

2 John Jarrett: b 1872, m Dame Barnett.

3 Arthur Jarrett: b 1874, m Alma Garrett, she d 17 June 1916.

4 Sanford Jarrett: b May 1876, m Louise Gardner, reside Birmingham, Ala.

5 Martin Jarrett: b 1878, m Nannie Barnett, reside Leeds, Ala.

6 Leona Jarrett: b 22 May 1882, m Lon Harris, reside Anniston, Ala.

7 Walter Jarrett: b 1884, m Lulu Erwin, reside Anniston, Ala.

viii Thomas B. Ingrain: b 1847, Ala., m 1869 Caroline Lakey, b Ala. in 1843, resided Clay Co., Ala. They had, known:

1 Mary E. Ingrain: b May 1870.

2 Margaret Ingrain: b 1873.

3 Lulu B. Ingrain: b 1876.

319 PAULINA LILLY (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 22 December 1823, moved to Troupe County, Georgia with her mother prior to 1840, she married 14 June 1843, not known if in Georgia or Alabama, Green Holifield, born Georgia 12 February 1807, a son of Alsea Holifield, died 28 July 1857, . and Mildred Fry, died 26 November 1856. They resided in Coosa County, Alabama, this section became a part of Elmore County in the late 1860's. He died at Central, Alabama 1 January 1867, she survived him many years, resided Elmore County to after 1880 then spent some years in Texas with her sons, returned to Alabama and then was in Texas again where she died at the home of her daughter, Lilly Belle Saunders, at Willard, Texas 25 April 1905, buried at Beaumont, Texas.

Children:

i Mary Mildred Holifield: b 8 Apr. 1844, died 30 May 1852.

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ii Georgian Holifield: b 23 Sept. 1845, m 19 Nov. 1866, Albert H. Callaway, b 1837, she died 16 Oct. 1901, and he died in 1909, residence not stated. They had:

1 Nannie Callwaay: b 1867, died 5 Sept. 1901, unmarried. Joseph Callaway: b 186-, m a Miss Jenkins, he died in 1904, residence not stated. They had:

a Gladys Callaway.

b Joe Robert Callaway.

c Kleppel Callaway.

3 Child: b 18-, died unnamed.

4 Gilbert E. Callaway: b 1871, m Belle Duke, resided Oakland, Miss. in 1915. They had:

a Elsie Callaway.

b Duke Callaway.

c Evans Callaway.

d Son.

5 Carrie Callaway: b 7 May 1873, m Grif Davis, she died 1891 sine prole.

6 William Callaway: b May 1874, died same year.

7 Charles Stone Callaway: b 1875, died infancy.

8 Lawrence Callaway: b 187-, m prior to 1904 Georgia Dame, resided Coldwater, Miss. in 1915. They had:

a Harold Callaway: b 1904. .

b Marsoline Callaway: b 1906.

c Dorothy Callaway: b 1911.

d (Son), Callaway: b 1913.

9 Etta Callaway: b 1880, m prior to 1911 H. E. Hume, resided Raises, Tenn. in 1915. They had:

a Martha Frances Hume: b 1911.

10 Albert Callaway: b 188-, m Ethel Lester, resided West Point, Miss. in 1915. They had:

a Georgia Callaway.

b Albert Callaway.

2 others.

11 Georgia Callaway: b 1885. Was living with her uncle, Eugene Callaway, Boulder, Colo. in 1915, said to have later moved to Calif.

iii Eliza Jane Holifield: b 15 Nov. 184?, died 27 Aug. 1879, unmarried.

iv Margaret Elizabeth Holifield: b 13 Jan. 1850, m 13 Jan. 1876, William Alexander Humphries, b 18-, she died 13 May 1906, and he died Sept. 1907, residence not stated. They had:

1 Jessie Holifield Humphries: b 21 Oct. 1876. Is a teacher resides Denton, Tex.



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2 Louis Kyle Humphries: b 31 Mar. 1881, m 21 Aug. 1927, Katie Elizabeth Boyce, reside Brooklyn, N. Y.

iv Lillian Humphries: b 21 Aug. 1882. Is a teacher, resides Demon, Tex.

v Joseph Benjamin Holifield: b 16 Mar. 1852, died 22 Nov. 1855.

vi Mary Susan Holifield: b 17 Oct. 1854, died 4 Jan. 1863.

vii Frances Mildred Holifield: b 28 Nov. 1856, m 18 Dec. 1879, Beverly Allen Thomas, b 11 Jan. 1852, she died 11 Feb. 1903 and he died 18 Mar. 1903, residence not stated. They had:

1 Hugh Lee Thomas: b 30 Sept. 1880, resides Wilcox, Ariz.

2 Hendricks Holifield Thomas: b 30 Nov. 1885, m 15 Feb. 1930 Marguerite V. Cookson.

3 Charles Grady Thomas: b 28 Mar. 1888, died 10 Sept. 1903.

viii Joseph Bradford Holifield: b 2 Jan. 1859, m 10 Feb. 1881 Lula Eliza Burt, b 16 Apr. 1865, daughter of James and Luduska Burt, he died 21 Jan. 1914, residence not stated. They had:

1 Joseph Holifield: b 4 Dec. 1881, m 20 Oct. 1904 Estelle Carr, b 1885, he died 25 Feb. 1909 and she m (2) Barney Givens, residence not stated. They had:

a Grace Estelle Holifield: b 12 June 1906, m 18 Sept. 1924 Ephraim Britwell. They had:

al Earl Britwell: b 12 June 1925.

b Beatrice Holifield: b 25 Apr. 1907, m 19 Nov. 1925, John O'Connor, he died 19 Dec. 1928 in a railroad accident. They had

b1 John O'Connor: b 12 Sept. 1926.

2 Carlos Holifield: b 20 Nov. 1883, died 14 Apr. 1896.

3 Lillie Lula Annie Holifield: b 1 Oct. 1886, m 21 Dec. 1904, James William Bradley, reside Goshen, Ala. They had:

a Erma Elvira Bradley: b 29 June 1908, m 9 Nov. 1923, Cecil Shirley, b 1900. They had

a1 Galon Carroll Shirley: b 9 May 1925, died 19 May 1925.

a2 Cecil Shirley, Jr.: b 1 Jan. 1927

a3 Lois Lucille Shirley: b 6 July 1929.

b Kathleen Bradley: b 16 Dec. 1913.

c Carl Elsie Bradley: b 19 July 1925.

d Willie Bell Bradley: b 5 Oct. 1929.

4 Annie Grace Holifield: b 12 Dec. 1899, died 10 Nov. 1902.

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5 Charlie May Holifield: b 18 May 1905, died 4 Oct. 1914.

ix Charles Benjamin Lamb Holifield: b 23 Jan. 1862 Ala., m 3 Apr. 1892 Leonora Word, b 20 Feb. 1875, a daughter of Robert Emmett Word and Emma Redding. She died 15 May 1906, and he died 13 Jan. 1910, residence not stated. They had:

1 Byron William Green Holifield: b 28 Mar. 1893, m 6 Mar. 1919 Thelma Gladys Davenport, he died 27 Feb. 1930. They had

a Evelyn Eloise Holifield: b 4 Dec. 1919..

2 Edith Annie Holifield: b 16 Apr. 1896, m 7 Aug. 1916, Anton F. Holberg, reside Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Byron Anton Holberg: b 9 June 1917.

b Robert Dennis Holberg: b 29 May 1919.

c Joe Emmett Holberg: b 31 July 1922.

d Ruth Ann Holberg: b 4 Sept. 1928.

3 Kathleen Holifield: b 16 Oct. 1898, m 2 Dec. 1925 Joe Harris, reside Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Joe Holifield Harris: b 6 Oct. 1927.

4 Gladys Holifield: b 26 Oct. 1901, m 16 Aug. 1923, Lewis Bayard Going, reside Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Lenora Going: b 29 Aug. 1924.

x Mary Lilly Holifield: b 23 Aug. 1864 in Ala. She changed her name to "Lilly Belle," she m 10 Feb. 1885 at Central, Ala., William Henry Saunders, b Somerset, Ky., 25 July 1849, a son of James Powers Saunders, b Somerset, Ky., 27 Nov. 1827, died Cold Springs, Okla, 21 Aug. 1911, and Nancy Looney Long, b Ky. 23 Feb. 1831, m Ky. 15 May 1848, died Plano, Tex. 18 July 1876. They moved to McCulloch Co., Tex. then moved to Lincoln Co., N. Mex. before 1890, returned to Texas then moved to Elmore Co., Ala. where he died 13 Dec. 1893. She moved to Texas about 1896, resided at Willard in 1905, was living in 1933 and resided Houston, Tex. She has the Green Holifield family Bible. They had:

1 Myrtle Saunders: b 5 Feb. 1886 at Milburn, Tex. She has furnished information on the family and her mother has been able to definitely clear matters pertaining to two families of Billingsley who lived in the same vicinity in Ala.

2 Clifford Henry Saunders: b 30 Mar. 1890 Lincoln Co., N. Mex., m 15 Feb. 1916 at Beaumont, Tex. Fannie Greeves, b Beaumont, Tex. 17 Mar. 1896, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had:

a James Robert Saunders: b 25 Nov. 1917.

b Orlo Price Saunders: b 29 Dec. 1930,

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xi Annie Green Holifield: b 21 Mar. 1867, she m 22 Apr. 1888, Oscar Suttle Justice, b 9 May 1860, a son of William Strong Justice and Marthe Ann Johnson, she died 5 Feb. 1896, residence not stated. They had:

1 Annie Grace Justice: b 12 Mar. 1889, died 24 Aug. 1889.

2 Verna Paulina Justice: b 23 Apr. 1890, m 14 Sept. 1911, Benjamin Franklin Ellis, reside Central, Ala. They had:

a Priscilla Justice Ellis: b 9 July 1917.

b Franklin Suttle Ellis: b 7 Jan. 1920.

3 Grace Beverley Justice: b 10 Feb. 1892, m 30 Nov. 1915, Andrew Gaston Harden, reside Montgomery, Ala. They had:

a Beverley Jean Harden: b 30 Dec. 1919.

320 ROBERT LAFAYETTE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina, 27 May 1826, moved to Troupe County, Georgia with his mother prior to 1840 and moved to Alabama prior to 180 with his mother and brothers. He was residing in Coosa County in 1850. During the 1850's he migrated to East Texas or Louisiana. He enlisted 3 February 1862 at New Orleans, Louisiana as Private A, 16th Louisiana Infantry, C. S. A.; a roll October 1862 shows him as absent, left in Kentucky; a roll February 1863 shows him as absent, left in Kentucky; his name appears on a Roll of Prisoners paroled in 1863 in Kentucky; on 23 May 1863 he was detached to Provost Guard; on a company roll dated August 1863 he was dropped as a deserter; on a Roll of Prisoners paroled in Alabama in June 1865 his name appears. It would appear this last record would clear any charge of desertion. He married in Alabama prior to 1867 Susan (Wiley) Wicker, born Alabama in September 1836, a widow who had two children at the time of this marriage: They moved to Cootie County, Texas about 1868 where they resided in 1880 and he is listed as a farmer. Susan is stated to have died about 1888, he survived her some years and died 16 August 1902 while on a visit to Alabama and is buried near Childersburg, Alabama.

Children:

i Lilly A.: b 1867 Ala. Was deceased before 1932.

ii Cyrus W.: b 1869 Tex. Was deceased before 1932.

iii Robert Edward: b 23 May 1874 Cootie Co., Tex. He m 28 Oct. 1894 at Valley View, Tex., Alma L. Stansbury, b Iowa 21 Nov. 1879. They moved to Marietta, Love Co., Okla. where they were both living in 1932. They had:

1 Samuel Lee: b 27 Sept. 1895 Cootie Co., Tex. He was serving as Assessor, Love Co., Okla. in 1932. He fur-

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nished information on this family except military record which is from War Dept.

2 Gertrude: b 22 Dec. 1897, died 2 July 1899.

3 Warren Grady: b 2 June 1900.

4 Clarence Frederick: b 4 Mar. 1902, m Irene Wilson, reside Marietta, Okla.

5 Herbert: b 19 Oct. 1904, died 6 Dec. 1907.

6 Murray: b 21 July 1910.

7 Catherine: b 9 Jan. 1912.

8 Linnie Pearl: b 17 Feb. 1916.

9 Robert Gene: b 21 Jan. 1921.

iv Thomas B. Wicker: b 1856 Ala. Step son.

v Jabez C. Wicker: b 1859 Ala. Step son, was living in Okla. in 193'.

321 CYRUS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1812, moved to Tennessee with his parents and also moved to De Soto County, Mississippi, with them where he married prior to 1842 Amanda Hale, born Tennessee in 1826. He was a farmer and resided in De Soto County to 1873 when this portion of De Soto was formed into Tate County. He died in 1894 aged 82 years, she survived him and died 20 April 1915 at Senatobia, Mississippi.

Children:

i Edmund: b 1842, is said to have died at Meridian, Miss. during the Civil War. No military record found concerning him.

ii Sarah Jane: b. 1844, m James S. Holmes, of Marshall Co., Miss. She died very young leaving no children.

iii Charles Nathaniel (9) : b 3 Feb. 1847.

iv James N.: b 4 Feb. 1847, a twin of Charles Nathaniel who was b before midnight of 3 Feb. 1847 and James was b after midnight or on 4 Feb. 1847. He m about 1872 Sarah b Miss. 1858. He was listed as a farmer in 1880, then later became a Baptist minister and is stated to have died at Looxahoma, Miss., and that his family moved to Texas, address unknown in 1932. The first three children were living in 1880 and listed in census, the others are hearsay evidence and not verified though probably correct. They had:

1 Nancy J.: b 1874, m John Leighton (Leeton or Leaton), reside Clarksdale, Miss.

2 Susan A.: b 1877.

3 Caroline P.: b 1879.

4 Minnie: b 18--.

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5 Lillie Belle: b 18-.

6 Blanche: b 18-.

7 Arthur: b 18-.

v Zachariah Taylor (9) : b 1849.

vi Alford Nicholas (9) : b 6 May 1851.

vii John W. (9) : b 1853.

viii Clara: b 1857, died small.

ix Susan Evelyn: b Jan. 1860, m 28 Mar. 1878 William James Theo. Bowers Clark, she died 19 Aug.. 1925, he survives her and resides Senatobia, Miss. They had:

1 Daughter: b 1878, still born.

2 Pearl Evelyn Clark: b 1879, died aet. 27 years.

3 Son: b 1881, still born.

4 Maggie Clark: b 1882, died 1884.

5 Robert E. Clark: b 1886, m (1) Maud Harris, (2) Nannie Sloan, reside Senatobia, Miss. He is generally known as "Ross." No children.

6 William Bradford Clark: b 188-, m Elizabeth Savage, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

a Leaver Elizabeth Clark: b 18 Sept. 1917.

b Robert Duvall Clark: b 19 Dec. 1918, d aet. 14 months.

c William B. Clark, Jr.: b 29 Jan. 1922.

d Peggy Clark: b 5 Mar. 1927.

e Charles Savage Clark: b 19 Nov. 1929.

7 Kate Clark: b 189-, m (1) William Billingsley, b 15 Sept. 1875, son of Zachariah T. Billingsley, No. 460, moved to Ark. where he died circa 1928 and she m (2) Floy Harrison, resided Hulbert, Ark, and residing Forrest City, Ark. in 1932. They had:

a Clark: b 1914.

b Carlton: b 1916, d aet. 5 years.

c Laverne: b 1920, d aet. 2 years.

d Annie Wilma: b 1921.

e Blanche Natalie: b 192

f Kathleen Evelyn: b 1926.

8 James Cornelius Clark: b 189-, m Katherine Brown, of Aubrey, Ark., he died aet. 27 years. No children.

9 Minnie Clark: b 1900, m 1923 Graves Sanders, reside near Senatobia, Miss. They had:

a Daughter: b 1923, still born.

b Susan Evelyn Sanders: b 1924.

c James (Jim) Sanders: b 1? Apr. 1927.

d Son: b 19-, d aet. 6 months, not named.

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322 HENRY CLAY (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1821, a twin, moved to Tennessee and Mississippi with his father. He married (1) prior to 1849 Mary Whitehead, born Tennessee, in 1828, Mary died in 1871-72 and he married (2) prior to 1876 Elizabeth Clay McCallie, born Virginia in 1845. He was a farmer and resided in De Soto, later Tate County, Mississippi, both were living in 1880, no mention has been made of their deaths in the data received from the descendants.

Children:

i Malinda Frances: b 1849 Miss., she m prior to 1870 Martin Winn or Wynne and moved to Ark. Had several children some are living in Ark. and Okla. Only one named is:

1 Henry Winn: b 18-, resided Coldhill, Ark. in 1932.

ii Edmond Alexander: b 1851, m (1) Mary Taylor, she died sine prole and he m (2) Virginia Billingsley, b Marshall Co., Miss. in 1855, daughter of Elias Y. Billingsley, No. 324, and a 2d cousin on father's side. He is a farmer, was living 1932 and resided Senatobia, Miss. They had:

1 Henry Elias: b 1876, was known as "Manzie," said to have been deceased before 1932, unmarried.

2 William Franklin: b Jan. 1880, died unmarried before 1932.

iii William Henry: b 1858, m 31 Dec. 1880 Nannie Ward, b Miss. 1862. Resided Senatobia, Miss. in 1932. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth: b 188-, m Hiram Harden Clements, resided Memphis, Tenn. in 1932. They had:

a Ella Louise Clements: b 1-, m a Mr. Scoot. They had:

a1 John Morris Scoot.

a2 James Lamar Scoot.

a3 Martha Elizabeth Scoot.

a4 Rebecca Louise Scoot.

a5 Samuel Baker Scoot.

a6 Mary Lillian Scoot.

b James Henry Clements: b 1-, m Irene McPherson. They had:

b1 James Henry Clements, Jr.

b2 Jack Roberts Clements.

b3 James Thomas Clements.

b4 Agnes Irene Clements: m James Eldridge Davis, and they had a son, James E., Jr., living in

1932.

c William Marion Clements: b 1-.

d Benjamin Ellis Clements: b 1-.

e Howard Alexander Clements: b 1-.

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- f Joseph Thomas Clements: b 1-.
- g Hiram Harden Clements: b 1-.
- 2 William Edmond: b 188-, m Martha Wells reside near Senatobia, Miss. in 1932. They had, known:
  - a Henry C.: b 1-.
- 3 James Henry Winston: b 188-, m Birdie Taylor, reside near Senatobia, Miss. in 1932. They had, known:
  - a Thelma Lorine: b 1-, m Francis Wilkerson. They had:
    - a1 Earl Leo Wilkerson.
    - a2 Francis Leon Wilkerson.
  - b Carlton Leroy: b 1-.
  - c Hazel Irene: b 1-.
  - d Rainey Clay: b 1-.
- 4 Marion Rutherford: b 188-, unmarried.
- 5 Birtie: b 18-, m Hamp Dickerson, residence not stated, probably near Senatobia, Miss. They had:
  - a James Francis Dickerson.
  - b William David Dickerson.
  - c Charles Andrew Dickerson.
  - d Harry Arthur Dickerson.
  - e Josie Myrtle Dickerson.
  - f Daisy Louise Dickerson.
  - g Rosa Lee Dickerson.
  - h George Dickerson.
- 6 Mary: b 18-, m (1) a Mr. Kyle, and (2) Oscar Lee Mize, reside Memphis, Tenn. They had:
  - a Floyd Leroy Kyle.
  - b Ruby Juanita Kyle.
- 7 Nannies b 18-, m James Cleveland Gray, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had a John William Gray.
- 8 Myrtle May: b 18-, m William M. Wells, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:
  - a William M. Wells, Jr.
- iv James: b 1861, died aet. 14 years.
- v Sarah Elizabeth: b 1864, died aet. 13 years.
- vi Mary: b 1866, died aet. 11 years, burned.
- vii Julia Rebecca: b 1868 m after 1880 Joseph B. Wells, residence not stated, probably Tate Co., Miss. They had:
  - 1 William Wells: b 18-, died aet. 18 years.
  - 2 Ruby Wells: b 18-, a son, m , reside Miss.
  - 3 Eva Wells: b 18-, m, reside Ark.
- viii Etta: b 1876, 2d wife, she m (1) Joseph Winn, or Wynne, and (2) John Sullivan, she was a widow in 1932 and resided near

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Senatobia, .Miss. There were several children by 1st marriage who died in infancy, no children by 2d marriage.

ix Benjamin: b 1878. - Was living in 1880 and evidently died small.

x Janie: b 188-, m William Kile, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 John Henry Kile: b 1918.

323 JOSEPH HAMILTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, North Carolina 21 October 1814, moved to Tennessee and Mississippi with his parents. He married in 1844 Martha Wright, born Tennessee in 1817. He was a farmer and resided in Marshall County, Mississippi where he established his home. He is said to have died in 1872 while in Arkansas, she survived him some years and died at her home in Marshall County in 1883.

Children:

i John W.: b 22 Aug. 1845. He enlisted 27 June 1863 at Wyatt, Miss. Pvt. C, 18th Miss. Cav., C. S. A. On a roll of prisoners paroled at Memphis, Tenn. 20 May 1865. He was generally known as "Little John." He m prior to 1872 Mrs. Evelyn Meek, b Tenn. in 1845. He died 2 Dec. 1906, resided Marshall Co., Miss. No mention of her death.

They had:

1 Arritie Ann: b 1872, m Edgar Harris, reside Honey- Grove, Tex. Have children but no record of them has been furnished.

2 James Calvin: b 1875, deceased.

3 John William: b 1877, m Bettie Doss, reside Waterford, Miss. No details of the family, said to have had

a Irvin.

b Clyde.

c Eva: m a Mr. Brown.

d Elizabeth: m a Mr. Brown.

4 Martha Elizabeth: b 1878, m Wesley Cannon, said to reside near Waterford, Miss. They had a Hubert Cannon: m a Miss Boatright.

b Seals Cannon: m a Miss Thomas.

c Eva Cannon: m Cyrus Turner.

d Stella Cannon: m Jesse Shaw.

e Wayne Cannon.

f Charles Cannon.

g Tilman Cannon.

5 David Hampton: b 188-, m Lillie Shaw, said to reside near Waterford, Miss. They had:

a Irene: m a Mr. Edlin.



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- b Frances: m a Mr. Frazer.
- c Lena: m a Mr. Stephens.
- d Carl.
- 6 Wylie Wright: b .188-., m Wealthy Hartley, reside Waterford, Miss. They had:
  - a Winifred Wright.
  - b Lester Ferrel.
- 7 Della Alice: b 18-, deceased.
  
- ii Martha Jane: b 18 Feb. 1847, m John Roy, she died in 1926, no mention of his death, resided Miss. They had:
  - 1 Joseph H. Roy: m Maud Murchison.
  - 2 M. C. Roy: m Sallie Holcomb.
  - 3 Walter F. Roy: m Ida Shaw. All reside Abbeville, Miss.
  
- iii Sarah Eliza: b 14 Jan. 1849, m Jan .1871, James M. Nicholson, b Marshall Co., Miss. 18-, he died 20 Nov. 1894, she survives him and resides Waterford, Miss. She has furnished information on this family. They had:
  - 1 Mary E. Nicholson: b 29 Oct. 1872, m M. M. Holcomb, she died 16 July 1920.
  - 2 Nannie E. Nicholson: b 26 July 1875, unmarried.
  - 3 Edward L. Nicholson: b 17 Nov. 1879, m Alice Smith, reside Waterford, Miss. They had
    - a Alter Nicholson: b 19-, m Gene Harold.
    - b James Nicholson: b 1915.
    - c Russell Nicholson: b 1919.
  - 4 Vesta L. Nicholson: b 25 Jan. 1838, m Thomas Hartley, reside Waterford, Miss.
  
- iv Mary Ann: 11 Mar. 1851, m Joseph Fitch, she died 1872 at Waco, Tex.
  
- v Ellen Ora: b 30 Dec. 1852, m John Billingsley, son of Jesse, No. 234, of Tate Co., Miss. He is known as "John Jess," reside Senatobia, Miss. They had:
  - 1 Alfred Claud: b 18-, see No. 234.
  
- vi Nancy W.: b 11 Jan. 1855. Was living Lafayette Co., Miss. in 1932, unmarried.
  
- vii Joseph Hampton: b 27 Jan. 1857, m (1) 13 Dec. 1877 Lucy Meek, b Miss. 1859, she died and he m (2) Elizabeth Meek. He died 23 Oct. 1929, resided Tyro, Miss. They had:
  - 1 Florence L.: b Mar. 1880, m 20 Dec. 1899, James Edward Elks, reside Tyro, Miss. They had
    - a Joseph Thomas Ellis: b 1905, m Ninny Belle Conrad. They had:
      - al Robert James Ellis: b 1927.
      - b Vivian Mae Ellis: b 1 June 1911.
      - c Edna Florence Ellis: b 19 Feb. 1921.

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2 Esther Mae: b 6 Apr. 1886, m 16 Jan. 1907, D. T. Wilburn, residence not stated, probably near Tyro, Miss. They had:

- a Lucy Mary Wilburn: b 1910.
- b Hampton Wilburn: b 1912.
- c Gartha Louise Wilburn: b 1916.
- d Fay Wilburn: b 1925.

3 Annie Thelma: b 9 Jan. 1894, m Daniel Frazer, reside Memphis, Tenn. They had:

- a Leon Frazer: b 1915.
- b Christine Frazer: b 1918.
- c Beatrice Frazer: b 1920.
- d Grace Frazer: b 1922.
- e Hazel Frazer: b 1924. Twin.
- f Howard Frazer: b 1924.
- g Ray Frazer: b 1926.

4 Lucy Irene: b 17 Oct. 1896, m Henry Ellis, reside Holly Springs, Miss. They had:

- a Murray Ellis: b 1920.

viii Virginia L.: b 29 Aug. 1859. Living Lafayette Co., Miss. 1932.

ix Alice H.: b 24 Jan. 1861, m John Fesmire, she died in 1927, resided Lafayette Co., Miss. They had:

- 1 Henry Fesmire.
- 2 Lillie Fesmire.
- 3 Aslee Fesmire.
- 4 Irma Fesmire: m – Moncrief.
- 5 Sibyl Fesmire: m – Brown.

x Arritia N.: b 22 Nov. 1863, died 1864.

xi David W.: b 22 Sept. 1865, m (1) Lucy Brown, she died and he m (2) Minnie Brown, he died in 1926, resided near Waterford, Miss. They had:

- 1 Langford: b 1893, m Ruth Palters, reside Waterford, Miss. They had:
  - a Zadie: b 19-, m William Walker Arnold, reside Tyro, Miss.

324 ELIAS YOUNG (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(William 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Montgomery County, North Carolina in 1818, moved to Tennessee and Mississippi with his parents. After his father's death he resided in Marshall County, Mississippi where he married prior to 1849 Agnes Jane Hale, born Tennessee in 1827. He enlisted 1 May 1862 at Senatobia, as Private D, 2d Miss. Cav., C. S. A.; 31 Oct. 1862 on a roll as sick in hospital. No further military record. She was living in 1880 and he died in 1886, resided Marshall County, Mississippi.

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Children:

i Robert: b 1849, m prior to 1876, Paralee, daughter of Jesse Billingsley, No. 234, of Tate Co., Miss., b Miss. 1858, she died in 1887, he survived her and died in 1920, resided Marshall Co., Miss. They had, known:

1 Virginia: b 1876, deceased.

2 Mary: b 1878, deceased.

3 Leonard: b Sept. 1879, resides Waterford, Miss.

ii Virginia: b 1855, m Edmund Alexander Billingsley, see No. 322.

iii Martha Jane: b 1857, known as "Crick" Billingsley, m John W. Billingsley, No. .462, which see. He is known as "John Cy."

iv John: b 1861, he is known as "Long John," he m after 1880 Carrie Bailey, b Miss. 18-, residence not stated. They had:

1 Vivia: b 18-, m a Mr. Cook, reside Tyro, Miss.

2 Vida: b 1-, m Joseph B: Shaw, see No. 324-A.

v Mary E.: b 1865, m after 1880 C. P. Edlin, he died in 1900, reside Waterford, Miss. They had:

1 Lonnie Edlin : b 18-.

2 Hulbert Edlin: b 18-.

3 Elmer Edlin: b 18-.

4 Thelma Edlin : b 18-, m a Mr. Cook, reside Como, Miss.

324 CALVIN P. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee in 1831, moved to Holmes County, and then to Marshall County, Mississippi with his parents. He was residing with his brother, Joseph, in 1850. He married prior to 1852 Eliza Leighton (Leeton or Leaton), born Mississippi 1835. He enlisted 26 March 1862 as Private I, 42d Miss. Inf., C. S. A.; musician 14 May 1862; killed at Gettysburg, 3 July 1863. She survived him many years, was living with her mother in 1880; no mention of date of her death. .

Children:

i Julia: b 19 Dec. 1852, m 1867 John Sanders, b 1850, he was deceased in 1932, she was said to be living in 1931 at Memphis, Tenn. They had:

1 Atelia Sanders: b 2 Oct.. 186,9, m prior to 1885 Jackson N. Lawrence, she was deceased in 1932. They had:

a Harvey Lawrence: b 8 May 1885.

b Stonewall Jackson Lawrence: b 20 Sept. 1888.

2 Arminta Sanders: b 26 Jan. 1873, m prior to 1900 Lee Minor Berkett, she was deceased 1932, residence not stated. They had:

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- a Lady Isma Berket: b 3 Aug. 1900, m Cecil Freeman, they have 2 children, residence not stated.  
b Elliott Cain Berket: b 24 Dec. 1903.
- 3 Capitols Leon Sanders: b 3 July 1875, m prior to 1896 James Shaw, reside Miss. They had:  
a John Richard Shaw: b 8 Apr. 1896, deceased.  
b Charles Sanders Shaw: b 11 May 1901.  
c James Bowen Shaw: b 22 Nov. 1902.  
d Julia Gertrude Shaw: b 3 Aug. 1905.  
e Daniel Shaw: b 21 July 190?.  
f Henry Shaw: b 26 Aug. 1910.  
g Katie Mae Shaw: b 20 Jan. 1913.
- 4 Hattie Gertrude Sanders: b 1 June 1879, m (1) Dr. B. Banks; (2) John Leighton; (3) J. V. Perria. No children.
- ii James Robert: b 6 Dec. 1854 Marshall Co., Miss. He married 28 Dec. 1876, Marianna Nicholson, b bliss. 12 Aug. 1858 He died 2 June 1927 in Baptist Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., not stated if she survives him. They had:  
1 Calvin: b 9 Oct. 1878, died set. 2 years.  
2 Hilda Beatrice: b 13 Aug. 1881, m 17 Dec. 1902 Benjamin Gaston Ellis, b 5 Mar. 1880, reside Senatobia, Miss. She has furnished information on this family. They had:  
a Hershel Ellis: b 30 July 1904, m 20 July 1926 Marion Webb, of Memphis, Tenn. They had:  
al Bobby Gene Ellis: b 1- (adopted).  
b James Preston Ellis: b 20 Oct. 1906.  
c Benjamin Hardie Ellis: b 12 July 1914.  
3 Hardie Alexander: b 6 Dec. 1883, m 2? June 1929 at Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Lucy Talley, b 1 Nov. 1890, reside Joyner, Ark. They had:  
a Hardie Alexander, Jr.: b 2 Sept. 1931.
- 4 Brodie C.: b 7 May 1885, m 27 Sept. 1917 Myra Dixon, of Tate Co., Miss., reside Tyro, Miss. They had:  
a Russell: b 27 Dec. 1918.  
b Margaret: b 11 Apr. 1920.  
c Katherine: b 20 Nov. 1921.  
d Maryanna: b 12 Jan. 1924, died 11 Nov. 1924.
- 5 Jim Fay: b 19 Oct. 1888, m 27 Dec. 1917, Charles Mothershed, Jr., b .25 Nov. 1889, reside Looxahoma, Miss. They had:  
a Eleanor Maryanna Mothershed : b 25 Sept. 1920.
- 6 George C.: b 12 Mar. 1891, m prior to 1912 Estelle Lyles, b 1 Dec. 1893, reside Looxahoma, Miss. They had:  
a Maxwell Holmes: b 7 Aug. 1912.

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b Hazel Vernell: b 30 Aug. 1917. c Robert Roy: b 25 Dec. 1922.

iii William Calvin: b 20 Oct. 1856, m 28 Jan. 1879 Dorthula Lamney, b 28 June 185-, he died 27 May 192?, resided near Oxford, Miss. They had:

1 Arthur Arden: b 30 Nov. 1879, m 11 June 1914 Ada Fudge, reside Oxford, Miss. No mention of any children.

2 Artie Calvin: b 21 Feb. 1882, m 24 Feb. 1904 Maude Fudge, reside Oxford, Miss. No mention of any children.

3 Carl Lamney: b 9 Sept. 1884, died 21 Nov. 1905.

4 Ethel: b 25 Mar. 188?, m 23 Feb. 1908 George R. Webb, she died 5 Dec. 1931, resides Miss. They had:

a Margrette Onola Webb: b 8 Mar. 1917.

b Delbert Richard Webb: b 29 Mar. 1921.

c Dorothy Dale Webb: b 8 Feb. 1923.

d Maude Dulon Webb: b 29 Sept. 1924.

e Daughter: b 5 Dec. 1931, died same day.

5 Eslie: b 13 Feb. 1890, m 23 Feb. 1913 Sirley D. Blount, reside Miss., probably Tate Co. They had:

a Sirley Gaylord Blount: b 30 Aug. 1914.

b Marvell Elizabeth Blount: b 14 Feb. 1916.

c James Gilmer Blount: b 21 Nov. 1920.

d Golden Calvin Blount: b 4 July 1923.

e Artie Carl Blount: b 8 Sept. 1926.

6 McEwen: b 30 July 1897.

7 Esther: b 23 July 1900.

iv Montie: b 7 July 1858, m Jan. 1874 Edward Fitch, b 1847, reside Slayden, Miss. in 1931. They had:

1 Edward Fitch: b 8 Oct. 1874.

2 Mamie Fitch: b 26 Jan. 1876, m 7 Apr. 1896 Benjamin Shaw, b 16 Sept. 1867, reside Holly Springs, Miss. She has furnished information on this family. They had

a Robert Shaw: b 1897, m 27 Mar. 1919 Louise Frazier, reside Marshall Co., Miss. They had:

a1 Laverne Shaw: b 18 Jan. 1922.

a2 Boyd Shaw: b 27 Oct. 1924.

a3 Calvin Shaw: b 29 Nov. 1926.

a4 Maurine Shaw: b 18 July 1928.

a5 Opal Shaw: b 13 Jan. 1932.

b John Shaw: b .1902, m 26 Feb. 1921, Rose Knighton, reside Marshall Co., Miss. They had:

b1 Ernest Shaw: b 30 Jan. 1924.

b2 Heron Shaw: b 9 June 1926.

b3 Donald Shaw: b 28 Aug. 1928.

b4 Charlotte Shaw: b 28 Apr. 1931.

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c Joseph Benjamin Shaw: b 1904, m 23 Sept. 1925, Vida Billingsley, see No. 324, reside Waterford Miss. They had:

c1 Vergil Shaw: b 19 July 1926.

c2 Vernell Shaw: b 12 Sept. 1929.

c3 Vernita Shaw: b 18 Nov. 1931.

d T. G. Shaw: b 1906, m 30 May 1929, Orra De Shazo, reside Miss. They had

dl James Shaw: b 22 Feb. 1930.

e Decima Shaw: b 1910, m 15 Sept. 1929 Lamar De Shazo.

f Child: b 1912, died 23 Aug. 1912, act 3 months.

g Lavelle Shaw: b 1922.

3 Homer Fitch: b 18 Sept. 1879.

4 James Fitch: b 3 Sept. 1881.

5 Joseph Fitch: b 24 June 1882.

6 Lulie Fitch: b 19 Feb. 1884.

7 Lang Fitch: b 5 Jan. 1892.

325 JOHN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in East Tennessee in 1824. He migrated to Jackson County, Tennessee and married prior to 1847 Lovena Ann, born Tennessee in 1826. In 1844, they moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee and then moved to Monroe County before 1850 where they resided to the latter part of the year 1860 when they moved to Jackson County, Tennessee. He is said to have been killed by bush whackers toward the close of the Civil War. No subsequent record of his widow.

Children:

i John F. (9) : b 2 Dec. 1842.

ii Samuel: b 18 Nov. 1844 Sullivan Co., Tenn., moved to Jackson Co., Tenn. with his parents. He enlisted at Columbia, Ky. 17 Jan. 1862 for 3 years as Pvt. I, 59 Ohio Inf. U. S.; deserted at Perryville, Ky. 8 Oct. 1862 and returned to his regiment Nov. 1863, charged with A. W. O. L., returned to duty with loss of pay Oct. 1862 to Nov. 1863. He was 5 feet and 7 inches in height, blue eyes and light hair, and a farmer. In 1885 he made application to have the desertion charge removed from his record and it was refused by the War Dept. He was, however, given a pension and in this he stated he resided in Jackson Co., Tenn. 1865-69; Tamaroa, Ill. 1869-70; St. Francis Co., Mo. 1870-72; and Tamaroa, Ill. 1872 to 1921. He m (1) ca 1869 Martha Hardin near Flat River, Mo., she died 5 Aug. 1879 at Steelville, Ill., he m (2) 12 Oct. 1883 Alice King, she died in 1913 and he m (3) 31 Dec. 1914 Mrs. Martha

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Haiber; said. Martha, m. (1) 13 Sept. 1877 William D. Resh, divorced 17 Dec. 1880 and she m (2) 16 Aug. 1886 Samuel Stilled, he died 13-Sept. 1889, had a .daughter, Millie H., b 1888; she m (3) 25 Oct. 1894 John Haiber, he died 3 Mar. 1913 and she m (4) Samuel Billingsley as stated above, resided Tamaroa, Ill. where he died 1 Sept. 1921. They had:

1 Elsie: b 11 Oct. 1871-72, m a Mr. Hultz.

2 Ethel May: b 3 Sept. 1875, died 1 Aug. 1877.

iii Elizabeth: b 1849.

iv James A. (9) : b 17 Apr. 1853.

325 LEMUEL BASIL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William Y. 7, Basil 6, Basil 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Missouri 5 March 1862. He married 15 April 1883 in Crawford County, Missouri, Martha Bobbit, born Ohio 15 August 1865, resided Crawford County, Missouri for some years where he engaged in farming. Both were living in 1933 and resided with a daughter, Mrs. Sellers, at Tupelo, Arkansas. They were the parents of 13 children five of whom died small.

Children:

i Edward Young: b 14 July 1889 Crawford Co., Mo. He m prior to 1910 Rose Conaway, b Salem, Mo., 10 June 1892. He is a farmer and resides Steeleville, Mo. They had:

1 Thurston E.: b 21 Sept. 1910 at Davisville, Mo. He m prior to 1929 Alma Pea, b Nellyville, Mo., 6 Nov. 1910, reside Antioch, Calif., he is employed by Johns Manville Asbestos Co. He has furnished information on the family. They had:

a George E.: b 21 Aug. 1929 at St. Louis, Mo.

2 Thurles: b 11 Oct. 1913.

ii George: b 1891-2, m , reside Walnut Ridge, Ark. They have some family.

iii Effie: b 26 Dec. 1893, m 8 Nov. 1908 at Poplar Bluff, Mo. Webb Andrews, b Crawford Co., Mo. 27 Oct. 1883, reside Walnut Ridge, Ark. They had:

1 Gladys Andrews: b 31 Oct. 1911, m Leonard Allison, reside Walnut Ridge, Ark.

2 Floyd Andrews: b 14 Dec. 1912, m Esther Ward, reside Walnut Ridge, Ark.

3 Hazel Andrews: b 9 Oct. 1918.

iv Ada: b 17 Dec. 1890, m 3 Mar. 1917 Ernest Sellers, b 14 May 1891, reside Tupelo, Ark: She has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Herschel Sellers: b 12 Mar. 1918.

2 Bobby G. Sellers: b 24 Sept. 1928.

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v . Janie: b 189-, m John Link, she, died aet. 31 years, left six children, he survives her and resides Bonne Terre, Mo.

vi Walter: b 1901, resides Chicago, Ill.

vii Charles: b 1903, m Carmen Martin, reside Newport, Ark. No children.

viii Fred: b 1906, m Dora Calhoun, reside Tupelo, Ark. They had:

1 Ellis Edward: b 1933.

326 JAMES W. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 13 September 1830, moved to Butler County, Ohio, with his parents. He married prior to 1864 Caroline Babeck, born Princeton, Ohio 9 November 1843. He was a farmer, she died 3 January 1882 and he died 21 June 1883, resided at Princeton, Ohio Children use spelling of Billingslea.

Children:

i Minnie Warren: b 14 July 1864, m George Emmons, said to reside Monroe, Ohio. Letters have been returned and no information obtainable from others.

ii Charles Edson: b 3 Aug. 1866, m 28 Jan. 1892 at Trenton, Ohio, Mary Elizabeth Craig, b Overpeck, Ohio 19 Oct 1867, reside Overpeck, Ohio. He has furnished some information on this family. They had:

1 Paul Craig: b 17 Apr. 1894, m 6 Aug. 1924 Henrietta Geisler, of Hamilton, Ohio. He was an electrician and was killed while at work on a line at El Dorado, Kan. 7 Apr. 1927. She survives him. No children.

2 Esther: b 7 July 1899, m 18 Sept. 1918 at Hamilton, Ohio, Claude A. Sorg, reside Middletown, Ohio.

3 Charles Edson, Jr.: b 1 Oct. 1902, m 1 Apr. 1924 at Hamilton, Ohio, Louretta McKay, he died 5 Jan. 1931 following automobile accident. They had:

a Mary Lou: b 1 Apr. 1926.

4 William: b 10 July 1908, m Gladys Williams, reside West Chester, Ohio. They had:

a Barbara Jean: b 28 Apr. 1930.

iii Mary Ann: b 31 Dec. 1868, m William Strickler, said to reside Lebanon, Ohio. No information obtainable.

iv Albert A.: b 1 Dec. 1870, m 14 Nov. 1900 at Hamilton, Ohio, Dora B. Neiderman, nee Ratz, b Ohio 27 Dec. 1864, reside Hamilton, Ohio. No children.

v Catherine: b 9 Nov. 1872, m Dee Schrinier, reside Chicago, Ill.

vi Perry: b 9 July 1877, m , said to have three daughters, residence not stated. One of the daughters m Frank



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Andrews and reside Overpeck, Ohio. No information obtainable.

vii Laura: b 14 Dec. 1878, m Mark -Schofield, said to reside Lebanon, Ohio. No information obtainable.

327 JAMES HARVEY (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph, 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Baltimore County, Maryland in 1833, moved to Warren County, Ohio with his parents. He married in 1855 in Schuyler County, Illinois Elizabeth Noble, born Iowa in 1837, daughter of William Noble. Resided in Schuyler County, Illinois in 1860 then moved to Fulton County where they resided some years then moved to Marceline, Missouri where Elizabeth died in 1893. He survived her and returned to Illinois where he died at Elkhart about 1923.

Children:

i Joseph M.: b 1856 Ill., m prior to June 1880 Phoebe Jones, b Ill. 1862, resided Schuyler Co., Ill. in 1880. He is said to have died in 1921. No record of his children.

ii William: b 1858, died in 1860's.

1890 James R. Gentry, b 1855 Ind. He died in 1925 at Texarkana, Tex. She survives him and resides Miami, Fla. (1931), where she was manager of an apartment house. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Harold G. Gentry: b 1891, m Helen Gilmore, reside Miami, Fla.

2 Juanita E. Gentry: b 1893, m Haskell Guthrie, reside Miami, Fla.

iv Ida May: b 1863, m Charles Newman, reside Heavener, Okla. No information obtainable of her family. Said to have children.

v Sarah M.: b 1866, m David Huffman, reside Kansas City, Mo.

vi Charles Edgar (9) : b 10 Feb. 1869.

vii James Arthur (9) : b 7 Apr. 1871.

viii Walter L.: b 1873, died infancy.

328 GEORGE CHRISTOPHER (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(Samuel 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Baltimore County, Maryland 2 April 1843. He migrated to Kansas in the late 1860's and married 28 October 1869 Margaret Ann Gooding, born Buchanan County, Missouri, in 184--. They returned to Baltimore County, Maryland, where they resided to 1883 then moved to Polk County, Missouri and located near Bolivar where he died 17 October 1901, she survived him but was deceased some years prior to 1930.

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Children:

i James R.: b 11 Nov. 1870 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Mo. with his parents in 1883, he m Nora Parman, he died Jan. 1922, she was deceased prior to 1930, residence not stated but it was in Mo. some place. They had:

1 Florence Orene.

2 Ethel: m a Mr. Sudduth, reside Wayne, Neb.

3 Helen: m a Mr. Reeves, reside Aldrich, Mo. ,

4 George Parman: said to be in Neb. some place 1933.

5 Zilpha: m a Mr. Kellie, reside Cresco, or Creston, Iowa.

6 Jennies m a Mr. Hensley, reside Kirkwood, Mo.

7 Ruth: m a Mr. Dewise, reside Kirkwood, Mo.

8 Robert: resides Kirkwood, Mo. 1933.

ii Sarah Elizabeth: b 20 Mar. 1872 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Mo. with her parents in 1883 and m prior to 1897 a Mr. McCoy, they moved to Ind. Ter. prior to 1906, she was living in 1933 at Fairplay, Mo., not stated if her husband was deceased. They had:

1 Willie Ernestine McCoy: b 1897 Polk Co., Mo.

2 Basil Alexander McCoy: b 1900, near Windsor, Mo. Served in World War, his whereabouts unknown to his mother in 1933.

3 Chester Custer McCoy: b 1906 Chelsea, Ind. Ter.

4 John Perry McCoy: b 1908 Pryor Creek Okla, died 1909.

5 F. D. Gooding McCoy: b 1915 Nowata, Okla.

iii Charlotte Nester: b 10 Sept. 1875 Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Mo. with her parents in 1883 where she m 1 May 1898 Benjamin Summers, b Benton Co., Mo., 4 Jan. 1872, reside Bolivar, Mo. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Margaret Frances Summers: b 12 May 1899, m Claud Ammerman, reside Bolivar, Mo.

2 Phyllis Marie Summers: b 26 June 1901 at home in 1930.

3 Eva Belle Summers: b 26 Mar. 1903, m Charles Cox, reside Filmore, Calif.

4 Joseph Austin Summers: b 4 Dec. 1904, resides Filmore, Calif.

5 Richard Lloyd Summers: b 23 Sept. 1906, resides Filmore, Calif.

6 Edna Pearl Summers: b 1 Sept. 1908, m Ralph Allegar, reside Bolivar, Mo.

7 Rose Ellen Summers: b 2 July 1910.

8 Ids Mary Summers: b 21 July 1912..

9 Tillie Elizabeth Summers: , b 29 Jan. 1916. 10 Martha Irene Summers: b 31 Aug. 1917.

11 Connie Lee Summers: b 6 Jan. 1919.

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12 Dorothy Juanita Summers: b 13 Sept. 1921.

iv Margaret Jennies b 187- Baltimore Co., Md., moved to Mo. with her parents in. 1883 where she m Thomas Emory, she died at Horton, Kan. in 1917, not stated if he survives her, and residence of children not known. They had:

- 1 Rome Owen Emory: b 1-,died 1916.
- 2 James Emory.
- 3 Lydia Emory.
- 4 Marie Emory.
- 5 Bessie Emory.
- 6 Zoe Emory.
- 7 Vanie Emory.
- 8 Curtis Henry Emory.Twin.

329 MARTIN BOYD (8) BILLINGSLEA.

(*James 7, Walter 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harford County, Maryland 10 June 1849, moved to Baltimore, Maryland with his mother after 1860, where he graduated in medicine from the University of Maryland. He married prior to 1882 Ethel H. Gilbert, born Washington County, Pennsylvania in 18-. Resided in Baltimore, Maryland where he practiced his profession. He appears to have stood high in the profession and is spoken well of in Annals of Medicine of Maryland. He dated his will 20 November 1902:

To each of my children a copy of this will.

To Faith Presbyterian Church, remit any amount due at time of my death and add enough to make \$1,000, if any of the 16695 loan be repaid, I bequeath \$1,000.

Daughter, Elsie; diamond ring.

Son, Walter; watch and chain.

Son, Gilbert; residue of jewelry.

To each of my nephews and nieces \$100, not to apply to children of brothers Thomas and Walter, to whom I have loaned respectively \$500 and \$200, said, sums are released at my death and said sums to be divided among these children at my death.

If at my death sons, Walter and Gilbert, are not 21 years of age, to each, one of the houses on Holbrook St. Wife, Ethel H., to give to each child at 21 years of age, a Bible, a copy of the Constitution, and a copy of some standard work on Citizenship.

\$5.00 to Med. & Chir. Faculty yearly for books and journals.

\$5.00 yearly to University .of Maryland, etc.

Residue to wife for life.

He died December 1902 and this will probated 16 December 1902. She survived him, dated her will 8 April 1905:

To son, Martin Gilbert: one diamond earring, and grandfather clock, never to be disposed of.

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To son, Walter H.: one diamond earring, and music box.

To daughter, Mary E.: diamond pin, and large diamond ring, piano, clock, etc.

Silver and library equally divided.

Daughter-in-law, Jeannett S.: small diamond ring.

To Julia. A. Watermeyer: \$100.

To Luther P. Winebrenner \$200 for his use in case of sickness and for burial in case of death.

Greenmount cemetery sum for perpetual care of lot. A codicil dated 1 Oct. 1911.

Grandfather clock to go to son, Walter.

Music box to grand son, Boyd.

She died November 1911 and this will probated 17 November 1911.

Children:

i Martin Gilbert- b 31 Oct. 1882, m prior to 1905 Jeannette Stevens, of Pittsburgh, Pa. He was travelling salesman and this accounts for the codicil in his mother's will changing the legatee to the grandfather clock. They moved to Calif. about 1927. They had:

1 Martin Boyd: b ca 1904, died aet. 18 years, automobile accident, at Ann Arbor, Mich.

ii Mary Elsie: b 28 July 188-, m ca 1913 C. Alexander Fairbank, reside Baltimore, Md. No children.

iii Falter Hartman: b 4 Aug. 1887, m 19 Jan. 1910 Rita Boland Orem, b Baltimore, Md. 17 Dec. 1687, reside Baltimore, Md. They had

1 Gilbert Orem: b 7 Oct. 1912.

330 ANN MARIA (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 7, Samuel 6, Walter 6, Samuel h, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Franklin County, Ohio 12 June 1834, moved to Henry County, Iowa with her parents in 1842-43 where she married 11 lurch 1855 by Reverend Elder Hare, Thomas Henry Childs, born Maryland, probably Baltimore County, 3 August 1830, a son of Dr. Henry Isaac Childs, born 5 April 1805, died 26 April 1864 and Susan Turner, born Maryland 1811, married 10 July 1828, Susan was living 1870 in Iowa. War Department records show: Henry L. Childs was enrolled and mustered into service 15 Aug. 1863 at Benton Barracks, Mo., as Assistant Surgeon, 56th Colored Infantry, U. S., and was detailed under Medical Director George R. Wicks, Jan. 1864 with a detachment of 1st Iowa Inf.; he was discharged the service 30 January 1864 for failure to pass an examination before a medical board. Thomas H. Childs, was enrolled 23 Oct. 1861 at Davenport, Iowa, mustered into service Nov. 2, 1861 as Corporal, Co. D, 14th Iowa Inf. U. S., for 3 years; sergeant 25 Mar. 1862; prisoner 6 Apr. 1862 at

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battle of Pittsburg, Tenn.; .discharged 18 Aug. 1863 at St. Louis Mo. by order of. Gen. Schofield, to accept a commission; appointed 1st Lieutenant 7. July and mustered into service 28 Aug. 1863 at Schofield Barrack, Mo., as 1st Lieutenant Co. F, 56th Colored Infantry, U. S., said regiment originally known as 3d Arkansas Volunteers; discharged. as 1st Lieutenant 20 December 1864 on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability. Resided Lee County, Iowa in 1870 and later moved to Minnesota where he died at Adrian, 15 October 1891, she survived him some years and died 21 October 1913 at Brooks, Minn.

Children: (known)

i May Gordon Chills: b 1860, m prior to Nov. 1880 Capt. Albert Campbell, he was deceased before 1932. They had:

1 Eugene Campbell: b 9 Nov. 1880, m —, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

a Gordon Campbell:

ii Howard Oliver Chills: b 29 Nov. 1865 Iowa, m —, she was deceased 1932, and he resided Powers, Oregon. No children.

iii Eva Chills: b 10 July 1869 Big Mound, Lee Co., Iowa, moved to Minn. with her parents where she married 31 Mar. 1895 at Adrian, Dana J. Tinnes, born Arena, Wis. 4 Oct. 1861. Resided at Adrian, Minn. to 1905 then moved to Grand Forks, N. Dak. He is State Senator 7th Dist.; journalist and author; Fellow Royal Economic Soc., Great Britain, and American Economic Association; special lecturer on Economics at University of N. Dak. He is a Mason and a Knight of Pythias. Family Unitarian. Mrs. Tinnes has furnished information on this family from Samuel through his son, John. They had:

1 Lloyd Chills Tinnes: b 21 Jan. 1896 Adrian, Minn. Was a junior in law Univ. N. Dak. 1917, volunteered and enlisted 314 Field Signal Batt. World War. Graduated and admitted to the bar July 1926, resides Grand Forks, N. Dak.

2 Vernon Chills Tinnes: b 4 Mar. 1898 at Adrian, Minn. He was a student Army Training Corps, Univ. N. Dak. during World War.

3 Herbert Chills Tinnes: b 27 Feb. 1900 at Adrian, Minn. He was a student Army Training Corps, Univ. of N. Dak. during World War. He m 25 July 1926 Verna McGregor, reside Grand Forks, N. Dak. They had

a Marilyn Tinnes: b 10 July 1927.

iv Clyde Turner Chills: b 187- Iowa, m Mary Apes Tinnes, residence not stated. They had:

1 Evelyn Tinnes Chills.'

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331. WILLIAM H. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Walter 7, Samuel 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Franklin County, Ohio 28 July 1841. He enlisted 2 July 1864 as Private E, 133 Ohio Infantry, U: S. Discharged 20 Aug. 1864. He married 16 May 1869 in Delaware County, Ohio, Catherine Dominy, born Madison County, Ohio, 31 December 1845, a daughter of Almon Dominy. Resided at Dublin, Ohio, where she died 1 April 1925 and he died 12 December 1926. He was pensioned and dates are taken from the pension record.

Children

i Horace: b 7 July 1870. Resides Worthington, Ohio.

ii Bert: b 18 Septa 1871, m Minnie Ealy, reside Worthington, Ohio.

iii Clayton: b 10 July 1873, m Myrtle Grooms, reside Worthington, Ohio.

iv Almon: b June 1875, died 12 Sept. 1893.

v Alta: b 29 June 1885. She wrote one letter to A. 111. Billingsley of Arizona in 1930 giving meager information and would never answer any one subsequently, resides Worthington, Ohio.

331 LOUIS CLINTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(Bennett M. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Harford County, Maryland in April 1831. Spent his boyhood days in Harford County, after the death of his mother in 1858 he migrated to Mississippi and located in Harrison County. He enlisted 5 May 1861 as Private E, 20th Miss. Infantry, C. S. A., promoted to Corporal; captured at Fort Donaldson 16 February 1862 and sent to Camp Douglas, Illinois, and then sent to Vicksburg, Mississippi, 2 September 1862 for exchange; on 20 April 1863 he was sent for duty at General Loring's Headquarters; on 27 October 1863 he was assigned to the Pioneer Corps. This is the last official record of his military service. The family records state he was in battle some place in Georgia and was wounded and was sent with several others to the home of John S. Weaver in Jasper County to recuperate, while there he became enamored of one of his host's daughters, Sallie A. Weaver, born Georgia in 1847, whom he married some time late in the year 1865 and settled in Atlanta, Georgia, where he is listed as a clerk in 1867. He died sometime after 1876 and prior to 1881, she survived him many years, moved to Macon, Georgia with her sons where she died in 1912.

Children:

i Louis Clinton (9) : b 9 Nov. 1866.

ii Mamie: b 18-, m Theo. Zwermann, she is deceased.

iii William W.: b 1876 Atlanta, Ga., moved to Macon, Ga. with his mother in 1890's and m prior to 1904 Leona Weaver, a 1st cousin. He operated a drug store for some years. He

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was living in 1932 in Atlanta, Ga., she was living at Covington, Ga. They had:

1 Valentine: b 190-, m a Mr. Brown, reside Macon, Ga., said to have had two children living in 1932.

2 Nena: b 19-, m , reside Athens, Tenn., said to have one child living in 1932.

332 ELIZABETH HAINES (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*James L. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Uniontown, Maryland 6 November 1834. She married 10 December 1861 John L. Reifsnider, of Westminster, Maryland. She died 12 December 1867, no data on his birth or death, resided Westminster, Maryland.

Children:

i Susan A. Reifsnider: b 5 Oct. 1862, died 29 Dec. 1862.

ii Jesse Levin Reifsnider : b 25 Nov. 1863, died 29 June 1864.

iii John Milton Reifsnider: b 21 Jan. 1865. The following is a transcription of his own writing: "Educated at Glen Burn Academy, Western Maryland College, and University of Virginia,; read law under Reifsnider & Fink; admitted to the bar Carroll Co., Aug. 1886; member of firm Reifsnider & Reifsnider, attorneys, 1886-1900 and 1908-1912. Married 13 Oct. 1886 at Hagerstown, Md., Eleanor Fisher Reese, b Md. 18-, daughter of George D. Reese, late of Carroll Co., Md. and Baltimore, Md., and Josephine Foote, his wife, now (1886) the wife of Rear Admiral Donald McNeil Fairfax, U. S. Navy, and a daughter of Rear Admiral Andrew Hull Foote, U. S. Navy. Member of Va. Delta Chapter A. T. O. Frat. 1881; Door of Virtue Lodge No. 46, A. F. A. M.; Carroll Royal Arch Chapter No. 31, Westminster, Md. Crusade Commmanery No. 5, Knights Templar, Baltimore, Md.; member Board of Managers, Maryland Society, Sons of the American Revolution; Board of managers Maryland Society War of 1812, and Baltimore Club." He died about 1916. Mr. Reifsnider deserves credit for preserving the family records of the branch of James Billingsley, No. 29 of this family. While none of his findings and conclusions were published there are known to. be at least two type-written copies in existence that were gotten out by him. We have a copy of this and have drawn heavily from it for the members of this -branch as much of it was verified by us in the original records in Annapolis, Baltimore, and Harford Co., Maryland. They had:

1 Eleanor Foote Reifsnider: b 26 Nov. 1887, m 28 Jan. 1913 Capt. Thomas Mathews Robins, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A. Resided Washington, D. C, in 1915. They had:

a Thomas Mathews Robins: b 16 Jan. 1914.

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2 Lawrence Fairfax. Reifsnider: b 26 Nov. 1887, a twin, educated Western Md. College, graduated Naval Academy 1910, and Lieut. U. S. N. in 1915; m. 20 Nov. 1912 Mary Louise Munroe, b Md. 18-, daughter of James Munroe and his wife, a Miss Chase, of Annapolis, Md. They had:

a Mary Louise Reifsnider: b 6 Apr. 1914, Annapolis, Md.

3 Mary Anna Reifsnider: b 2 Oct. 1889, m 24 Sept. 1910 Lieut. Thomas Stanley Clarke, U. S. M. C. They had:

a Eleanor Fairfax Clarke: b 1 Jan. 1912 Colon, Panama.

b Edith Anne Stanley Clarke: b 15 Apr. 1913 Norfolk, Va.

4 John Milton Reifsnider: b 29 Feb. 1892. Educated, Westminster High School, Western Md. College, Georgia School Technology.

5 Josephine Foote Reifsnider: b 8 Aug. 1899.

6 James Billingslea Reifsnider: b 19 July 1901, died 1 Sept. 1907.

iv James Franklin Reifsnider: b 8 Oct. 1866, died 24 Mar. 1869.

333 ALBERT (8) BILLINGSLEA

(*James L. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Uniontown, Maryland 18 April, moved to Baltimore with his parents in 1848 and to Carroll County about 1860. He enlisted 12 August 1862, Co. A, 6th Maryland Infantry, U. S. and elected 1st Lieutenant; Captain 8 September 1862; wounded 6 May 1864 and discharged on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability 23 December 1864. He married 2 January 1866 at Annapolis, Maryland, Mollie J. Hopkins, born Maryland in 1848, daughter of James and Elizabeth Hopkins, of Annapolis, Maryland. They moved to Chicago, Illinois about 1890. In 1892 he is listed as President, Eclipse Tool Co.; from 1897 to 1903 he is listed as bookkeeper; in 1904 as Editor, Home and Homeless. No data on death of either of them. Children:

i Albert Hersey: b 22 Oct. 1866 Maryland, moved to Chicago with his parents about 1890. Listed as a clerk in 1892 to 1897 he m 25 Oct. 1899 Martha Pennock Mercer, daughter of Rev. Lewis P. and Sarah Mercer, of Chicago, Ill. In 1898-99 he is listed as Advertising Agent; in 1904 as Western Representative of a farm paper; and in 1915 was living in New York City and Eastern Representative of Foremost Farm Papers. They had:

1 Mary Beatrice: b 24 Apr. 1901.

2 Sarah: b 23 Dec. 1906.

ii Edward Levin: b 27 June 1868 Md., moved to Chicago with



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his parents about 1890, he m 1 June 1897 Cornelia Drake Mercer, sister to above Martha Mercer. In 1892-95 he is listed as Cashier; 1897 to 1902 as Salesman; 1904 as Manager ; in-1915 he was a member of the firm of Rogers, Brown & Co., Chicago. Cornelia died in the early 1900's. They had:

1 Lewis Mercer: b 26 Mar. 1898.

2 Cornelia: b 19-.

iii Nina Lyden: b 6 Feb. 1870, died infancy.

iv James Claude: b 26 Sept. 1873, moved to Chicago with his parents about 1890. He m 1 June 1898 Elsie Brooke Hopkins, daughter of Dr. William H, and Elisabeth Hopkins, of Baltimore, Md. In 1892 to 1896 he is listed as clerk and bookkeeper; 1897 to 1903 as Manager; 1904 as Advertising Agent; 1915 Western Representative of Foremost Farm Papers. Resided Evanston, Ill. in 1931. No information has been obtainable from him. They had:

1 Dorothy Brooke: b 28 Feb. 1889.

2 Elizabeth Hopkins: b 18 July 1903.

3 James Levin: b 22 June 1905.

4 Mary Virginia Shepard: b 30 Jan. 1908.

v Ada Elizabeth: b 14 Apr. 1877, died infancy.

#### 334 CHARLES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James L. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Union Town, Maryland 14 November 1840. Graduate of University of Maryland in Dentistry. He married 1 February 1876 Clara Smith, born Maryland in 1856, daughter of John Smith and Caroline Cookson, of Wakefield, Maryland. He was President of Smith-Mingling Co., Cannery; President Westminster Savings Bank, and member Board of Trustees, Western Maryland College. Both were living in 1915 and resided Westminster, Maryland.

Children:

i Charles Clarence: b 16 Mar. 1878, A. M. Western Maryland College; M.D. Univ. of Maryland; he married 19 Jan. 1902 Lucy Mabel Graham, daughter of Rev. W. R. Graham and Sarah Smith; 1st Lieut. Medical Corps, U. S. Army 1904; Major in 1916; he died 16 Aug. 1917 from the effects of an accidental gunshot wound of the head. She m (2) Clarence C. Manley, Col. Medical Corps, U. S. A. They had:

1 Mabel Graham: b 24 Sept. 1904, m 10 June 1931 Capt. Charles Thomas Brooks, U. S. M. C.

2 Sarah Smith: b 29 July 1907, m Capt. Duncan Early, Aviation Corps, U. S. A.

3 Charles: b 3 May 1914 Cadet U. S. M. Acad. 3d class in 1933.

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ii James Levin: b 3 Aug. 1883, died 15 June 1884.

iii Caroline Smith: b 29 Sept. 1888, m 16 Oct. 1928 David Snyder Babylon, reside Westminster, Md. She possesses a copy of the record compiled by J. M. Reifsnider, and allowed us to examine it in 1923.

iv Susan Haines: b 5 Jan. 1890.

v John Smith: b 10 Aug. 1892, A.B. Western Maryland College in 1913. 2d Lieut. Inf. Md. Nat. Gd. Feb. 1917 to July 1917; 2d Lieut. 25 July 1917 Nat. Army, discharged 23 May 1918; E. O. Ret. List 17 Oct. 1928. He m prior to 1922 Frances Stoddard Knowles, reside Drexel Hill, Pa. They had:

1 Clara Smith: b 1 Sept. 1922.

2 Constance Knowles: b 23 Feb. 1929. vi Elizabeth: b 15 Sept. 1896. Furnished information on this family.

335 JAMES HOWELL (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James L. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Uniontown, Maryland 19 Apr. 1843. Educated in public schools Baltimore, Milton Academy, Baltimore County, Maryland, and graduated in medicine from University of Maryland 4 Mar. 1864. He married 30 April 1884, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Baltimore, Maryland, Charlotte Leigh Spalding, daughter of Clement C. Spalding and Sophia Kerr Leigh, of St. Mary's County, Maryland. He served as Clerk, Circuit Court, Carroll County, Maryland, 1898-1903; was President of Union National Bank, President of Baltimore and Reisterstown Turnpike Road, resided Westminster, Maryland where he died 28 January 1917 of cerebral hemorrhage, she survived him and died 29 July 1933.

Children:

i Charlotte Leigh: b 11 Mar. 1886, died 1 Feb. 1930, unmarried.

ii James Howell: b 8 Oct. 1887. Was in Seattle, Wash. In 1917. He m Apr. 1930 Dorothy, reside Grants Pass, Oreg. No children.

iii Robert Kerr: b 5 Feb. 1889, m 25 Sept. 1920 Marianna Albaugh, reside Westminster, Md. They had:

1 Robert Kerr, Jr.: b 192-.

2 . George Albaugh: b 192-.

3 Howell Haines: b 192-.

4 Ella Troxell: b 19-.

5 Richard Kerr: b 19-.

iv Mary Spalding: b 18 Apr. 1892, m 21 Jan. 1920 Wesley Clabaugh Brooks. She furnished information on the family, reside Westminster, Md. No children.

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v Charles Levine: b 2 July 1893. Graduated in medicine University of Maryland 1920. He m 20 June 1919 Matilda Ruth Wickert, reside Westminster, Md. They had:

1 Charlotte Ruth: b 19-.

2 Elizabeth Anne: b 19-.

3 Charles Levine, Jr.: b 19-.

vi Leeds Kerr: b 23 May 1896, m 23 Sept. 1920 Emily Ruth Zepp, reside Westminster, Md. They had:

1 Emily Kerr: b 19-.

2 James Howell: b 19-.

336 LEWIS LEVIN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James L. 7, James 6, James 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Baltimore County, Maryland 13 September 1855. A. B. Western Maryland College; L.L.B. University of Maryland. He married 9 Nov. 1899 Elizabeth Bowen Wildes, of Burlington County, New Jersey, daughter of George Wildes and Elizabeth Lawrence (Rue), reside Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He has the other copy of family record compiled by J. M. Reifsnider.

Children:

i Elizabeth Lawrence: b 2 May 1902.

ii Eleanor Wildes: b 6 Sept. 1903.

iii James Levin: b 19-.

337 GEORGE WASHINGTON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Dearborn County, Indiana 3 March 1834. He married 15 September 1866 at Rising Sun, Indiana, Harriet Emily Kercheval, born Campbell County, Kentucky 10 December 1849. They moved to Spencer County, Indiana where he died 30 March 1923, she died 10 July 1924. Family Methodists.

Children:

i Georgia May: b 4 Aug. 1868 at Aurora, Ind., died 3 Mar. 1893.

ii James L.: b 1 Feb. 1870 at Grandview, Ind., m 23 May 1910 Emma Cooper, at Indianapolis, Ind. where they reside They had:

1 Dolene: b 19-.

2 Oleta: b 19-.

iii Cassie Emma: b 28 Mar. 1872, m at Grandview, Ind. 8 June 1893 John L. Wohler, reside Sciotovalle, Ohio. They had

1 Percy L. Wohler: b 189-, m , reside Portsmouth, Ohio. They had:

a Jack Wohler. b Billie Wohler.

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2 John R. Wohler: b 189-.

3 Edward W. Wohler: b 18 Feb. 1899, d 4 Nov. 1903.

4 Charles I. Wohler: b 19-, m —, reside Sciotoville, Ohio. They had:

a Catherine Wohler.

b Cathleen Wohler.

5 William H. Wohler: b 19-, m, reside New Boston, Ohio. No children.

6 James Lewis Wohler: b 19-.

7 Emma C. Wohler: b 19-, decesd 1931.

8 George Wohler: b 19-.

9 Wendell Wohler: b 19-.

iv Mary Elizabeth: b 14 Oct. 1873. She was given nick name of "Lillie" while at school and she is known as Lillie. She is a Past Matron of Eastern Star, and has furnished information on this family.

v Charles: b 29 Jan. 1876, m prior to 1898 Sadie Johnson. She is deceased, 1931. He is a flour miller, is a Mason, Odd Fellow, and Knights of Pythias. Family Methodists. He resides Grandview, Ind. They had:

1 Jamie L.: b 5 June 1898. She is a Past Matron of the Eastern Star.

vi Harry W.: b 24 Aug. 1877, died 6 Dec. 1884.

vii Ernest M.: b 19 Feb. 1880, m (1) 19 Feb. 1905 Julia Turner, she died 2 Oct. 1924 and he m(2) 2 Jan. 1928 Annie Bence. Reside Indianapolis, Ind. They had:

1 Nellie: b 190-, m Kenneth Scamahorn, res. Rockport, Ind. They had

a Mary Gene Scamahorn.

b Kenneth Ray Scamahorn.

2 Jack: b 192-, 2d wife.

3 James L.: b 193-.

viii William C.: b 188-.

ix John T.: b 188-.

338 JAMES W. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Dearborn County, Indiana 8 February 1840. He enlisted 16 September 1861 Private, Corporal, and Sergeant D, 52d Ind. Inf. U. S., veteran 30 November 1864, residence Union township, Ohio County, Indiana, five feet, eleven inches in height, was pensioned. He married 11 March 1875 Maria Minton, born McClure, Illinois in 1855. They moved to Zephyrhills, Florida where he died July 1931. He was a Mason of 64 years standing at the time of his death. She survives him. Family - members of Christian church.

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Children:

i Rossa: b 10 Feb. 1876, died 2 July 1876.

ii Omer: b 12 Mar. 1877, m 1 Jan. 1916 Anna Messer, resided St. Louis, Mo. where he died 6 Jan. 1920. He was an Elder in Dover Christian church at the time of his death. They had:

1 Emilie R. N.: b 5 Oct. 1916.

iii Smith James: b 20 Mar. 1879, m (1) in 1896 Roxie Brodries, a divorce in 1909 and he m (2) in 1924 Mrs. Addie Medlock. Reside Thebes, Ill. They had

1 Inez: b 29 July 1897, m Charles Tapley, he d 20 July 1930. Res. Denver, Colo.

2 Marie: b 23 Apr. 1900, m 15 Oct. 1930 George Weldon. Res. Cairo, Ill.

iv Ora: b 22 Apr. 1881, m 1 Jan. 1925 John D. Buckbee. He is Elder in Christian church. Reside Zephyrhills, Fla. They have no children. She has furnished information on this family.

v Fanna: b 5 Mar. 1886, m June 1910 Ralph S. Simmerman, members of Christian church, reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

1 Melba Venus Simmerman: b 28 Apr. 1911.

2 Ralph James Simmerman: b 8 Sept. 1912.

3 Byron C. C. Simmerman: b 8 Apr. 1915.

4 Fanna Idell Simmerman: b 8 June 1918.

5 Lionel L. Simmerman: b 13 Nov. 1920..

6 Wade Simmerman: b 1 Oct. 1926.

339 DAVID H. (8) BILLINGSLEY

*(James 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Ohio County, Indiana 11 Apr. 1846. He enlisted 13 August 1863 Private I, 117th Ind. Inf., U. S., discharged 24 Feb. 1864. Enlisted 9 May 1864 Private F, 134th Ind. Inf., U. S., no record of discharge. He enlisted 24 Oct. 1864 Private K, 142d Ind. Inf., U. S. and discharged 14 July 1865. He was pensioned on this last record. He married (1) 29 September 1865 Alice Stopher, born Illinois 1836 and resided at Mason, Illinois where he engaged in farming. In 1880 Alice developed dropsy and was sent to State Hospital where she remained till 6 June 1889 then returned home but was sent again to the hospital in 1890 where she died 11 December 1891. About 1872 Caroline Stillcup, born 15 October 1853 married Leonidas Hill, he died 8 May 1875 and she was subsequently employed as a domestic in the home of David H. Billingsley to the time of death of Alice. About 1891 he moved to St. Joseph, Missouri before the death of Alice. Caroline moved with the family and after the death was presented and passed as his wife. There was considerable correspondence connected with his claim for pension and it was decided accord-

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ing to Missouri law that it .could legally be recognized, etc. and his claim was allowed. He operated a market store in St. Joseph where he died 23 June 1919: She survives him..

Children:

i James: b.10 July 1866 Ill., m —, and resides St. Joseph, Mo. No information obtainable as to his family.

ii Sadie: b 25 Dec. 1867.

iii Mollies b 8 Mar. 1869, died 18 Aug. 1870.

iv Mollie: b 19 Feb. 1871.

v Alice: b 22 Dec. 1872, died 8 Nov. 1874.

vi Nora: b 8 Apr. 1875.

vii Margaret: b 8 Mar. 1877.

viii Mamie: b 28 Dec. 1892, 2d wife m Hubock.

ix Edna: b 14 Sept. 1894, m Crumpton.

340 MAHLON HAYES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Hartford, Indiana 2 June 1849. He married July 187- at Rising Sun, Indiana, Mary Jane Todd, born Rising Sun, Indiana 17 February 1856. Resided at Mason, Illinois in 1880, she died 19 February 1919, he survives her and resides Virden, Illinois.

Children :

i Louisa Dean: b 15 Sept. 1879, died June 1923.

ii Ressa Florence: b 9 Nov. 1882.

iii M. Valette: b 29 Mar. 1885, died 6 Sept. 1930.

iv Mahlon Hayes, Jr.: b 29 Oct. 1886.

v Harry Todd: b 13 June 1888, m —, reside Virden, Ill. They had

1 Ethelyn Todd: b 15 Aug. 1910.

2 Hal Hayes: b 13 Nov. 1912.

vi Edith Adele: b 27 Nov. 1889, m 31 Oct. 1916 Ray Krebaum, reside Virden, Ill. They had:

a Joanna Krebaum : b 11 Oct. 1917.

vii William Henry: b 189-, died aet. 16 months.

viii Cleo Eva: b 26 Oct. 1894. She has furnished information on this family and is connected with the Virden Recorder, a newspaper.

341 JAMES (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John .O. 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Dearborn County, Indiana in 1822-23. He married prior to 1845 Elizabeth , born Indiana in 1826. He was a farmer, both were living in 1880 and resided Dearborn Co., Indiana.

Children:

i Mary E.: b 1845, m or d before 1870.

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ii William Henry: b 1849, m prior to 1880 Anna B., daughter of John C. Gray and Prudence Billingsley, cousins, b Ind. 1861. See No. 69.

iii Otha F.: b 1851.

iv James R.: b 1853.

v Richard Clayton: b 1855.

vi Nancy B.: b 1858.

vii Emma: b 1864.

viii Jacob : b 1865.

ix Flora: b 1868.

x Harry: b 1871.

342 OTHA (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John O. 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Dearborn County, Indiana in February 1829. He married 10 September 1856 Priscilla J. Mefford, born Newport, Kentucky 10 December 1837, daughter of James P. Mefford, born 1808 and killed 1856 in California in a mine explosion. He was a farmer, resided Dearborn County, Indiana, both living in 1885. No marriages or deaths in this family up to 1885.

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 1857.

ii George: b 1859.

iii Rebecca: b 1861.

iv Mary J.: b 1863.

v Eliza B.: b 1865.

vi John William: b 1868.

vii James R.: b 1871.

viii Emily Cerilda: b 1873.

ix Otha: b 1875.

x Inez: b 188-.

xi Joseph: b 188-.

343 ALLEN (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Moses 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Shelby County, Indiana in 1834. He married prior to 1858 Sarah Ann Winterrowd, born Shelby County, Indiana in 1838, she was a daughter of Anderson Winterrowd, born Pennsylvania 18-., died Indiana 1842, .and Prudence. Bone,.. born 11 January. 1821 in Ohio, died after 1850 . Shelby County Indiana, who were parents of the following children: Martha, born 1836, married Ben Love; Emma, born 1840, married John Messick; Ella, born 1843, married William Wyatt; Prudence Alice, born 1846, married Thomas Kitchen; Taylor, born 1849, married Pet Pendrin; Noble S., born 1853, married Jean Holland, he was a physician; E. Oscar, born 1859, married Flora Spellman. Allen was

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a farmer, he died in 1868 of pneumonia, Sarah survived him many years and died in 1905, both buried in Norristown, Indiana.

Children:

i Frank: b 1858, m after 1880 Jennie Ray, she was deceased 1927, he died in 1929. Resided Shelby Co., Ind. They had:

1 Ralph: b 18-, unnm in 1927.

ii Lettie: b Oct. 1859 was living 1927 unnm.

iii Jennies b 1862, m 1879-30 Forest Spellman. Living 1927.

iv Charles Winterrowd (9) : b 17 Mar. 1864.

v Mabel May: b 1868, m Lewis Parrish. Living in 1927.

344 ALLEN FISHER (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jacob N. 7, Robert 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Columbiana County, Ohio 17 June 1838. He enlisted 13 May 1861, Private C, 24th Ohio Inf., U. S. Was five feet and ten inches in height, blue eyes, and auburn hair, occupation stated as school teacher. Discharged 30 April 1862 on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability. He married 16 August 1864 Rebecca Alice Taggart, born 25 May 1838. They moved to Colorado in 1881 where she died 4 September 1888, he survived her some years and died 24 April 1905.

Children:

i Elsie Taggart: b 31 Oct. 1865, East Palestine, Ohio. Shem Charles Louis Lafargue. She was a widow in 1914 and resided in Paris, France. She was living in Denver, Colo. in 1923. She furnished us with some notes she had obtained thru other parties supposedly of records. We found much of this matter could not be verified for reason that some of the parties had taken the name of BILLINGS in many instances which had no connection with the family. Some of the abstracts could be verified but it required careful examination of the originals. Since about 1925 we have not been able to get any replies from this lady tho she is known to have been living as late as 1932. What is given of her children is from other sources. They had:

1 Paul Alain Lafargue.

2 Lucy Lafargue.

3 Henriette Lafargue.

4 John Robert Lafargue.

ii Lucetta Cameron: b 24 Nov. 1867, m 22 Dec. 1887 George Rohwer.

iii Robert: b Feb. 1870, was deacd 1931.

345 SIMEON S. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John W. 7, Robert 6, Charles 5, James .4, Walter 3, John, 2, Francis 1.*) Born Columbiana County, Ohio in 1859. He moved to Wichita, Kansas



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and became associated with William S. Grant in the grain business. They later established a fruit company and at the time of his death he was vice president of the Grant-Billingsley Fruit Co. He married (1) prior to 1893 Ella Worbs, she died and he married: (2) Cora Sate. He died in 1916, she was living in 1930 and resided at Wichita, Kansas. He was a 32 degree Mason, and a member of the Mystic Shrine.

Children:

i Bruce W.: b 4 Mar. 1893, m 27 May 1913 Catherine Paugh. He is vice president of Grant-Billingsley Fruit Co. He is 32 degree Mason and member of Mystic Shrine. Family members of Congregational church. Reside Wichita, Kan. They had:

1 Bruce W., Jr.: b 12 Oct. 1914.

2 Julia Ann: b 27 Jan. 1916.

ii Helen: b 189-.

iii Robert: b 18-.

#### 346 JOHN POWERS (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Marlboro District, South Carolina in 1826 at the home of his grand parents Blackburn. Moved to Alabama with his parents in 1827. He married prior to 1855 Mary Elizabeth McBride, born Giles County, Tennessee in 1834. They settled on a homestead entered by his father in 1847 located in Lauderdale County, Alabama where they spent the rest of their days. He died in 1881, his widow survived him some years.

Children:

i William Henry (9) : b 26 Feb. 1855.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 11 May 1857, m 7 Aug. 1879 Winston McGee, reside Lauderdale Co., Ala. They had:

1 John William McGee: b 26 Apr. 1880.

2 Nancy Delphia McGee: b 21 Aug. 1881, m Elzy G. Muse, residence not stated. They had

a Bessie Muse, unkm.

b Eva Muse, m Ira Johnson. They had

b1 Eula Mae Johnson.

b2 Nelson Johnson.

b3 Ruth Johnson.

c Vernie Muse, m Edgar Johnson. They had:

c1 Earl Johnson.

c2 Betty Johnson.

d Albert Muse, m Ethel Compton. They had

d1 Lowell Muse.

d2 Nelda Jean Muse.

3 Sophronia Ann McGee: b 1 Apr. 1883, died unmarried.

4 James Bartley McGee: b 9 Dec. 1884, died unmarried.

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5 Florence Alice McGee: b 26 Oct. 1886, m Doxie Cox. They had:

a Nellie Cox, m Andrew Craig. They had:

al Virginia Nellie Craig.

6 Benjamin Franklin McGee: b Nov. 1887, m Hettie Grigsby. They had:

a Clara McGee.

b Farris McGee.

c Fletcher McGee.

d Dennis McGee.

e Ollie McGee.

7 Evie Virgil McGee: b 2 Sept. 1888, m John Cochran. They had:

a James Cochran, m Eulalia Nickles. They had:

a1 Carl Cochran.

b Bartley Cochran, m Celistia Tepper. They had:

b1 Glenn Cochran.

c Homer Cochran.

d Reva Cochran.

e Marjorie Cochran.

8 Fanny Chapel McGee: b 3 July 1890, died unmarried.

9 Noah Fulton McGee: b Feb. 1892, m Nora Crunk. They had:

a Barbara McGee.

b Almon McGee.

c Shannon McGee.

d Nellie McGee.

e Nicholas McGee.

10 Kendrick O'Neal McGee: b 28 Mar. 1895, died unmarried.

11 Emma Eddy McGee: b 2 Apr. 1901.

iii Alice: b 1858, m after 1880 Henry D. Richardson.

iv. John Powers: b 1860, died unmarried.

v James R. (9) : b 3 July 1862.

vi Thomas Randolph: b 1864, died 1870'x.

vii Derinda Ann: b 1866, m prior to 1885 John Dee Tidwell, b Ala. 1855, son of Robert and Martha Tidwell, resided Ala. She was deceased before 1931. They had:

1 Doxie Oliver Tidwell: b 15 Jan. 1885, m 7 Sept. 1919 Maggie Reed. They had:

a Earl Eugene Tidwell: b 29 Aug. 1920, died 17 Feb. 1923.

b Emma Virgilene Tidwell: b 6 Feb. 1922.

c Flora Arnel Tidwell: b 3 Jan. 1925.

d Helen Margaret Tidwell: b 23 Jan. 1927.

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2 Emma Edna Tidwell: b 12 Sept. 1886, m 9 Dec. 1909 E. G. Cox, b Jan. 1, 1866. They had:  
a, John Willie Cox: b 8 Jan. 1910.  
b Myrna Louise Cox: b 19 Jan. 1911.  
c Mary Lynn Cox: b 19 Feb. 1923, died 19 Feb. 1923.

3 Beulah M. Tidwell: b 16 Aug. 1888, m 29 Jan. 1911 Henry Irskin Grigsby. They had:  
a Herman Lester Grigsby: b 2 Jan. 1912.  
b Annie Rubie Grigsby: b 25 Jan. 1913.  
c Vernice Elvie Grigsby: b 25 Aug. 1915, m 25 July 1931 William Hershal Dial.  
d Hershal Grigsby: b 26 July 1916.  
e William Lloyd Grigsby: b 6 May 1918.  
f Chester Brooks Grigsby: b 27 Nov. 1923, died 29 Nov. 1925.  
g Paul Ellis Grigsby: b 13 May 1925.  
h Mattie Ruth Grigsby: b 11 Mar. 1929.

4 Mattie Tidwell: b 26 Aug. 1897, m 27 Feb. 1921 John Myrick. They had:  
a Myrtle Lee Myrick: b 2 June 1923.  
b Agnes L. (anerm?) Myrick: b 9 Aug. 1925.  
c Elmer Dee Myrick: b 3 Sept. 1927.  
d Edward Earl Myrick: b 26 Jan. 1930.

5 Ella Tidwell: b 29 July 1899, m 17 Aug. 1919 Ray M. Cox. They had:  
a Lucius Dee Cox: b 15 June 1920.  
b Elizabeth Ann Cox: b 12 Mar. 1928.

6 Richard Tidwell: b 25 Feb. 1901, m 3 Sept. 1922 Louise Gist, b. 1907. They had:  
a Kenneth Tidwell: b 16 July 1923.  
b Carl Tidwell: b 4 May 1925.  
c Charles Tidwell: b 19 Nov. 1928.

7 Annie Laurie Tidwell: b 27 Oct. 1910.

viii Nancy Edna: b 1871, m Jan. 1894 B. S. Richardson, b 18-. Reside near Florence, Ala. They had:

1 Samuel Jackson Richardson: b 9 Jan. 1896, deceased.

2 Hugh Bly Richardson: b 29. May 1897, m 17 Feb. 1918 Tessie Irene Behel. They had:  
a Elmer Carl Richardson: b 2 Dec. 1918.  
b William Theophilus Richardson: b 16 Jan. 1922.  
c Dorothy Exine Richardson: b 13 July 1924.

3 Lonie C. Richardson: b 9 Dec. 1898, m 1915 Homer F. Behel. They had:  
a Clifford McKiney Behel: b 18 Dec. 1919.  
b Raymond McKiney Behel: b 1 Feb. 1923.  
c Edgar Lee Behel: b 14 Nov. 1924.

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d John Lee Behel: b 11 Oct. 1931.

4 Omie Mae Richardson: b 23 May 1901, m 1920 Dewey King. They had

a Idell King: b 18 Oct. 1921.

b Doris King: b 11 Sept. 1923.

c Audie King: b 22 Feb. 1926.

ix Samuel Casper: b 1873. Living 1931, no information as to his family.

x Maxie Lee: b 1877, died unmarried.

347 WILLIAM G. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 4 February 1834. He enlisted 25 November 186- in Wayne County, Tennessee as Private B, Biffie's Battalion Tennessee Infantry, C. S. A. Captured Lawrence County, Tenn. 3 December 1863 sent to Louisville, Kentucky 5 December 1863 and to Rock Island, Illinois 18 December 1863. Was in hospital Rock Island 11. April 1864 with "Mumps." Record shows born in Lauderdale County, Alabama, five feet and ten inches in height, blue eyes and light hair. No further military record. He married (1) after 1870 Ella Wallace, she died and he married (2) prior to 1884 Jennie Herman, she died after 1888 and he married (3) Nellie Wort. Resided Lauderdale County, Alabama where he died 12 June 1912.

Children: (2d wife)

i William Herman: b 9 Sept. 1884, unmarried 1931.

ii Chester Mae: b 10 May 1886, m 1 Jan. 1913 J. D. McClure. They had

1 Reba Imogene McClure: b 24, July 1919.

2 Elsie Irene McClure: b 6 July 1921.

3 Thelma Mae McClure: b 4 Oct. 1927.

iii McArthur: b 8 Jan. 1868. Served in Co. E, 151 Inf., transferred to Co. I, 116 Inf. and in France in World War. He m 22 Feb. 1923 Vernon Young. They had:

1 Millard Horace: b 2 Feb. 1924.

2 James Marshall: b 22 Jan. 1926.

3 William Eugene: b 1 Apr. 1930.

348 ELIJAH (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Georgia in 1818 and probably in Franklin County. He migrated to Alabama and married prior to 1844 Nancy (Spencer ?), born Georgia in 1818. Resided in Benton County in 1850 then moved to Jefferson County where they were both living in 1870 and he was engaged in farming.

Children:

i Spencer: b 1846.

- ii William: b 1847.
- iii Elender: b 1849, died in 1850's.
- iv Elizabeth: b 1853. Living 1870 a^m.
- v Josephine: b 1855, died in 1860'x. vi Martha Jane: b 1859.

349 HENRY HUGH (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Pendleton District, South Carolina, in 1820, moved to Rabun County, Georgia with his parents. He migrated to Pickens District, South Carolina about 1840 and married there (1) prior to 1843 Ann Collins, born South Carolina in 1822, she died in 1854 and he married (2) Minerva Bradford, born South Carolina in 1832. They moved to Cherokee County, Alabama about 1861 where he engaged in farming, both were living in 1880

Children:

- i James: b 1843 S. C., moved to Ala. with his parents and, later moved to Roane Co., Tenn. about 1867-68 where he m Eliza Fox, b Tenn. in 1836, a widow who had two children at the time of this marriage. He was a farmer and resided in Roane and Loudon Cos., Tenn. No children by this marriage. They had:
  - 1 Caroline Fox: b 1858 Step daughter.
  - 2 Nannie Fox: b 1860 Step daughter.

- ii Andrew: b 1845. He was a school teacher, m in 1870 Dorothy b S. C. 1846. Resided Oconee Co., S. C. in 1870.
- iii Sarah J.: b 1849 S. C., m 1870 Joseph Sparks, b Ala. In 1847, resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had:
  - 1 Alice W. Sparks: b 1872.
  - 2 George W. Sparks: b 1875.
  - 3 William R. Sparks: b 1878.

- iv Anne: b 1852. Living 1870.
- v John R.: b 1854 S. C., m 1873 Angeline, b Ala. 1855. Resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had:
  - 1 Rosela: b 1874.
  - 2 Minerva: b 1876.
  - 3 Hugh Ginshaw: b 1879.

- vi Tennessee: b 1857 2d wife, she m 1875 Thomas Woodard, S. C. 1847, resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had, known:
  - 1 Olivia Woodard: b 1876.
  - 2 Jessie Woodard: b 1877.
  - 3 David Woodard: b 1879.

- vii Mary L.: b 1859, m a Mr. Smith.

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viii Barbara: b-1861 Ala., m 1879 George Allread, b Ga. 1858, resided Cherokee Co., Ala. They had, known:  
1 Edward Allread : b May 1880.

ix Laura: b 1865 Ala.

x Franklin: b -1871 Ala.

350 JAMES B. (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 5, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Rabun County, Georgia in 1824. He married prior to 1854 Elizabeth, daughter of William and Martha Bynum born in 1835. See Number 72. He served as Private in Cannon's Co., 4th Georgia Cavalry, C. S. A. On a roll not dated. He was a farmer, both were living in 1880 and resided in Rabun County, Georgia.

Children: (known)

i Andrew M.: b 1854.

ii James Newton: b 1856.

iii John: b 1858.

iv Americus A.: b Feb. 1860.

v Bly Cannon: b 1862.

vi Elmira Martha: b 1864.

vii Nancy Lou Ellen: b 1868.

viii Mary M.: b Jan. 1870.

ix Juan W.: b 1872.

x Robert Lee: b 1874.

xi Rhoda E.: b 1876.

351 ERNEST GORDON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(*John D. 7, John, P. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Virginia 5 Dec. 1856, moved to Todd County, Kentucky with his parents about 1860, then moved to Orange County, Virginia with them about 1863 and later to Culpeper County, Virginia where he married 8 December 1887 Mary Hall, born Virginia in 18-, she was deceased in 1931 and he resided in Richmond, Virginia.

Children:

i Henry Ernest: b 27 Sept. 1888, m Pearl Haskins, he died at Lynchburg, Va. 8 Feb. 1914.

ii John Lynn: b 14 July 1892. Served in World War, was in camp at Anniston, Ala. where he met and married (1) Susan Black, a divorcee, and she returned to her parents. He later moved to Chicago, Ill. and married (2). He died 13. Mar. 1929. They had, 1st. wife:

1 Robert: b 19-.

2 Son: b 19-.

iii Robert William: b 26 Sept. 1898, m Mabel McIntosh, reside Richmond, Va.

iv Annie Lee: b 26 Aug. 1901, m 25 Oct. 1930 E. A. Cunningham.

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352 ADDISON GORDON (8) BILLINGSLEY

(John D. 7, John P. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward %, Francis 1.) Born Orange County, Virginia 16 March 1872, moved to Culpeper County, Virginia with his father. Served in the Spanish American War. He married Oct. 1901 Ellie Annis Leavell, born 18-, daughter of William T. and Fanny Leavell. She died 10 May 1914. He survives her, is a member of the Elks, and Sons of Confederate Veterans. Family Episcopalians. He resides Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Children:

i Frances Lee: b 18 Oct. 1902, d 18 Nov. 1922.

ii John Dabney: b 3 Nov. 1904. Graduated from West Point in 1925, was Lieut. of Field Artillery in 1931.

iii Sarah Elizabeth: b 21 Mar. 1908.

iv William Barber: b 6 Apr. 1910.

v Addison Gordon, Jr.: b 26 Jan. 1912.

vi Ernest Leavell: b 9 Apr. 1914.

353 LESLIE OGLE (8) BILLINGSLEY

(Joseph Z. F. 7, Joseph A. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.) Born King George County, Virginia 12 October. 1863, moved to Washington, D. C. with his parents about 1871. He married 25 January 1880 Emma Frances Magee, born Washington, D. C. 12 February 1867, resided Washington, D. C. where he died 2 Juice 1927, she survives him.

Children

i James Herndon (9) : b 9 Dec. 1881.

ii Lucy Belle: b 24 July 1885, m 21 Jan. 1913 August Schmidt, b D. C. 17 Aug. 1885. Reside Washington, D. C. They had:

1 Dorothy Augusta Schmidt: b 9 Nov. 1913.

2 Thelma Elfrida, Schmidt: b 7 Oct. 1919.

iii Lula Lee: b 24 July 1885, a twin, died 26 May 1899.

iv Sadie Mildred: b 9 Mar. 1887, m Arthur Thorpe, she died 18 Oct. 1918 sine prole.

v Almira Virginia: b 17 Nov. 1889, m Walter McCormick, she died 1 May 1929 sine prole.

vi Edna Marie: b 8 Nov. 1891, m June 1916 at Baltimore, Md. Clayton B. Donaldson, reside Mt. Rainier, Md. They had:

1 Burton Ogle Donaldson: b 1919.

2 Clayton B. Donaldson, Jr.: b 1921.

3 Celesta Camille Donaldson: b 1924.

4 Lorain Marie Donaldson: b 1927.

5 Doris Elizabeth Donaldson: b 1929.

6 Rose Ella Donaldson: b 1931.

vii Leslie Ogle, Jr.: b 16 Oct. 1892.

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viii Joseph Franklin: b 16 Oct. 1892, a twin; died aet. 5 days.

ix Frank Leslie: b 1894, died aet. 20 months.

x Bessie: b 189- died aet 2 years, of whooping cough.

xii Ethel Lillian: b 28 Nov. 1901, m Raymond L. Belfield, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

1 Raymond L. Belfield, Jr.

2 Iola Belfield.

xii Elsie Mae: b 8 Sept. 1903, m Irving R. Armstrong, reside Washington, D. C. They had:

1 Geraldine Armstrong: b 1923.

354 WILLIAM TRAVIS (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jonathan 8, Samuel 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.)* Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 5 July 1827, moved to Putnam County, Indiana with his parents and returned to Bledsoe County, Tennessee with them about 1837. He married 24 January 1849 Malinda Miller, born in 1813 in Monroe County, Kentucky, daughter of Thomas Miller, a native of Sullivan County, Tennessee. Thomas Miller resided in Monroe County, Kentucky some 15 years then returned to Tennessee and died in McMinn County aged 50 years, his widow moved to Grayson County, Texas with her daughter where she died in 1854. They resided in Bradley County, Tennessee to 1852 then moved to Grayson County, Texas where he owned a farm of 100 acres in 1889. A sketch of him states he never served in public office except as Justice of the Peace, that he served three years as Private Company I, Captain Diamond, Bolan's Regiment Texas troops in C. S. A. and mostly on the frontier of Texas and in Indian Territory. They later moved to Cook County, Texas where he died in 1900, she survived him a few years and died in 1904 at Gainesville, Texas.

Children:

i Stephen Hicks (10): b 8 Dec. 1849 Tenn.

ii Mary Malinda: b ca 1851, m John S. Ballard, she was living in 1931 and resided Phoenix, Ariz. No information obtainable.

iii Hannah E.: b 185-, died infancy.

355 JOHN FOWLER (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jesse 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Blount County, Alabama 7 November. 1828, moved to Mississippi with his parents about 1845. He married at Athens, Alabama, 4 February 1851, Mary Ann Ragle, born Alabama 30 June 1830, resided Pontotoc County, Mississippi. He enlisted 5 March 1862 as Private B, 41st Mississippi Infantry, C. S. A. On a roll Prisoner of War surrendered at Citronelle, Alabama 4 May 1865, paroled 16 May 1865. Resided Lee County, Mississippi to 1883 then moved to Parker County, Texas where



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he engaged in farming till, his death 14 March 1905, she survived him some years and died 2 December 1917. Family members of the Christian church in which he served as Elder for some 35 years.

Children:

i William L.: b 7 Jan. 1852, m Harriet C. Johnson, he died sine prole in 1915, Parker Co., Tex.

ii Parthenia R.: b 10 Mar. 1853, died Jan. 1862.

iii Walter S.: b 2 Dec. 1854 Miss., m (1) prior to 1880 Catherine Adams, b Pa. 1855, moved to Texas where she died sine prole and he m (2) Clara Jackaway. He died 30 June 1931 at Dallas, Tex. Said to have been 6 children, known are:

1 Marion: b 1-, m Pearl , reside Dallas, Tex.

2 Thelma: b 1-.

3 Nora: b 1-.

iv Martha M.: b 9 May 1857, she m Parker Co., Tex., 18 Nov. 1886 John H. Robertson, b Johnson Co., Mo., 9 Oct. 1847, she died 14 Dec. 1920, and he died 5 Feb. 1932, resided Breckenridge, Tex. They had:

1 Charlie E. Robertson: b 12 Sept. 1887, m 14 Aug. 1910 at Crystal Falls, Tex. Wiley Atkins, reside El Centro, Calif. They had:

a Evelyn Robertson: b 19 July 1915 Young Co., Tex.

2 John J. Robertson: b 31 Jan. 1889, m 17 Jan. 1909 at Crystal Falls, Tex. Maffie Hopper, reside Ontario, Calif. They had:

a Vernon Robertson: b 1 Jan. 1910, died Nov. 1910.

b Laverne Robertson: b 10 Dec. 1911 Young Co., Tex. She m , reside Ontario, Calif.

c Estelle Robertson: b 21 Oct. 1914.

3 Clarence A. Robertson: b 20 Oct. 1890, m Aug. 1916 in Young Co., Tex. Leona Lilly, reside Brawley, Calif. They had:

a Child: b May 1917, died May 1917.

b Mildred Robertson: b 29 Aug. 1921 Tex.

c John Robertson: b 13 Sept. 1923 Tex.

d Clarence Alton Robertson: b 7 Feb. 1933 Calif.

4 Eunice Robertson: b 1 Nov. 1892 Young Co., Tex., she m 23 Dec. 1917 at Breckenridge, Tex. T. M. Allen, b Hunt Co., Tex. 7 Dec. 1884. She has furnished information on this family. Reside Breckenridge, Tex. They had:

a T. H. Allen, Jr.: b 4 July 1920.

b Elvis Wayne Allen: b 9 Apr. 1924.

c Beryl Dene Allen: b B Oct. 1928.

d Rayford Troy Allen: b 24 Oct. 1931.

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5 Clytie Robertson: b 6 Apr. 1894, died 30 Apr. 1912.

6 Onie Robertson: b 24 Apr. 1896, died 14 Jan. 1911.

v James M.: b 4 Feb. 1859 Miss., died 20 Mar. 1914 Texas unmarried.

vi George W.: b 20 Mar. 1860 Miss., died 1860.

vii Sarah E.: b 24 Sept. 1861 Miss., died 18 July 1912, Tex., unmarried.

viii Jesse Fowler: b 7 Nov. 1864 Lee Co., Miss., moved to Tex. with his parents in 1883. He married 2 Jan. 1896 Ella Denny, resided Collin Co. for 2 years, Hall Co. for 6 years and then moved to Harper, Kan. about 1919 where he is engaged in farming. Family members of Christian church. He furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Laurence: b 1896. Is a school teacher, resides Hooker, Okla.

2 John: b 17 June 1900.

3 William: b 27 Aug. 1904.

4 Herschel: b 15 Apr. 1907.

5 Sylvester: b 2 Apr. 1909 deceased. ix John E.: b 14 Apr. 1866, died 21 Aug. 1868 Miss. x Benjamin Franklin: b 25 Dec. 1868 Miss., moved to Tex. with his parents. He married 30 Dec. 1914 Martha Sarah Mae Blackman, b Tex.

18-. He is a farmer, member of Odd Fellows, family members of Christian church. He has furnished information on the family, reside Floresville, Tex. They had:

1 Frances Rachel: b 191-.

xi Mary Lovenia: b 10 Feb. 1871 Miss., moved to Tex. with her parents where she married Joseph Adams, b 18-, she died 20 Sept. 1931 in Texas, said to have had 8 children, living in 1933 were:

1 Gertrude Adams: b 1-, m a Mr. Hazlewood, reside Caddo, Tex.

2 Roy Adams.

3 Leonard Adams.

4 Lois Adams: resides Caddo, Tex. xii Samuel Meriam: b 22 Oct. 1874 Miss., moved to Texas with his parents where he married 21 Dec. 1902 Effie A. Wynn, b 18-, .they reside Poolsville, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Gladys Ola: b 27 Apr. 1904, m 15 Sept. 1920 W. F. Gilliland, reside Weatherford, Tex.

2 Ernest Carl: b 18 Aug. 1910.

xiii Jephtha Buford: b 20 Oct. 1875 Miss., died Sept. 1876.

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356 JAMES E. MATHIS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Blount County, Alabama in 1832, moved to Fayette County, Alabama with his parents. He married in 1860 in Mississippi Lucy Aker, born Alabama in 1837. He enlisted 28 Apr. 1862 in Fayette County, Alabama as Private I, 43d Alabama Infantry, C. S. A.; wounded and furloughed 30 June to 31 December 1863; 4th Corporal 18 January 1864; on 15 December 1864 retired to Invalid Corps; a roll dated February 1865 shows a. w. o. I. (writing illegible). On a list of paroles dated 13 May 1865. They resided Tishmingo County, Mississippi and later moved to Fulton County, Arkansas where he died 4 December 1907, she. died in Arkansas but it is not stated if prior to or -after 1907. He was a minister in the Christian church.

Children:

i George A.: b 1 Feb. 1867 Tishmingo Co., Miss., moved to Ark. with his parents and m 12 Sept. 1897 in Fulton Co., Ark. Susie Rudasill, b Miss. 18-, he is a farmer and resides Glencoe, Ark. He has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Blanche: b 11 Feb. 1901, m C. E. Cozort, reside Crawford, Neb.

2 Gertie: b 29 Feb. 1905, m O. W. Langston, reside Fulton Co., Ark.

3 Luther Archie: b 19 Aug. 1909.

ii Daisy D.: b 7 Oct. 1870 Tishmingo Co., Miss., she m in Ark. J. T. Tucker, she died 16 Jan. 1924, he died Dec. 1929, resided Heart, Ark. They had:

1 Georgia Tucker: b 1-,resides Bagwell, Tex.

2 Earnest Tucker: b 1-,resides Heart, Ark.

3 Roy Tucker: b 1-,resides Kittle, Ark.

4 Carl Tucker: b 1-,resides Bagwell, Texas.

5 Earl Tucker, b 1-,resides Bagwell, Texas.

6 Clarence Tucker: b 1-,resides Bagwell, Texas.

357 CLAYTON W. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Blount County, Alabama ill 1839, ;moved to Fayette County, Alabama with his parents. He enlisted 28 April 1862 in Fayette County, Alabama as Private I, 43d Alabama Infantry, C. S. A. A roll dated 28 February 1865 shows: "A. W. O. L. 4 September 1864, reported to U. S. Forces 28 December 1864, took oath of Allegiance 3 January 1865 and transportation given to Chicago, Ill." No further record. He came home, moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi where he married about 1866 Melvinia M. Lindsey, born Mississippi in 1844 and a daughter of Holland Lindsey. They moved to Fulton County, Arkansas in the 1880's

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and later moved to Texas and then moved. to Oklahoma where he died in 1923, she survived him a few years and was deceased before July 1930.

Children:

i Luther A. (10): b 1867

ii Ida L.: b 1870 Tishmingo Co., Miss., she m William Estes, reside, Tulsa, Okla. They had:

- 1 Carl Estes.
- 2 Pearl Estes.
- 3 Ernest Estes: died small.
- 4 Ruby Estes.
- 5 Minnie Estes.
- 6 Edgar Estes.
- 7 Roy Estes.

iii Martha: b 1872 Miss., she m J. T. Estes, residence not stated, probably Okla. They had:

- 1 Lee Estes.
- 2 Lillian Estes.
- 3 Florence Estes..
- 4 Effie Estes.
- 5 Beatrice Estes.
- 6 Lester Estes.
- 7 Faye Estes.
- 8 Pansy Estes.

iv Arthur L.: b 1875 Tishmingo Co., Miss., he m Nora Estes, they reside Seminole, Okla. No children. They adopted:

- 1 Ralph: b 1910 (adopted in 1913).

v Minnie Louvina: b 4 Aug. 1878 Tishmingo Co., Miss., she m 6 Feb. 1898 Fulton Co., Ark. George W. Tucker, b Fulton Co., Ark. 13 Dec. 1874, reside Wichita, Kan. They had

- 1 Myrtle May Tucker: b 19 Nov. 1898, m Jesse Watkins, reside Seminole, Okla.
- 2 Noel Tucker: b 3 Aug. 1903, m Della Ellis, reside Council Hill, Okla.
- 3 Luther Tucker: b 21 Dec. 1907.

vi Ranzy B. (10) : b 1883.

358 JOHN BIRDINE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born near Millport, Alabama 16 September 1844. He enlisted 28 April 1862 as Private I, 43d Alabama Infantry, C. S. A.; wounded at Drewry's Bluff 16 May 1864, in hospital 17 May 1864 and thigh amputated by Surgeon Hilliard of the 59th Alabama. On 20 July 1864 he applied for an artificial leg. No further record. He moved to Mississippi end located in Tishmingo County before 1870. He married in 1872 Nancy

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Lovina Lindsey, born in Alabama 21 September 1846, and believed to have been a widow Smith who had a daughter, Sally, b in 1868, at the time of this marriage. She was a daughter of Holland Lindsey, born South Carolina in 1808 and Sallie, born Tennessee in 1809. John B. Billingsley is listed in the census of 1880 with occupation of shoemaker, and was the enumerator for the 5th District of Tishmingo County. He became a minister in the Christian church and died at Marietta, Mississippi 3 September 1893, she survived him a few years and died in October 1895.

Children:

i Claudius Elliott: b 1873, m Mellie Franks. He died in 1909 and she m (2) a Mr. Gresham, he was deceased prior to 1932, she survives and resides Wheeler, Miss. They had:

1 Robert Lee: b 1-, m (1), she died Feb. 1932 and he m (2) June 1932 Sue Helen Walker, reside Wheeler, Miss. where he is connected with the High School They had:

a Daughter: b 1-.

b Sons: b Feb. 1932, twins.

2 Leland: b 1-.

ii Lilly Maria: b 1875, m Dr. J. S. Wheeler, she died in 1901.

iii Esther Odella: b 1877, m J. Luther Waters, reside San Benito, Tex. They had:

1 Lenno Ruth Waters: b 1-; died aet. 3 years.

2 Willie Dee Waters: b 1-, m Preston Henry, reside San Benito, Tex.

3 Carroll Waters: b 1-, m, reside San Benito, Tex., have 3 children.

4 Louise Waters: b 1-, m a Mr. Norman, reside Austin, Tex., have 2 children.

5 J. Luther Waters, Jr.: b 1-.

8 Clarence Waters: b 1-.

7 Lena Ray Waters: b 1-.

iv Jessie Melvina: b 1879, m T. M. Burns, reside Fort Smith, Ark. They had:

1 Terry Miles Burns: b 1-, m W. W. Trimble, reside Fort Smith, Ark.

v Clarence Birdine: b 4 Apr. 1882. He states that after the death of his mother the orphans staid together on the farm, made crops and all went to school. He began teaching at 17 years of age and taught for 4 years, between sessions sold wire stretchers, fruit trees, and books; at 21 went to Macon, Ga. and graduated in book keeping and worked 8 months. in Central of Georgia freight office. In 1903 he took a travelling position with P. F. Collier

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& Sons, and after 2 years, entered the medical school of the University of Tennessee, graduated M.D. in 1910. Practiced at Rienzi, Miss. for 3 years, moved to Cowlington, Okla. where he married 1 June 1916 Mary C. Harbour, b 1 Feb. 1899, youngest daughter of Dr. I. T. Harbour, of Cameron, Okla. In 192-1 took a post graduate course at Tulane University in pediatrics and obstetrics. In 1925 joined the Holt-Knock Clinic at Fort Smith, Ark. He is a member of the local and American Medical Society; on the staff of three local hospitals; dean of Nursing St. John's Hospital and professor of Pediatrics and Obstetrics; Secretary and Treasurer Arkansas Christian Home (Orphans) which he and his sister established in 1926; elder Park Hill Christian church; is a 32 degree Mason, and member of Mystic Shrine and the Eastern Star. Reside Fort Smith, Ark. He has furnished much of the information on this family. They had:

1 La Verne: b 28 Aug. 1918.

2 Betty; b 29 Feb. 1924.

vi Florence May: b 1884, m Mark Mullinix, reside San Bonito, Tex. They had:

1 Mary Mullinix: b 1-, m a Mr. Shipp, reside San Bonito, Tex., they have one child.

2 Margaret Mullinix: b 1-, m a Mr. Taliaferro, reside San Bonito, Tex.

3 Daughter: b 1-, m Forrest Rennells, reside San Bonito, Tex.

4 Lillian Mullinix: b 1-.

5 Fay Mullinix: b 1-.

6 Robert Mullinix: b 1-.

7 Ralph Mullinix: b 1-.

vii Taxie Selena: b 1887, m prior to 1921 Rev. Glenn E. Green. He is pastor of the 4th & State Sts. Christian church, Little Rock, Ark. They had:

1 Martha Lou Green: b 1921.

2 Mary Sue Green: b 1926.

viii Leo Wellington: b 1890, died 1892.

#### 359 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayette County, Alabama 18 January 1846, moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi with his parents and married (1) about 1869 Ella Kennedy, born Mississippi in 1845, she died 1870-71 and he married (2) in 1872 Catherine Campbell Morrison, born Alabama 18 October 1846. They moved to Arkansas and later to Breckenridge, Texas

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where he died in 1925, she survived him and died at Charlie, Texas 27 January 1931.

Children:

i J. F. (Jack): b 1 June 1873 Tishmingo Co., Miss. He m 23 Dec. 1910 at Frankston, Tex. Nancy Prather, b 18-, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. They had:

1 Lena: b 1911.

2 Knox: b 1913 at Dallas, Tex.

ii Granville L.: b 1875 Tishmingo Co., Miss. He m 1914 at Fratakstoci, Tex. May Slaughter, b 15- at Frankston, Tex. He conducts a public gill and resides Frankston, Tex. They had:

1 Gwendolyn: b 1916.

2 Reba Joe: b 1918.

3 Dixie: b 1920.

4 Sonny Boy: b 1927.

iii Price W.: b 1877 Miss. He is a minister in the Christian Church and is active in evangelistic work. He m Nettie and reside Memphis, Tenn. We have been informed they have two adopted children. He has ignored every request for information on this subject and has been written to by some 5 or more different persons including his own brothers one of whom states Price has been collecting family records for some years.

iv Carries b 1879, died 14 May 1903.

v Oscar: b 1851, died 22 Mar. 1902.

vi Birdie: b 1853, m 1905 John Greer, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.

vii Effie: b 1889, m 1907 at Anson, Tex. Bert Gamble, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.

360 NEWTON KENDRICK (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayette County, Alabama 22 May 1845, moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi with his parents where he married 10 October 1872 at Burnsville, Paralee Coker, born Bibb County, Alabama 5 May 1847, resided in Mississippi to about 1896-7 when they moved to Texas, both were living in 1931 and resided Anson, Texas.

Children:

i Noah Mathis: b 10 Jan. 1874 Tishnango Co., Miss. He married 1 Sept. 1896 Virginia Ellen Nix, b Prentiss Co., Miss. 31 May 1871, they moved to Cass Co., Tex. before 1903 where she died 24 June 1911, he survives her and resides Anson, Tex. They had:

1 Ola Virginia: b 30 Nov. 1903. She has furnished much of the information on this family.

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2 Noah Claude: b 27 Mar. 1907, m 4 Sept. 1929 Gladys Tomlin, reside Anson, Tex. They had:

a Claude Edwin: b 28 Nov. 1930.

ii Virginia: b 24 Apr. 1876, m (1) Lee Bolton, he died in 1907 and she m (2) John Berry, reside Anson, Tex. They had:

1 Daughter Bolton: b 1--, m a Mr. Food.

2 Son Bolton: b 1-, died small.

3 Son Berry.

4 Son Berry.

5 Daughter Berry.

iii Fannie, b 8 July 1878, m App Anderson, reside Anson, Tex., said to have 10 children.

iv William Walter: b 24 Feb. 1880, m in 1907 Cynthia Davis, reside Tex., place not stated. They had:

1 George: b 190- (daughter).

2 Pearl: b 19-.

3 Annie: b 19-.

v Pearl: b 19 Feb. 1882, m George Cartright, she died in 1921, left 9 children, residence not stated.

vi Lafayette: b 28 May 1884, m in 1909 Minnie Woodruff, reside Anson, Tex. They had:

1 Lottie Ruth: b 191-.

2 J. N.: b 19- (son).

3 Clyde: b 19-.

4 Murry John: b 19-.

5 Oleta: b 19-.

vii Lillie: b 25 Apr. 1886, m Albert Anderson, she died 1919, left a daughter.

361 JESSE SIMEON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jeptha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis t.*) Born Fayette County, Alabama 8 March 1851, moved to Mississippi with his parents where he married about 1873 Martha M. Cromer, born Abbeville, South Carolina 14 November 1847. They moved to Fannin County, Texas in 1890 and after a short time moved to Indian Territory, now Oklahoma, and spent the remainder of their days. He died 7 October 1924 and she died 26 April 1930, resided at Frederick, Oklahoma.

Children:

i Oliver: b 1 Sept. 1874 Tishmingo Co., Miss. He married at Caddo, Okla. 16 Jan. 1897 Effie Mae Rust, b Brownwood, Tex. 27 Feb. 1878, reside Frederick, Okla. They had

1 Blanche: b 30 Dec. 1898. She has furnished information on this family.

2 Ethel Mae: b 28 Aug. 1900, m May 1924 Dewey B.



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Russell, b Rex. Feb. 1898, he died 29 Jan. 1931 at Frederick, Okla. They had:

a Bobby Wayne Russell: b 4 June 1927.

3 Ada Myrtle: b 14 June 1902.

4 Allie Irene: b 30 May 1905, in Aug. 1934 Cyrus Harness, reside Ardmore, Okla. They had:

a Ray Dean Harness: b 26 Oct. 1926.

b Patsy Ruth Harness: b 2 Mar. 1925.

4 Child: b 190-, died infancy.

6 Martha: b 27 Jan. 1909.

7 Earl: b 28 Sept. 1911.

8 Minnie: b 24 Mar. 1914.

9 Oletha Fern: b 16 June 1916. ii Mariah: b 187-, died aet. 3 weeks.

iii Jessie Myrtle: b 6 May 1877, m ca 1897 Benjamin Cass Rust, reside Frederick, Okla. They had:

1 Ruby Viola Rust: b 8 Oct. 1899, m 1928 Samuel Bell, reside Frederick, Okla. They had:

a Merna Beth Bell: b 1930.

2 Taxie Ada Rust: b 30 Jars. 1901, m 1920 Clarence B. Etter, reside Davidson, Okla. They had:

a Glenn Etter: b 1921.

b Reva Jean Etter: b 1923.

3 Vera Rust: b 5 Oct. 1903, resides Clovis, N. Mex.

4 Jessie Rust: b 30 Dec. 1905.

5 Son: b 19-, died infancy.

iv Thomas: b 22 Jan. 1879 Miss., moved to Fannin Co., Tex. in 1890. He married 20 Jan. 1920 Myrtle Naomi Cook, at Frankston, Tex. Reside Palo Pinto, Tex. No children. He furnished information on the family.

#### 362 JEREMIAH T. FELENBURG (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jeptha 8, William, 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John Q, Francis 1.)* Born Fayette County, Alabama in 1853, moved to Tishmingo County, Mississippi with his parents. He married prior to 1878 Mollie Butler, born 185-. They moved to Collin County, Texas and later moved to Chillicothe, Texas where they resided in 1932 at which time both were living. Members of the Christian church.

Children:

i Viola: b 8 Mar. 1878 Miss. She m 1 Nov. 1896 Collin Co., Tex. Alonzo Curry, b Lamar Co., Ala. 13 Oct. 1861, reside Blair, Okla. She has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Stella Curry: b 23 Aug. 1897, m Charles E. Barksdale, reside Pueblo, Colo. They had:

a LaVerne Barksdale.

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- b Anita Barksdale.
- c Edwin Barksdale.
- 2 Velma Curry: b 30 July 1899, m B. F. Lacy, reside Blair, Okla. They had:
  - a Sammie Jack Lacy (daughter).
  - b Edna Lee Lacy.
- 3 Lee Curry: b 3 Apr. 1903, resides Oklahoma City, Okla.
- 4 Este Curry: b 22 Aug. 1905, m H. D. McCombs, reside near Blair, Okla.
- 5 Son: b 23 July 1908, living at home 193?, name not stated.

ii William Better: b 1850-81, m prior to 1903 Millie B. b 18-, they moved to Childress Co., Tex. about 1910. He died 15 July 1926 at Kirkland, Tex., she survives him and resides at Childress, Tex. They had:

- 1 Vestal B.: b 7 Aug. 1903, at Brookhaven, Tex., m prior to 1930 Irene C. , reside San Antonio, Tex.
- 2 Diary Thelma: b 190-, m prior to 1930 a Mr. Atchley, reside Stratford, Tex.
- 3 Lois: b 190-, m prior to 1930 a Mr. Christopher, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.
- 4 Robert Warren: b 19-, resides Children:, Tex.

iii Jephtha B.: b 17 Jan. 1883, m Hessie Parks, said to have two sons living, both married, also two daughters living, one deceased, all reside Breckenridge, Tex. iv Elliott R.: b 16 Jan. 1885, m Leone Woods, reside Amherst, Tex. They had:

- 1 Granville Randolph.
- 2 George Donald.
- 3 Jackie Woods.

v Daughter: b 188-, m Edward Brantley, reside Chillicothe, Tex. They had:

- 1 Fay Brantley.
- 2 Janett Brantley.

vi Flossie: b 1889-90, m a Mr. Tipps, reside Childress, Tex. They had

- 1 George David Tipps.
- 2 Joseph Daniel Tipps.

vii J. R.: b 189- (son), deceased before 1930.

## 363 BYRUM LOID (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Blount County, Alabama 6 January 1838, moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi with his parents. He married 13 January 1859 Rebecca Caroline Rammage, born South Carolina 8 February 1835. They went to Texas on their honeymoon and decided to remain, settled

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in Red River County near Clarksville. He enlisted 15 June 1861 as Private Gould's Company Texas State Troops; on a roll dated June 1862; no further record. His son states he was employed in a government shoe factory to the close of the war then returned to his farm where he died 31 October 1857, she survived him and died 20 August 1905.

Children:

i Georgia Ann: b 23 Oct. 1860, died 7 Dec. 1860.

ii William Thomas: b 8 Jan. 1862, died 2:3 July 1864.

iii Rose Ellen: b 20 Aug. 1864, m 29 Nov. 1883 William Skinner, residence not stated, both said to be deceased in 1932. They had:

1 Gertrude Skinner: b 18S-, m Arthur Fadge, last heard from resided Hobart, Okla.

2 Samuel Skinner: b 18S--, m Willie 'Manning, he is said to have died in Los Angeles, Calif., and his widow was living there in 1932.

3 Jesse Skinner: b 18-, m in Okla. Last address was Hartshorn, Okla.

4 Willie Skinner: b 18-, m Edward Broadie, reside Chesley, Okla.

iv Samuel (10) : b 10 Sept. 1868.

v Phebe Luinia: b 16 Jan. 1870, m 18 Dec. 1889, John Rollins, she died 16 Feb. 1892, sine prole.

vi Arthur Lee: b 10 Jan. 1873, died 9 Feb. 1874.

vii Bessie: b 24 Jan. 1875, died 26 Jan. 1875.

viii Addie Elizabeth: b 11 Sept. 1876, m 27 Apr. 1892, Isaac Gregory, she died 11 Sept. 1892, sine prole.

ix Alma: b 11 Aug. 1881, died 25 Nov. 1888.

#### 364 WILLIAM P. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi in 1840. He enlisted 29 November 1861 at Saltillo, as Private F, 2d Mississippi Infantry, C. S. A., for 60 days; present 25 January 1862. No record of a discharge. He enlisted 24 April 1862 as Private F, 31st Mississippi Infantry; Sergeant 1 August 1863; present December 1863; transferred to C. S. Navy at Mobile, Alabama by General Order No. 95, Richmond, Virginia; present April 1864, no further record. He married prior to 1867 Mary Bean, born Mississippi in 1841, they moved to Texas and settled in Red River County where they resided to 1870 then moved to Lamar County and settled near Paris where he died in 1891, she survived him many years and died in 1918. It has been impossible to get any detailed information from any member of this family. The data of the children was furnished by Nannie Billingsley of Lamesa, Texas and is believed to be correct.

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### Children:

i Jessie Ellen: b 1867, m James P. Poteet, reside Dallas, Tex. No information obtainable. They had:

1 Mary Poteet.

2 Benjamin Poteet.

3 Marguerite Poteet.

ii Benjamin L.: b 1869 Red River Co., Tex. Has lived all his life at Paris, Tex. Was connected with the Johnson Billingsley Hardware Co. to about 1925 then became cashier of the American National Bank, still retaining his interest in the store which was and is carried on by two sons. It has been impossible to get any details of his family from him. He married so far as known she was living in 1932. They had:

1 Roland.

2 B. Lloyd.

3 Everett.

4 Clara.

5 Margerie.

iii Phoebe: b 187-, m Joseph Humphrey, reside Dallas, Tex. No information obtainable. Said to have:

1 Joseph Humphrey, Jr.

iv Nora: b 187-, deceased.

## 365 THOMAS JEFFERSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 3, William ?, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 20, Francis 1.*) Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi in 1842. He enlisted 20 August 1862 at Enterprise, Mississippi as Private C, 17th Mississippi Infantry, C. S. A.; on furlough December 1863; present February 1864; a. w. o. 1. April 1864; present January 1865; on Disabled Roll 1 March 1865. No further record. He married January 1875 in Lee County, Mississippi Dolly Powell, born near Montgomery, Alabama in 18-. He died at Poplar Springs, Mississippi in August of 1889, she survived him and died in August of 1898, resided Lee County, Mississippi.

### Children:

i Charles Anderson: b 14 Nov. 1875 Lee Co., Miss. He married at Amory, Miss. 23 Dec. 1903 Ora McKinney, b Amory, Miss. 11 Aug. 1880. He is Station Agent for Frisco-I. C. Railways, resides Jasper, Ala. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Cletus: b 10 Feb. 1905, died 14 Sept. 1905. .

2 Charles Theron: b ? Jan. 1907, died 11 Nov. 1929.

3 Oleta: b 20 Oct. 1909.

ii Etta: b 1878, died 1880.

iii Lee Anna: b 7 Mar. 1880, m in 1910, she died Aug. 1910, a few weeks after her marriage.

iv William Walter: b Jan. 1882, died act. 1 month.

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365 GEORGE M. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi 28 April 1845. He enlisted 29 November 1861 as Private F, 2d Mississippi Infantry, C. S. A., for 60 days. Enlisted 15 March 1862 as Private C 17th 'Mississippi Infantry; absent sick April 1862; wounded 3 July 1863 at Gettysburg; on furlough October 1863; 4th Corporal October 1863; wounded 6 May 1864; 2d Corporal March 1865; in hospital at Richmond, Virginia 3 March 1865 with pneumonia; paroled 15 April 1865 at Lynchburg, Virginia. He married prior to 1870 Amanda J. Price, bore 'Mississippi 6 December, 1850; resided in Lee County from 1870 to 1896 when they moved to Texas and located near Terrell where he died 27 December 1900, she survived him and moved to Oklahoma with her children where she died 11 July 1911 while living at Doyle, Oklahoma.

Children:

i Laving: b May 1870, died 1870's.

ii Louis, Lula: b 8 Aug. 1871, m prior to 1897 Nathan Bradley, b 18--, she died at Sugden, Okla., 11 Nov. 1923.

They had:

1 George Bradley: b 1897, m ca 1916, residence not stated, said to have the following children:

a Inez Bradley.

b George Bradley.

c Ray Bradley.

d Ivon Bradley.

e Beulah Bradley.

f Child.

2 Lee Bradley: b 1899, m 1919, has 3 sons.

3 Annie Bradley: b 1901, m 1922 Buck Stone. They had:

a Aubrey Stone: b 1923.

b Daughter: b 19-, died inf.

4 John Bradley: b 1903, m 1926 They had:

a Laverne Bradley: b 1927.

5 Earl Bradley: b 1905, died Apr. 1923.

6 Maud Bradley: b 1907.

7 Ross Bradley: b 1910, m 1928 have a son.

iii Caroline: b 10 Aug. 1873, died 10 May 1888.

iv Taylor L.: b 20 Aug. 1875 Miss., resides Doyle, Okla., unkm.

v William: b 5 Nov. 1877 Miss. He m (1) 28 Dec. 1900 Minnie Holcomb, b 8 Aug. 1884, she died 22 Sept. 1930 and he m (2) 17 Mar. 1931 Myrtle Ranletto, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had:

1 Jewell: b 20 Nov. 1903, m 1 Mar. 1922 Robert Hall, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

2 Edmund: b 21 July 1905, m Aline Gilcrease, reside Pampa, Tex.

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- 3 Jesse: b 10 May 1909.
- 4 Edith: b 28 Oct. 1911.
- 5 Lillian: b 14 Nov. 1913.
- 6 William: b 10 Feb. 1919.
- vi Edmund E.: b.29 Dec. 1879 Miss., moved to Tex. with his parents. He married 22 Sept. 1901 Stella Applewhite, b 21 Sept. 188:3, reside Doyle, Okla. He has furnished information on this family. They had:
  - 1 John: b 31 Aug. 1902, m 1 July 1921 Julia Southern, reside Doyle, Okla. They had:
    - a Camilla: b 30 May 1925.
    - b Neva Joe: b 4 Aug. 1927.
    - c John, Jr.: b 1 Apr. 1930.
  - 2 Child: b 19 Oct. 1904, died same day.
- 3 Marvin: b 7 Dec. 1900, m 8 Dec. 192 Alta Furr, reside Duncan, Okla. They had:
  - a Ernestine: b 31 Dec. 1926.
  - b Wayne: b 30 'Mar. 1929.
- 4 Grace: b 18 July 1903, m 16 Apr. 1927 Charles Savage, reside Doyle, Okla. They had:
  - a Billie Gene Savage: b 1 Feb. 1935.
- 5 Harriet -Muriel: b 21 Dec. 1910, died 1 July 1920.
- 6 Lois: b 11 Nov. 1913, m 2 Apr. 1929, Marshall Graham, reside Doyle, Okla. They had:
  - a Bettie Lucile Graham: b 6 Feb. 1930.
- 7 Marshall: b 5 Feb. 1917.
- 8 Ernest: b 1 June 1921.
- vii Pearl: b 9 Jan. 1882, m 16 Aug. 1905 Alexander Robinson, b 18-,reside Doyle, Okla. She has furnished information on this family. They had:
  - 1 Calvin Robinson: b 11 Oct. 1907, m 27 Aug. 1927 , residence not stated. They had:
    - a Gary Robinson: b 6 Nov. 1930.
  - 2 Edna Robinson: b 10 May 1909, m 15 Jan. 1928, residence not stated, nor name of husband. They had:
    - a Lorian: b 6 Dec. 1930.
    - b Edna Fay: b 6 May 1932.
  - 3 Francis Robinson: b 29 July 1911, died 15 Sept. 1926.
  - 4 Nettie Robinson: b 28 Oct. 1912.
  - 5 Buster Robinson: b 4 Mar. 1915.
  - 6 Euna Robinson: b ? Sept. 1918.
  - 7 Viola Robinson: b 3 Nov. 1920.
  - 8 Rachel Robinson: b 28 June 1923.
- viii Blanche: b 6 Mar. 1884, m July 190-, Thomas Sanders, reside Doyle, Okla. They had:

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1 Jesse Sanders: b 16 May 1906, m 1919, reside Doyle, Okla. They had  
a Edward Sanders: b 16 June 1930. Twins.  
b Derwood Sanders: b 16 June 1930.

ix Jessie: b 8 Jan. 1886, m 9 Jan. 1910 Jesse Beacham, reside Fort Smith, Ark. They had:

- 1 Cecil Beacham: b 31 Oct. 1910.
- 2 Raymond Beacham: b 6 Aug. 1912.
- 3 Muriel Beacham: b 9 July 1914.
- 4 Eunice Beacham: b 12 Mar. 1916.
- 5 J. W. Beacham: b 14 Mar. 1924.
- 6 Jackie Beacham: b 6 Aug. 1927.

x Ozell: b 27 July 1888 m 11r. 1907 John Perkins, she died 21 Nov. 1928, residence not stated. They had:

- 1 Thelma Perkins: b 17 Aug. 1905.
- 2 Cecil Perkins: b 29 Nov. 1916.
- 3 Imogene Perkins: b 15 Apr. 1920.
- 4 Mary Jane Perkins: b 10 Feb. 1924.

xi Benjamin: b 11 June 1893, m Dec. 1917 Emma Hope, reside Doyle, Okla. They had:

- 1 Hollers: b 9 June 1921.
- 2 Pauline: b 4 Aug. 1922.
- 3 Don: b 10 Mar. 1925.
- 4 Oleta: b 4 Feb. 1927. ) Twins.
- 5 Juanita: b 4 Feb. 1927.
- 6 George Loy: b 3 May 1929.

366 ANNIE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi 1 September 1853. She married 15 November 1870 Reverend Stephen Wiley Price, born Mississippi 29 October 1851. He died 22 October 1911 and she died 14 January 1931. He was a Mason. Resided in Pontotoc and Lee Counties, Mississippi.

Children:

i James Leroy Price: b 8 Jan. 1872, died 10 Oct. 1873.

ii Inez A. Price: b 27 Aug. 1874, m 30 Oct. 1895 H. A. Wardlaw, she died 13 Sept. 1910, resided Miss. They had:

- 1 Clarence M. Wardlaw: resides Amory, Miss.
- 2 Wiley Wardlaw.
- 3 John L. Wardlaw.
- 4 Grace Wardlaw: m Robert Moore, reside Baldwin, Miss.
- 5 Jimmie Lou Wardlaw.

iii Benjamin A. Price: b 12 Nov. 1876, m Ella Duke, reside Algoma, Miss. No children.

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iv Eudora C. Price: b 19 July 1878, m J. H. Scruggs, she died 5 Feb. 1919, resided Miss. They had:

- 1 Roy Price Scruggs: resides Algoma, Miss.
- 2 Hulon Scruggs: in U. S. Navy 1931.
- 3 Claude Scruggs: deceased.
- 4 William T. Scruggs: resides Shannon, Miss.
- 5 Helen Scruggs: resides Shannon, Miss.
- 6 Jennie May Scruggs: resides Shannon, Miss.

v Wiley Franklin Price: b 4 Apr. 1882, died 10 Sept. 1886. vi Samuel Price: b 21 Sept. 1889, m Mar. 1906 Mary Patton, reside New Augusta, Miss. They had:

- 1 Annie F.. Price.
- 2 Aleen Price.
- 3 Katie Lee Price.
- 4 John V. Price.
- 5 Jane Price.
- 6 Mary Sue Price.
- 7 Jack Price.

vii Ida Louella Price: b 12 July 1890 Pontotoc Co., Miss., m 10 Nov. 1907 Sint B. McCord, b Pontotoc Co., Miss. 14 Dec. 1886. He is a Mason. She has furnished information on this family. Reside Blue Springs, Miss. They had:

- 1 Erskin Lamar McCord: b 19 Aug. 1908, died 27 Sept. 1910.
- 2 Mary Inez McCord: b 2 June 1910.
- 3 Albert Craig McCord: b 11 Sept. 1912.
- 4 Everett Hoyle McCord: b 16 Aug. 1911.
- 5 Ralph Porter McCord: b 21 Dec. 1916.
- 6 Irvin Gambrell McCord: b 5 June 1919.
- 7 Mildred Elizabeth McCord: b 28 Aug. 1923.
- 8 Lewis Tare McCord: b 8 Feb. 1931.

viii Bettie Price: b 19 July 1892, m Feb. 1909 James P. Caldwell, reside Pontotoc, Miss. They had:

- 1 Horace Caldwell.
- 2 Lucille Caldwell.
- 3 Frank Caldwell.
- 4 Gladys Caldwell.
- 5 Ola Doris Caldwell.
- 6 Dorman Caldwell.
- 7 Era Francis Caldwell.
- 8 Robert Wayne Caldwell.

ix Nannie Price: b 9 July 1895, m Haley Anderson, reside Tupelo, Miss. No mention of any children.



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367 WILLIAM CAMPBELL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elijah 3, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 1., William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bibson County, Tennessee 8 January 1829, moved to Mississippi, Iowa, and Utah with his parents. He married 11 March 1853 at Provo, Utah, Elizabeth Caroline Ivie, born Caldwell County, Missouri 6 November 1837. He was active in mining and industrial circles in Beaver County, Utah. She died 28 July 1901, he survived her a few years and passed on 18 November 1907 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Children:

i Elida Anna: b 9 Jan. 1856, she in (1) 28 Jan. 1874 Alexander Shaw Locherie, b Glasgow, Scotland in 1850, he died Jan. 189- at Bishop, Calif., and she m (2) 9 Apr. 1901 Dr. George H. Fennemore, he died 2 June 1912, she died at Beaver City, Utah 22 Mar. 1931. They had:

1 Idona Elizabeth Locherie: b 2 June 1875.

2 Harry Campbell Locherie: b 1877.

3 Frederick Locherie: b 18-.

4 Park Alexander Locherie: b 15 Dec. 188?, died May, 1895.

5 Lela May Locherie: b 3 May 1884, Minersville, Utah.

6 Mabel Margaret Locherie: b 30 Mar. 1888, Silver Reef, Utah, died 8 April 1918, Great Falls, Mont.

ii Sarah Loving: b 11 May 1858, m (1) Henry Morse; (2) S.L. Harrington, she died 17 Oct. 1928, Calif.

iii Elizabeth Emaline: b 4 May 1860, m 12 Mar. 1880 Patrick Ryan, b 17 Mar. 1852, Ottawa, Canada, she died 4 Mar. 1912 at Salt Lake City, Utah; they had:

1 John M. Ryan: b 21 July 1881, Frisco, Utah, died 27 Jan. 1907 in Mexico.

2 Margaret A. Ryan: b 25 Dec. 1883, Frisco, Utah.

3 Elizabeth Ryan: b 17 Mar. 1884, died 1884.

4 Dennis Ryan: b 16 May 1886, Salt Lake City, Utah.

5 Sarah E. Ryan: b 14 Nov. 1888, died 1888.

6 Lula M. Ryan: b 1 Mar. 1889.

7 Peter J. Ryan: b 2 June 1892.

8 Allen C. Ryan: b 1 Dec. 1894.

9 Florence E. Ryan: b 7 Sept. 1897.

10 Rose Mary Ryan: b 17 Aug. 1904, died small.

11 Helen C. Ryan: b 21 Aug. 1907.

iv William Franklin: b 22 Feb. 1862, Mt. Pleasant, Utah, he married Minnie Dotson, reside Salt Lake City, Utah. They had, known

1 William B.

v Lydia Malissa: b 21 Jan. 1868, Minersville, Utah, baptized Mormon. She m (1) 17 Mar. 188- Owen Ryan, b 16 Aug.

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1861, Quebec, Canada, baptized Roman Catholic; he died 1906 at St. Paul, Minn. During the World War she worked as a Nurse, Great Lakes, Ill. Slip m (2) Mar. 1929 Joseph Curtis, b Weathers field, N. Y. 23 June 1860. She is an Artist, reside Bell, Calif. They had:

1 Ralph Patrick Ryan: b 26 July 1889, Beaver City, Utah, educated St. Thomas College, and Notre Dame Univ.; served in World War, Chief Petty Officer, U. S. Navy; he m Carrie McMaster, reside Long Beach, Calif.

2 Owen Douglas Ryan: b 4 Oct. 1891, Salt Lake City, Utah, grad. St. Johns Univ., then attended Notre Dame Univ., was Court reporter at Minneapolis, Minn. for several years. He is a 'Mason, m Anna Arenson, reside Maywood, Calif.

3 Kathleen Elizabeth Ryan: b 16 Sept. 1895 at Kennedy, Minn., died 19 Nov. 1910 of diphtheria. I

4 Agnes Lydia Ryan: b 18 June 1897 at Kennedy-, Minn., died 19 Sept. 1916.

5 John Franklin Ryan: b 7 Feb. 1900 at Kennedy, Minn., was champion bowler in 192. He m Anna, Rutts, reside Chicago, Ill.

6 Gertrude Merriam Ryan: b 15 Feb. 190-1 at St. Paul, Minn. m Charles Guadagno, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

vi James Lafell: b 7 July 1870, Minersville, Utah, he m. Laura Cunningham, b 19 Jan. 1886, reside Salt Lake City, Utah. No definite information obtainable from this family. They had:

1 Arnold J.: b 19-.

2 Dallas Lafell: b 19-.

3 Robert Campbell: b 6 Jan. 1911.

4 Rulon Durrant: b 23 Aug. 1912.

5 Marjorie (?)L.: b 6 May 1923.

vii Alonzo: b 7 July 1870, a twin, died small. viii Gotan: b 20 Dec. 1874, died small.

ix Edith May: b 17 Feb. 1877, Minersville, Utah, m 10 Dec. 1895 at Milford, Utah, Luther J. Smith, b Iowa 24 Feb. 1862, he died 8 Jan. 1919, she resides Butte, Mont. They had:

1 Aravilla Smith: b 4 Oct. 1896, m Fred M. Sunda, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

2 Madelene Smith: b 18 Aug. 1898, m Charles Suskosky, reside San Francisco, Calif.

3 Luther Clinton Smith: b 30 Nov. 1899, died 21 Mar. 1901.

4 Lucille Smith: b 3 Aug. 1901.

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x Patrick Henry: b 25 Aug. 1582, he married 6 Oct. 1906 at Loa, Utah, Mary Louise Schoppmann, b 2 Oct. 1883 at Cedar City, Utah, daughter of Eugene (d 1912) and Carolina R. Schoppmann. They resided Cedar City, then moved to Nevada for 10 years, then settled at Malad City, Idaho in 1924 where she died 19 Sept. 1931 following an illness of several years from cancer, she was an active worker in her church, Latter Day Saints (Mormon). He survives her and is a jeweler by occupation. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Elizabeth Caroline: b 14 June 1907, m a Mr. Stuart, reside Malad City, Idaho.

2 Marie: b 2 Aug. 1909.

3 Bertha: b 27 flay 1912.

xi Adolphus b 17 July 1884, died 5 Apr. 1888.

#### 368 JAMES TURNER (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elijah 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Gibson County, Tennessee 11 December 1834, moved to Mississippi, Iowa, and Utah with his parents. He married prior to 1860, Almira Howl, born 18-. He died 5 October 1566 in Utah, no data on her death.

Children:

i James Moroni (10) : b 23 Oct. 1565.

#### 369 MARTHA ISABELLE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elijah 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi 13 January 1844, moved to Iowa and Utah with her parents. She married 25 September 1864 at Provo, Utah, Thomas Fenn, born Billington, England, 18 July 1841. He died at Provo, Utah, 17 April 1885, she survived him many years and died 11 February 1918 at the booze of her son, Thomas, at Nyssa, Oregon.

Children

i Martha Jane Fenn: b 6 July 1865 at Provo, Utah, she m 11 Sept. 1889 John Sharp Rollo, born Dundee, Scotland, 16 June 1864, she died 2 Jan. 1927 and he died 12 May 1930, resided Salt Lake City, Utah. They had:

1 Alene Veitch Rollo: b 5 Jan. 1893. She m (1) 14 June 1917 Harold Hulett Morris, his 2d wife; divorced Oct. 1924 at Salt Lake City; she m (2) 14 May 1925 at Newark, Del., Gayle Porter Hoskins, his 2d wife. Residence not stated.

She has no children. Step children were:

a Gayle Porter Hoskins: b 20 July 1887, his 1st wife.

b Harold Hulett Morris: b Mar. 1889, at Ravine, Wis., his 1st wife.

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2 Melba Rollo: b 8 Oct. 189-1 at Provo, Utah, died 22 Jan. 1920 at New York City.

3 Grace Rollo: b 17 Dec. 1596 at Provo, Utah, she m 20 Aug. 1919 David Coffman Hunter, reside Salt Lake City, Utah. They had:

a Rollo William Hunter: b 22 June 1920.

4 Winnifred Rollo: b 14 July 1899, resides Salt Lake City, Utah. She furnished information on this family.

5 Norma Lois Rollo: b 10 Oct. 1901 at Richfield, Utah.

6 Reed Thomas Rollo: b 16 June 190-1 at Richfield, Utah, m 28 Nov. 1925 at Washington, D. C. Vera Louise Jones, of Ogden, Utah, reside Washington, D. C. ii Warren Thomas Fenn: b 2 Dec. 1566 at Provo, Utah, m 30 Oct. 1887 at Provo, Utah, Stella James, reside Nyssa, Oregon.

iii Loving Emaline Fenn: b 29 Mar. 1868, at Provo, Utah, m 2 Nov. 1898 at Provo, Utah, Frank Martin Brown, reside Salt Lake City, Utah. They had:

1 Maude Brown: b 9 Sept. 1900 at American Fork, Utah, she m 28 Feb. 1925 Delbert Nebeker, reside Farmington, Utah.

2 Norma Brown: b 2 Nov. 1910. Twins.

3 Naomi Brown: b 2 Nov. 1910.

iv Adelia Maud Fenn: b 9 June 1571 at Provo, Utah, she m 1 June 1592 at Provo, Utah, John William Twelve, b Provo, Utah 7 Sept. 1869, reside Salt Lake City, Utah. They had:

1 Paul Adelbert Twelves: b 3 Jan. 1594, m

2 Ralph Fenn Twelves: b 3 Feb. 1597, m

3 John Robert Twelves: b 21 Dec. 1902, m

4 William J. Twelves: b 5 Oct. 1905.

v Joseph Adelbert Fenn: b 9 June 1871, died 7 Apr. 1872.

vi Effie May Fenn: b 24 Aug. 1873 at Provo, Utah, she m 25 June 1896 at Provo, Utah, Samuel Johnson Jones, b 15 Oct. 1576 in Utah. She died 21 Aug. 1919 at Pocatello, Idaho, not stated if he is living or deceased. They had:

1 Edith Jones: b 25 June 1899, she m 12 May 1921 Arlin Rex Johnson, reside Provo, Utah. They had

a Beverly Johnson: b 16 Aug. 1924.

b Arlin Rex Johnson, Jr.: b 22 Nov. 1929.

2 Samuel Thomas Jones: b 12 Feb. 1901, m 12 June 1926 Maurine Hill, resided Payson, Utah in 1929. They had:

a Josephine Jones: b 16 Dec. 1926.

b Stanley Thomas Jones: b 27 Mar. 1928.

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c Richard Charles Jones: b 29 Nov. 1929.

3 Mildred Jones: b 17 Mar. 1907, m 29 July 1929 Jessco Cowley Nixon, reside New York City.

4 Archie Gilbert Jones: b 17 Nov. 1910.

5 Patrick Henry Jones: b 17 Mar. 1913.

vii Archie Gilbert Fenn: b 20 June 1879 at Provo, Utah, m 1 Apr. 1923 at Los Angeles, Calif. Margaret Badger Wider, reside Los Angeles; Calif. No children.

viii Rey Randolph Fenn: b 12 June 1883 at Provo, Utah, m 17 June 1905 at Midvale Utah, Lauretta Larson, b 29 Dec. 1886, reside Midvale, Utah. No children.

370 JEPHTHA LAFAYETTE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elisha 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Gibson County, Tennessee 4 April 1832, moved to Bastrop County, Texas with his parents. He married 13 November 1856 at Lockhart, Texas, Jane Elizabeth Steer, born St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, 25 August 1838. They settled on Sandy Creek about 6 miles from Elgin, Texas, then moved to Refugio County about 1860. He enlisted 6 November 1862 as Private E, 14th Texas Field Artillery, C. S. A.; only other record is a roll dated April 1864 which shows him as Sergeant, and absent on leave. (War Dept. records.) He served as Sheriff of Refugio County 1872-1874. Later moved to Bee County, Texas where he died 13 November 1904 at Mineral, she survived him a few years. There is a disagreement as to date of her death and we quote all: Jesse L. Billingsley states, 26 July 1913; Mrs. H. M. Eads states, 20 June 1914; A. W. Billingsley states, 24 June 1914.

Children:

i John Steers: b 4 Mar. 1859, m Mattie Burdette, he died in 19-in Texas, she survives him and resides Woodsboro, Tex. They had:

1 Daughter: b 18-, m Dr. William Milton Dodson, b 1888, a physician, reside Woodsboro, Tex.

2 Willie: b 18-.

ii Martha Marion: b 17 Feb. 1861. She m 4 May 1879 at Papalote, Tex., Hubbard M. Eads, b Blount Co., Ala. in 1854, reside Sinton, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Mattie May Eads: b 188-, died 1907.

2 Chapman Lafayette Eads: b 1 June 1882, m 20 Sept. 1910 Nanie Elizabeth Williams, b 5 Jan. 1887, reside Santa Anna, Tex. They had

a Mayola Eads: b 24 Apr. 1912, m 14 Feb. 1930 Henry Cook.

b Martha Marion Eads: b 12 June 1914.

c Elizabeth Eads: b 29 Mar. 1928.

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- 3 Alice Bess Earls: b 11 Sept. 1885, resides Legion, Tex.
- 4 Margaret Jane Earls: b 2 Jan. 1885, m 22 Dec. 1909 James Allen Miller, reside Odem, Tex. They had  
a James Earls Miller: b 4 Nov. 1912.  
b Virginia, Clair Miller: b 13 Dec. 1922.  
c Rosa Jane Miller: b 6 Oct. 1925.
- 5 Walter Creath Earls: b 29 Jan. 1892, m 23 Aug. 1915 Mrs. Louise Bennett, reside Harlengen, Tex. They had  
a Ciesie Mae Earls: b 16 Mar. 1917.  
b Delorian Earls: b 13 Nov. 1919.
- 6 Caret Dauchey Earls: b 22 Mar. 1897, m 19 Nov. 1919 Myrtle McGloin, reside Odem, Tex. They had:  
a Caret' Dauchey Earls, Jr.: b 11 Oct. 1920.
- 7 Aubrey Collie Earls: b 6 Jan. 189, m 21 Sept. 1928 Munsie Gisler, reside Odem, Tex. No children.
- iii Albert Walter: b 13 July 1862. He m 20 June 1883 at Mathis, Tex. Martha D. Johnson, b Mayfield, Ky. 4 May 1863, reside San Antonio, Tex. He has furnished some information on this family. He is an old trail driver, hating handled cattle all his life. In an article, The Heraldry of the Range, by J. Frank Dobie, Saturday Evening Post, Dec. 1930, is an interesting account of his handling to Cheyenne, Wyo. in 1884 a herd of cattle from the King Ranch in South Texas. He is also mentioned in "Coronados Children," by the same author, etc. They had:
- 1 Edna Isabelle: b 13 Dec. 1884, m prior to 1902 Philip Judson Campbell. They had:  
a Philip Judson Campbell, Jr. b 26 Mar. 1902 at Austin, Tex., m 26 Apr. 1928 Gladys Simon.  
b Maurine Celeste Campbell: b 27 Jan. 1906 at Brenham, Tex., m 13 Oct. 1922 Porter H. Watson. They had  
b1 Porter Hartlet Watson, Jr.  
b2 Alva Lois Watson.  
c Helen Pauline Campbell: b 26 Feb. 1908, died 13 July 1911.  
d Mattie Dee Campbell: b 19 May 1909 at Terrell, Tex.  
e Annie Lucille Campbell: b 6 Nov. 1912 at San Antonio, Tex., m 22 Feb. 1929 Joe A. Noake.  
f Murry H. Campbell: b 22 Aug. 1914 San Antonio, Tex., died 20 Apr. 1917. g Maxine Rosa Campbell: b 7 Oct. 1917 San Antonio, Tex.  
h Ruth Campbell: b 6 Oct. 1918 San Antonio, Tex.

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- i Homer Heal Campbell, b 29 Sept. 1920 San Antonio, Tex.
- j Wayne Campbell: b 18 May 1923.
- 2 Celeste Steen: b 23 Dec. 1836, she m prior to 1909 Harold M. Betts, b Akron, Ohio, 14 June 1881. They had:
  - a Harold Matthew Betts, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1909 at New Orleans, La.
  - b Albert Ansel Betts: b 11 Sept. 1911 at Leland, Miss.
  - c Richard Taylor Betts: b 14 July 1914, St. Louis, Mo.
  - d Murray Binkley Betts: b 26 Aug. 1913, Little Rock, Ark.
- 3 Albert Walter, Jr.: b 8 Oct. 1888 m Ruth Claunch, reside Big Lake, Tex. He served one term as Sheriff of Reagan Co., Tex. No children.
- 4 Alta: b 17 Apr. 1890, m (1) Fred Jones, (2) Carl Christensen. They had:
  - a Mitchell Peyton Jones: b 8 Nov. 1911.
- 5 Iona Marian: b 21 Feb. 1892, m (1) M. F. Parker, he died and she m (2) 24 Dec. 1926 August Jacob Weynand, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:
  - a Lucille Wyona Parker: b 15 July 1914.
  - b Afton Wenet Parker: b 29 Oct. 1915.
  - c Ions Della Parker: b 24 Sept. 1917, died 3 Apr. 1919.
  - d Millard Filmore Parker: b 27 Feb. 1920.
- 6 William Thornton: b 8 Oct. 1894, m Dean Cross, no children.
- 7 Martha J.: b 14 Nov. 1896, m prior to 1915 Samuel W. Wilson. They had
  - a William Franklin Wilson: b 24 Feb. 1915.
  - b Samuel Will Wilson, Jr.: b 21 Sept. 1920.
  - c Mary Dee Wilson: b 23 Sept. 1921.
- iv Ellen Ocenia: b 15 July 1866 at Elgin, Tex., m (1) Thomas Looney, (2) a Mr. Greiner, she resides El Paso, Tex. They had:
  - 1 Thomas Y. Looney: b 7 Aug. 188?, Colo., resides Portland, Oreg.
  - 2 Charles R. Looney: b 14 Aug. 1888, died 31 Mar. 1926, Calif.
  - 3 George W. Greiner: b 18-,died 24 July 1931, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- v Georgia Celeste: b 10 May 1869, m 27 July 188? at Mineral, Tex. James Byus Pattison, b Baltimore, Md. 31 Jan. 1866, he died 31 Mar. 1928, she survives him and resides Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

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1 Nellie Bell Pattison: b 25 Oct. 1890, she m (1) 8 Oct. 1913 Morris Banker Harper, he died 17 Apr. 1911, she m (2) 6 Feb. 1926 Charles Nolan Alston, reside Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Marie Celeste Harper: b 18 July 1914.

2 Georgia Pattison: b 10 Feb. 1893, she m prior to 1914 John H. Stanley, reside Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Alpha Mell Stanley: b 4 Oct. 1914.

b John Hillman Stanley: b 6 Nov. 1916.

c Naomi Celeste Stanley: b 13 Sept. 1920.

d Dorcas Pattison Stanley: b 6 Dec. 1923.

e Jane Stanley: b 14 Jan. 1926.

3 Maggie Elizabeth Pattison: b 12 Jan. 1896, in William J. Hicks, reside Port Arthur, Tex. Had 4 children.

4 Mildred Audrey Pattison: b 21 Dec. 1899, at Sabine, Tex., she m 11 July 1918 Gordon Dewitt Richardson, he died 4 May 1923, she resides Port Arthur, Tex. They had:

a Mildred Bernice Richardson: b 5 Apr. 1920.

b Gordon Dewitt Richardson: b 2 July 1923.

5 James Monroe Pattison: b 15 Feb. 1902, resides Greenwich, Conn.

6 Hazel Estelle Pattison: b 9 June 1904, m 6 Oct. 1921 Clyde McKinley Newberry. They had:

a Clyde McKinley Newberry, Jr.: b 28 Sept. 1924.

b James Elbert Newberry: b 24 Mar. 1929.

7 Ruth Aurelia Pattison: b 8 Jan. 1909.

vi Jesse Lafayette: b 22 May 1871 Refugio Co., Tex. He m 4 Feb. 1896 in Bee Co., Tex., Janie Hargrove, b DeWitt Co., Tex. 18-, reside Turlock, Calif. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Ethel Lorene: b 27 Oct. 1896, m Earl Bradley, reside Turlock, Calif..

vii William McCampbell: b 9 Mar. 1874 Bee Co., Tex. He m 13 Mar. 1895 at Mineral, Tex., Mamie O'Neil, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Ella Iona: b 26 Nov. 1897, m 6 Jan. 1919 James S. Chandler, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

a James Melton Chandler: b 14 Mar. 1921 at Monteola, Tex.

b Henry Graydon Chandler: b 22 Oct. 1927 at Pettus, Tex.

c Nathaniel Bunch Chandler: b 6 Oct. 1931 at San Antonio, Tex.

2 Katherine Sydney: b 4 Jan. 1900 at Mineral Tex., she



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m 7 Feb. 1922 at Beeville, Tex., Roy Harris, reside Tuleta, Tex. No children.

3 William Roy: b 29 Sept. 1902, m 30 Dec. 1930 Ina Frances Lovelady.

4 Mary Effie: b-29 June 1905, m 29 Nov. 1921 Frank J. Lierman at Kenedy, Tex. No children.

viii Aubrey C.: b 25 Feb. 1877. He m 26 Nov. 1918 Mrs. Dora you Roedder nee Rutledge. She had a daughter at the time of this marriage, she died 8 Sept. 1930, resided Mineral, Tex. No children.

ix Roy Peyton: b 8 Mar. 1879. He m 6 Dec. 1903 at Mineral, Tex., Lillian Irene Harvey, b 18-, he died 4 Mar. 1929 at Goliad, Tex. (His brother, A. W. Billingsley, states he was murdered.) She survives him and resides San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Jesse Peyton: b 26 June 1910.

2 Harvey Steen: b 8 Aug. 1912.

3 Brian Boyd: b 28 Oct. 1915, died 1 Apr. 1928, at Dubose, Tex.

4 Robbie: b 20 Mar. 1917.

5 Weyland Dee: b 28 June 1920.

8 Truman Alton: b 31 Mar. 1923.

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(*Elisha 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Gibson County, Tennessee 29 March 1835, moved to Bastrop County, Texas with her parents. She married in 1851 Pleasant S. Oatman, born Indiana in 1830, a son of John and Nancy Oatman, natives of Kentucky. They resided Llano County, Texas and later moved to Colorado where he died 16 August 1879, she survived him some years and died at Denver, Colorado 23 September 1912.

Children:

i Villita Ellis Oatman: b 5 Nov. 1855, died 25 Aug. 1860.

ii Martha May Oatman: b 24 Oct. 1857 at Llano, Tex., she m 3 July 1884 Hiram T. Coates, b 13 Nov. 1852, he died at Eldorado, Colo., Oct. 1906, she died 24 Apr. 1930 at Modesto, Calif. They had:

1 Nina May Coates: b 1 Feb. 1886, Denver, Colo., m 17 Mar. 1919, Paris, s, France, Neil C. MacGregor. They had:

a Neil John MacGregor: b 30 Jan. 1922, Worland, Wyo.

b Elizabeth May MacGregor: b 21 Oct. 1924, Petersburg, Alaska.

2 Helen Oatman Coates: b 1? June 1890, Denver, Colo.,

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m 2 Sept. 1914 Charles Otis Huffsmith, b 27 Sept. 1887 at Greeley, Colo. They had:

a Martha Lois Huffsmith: b 31 Mar. 1917.

b Carol Oatman Huffsmith: b 13 Sept. 1921.

3 John Oatman Coates: b 10 Apr. 1895 at Mogollon, N. Mex., m 31 May 1922 at Thermopolis, Wyo., Verva Sanders, b Minburn, Iowa 28 July 1894, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

a Patsey Jane Coates: b 19 Jan. 1928, Denver, Colo.

iii Carrie Ella Oatman: b 24 Oct. 1860 at Llano, Tex., she m 3 July 1883 at Denver, Colo., William Henry Kistler, b Springfield, Ill. 28 Mar. 1858, reside Denver, Colo. Where he is president of W. H. Kistler Stationery Co. They had:

1 Alice May Kistler: b 19 Nov. 1884, m 4 May 1912 Adolph Coors, Jr., b Golden, Colo. 12 Jan. 1884, reside Golden, Colo. They had:

a Adolph Coors, III: b 13 Jan. 1915.

b William Kistler Coors: b 11 Aug. 1916.

c Joseph Coors: b 12 Nov. 1917.

d May Louise Coors: b 14 Apr. 1923.

2 William Henry Kistler: b 6 July 1886, died 9 Dec. 1956.

3 Erle Oatman Kistler: b 16 Apr. 1890, Denver, Colo., he m 6 July 1910 Margaret Grey Blackmer, b Colorado Springs, Colo., 1 Jan. 1896, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

a Margaret Nancy Kistler: b 15 June 1921.

b Henry Blackmer Kistler: b 17 Nov. 1922.

c William Henry Kistler: b 17 Aug. 1927.

iv Pleasant Lee Oatman: b 22 Jan. 1866, died 30 Aug. 1866.

v Iva Anna Oatman: b 27 Nov. 1867, m 1886, at Denver, Colo., Thomas Marioneaux, he died at Salt Lake City, Utah, 2 Apr. 1926, she died at Hollywood, Calif., 20 June 1927. They had:

1 Dorothy May Marioneaux: b 5 July 1893, at Nephi, Utah, m 20 Apr. 1927 F. C. Whatley, reside Hollywood, Calif. No children.

vi Arthur Gaensline Oatman: b 3 Apr. 1870, died 25 July 1871.

vii John Deweese Oatman: b 18 June 1873, died 6 June 1883.

viii Lillie Maud Oatman: b 10 May 1875, died 14 May 1875.'

#### 371 JOHN HOUSTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Elisha 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Gibson County, Tennessee 16 August 1841, moved to Bastrop County, Texas with his parents. He enlisted 16 March 1862 as Private C, Yager's Texas Cavalry, C. S. A.; this regiment consolidated in 1863 to form 1st Texas Cavalry, a roll 20 September 1863 shows him as

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on Detached Service with combined Cavalry. No further record ( War *Dept. records*). He married 26 July 1870 Rachel Olivia Putnam, born Williamson County, Texas 11 March 1851, he died 22 December 1926, and she died 5 February 1930. They were members of the Christian church and resided at Llano, Texas.

##### Children

i Son: b 187-, died infancy.

ii Catherine: b 16 Aug. 1873, died infancy.

iii Cora: b 3 Sept. 1874, m 29 Sept. 1901 George Washington Moseley, b 18-, he died 4 May 1917, she survives him and resides Llano, Tex. They had:

1 Esther Alberta Moseley: b 29 Sept. 1904, m W. Clifford Haynes, reside Llano, Tex. They had:

a Hazel Elizabeth Haynes.

b Alice Mae Haynes.

c Violet Alberta Haynes.

2 Mildred Izora Moseley: b 14 July 1914.

iv Leonidas: b 7 June 1876, resides Austin, Tex.

v May: b 1 July 1878, m R. V. Martin, reside Lampasas, Tex. They had:

1 Eldred Earl Martin: m . They had:

a Earline Martin.

2 Houston Hardie Martin.

3 Zula Fay Martin.

4 Vera Martin: m Franze.

5 Robert Weldon Martin.

vi J. D.: b 29 Apr. 1850, m 2 Apr. 1916 at Llano, Tex. Pearl Hale, reside Ranger, Tex. They had:

1 Dorothy Pearl: b 21 Feb. 1917.

2 Everett Hale: b 27 May 1926.

vii Edna: b 27 June 1882, m 28 Oct. 1900 G. M. Arendale at Llano, Tex., reside Wellington, Tex. No children.

viii Delta: b 11 May 1884, m Harry D. Putnam, she died 7 Feb. 1925, he survives her and resides Oakdale, Calif.

They had:

1 Martin Putnam.

2 Violet Putnam.

3 Constance Putnam.

ix Velma: b 16 Apr. 1886, m James Henry Long, reside Llano, Tex. They had:

1 Delbert Durward Long.

2 Leslie Lee Long.

3 Mary Pauline Long.

x Martha: b 31 Aug. 1888, m J. Slader Luckey, divorced, she resides Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

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1 Daniel Hollis Luckey: b 19-. His name has been changed to. JOHN HAROLD LUCKEY.

2 Edith Luckey: b 1 Sept. 1912, deceased.

3 Iva Helen Luckey.

## 372 LOCKE KEMP (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Elisha 8, Jephtha ?, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born near Trenton, Gibson County, Tennessee 21 May 1845, moved to Bastrop County, Texas with his parents in 1848. When thirteen years of age he united with the Christian church and remained an adherent to that faith until his death. He enlisted 15 April 1862 as Private F, 17th Texas Infantry, age given as 17 years; a roll 31 October 1862 shows him sick in hospital; 31 December 1862 shows, sick in hospital; February 1863, present with company; August 1863, absent sick, on fifty days furlough. No further record in War Department. In his own account of his services he states:

"I enlisted February or March 1862, spent a happy time in camp for the first 6 months. In August we were ordered to Little Rock, Arkansas, 600 miles, we carried 40 pounds of baggage and a flint lock musket which weighed about 15 pounds. We reached Little Rock 21 October 1862 and that night snow fell 4 inches deep. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> day after this we were marched 20 miles to Camp Austin, here I took sick and was in bed 26 days with pneumonia. In January 1863 we, with several other regiments, were ordered to help out Arkansas Post, we got within 10 miles of the fort and it surrendered. We fell back to Pine Bluff and spent the balance of the winter in camp. Here I first saw a man shot for desertion, two were shot in the presence of the entire army of 6,000 men. In the spring we were ordered to Alexandria, Louisiana, crossed the Red River there and marched some 10 miles to Black River, took transports to go to Tensas River, thence on the Tensas to within 20 miles of the Mississippi River. We all knew there was to be a fight before 2 days. That night the sick were collected and sent to Monroe, Louisiana, my brother, Clinton, had taken typhoid fever and had to go back; the captain of my company detailed me to go back with him. I begged to stay and to send an older man but he said "No." Two days later the Battle of Milliken's Bend was fought, the man who wanted to take my place with the sick was killed, this was on 17 June 1863, my brother, Clinton, died 19 June 1863 being buried at Monroe, Louisiana. I proved such a good nurse the doctors kept me until the middle of August. I spent the balance of the fall scouting in Louisiana swamps, stopping for a while at Bayou Boeff, 20 miles from Alexandria. I was given a 60 day furlough; remained at home for 2 months then applied at Austin for transportation to my command. The Commander there told me he could not give me transportation but would assign me to a cavalry company making up to go to and retake Brownsville. I gladly accepted and was with the cavalry until Brownsville was retaken. Then I was ordered to my old infantry regiment and joined

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them at Camden, Arkansas. My captain wanted to have me arrested for joining the cavalry, but the captain of the cavalry had given me such a good recommendation that Colonel Jones, the regimental commander, ordered me turned loose and told the captain I had done everything a man could do. We marched from Camden to Shreveport, Louisiana and spent the winter of 1861 there. We started for Hempstead in March 1865, reached there about 15 May 1865, and were disbanded."

On the 2 March 1866 he married at Dime Box, Texas, Zenobia Scott, born Tennessee 14 June 1848, see Scott Excursus. He spent most of his life engaged in farming, tho he taught school for several terms. Resided Burleson County in 1870, then moved to Bastrop County- before 1880, then moved to Lampasas County on account of his wife's health, resided there some years, was burned out then returned to Elgin, Texas where he served as Justice of the Peace for several years. Zenobia died there 8 July 1898. He married (2) 26 February 1900 Mrs. Alice Bennett, a daughter of Reverend Johns (?) Jones, a pioneer preacher of the Christian church in Texas. She had several children at the time of this marriage. She was a good Christian woman, who won the respect and love of her step-children. There were no children by this second marriage. He died 15 September 1922 at Teague, Texas, while on a visit at the home of his step-daughter, Pauline Bennett, at that time the widow of Jack Johnson. He was buried at Elgin, Texas, beside his first wife.

i James Elisha: b 23 Jan. 1868 Lee Co., Tex., he m 6 Nov. 1889 at Dime Box, Tex. Nannie Yamsey. Most of his life was devoted to general merchandising. He died at San Antonio, Tex. 30 July 1923, buried at Artesia Well, Tex. No children.

ii Albert Clinton: b 16 Aug. 1870 Lee Co., Tex., he m 13 Oct 1895 at Youngs Prairie, Tex., Katie Lee Keele. Most of his life has been spent as blacksmith and mechanic, and also as a salesman. Reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

1 Mary Ruth: b 13 Aug. 1896, died 26 Aug. 1896.

2 Herschel Harris: b 6 Aug. 1900 at Elgin, Tex., m Vetta Carter, reside Dallas, Tex. where he is employed in U. S. Post Office. They had:

a Doris.

b Milton.

c Mary Catherine.

iii William Perry: b 26 Dec. 1872 Lee Co., Tex., he m 26 Mar. 1896 Mollie Wilson, reside Houston, Tex. where he is Lubrication Engineer for the Gulf Refining Co. They had:

1 William Eugene: b 17 Apr. 1897 near Elgin, Tex., he m Hazel Thompson, reside Beaumont, Tex.

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2 Georgia: b 17 July 1898 at Elgin, Tex., she m R. D. Mapes, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had:

a James Robert Mapes: b 10 Oct. 1925.

3 Archie Lloyd: b 30 Aug. 1900 at Elgin, Tex., he m Elizabeth Virginia Eaton on 18 Oct. 1924, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a William Ross: b 16 Feb. 1930 Houston, Tex.

4 Bernice Lee: b 2 Apr. 1902 at Elgin, Tex, she m Charles E. Morris, reside Houston, Tex.

5 Helen Louise: b 23 June 1909 at Beaumont, Tex.

iv Ella May: b 11 May 1875, Hamilton, Co. Tex., she m 19 May 1896 Fritz G. Hugo, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Son: b 19 Sept. 1897, died 27 Sept. 1897.

2 Vera Eula Hugo: b 11 Oct. 1902, m Lawrence Russell, reside Rochelle, La.

3 Maurice Gunther Hugo: b 12 Nov. 1906, resides Dilley, Tex.

4 Leonard Guy Hugo: b 22 Aug. 1909, m Jean Beagle, reside Dilley, Tex.

5 Daughter: b 6 Jan. 1912, died infancy.

6 Ferdinand Gerald Hugo: b 2 Mar. 1913.

7 Paul Hugo: b 28 Jan. 1916.

v Frederick Cecil: b 29 Apr. 1878, died 19 Feb. 1959.

vi Jesse Alonzo: b 31 Aug. 1880, drowned in Yegua Creek, near Dime Box, Tex., 24 May 1889.

vii Ernest Lee: b 10 Feb. 1883 in Lee Co., Tex. Education, common school and Dallas Business University. Entered service of the Texas and Pacific Railway in clerical capacity 29 May 1902, continuing in said service until 8 Mar. 1915, at which time he entered service of the Railroad Commission of Texas, at Austin, Texas; reentered service of said railroad 1 Mar. 1920, being made Assistant General Freight Agent thereof 15 Dec. 1921, which position he now holds. He married 27 July 1904 at Rice, Texas, Ozella Hope Sessions, a daughter of Egbert Gallatin Sessions, a member of the pioneer families of Navarro County. He is an Elder in the South Dallas Christian church, reside Dallas, Texas. No children. The descendants of Jephtha Billingsley certainly owe a debt of gratitude to E. L. Billingsley for his interest and persistent efforts to collect the family records for this work. The compiler expresses his gratefulness to him for his efforts and success without which we are sure that this record would not have been as full as it is.

viii Charles Guy: b 24 Dec. 1885, died 29 Feb. 1888.



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ix Mattie Eula: b 18 Dec. 1888 near Dime Box, Tex., she m 15 Apr. 1907 Calvin LeRoy Arnett, she is a member of the Christian church, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had

1 Ella Zenobia Arnett: b 28 Jan. 1905. Grad. Shreveport, La. High School and Centenary College, La., A.B. Magna Cum Laude; member Zeta Tau sorority and of Christian church. She m 17 Oct. 1928 Bedford Forrest Booth, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had:

a Zach Leroy Booth: b 7 Sept. 1931, Beaumont, Tex.

2 Ruth Louise Arnett: b 5 Nov. 1911 at Shreveport, La. Grad. Shreveport High School and attended Centenary College of La. She. m 15 June 1930 Edward Samuel Stewart, members of Christian church, reside Beaumont, Tex. They had:

a Edward Samuel Stewart: b 29 Mar. 1931.

3 David Leroy Arnett: b 1 Oct. 1916 at Logansport, La. Is a member of the Christian church.

4 Sadie Virginia Arnett: b 15 Oct. 1921, Shreveport, La.

#### 373 DELTAH LLANO (9) BILLINGSLEY f

(*Elisha 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born near Elgin, Texas 20 July 1855. She married 1 November 1871 James Harvey Litton, born 18--. Resided many years at Elgin, removed to Lampasas, and then moved to Austin, Texas where she died 7 January 1927. No information concerning his birth or death. Members of the Christian church.

Children:

i James Falter Litton: b 27 Oct. 1872, m Eva Hickman. They had:

1 Walter Litton.

2 Everett Litton.

3 Jack Litton.

ii Fannie Lee Litton: b 7 Sept. 1874, m 28 Feb. 1899 Samuel Junius Smith, b 18-, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

1 Mary Elizabeth Smith: b 5 Dec. 1899.

2 James Lytton Smith: b 29 July 1905 M.D., m Margaret Gertrude Filor, reside West Haverstraw, N. Y.

iii Lillie Belle Litton: b 1 Jan. 1877, m 4 Nov. 1894 William H. Carter, reside Elgin, Tex. They had:

1 Edward Robertson Carter: b 6 Aug. 1895.

2 James Dale Carter: b 21 Feb. 1899, died aet. 2 years.

3 Mary Elizabeth Carter: b 30 Mar. 1901.

4 Deliah Belle Carter: b 19-, died aet. 1 year.

5 Lucy Lee Carter: b 19-.

iv Mary Olivia Litton: b 1? May 1879, m Paul Wilhelm, reside, Coupland, Tex., in 1931. They had:



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1 Virginia Wilhelm.

2 Pauline Wilhelm.

3 Deltah Lee Wilhelm.

4 Elizabeth Wilhelm.

5 James Wilhelm.

6 Jack Wilhelm.

7 William Wilhelm. v Arthur Stinson Litton: b 22 Apr. 1882, killed in early youth by a fall.

vi Edith Maybel Litton: b 25 Jan. 1885, m William Condron, reside Elgin, Tex. They had:

1 Franklin Condron.

2 Lillie Bell Condron.

3 Dorothy Lee Condron.

vii Forest Odell Litton: b 30 July 1887, m Lizzie Hickman, reside Austin, Tex. They had 1 Robert Litton. 2 Ned Litton. 3 Sarah Litton.

viii Son: b 12 Dec. 1889, died infancy.

ix Ell Roy Litton: b 18 July 1891, m Ruth Keeling, reside Austin, Tex. They had: 1 Ell Roy Litton. 2 Barbara Litton. 3 Joanna Litton.

x. Mildred Ilene Litton: b 5 Mar. 1894, m A. M. Felts. They had: 1 James Martin Felts. 2 Dan Felts.

xi Ernest Earl Litton: b 28 Sept. 1897, m Annie McCarley, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

1 Ernest Litton.

2 Litton.

xii Helen Myrl Litton: b 28 Sept. 1897, a twin, m Elzy Berry, he was deceased in 1931, she resided Waco, Tex. They had:

1 Patricia Berry.

2 Gloria Berry.

3 Sharon Berry.

4 Helen Berry.

xiii James Harvey Litton: b 28 Dec. 1901, m Frances, reside San Francisco, Calif.

374 JEPHTHA (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 29 October 1848. He married

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1878 Louisa Joiner, born Texas 1859. He was a farmer and resided near Elgin, Texas where he died 19 August 1932, she survives him.

Children:

i Walter L.: b 15 Nov. 1879. Was a Veteran of the Spanish-American War; died 3 Jan. 1929 at San Antonio, Tex., unmarried.

ii Wallace: b 5 Jan. 1883, m 1904 Mattie McWright, b Elgin, Tex. 1878, she died 14 Aug. 1909 and he m (2) 19 Dec. 1915 Mrs. Mary Puckett Newman, b 1888, reside Elgin, Tex. They had:

1 Lillian: b 26 Feb. 1906, m 1925 Arthur Edward Martin, of San Antonio, Tex. They had:

a Wallace Edward Martin: b 1929, died 1929.

b Catherine Martin: b 19:9, a twin, died 1929.

c Roy Edward Martin: b July 1931.

2 Dillies b 22 Mar. 1908.

3 Dale: b 22 Mar. 1908, a twin, m 2 Nov. 1926 Levie Stoddard, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a Catherine Moore Stoddard: b 30 July 1927.

b Levie Robert Stoddard: b 2-I Jan. 1929.

c Alton Rudolph Stoddard: b 29 May 1930.

4 Arthur: b 9 Aug. 1909, died 15 Sept. 1909.

5 Ruth Lee: b 1 Nov. 1916, 2d wife.

6 Addie Bell: b 26 Nov. 1918.

7 J. D.: b 26 Dec. 1920.

8 Dorothy Marie: b 7 Jan. 1923.

9 Louise: b 7 July 1925.

10 Stella: b 14 Jan. 1928.

11 Mary: b 31 Dec. 1930.

iii Jesse: b 11 May 1885, m (1) 26 Dec. 1907 Della Pool, she died and he m (2) Maggie Furr, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

1 Alvin Clyde: b 15 June 1909.

iv Joseph Carl: b 9 Nov. 1887, m 19 Mar. 1918 Myrtle Fletcher, b 22 Feb. 1901, reside Elgin, Tex.

v Lillie Irene: b 7 Aug. 1890, m 25 Dec. 1909 William Ray Wright, b 1 Mar. 1883; residence not stated. They had:

1 Lillie Ray Wright: b 20 Sept. 1910, m Aug. 1926 Eddie Maddox. They had:

a Rosie Lee Maddox: b 18 June 1927.

b Marie Nadine Maddox: b 30 Mar. 1931.

2 Henry Ambrose Wright: b 7 Nov. 1912.

3 Pauline Wright: b 9 Apr. 1919.

4 Altha Wright: b 2 Nov. 1921.

5 Dorothy Lee Wright: b 23 Jan. 1923.

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vi Reuben Randolph: b 16 Feb. 1893, m 1919 Dollie Shugure, b 23 Mar. 1903, reside Taylor, Tex. They had:  
1 Jephtha Randolph: b 15 Feb. 1925.

vii Maudie: b 2 Nov. 1895, m 1911 Marlin Marsh Gunn, b 6 Aug. 1895, reside Elgin Tex. They had:

- 1 Hazel Neutrino Gunn: b 14 Aug. 1916.
- 2 Alma Ray Gunn: b 12 June 1918.
- 3 Marlin Marsie Gunn: b 5 July 1920.
- 4 Richmond Louis Gunn: b 29 Apr. 1922.
- 5 Reuben Leo Gunn: b 5 June 1924.
- 6 Jacob Bland Gunn: b 13 Aug. 1926.
- 7 Alice Christine Gunn: b 29 Nov. 1927.
- 8 Mary Estell Gunn: b 30 Mar. 1930.

viii Maggie: b 2 Nov. 1895, a twin, m 4 July 1912 James Roland Berry, reside Austin, Tea. They had:

- 1 Arnold Richard Berry: b 4 Aug. 1913.
- 2 Cecil Carnell Berry: b 31 May 1915.
- 3 Daisy Inell Berry: b 20 June 1920.
- 4 Winford Dupree Berry: b 26 Oct. 1927.

ix Hallie: b 11 Mar. 1898, m 25 Jan. 1923 Leo Minson, b 1 Mar. 1893, residence not stated.

x Callie: b 11 Mar. 1898, a twin.

xi Pearlie Mae: b 18 Jan. 1900, m 19 Apr. 1924 Homer Dee Hardwick, reside Elgin, Tex.

### 375 FRANCIS MARION (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jesse 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Bastrop County, Texas in 1850. He married (1) prior to 1882 Mrs. Fannie (Swazie) Wren, bore circa 1851, she died set. \$2 years and he married (2) prior to 1889 Mary Elizabeth Foods, born 18-, she died about 1916, he survived her and died 9 January 1920 at Taylor, Texas.

Children

i Mae: b 4 Jail. 1882, m Thomas William Gordon, b 1859, he died 4 Feb. 1930, she survives him and resides Taylor, Tex. They had:

- 1 Mary Dora Gordon.
- 2 Ila Irene Gordon.
- 3 Melvin Hamilton Gordon.
- 4 Lila Inez Gordon.

ii Melvin Swazie: b 29 Nov. 1883.

iii Francis Edward: b 28 Feb. 1888, 2d wife, died 17 July 1913.

iv Lillie Jane: b 20 Mar. 1890, at Taylor, Tex., she m 30 June 1907 at Troy; Tex. George William Austin, b 8 Aug. 1884, reside Eddy, Tex. They had:

- 1 Thelma Austin: b 11 Dec. 1908, died 14 July 1914.

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2 Steven Austin: b 28 June 1910, died 29 June 1910.

3 William Francis Austin: b 8 June 1911, died 10 Sept. 1915.

4 Harold Austin: b 22 May 1913.

5 Jewell Smith Austin: b 31 Jan. 1916.

6 Fay Austin: b 28 Feb. 1919.

7 Roy Austin: b 28 Feb. 1919, a twin.

8 Margree Austin: b 9 Apr. 1922.

9 Robert Welch Austin: b 23 Aug. 1925.

10 Viola Bertha Austin: b 10 Sept. 1928. v Ernest Abram: b 7 July 1892 at Elgin, Tex. Served in World War in France, he m at Temple, Tex. Lucy Belle Mayes, b 4 Apr. 1908, reside Temple, Tex. They had:

1 Albert Ernest: b 1 Nov. 1929.

vi Howard Leelan: b 5 Apr. 1894, m 17 Sept. 1913 Viola, Loftin, b 5 July 1895, reside Temple, Tex. They had:

1 Howard Eugene: b 29 Sept. 1918, is a member of the Baptist church.

2 Dorothie Nell: b 2 Apr. 1928.

3 Mearl: b 29 Apr. 1929, died same day.

4 Earl: b 29 Apr. 1929, a twin, died same day.

5 Lela Ozell: b 26 June 1930.

vii Nettie Estella: b 2:3 Feb. 1896 at McDade, Tex, m 25 Dec. 1912 John Henry High, b 23 Feb. 1880, she furnished information on this family, reside Lovelady, Tex. They had:

1 Richard Henry High: b 21 May 1916.

2 Benjamin Franklin High: b 11 Oct. 1919.

3 Anul Cecil High: b 15 Feb. 1923, died 25 Feb. 1923.

4 Leonard DeWitt High: b 30 May 1925. viii Archie Preston: b 7 Mar. 1893. ix' Nora Ethel: b 7 Feb. 1902 at Nada, Tex., she m 5 Feb. 1920 at Troy, Tex. John B. Tobin, reside Lampasas, Tex. They had

1 Minnie Olean Tobin: b 26 Nov. 1920 at Burnet, Tex.

2 John Brady Tobin: b 24 Jan. 1922 at Belton, Tex.

3 Edith Margaret Tobin: b 17 Oct. 1924 at Urban, Tex.

4 Alice Inez Tobin: b 29 Apr. 1926 at Pilley, Tex.

5 Horace Arvil Tobin: b 28 Mar. 1928 at Burnet, Tex.

376 MIRIAM ELLEN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 23 November 1852. She married prior to 1873 Benjamin F. Williams, she died 24 December 1918 at Austin, Texas. No data on his birth or death.

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#### Children:

i Benny Lea William: b 26 Feb. 1873, she m prior to 1897 J. T. Gauntt. She has furnished information on this family, and possesses some original documents concerning Captain Jesse Billingsley, etc. They had:

1 Roy N. Gauntt: b 5 Aug. 1897, m 2 Apr. 1918 Ollie Mae Fairchild, of Rhome, Tex. They had:

a William Lee Gauntt: b 15 Mar. 1921.

b Katherine Gauntt: b 19 Jan. 1924.

2 Fred R. Gauntt: b 8 July 1900, m 16 Oct. 1926 Lila Lacy. They had

a John Denton Gauntt: b 15 Apr. 1930.

3 Amber Ross, Gauntt: b 24 Sept. 1903, m 10 Oct. 1923 J. D. Day, she died 5 Mar. 1927.

4 Ira Ellis Gauntt: 11.21 Dec. 1907, m 20 Oct. 1930 Myrtle Fetner.

5 Burl W. Gauntt: b 27 Feb. 1911.

6 Julius Bernice Gauntt: b 7 Aug. 1914.

7 Jesse Wilburn Gauntt: b 15 Apr. 1918.

ii Robert E. Williams: b 25 Nov. 1876, m (1) Drinnan Alexander, she died ca 1921 and he m (2) Mrs. Lizzie Smith. They had

1 Joseph Benjamin Williams.

iii Rosa Dee Williams: b 29 Jan. 1879, died Oct. 1879.

iv Francis Royal Williams: b 11 Feb. 1881, died 1882.

v Earl E. Williams: b 24 Aug. 1883, m Stella Murchison. They have no children.

vi Ira Alva Williams: b 5 Feb. 1887, m Ellen Alexander, reside Brady, Tex., have several children. Edward Lionel Williams: b 31 July 1890, m Bessie Stone, of Austin, Tex. Have one child (1931).

viii Charles Leland Williams: b 8 Mar. 1893, m (1) Bessie Alexander, she died within a year after marriage, he m (2), formerly worked in the shops of M. K. T. Ry., at Benison, Tex.

### 377 SAMUEL WILSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(William B. 8, Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John L, Francis 1.) Born Trenton, Gibson County, Tennessee 26 March 1852, moved. to Bastrop County, Texas -with his.. parents in 1854. He married in Bastrop County, Texas 10 March 1875 Mary Elizabeth Turner, born Jackson County, Tex. as 12 March 1856, reside at McDade, Texas where he has been a merchant for many years.

#### Children:

i Lora Lee: b 29 Nov. 1875, died 14 Dec. 1929.

ii William Aubrey: b 12 Sept. 1878, died 26 Aug. 1881.

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iii Maria Eliza: b 1 Aug. 1881, m Reuben Brown Morris. iv Laurel Edwina: b 6 Dec. 1883, m Robert Ralph Sapp, residence not stated. They had:

1 Kenneth Kyle Sapp: b 21 June 1910.

2 Rye Roberta Sapp: b 3 Apr. 1914.

3 Laurel Leah Sapp: b 5 May 1918.

4 Hilda Marie Sapp: b 9 Aug. 1922..

5 Natalie Sapp: b 30 Mar. 1926. Twins.

6 Rosalie Sapp: b 30 Mar. 1926.

v Turner Gordon (10) : b 11 Oct. 1886.

vi Kenneth Carlisle: b 21 July 1889.

378 THOMAS DEWEES (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Carroll 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William, 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 7 January 1855. After his mother's death he went to live with his uncle, John Dewees, of Wilson County, Texas, where he grew to manhood. He married 24 November 1878 Luticia, Burrow, born Georgia 15 January 1862, a resident of Fairview, Texas. They settled at Verdi, Texas where he engaged in farming and stock raising, she died 25 June 1904, buried at Fairview, Texas. He survived her some years and died at his home 20 August 1920 buried at Fairview, Texas. Members of Christian church.

Children:

i Lantie: b 13 Oct. 1879, she m prior to 1912 Barnet M. Smith, of Floresville, Tex., they later moved to Sutherland Spring, Tex. where they resided in 1931. They had:

1 Lucille Smith: b 29 Nov. 1912, she m 12 July 1930 Marvin Hatfield, reside Medina, Tex., where he is owner of the Medina Drug Store.

2 Bert Wells Smith: b 20 Sept. 1914.

3 Edith Smith: b 21 Nov. 1916.

4 Thomas Carroll Smith: b 4 Feb. 1919.

5 Opal Smith: b 19 Feb. 1922, died 22 Feb. 1922.

ii John: b 8 Nov. 1881, died 8 Nov. 1886.

iii Walter Turner: b 188-, m prior to 1911 Bessie Viola Murphey, of Verdi, Tex., reside Jourdanton, Tex. where he has been a contractor for some 20 odd years. He is a member of the Christian church and his wife is a Methodist. They had

1 Paul Franklin: b 8 Oct. 1911. Grad. of Jourdanton High School and Port Arthur College, and is connected with the San Antonio Drug Co., wholesalers, San Antonio, Tex. He furnished information on the family.

2 Goldie Dimple: b 29 Jan. 1917.

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iv Paul: b 6 Feb. 1886, m Emma Louise Zipprian, reside Gulf, Tex.

v Inez Helen: b 9 Mar. 1888, m 12 Aug. 1907 Leslie Hand, of San Antonio, Tex. He died at Houston, Tex. 17 Dec. 1915 and she died 17 Sept. 1920, resided Houston, Tex. They had:

1 Leslie Gordon Hand: b 31 Dec. 1908 Houston, Tex.

2 Helen Bernice Hand: b 4 Nov. 1911 at Gulf, Tex.

3 Robert Floyd Hand: b 1917, died 1919.

vi Felix: b 21 July 1891, m Gussie Moore, of Waco, Tex., reside El Paso, Tex. They had:

1 Felix, Jr.: b 19-.

2 Elizabeth: b 19-.

vii Floyd Elvin: b 24 Oct. 1894. Enlisted 31 July 1917, was in France 31 July 1918 to Mar. 1919, World War. He m 9 Aug. 1919 Olla Jenkins, b Meridan, Miss. 22 Feb. 1897, reside Waco, Tex. They had

1 Elvin Lydell: b 15 Nov. 1921.

viii Ivin Clive: b 9 May 1896. Enlisted 31 July 1917, Sgt. Batt. D, 36th Div. was in France, discharged 13 Mar. 1919, World War. He m June 1921 Maggie Lee Beadle, of Verdi, Tex., reside Verdi, on the old home site which he now owns. He is a member of American Legion and Christian church. They had:

1 Elizabeth Ivine: : b 9 Jan. 1923.

ix Thelma Lorien: b 13 Dec. 1899, she m 9 Sept. 1921 Henry Martin Adams, son of Dr. J. M. Adams, of Medina, Tex. Reside Medina, Tex. where he operates the Red & White Grocery Store. They had:

1 Henry Marvin Adams: b 29 Nov. 1922.

2 Roy Hascall Adams: b 1 Sept. 1924.

### 378 ANDERSON W. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 8, John 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 8, John L, Francis 1.*) Born Beldsoe County, Tennessee in 1832, moved to Arkansas with his father about 1841-42. He was living at home in 1850 and in Clark County, Arkansas. He married prior to 1856 Louisa Bryant, of Arkadelphia, Arkansas, born Tennessee in 1835. They moved to Texas in the year 1860 and he enlisted in Washington County, September 1861 as Private K, 8th Texas Cavalry (Terry's Rangers) for 6 months; discharged in 1862. They returned to Arkansas as he enlisted 22 May 1862 at Washington, Arkansas as Private D, 1st Arkansas Cavalry, C. S. A.; captured at Mound City, Kansas 24 October 1864; sent to Alton and Rock Island, Illinois; paroled at Camp Lee, Virginia 28 March 1865. (*Texas State records and War Dept. records.*) They moved to Rutherford County, Tennessee before 1866 where he died before August 1870, Louisa was

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living in 1870 and is believed to have married (2). We have located the two sons but have not been able to secure any statements from them concerning the family record.

Children:

i Martha: b 1856 Ark. Was living in 1880 Tenn.

ii Tennessee: b 1860 Ark.

iii Franklin William: b 1866 Tenn. His son states this is his name, he is listed in the city directory as William F. He married prior to 1896 Martha Denham, b 18-, not known what place, they reside Farmersville, Tex. in 1933. No information obtainable, his children use the name of Billingsly. They had, known:

1 William C.: b ca 1896, m Alma Wilson, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Eugene.

b Dorothy.

2 Charles Dodd: b 189-, m Adeline Bower, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Jean.

b Joan.

3 Paul M.: b ca 1900, m Fay Williams, reside Dallas, Tex. No children.

4 Leonard Bill: b 6 Aug. 1902 at Farmersville, Tex., he m 23 Nov. 1921 Willie Mae Moore, reside Dallas, Tex. He has furnished the meager information on this family. They had:

a Bettie Jane: b 6 May 1929.

5 May: b 190-, m Clemmie Ray Craft, he is deceased. They had

a Evelyn Craft.

b Clemmie Ray Craft.

6 Carl M.: b 19-, m Ruby Smith, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Mark Daniel.

7 Laura: b 19-, m Johnie Small, residence not stated, no children.

8 Maud: b 19-, m Glenn Drain, residence not stated, no children.

9 Martha: b 19-.

10 Alfred: b 19-.

11 Doris: b 19-.

ii James: b 1869 Tenn., In 1932 L. B. Billingsly stated: "My father was reared in Tennessee or in around Murfreesboro, he has a brother Jim who lives in Nashville, father is up there now on a visit." City directory of 1932 shows one James F. Billingsley with a wife, Martha J., and living



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in the same home is one -Thurman P. Billingsley with wife, Annie M. No information obtainable from them. It is not known if this is the Jim referred to, he is the only one of this name listed however.

### 379 JOHN (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(John C. 8, John 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee in 1834, moved to Hempstead County, Arkansas with his parents about 18-12. He is listed in 1860 as a farm laborer and working for one Chester Cornelius. He enlisted 21 June 1862 as Private F, 24th Arkansas Infantry, C. S. A., at Washington, Arkansas for 3 years. Company F was temporarily attached to Dawson's 19th Infantry; he was present 31 August 1863; no further record. He enlisted 16 December 1863 at Benton, Arkansas as Private B, 1st Missouri Cavalry, U. S., transferred to Company D 10 Sept. 1864 and discharged 3 August 1865. He was pensioned and this record shows he married (1) about September 1863 Emily Bolls or Bolt (both spellings of the name) she died December 1863, he married (2) 25 September 1865 Milly E. Cornelius, born 1 November 1846 in Arkansas, they resided at Prescott, Arkansas where he engaged in farming and died 3 January 1903, Milly drew widow's pension till her death 15 August 1920 at Sparenburg, Texas.

Children:

i John Calvin (10): b 7 Aug. 1866.

ii Ruffis Isabella: b 13 Nov. 1869 Ark. She m (1) in 1885 W. J. Graham of Prescott, Ark., he died in 1900, she m (2) J. T. Stewart, he died in 1927 she survives him and resides Lamesa, Tex. No children. In the 1890's they took into their home a young boy named John Aylor to rear. He enlisted for the World War, went to France and was killed in action.

iii Ella I.: b 16 Aug. 1873, m (1) about 1887 William Billingsley, grandson of William G. Billingsley, No. 220, he died ca 1901 and she m (2) Arthur Miller, reside Avant, Ark. No information obtainable. The following is from her sister, Mrs. Stewart. They had:

1 Jordan: b 189-. Is a World War Veteran, m and resides Avant, Ark.

2 Jennies b 18-, m Robinson.

3 Ruby Miller: b ca 1905, m

4 Ida Miller: b ca 1907, died 1912.

iv Robert Lee: b 27 Sept. 1876 Ark., m about 1900 at Prescott, Ark., Minnie Lee Ward, b 13 Sept. 1876, they moved to Lamesa, Tex. where he was accidentally killed in 1922,

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she survives him and resides Sparenburg, Tex. They had:

1 John Milton: b 4 Oct. 1902.

2 Viva Mildred: b 26 Dec. 1904, m Patrick G. Franks, reside Big Spring, Tex.

3 Jesse Lee: b 19 Jan. 1910, m a Miss Russell.

4 J. C.: b 4 June 1914. v Malinda J. S.: b 7 Oct. 1879, Ark. Was called "Missie," m about 1903 George Griffin, resided Lamesa, Tex. where she died in 1927. They had:

1 Arlie Griffin: b 1904-5, m McClure.

2 Lola Griffin: b 1906, m Luckness.

3 Ruffis Griffin: b 1911.

vi William Rector: b 3 Mar. 1883 Ark., m 20 May 1904 at Prescott, Ark., Kate Bell, b 5 July 1886 at Huntsville, Ala. They moved to Sparenburg, Tex. where he died 2 May 1930. The following is abstracted from newspaper account:

"The night of May 1, 1930 William R. Billingsley who lived across the street from Mrs. Mary Bryce, and her crippled son, Thomas, who operated a filling station, was summoned by the little daughter of Mrs. Bryce who had seen a robber threatening her brother thru a rear door. Billingsley borrowed a shot gun and went to the station, thru a window he saw the man menacing Bryce with a revolver. Throwing aside all fear of his own safety he opened a screen door, the man whirled and fired wounding Billingsley. The man came out of the door and fired again as Billingsley was attempting to move the safety catch of the gun. Not being familiar with the principle of the fire arm he used it as a club, striking the holdup man over the head with it. The robber fired twice more as Billingsley lay on the ground. He was struck three times by bullets and as a result died the following afternoon."

Ira McKee was apprehended in East Texas after a state wide search of several weeks, he was convicted of the crime in June 1930. An appeal was noted, heard 19 Nov. 1931 and the conviction sustained, sentenced to be electrocuted 8 Jan. 1932.

The case was reported to the Carnegie Foundation and a posthumous award of medal was made to Billingsley and a life monthly fund of \$80 awarded to the widow.

They had:

1 Ruth Mae: b 20 Mar. 1905, m 1925 Clyde Rayns.

2 Evelyn: b 3 Dec. 1906, m 1925 Monroe Robison.

3 Thomas: b 28 Feb. 1911.

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vii Millie Ann: b 4 Feb. 1888. She m prior to 1902 Lee Renfroe. Reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

1 William Renfroe: b 1902, m Pearl Reed.

2 Cleo Renfroe: b 190=1.

3 Lesley- Renfroe: b 1906.

4 Isaac Renfroe: b 1908.

5 Inez Renfroe: b 1916.

6 Annie Renfroe: b 192-1.

### 380 SAMUEL ALVA (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James D, 8, John ?, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John.!, Francis 1.*) Born Pikeville, Tennessee 31 October 1856. He married at Fayetteville, Tennessee in 1885 Jeanie F. Sugg, born Fayetteville, Tennessee 20 September 1866. He died at Winchester, Tennessee 3 September 1899, she survives him.

Children:

i Gertrude: b 18 Jan. 1887, she m S. B. Lea, of Lovington, Va., she died 14 July 1913.

ii J. Lemuel: b 28 Nov. 1889, m Helen Plant, he is a lawyer, reside Fort Worth, Tex. No record of children.

iii Samuel Alva: b 15 Mar. 1894 at Lynchburg, Tenn. He m 24 Nov. 1919 at Lebanon, Tenn. Harriet Sutton, b 28 Feb. 1896 at Sparta, Tenn. He is a lawyer, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

1 Samuel Rhea: b 1924.

2 Joanne: b Feb. 1930.

iv Estelle: b 30 June 1896, m 17 July 1918 at Washington, D. C. John H. Voorhees. License dated 15 July 1918 and states he was 29 years of age and a resident of New Brunswick, N. J., her age is given as 22 years and state she was a resident of Oklahoma City, Okla.

### 381 MADISON ASBURY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 8, Thomas ?', Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Morgan County, Alabama 17 January 1845, moved to Pontotoc County, Mississippi with his parents about 1848. He enlisted 6 December 1861 as Private in Nelson's 4th Mississippi Volunteers, Corona Guards, this company later became D, 2d Mississippi Infantry, C. S. A., age given as 16 years. He was 5th Sergeant on a roll dated 24 Jan. 1862. He reenlisted 15 April 1863 as Private K, 2d Mississippi Cavalry; C. S. A.; age given as- 18 years, was five feet and wine inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, and a farmer. A roll 5 May 1864 shows him as present with company. No further record. He married in 1871 Paulina Gordon, born Aberdeen, Mississippi in 1858. He was a farmer, family members of the Christian church. She died 1 April 1915, he survived her some years, furnished information, thru his grand daughter, on the early

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history of the family, and died at his home in Lee County, Mississippi, 3 Feb. 1932.

Children:

i Corrie: b 22 Dec. 1873, She m 1895 at Baldwyn, Miss. John Cannon, b Rienzi, Miss. in 1869, he died in 1916, she survives him and resides Rienzi, Miss. They had:

1 James Cannon: b 1896, m Ella Hogue, reside Rienzi, Miss.

2 Jessie B. Cannon: b 1901.

3 John Cannon: b 1906, m Ethel Robinson, reside Rienzi, Miss.

ii Luther Armstrong (10) : b 7 Jan. 1875.

iii Effie Maybelle: b 28 May 1883 at Baldwyn, Miss., she m 1903 at Guntown, Miss. Kirby V. Bailey, b 1879 at Saltillo, Miss., reside Saltillo, Miss. They had:

1 Annie Mae Bailey: b 1904. She has furnished the information on this family, from the family Bible, and from interviews with her grandfather before his death.

2 Mary Pauline Bailey: b 1911. iv Jessie Lois: b 11 Feb. 1883 at Baldwyn, Miss., she m in 1907 William helium, b 27 Mar. 1883 at Guntown, bliss., reside Saltillo, Miss. They had:

1 Agnes Kellum: b 1908.

2 Hazel Kellum: b 1911.

#### 382 JAMES ANDERSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Alabama 14 March 1835, moved to Mississippi and Arkansas with his parents. He enlisted 1? July 1861 as Private D, 6th Arkansas Infantry, C. S. A.; a roll 30 June 1862 shows, absent, left at Corinth; a roll 31 August 1862 shows, absent, on parole; a roll 31 October 1862 not stated if present or absent; no further record. He married prior to 1864 Lucy Boyer, born Kentucky in 1846. He was a farmer and resided near Okalona, Arkansas, he died in 1899, she survived him a few years and died in 1907.

Children: (known)

i Valentine: b 1864.

ii Thomas R.: b 1866, m Lou, stated to be a merchant and resides Hope, Ark. No information obtainable front him.

iii Louella: b 1868.

iv Sarah Alzade: b 20 Dec. 1872, she m (1) a Mr. Killingsworth, b Miss., he died in. 1898 and she m (2) in 1924 Jesse Tollison, b Ark., 18-, reside Amity, Ark. She has furnished some information on this family. They had:

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1 Richard Lester Killingsworth: b 1893, died 1918.

2 James F. Killingsworth: b 1896, died 1897.

3 Willie Y. Killingsworth : b 1898, died 1910.

v John Campbell: b 10 Nov. 1881 at Okalona, Ark., m prior to 1908 Ozella Burns, b Ark. 18-, reside Gurdon, Ark. They had

1 John Cecil: b 22 Oct. 1908 at Hare, Ark. He has furnished information on this family.

2 Thelma Ozella: b 10 Feb. 1912 at Amity, Ark.

383 COUNSEL CAMPBELL (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Alabama in 1838, moved to Mississippi and Arkansas with his parents. He enlisted 30 July 1862, as Private D, 6th Arkansas .. Infantry, C. S. A.; on a roll dated 31 August 1862, absent on parole; a roll 31 October 1862 it is not stated if present or absent; no further record. He married prior to 1869 Julia Harrison, born Mississippi in 1848, he was a farmer and resided in Nevada County, Arkansas in 1880. He is stated to have passed on in 1911, no data on her death. Some of his children said to be living in 1932, but no definite information has been obtained concerning any of them.

Children: (known)

i James: b 1869.

ii Edith: b 1871.

iii Thomas: b 1872.

iv Ella: b 1874.

v William: b 1876.

vi Essie: b 1878.

vii Emmett: b 1879.

384 OLANDO M. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi 30 October 1849, moved to Arkansas with his parents prior to July 1860. He married 21 January 1868 Elvira Taylor Harrison, born Mississippi 11 March 1849, she died 11 .December 1884, he survived her many years and. died in 1923, there is a difference in records sent in one states 23 October, and another states 25 November 1923. He was a farmer and resided all of his life in Clark and Nevada Counties, Arkansas.

Children

i William Vestal: b 16 Feb. 1869 Ark. He m 15 Dec. 1889 at Prescott, Ark. Martha Elizabeth Astin, b Obion Co., Tenn. 20 Dec. 1871, he died 18 June 1910 in Hempstead Co., Ark., she survives him. They had

1 David Arthur: b 6 Dec. 1891 Hempstead Co., Ark., In 25 Dec. 1912 at Prescott, Ark., Ruth Agnes Harris, b Nevada Co., Ark. 25 Apr. 1894. He is a farmer and

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resides Lubbock, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Raymond Gordon: b 7 Nov. 1914.

b Vera Zelle: b 27 Oct. 1927, died infancy.

c Francis Merle: b 30 Sept. 1930.

2 William Oscar: b 1 Aug. 1893, died 19 Nov. 1904.

3 Roy Connor: b 19 Dec. 1896, m Bessie Jewel Duncsn, reside Lubbock, Tex. They had

a Roy Connor, Jr.: b 11 Dec. 1921.

b Don Ray: b 8 Mar. 1926.

4 Imon Monroe: b 12 May 1904, m Juanita Woodall, reside Lubbock, Tex. They had:

a Raeburn Monroe: b 4 Sept. 1929.

ii James Albert: b 21 Mar. 1872. He m prior to 1897 Dochia Buchanan, b 19 Oct. 1872, reside Prescott, Ark. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Lilliard: b 16 Mar. 1897, m Goldie Hendrix, b 5 July 1898, reside Prescott, Ark. They had

a Thomas: b 31 Dec. 1922.

b Mary Lee: b 28 Feb. 1925.

c Lois Fay: b 21 Nov. 1927.

d Imogene: b 22 Sept. 1930.

2 Carl: b 12 Nov. 1901, m 27 Nov. 1924 Ruby Riddling, b 22 July 1906, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

a Hershal Lee: b 29 Nov. 1926.

3 Irene: b 29 Dec. 1904, m 23 Oct. 1926 Eulis Parker, b 5 Feb. 1901, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

a Ola Marie Parker: b 10 Aug. 1927.

iv Thomas A.: b 9 Aug. 1873, m Jennie Arnett, reside Prescott, Ark. No children.

v Council O.: b 12 Jan. 1876, resides Prescott, Ark., unmarried.

vi William Henry: b 8 Jan. 1878, m Sallie Morris, she died prior to 1929, he died 23 Jan. 1929. They had:

1 Ruby Ray: b 19-, m Jack Yarberg.

vii Edward Lee: b 10 June 1881, died infancy.

viii Mollie Mae: b 18 June 1883, m ca 1905 James Wilson, reside Prescott, Ark. They had:

1 Gill Wilson: b 190-.

2 Mae Wilson: b 190-, m a Mr. Jones.

3 Ethel Wilson: b 19-, m a 'Mr. Stone.

4 Ola Bee Wilson: b 19-.

#### 385 EDWARD COUNSEL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Pontotoc County, Mississippi 15 January 1848, moved to Shelby County, Texas *with his* parents about 1859. He married

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July 1870 Delila Elizabeth Landrum, born April 1851 in Mississippi; a daughter of A. Kimbro Landrum. Resided Shelby County, Texas in 1880. He died at Blanco, .Texas 18 April 1918 and she died 20 August 1918. Family members of Christian church.

Children:

i William Marshall (10) : b 1872.

ii Mary: b 1873, m C. C. Storer, residence not stated.

iii Walter Kimbro (10) : b 1875.

iv James Franklin: b 7 Apr. 1878, m a Miss Ross, resided Cottonwood, Calif. in 1932.

v Edward: b 7 Apr. 1878, a twin, m a Miss Lawson, residence not stated.

vi Joseph: b 1880, died 1918.

vii Lucius Monroe: b 1884, died 1900.

viii Martha: b 1888, died 1892.

386 JAMES L. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William F. 8, William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee 31 December 1843. He married 14 October 1869 Elizabeth J. Oliver, born Tennessee 13 December 1845. He was a farmer, died at his home 25 June 1907, and she died 11 March 1911, resided Roane County, Tennessee.

Children:

i William M.: b 1871, m Adelia Marie Frech, he died 24 Sept. 1911, and she m (2) a Mr. Lee, reside Concord, Tenn. They had:

1 Evelyn: b 1-, decesd.

2 Henrietta: b 1-, decesd.

3 Ernest: b 19-. In railway mail service, resided Atlanta, Ga. in 1931, unmarried.

4 Grace : b 19- decesd.

5 Roy: b 19- decesd.

6 Frank: b 19- decesd.

ii Vestie Anna: b 1873, m Alexander Taylor, she died 16 Jan. 1911. They had

1 Florence Taylor.

2 Grace Taylor.

iii Oliver Eaton (10) : b 29 Jan. 1876.

387 WILLIAM (9) BILLINGSLEY

(James 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Washington County, Arkansas, 27 March 1824, moved to Newton County, Missouri with his parents about 1836 and moved to Ellis County, Texas in 1844. He married at Dallas, Texas in 1848 Arena Kirkland, born Illinois in 1831, she was a daughter of Pollard Kirkland,

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born Tennessee 1798, died 1840's and Margaret , born Tennessee in 1802, living 1850 in Ellis County, Texas, they were also the parents of Susan, born Tennessee 1822, who m (1) Dickson, (2) Jonathan Billingsley, No. 231, which see; Lydia, born Illinois 1827, m Alfred J. Parks; Isaac, born Illinois 1834; Emaline S., born Illinois 1835, died 186-, married Elbert G. Billingsley, son of Jacob, No. 100, which see. He was one of the signers for formation of Johnson County in 1854. State records show he enlisted July 1861 in Dunn's Company, Home Guards. War Department records show he enlisted 28 October 1861 as Private Co. C, 12th Texas Cavalry, C. S. Army. No further information of his military career. Resided Johnson County to about 1876 when they moved to Scurry County where he died 26 February 1899. She was living in 1870 and is stated to have died in 1880 at Buffalo Gap, Texas.

Children:

i Vianna: b 1850, m 1874 in Ellis Co., Tex. Alonzo T. Dunn, b Bradley Co., Tenn. 1845, moved to Dunn, Tex. where he died in 1905, she survives him and has furnished information on this family, resides Dunn, Tex. They had:  
1 Sudie Dunn: b 1875, m prior to 1892 George N. Richardson, reside Dunn, Tex. They had:

a Earnest J. Richardson: b 27 July 1892, m , reside Snyder, Tex. They had:

al Earnest Jefferson Richardson: b 21 Oct. 1921.

a2 Nannie Joe Richardson: b 20 Oct. 1928.

a3 George Taylor Richardson: b 6 Feb. 1930.

b Ross Newton Richardson: b 19 Mar. 1895, died 7 Oct. 1903.

c Lela May Richardson: b 30 Sept. 1896, m C. A. Williams, reside Dunn, Tex. They had:

c1 Vernon Newton Williams: b 27 Sept. 1918.

c2 Neva Loree Williams: b 25 Aug. 1922.

c3 Martha Lee Williams: b 5 Aug. 1924, died 9 Jan. 1927.

d Eula Lee Richardson: b 2 Mar. 1899, m F. A. Cart, reside Pampa, Tex.

e Ollie T. Richardson: b 24 Apr. 1905, resides Herm Leigh, Tex.

2 William Pollard Dunn: b 1877, m prior to 1901 Bessie White, he died in 1929, she survives him and resides Lubbock, Tex. They had

a Vera Lee Dunn- b 9 Aug. 1901.

b Drue A. Dunn: b 9 Feb. 1906, resides Midland, Tex.

e Son: b 190-, died aet. 1 week.

d William Russell Dunn: .b 15 Aug. 1910.

e Ollie Payton Dunn: b 25 Mar. 1912.

f Eva Mae Dunn: b 27 Sept. 1920.



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3 James Alonzo Dunn: b 5 July 1880, resides Dunn, Tex.

4 Garland Dunn: b 15 May 1853, died 30 July 1887.

5 Nannie Dunn: b 1885, m Clarence S. Smith, reside Abernathy, Tea. They had:

a Sarah Vianna Smith: b 17 Sept. 1945, m J. R. Fitzgerald, reside Abernathy, Tex. They had:  
al Roy Robert Fitzgerald: b 18 Nov. 1929.

b Ruby Murtice Smith: b 28 Sept. 1907, m R. P. Castleberry, reside Abernathy, Tex. They had:  
b1 Robert Wyyou Castleberry: b 21 Dec. 1921.

c Reita Eula Smith: b 18 May 1910.

d Clarence Odell Smith: b 24 Mar. 1913.

e J. A. Smith: b 4 July 1915.

ii James Pollard (10): b 185-1.

388 JAMES NATHANIEL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Johnson County, Texas 14 March 1854. Lived in Johnson and Hill Counties until he was about grown then moved to Hamilton County, Texas, where he married 4 December 1879 Charilda Caledonia Carter, born Hamilton County, Texas 10 November 1861, a daughter of James A. Carter. He is said to have been of medium sine in build and light complected, he engaged in farming and died at his home 22 Apr. 1925, she survives hint, resides Hamilton, Texas. Family members of the Christian Church.

Children:

i James Benjamin: b 16 Sept. 1850, m 1907 Della Edwards, b Coryell Co., Tex. 13 Sept. 1887, resided Hamilton, Tex. until 1917 then moved to Comstock, Tex. where he is engaged in mercantile business, he states he is 6 feet in height and weighs 225 pounds, and is light complected. Reside Comstock, Tex. They had:

1 Violet: b 1909, m prior to 1928 Fred Slaughter, of Del Rio, Rex. They had

a Norma Jene Slaughter: b 1928..

b Jennette Irene Slaughter: b June 1932.

2 James Benjamin, Jr.: b 1916.

ii Annie Belle: b 1 Feb. 1882, m 22 Oct. 1901 James Malcolm Neal, reside Hamilton, or Sweetwater, Tex. They had

1 Willie May Neal: b 3 Sept. 1902.

2 Benjamin Marion Neal: b 19 Oct. 1903, m Lorje Huffman.

3 James Thalbert Neal: b 2 Aug. 1905, m Fay Musick.

4 Daniel Nathan Neal: b 16 Apr. 1907, m Donna Crane.

5 Hazel Belle Neal: b 16 Oct. 1910, m Thomas Hunter. They had:

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a Billie Ralph Hunter: b 1 Mar. 1930.

6 J. V. Neal: b 26 Mar. 1919.

iii Emily Elizabeth: b 19 Dec. 1853, died 10 Apr. 1886.

iv William Samuel: b 26 Nov. 1885, m 1 Jan. 1913 Bettie J. Baker, b Hamilton Co., Tex. 9 Dec. 1892, reside Hamilton, or Star, Tex. He is said to be 5 feet and 11 inches in height, light complexion, and weighs 185 pounds. They had:

1 Callie Louise: b 24 Oct. 1921.

v Henry Jefferson, b 19 Dec. 1887 is generally known as "Jack." He m 29 Dec. 1912 Leona Jones, b Tex. 16 Sept. 1892, reside Hamilton, Tex. He is said to be 5 feet and 7 inches in height, dark brown hair and brown eyes and weighs about 160 pounds. They had:

1 Daughter: b 4 Dec. 1913, died same day.

3 James Nathaniel: b 14 Dec. 1914.

3 Paul Jefferson: b 31 July 1919.

4 Son: b 31 July 1919, a twin, died same day.

vi Lucy Prince: b 8 Dec. 1839, m John Henry Massie, reside Vernon, Tex.

vii Martha Adelia: 1; 14 Mar. 1892, m Robert Brown Williams, reside Gatesville, Tex.

viii Bertie Caledonia: b 10 Apr. 1894, m 13 Oct. 1912, Lee Alexander Brinkley, b .Holly Springs, Miss. 23 July 1890, reside Hamilton, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Violet Irene Brinkley: b 11 Aug. 1913.

2 James Henry Brinkley: b 18 Nov. 1916. I

3 William Alleson Brinkley: b 30 Mar. 1919.

4 Lula Pearl Brinkley: b 26 Mar. 192?.

ix Lillie Pansy: b 5 June 1896, m Clarence C. Reeves, b Somerville Co., Tex. in 1889, reside Hamilton, Tex. They had:

1 Clairene Reeves: b 1917.

x Nellie Irene: b 23 July 1899, m William B. Jones, she died 20 May 1920.

xi Irma Lorenza: b 7 Feb. 1906, died 9 July 1906.

389 JOHN BELDEN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 6 June 1830, moved to Newton County, Missouri with his parents about 1836 and to Ellis County, Texas with them in 1844. He was signer to the petition for the formation of Johnson County in 1854. He was issued the fourth marriage license in Johnson County 31 January 1855 and married Mary Wallace, born Arkansas 31 January 1835, and a daughter of Susan D. Wallace

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Harris-Billingsley nee Garvin, and a step daughter of William C. Billingsley, No. 3:30. He enlisted 13 flay 1562 as Private H, 8th Texas Infantry, Young's Regiment, this later became the 12th Tex. Infantry. Listed as prisoner April 1863, and the last roll of record February- 1S64 shows him on furlough in Hill County, Texas.

It is stated of him that he was a hunter of some note and named some of the creeks in Johnson County. During his last days he prepared a "Personal Recollections of Johnson County." Several now living recall having seen and read this paper but careful search has failed to locate any copy extant. Mary died in 1831, at Mineral Wells, Texas, he survived her some years and died 6 December 190-1 in Young County, Texas.

Children;

i Sarah Celesta: b 4 Sept. 1556 Hill Co., Tex., m 1 Nov. 1875 in Erath Co., Tex. John Marion Lewis, b Mo. 1856, she died 12 Sept. 1930 at Visalia, Calif. No mention, of his death. They had:

1 Lee Lewis: b 1 Sept. 1876, m 1907 at Shawnee, Okla., Gertie Davis, reside Swisshome, Oreg. .

2 James Marion Lewis: b 6 Dec. 1878, in 1912 Mamie Fladge, reside Pokers, Oreg.

3 Mary Ethel Lewis: b 28 June 1882 Erath Co., Tex., m 7 Nov. 1599 at Holdenville, Okla., Charles Loyd Hawthorne, b 23 July 1569 in La., reside Visalia, Calif. They had:

a Charles Loyd Hawthorne, Jr.: b 16 Aug. 1900, m 17 Jan. 1925 flay Tokas.

4 Dalthus Lewis: b 2 Feb. 1556, m 1912 Nellie Lajoy, he died 13 Mar. 1914.

ii Julia Marceline: b 28 Mar. 1559, m 3 Feb. 1576 at Alvarado, Tex., John Young Bright, b 17 Nov. 1856, a son of Stephen D. Bright and Susan Billingsley, see No. 229. Both were living in 1930 and resided Nemo, Tex. They had

1 Stephen D. Bright: b 6 Dec. 1877, died 13 Mar. 1855.

2 Martin Byron Bright: b 16 Aug. 1850, died 30 Apr. 1852.

3 Lottie Lee Bright: b 27 Jan. 1883, m 3 Dec. 1911 R. L. Wilkins, she died 27 Jan. 1930. They had no children but adopted:

a Lee Henry Wilkins: b 1 Feb. 1915,

b William Pleasant Wilkins: b 7 Dec. 1917.

4 Silas .Green Bright:. b .21 Oct. 15.54, m 3 Dec. 1910 Polly Porter, reside Quanah, Tex. They had:

a Marceline Cordelia Bright: b 1 Oct. 1912.

b Sallie Ruth Bright: b 14 Nov. 1914.

5 Jesse Young Bright: b 29 June 1888, m 3 Sept. 1917 Myrtle Burgess, reside Nemo, Tex. They had:

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a Ruby Leonora Bright: b 8 Sept. 1919, died 24 Sept. 1920.

b Jessie Ruth Bright: b 18 Feb. 1921.

6 Otis Olive Bright: b 23 Dec. 1890, m 11 Feb. 1916 Jessie Riley, . reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had

a W. T. Fain Bright: b 5 Aug. 1918.

b L. P. Gibbs Bright: b 1 Apr. 1922.

7 Lester Bright: b 4 Mar. 1895, died 6 Feb. 1896.

8 Sallie Estelle Bright: b 12 Nov. 1897. She has furnished the data on this immediate family.

9 Chester Bright: b 3 Jan. 1902; m 16 June 1923 Nellie Emily Hock, reside Nemo, Tex. They had:

a Wanna B. Bright: b 12 Aug. 1924.

iii Abner Davidson: b 20 Dec. 1861 Johnson Co., Tex., m in 1887 Martha Thompson Harris, b 24 Mar. 1869, a daughter of Wallas T. Harris and Rebecca Ann Billingsley, see No. 225. He was a farmer and blacksmith, she died 20 June 1927, and he died Sept. 1931, resided South Bend, Tex. They had

1 Mary: b 1888, died 1891.

2 Sallies b 1889, died June 1900.

3 Beulah: b 14 Sept. 1892, m (1) 1912 Leonard Townsend, (2) in 1922 Archie M. Martin, reside South Bend, Tex.

4 Marchie: b 1894-5, died May 1900.

5 Johnnie: b 1897, died May 1900 (daughter).

6 Samuel Abner: b 2 Mar. 1900 at Eliasville, Tex. He was an active minister in the Methodist church for some years and was compelled to give up this work on account of throat trouble, and is at present professor of English and Spanish, at Loving High School. He m 17 Jan. 1920 at South Bend, Tex. Leona McCluskey b Tex. 16 Jan. 1902, reside Loving, Tex. They had:

a Robert Lee: b 25 Aug. 1921 at South Bend, Tex.

b George Marvin: b 14 Aug. 1925 at Boyce, Tex.

7 Louemma Grace: b 2 Mar. 1903, died Jan. 1919.

8 Mattie Marie: b 14 Feb. 1906, died 10 Aug. 1916.

9 Leona Rachel: b 27 Mar. 1911 near Lovington, N. Mex. m after 1930 E. E. Harris.

iv Naomi Angeline: b 12 June 1868 Johnson Co., Tex., m 30 Oct. 1884 at Grandview, Tex. William Robert Edmiston, b Ala. 31 Mar. 1852-53, a son of David Macklin Edmiston, b England, died 1865 in Tex., and Hannah Sample, b died 1865 Tex. They were also parents of: Nancy Sample Edmiston who m Prof. Greenaway; Joseph and James Edmiston, who served in C. S. A. and both died at Fort Douglas, Ill. in prison; Margaret Edmiston who

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m a Montague. Naomi died 27 Dec. 1907, and he died 6 June 1908 at Glen Rose, Tex. They had:

1 Nancy Sample Edmiston: b 3 Nov. 1885 at Grandview, Tex. m 11 Dec. 1920 at Fort Worth, Tex. G. Norton Keahey, reside Bluffdale, Tex. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

2 William Edgar Edmiston: b 8 Sept. 1887, m 23 Dec. 1908 at Glen Rose, Tex. Blanch Tinnin, b Erath Co., Tex. He is a structural engineer and general contractor. Is member of El Reno Lodge, No. 50, A. F. A. D-L, Key Stone chapter Royal Arch; El Reno Commandery, and India Temple, Mystic Shrine; Associated General Contractors of America; Chickasha Chamber of Commerce; and Rotary Club. She is a member of the Eastern Star, family Methodists, reside Chickasha, Okla. They had:

a Naomi Ruth Edmiston: b 4 Mar. 1910 at Glen Rose, Tex.

b William Ben Edmiston: b 10 Mar. 1914 at Henderson, Tex.

3 John David Edmiston: b 17 Oct. 1891 at Grandview, Tex., m 1 Apr. 1914 at Glen Rose, Tex. Lela Jewell Gresham, b 6 July 1892 at Glen Rose, Tex. He is a member of the Methodist church and his wife is a Missionary Baptist, he is a Knight of Pythias, reside Chickasha, Okla. They had

a John Gresham Edmiston: b 13 May 1917, died act. 2 days.

b Ruby Grayson Edmiston: b 14 Apr. 1918 Glen Rose, Tex.

c John David Edmiston, Jr.: b 25 Feb. 1920.

d William Todd Edmiston: b 5 Oct. 1921, Okla.

e Robert Sample Edmiston: b 25 Apr. 1929.

4 Mary Oaks Edmiston: b 5 Aug. 1896, died 22 Aug. 1922 at Dallas, Tex.

5 Child: b 1901, died inf.

6 Child: b 1903, died inf.

v Alonzo C.: b 17 Feb. 1871 Johnson Co., Tex., m 1901 at Eliasville, Tex. Belle Donnell, b 2 Feb. 1882 in Young Co., Tex. He is with the Arcadia Refining Co., reside Cross Plains, Tex. They had:

1 Georgia Fay: b 17 May 1903, m Hubert Johnson, of Big Spring, Tex.

2 Alice Pauline: b 17 July 1910 at Midland, Tex., m E. M. Pancake, Jr., of Pioneer, Tex.

3 Mildred Claire: b 19 July 1915 at Iowa Park, Tex.

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4 Mary Louise: b 3 Feb. 1919 at Palo Pinto, Tex.

vi Thomas R.: 6 17 Feb. 1871 a twin of Alonzo C. He m (1) Jan. 1892 Emma C. Fowler, at Grandview, Tex., he m (2) Nov. 1911 Johnson Co., Tex. Ara A. Keller; reside South Bend, Tex. They had:

1 Clyde Coleman: b 9 Nov. 1895 Johnson Co., Tex., m 24 Aug. 1917 Daisy Eleanor Harris, b 25 June 1898, daughter of Samuel H. Harris and Martha, VI. Young, see No. 225. Reside Eliasville, Tex.

2 Lola Maud: b 8 Aug. 1902 Young Co., Tex.

3 Lemma B.: b 31 Jan. 1913; 2d wife.

4 J.C.: b 15 Oct. 1915 Young Co., Tex.

390 JONATHAN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William C. S, John. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William S, John P, Francis I.*) Born Ellis County, Texas, 10 December 18-15, moved to Johnson County, Texas with his parents- in 1854. He is said to have served in the Confederate Army during the last year of the war, no record has been found of said service. He removed to Hood County, Texas and engaged in mercantile business, and was generally known as "Nos" Billingsley. He was a charter member of the Masonic Lodge at Lipan, Texas. He married prior to 1883 Mary Jane Henderson, bore Springfield, Tents 5 December 1864. They moved to Vernon, Texas about 1880 where he engaged in mercantile business and was active in Masonic affairs. He was prosperous in business until the panic of 1897 about ruined him, and his son states that he never fully recovered in a financial way. They moved to Abilene, Texas, and later moved to Chico, California and after a few- years removed to Stanislaus County, California where Mary died 15 January 1918, she was an invalid the last years of her life, rheumatism. He survived her and died 4 -lay 1927 at Turlock, California. Family Cumberland Presbyterians.

Children:

i Nancy Ann: b 14 Aug. 1883 Hood Co., Tex., m 2 May 1903 at Chico, Calif., William Minney, b Padstow, Eng., 4 Aug. 1870, reside Oakdale, Calif. They had:

1 Edith Ruth Minney: b 190-, m 12 June 1926, at San Jose, Calif., Henry Bernard Lang, b Minn. They had:

a Patsey Land: b 192-. b Norma Lang: b 192-.

ii Hines Homer: b 3 Mar. 1885 Hood Co., Tex., moved to Calif. with his parents. He married 31 May 1916, Mary V. McIntyre, b Toronto, Canada, 15 Nov. 1893. He is manager of Warner Springs Trading Co., Warner Springs, Calif. They had:

1 Mary Elizabeth: b 23 Aug. 1919.

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iii Jessie May: b 26 Mar. 1887, Vernon, Tex., m 18 Aug. 1906, at Santa Cruz, Calif. Frank Libbey Keller, b East Machias, Me., 4 July 1877, reside Turlock, Calif. They had:  
1 Clifford Roy Keller: b 1 June 1907 at Whittier, Calif., m 16 Sept. 1929 Ruth Ericksson at Ontario, Calif., reside. Santa Monica, Calif.  
2 Thelma Keller: b 1 Jan. 1913.  
3 Lois Helen Keller: b 10 Oct. 1919 at Oakdale, Calif.

iv Mary Beulah: b 15 Feb. 1892, at Vernon, Tea., m 18 Apr. 1910 at. Whittier, Calif., Ruel Alonzo Greene, b Brooklyn, N.Y. 24 Sept. 1886, reside El Centro, Calif. They had:  
1 Harold Nelson Greene: b 28 Aug. 1916.  
2 Olive Dawn Greene: b 21 May 1921.  
3 Mary Eleanor Greene: b 10 Apr. 1923.

v Sadie Nell: b 6 Oct. 189 at Vernon, Tex., 25 June 1913 at Los Angeles, Calif., in Christian Church, Dee Carl Essley, b Washington, Iowa, reside Burlingame, Calif. They had:  
1 Gerald Edgar Essley: b 11 Apr. 1915.  
2 Dorothy E. Essley: b 10 July 1917 at Whittier, Calif.

#### 391 JOHN LAFAYETTE (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Jonathan B. 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John L, Francis 1.)* Born Parker County, Texas, in 1851, moved to Washington County, Arkansas with his parents and returned to Tetras with his father in the 1870's. After the death of his father he and his brother removed to Parker Co., Texas where he married 18 May 1885 Udora Copeland, burn Texas, 18-,said not to be related to Emma F. Copeland who married Jonathan Lee Billingsley. They moved to Oklahoma and resided at Ada for a time then moved to Orr where they resided in 1932.

Children:

i Charles: b 7 Feb. 1887. He m (1) 26 July 1906 Lillie Turner, she resided Wilson, Okla., in 1932. His father stated in 1932 address of Charles is not known. In Jan. 1931 we had a communication from "Mandie Billingsley" of Sayre, Okla. which stated: "letter sent to J. L. Billingsley was left in the box of Charles Billingsley. His father & mother lives at Ada close by. He was a good man & married to a Mrs. Turner, 1st wife, and had 5 children, Mast heard of she was living at Wilson, Okla. He married the writer 1 Apr. 1922 at Choctaw County; on 3 June 1923 the Laws came and taken him to Boswell, I have never had no word from him since." It is not known if he was divorced at the time of the 2d marriage, and no information as to cause of the Laws action. Children, 1st wife:

1 Delia: b 1907, m G. A. Wanger, reside Long Beach, Calif.  
2 Essie: b 19-, m Walter Kreger, reside Glendale, Ariz.  
3 Emma: b 191-, m Vernon Chitwood, reside Wilson, Okla.  
4 Dempsey: b 191-, resides Stonewall, Okla.

ii William: b 29 Sept. 1889, m 27 Mar. 1910 Glennie Melton, reside Stonewall, Okla. They had:

1 Johnnie Lee: b 191-, m Edward Harlen.  
2 Mabel: b 191--, m Lee Thompson.  
3 Willard: b 191-.  
4 Clyde: b 19-.  
5 Frank: b 19-.  
6 Lotta May: b 19-.  
7 Freda Fay: b 19-.

iii Georgia A.: b 19 Feb. 1892, m (1) 12 Apr. 1905 James Miller, she m (2) E. P. Joiner, reside Wheeler, Texas. They had;

1 Goldia Miller: b 1909, resides Duke, Okla.  
2 John Miller: b 19-, resides Shamrock, Tex.  
3 Otto Miller: b 19-.  
4 Dora Duller: b 19-.  
5 Bernice Onetta Joiner: b 19-.  
6 Thomas Joiner: b 19-.

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iv Jonathan Lee: b 5 Feb. 1894, m 6 Dec. 1917 Wilmie Joiner, reside Shamrock, Tex. They had

1 Verbin: b Sept. 1918.

2 Forrest Lee: b 19-.

3 Clarence: h 19--.

4 Edward: b 19-.

5. Alfred: b 19--.

6 Elizabeth (Bettie): b 19-.

7 Gene: b 19-.

v Bertha G.: b 20 Apr. 189?, m 1 July 1914 Lewie B. Means, family Baptist, reside Wilson, Okla. They had:

1 Henry Means: b 5 July 1917.

2 William Homer Means: b 12 Feb. 1922.

vi Robert: b 28 Aug. 1899, m 1925 Edith Smith, he is a farmer, and they reside Stonewall, Okla. They had:

1 Roy: b 192-.

vii Mary M.: b 30 Jan. 1902, m 2 June 1918 Harry Truitt, family Methodist, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had:

1 Child: b 19-, died inf.

2 Oletta Truitt: b 19-.

3 Eugene Truitt: b 19-.

viii Henry Clay: b 7 Sept. 1904, m 26 May 1927 Vivian Cavins, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had: .

1 Billy Dean: b 19- (daughter). .

ix James F.: b 15 Oct. 1908, m 1927 Lydia Hale. No children.



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*The following section was updated by the family of Lewie Napoleon Billingsley. It does not have all of the grandchildren as we do not have these records. – Eva Billingsley Wakefield 18 February 2020 billingsley.us*

x Lennie L.[Lewie Napoleon]: b 16 Oct. 1910, m 12 November 1932, Wilson, Okla., Christine Edwin Stafford.

- a. Mary Ann: b 10 March 1934 d approximately 1980, Orr, Ok. m Phillip Martin Christophers, May 1952, Casper, Wyoming, moved immediately to Edmonton, Alberta, and returned upon the birth of their first child. They divorced. d 19 July 1980.

- a1 Phillip Martin Christophers: b 19—, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada; citizen of Canada due to law banning citizenship to children of U.S. citizens not living in the country for five or more years after their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday. Gillette, WY 2020

- a2 Cheryl Lynn Christophers: b 1955, Casper, Wyoming.

- a3 John Michael Christophers: b May 1958, Casper, Wyoming.

- a4 David Christophers: b 19—, Casper, Wyoming.

- a5 Tina Richards: b in either Casper, Wyoming or Denver, Colorado; daughter of Mary Anne Billingsley Christophers and Cloy Richards. – FaceBook 2020 shows Tina living in Venice, CA and presently in St. Louis

- b. Glenda Yuvonne: b 13 April 1936 d 21 November 2017 (age 81), Orr, Ok., called “Yuvonne”. m (1) Charles Krusee, 22 January, 1955, Casper, Wyoming. Marriage Dissolved April 1956; (2) Eugene William Moore, January 1957, Casper, Wyoming, d 7 July, 1965, Denver, Colorado; (3) Theodore F. Warshauer, March 25, 1967, Golden, Colorado. Children:

- b1 Charles William Moore: b 20 November, 1955, Casper, Wyoming in Natrona County Hospital. Child of Glenda Yuvonne Billingsley and Charles Krusee; adopted by E. Moore, Golden, Colorado, 1963. m Wanwisa (last name unknown), first marriage Jennifer Lou Duncan, second marriage Wanwisa Saenguraiprasert (kept maiden name)

- b1.1 Emily Christine Moore (mother is Jennifer)

- b1.2 Tyler William Moore (mother is Wanwisa)

- b1.3 Kaili Tenita Moore (mother is Wanwisa)

- b2 Regina Maria Moore: b 1950. Child of E. Moore and Ruth Bennett Moore, d 1956, age 27. Adopted by Y. Moore, Golden, Colorado, 1966. Married name: Hawkinson, Grand Rapids, Minnesota

- b3 Karen Lou Moore: b 1954. Child of E. Moore and Ruth Bennett Moore. Adopted by Y. Moore, Golden, Colorado, 1966. Married name: Albl, Boise, ID

- b4 Stephen Gregory Moore: b 14 May, 1958, Casper, Wyoming in Natrona County Hospital. m Pamela, children

- b4.1 Callan

- b4.2 Claire

- c. Sherrill Wayne: b 25 March 1939, Vandalia, Ill., called “Wayne” and “Bill”. m 27 April 1962, Konstanz Am Bodensee, Germany, Anita Christine Henrard (1<sup>st</sup> wife), b 12 July 1940, Markdorf, Germany, divorced. m 17 May 1986, Carrollton, Ky., Susan Arlene Borg(2<sup>nd</sup> wife) divorced 2005 (and not a minute too soon). Children from 1<sup>st</sup> marriage.
- c1 Eva Marie: b 22 August 1963, Washington D.C. m 18 February 1989, Brockville, Ont., Canada, Richard Hartley Douglas. divorce 1999; m Michael Roger Wakefield 15 July 2005 Georgetown, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, BWI Children:
  - c1.1 Jessica Marie Billingsley, b. 3 August 1984 (father: D Todd Hanley).
  - c1.2 Kevin Richard Douglas, b. 9 December 1990. (father: Richard Douglas)
  - c2 Patrick Stuart: b 13 March 1967, Washington D.C. m 3 June 1995, Linda Jane Brooks, b 1 November 1969. Children:
  - c2.1 John Patrick, b 8 October 2000.
  - c2.2 Nicholas Brandon 13 September 2003
- d. Rodger Lewie: b 26 April 1941, Salem, Ill. died 5 December 2008 (age 67) m Patricia Benton 22 November 1969
- e. Stanley Marion: b 22 March 1943, Salem, Ill. Elected to Ky. Legislature in 1974. Elected Ky. District Judge in 1984. m (1) Joyce Juett, 15 May 1964, divorced July 1976; (2) Gwen Rowe on 23 April 1982, Terrace Park, Ohio. Children, 1<sup>st</sup> wife.
- e1 Edward Bradford Billingsley: b 25 February 1969, Lexington, Ky.
  - e2 Brittany Carroll Billingsley Walls: b 23 September 1973, Maysville, Ky children:
  - e2.1 Emilee Caitlan McMannis, b 18 May 1994, Louisville, Ky. m 18 November 2017 to Thomas Bess (birthdate) 24 July 1984). children:
    - e2.1.a Bexley Bess 22 February 2018
    - e2.1.b Sidney Bess 17 July 2012
  - e2.2 Ashten Walls 21 January 2003
  - e2.3 Addison Polley 7 May 2007
- f. Carolyn Jan: b 21 February 1944 died 19 April 2017 (age 73), Salem, Ill.. m (1) John L. Minton, 16 January 1963, divorced 1965; (2) Richard Derek Cockle, 9 September 1979, divorced 1986; (3) Douglas G. Crow, 4 December 1999. Children:
- f.1 John L. Minton: b 4 May 1964 died 2 September 2003 (age 39)
  - f.2 Cary Barrington Cockle: b 21 April 1981. Resides Washington State as of 2020

xi Earl F.: b 9 Oct. 1913.

### 392 WILLIAM WRIGHT (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Robert 8, John 7, James 6, James J, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born in 1559 acid probably in Hill County, Texas. He married prior to 1886 Mary F. Johnson, born Texas 2 January 1866, she was a daughter of Pharaoh Johnson, born Tennessee in 1834, and Millie, his wife, born Missouri in 1833, who resided in Missouri and came to Texas about 1865, both of whom were living in 1850 in District No. 6, of Johnson County, Texas, and were parents of the following children in addition to Mary, i.e.: George W., b 1858; Margaret A., b 1863; William E., b 1865; John A., b 1868; Louis, J., b 1870; Robert, b 1872; and Samuel J., b 1878.

William and his wife moved to Estelline, Texas where he died 2 June 1926, of cancer, she survives him and resided Estelline, Texas in 1931.

Children:

i Maude Lee: b 20 Oct. 1886 Johnson Co., Tex., m (1) 14 Dec. 190= in Erath Co., Tex. N. F. Adams, a divorcee 9 Dec. 1909, he died in S. Dak. she m (2) 21 Nov. 1912 in Hall Co., Tex. Warren A. Funderburk, b Ark., reside Antou, Tex. They had:

1 Reba Ileta Adams: b 10 Oct. 1901 Erath Co., Tex., m 21 Mar. 1925 Lonie Campbell.

2 Lavernia Pearl Funderburk: b 14 Sept. 1913 Hall Co., Tex.

3 Warren A. Funderburk, Jr.: b 6 Dec. 1914 Donley Co., Tex.

4 Joyce Oswell Funderburk: b 10 Oct. 1920 Hall Co., Tex.

ii Robert Pharaoh: b 2 Jan. 1889, m Nov. 1920 Etta Byrd, reside Estelline, Tex.

iii Samuel Floyd: b 24 May 1892 at Morgan's Mill, Erath Co., Tex., m Nov. 1919 at Clarendon, Tex. Ruby Jones, b Tex. 19 Dec. 1901 reside Farwell, Tex. They had

1 Canda Garland: b 3 Jan. 1923.

iv Earl Finis: b 16 Jan. 1894 Johnson Co., Tex., m 30 Nov. 1913 at Estelline, Tex., Willia C. Collier, b Wood Co., Tex. 12 Apr. 1896, reside Farwell, Tex. They had:

1 Howard: b 11 Jan. 1915.

2 Leon: b 31 May 1917.

3 William Frank: b 16 July 1922.

v Dee Gee: b 16 Mar. 1896, died 26 Mar. 1927.

vi James W.: b 19 Oct. 1895, m 26 July 1919 at Clarendon, Tex. Nora Esther Lillard, b 1902 at Whiterock, Tex. Resided Muleshoe, Tex. in 19;1. They had:

1 Mary Lucille: b 16 Oct. 192-.

2 Margaret Ellen: b 28 Dec. 1925.

vii Curtis: b 19 Dec. 1901, m 23 Apr. 1927 Maude Markham, reside Estelline, Tex.

viii Lona: b 12 May 190-, died 5 Mar. 1906.

393 WILLIAM FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Robert 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Washington County, Arkansas, 1 June 1828. He married in 1849-50 Dorcas Warrick, born Nashville, Tennessee 6 September 1829. They resided in Crawford County, Arkansas in 1850, moved to Bell County, Texas in 1852 where he engaged in farming and by 1862 had accumulated quite a competence. He enlisted 10 November 1863 as Private G, Baylor's Cavalry, C. S. A. (2d Arizona Brigade) and served to the end of the war. It is stated of his wife that she wove the cloth and made his clothes and blankets. A story is told that one afternoon three Union soldiers came to her home and asked for water, she directed them to the spring and told them to help themselves. That night the three returned and asked again for water, she told them you are the same men who were here today and know where the spring is, they said they were coming in the house for water, and she replied, "you better not try it." They dismounted and reached the front porch and found themselves facing a gun thrust thru the door, they decided not to advance and started back for their horses and as they were ready to mount she let go both barrels, she was not molested again. He returned from service somewhat broken in health and to find all his cattle, mules, and horses stolen and nothing left but the farm. By close attention to business he lost his losses and died at his home at Kerrville, Texas in 1909, she died in 1910. He was a Mason, and family Baptists.

Children:

i Martha Marinda: b 7 Oct. 1852, she m 21 Dec. 1871 Bell Co., Tex., Benjamin Abraham Davey, b Yorkshire, Eng. 27 June 1846, son of William Woodbine Davey. She died 16 June 1924, he survives, he is a Mason, family Baptists. They had:

1 Roland L. Davey: b 9 Sept. 1872, m 4 Oct. 1898 at Kerrville, Tex. James Prentice, b Scotland. He is a ranchman, reside Junction, Tex. They had:

a Seaton Davey Prentice: b 5 Nov. 1900, m Suma Powell, reside San Antonio, Tex. No children.

b May Louise Prentice: b 13 Jan. 1903, m G. A. Wining, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

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b1 Frances Louise Witting.

b2 Gustavus Adolphus Witting.

2 Dorcas Myrtle Davey: b 25 Mar. 1875, unmarried.

3 Mattie Ella Davey: b 11 Nov. 1877, m 20 Feb. 1902 Felix H. Watson, he is a ranchman, reside Junction, Tex. They had:

a Joseph Watson: b 7 Sept. 1904, m 2:3 June 1925 Marjorie Ragnal, she died 3 Feb. 1930. He m (2) in Mexico, 9 Nov. 1932, Thelms Lee Wallace, b Junction, Tex. 18 Dec. 1911. They had:

al James Hugh Watson: b 30 Jan. 1930.

a2 Thomas Joe Watson: b 8 Sept. 1933, 2nd wife.

4 May Anna Davey: b 18 Apr. 1882 m 1 Aug. 1921 Marcellus W. Carico, she died 3 July 1923.

5 Mable Grace Davey: b 8 Jan. 1887, m 10 June 1914 Robert Bailey Knox, b 20 Aug. 1870 at Gonzales, Tex. She is a teacher, reside Catarina, Tex. They had:

a Kate May Knox: b 27 Mar. 1915.

ii Benjamin Franklin: b 12 Feb. 1806 at Salads, Tex., m at Coleman, Tex. in 1881 Etta Elisabeth Dodson, b Bell Co., Tex. 4 May 1860, she died at El Paso, Tex. S Nov 1909, he survived her and died at Los Angeles, Calif. 3 July 1929. He was a well known ranchman and stock raiser in Texas, seas a member of Woodmen of the World, family Presbyterians. They had:

1 Oliver Franklin: b 11 May 1883 at Fort McKavett, Tex., he m 6 Sept. 1911 at San Antonio, Tex. Lulu Elizabeth Kilgore, b San Antonio, Tex. 21 Aug. 1890. He is a ranchman and resides Marathon, Texas. They had:

a Oliver Franklin, Jr.: b 10 Feb. 1915.

2 Ola Elizabeth: b 20 Jan. 1855, died 27 Sept. 1891 at Alpine, Tex.

3 Ona Dodson: b 25 Apr. 1883, died 8 Feb. 1928 at El Paso, Tex.

iii Ella: b 1861, m (1) in 1883 Grubb Hamilton, he died in 1902 and she m (2) Richard Riggs. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Ervington Hamilton: b 188-, died 1905.

iv Grace: b 8 Apr. 1865 Bell Co., Tex. she m in 1885 in Kimble Co., Tex. W. G. Boyle, b Albany, N. Y. in 1854, reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Alice D. Boyle: b 1886, m E. P. Hughes, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

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2 Lewis Franklin Boyle: b 6 May 1892. Grad. Junction, Tex. H. S. He enlisted Pvt. K, 4th Tex. Inf. Apr. 1916 and served in Big Bend Dist. to 20 Mar. 1917, Cpl. and Sgt.; 27 Mar. 1917 Co. K sent to Elephant Butte for guard duty at the dam, 1st Sgt. Oct. 1917, Regt. sent to Fort Worth, Tex. to become part of 36th Div. and K Co. became part of Co. G, 144th Inf. Commissioned 2d Lieut. and detached to 2d Batt. as Intelligence Officer. To France in 1918 and promoted to 1st Lieut. in Oct. Division assigned to French 4th Army, on 28 Oct. Division assigned to 1st American Army; cited in Div. order 15252, received Croix de Guerre for this citation Apr. 1919; Division returned to U. S. July 1919 and mustered out Aug. 1919. He married 9 Oct. 1919 at Fort Worth, Tex., Willie Sue Daniel, b 14 June 1895 at Fort Worth, Tex. He is a member of American Legion, wife a member of, Christian Science Church. He represents Goodyear Rubber Co. in the West half of Mexico, reside Nogales, Ariz. They had:  
a Susan Grace Boyle: b 21 Nov. 1921.

v Isaac Burton: b 1 Dec. 1869 Bell Co., Tex. Was a painter by trade, and resided Calxico, Calif. where he died suddenly 22 Mar. 1933. Member of the Baptist church and of the Odd Fellows. Buried at Calxico, Calif.

#### 394 ELIZABETH (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Burton, 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 1y, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 5 September 1830, she married about 1848 John W. Sinclair, born Arkansas 25 Sept. 1824, resided Franklin County, Arkansas to 1859 then moved to Johnson County, Texas where she died 17 February 1863. She was buried in the family lot on the farm of Mark Billingsley. He married (2) Martha, Kemp, born Texas in 1842, both were living in 1870 and resided in Johnson County, there were some six or seven children by the second marriage.

Children:

i Saphronia Sinclair: b 24 June 1849 Franklin Co., Ark. She was unmarried in 1870 and is said to have married a Lescemes (?).

ii Mary Elizabeth Sinclair: b 24 Nov. 1854 Franklin Co., Ark. She married in 1874 in Tex. Jap J. Rogers, b 185-, resided Johnson Co., Tex. She was deceased before 1930, he was said to be living near Laredo, Tex. No accurate information obtainable of their children. They had, hearsay evidence:

1 John Rogers: was living near Estillene, Tex. 1930.

2 Lee Rogers.

3 James Rogers.

4 Albert Rogers.

5 Colie (?) Rogers.

6 Aaron Rogers.

iii Martha Grace Sinclair: b 23 Nov. 1858 Franklin Co., Ark., she m about 1878 in Johnson Co., Tex., William Thomas Walding, b ca 1856. His mother is said to have been a Rogers. It has been impossible to get any information from this family. Jeff F. Walding the only one who would answer and he gave the best he could. They were both living in 1930 and resided Colorado, Tex. They had:

1 Dora Walding: b ca, 1850, in Christopher Harve Billingsley, see No. 396.

2 Jefferson Franklin . Walding: b 29 Mar. 1883 Johnson Co., Tex., attended school at Stubblefield, Tex. He m 4 Jan. 1903 Johnson Co., Tex. Wilma Stone, b Boone Co., Ark., 3 Oct. 1852. He engaged in business, in 1909 and sold out in 1917 and moved to Coud, Okla. where they reside and is engaged in fanning. He is a member of the Christian church and he is a Baptist. No children.

3 James Walding: b ca 1855, m Amanda Larmon, reside Floydada, Tex.

4 Wood T. W aiding: b ca 1887, m Anna, Mae Britton, reside Colorado, Tex.

5 Jack Walding: b 189-, m , reside Colorado, Tex.

6 Delis Walding: b 189-, Fred Hamilton, reside Bowie, Tex.

7 Lillie Walding: b 189-, m Joseph Carpenter, reside Berwyn, Okla.

iv Winnie Sinclair: b 5 Oct. 1862, died before 1870.

v John Sinclair: b 1866, 2d wife, no Billingsley blood.

vi James Sinclair: b 1868.

vii Laura Sinclair: b 1869.

And other.

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### 395 MARK (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 3 November 1835, moved to Texas with his parents in the early 1850's. He married in 1860 Sarah Elvira Billingsley, born Newton County, Missouri, 4 September 1838, daughter of Samuel Billingsley, No. 225. He enlisted 12 July 1861 at Buchanan, Texas as Private E, 30th Texas Cavalry (Gurley's) C.S.A.; a roll dated July-August 1863 does not state if present or absent with company; no further military record tho he is stated to have served to

the end of the war. He was a farmer, carpenter, and stone mason. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Alvarado, Texas. He died at his home 18 August 1875, was stated to have been a quiet, conscientious, and upright and honest man. She survived him and married (2) 1878-79 William H. Harris, born Arkansas in 1838, his 2d wife, he had seven children at the time of this marriage, he died and she married (3) W. A. Houchin, born Mississippi 184-. Mr. Houchin was a Mason, member of Royal Arch, and a Knight Templar, and a member of the Baptist church. She died at Alvarado, Texas 25 August 1927, he survived her a few years and died in 1931. No children by the second and third marriages.

Children:

i John: b 186-, died infancy.

ii Aaron Edmonston (10): b 11 Dec. 1867.

iii Lydia Ann: b June 1870, died aet. 15 years.

### 396 GRANDISON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 6 April 1838, moved to Missouri and Texas with his parents. He was generally known by the name of "Granville or Gran." He married 29 October 1859 Florence L. Harris, born 15 March 1844. He enlisted July 1861 2d Corporal in Captain Dunn's Home Guards under the name of "Granville Billingsley." On the 15 January 1862 he enlisted as 3d Corporal A, 18th Texas Cavalry, C. S. A., Darnell's Regiment, at Dallas, Texas and under the name of "Granison Wardimer Billingsley;" a roll of 30 June 1862 shows he was discharged 27 May 1862. This is the last record in the War Department files. A newspaper clipping of about 1895 states he was shot in the hand, discharged and came home, stayed until his hand healed then enlisted again under Captain Childers and served to the close of the war. He was a successful fancier and in his younger days was especially fond of fox hunting. He was a Mason and family Baptists later joining the Christian church. Said to have been a good neighbor and a friend to those in need. Resided Rio Vista, Texas where he died 10 August 1916, she survived him and died 16 June 1927.

Children:

i Alpha: b 17 July 1863, m 5 Oct. 1876 W. A. Houchen, b 1845, resided Stubblefield, Tex. where she died 24 Jan. 1881, she is buried at Center Point Cemetery, Johnson Co., Tex. They had:

1 Florence M. Houchen: b 20 July 1877, m 18 Nov. 1894 at Stephenville, Tex. S. T. Walker, b Ga. 5 May 1869, reside Olustee, Okla. They had:

a Alpha Walker: b 18 May 1896, m 24 Feb. 1917 W. L. Vandiver, Stephenville, Tex.

b Charles

c Edith Walker: b 11 Aug. 1899, m 26 May 1921 J. S. Sanders at Altus, Okla.

d William A. Walker: b 2 Dec. 1901.

e Wanda U. Walker: b 25 Dec. 1903.

f Hortense Walker: b 15 Nov. 1905, m 10 Aug. 1924 V. A. Penn, Mangum, Okla.

g Nell Walker: b 7 Feb. 1907, m 3 Sept. 1923 Henry Rudd, Altus, Okla. h S. L. Walker, Jr.: b 4 Nov. 1909.

i Glenn Walker: b 14 June 1911.

j Thelma Walker: b 2 Mar. 1913.

k Dovie Walker: b 18 Feb. 1915.

l Gerald D. Walker: b 4 June 1918. Twin.

m Mearl Walker: b 4 June 1918.

n Maxine Walker: b 25 Dec. 1921, Jackson Co., Okla.

ii Burrow D.: b 1865, died small.

iii LeRoy: b 23 Aug. 1867 Stubblefield, Tex., m 19 Aug. 1888, I. S. Maples. He died in 1902 in Okla. They had:

1 William P.: b 189-, resides Calif.

2 Hump: b 189-, m Pearl Blacklock, no children.

3 Max: b 189-, m Edith Blacklock, he is deceased (1931). They had

a Merbaline: b 1919.

b Lee: b 1921.

c Doris: b 1923.

4 Letha: b 18-, m W. D. Gray, had 2 children living in 1929, resided Taft, Calif.

5 James: b 18-.

6 Earl: b 19-, resided Calif. in 1930.

iv Susan bonnie: b 2 Aug. 1869 Stubblefield, Tex., m 11 Oct. 1887 Comanche Co., Tex. Drew Daniels. He died about 1900, she managed to rear the children to maturity then she m (2) a Mr. Opry. She was deceased in 1928, resided Limestone Co., Tex. They had:

1 Maud Daniels: b 188-, m Charles McKinney, he died and she m (2) Jack Opry, she is deceased. They had

a Ada McKinney: b 1904, m 13 June 1920 James Norwood at Cleburne, Tex. They had:

a1 William Ada Norwood: b 13 Apr. 1921.

b Son Orpy: b 19-.

2 Bertha Daniels: b 189-, m 17 Jan. 1906 John Jones, no children, reside Mundy, Tex.

3 Quinie Mae Daniels: b 30 Oct. 1891, m 20 June 1913 Thomas Jefferson Simms, b 22 Sept. 1890, reside Jewett, Tex. They had:

a Opal Lacelou Simms: b 25 Aug. 1914.

b Bertha Jane Simms: b 25 June 1919.

c Child: b 192-, died inf.

d Morris; Asberry Simms: b 24 Mar. 1923.

e J. V. Simms: b 14 June 1925.

f Lillie Myoma Simms: b 12 July 1931.

4 Roy Granville Daniels: b 1893, m 1914 Clara Matchett reside Jewett, Tex. They had:

a Raymond Daniels: b 11 Sept. 1916.

b Vernon Daniels: b 9 May 1918.

c Iris Daniels: b 27 Aug. 1920.

d Lora Daniels: b 21 Jan. 1922.

e Leila Daniels: b 16 Apr. 1927.

5 Iris Daniels: b 30 June 1895, m W. A. Dossey, b 17 July 1882 reside Jewett, Tex. They had:

a William Elmer Dossey: b 17 Aug. 1914.

b Loraine Dossey: b 28 Mar. 1919.

c Floy Dossey: b 2 July 1921.

d Benton Roy Dossey: b 14 July 1923.

e Joenell Evelyn Dossey: b 8 June 1927.

6 William Virgil Daniels: b 10 June 1897, m Nora E. Saunders, b 20 Dec. 1898. They had:

a Roscoe Daniels: b 15 May 1921.

7 Dalton Daniels: b 189-, m (1) Clara Newson, she died and he m (2) Ada Matchett. They had:

a Anna Mae Daniels.

v Jeffie G.: b 17 June 1871, She m 20 Aug. 1891 W. M. Powell, reside Menard, Tex. They had:

1 Ada Powell: b 7 Dec. 1893, m 15 Dec. 1915 John Burnell. They had:

a J. W. Burnell: b 17 Dec. 1916.

b Clyde Burnell: b 12 Oct. 1918.

c Eloise Burnell: b 15 Apr. 1921.

d Imogene Burnell: b 1 May 1924.

2 Lora Powell: b 25 Mar. 1895, m 1 Dec. 1912 Samuel Tate. They had:

a Samuel Tate, Jr.: b June 1914.

b Jack Tate: b 27 June 1918.

3 Eppie Powell: b 15 Nov. 1896, m 6 Apr. 1915 Jesse King. They had:

a. Wright King: b 10 Jan. 1916.

b Hazel King: b 13 Jan. 1918.

c Lillian King: b 28 Jan. 1923.

d Edward King: b 22 Jan. 1925.



4 Norris Powell: b 24 Oct. 1898, m 25 July 1918 Lillian Tucker, he died 18 Jan. 1924. They had:

a Gertrude Powell: b 9 Apr. 1919.

b Ursey Mae Powell: b 15 Apr. 1920.

c Agnes Estell Powell: b 30 Nov. 1922.

5 Loin Powell: b 26 Jan. 1901, m 31 May 1920 Burk Bice. They had:

a Leslie Bice: b 27 Nov. 1921.

b Belver Bice: b 26 Nov. 1923.

6 Velma Powell: b 6 Apr. 1903, m 20 Nov. 1920 William Mefford. They had:

a Alyne Mefford: b 15 Apr. 1924.

b Ivey Fay Mefford: b 24 Mar. 1926.

7 Miles Powell: b 1 Sept. 1905, m 8 Att-. 1925 Ora Crews. They had:

a Miles Powell, Jr.: b 8 Jan. 1927.

8 Beeler Powell: b 30 Jan. 1911.

vi William Hamilton: b 21 Feb. 1873, m (1) Dec. 1897 Minnie Florence High, b Stubblefield, Tex. 3 Mar. 1877, she died 6 Dec. 1923, and he m (2) 31 May 1924 Mrs. Dora Chapel. He is an Odd Fellow, family members of Christian church, he is a steam fitter and with St. L. & S. W. Ry. Reside Tyler, Tex. They had:

1 Anmerle: b 2 Sept. 1899, m 22 Sept. 1917 Frank Campbell, b 16 June 1888, reside Long Beach, Calif. They had:

a Bertha Sue Campbell: b 2 Aug. 1918.

b Child: b 19-, died inf.

c Charles Franklin Campbell: b 1 Dec. 192;.

2 Ira Burro: b 15 July 1901, m 14 Aug. 1927 Marie Harris b Minden, Tex. 7 Feb. 1899. He is a Midget and about 3 feet in height, has travelled with shows, reside Tyler, Tex. They had:

a Minnie Elizabeth: b 6 June 1930.

3 Edmiston: b 20 Jan. 1904, m (1) Merle Hamlin, a divorce, he m (2), reside Banning, Calif. One child.

4 Winnie Florence: b 22 July 1906, m Gordon A. Webster, reside Nocogdoches, Tex. One child.

5 Granville High: b 19 July 1908, is called "Buck," m prior to 1931 Jeanette Harris, b Henderson, Tex. 10 Apr. 1909, she is a half sister to Marie Harris mentioned above, reside Tyler, Tex. They had

a Mitchell Joseph: b 3 Jan. 1931.

vii Essie Eliza: b 10 Nov. 1874, m 23 Mar. 1897 J. F. Crites, b 27 Nov. 1863, reside Granberry, Tex. They had:

1 Jeffrie Crites: b 2 Oct. 1899, m Andrew Russell. They had:

a J. T. Russell: b 3 Oct. 1920.

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- b Robert Lee Russell: b 3 Oct. 1924.
- 2 Estell Crites: b 5 Feb. 1898, m 18 Nov. 1917 Herman Rockwell. They had:
  - a Juanita Rockwell: b 3 Oct. 1915.
  - b Hood Rockwell: b 24 Nov. 1920.
- 3 William Cortex Crites: 6 20 July 1902, m 15 July 1923 Grace Jackson. They had:
  - a Clarence Billie Crites: b 3 Aug. 1921.
- 4 Berths, Crites: b 4 June 190-1, m 28 Oct. 1923 Carl Durrant.
- 5 Marvin Crites: b 26 Nov. 1907, m 23 Dec. 1926 Catherine Vaughn.
- 6 Pauline Crites: b 15 Oct. 1910, m 16 Nov. 1927 William Rockwell.

viii Anna Ella: b 1 Oct. 1876 Stubblefield, Tex., m 2 July 1893 Robert McAlpine, b. 27 Aug. 1873. Reside Thurber, Tex. They had:

- 1 Berths McAlpine: b 10 July 194, m 8 Dec. 1912 Henry McGriff. They had
  - a Tilden McGriff: b 20 May 1916.
  - b Alta Needa McGriff: b 16 Jan. 1919.
- 2 Myrtle McAlpine: b 16 Aug. 1895, m 20 Oct. 1925 Clyde Bannard. They had:
  - a Dixie Marie Bannard: b 20 July 1926.
- 3 Bruce McAlpine: b 25 July 1893, m 11 Dec. 1919 Ethyl Bennett. They had:
  - a Bruce McAlpine: b 25 Apr. 1922.
  - b Marine McAlpine: b 25 Feb. 1925.
- 4 Leonard McAlpine: b 19 Dec. 1900, m 27 Dec. 1924 Blanche Hill. They had:
  - a James McAlpine: b 3 Dec. 1925.
  - b Mary Jo McAlpine: b 23 Apr. 1927.
- 5 Vests McAlpine: b 4 Jan. 1905, m 2 Feb. 1922 Ivey Myers. They had:
  - a Wills Roe Myers: b 2 Sept. 1926.
- 6 Lois McAlpine: b ? July 1907, m 4 Dec. 1925 Dean Wilson. They had:
  - a. Robert Earl Wilson: b 28 May 1926.
  - b Hazel Imogene Wilson: b 12 Jan. 1928.
- 7 Pauline McAlpine: b 19-.
- 8 Jessie McAlpine: b 19-.

ix Dovie Passkey: b 13 May 1878 Stubblefield, Tex., m 15, Jan. 1893 Stephenson Co., Tex. Thurman William Walker, reside Olustee, Okla. They had:

- 1 Monterey Walker: b 6 June 1913. x Harve Christopher: b 20 June 1880 Stubblefield, Tex., m

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19 Nov. 1899 Dora, daughter of Thomas W. Walding and :Martha E. Sinclair, b Tex. 18S-, reside Goree, Tex. They had:

1 Gladys: b 6 Jan. 1901, m 11 July 1920 Raymond Burdett. They had

a Lester Burden: b 4 Mar. 1921. Twins.

b Ester E. Burdett: b 4 Mar. 1921.

c Filton Burden: b 20 Nov. 1920, died 19 June 1925.

2 Thurman: b 25 July 1904, died 2 Apr. 1912.

3 Novis: b 23 July 1907, m (1) 24 Dec. 1925 J. V. Cunningham, he died ca 1929 and she m (2) prior to 1933 a Mr. Smith. They had:

a J. V. Cunningham: b 28 Aug. 1926.

b Daughter: b ca 1929, died 193.'.;.

4 J. Alton: b 20 Dear. 1925.

xi Mark Marion: b 13 June 1882.

xii James E.: b 1 Jan. 1884, m 2 Oct. 1901 Malissa Scribner, b 20 May 1883, reside Grandview, Tex. They had:

1 Eunice E.: b 19 Oct. 1902, m 11 Nov. 1923 William Clark, b 21 Oct. 1897 Grandview, Tex. They had:

a Jimmie June Clark: b 28 Jan. 1925.

2 Pinkie A.: b 4 Apr. 1905.

3 Florence: b 29 Feb. 1908.

xiii Aaron F.: b 23 Mar. 1886, m 10 Dec. 1905 Mollie Sortersnee Dakins, reside Halls, Tenn. at last accounts. They had:

1 Lucelius: b 23 Dec. 1907.

2 Opal: b 15 Mar. 1913.

xivHenry: b 28 Feb. 1889, died 1890.

#### 397 EDMINSTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3 John 2 Francis 1.)* Born Washington County, Arkansas 11 February 1840. His daughter records his name as "Edmonston," he was generally known as "Ed." The spelling used above is taken from the Bible record as written by his father. He moved to Newton County, Missouri, Ellis and Johnson Counties, Texas with his parents. He married 3 January 1861 in Johnson County, Texas, Dovie Sirena Harris, born 19 July 1842 in Neton County, Missouri. In July 1861 he enlisted in Captain J. C. Dunn's Company of Home Guards, 20th Brigade and made 2d Lieutenant, under name of "Ed: Billingsley." On 10-March 1862 he enlisted as Private F, 20th Texas Cavalry, C. S. A. under name of Edward Billingsley,m for one year, and was paid \$50 Bounty; signed a pay roll at Corsicana, Texas "E. Billingsley." This appears to be the last record on file of him th he is said to have served to the close of the war. Resided in Johnson County to 1890 then moved to Jones County where he operated

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a cotton gin and engaged in farming. His sport was fishing. She died 5 March 1905 and is buried Fairview cemetery, Jones County. After her death he disposed of his home and lived with his daughter, Alice Hood. The last years of his life he spent at the home of his daughter, Lavesta Ewing and following a stroke of paralysis he died 2 October 1920. Family Baptists.

Children:

i William Granville (10): b 1.8 Jan. 1862.

ii Henry D.: b 16 July 1864, m 18 Oct. 1882 Nancy Jane Walding, b 28 Apr. 1866 in Anderson Co., Tex. Reside Tex. They had

1 Edna Elizabeth: b 23 Oct. 1884 Stubblefield, Tex., m 26 Dec. 1903 in Jones Co., Tex., C. C. Jones, b 11 June 1878, reside Stamford, Tex. They had:

a Clarence Hugh Jones: b 9 Nov. 1904, m 8 Aug. 1925 Evelyn Mae Lilye.

b C. Edward Jones: b 14 July 19-.

2 Elfa flay: b 188-, died infancy. iii Burton: b 1865, died infancy.

iv Lavesta Gray: b 29 July 1867. She married 17 Nov. 1881 William Henry Ewing, b 11 Nov. 1859 in Itawamba Co., Miss. He was a Deacon in the Christian church for many , he died 31 May 1931, she survives him. They had no children. The descendants of Christopher Billingsley owe many thanks to Lavesta and her sister, Alice, for the preservation of the family records. We have drawn heavily from their record and herewith extend thanks for the courtesy.

v Isham Harris: b 1869, died 1872.

vi Alice Dovie: b 29 June 1874 Stubblefield, Tex., m 6 Sept. in Johnson Co., Tex. Moses Walker Hood, b Tenn. 30 July 1868, reside Texas. They had:

1 Robert Weaver Hood: b 21 Sept. 1892, died 30 Oct. 1893

2 Henry Hood: b 189-, died infancy.

3 Cora Lavesta Hood: b 30 Sept. 1897, m 1 Jan. 1916 Claude Elton Wills, b Houston Co., Tex. 18 Nov. 1895. They had:

a Lois Lavesta Wills: b 15 Jan. 1897 at Aspermont, Tex.

vii Julia Gertrude: b 187-, died infancy.

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viii Edna Elizabeth: b 187-, died infancy.

#### 398 RUTH ANN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John. 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Arkansas 7 June 1842, moved to Texas with her parents where she married (1) in 1858 Robert

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Brown; born 27 December 1833, he died 19 December 1862 and she married (2) '26 September 1865 R. S. Self, born 20 November 1836. He died 8 September 1891 and is buried in Johnson County, she died 6 June 1916 and is buried at Aspermont, Texas.

Children:

i Juliet Catherine Brown: b 30 Sept. 1859, m 17 Sept. 1874 Herman Harold Nokes, b 5 May 1850, she died 1909 and he died in. 1924, residence not stated. They had:

1 Annie Nokes: b 187-, m Byrd Padgett. They had:

a Emily Padgett: b 18-, m James Jeffries. They had:  
al Lexie Jeffries.

2 Charles Nokes.

3 Sudie Nokes.

4 Walter Nokea.

5 Mildred Nokes.

6 Velie Nokes.

7 Mae Nokes.

8 Kittie Nokes.

ii William Christopher Brown: b 30 Dec. 1861, m 12 Oct. 1884 Villia Ann Lints, b 4 July 1868. They had:

1 Robert Brown.

2 James William Brown: b 18-, m (1) Bessie Heateley; (2) Katie Ethel Earl. They had: (1st wife)

a Gertie Cleo Brown.  
b Ted Brown.

3 Hazel Brown.

4 Oscar Brown.

5 Ruth B. Brown: in Wendell Ezell. They had:

a Letha Inez Ezell.

6 Tobias Brown: m Cornelia Hodge.

iii James Burr Self: b 30 July 1868, m 24 Dec. 1893 Cora Frances Higgins, b 16 July 1875. They had:

1 Lillie Mae Self: b 5 July 1896, m 27 Jan. 1916 W. D. Rhodes. They had:

a Ronald Rhodes.  
b Billie Roy Rhodes.

2 Lula Bell Self: b 29 Mar. 1898.

3 Willie Frances Self: b 18 Feb. 1900, m 7 Sept. 1919 Eimer Hennie. They had:

a Imogene Hennie.  
b Loline Hennie. .

4 Robert Clark Self: b 25 Nov. 1901, m 19 Sept. 1923 Ida King. They had:

a Rudell Self.

5 Hazel Etta Self: b 20 Nov. 1904.

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6 Buster Jim Self: b 21 July 1906, m 5 Nov. 1924 Janie Curtis. They had:

a Durell Self.

7 Neal Lavoid Self: b 17 Feb. 1913.

iv Sarah Ann Self: b 26 Jan. 1868, m 19 Dec. 1886 in Wise Co., Tex. Thomas L. Doyle. They had 8 children, 2 died infancy:

1 Ruth C. Doyle: b 18 Jan. 1899, m 23 Dec. 1909 Fred Phipps. No children.

2 Holman F. Doyle: b Feb. 1891, m 3 June 1911 Andrew Beavers. They had:

a Otho Doyle.

b Bernice Doyle.

3 Mattie A. Doyle: b 28 June 1893.

4 James A. Doyle: b 24 Apr. 1895, m 30 June 1911 Frances Good. They had

a Rosa Mae Anetta Doyle.

b Junaries Doyle.

5 Eva Mae Doyle: b 4 Mar. 1899, m 14 June 1920 H. C. Whitmire. They had

a Beatrice Doyle Whitmire.

b Doyle K. Whitmire.

6 Marvin L. Doyle: b 6 June 1901, m 20 Nov. 1923 Jonnie Mullinax. They had:

a Geneva Doyle.

v Mary Jane Self: b 5 Mar. 1875, m 7 Oct. 1894 at Graham, Tex. R. D. Moore. They had:

1 Clifford Lee Moore: b 5 Aug. 1895, m Mar. 1918 John McCune. They had:

a Alton D. McCune: b 23 Mar. 1919.

b Alma Mae McCune: b 12 Dec. 1921.

c Mildred McCune: b 15 Nov. 1923.

d Mary Ellen McCune: b 20 Mar. 1925.

2 Lonnie Christopher Moore: b 6 Jan. 1898, m 1919 Lillie Sedberry, b June 1898. They had:

a Raymond Carroll Moore: b 12 June 1920.

b Spencer D. Moore: b 10 Aug. 1922.

c Opal Mae Moore: b 13 Oct. 1925.

d Harold Guin Moore: b 8 Apr. 1928.

3 Lillian Fay Moore: b 13 Feb.- 1900, m Mar. 1917 Herman Turner. They had:

a Lola Fay Turner: b 5 Aug. 1918.

b Garland D. Turner: b 1920.

c Dewey Melvin Turner: b 1923.

d Paul Glenn Turner: b 1925.

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4 Carroll L. Moore. Twins.

5 B. Andrew Moore.

6 Ada Loraine Moore.

7 Frank Edwin Moore.

vi George Franklin Self: b 17 Mar. 1877, m 25 Jan. 1905 Viola Penn. They had:

1 Ruth B. Self.

2 Otho Self.

3 Randolph Self.

vii William Thomas Self: b 15 Apr. 1882, m (1) 16 Oct. 1907 Ethel Presley, he m (2) 7 Aug. 1916 Leta Ponder, in Arizona. They had, 1st wife:

1 Willie Mae Self: b 190-, m 16 Nov. 1925 Edward Dewey Gies.

2 Leola Self: b 19-.

399 BURROW (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Newton County, Missouri 30 July 1844, moved to Texas with his parents in early 1850's. He enlisted July 1861 as Private in Captain J. C. Dunn's Company, Home Guards. On 25 October 1861 he enlisted as Private C, 10th Texas Infantry, Shannon's Co., C. S. A., at Houston, Texas, and under name of "Burrell Billingsley;" captured at Arkansas Post 11 Jan. 1863 and on a roll as "Burrow Billingsley" Pvt. C, 10th Tex. Inf., sent to Camp Douglas, Ill., 8 Feb. 1863, and paroled 7 April 1863 to City Point, Va.; sick in hospital at Petersburg, Va. 15 Apr. 1863, diarrhoea; furlough 19 May 1863 for 60 days. (*War Dept. records.*) He married (1) in 1867 Martha Ann Ward, born Texas in 1845, they moved to Red River County, Texas where he engaged in the manufacture of lumber with farming on the side. She died in 1876 and he married (2) Susan Emma Harris, born Texas in 1853. He visited his brothers in the early 1890's. They later moved to Arkana, Louisiana where she died 7 February 1907 and he married (3) Martha Arnold, she died and he married (4) Malinda Henry. They moved to Plain Dealing, Louisiana where she died, date not stated. He died 1 April 1927 and said to have died of cancer. No children by 3d and 4th marriages.

Children:

i Thomas Jefferson: b 17 Oct. 1870, m 29 Dec. 1892 Fanny Hartestes, b 10 Sept. 1874. Reside Bagwell, Texas. They had:

1 Bertie Mae: b 13 Jan. 1898, m 22 July 1916 at Hopewell, Tex., Samuel Coney Roberts, b Hopewell, Tex. 2 Oct. 1896, reside Deport, Tex. They had:

a J. W. Roberts: b 16 May 191? at Negley, Tex.

b Teddy Wilson Roberts: b 12 Oct. 1918, Hopewell, Tex.

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- c Vester Bailey Roberts: b 14 Jan. 1920, Negley, Tex.
- d Doyl Russell Roberts: b 22 Oct. 192?.
- e Gordon Vergil Roberts: b 13 May 1924, Negley, Tex.
- f Lexie Lee Roberts: b 28 Dec. 1926, Negley, Tex.
- g Samuel C. Roberts: b 23 July 1930, Deport, Tex. (Still born).
- h Charles Runnels Roberts: b 26 Nov. 1931 Deport, Tex.
- 2 Clarence Milton: b 3 Dec. 1903, m 17 Apr. 1925, Cerdo Deviney, residence not stated. They had:
  - a Norma Frances: b 192-.
  - b Christine: b 19-. Twins.
  - c Eveline: b 19-.
- 3 Roy: b 3 July 1906, m 14 Feb. 1926 Florence Offitt. Residence not stated. They had
  - a Roy Dalton: b 192-.
  - b Margaret Leona: b 19-.
- 4 Mildred: b 3 Sept. 1914. Living 1932 unmarried.
- ii Lillie: b 1873, m Arthur Cook, moved to Valiant, Okla. where she died; said to have had six children, all deceased in 1931 except one daughter who m William Ross and lives in West Texas.
- iii James: b 1876, died childhood.
- iv Minnie: b 1878-79, died infancy, 2d wife.
- v Zeula May: b 15 Apr. 1880, Clarksville, Tex., m 15 Apr. 1894 at Arkana, La., John R. Arnold, b Clarksville, Tex. 20 Nov. 1870. She died at Cartersville, La. 7 Feb. 1907, he survives her and resides Plain Dealing, La. She was a member of the Eastern Star, he is a member of Masons, Woodmen of the World, and Odd Fellows, family members of Christian church. They had:
  - 1 Ira Burr Arnold: b 20 Jan. 1895, died 24 May 1896.
  - 2 Willie Lillie Arnold: b 26 Sept. 1896, m John W. English, reside Plain Dealing, La.
  - 3 David Jefferson Arnold: b 25 Oct. 1898, died 16 Aug. 1905.
  - 4 James T. Arnold: b 10 June 1901, m 30 July 1924 at Paris, Tex., Emma Franklin, b 2 Oct. 1901 at Paris, Tex. He is a farmer, resides Plain Dealing, La. He furnished information on this family. They had:
    - a Edith Madge Arnold: b 28 Apr. 1925.
    - b Eleene Oneita Arnold: b 27 July 1926.
  - 5 Kittie Clyde Arnold: b 7 Jan. 1903, m S. D. Pittman, reside Plain Dealing, La.



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6 Ruby T. Arnold: b 1 Dec. 1904, m Francis R. Redden, reside Plain Dealing, La.

7 John R. Arnold: b 28 Jan. 1907, to Lavell Doughdrill, reside Oil City, La.

#### 400 JAMES THOMAS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Franca 1.*) Born Newton County, Missouri, 26 June 1847, moved to Texas with his parents. It is related of him that. in or about 1867 while rounding up horses he came upon a small boy asleep, he having become separated from a wagon train of emigrants. He took the boy home, he did not know his name nor that of his parents; he was reared in the homes of the several Billingsley families in the community and was called "Jake," he lived to be grown but it is not stated what finally became of him. He married 21 January 1869 in Arkansas, Ellen Victoria Cheek, born Laclede County 8 June 1851. They settled in Sebastian County, Arkansas where he engaged in farming and died 24 August 1875. She married (2) prior to 1850 William J. Smart, born Arkansas 1843, his 2d wife, they migrated to Washington Territory in the 1880's where she died 2 March 1898 and is buried at Spokane, Washington. No mention of his death nor if there were any children by this second marriage.

Children:

i John Edmonston: b 13 Oct. 1870 Sebastian Co., Ark. He married 25 Aug. 1901 at Cordon, Oreg., Martha Ellinson Harrison, b 27 July 1883 at Cordon, Oreg. He is a farmer and they reside at Cordon, Oreg. They had:

1 Clarence James: b 15 Apr. 1903, m 4 Dec. 1925 Bertha See, b 9 May 1904 in Calif., reside Gazelle, Calif. They had:

a Lester John: b 15 Mar. 1926.

b James Willson: b 27 May 1928.

c Robert Clarence: b 17 Jan. 1930.

d Kenneth G.: b 27 Jan. 1931.

2 John Oscar: b 9 Mar. 1907, m 29 Aug. 1931 Dorothy Isabelle Parks, b 30 Aug. 1905, Ontario, Canada, reside Mayville, Oreg.

3 Henry Wilkerson: b 1 Apr. 1908. .

4 Lieuary Louise: b 5 Apr. 1919.

ii James Jesse (10) : b 26 Aug. 1872.

iii Lieuary: b .16 Nov. 1874 Sebastian Co., Ark.; moved to Washington Ter. with her parents where she married 14 Apr. 1897 at Wilbur, Wash., John Monroe Widby, born Johnson Co., Tenn. 3 Oct. 1859, reside Spokane, Wash. She has the old family Bible and has furnished information therefrom and other data on this branch of the family. They had:

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1 Nora Leone Widby: b .11 June 1898, m 2 June 1921 at Spokane, Wash. Levi Dwinell, b 11 Feb. 1898 at Montesana, Wash., reside Spokane, Wash. They had:

a Carroll June Dwinell: b 31 May. 1923.

b Virginia Joyce. Dwinell: b 20 July 1928.

iv Mary Elizabeth Smart: b 1867.

v Martha R. Smart: b 1868.

vi William J. Smart: b 1872.

vii Susan J. Smart: b 1873.

viii Annie A. Smart: b 1877.

#### 401 JAMES DOUGLAS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Oliver 8, James 7, James 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fayetteville, Arkansas 6 August 18-13, moved to Saline County, Missouri with his mother and step father about 1862. He enlisted at Marshall, Missouri, 5 May 1863 as Private C, 4th Mo. Cavalry, U. S. He was five feet and ten inches in height, blue eyes, and dark hair, occupation stated as farmer. During his service he was tried by Court Martial charged with "Assault with intent to kill," was found "not guilty," of the charge, but was evidently found guilty of some of the specifications as he was "Fined X50." No. details of the trial are given on the rolls. He was pensioned. He married (1) in 1863 Mary Barnaby, divorced her November 1866, and married (2) 6 December 1866 Margaret Jane Aulger, born Missouri 23 July 1843, resided Marshall, Missouri, where he died 11 December 1929, she was living in 1931, and died before February 1933.

Children:

i Sail Rufus (10) : b 27 Jan. 1868.

ii Martha Elizabeth: b 2 Oct. 1869, m 21 Sept. 1892 Daniel McDermott, reside Marshall, Mo. They had:

1 Daniel Willard McDermott: b 2 Aug. 1897, m prior to 1927 Dorothy Fredericha Kaufholz, b 29 Nov. 1896 at Kansas City, Mo. Reside Kansas City, Mo. They had:

a Daniel Edward McDermott: b 21 June 1927.

iii Lucy Ann: b 17 Aug. 1871, m 9 Oct. 1889 Charlie Edwin Maddox, b 3 Mar. 1861, reside Marshall, Mo. They had:

1 Lavylette Elizabeth Maddox: b 29 Sept. 1890, m at Jefferson City, Mo., Charles Clement Smith, b Jefferson City, Mo. 19 Jan. 1890, reside Marshall, Mo. They had:

a John Edwin Smith b 22 Feb. 1919.

b Charles Douglas Smith: b 10 June 1922.

2 Vallie Margaret Maddox: b 28 July 1892, m James Conway, reside Marshall, Mo. .

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- 3 Rufus Aulger Maddox: b.22 Au-. 1894 Marshall, Mo. He had furnished information on this family.
- 4 Ruth Caroline Maddox: b 27 June 1898.
- 5 Charlie Douglas Maddox: b 22 May 1901.
- 6 Velma Irene Maddox: b 16 Dec. 1902, m 10 Aug. 1922 Howard E. Murphy.
- 7 Harry Daniel Maddox: b 15 Dec. 1904.
- 8Delilah Lucille Maddox: b 21 June 1910.

iv Levi Aulger: b 27 July 1873 Saline Co., Mo., m 2 May 1921 Texan;: Hulse, b 17 May 1880 in Mo., resided Kansas City, Mo. where he died Aug. 1932, no mention of any children.

v Mary Ottillie: b 6 Oct. 1875, died 5 Oct. 1876.

#### 402 ELIZABETH MARY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Oliver 8, James 7, James 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*)Born Washington County, Arkansas 4 April 18-18. She married 6 June 186-1 Johnson County, Texas, Richard Haywood Vernon, born Washington County, Arkansas 17 February 18-13, they resided Wash ington County, Arkansas to 1874 then moved to Texan where he died 27 Apr. 1921 at Holland, Texas, she survived him and died at San Antonio, Texas 12 June 1924.

Children:

i Jamey Franklin Vernon: b 13 Jan. 1865, Johnson Co., Tex., moved to Ark, with his parents and returned to Tex. in 1874. He to 8 July 1888, Bell Co., Tex. Easter Annie Brown, b 18-, reside Burkhurnett, Tex. They had:

- 1 Myrtle Annie Vernon: b 22 June 1889, m Walter Lee Long, reside Burkburnett, Tex.
- 2 Benjamin Bert Vernon: b 8 Feb. 1891, m Essie Mae Island, reside Lockney, Tex.
- 3 William Burr Vernon: b 27 Feb. 1892; m Pearl Wilkerson, reside Arlington, Tex.
- 4 Maud Udelle Vernon: b 11 July 1893, died 11 Nov. 1917.
- 5 John Franklin Vernon: b 13 Sept. 1894, m Leila Watson, reside Wolf City, Tex.
- 6 Samuel Arnold Vernon: b 16 Nov. 1895, m Calista Fulkerson, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.

ii Sarah Frances Vernon: b 5 Oct. 186? Ark., m in 1835 at Holland, Tex., R. Jay Goode, b Ark. 18-, resided Plainview, Tex. where she died 8 Feb. 1932. They had:

1 John William Goode: b 30 Mar. 1886, graduated M.D. in 1912, m 5 Feb. 1916 Claudia A. Nolte, b Seguin, Tex. 1895, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

a John William Goode: b 10 Mar. 1923.

b Eleanor Elizabeth Goole: b 1 Jan. 1926.

- 2 Sarah Burr Goole: b 1888, m C. E. Carter, have 2 sons, reside Plainview, Tex.
- 3 Lula J. Goole: b ca 1590, m VI. D. Temple, hate 2 daughters, reside Los Angeles, Calif.
- 4 Josephine flay Goole: b 1891, m Paul M. Stockton, reside Redlands, Calif.
- 5 Mollie Vernon Goole: b 1893, resides Pasadena, Calif.
- 6 Rubes Jones Goole: b 189-1, m Everly Wilson, have 2 children, reside Lorenzo, Tex.
- 7 Fannie Goole: b 1896, m Robert H. Hughes, have 2 sons, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.
- 8 Elizabeth Vernon Goole: b 1902, m Harold E. Bawden, reside Plainview; Tex. .

iii Amanda Florence Vernon: b 6 Aug. 1869 Washington Co., Ark., moved to Tex. with her parents and m 1583 John W. Goodnight, reside Holland, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Eleanor Elizabeth Goole: b 1 Jan. 1926.

- 2 Sarah Burr Goole: b 1888, m C. E. Carter, have 2 sons, reside Plainview, Tex.
- 3 Lula J. Goole: b ca 1590, m VI. D. Temple, hate 2 daughters, reside Los Angeles, Calif.
- 4 Josephine flay Goole: b 1891, m Paul M. Stockton, reside Redlands, Calif.
- 5 Mollie Vernon Goole: b 1893, resides Pasadena, Calif.
- 6 Rubes Jones Goole: b 189-1, m Everly Wilson, have 2 children, reside Lorenzo, Tex.
- 7 Fannie Goole: b 1896, m Robert H. Hughes, have 2 sons, reside Wichita Falls, Tex.
- 8 Elizabeth Vernon Goole: b 1902, m Harold E. Bawden, reside Plainview; Tex. .

iii Amanda Florence Vernon: b 6 Aug. 1869 Washington Co., Ark., moved to Tex. with her parents and m 1583 John W. Goodnight, reside Holland, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

- 1 Arthur Lee Goodnight: b 1886, m Thelma Stone, reside Holland, Tex. They had a Gloria Marie Goodnight.
- 2 Ruby Goodnight: b 1889, m G. J. Markham, reside Dallas, Tex. They had
  - a Leita Markham.
  - b Lucite Markham.
  - c Leslie Markham (Daughter).

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- 3 Mabel Grace Goodnight: b 1891, m W. W. Markham, she died 1919, resided Cameron, Tex. They had:  
a James Markham..  
b Calvin Markham.  
c Gene Markham.  
d Grace Markham.
- 4 Ethel Maud Goodnight: b 1892, m S. M. Johnson, reside Berkeley, Calif. They had:  
a Aureba Johnson.
- 5 Sally Ruth Goodnight: b 1894, m W. R. Gilbert, reside Austin, Tex. No children.
- 6 Pearl Goodnight: b 1895, m Dr. R. S. Sutton; reside N. Mex. No children.
- 7 Luella Goodnight: b 1897, m William D. Reed, reside Holland, Tex. They had  
a William D. Reed.  
b Barbara Jean Reed.
- 8 John Wilburn Goodnight: b 1898, m lone Stone, resided Holland, Tex. They had:  
a Wilburn Gene Goodnight.
- 9 Richard Homer Goodnight: b 1901, resides College Station, Tex.
- 10 Walter Alvin Goodnight: b 1902, resides Longview, Tex.
- 11 Mary Wilma Goodnight: b 1907, m Rev. E. R. Couch, reside Baytown, Tex. They had: a Rex Couch. iv Annie Pleasant Vernon: b 15 Nov. 1870 Washington Co., Ark., m at Holland, Tex. 15 Nov. 1891 Thomas Augusta Payee, b 15 July 1863 in Washington Co., Ark. Reside Haskell, Tex. They had:  
1 Virgil Augusta Payee: b 24 Feb. 1893, m 25 Dec. 1919 Charles Wesley Wagman, reside near Elk City, Okla.  
2 Walter Elbert Payee: b 22 Oct. 1897, m 8 Sept. 1923 Esta Mae Tate, reside Haskell, Tex.  
3 Mattie Elizabeth Payee: b 30 July 1906, m 19 June 1925 Albin Claude Hall, reside Haskell, Tex.
- v Lavinnie Elizabeth Vernon: b 27 May 1872, died 31 Mar. 1873.
- vi Nannie Burr Vernon: b 3 Feb. 1876, died 17 July 1888
- vii John Washington Vernon: b 16 Mar. 1878, in Minnie Bridges, he died Nov. 1916.
- viii Henry Oscar Vernon: b 17 Mar. 185:., in Janie Burson, he died 29 Nov. 1921.

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403 GEORGE FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Burrow 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.)* Born Washington County, Arkansas in 1856, moved to Bell County, Texas with his parents where he married in 1882 Mary Matilda Rather, born Arkansas in 1866. Resided at Bonham, Texas in 1893, and at Dennison, Texas in 1899 they moved to Oklahoma and resided near Lehigh where she died 5 April 1904, he survived her many years moved to Cottle County, Texas where he died 22 October 1928. He was a farmer and the family Missionary Baptists.

Children:

i Carrie May: b 5 May 1886 Bell Co., Tex., m in 1902 Johnson Co., Okla. Willie B. Haston, b Yell Co., Ark. In 1883. She has furnished information on this family, reside Paducah, Tex. They had:

1 Norvel Douglas Haston: b 29 Jan. 1904 Okla., d: 17 Apr. 1904.

2 Grace Leah Haston: b 26 Mar. 1905 Okla., m 23 July 1925 Leon Calvin Cobb, b 1903 Bryant Co., Okla.

3 Floyd D. Haston: b 26 Apr. 1908 Okla.

4 Johnnie Maye Haston: b 11 Mar. 1912 Tex., m 22 May

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1927 Dewey Hubbard Cobb, b. 22 Dec. 1906, Bryant Co., Okla. Reside Paducah, Tex. They had:

a John Dewey, Cobb: b 16 Oct. 192-.

b William R. Cobb: b 24 Dec. 1929.

5 Child: b 13 Feb. 1915, died same day.

6 Anna Delle Haston : b 2 July 1917.

7 Bessie Naomi Haston: b 4 Feb. 1923. ii Ida Pleasant: b 1 July 1888, m George Bush, reside Dennison, Tea. They had:

1 Agatha Bush: m.

2 George Bush, Jr.

3 Walter Bush.

4 Mary Lou Bush.

5 Albert Bush.

6 Rosie Lee Bush.

7 Billy Bush.

iii Effie Lee: b 22 Aug. 1890, m Mack Irby, she died 19 Feb. 1928 at Dennison, Tex. They had:

1 Norvel Irby: b 19-.

iv Benjamin Mitchell: b 29 Dec. 1893 at Bonham, Tex., resides Pittsburg, Calif. in 1.932 and unmarried.

v Lou Ella: b 27 Dec. 1394, m Jimmie E. Johnston, she died 1 Feb. 1932, at Crowley, Colo. No children.

vi Elizabeth Ethel: b 5 Apr. 1899, m Alton B. Jenkins, reside Dennison, Tex. They had:

1 Willis Jenkins.

2 Doris Lee Jenkins.

3 James Jenkins.

vii Ernest Franklin: b 7 May 1901, resides Midland, Tex., unkm. viii Gladys M.: b 10 July 1902, died Aug. 1902.

#### 404 GEORGE MC. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 23 January 1820. He married (1) prior to 1843 Eliza L. Shumate, born 11 July 1815. In 1862 he left home to join the Union forces but was restrained by the Confederates with a short imprisonment. Eliza died 8 June 1863 and he married (2) in 1863 Louisa Wylie, she died in 1866 and he married (3) Elizabeth E. Chumley, born 18-, she died January 1870, he married (4) about 1880=81 Cecilia, Pearce, born Bell County, Kentucky in 1864. He was a Mason, resided in Claiborne County, Tennessee where he died 26 September 1904, she survives him and was living in 1930.

Children:

i Sarah E.: b 11 June 1843 m ca 1864 William G. Freeman, she died in 1865.

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ii Andrew J.: b 8 Oct. 1844. He was a Wagon master in Quartermaster Dept. during the Civil War, not known if C.S.A. or Union Forces. He is not listed in military records of either side. He died 18 Sept. 1864 in Ky., never married.

iii George W. (10) : b 26 May 1847.

iv Eliza J.: b 14 Jan. 1849, m prior to 1868 Hosea B. Loftis, b N. C. in 1844, no data on his death, she died 20 Oct. 1930 in Knoxville, Tenn. They had, known:

1 Mary Y. Loftis: b 1868.

2 John D. Loftis: b Dec. 1869.

v John W.: b 29 July 1851, m Martha J. Watson, b N. C. in 1856. He died Oct. 1916, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. in 1880, no data on her death. They had, known:

1 Jane: b 1872, deceased.

2 George: b 1874, deceased.

3 William: b 1876, resides Bryson, Tenn.

4 Houston: b Mar. 1880.

5 Charles: b 18-, resides Arthur, Tenn.

6 Hosea: b 18-, resides Bryson, Tenn.

7 John: b 18-, resides Middlesboro, Ky.

8 Alvis: b 18-, resides Arthur, Tenn.

vi Nancy Mollies b 21 July 1853, she m 30 Jan. 1876 Thomas J. Ely, b Tend. 1854, see No. 240, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. where he died 3 Dec. 1927, she survives him and has furnished data on this family, resides Arthur, Tenn. They had:

1 Eliza Jerusha Ely: b 28 Aug. 1876, m a Mr. Money, she died 25 Nov. 1920, residence, not stated. They had:

a Owen B. Money: b 189-, served in world War, resides Middlesboro, Ky.

b Thomas W. Money: b 189-, served in World War, resides Middlesboro, Ky.

c Charles Edward Money: b 189-, served in World War, resides Tazewell, Tenn.

d Joseph A. Money: b 189-, served in World War, resides Tazewell, Tenn.

e Nellie E. Money: b 18-, resides Kingsport, Tenn.

f Virginia Victoria Money: b 1-,resides Columbus, Ohio.

g Willie Mae Money: b 1-, resides Charleston, S.C.

h Grace Elnora Money: b 1-, resides Charleston, S.C.

i James Marion Money: b 1-,resides Middlesboro, KY.

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- j Lawrence Vernon Money: b-1-, resides Harrogate, Tenn.
  - 2 Walter William Ely: b 25 Nov. 1878, m, resides Middlesboro, Ky. They had:
    - a Jessie Lorena Ely: b 1-,resides La Follette, Tenn.
    - b Walter R. Ely: resides Kingsport, Tenn.
    - e Geneva Ruth Ely.
    - d, Herbert H. Ely.
    - e Cora F. Ely.
    - f Thomas E. Ely.
    - g Naomi Ely.
    - h Mary Evelyn Ely.
    - i Leo V. Ely.
    - j Malcolm L. Ely.
  - 3 Nellie Y. Ely: b 15 July 1851, m a Mr. Sowder, reside Arthur, Tenn. They had
    - a Hazel Jeane Sowder.
  - 4 William O. Ely: b 19 Jan. 188, m, reside Oakdale, Tenn. They had:
    - a Clarence W. Ely.
    - b Lila Lorena Ely.
    - c Henry Decatur Ely.
    - d John Jefferson Ely.
    - e Howard E. Ely.
    - f Rachel V. Ely.
    - g Margaret V. Ely.
  - 5 Victor B. Ely: b 17 Aug. 1888, m, reside Arthur, Tenn. They had
    - a William Stanley Ely.
    - b Jerusha Blanche Ely.
    - c Gillus A. Ely.
    - d Margaret Alice Ely.
    - e George Shelby Ely.
    - f .Benjamin S. Ely.
    - g Revena Lee Ely.
    - h Edna Mae Ely.
  - 6 James A. Ely: b 7 Mar. 1890, m, reside Arthur, Tenn. They had:
    - a James T. Ely.
    - b John V. Ely.
    - c Mary Edward Ely.
- vii Margaret Ann: b 1 Dec. 1855, died 21 Dec. 1929, unmarried. viii Isaac F.: b 17 Mar. 1857, died 13 Feb. 1870.
- ix Child: b 1859, died inf.
- x Child: b 1861, died inf.



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xi Robert W. (10) : b 18 July 1864, 2d .wife.

xii Son: b 1866, died inf.

xiii Daniel H.: b 26 Dec. 1869, 3d -wife, died 1890, unmarried.

xiv Mossie: b 1883, 4th wife, She m 1901 James Thomas Ely, reside Middlesboro, Ky. They had:

1 Ray T. Ely.

2 Ren P. Ely.

3 Pauline Fly.

4 Orville Ely.

xv George A.: b 6 Dec. 1885, unmarried.

xvi Linnaeus Humphries: b ? June 1887, m 31 Dec. 1926 Mossie Reeve, b Wheeler, Va., reside Lexington, Ky. He has furnished information on this family-. No children.

xvii Harrison: b 15 Oct. 1888, m Bessie Cross, reside Riverside, Calif. They had

1 Virginia Pierce: b 1915.

xviii William Hosea: b 24 Mar. 1891, m 15 May 1925 Mossie Otelle Francisco, b 8 A-lay 1896 at, Cumberland Gap, Tenn., reside Arthur, Tenn. They had:

1 Celia Emiline: b 5 Sept. 1926.

2 Hazelle: b 14 Sept. 1931 (a Caesarean section baby).

xix Laura Blintie: b 4 May 1892, m 23 July 1909 Riley Hurst, b 3 Aug. 1890, reside in Iiddlesboro, Ky. She has furnished information on this family concerning the fourth set of children. They had:

1 Reva Ethel Hurt: b 13 July 1910.

2 Cuba Hurst: b 29 Mar. 1912.

3 Stella Hurst: b 27 Mar. 1914.

4 Ross Hurt: b 26 June 1917.

5 James Burst: b 29 Aug. 1919.

6 Ray Hurst: b 5 May 1922.

7 Celia Hurst: b 7 Sept. 1924.

8 Riley Bill Hurst: b 14 Mar. 1929.

9 Burrel Hurst: b 6 Sept. 1931.

xx Dollies b 10 Dec. 1894, m 5 Sept. 1916 Daniel Bostic, residence not stated. They had:

1 Claude Bostic: b 19 Aug. 1917.

2 Clarence Bostic: b 14 July 1920.

xxi James W.: b 26 Sept. 1896, m 6 Sept. 1928 Mae Ward.

xxii Myrtle: b 26 May 1899, m 25 June 1923 James McBee, reside Middlesboro, Ky. They had:

1 Weir McBee: b 26 June 1918 (Step son?)

2 James McBee: b 2 Apr. 1924.

3 Horace McBee: b 12 Nov. 1925. -

4 Olen McBee: b 11 Aug. 1928.

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5 H. B. McBee : b 19 Dec. 1929.

6 Hobert McBee: b 22 June 1931.

xxiii Ethel: b 23 Feb. 1901, m Olen Francisco, reside Arthur, Tenn. They had:

1 James Lee Francisco: b 17 Dec. 1931.

xxiv Thomas Irven: b 5 May 1903, m Dorothy Howard, residence not stated. They had: 1 Jack: b 19-. 2 Wallace: b 19-.

xxv Ross: b 1905.

405 LINNAEUS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(William, P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee in 1827. He married prior to 1817 Mary , born Tennessee in 1820. They moved to Kentucky about 1856 and returned to Claiborne County, Tennessee in 1861. In census of 1870 he appears to be superintendent of some home for aged; he was a farmer, both were living in 1880.

Children (known):

i Joseph H.: b 1,847 Claiborne Co., Tenn. He was a school teacher. He m (1) prior to 1870 Isabella, b Tenn. in 1850, she died in 1871 and he m (2) Mary L., b Tenn. in 1857, she appears to have died and he m (3) in the late 1880's (her name is not known, the only source of information did not appear to know). Joseph died in 1894 and she m (2), about 1897. They had, known:

1 Harriet: b 1870. Was living with her grandparents Billingsley in 1880.

2 Cordelia: b 1871.

3 Roxie S.: b 1875, 2d wife.

4 Jesse L.: b 1877.

5 Lula A.: b 1879.

6 James Monroe: b 188-, 3d wife, he was deacd. 1930.

7 William Arthur: b 18-.

8 Clyde S.: b 1893 Tenn. We had one letter from him with meager information and have not been able to get any further replies from him. He stated, "I left home when 13 years of age and was never told anything of my father's people and have not been able to learn much since. He m Blanche reside Los Angeles, Calif.

ii William: b 1849, m 1871 Rachel , b Tenn. in 1852, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. to about 1898, then moved to Colo. They had, known:

1 Mary: b 1873.

2 Linnaeus: b 1875.

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3 Joseph: b 1878.

iii .Elizabeth J.: b 1855, m 1870 David N. Gibbs, b Tenn. 1849, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 Sarah J. Gibbs: b 1873.

2 Charles Gibbs : b 1875.

3 Rachel Gibbs: b 1877.

4 Nathaniel Gibbs: b Dec. 1879.

iv George W.: b 1857 Ky., m 1874 Caroline, b Ky. In 1857, resided Barren Co., Ky. in 1850. They had, known:

1 Eva A.: b 1875.

2 Clarence L.: b 1879.

v Mary A.: b 1861 Tenn., m 1877 James S. Sharp, b Tenn. 1856, resided Claiborne Co., Tenn. They had, known:

1 John G. Sharp: b 1878.

2 Jefferson b2. Sharp: b Dec. 1819.

### 406 JOHN F. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Jesse D. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee in 1834 and probably in Roane County, moved to Kentucky with his parents about 1838. He later moved to Jackson County, Tennessee where he married prior to 1854 Elizabeth Jane, born Tennessee in 1835. They moved to Roane County, Tennessee about 1861 where he engaged in farming. This portion of Roane County become Loudon County in the 1870's, both were living in 1860 and we have no data on the death of either of them.

Children:

i Sarah Ann: b 1854 was unmarried in 1850.

ii Frances: b 1856, m or d before 1880.

iii Franklin: b 1858, m 1877 Caroline, b Tenn. 1861, resided Loudon County, Tenn. in 1880. They had, known:

1 Jane A.: b 1878.

2 Caroline: b Mar. 1850.

iv Benjamin: b 1860.

v William: b 1862.

vi George W.: b 1864 Tenn. He married about 1884, b 1869 in Tenn. resided Loudon Co. to about 188? then moved to Washington Territory. In Apr. 1931 we had one letter from him with meager information. Repeated effort by several persons to get further information has been without a single reply in any case. He stated he was 67 years old and his wife 61 years of age; they had 12 children, 2 were born in Tenn.; eight sons and four daughters, one son and one daughter deceased; all were married except 2 daughters and one son; had 16 grand children. .Resided at Enumclaw, Wash. While we have not been successful in bringing this family to date we

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have given enough so that others interested can easily complete the record.

vii Rebecca: b 1868. Was living in 1880.

407 FRANCIS MARION (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Reuben M. 8, Jesse 7, Johns 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis X.*) Born Cumberland County, Kentucky 14 April 1839, moved to Monroe County, Kentucky with his parents. He migrated to Texas about 1860 and enlisted 23 Jan. 1862 Pvt. E, 17th Tex. Cav. (Consolidated) C. S. A., at Dallas, Texas; Regt. dismounted 15 Aug. 1862; July 1863 he was Teamster in Quartermaster Department; March 1865 shows same; no further military record. He married at Paris, Texas 10 September 1870 Sarah Margaret McAnnis, born Roxton, Texas 22 May 1852. He was a farmer and died 25 September 1882, she survives him and resides Roxton, Texas. Family members of Christian church.

Children:

i Ids May: b 2 Jan. 1873, m Crenshaw, she was deceased 1932.

ii Minnie: b 21 Sept. 1874, m a Mr. Bramlette, reside Hugo, Okla.

iii Nester Ann: b 30 Mar. 1876, m Frazer, she was deceased 1932.

iv Eula Lee: b 28 Oct. 1877, m Baughman, reside Roxton, Tex.

v John R.: b 19 June 1880 at Roxton, Tex., m 24 Mar. 1904 Annie Barnes: b 26 Dec. 1883 at Roxton, Tex. He is a farmer, family members of Christian church, reside Roxton, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Patt: b 17 Nov. 1904.

2 Mary: b 1 Aug. 1907, m Kewen Duke.

3 Johnny: b 12 Dec. 1908, m Odus Penn.

4 Nell: b 1 Aug. 1911.

5 Grace: b 2 Sept. 1914, m William Bohall.

6 Ruth: b 21 May 1920.

7 Dorothy Anne: b 6 Jan. 1927.

vi William Benjamin Franklin: b 3 Feb. 1882, m 15 Jan. 1908 at Roxton, Tex. Dells Camster, b 14 June 1883 at Paris, Tex. Reside at High, Tex. They had:

1 Lola Bee: b 28 Oct. 1910, died 30 Nov. 1914.

2 John Franklin: b 22 Nov. 1912, died 29 Sept. 1914.

3 Evelyn Inez: b 3 Dec. 1914. She has been quite interested in this undertaking and has furnished information on the family.

4 Jess Willard: b 14 Feb. 1917.

5 William Hunter: b 7 July 1923.

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408 JOSEPH (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee in 1822. He married prior to 1850 Nary A. Bohanon, born Tennessee in 1824. He enlisted 11 August 1863 as Private, Kincaid's Company, Walker's Regiment Tennessee Cavalry, C. S. A. for sit months, and for service in Tennessee only-. No further military record. He is stated to have been killed by bushwhackers about the close of the war. Mary survived him many years and died in 1891, resided Roane County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Mary E.: b flay 1850, m Joseph E. Carter, both deceased sometime prior to 1930, resided Roane Co., Tenn. They had:

1 Joseph W: Carter: b 1869, in Susan-Emina Billingsley, daughter of James H. Billingsley, No. 412, which see.

2 Sarah Carter: b 187-, in a Mr. North, reside Flint, Mich. in 1930.

ii Joseph: b 1852, died in 1860's.

iii Sarah Jane: b 1854, m prior to 1880 Robert Webster, b Tenn. in 18-, resided Roane Co., Tenn. then moved to Ill., and then to Calif. where she died some years since, he was living in 1930 at San Pedro, Calif. They had, order not known:

1 John Webster.

2 Hobart Webster.

3 James Webster: died at Columbus, Ohio in the Prison fire.

4 Ids Webster: m a Mr. North.

5 Susan Frances Webster.

iv Margaret: b 1857, m after 1880 Lewis Carter, she is deceased, they are said to have had one daughter, residence not stated.

v Susan Anna Belle: b 24 Dec. 1858, Roane Co., Tenn., m 17 Dec. 1882 in Roane Co., Tenn. George Wesley Wilson, b 30 Aug. 1857 at Sweetwater, Tenn. subsequently moved to Ill. where she died 13 Feb. 1902, he survives her, residence not stated. They had:

1 James Robert Wilson: b 30 Nov. 1883, died 7 Sept. 1889.

2 William Harding Wilson: b 3 Feb. 1886, died 7 July 1913:

3 Jennie Emma Wilson: b 14 Sept. 1888, m William H. Morgan, 29 Mar. 1911 at Ashland, Kan. Reside Moorewood, Okla.

4 George Edgar Wilson: b 13 Sept. 1890, m 19 Feb. 1922 Pearl Smith, at Wichita, Kan., reside Augusta, Kan.

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5 Colonel Hash Wilson: b 25 Oct. 1892, m Grace, reside Winslow, Ariz.

6 Samuel Ernest Wilson: b 8 Oct. 1894, m 9 Oct. 1923, Alda Miller, at Holbrook, Ariz., reside Wilmington, Calif.

7 Gertrude May Wilson: b 9 Oct. 1900, m 18 Nov. 1918 Herman L. Sughrue, at Albuquerque, N. Mex. He enlisted in U. S. Navy for the War, discharged 18 Aug. 1919; 2d Lieut. M. A. C. Res., member American Legion and Rotary Club. He is a Mason, and a registered pharmacist. Reside Window, Ariz., where he operates a drug store. Family Methodist. They had:

a Frederick Joe Sughrue: b 22 Jan. 193-

8 Ruby Susan Anna Belle Wilson: b 29 Jan. 1902, m 5 Feb. 1922 Edgar Land, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

vi John Houston (10): b 17 Mar. 1861.

#### 409 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee 17 September 1833. He married in 1856-57 Eliza Jane McDuffie, born Tennessee 3 March 1839. He enlisted 26 September 186-, Private G, 62d Tenn. Infantry, C. S. A.; elected 3d Lieutenant; wounded at Chicasaw Bayou 28 December 1862 and granted sick leave; wounded badly at Vicksburg and captured 4 July 1863, paroled 8 July 1863; last roll dated 12 September 1864 shows, absent, paroled. They moved to Miller County, Missouri about 1866 then to Polk County, then moved to Washington County, Arkansas about 1869. From there they moved to Benton County, Arkansas and returned to Loudon County, Tennessee about 1876 where they spent the rest of their days. She died 27 April 1887, he survived her and died at his home near Philadelphia, Tennessee in 1928.

Children:

i John Edward: b Feb. 1858. Was living in Chicago, Ill. in 1895, resides Clifton, Ariz. 1932, unmarried.

ii Benjamin Franklin (10): b 10 Apr. 1859.

iii Henry Clay: b 3 Mar. 1861 Roane Co., Tenn., moved to Mo. Ark. and returned to Tens, with his parents. He left home in the 1880's and went to St. Louis, Mo. where he married 17 Sept. 1889 Alma Kraft, b 8 June 1868 at St. Louis, Mo., see Kraft Excursus. They moved to Chicago, Ill. after 1893 and he is listed in 1894 as operating a saloon; from 1895 to 1904 he is listed as a commission merchant. Alma died 8 Aug. 1901. He survived her many years and died 4 Nov. 1931 at Chicago, Ill. They had:

1 Lillie: b Aug. 1890, died Aug. 1890.

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2 Henry Clay, Jr.: b 28 May 1893 at St. Louis, Mo., moved to Chicago, Ill. with his parents. One H. Clay Billingsley is listed St. Louis, Mo. in 1911, as a clerk. It is not known if this is the father or son. He married 19- Veronica Craig, b 1-, resides St. Louis, Mo. They had:

a Henry Clay: b 19-

3 Edna Alma: b 23 Sept. 1898 Chicago, Ill., is unmarried and resides St. Louis, Mo.

iv James Houston: b 1862, died 1860's.

v Margaret: b 1864, died 1860's.

vi Joseph Daniel: b 1866, died 1860's.

vii Mary: b 1868, m Than Galyon, she died about 1918, said to have a son named Than Galyon who resides Knoxville, Term.

viii Sallies b 1870 Ark., m a Mr. Webster, she is deceased, resided Philadelphia, Tenn.

ix Charles Oliver (10): b 1873 Ark.

x Edward Mack: b 22 Feb. 1875 Ark., reared in Roane Co., Term., migrated to New Boston, Tex. in early 1890's, in 1894 went to Bonham, Tex. where he married 23 June 1895 Pauline Elizabeth Watson, b Bonham, Tex. 21 Apr. 1878, moved to Oklahoma for a few years then moved to Clifton, Ariz. where they remained for 5 years then moved to Stockton, Calif. in 1906 where they reside 1931. They had:

1 Mary Annalee: b 22 Sept. 1897, died 20 Mar. 1901.

2 Darius Augustus: b 23 Nov. 1900, died 25 May 1902.

3 Vera Verne: b 3 Dec. 1902, m 2 June 1921 Edwin George Clark, reside San Francisco, Calif. They had:

a Lowell Atlee Clark: b 2 Jan. 1931.

4 Erma Irene: b 6 July 1906 Grad. Nurse, Children's Hospital, San Francisco, Calif. in 1925, she m 15 Apr. 1928

John Leslie Baker, reside Stockton, Calif. They had

a Ionis Annalee Baker: b 23 Oct. 1929.

xi Robert Luther Newton: b 15 Feb. 1877 Roane Co., Tenn. He left home in 1892, dropped the Robert from his name and lived in Chicago, Ill. from 1901 to 1905, moved to Ariz. and then to California where he married at Monrovia, 31 Mar. 1928 Pearl B. Harper, b Leadville, Colo., 10 Oct. 1887. He conducts a Prep. school, is a member of the Moose, and Odd Fellows, reside Long Beach, Calif. They had:

1 Jeanne Marie: b 11 May 1929. xii Joseph Arthur: b Mar. 1880 Tenn., moved West and mar-

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ried 12 May 1903 Agnes E. Aiton, daughter of Dr. R. M. Aiton, reside Phoenix, Ariz. They had 1 Ruby Christine: b 1905, m 9 June 1932 Clarence A. Stowell. 2 Joseph A.: b 190-, m 12 Aug. 1927 Dorothea Stager. 3 Beatrice: b 190-, m 11 June 1931 Joseph J. Waddell. 4 Nina A.: b 1911. Resides Phoenix, Ariz. and furnished the information on this family. 5 Howard J.: b 1912. 6 Virginia: b 1916. 7 Robert: b 1918. 8 Helen: b 1921. 9 Frances: b 1923. 10 Paul: b 1927. xiii Eliza: b 1882, m (1) a Mr. Christian, he died and she m (2) Eugene Adams, she divorced him several years since, she resides San Diego, Calif. One of her daughters, not stated which, was married 27 Sept. 1931. They had: 1 Corinne Christian. 2 Alma Christian. 3 Margaret Adams.

#### KRAFT EXCURSUS

MATHIAS KRAFT was born in Germany, he married , they came to America after 1835 and probably about 1848. He is not listed in city directories of 1838, 1843, 1847, but is listed in the one of 1850 as a Music Teacher and resided on Pine Street, St. Louis, Missouri. Search of the first and second wards of St. Louis in the census of 1850 does not reveal any one of this name, Mathias. He is not listed in the city directory of 1853 in St. Louis, is stated to have died in St. Louis, no date mentioned nor is there any mention as to who his wife was. Children:

i Ids Kraft: b 182-, m Eugene Schneider.

ii Emma Kraft: b 1829, m Dr. Theo. Canisuis, she died 7 Oct. 1876.

iii Emil Kraft: b 1830 Germany, m Mary Beauvie.

iv Otto Kraft: b 5 Apr. 1835 Germany, came to America with his parents and married 29 July 1861, Augusta Von Schroeder, b 10 Apr. 1839 at St. Charles, Mo. She was a daughter of Cart Von Schroeder, Jr., b St. Petersburg, Russia, married at Minden, Germany, Lenora Huelaenkamp, b Minden, Germany; they came to America prior to 1836; besides Augusta, they were the parents of two sons of whom no record, and a daughter, Minna, b 27 Jan. 1836 and married William C. Markwitz, she died 27 Aug. 1932. Carl Von Schroeder, died at St. Joseph,



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Mo. and Lenora died at St. Charles, Mo., no dates stated. Otto Kraft resided in St. Louis, Mo. where he engaged in mercantile business and died 7 Dec. 1887, his wife survived him many years and died 29 Nov. 1912. They had:

- 1 Laura Kraft: b 186-.
- 2 Alfred C. Kraft: b 26 Feb. 1866, died 28 Mar. 1931 unm.
- 3 Alma Kraft: b 8 June 1868, m Henry Clay Billingsley, see No. 409.
- 4 Edwin Kraft: b 1870, died 1875.
- 5 Theodore Kraft: b 1872, died 1875.
- 6 Eugene Kraft: b 14 Nov. 1876, died 29 Jan. 1916. unm.
- 7 Edna Lenora Kraft: b 8 Oct. 1880.

v Constance Kraft: b 183-, died unmarried.

#### 410 LOUISA (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John H. 8, James ?, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee in 1835. She married prior to 1853 David Ferguson, born Tennessee in 1827. He was a farmer and resided Roane County, and later in Loudon County after its formation in 1870's. He is stated to have died before 1891, she survived him some years and died 14 February 1905 near Sweetwater, Tennessee.

Children:

i Mary J. Ferguson: b 1853.

ii John H. Ferguson: b 1857. Was living 1931 at Cleburne, Tex.

iii Stephen L. Ferguson: b 1859. Was living 1931 at Cleburne, Tex.

iv Sarah Ferguson: b 1861, m J. H. McGuire, she was deceased in 1931.

v Margaret Emily: b 1863, m Pink Blair, she was deceased 1931, resided Sweetwater, Tenn.

vi George Houston Ferguson: b 18 May 1865, m 6 Sept. 1888 in Loudon Co., Tenn. Mary Letitia Webster, b 27 Sept. 1868, she died 2 Aug. 1930, he survives her and resides Sweetwater, Tenn. They had:

1 Ada Elizabeth Ferguson: b 10 Jan. 1890.

2 Lula Fine Ferguson: b 14 Mar. 1891. She is connected with Sweetwater Hosiery Mills, clerical department. She has furnished information on this family.

3 Anna Lee Ferguson: b 28 Sept. 1894, m 22 June 1921 Lewis P. Noe. They had:

a Anna Elizabeth Noe: b 27 Nov. 1928.

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4 Nellie Mae Ferguson: b 4 bier. 1897, m 22 June 1921 Henry R. Clark. No children.

5 George David Ferguson: b 25 June 1902, died 7 Nov. 1903.

6 John Henry Ferguson: b 5 'Mar. 1905.

7 Mary Rebecca Ferguson: b 11 Aug. 1906.

8 Alice Gates Ferguson: b 16 liar. 1908.

9 Jennie Belle Ferguson: b 15 May 1909, died 30 May 1909.

vii Louisa Ferguson: b 1868, m C. Rex, reside Graysville, Ind.

viii Nettie Ferguson: b 18?- , m Charles Williams, reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

ix Bessie Ferguson: b 187-, m Floyd Lanston, reside Loudon, Tenss David F. Ferguson: b 187-, resides Loudon, Tenn.

411 JOHN H. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(John H. 8, James 7, John. 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Roane County, Tennessee in 1837. He enlisted 9 November 1861 in Roane County, as Private F, 43d Tenn. Infantry, C. S. A., and appointed 2d Lieutenant; captured at Vicksburg 4 July 1863, paroled 9 July 1863, and signed the oath of allegiance 27 May 1865 at Chattanooga, Tennessee. He was five feet and nine inches in height, black hair, and hazel eyes. He married prior to 1869 Sarah Ruth, daughter of Joseph Byrd, born 8 January 1795 and Ann Pride, born 20 July 1797, married 6 May 1819. Sarah was born 3 August 1839 and was the eleventh of thirteen children. She married (1) in 1860 Doctor Paul Gregory, there was a separation and she was authorized by the Court to resume her maiden name and also to change the name of her son to Byrd. Resided Roane County, Tennessee where he died in 1889, she moved to Chattanooga, Tennessee and died at the home of her son, Dr. Byrd, in December 1922.

Children:

i Edgar Hamilton (Gregory) Byrd: b 1862. Stepson. He m 19 May 1892 Conis Blanch Hasinger, resided Chattanooga, Tens. He was a physician and was deceased prior to 1932, had two daughters; Sarah and Ruth.

ii Mary A.: b Nov. 1869. She married Thereon Browse, reside Chattanooga, Tenn. They had:

1 Browse Browse.

2 Evelyn Browse.

3 Blanche Browse.

4 Annie Browse.

5 Louise Browse.

6 Jane Browse.

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iii Joseph Byrd: b 4 July 1871, m 29 Oct. 1907 in Meigs Co. Tenn. Mary Jane Gibson, b Roane Co., Tenn. 18-. Reside Chattanooga, Tenn. He has furnished information on this family. No children.

iv Child: b 18?-, died inf.

v Margaret: b 25 Mar. 1874 at Paint Rock, Tenn. She married 25 Oct. 1898 at Chattanooga, Tenn. William H. Browder, b 25 Oct. 1871 at Wheat, Tenn., reside Wheat, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family. They had

1 John Franklin Browder: b 11 Aug. 1899, died 3 Dec. 1901.

2 Mary Byrd Browder: b 17 Apr. 1901, m L. B. Burnett, reside Morristown, Tenn. They had:

a Genevieve Burnett.

b Mary Ellen Burnett.

c June Browder Burnett.

3 Joseph Houston Browder: b 15 Nov. 1903, m Lonnie McCall, reside Wheat, Tenn.

4 William H. Browder, Jr.: b 18 Dec. 1905, m Oda Waltenbarger, reside Athens, Tenn.

5 Edgar Carmack Browder: b 11 Feb. 190-.

6 George Wade Browder: b 2 July 1911.

7 Roswell Rhea Browder: b 2 Dec. 1913.

8 Lulu. Meade Browder: b 27 Feb. 1916.

9 Sara Margaret Browder: b 11 Feb. 1919.

#### 412 JAMES HOUSTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John H. 8, James 7, John. 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee in 1842. He enlisted 26 November 1862, Monroe County, as Private G, 62d Mounted Infantry, Term., C. S. A.; made 1st Lieutenant; April 1863, sick in hospital; captured 4 July 1863 at Vicksburg and paroled 9 July 1863; roll of April 1864 shows: "absent, paroled and in enemy lines." He married in 1869 Nancy Jane Walker, born Tennessee in 1849, daughter of Elijah and Susan Walker. Elijah was a Baptist minister. He was a farmer and resided in Roane County, where he died in 1897, she survived him some years and died 1 October 1920. He was a Mason, and family Baptists.

Children:

i Lassa Ann: b 1871, m 26 May 1889, J. L. Wilson, reside Tenn., place not stated, had 4 sons and 1 daughter, living in 1931 were:

1 Isaac Newton Wilson: b 16 Aug. 1891, m Mae Thomas.

2 Henry Houston Wilson: b 12 Dec. 1892.

3 James Frank Wilson: b 15 Nov. 1894.

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ii Mary Lula: b 1872, m 1900 Hugh Crowe, he died in 1904, she survives him and resides Harriman, Tenn. They had:  
1 Thomas Ernest Crowe: b 1902.

iii Susan Emma: b 1874, m 1891 Joel W. Carter, b Tenn. in 1869. Family Baptists, reside Sweetwater, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Mary Lillie Carter: b 23 June 1893, died 26 June 1893.

2 Anna Maude Carter: b 19 Apr. 1895, m Otis Carter, of Knoxville, Tenn. They had: a Amy Jewell Carter.

3 James William Carter: b 12 Oct. 1896, m Mattie Witt. He served in the World War, is a Mason, in automobile business, reside Maryville, Tenn. No children.

4 Laura Essie Carter: b 8 Oct. 1898, m Robert Coleman, of Knoxville, Tenn.

5 Sammie Mae Carter: b 19 July 1902, m Frank Vaden, of Knoxville, Tenn.

6 Joseph Franklin Carter: b 4 Oct. 1904, Baptist, and a Mason, automobile business, unmarried in 1931, resides Maryville, Tenn.

7 Emma Belle Carter: b 23 June 1907, m James Bilderback, reside near Sweetwater, Tenn. They had a Frances Eloise Bilderback: b 19-.

8 Thomas Lafayette Carter: b 18 Sept. 1911, died 8 Nov. 1911.

9 Lula Blanch Carter: b 24 Nov. 1912, died 16 Aug. 1914.

10 Fred Afton Carter: b 16 Dec. 1914.

11 Jennie Reece Carter: b 4 Nov. 1918. iv Amanda Jane: b 1876, m 1895 John I. Richeson, b Tenn. 1870, reside Loudon, Tenn. They had:

1 William Houston Richeson: b 1896, m 1919 Cathleen Carson, of Monroe Co., Tenn. He served in World War in the Navy, is a pharmacist, reside Loudon, Tenn. They had

a Freida Houston Richeson: b 19-.

2 John Henry Richeson: b 1902.

3 James Ernest Richeson: b 1904.

v John Walker: b 1878, m 1902 Agnes, he is a veteran of Spanish American War, and a Mason, reside Knoxville, Tenn. No children.

vi Elijah Bishop: b Mar. 1880, died 1902.

vii Lillie Mae: b 1882, m Walter Middleton, b 1868 in Tenn., he died in 1916, she survived him and died in 1929, resided Washington and California, locality not stated.

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They had:

- 1 Mildred Middleton: b 1911.
- 2 Frances Middleton: b 1912.
- 3 Alud Middleton: b 1913.
- 4 Walter Middleton: b 1915.

viii James Houston, Jr.: b 1885, m Maggie Norton, of Knoxville, Tenn., family Baptists, he is a Mason, reside East Point, Ga. They had

- 1 James Paul: b 1910.
- 2 Verna Mae: b 1915.

413 JAMES D. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*George H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born East Tennessee, probably in Bledsoe County, in 1828 moved to Monroe County, Kentucky with his parents and married prior to 1854 Sarah Heard, born Tennessee in 1833. They moved to Sequatchie County, Tennessee where they lived to about 1868, then moved to Marion County, Tennessee where he is listed as a farmer in 1870. He later became a Baptist minister and taught school for some years, he died in 1911 and she died in 1917 in Marion County, Tennessee.

Children:

i William Penn (10) : b 14 Nov. 1854.

ii Nancy Jane: b 1858, m prior to 1875 John Moore, resided in Marion Co., Tenn. in 1880, both were deceased in 1932, said to have had 9 children, 7 of whom were living in 1932, known are:

- 1 Sophia Moore: b 1875.
- 2 John Moore, Jr.: b 1877.
- 3 Robert Moore: b May 1880.

iii George Washington: b 14 Mar. 1860 Sequatchie Co., Tenn., m 10 May 1888 in Marion Co., Tenn. Lillye Catherine Hooper, b Calhoun, Tenn. 31 Jan. 1873, daughter of James Polk Hooper and Nancy Jane Read. He was a carpenter and contractor, moved to Texas and later to Clovis, N. Mex. where he died 25 Apr. 1914. He was a Mason and member of Woodmen of the World. She survives him and resides Portales, N. Mex. They had

- 1 Ethel J.: b 189-, m 1909 at Clovis, N. Mex. Edward A. Herndon, reside Portales, N. Mex. They had:
  - a Creta Margaret Herndon: b Jan. 1910, m Nov. 1931 Richard Hunter, reside Texico, N. Mex.
  - b Ethel Rajeane Herndon: b Jan. 1912.
- 2 Claud Hooper: b 2 Sept. 1893, m 10 Apr. 1928 Elsie Hixon, reside Grand Junction, Colo. They had:
  - a Betty Claudine: b 16 Aug. 1931.
- 3 Guy Wilburn: b 14 Sept. 1895 at Midlothian, Tex., m 25

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Aug. 1917 at Plainview, Tex. Edna Beasley Hamil, b La Luz, N. Mex. 19 Aug. 1893. He served in U. S. Navy in World War, member American Legion, is a Mason and a Knights of Pythias. Family Methodist, reside Salido, Colo. No children.

iv John Thomas: b 1862, m 1883 Margaret L. Ross, b Teen. 18--. He died in 1923, she survives him and resides Whitwell, Tenn. It has been impossible to get any details of this large family. They had:

1 Fred J.: b 188--.

2 William Alvin: b 188--.

3 Arch A.: b 188--.

4 Leonard L.: b 189-, m Pearl J., reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

5 John Allen: b 189-, m Stella P., he is clerk in Post Office Dept. reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

6 James Sherman: b 189-, m Agnes , reside Chattanooga, Tenn.

7 Charles LeRoy: b 189--.

v Samuel Gardner: b 1865, m Sarah Holaway, both living in 1932 residence not stated. They had:

1 Edley.

2 Walter.

3 Ethel.

4 Asa.

vi Jasper Smith: b 1868, m Stella Covert, he is a carpenter, reside Chattanooga, Tenn. No children.

vii Matilda Amy A. Smith: b 1868, a twin, m James Mosier, she was said to be living in 1932, residence not stated, had 9 children 8 of whom were living.

viii Margaret: b 1871, m Samuel Queer, he is deceased, she was living 1932, residence not stated, had 4 children 2 of whom were living.

ix Sarah: b 1871, a twin, m (1) Bud Saines, (2), (3) she was living in 1932 some place in Okla. Said to have had a daughter Saines, and a son by 2d marriage.

414 SAMUEL Mc. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(George H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 9 December 1837. He married (1) in 1857 Sarah Levesta Ferguson, born Monroe County, Kentucky in 1842. He enlisted 5 October 1861 Private C, 5th Kentucky Cavalry, U. S.; promoted to 1st Sergeant, and discharged 3 May 1865, states he went thru Georgia with Sherman. Resided Monroe County, Kentucky where Sarah died, date not stated, he later married (2) in May 1915 Annie Donaldson, both living in 1932 and reside Knoxville, Tennessee.

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He has been quite interested in the history and has furnished some valuable data on the family.

Children:

i Lafayette G.: b 9 Dec. 1859, m , reside Clay City, Ill. No information obtainable on his family.

ii Samuel Me., Jr.: b 21 Apr. 1866. His father stated in 1931 he was last heard from at Dora, Mo.

iii George: b 15 Nov. 1862 Monroe Co., Ky., m 5 Jan. 1892 Nora , b Monroe Co., Ky. in 1871. They moved to Mount Erie, Ill. about 1895 where he died in 1909, she survives him. They had:

1 Stella: b 1893 Ky., m 1916 William McDowell, reside Golden Gate, Ill. They had: a Lillian McDowell: b 1916. b Dorothy McDowell: b 1919. c Naomi McDowell: b 1922.

2 Alice: b 1894 Ky., m 1915 Edward Ward, reside Burlington, Iowa. They had:

a Dwight Eldridge Ward: b 1916.

3 Sarah Luvesta: b 1896 Ill., died 1896.

4 Dewey: b 1899 Ill., m 1919 Lela Waters, reside Decatur, Ill. They had:

a Ernest: b 1919-20.

b Kenneth: b 1922.

c Donald: b 1926.

5 Artie Ernest: b 1902, m Verdie Borah, reside Olney, Ill. They had: a Dorothea: b 1922. b Ellagyn: b 1925.

6 Arthur: b 1904, died 1905.

7 George: b 1906, m 1928 Mary Brisker, reside Mount Erie, Ill.

8 Elizabeth: b 1908, m 1930 Harold Daubs, reside Mount Erie, Ill. They had a Evelyn Daubs: b 1931.

9 Samuel: b 1910, m 1930 Lucille Mann, reside Mount Erie, Ill. They had: a Son: b 1930. iv America B.: b 23 Dec. 1869 Ky., m 12 Jan. 1893 Monroe Co., Ky. Daniel Smith Proffitt, b Monroe Co., Ky. 18 Aug. 1868, reside Gibson City, Ill. They had:

1 Arba A. Proffitt: b 27 Jan. 1894, m Julia Forrest, reside Chicago, Ill.

2 Lanarah D. Proffitt: b 29 Oct. 1896, m John G. Schulte, he died of injuries received in World War, she resides Guthrie, Ill.

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3 Omer R. Proffitt: b 12 Aug. 1905, m Mary Klaypool, reside Rantoul, Ill. 4 Lela Mae Proffitt: b 23 May 1910, m Frank J. Hudson, reside Gibson City, Ill. v Arthur Decatur: b 23 Jan. 187? 'Monroe Co., Ky., m 4 Jan. 1889 Isabel Sympson, b Monroe Co., Ky. 2 Nov. 1872, moved to Ill. and reside Downers Grove, Ill. Information as to children is rather indefinite but the best we could obtain. They had:

- 1 Bethel.
- 2 Ralph.
- 3 Bliss.
- 4 Clifton.
- 5 Pauline.
- 6 Hazel: b 1911, m Savage, reside Downers Grove, Ill.
- 7 Ray Sympson: deceased.
- 8 William F.: resides Gilman, Ill.
- 9 Daughter: m M. R. Paul, reside Piper City, Ill.
- 10 Daughter: m A. H. Koolger, reside Steger, Ill.
- 11 J. C. Reside Cyclone, Ky.
- 12 P. C.

vi Charlotte: b 3 Jan. 1874 Monroe Co., Ky., m 2 Jan. 1890 William A. Sympson, b Monroe Co., Ky. 12 May 1866, he died 4 Sept. 1919, she survives him and resides Bowling Green, Ky. They had:

- 1 Beatrice Thedly Sympson: b 2 Aug. 1890.
- 2 Dana May Sympson: b 11 May 1893.
- 3 Eunice Flo Sympson: b 4 May 1895.
- 4 Chloe Belle Sympson: b 4 Sept. 1897.
- 5 Willie Lucretia Sympson: b 15 Oct. 1900.
- 6 Charlotte Ree Sympson: b 4 Jan. 1903.
- 7 Carl Sympson: b 7 Nov. 1907.
- 8 Clyde Sympson: b 13 Mar. 1910.
- 9 Sarah Dane Sympson: b 16 Oct. 1912, died 23 Aug. 1926.
- 10 Hattie Grace Sympson: b 16 Oct. 1912, a twin.
- 11 Clint Sympson: b 29 Jan. 1917.

vii Luther S.: b 19 Mar. 1876. Resides Mt. Hermon, Ky. No information obtainable as to his family.

viii Lydia Alice: b 9 June 1879, m Robert Wilson, she was deceased in 1931.

ix Lucretia: b 2 Dec. 1881, m 4 Jan. 1904 Floyd Lee Keith, b 24 Sept. 1883, he died 25 Dec. 1916, she survives him and resides Knoxville, Tenn. They had:

- 1 Garnet Cortez Keith: b 27 Apr. 1905, died 7 Oct. 1905.



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2 Edith Nadine Keith: b 10 Aug. 1906, died 28 Aug. 1907.

3 Ira Percy Keith: b 4 May 1908, died 28 Aug. 1908.

4 Paul Trum Keith: b 17 Aug. 1909, m 15 Mar. 1926

5 Elcie Naomi Keith: b 22 Feb. 1911, died 27 1920.

6 Mildred May Keith: b 1 May 1914.

7 Ruth Lucile Keith: b 11 Mar. 1916.

x Willie Roscoe: b 2 Apr. 1886 Ky., m 22 Oct. 1912 Burlington, Iowa, Agnes L. Strand, b 'Minden, Neb., reside Portland, Oregon. They had:

1 Garnet Strand: b 191-.

2 Gladys Chloce: b 19--.

415 GEORGE WASHINGTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*George H. 8, James 7, John. 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis I.*) Born Monroe County, Kentucky in December 1860. He married 16 December 1877 Helen Belle Ritter, born Barren County, Kentucky 20 October 1861, he is a farmer and resides Glasgow, Kentucky and has furnished information on this family. All children reside Glasgow, Kentucky, except as noted.

Children

i Leslie Walden: b 5 Mar. 1881, m 24 Dec. 1901 Lela Heater Hunt, b 11 Nov. 1882, reside Eighty Eight, Ky. They had:

1 Effie Jewel: b 27 July 1903.

2 Etta Evaline: b 6 Apr. 1907.

3 Mary Elsie: b 17 Apr. 1913.

4 Elizabeth Pauline: b 4 July 1921.

ii Ernie May: b 188-, m 30 Nov. 1902 Charles Ingrain Branstetter, reside Edmonston, Ky. They had:

1 B. G. Branstetter: b 13 July 1905, m 12 Sept. 1931 Ruth Coalman.

2 Katie Maud Branstetter: b 2 July 1908, died 11 July 1911.

3 George Gatenwood Branstetter: b 15 Mar. 1912.

4 Jessie Jewel Branstetter: b 9 Apr. 1914.

5 John Pershing Branstetter: b 16 Sept. 1917.

6 Emmett Ingrain Branstetter: b 22 May 1919.

7 May Flo Branstetter: b 10 Dec. 1922.

8 Zola Mae Branstetter: b 4 Nov. 1925.

iii Victoria: b 188-, m 3 May 1903 Jesse Elmore Branstetter.

iv Dewey Walter: b 19 Jan. 1888, m 24 Dec. 1907 Berths Word, b 3 July 1887, reside Slick Rock, Ky. They had:

1 Irene: b 21 Oct. 1908.

2 Marome: b 17 Mar. 1911.

3 Ivan: b 9 Jan. 1914.

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4 Buel: b 1 Mar. 1923. v William Adis: b 22 Feb. 1890, m 27 Dec. 1908 Inis E. Shirley, b 27 Jan. 1890, reside Noblick, Ky. They had:

- 1 Delmer: b 11 June 1910.
- 2 Velmer: b 15 May 1913.
- 3 James William: b 5 July 1914.
- 4 Melvin Earnest: b 1 Nov. 1915.

vi Ira Elbert: b 22 July 1892, m 25 Dec. 1912 Ethel Maud Poison, b 13 Feb. 1893, reside Luxora, Ark. They had:

- 1 Charles Stewart: b 28 Sept. 1913.
- 2 Clifton Elwood: b 4 Feb. 1918.
- 3 Helen Gladness: b 19 Oct. 1921.

vii Ona Canel: b 189-, m 22 Jan. 1916 Millie Slaton, reside Glasgow, Ky. They had:

- 1 Howard Owen: b 7 June 1918.
- 2 Walter Holman: b 7 Mar. 1920.
- 3 Helen Marie: b 10 Nov. 1921.
- 4 Horace Paul: b 19 Jan. 1923.
- 5 Mary Ruth: b 17 Aug. 1926.
- 6 Margaret Lee: b 25 Dec. 1928.
- 7 Charles Hildreth: b 8 Feb. 1930.

viii Martha Emma: b 10 Sept. 1898, m 23 Dec. 1917 William F. McFarland, b 8 Jan. 1896, reside Summer Shade, Ky. They had:

- 1 Maxie Lee McFarland: b 6 Oct. 1918.
- 2 James H. McFarland: b 31 Mar. 1920.
- 3 Lois Helen McFarland: b 9 Oct. 1922.
- 4 George F. McFarland: b 16 June 1925.
- 5 Stella Mat McFarland: b 12 May 1927.
- 6 Velma Gene McFarland: b 20 Feb. 1929.
- 7 William F. McFarland, Jr.: b 8 June 1931.

ix Herman Burrell: b 20 Oct. 1900, m 22 Feb. 1920 Elsie Maye Huffman, b 10 May 1900, reside Eighty Eight, Ky. They had:

- 1 Archie Quentin: b 7 Jan. 1921.
- 2 Virginia Nell: b 18 Sept. 1922.
- 3 Naomi Dell: b 7 June 1924.

x Christian: b 190-, m 26 Dec. 1923 Randall Glass.

xi Myrtle Beatrice: b 9 Jan. 1904, m 2 Sept. 1922 Emmitt Tee Poison, b 29 Oct. 1899, reside Glasgow, Ky. They had:

- 1 Bernice Tee Poison: b 12 Jan. 1926.
- 2 Lloyd Jasper Poison: b 9 Aug. 1931.

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416 JOHN DENICKS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward N. S. Thomas 7, John 6, James o, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Giles County, Tennessee in 1820, moved to Carroll County, Tennessee and Mississippi in 1840, and to Sevier County, Arkansas about 1845 with his parents. He married prior to 1852 Malinda J. Coughran, born Arkansas in 1827, resided in Sevier County, Arkansas to 1869 then migrated to Tulare County, California. Malinda was living in 1880, no data on her death. He died at Pixley, California in 1893, result of accident, run away horse and buggy crash.

Children:

i James Robert (10): b 1852.

ii Sarah Elizabeth: b 27 June 1854 Sevier Co., Ark., moved to Calif. with her parents and m. 28 Dec. 1871 at Visalia, Calif. William Edward Miles, b Ill. 20 June 1843, he died 20 Oct. 1920, she survives him and resides Fresno, Calif. (1932). They had:

1 Emma Miles: b 1 Feb. 1876, m George McCarty, she died Dec. 1930.

2 Effie Miles: b 29 Apr. 1878, m C. B. Hollister.

3 Robert Miles: b 10 June 1879, m Fern Engblom.

4 William Miles: b 29 Sept. 1881, m Emma Murphy.

5 Charlotte Miles: b 1 Aug. 1885, m Ernest Fay.

6 Oscar Miles: b 13 June 1886.

7 Eva Miles: b 25 Nov. 1890, m Asa Tanner. She is Chief Operator Telephone Co., Fresno, Calif. She furnished information on this family.

8 Ila Miles: b 4 Oct. 1892, m Elbie Eiland.

iii Mary Susan: b 1856 Ark. She m prior to 1880 a Mr. Dillard, reside Turlock, Calif. in 1931. They had:

1 Elmo Dillard.

2 Ada Dillard.

3 Clarence Dillard.

4 Ivy Dillard: m a Mr. Dockham.

5 Arthur Dillard.

iv Emma Jane: b 1858, m prior to 1880 Homer Hall, she was living in 1931, Calif. They had six children, the only son and two daughters died small; three daughters lived to be grown, educated as teachers, two of these died before 30 years of age, the other one married, had one daughter b ca 1912, who was reared in the home of her grandmother. Tuberculosis wrecked this family.

v John Thomas: b 1861 Ark., m, reside in Oregon, said to have two or three daughters.

vi Jefferson Davis: b 15 Jan. 1862 Sexier Co., Ark., moved to Calif. with his parents in 1869. He migrated to Oregon in the late 1880's and became interested in cattle raising

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with one John Devine, he prospered and became owner of his own ranch. He m prior to 1889 Emma Harson, b 8 Aug. 1866. He was State Senator in 1931, reside Ontario, Oreg. They had:

1 Emaline A.: b 1889.

2 Pauline W.: b 1891. Was Postmistress Ontario, Oreg. in 1930.

3 Neva I.: b 1899.

vii Martha A.: b 25 Mar. 1864 Ark., m 8 Sept. 1920 at Bakersfield, Calif. Walter Cummins, b Covelo, Calif. He was an artist and writer, enlisted 3 Nov. 1917 Pvt. Batt. E. 144 F. Army., discharged on Surgeons Certificate of Disability 26 Mar. 1918. He died at Stockton, Calif. 21 June 1921, cremated and ashes interred at Porterville, Calif. She survives him and has furnished information on thisfamily. Family Presbyterians, he was a member of the American Legion.

viii Edward Nathaniel: b 10 June 1866 Sevier Co., Ark., moved to Calif. with his parents and m 14 Feb. 1890 Laura Bursey, b Calif. in 1860, a divorce, both were living 1931, he resided Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Vida: b 189-, died 1893 in the same accident that killed her grandfather.

2 Daniel Earl: b 18-, m , reside San Jose, Calif.

3 Claude Edward: b 18-, m , reside San Jose, Calif. ix Edwin Augustus: b 10 June 1866 Ark. a twin, was killed by a train several years since (1930).

#### 417 SAMUEL EDWARD (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James o, William 4, William 3, John Q, Francis I.)* Born Carroll County, Tennessee in 1830, moved to Mississippi and Arkansas with his parents. He married 1857-58 Edith Ellen Bellah, born Arkansas in 1840. He enlisted 16 June 1862 as Private, Lewis' Co., McRae's Regiment Arkansas Infantry, C. S. A.; April 1863 was absent, sick; 31 August 1863 left at Hospital, Fort Smith, Arkansas. This is the last military record. He died in 1864 of disease. She married (2) prior to 1869 Marcus M. Miller, born Virginia in 1835, his 2d wife. They moved to Bowie County, Texas and after a year moved to Titus County, Texas where he engaged in saddle and harness business. He became town marshal of Dangerfield and was forced to kill a man named Robert Raglan. He moved to Mercer County, West Virginia in 1875, both were living in 1880, no data on their deaths.

Children:

i Samuel T. (10): b 14 Nov. 1859.

ii James E. Miller: b 1856 Va. (his 1st wife).

iii Marcus M. Miller: b 1859 Va.

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iv Alice T. Miller: b 1863 Ark.

v John G. Miller: b 1865.

vi William G. Miller: b 1869, 2d marriage, no Billingsley blood.

vii Edward H. Miller: b 1870 Tex.

viii Caroline S. Miller: b 1873 Tex.

ix Nancy M. Miller: b 1878 W. Va.

### 418 JESSE GRANDISON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John C. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William h, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tennessee 3 January 1834, moved to Illinois and Arkansas with his father. He enlisted 22 May 1862 Private D, 1st Arkansas Cavalry, C. S. A. and served to the end of the war. He married (1) in 1880 Julian Alford, born Arkansas 25 December 1844, she died in 1882 and he married (2) Eliza Kingston, she was living in 1893, no mention of her death. He was a Mason, family Baptists, and he engaged in farming all his life which ended 3 February 1915, resided Cerrogordo, Arkansas.

Children:

i John Alford: b 10 Dec. 1861, m 5 Aug. 1882 Mary Salome Buchanan, b 27 June 1866, she died Apr. 1899, he survives her and resides Vallient, Okla. They had:

1 Julia Ann: b 26 Aug. 1885, m 1903 Bert Cooper, reside America, Okla.

2 Jesse Richard: b 9 Sept. 1887, m 1912 Lola Roberts, reside Vallient, Okla.

3 Ethel Salome: b 26 July 1891, m 1913 Samuel Myers, reside Millerton, Okla.

ii Virginia Lee: b 8 Aug. 1866, m 1884 George Washington Brazil, b Norwoodville, Ark. 28 June 1861, she died 30 Dec. 1921, he survives her and resides near Cerogordo, Ark. They had:

1 George W. Brazil, Jr.: b 5 Jan. 1885.

2 John D. Brazil: b 14 Nov. 1886.

3 Lucy Saloma Brazil: b 23 Nov. 1888, m a Mr. Kirk.

4 Tucker Brazil: b 1890, died infancy.

5 Edward Rupert Brazil: b 30 Mar. 1893, m 28 Apr. 1917 at Merryville, La., Eva McCranie, b Vernon Par., La. 11 Mar. 1896, reside San Benito, Texas. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Child: b May 1918, died same day.

b Jera May Brazil: b 1 Jan. 1920.

6 Edna Brazil: b 7 Apr. 1896, m a Mr. Bolenger.

7 Henry C. Brazil: b 189--, died 1899.

8 Violet Brazil: b 2 July 1900, died infancy.

9 Clara Brazil: b 1902, died infancy.

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10 James D. Brazil: b 11 Mar. 1903. 11 Katherine Brazil: b 20 May 1905. 12 Child: b 1909, died 1909.

iii James: b 1869, died in 1870's.

iv Sarah Lulu: b 1872, m (1) James Brazil, b 1868, he died and she m (2) Benjamin Lemon, residence not stated, she died Dec. 1911. They had

1 Exia Brazil.

2 Julia Brazil.

3 Clarence Brazil.

4 Julius Lemon.

5 Ethel Lemon.

v Jessie Viola: b 1877, m James McClinton, she died Nov. 1914, residence not stated. They had:

1 Luke McClinton.

2 Hugh McClinton.

3 Floyd McClinton.

4 James McClinton.

vi Robert E.: b 1879, died small.

vii Edgar J.: b 188-. Resides Idabel, Okla. No information obtainable from him.

viii J. Oscar: b 1882. Resides Sedan, Iran.

ix Charles C.: b 188-, 2d wife resides Horatio, Ark. We have not been able to get any information from him as to his family. In May 1931 we were sent a clipping from Chickasaw Express, Chickasaw, Okla., an editorial relative to a fishing trip to Little River Country Club and as we believe it has reference to this Charles Billingsley we quote:

"For instance there was Charlie Billingsley, proprietor of the Club Cafe and store--or to put it in his own way, 'I run the yearlings and my wife runs the store.' We wanted some old fashioned sorghum, 'Have none to sell but I put up some for our own use--wife, fix up some for 'em.' Soon a quart jar of it was handed out. 'What's the price?' 'Oh, nothing.' Then we wanted some home cured ham. It was the same thing; 'Didn't put it up to sell--wouldn't think of charging you for it.' Mr. Billingsley left Arkansas in early manhood, spent some years in Oklahoma, homesteaded in New Mexico, and then went back to his native heath where he has 'made good.' The privilege of knowing him and hearing some of his interesting frontier experiences was one of the pleasant by products of our trip." We can add, "'yell, Charlie, here's looking at you, even if you wouldn't tell us about your family."

x Grover Granison: b 6 Feb. 1890, m 1 Apr. 1910 Addie Aaron, at Cerrogordo, Ark., where they resided some

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years then moved to Texarkana, Ark., and moved to Fort Towson, Okla. in 1929. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Child: b 23 Feb. 1911, died same day.

2 Child: b 21 Jan. 1913, died same day.

3 William: b 191- an adopted son, resided Oklahoma City, Okla. in 1931.

#### BRAZIL EXCURSUS

Jesse L. Brazil, born circa 1834 in Alabama, married prior to 1858 Axie Ann Sessions, born Brundidge, Alabama in 1836, moved to Sevier County, Arkansas and later to Little River County, Arkansas where they both died.

Children:

i Elizabeth Brazil: b 1858, m a Mr. Lamb.

ii George Washington Brazil: b 28 June 1861, m Virginia Lee Billingsley, see above.

iii Martha Brazil: b 186-, died infancy.

iv Daniel Brazil: b 186-, died infancy.

v James Brazil: b 1868, m Sarah Lulu Billingsley, see above.

vi Jesse Brazil: b 1871, m Susan Billingsley, see No. 247.

#### 419 JOHN JAMES WARREN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander D. 8, John ?, John 6, James 6, William h, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Allen County, Kentucky 18 September 1832, moved to Putnam County, Indiana with his parents. He married 24 December 1852 Elizabeth Hymer, born Indiana in 1835, moved to Mason City, Illinois then moved back to Marion County, Indiana living just outside the corporate limits of Indianapolis. He published a farm paper called The Tile Journal, and lectured on Farm Drainage and Farming in Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, etc. He took a great interest in Christian Missions, was a Baptist and Moderator of the State Convention of Indiana for a few years; was on State Board of Missions for many years and its treasurer for 20 years or more which position he held when he died 25 October 1910, she died about 1915 at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Children:

i Amanda Adelaide: b 24 Nov. 1854 Ill., m Theodore A. Randall, she was living at Indianapolis, Ind. in 1932. No children.

ii Denton Fremont: b 17 Nov. 1857 Ill., m 26 Oct. 1893 Emma Bertha Oliver, b 20 July 1863 at Attica, Ohio. He is a Mason and a past potentate of Murat Temple Mystic Shrine, resides Indianapolis, Ind. No children.

iii Belle: b 1860 Ill., m Harry Rowley.

iv James Henry: b 17 July 1864 at Ashley Mills, Ind., he m (1) 29 Dec. 1886 at Indianapolis, Ind. Nellie Hutchings,

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b 16 July 1865 at Greencastle, Ind., resided at Galena, Ill. where she died 5 Oct. 1919, he m (2) 10 Jan. 1920 Mrs. Clara Braun nee Carney, he died 16 June 1921 at Galena, Ill. He was a Mason and member of Murat Temple Mystic Shrine. She survives him and resided Pittsburgh, Pa. 1932. They had:

1 Clifford Hutchings: b 3 July 1889 Indianapolis, Ind., m 7 June 1919 at Galena, Ill. Frances G. Wood, b Centralia, Ill. 2 Jan. 1895. He is a Mason and a member of Kem Temple Mystic Shrine; is connected with Red River Power Co., reside Grand Forks, N. Dak. They had a Elizabeth E.: b 29 Mar. 1922. b Barbara A.: b 20 Mar. 1927.

2 Elizabeth E.: b 11 Nov. 1898, m 15 Aug. 1915 Holmes C. Coltman, he died 30 July 1929.

v Nettie: b 1865, m Dalton Styer.

vi Alexander D.: b Sept. 1869, was deceased in 1931.

vii Judson Wade: b 187-. Was at Benton, Wis. in 1910.

420 JOHN MITCHELL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas H. H. 8, John 7, John 6, James o, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Warren County, Kentucky 5 January 1861, moved to Ellis County, Texas with his parents where he married June 1886 Cassie Bryan, born Texas in 18-. She died in Ellis County, Texas 22 Nov. 1907. He has been in the Public Health Service for many years, was in Panama with General Gorgas 1905-1906-1907; during the World War was with Captain Simpson at Columbia, South Carolina engaged in malaria work; has been stationed at Laredo, Texas since 1921.

Children:

i Etta: b 2 Sept. 1887, m 25 June 1914 Hershell Voorhies, b Columbia, Tenn. 26 Jan. 1891. He died 7 Dec. 1928, she survives him and resides Denton, Tex. They had:

1 Hershell Voorhies: b 25 May 1922.

2 Lila Olivia Voorhies: b 13 Sept. 1925, died 22 Aug. 1926.

ii Henry: b 24 Oct. 1889, m 1 June 1916 Fay Bigham, b Tex. 22 Nov. 1894, reside Red Oak, Tex. They had:

1 Romena Maud: b 20 Apr. 1919.

2 James Milton: b 21 May 1924.

iii Rex: b 8 Mar. 1892, m 10 July 1910 at Cedar Hill, Tex. Eugenic Tune, b 19 Mar. 1895 in Ellis Co., Tex., reside Red Oak, Tex. They had no children.

iv Mattie: b 16 June 1894, m 5 Aug. 1913 at Dallas Tex. Aubrey Pogue, b 23 July 1880 Ellis Co., Tex., reside



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Red Oak, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 John L. Pogue: b 22 Nov. 1915.

2 Horace Rex Pogue: b 23 Sept. 1917.

v George: b 13 Jan. 1897, m 9 Feb. 1921 Alma Powers, b 21 Sept. 1899 Tex., reside Red Oak, Tex. They had:

1 Albert Mitchell: b 12 May 1922.

2 Rex Leonard: b 22 Mar. 1926.

## 420 JOHN NICKIAS ALEXANDER (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alfred C. 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Carroll County, Tennessee in 1834, moved to Mississippi, Illinois, Missouri, and Arkansas with his parents. He married 5 February 1857 Catherine Orr, born Fulton County, Arkansas 17 November 1835. He enlisted 16 June 1862 as Private E, Glenn's Arkansas Infantry, C. S. A.; March and April 1863, absent sick at home in Van Buren County, Arkansas; August 1863, present; on a roll of prisoners at Jacksonport, 5 June 1865. He entered 320 acres of land in Van Buren County in 1866, sold out in 1868 and moved to Izard County, Arkansas. Was ordained a minister, Adventist, in 1873, was a Prohibitionist, favored Union labor, and was a member of the Masonic Order, resided Izard County, Arkansas where he died Sept. 1927, Catherine survived him and died 27 March 1930.

Children:

i David Carter: b 9 Jan. 1859 Cleburne Co., Ark. He m (1) after 1889 M. T. Vaualla, she died leaving two daughters, names not mentioned; he m (2) in 1895 Carles Ball, b Sharp Co., Ark. 25 Mar. 1879, she died at Ash Flat, Ark. 17 Apr. 1913, he m (3) in 1916 Grace Ometha Moody, both living in 1933 and reside Leachville, Ark. They had:

1 Daughter: b 18-.

2 Daughter: b 18-.

3 Ky: b 4 July 1898, 2d wife, this is evidently a "Nick name." He served in World War, 59th Inf., 4th Division, 3 May 1918 to 3 Aug. 1919, was over seas. He m 30 Aug. 1919 at Ash Flat, Ark., Esta Ethel Fowler, b Ash Flat, Ark.

11 Jan. 1900. He is a member of Welcome Lodge, 225 A. F. A. M., Hanford Chapter Royal Arch, Hanford Commandery Knight Templar No. 46, and a member of the Odd Fellows. He is also a member of American Legion, Disabled Veterans, and Veterans of Foreign Wars. Is a stationary engineer, resides Hanford, Calif. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

a Elwanda Culletta: b 25 Oct. 1922 at Fort Bayard, N. Mex., died 17 Dec. 1926 Lynn, Ark.

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b Aileen Omega: b 28 Dec. 1923 Lynn, Ark.

c D. C.: b 30 Jan. 1926.

d Reginald: b 26 Aug. 1938.

4 Monnie Gladys: b 5 Mar. 1900, m Aug. 1930 Grover Graham, reside Leachville, Ark.

5 Alma Bernice: b 5 Sept. 1902, m June 1930 Joseph Ferries, reside Monette, Ark.

6 Lora Vesta: b 25 Mar. 1905, m 1926 Guy Blackburn, reside Flint, Mich.

7 Samuel Emanuel: b 2 Feb. 1908, m Jan. 1929 Elaine Norris, of Walnut Ridge, Ark., reside Hanford, Calif.

ii Mary E.: b 1860, m after 1889 R. T. Reed, she died 27 Mar. 1929, residence not stated. They had:

1 Everett Reed: resides Home, Ark.

2 Katie Reed: resides Hoxie, Ark.

3 John Reed: resides Myron, Ark.

iii Sarah F.: b 1862, m after 1880 Charles B. Thomas, she was deceased in 1933, residence not stated, said to have had 6 children, known are:

1 Eldon Thomas.

2 Frank Thomas.

3 John Thomas.

4 Sophia Thomas: m a Mr. Clift.

5 Daughter.

iv John N. A., Jr.: b 17 Nov. 1864, died 1881 of sunstroke.

v Samuel Agrippa: b 18 Dec. 1866 Van Buren Co., Ark; He m (1) 15 Mar. 1895 at Hansen, Okla., Julia B. Lee, b Van Buren Co., Ark., in 1876, she died at Pangburn, Ark. 14 June 1920 and he m (2) 27 May 1923 Bertha M. Albert, b Jackson Co., Ark. 17 May 1885, reside Pangburn, Ark. He has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Altus M.: b 26 Jan. 1896, deceased.

2 Clay O.: b 16 Apr. 1898, m Estella Brown.

3 Amy L.: b 15 Dec. 1900. Is a school teacher, resides Myron, Ark.

4 Harry L.: b 12 Sept. 1902, m 20 Sept. 1925 Faye Shepherd, reside Searcy, Ark.

5 Dean C.: b 31 Aug. 1925, 2d wife.

vi Rebecca Catherine: b Mar. 1868, m prior to 1889 L. J. Jackson, reside Myron, Ark., said to have 9 or 10 children.

vii Eutania E.: b Mar. 1870, m John Holloway, a divorcee, she resides West Plains, Mo., has a son, V. C. Holloway.

viii Edwin H.: b 10 May 1872, m Abigail Sullivan, reside Myron, Ark., said to have 7 or 8 children.

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ix Martha E.: b 19 May 1875, m Albert Watson, a divorce, she resides Myron, Ark. They had:

1 Daughter Watson: b 1-, m a Mr. Foreman.

421 THOMAS CALHOUN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alfred C. 8, Samuel 7, John B, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 18 January 1844. He enlisted in June 1864 as Private C, 46th Arkansas Infantry (Crabtree's), C. S. A. On a roll of prisoners paroled at Jacksonport, Arkansas 5 June 1865. He was five feet and ten inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, age given as 20 years. He married in 1867 in Van Buren County, Arkansas, Martha Ellen Daniel, born Arkansas, 4 August 1853, a daughter of William Daniel, of White County, Arkansas. They resided in Faulkner County for some years then moved to Oklahoma and resided in Hanson in or about 1919, then moved to Salisaw where she died 11 September 1924. He survives her and resides Salisaw, Oklahoma. He has furnished information on the family.

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 21 Feb. 1868 Ark. She m in 1888 Joseph Alexander White, b Ga., reside Crowder, Okla. They had:

1 Commie Lee White: b 1890, died 1904.

2 Thomas Elmer White: b 1891, died 1905.

3 Bonnie Y. White: b 1893, m 1911 Charles Casteel, reside Okla. They had:

a Pauline Casteel: b 1916, died 1927.

b Elizabeth Casteel: b 1918.

c Doric Casteel: b 1924.

4 Jodie C. White: b 1900, m 1923 Hattie Cloud, reside Crowder, Okla. They had: a Jodie C. White: b 1925. b Ada Marie White: b 1930.

5 Eugenice C. White: b 1907, m 1926 Francis Zeigler, at El Reno, Okla., she died in 1930. They had:

a Norms Gene Zeigler: b 1930.

ii Rebecca J.: b 1 Dec. 1870, m 12 July 1891 T. H. Shelton, reside Driggs, Ark. They are said to have had seven children. No information obtainable.

iii Edmund A.: b 18 Feb. 1873 in Ark. He m (1) prior to 1895 Maud Cherry, b Ark. 18-, they were living in Calif. In 1904, she died in 1905-6, and he m (2) in 1908 Merle M. Dandridge, b 18-. They moved to Little Rock, Ark. prior to 1918 at which time he is listed in said city as a barber. He died 21 Sept. 1932, she survives him and resides Little Rock, Ark. It has been impossible to get any information from any of this family. What is quoted

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comes from his father, Thomas C. Billingsley, and his son, Thajo Billingsley. They had:

1 Thomas Jewel: b 5 Aug. 1895. He m (1) Helen O'Neil, b 1-, divorce, and he m (2) Mary Cook Thompson, a divorcee, and he m (3) Elizabeth Everett-Frost, a divorcee, she was b in Jackson, Miss., ca. 1898. They had:

a Mary Elizabeth: b 192-, 1st wife.

b Martha Ellen: b 25 Dec. 1926, 2d wife.

2 Ira Breedlove: b 10 Oct. 1897. He m Alice, he is stated to reside Brewton, Ala. during the winters.

They had:

a Arthur: b 1927 *Adopted*.

3 Pauline: b 12 Oct. 1901. She was listed in Little Rock in 1919 a telephone operator, said to be living Little Rock, Ark. in 1933.

4 Thajo: b 19 Aug. 1904 at San Dimas, Calif. He m 1 July at Memphis, Tenn. Wilma Fowler Brooks, b Lyon, Miss. 28 Dec. 1907, reside Memphis, Tenn. He has furnished some information on the family. They had:

a Thajo, Jr.: b 2 Oct. 1928.

b Margaret Jane: b 6 Mar. 1930.

5 Dandridge: b ca 1910, 2d wife, resides Little Rock, Ark., listed in 1931 as a clerk.

6 George J.: b 191-, resides Little Rock, Ark. Was listed in 1929 as a student, in 1931 as chauffeur.

7 Marcus: b 191-. Resides Little Rock, Ark.

8 Dorothy: b 19-.

9 Martha Nell: b 19-.

10 Daughter: b 19-.

iv Ann A.: b 13 Nov. 1865 Ark. She m 28 Feb. 1892 V. P. Anderson, reside Salisaw, Okla. They had:

1 Laura Parks, Anderson: b 12 Sept. 1894.

2 C. J. Anderson: b 6 Jan. 189-.

3 Mattie Anderson: b 10 Oct. 1898, died 25 Oct. 1931.

4 Clarence Anderson: b 2 Mar. 1906.

5 Gladys Anderson: b 18 Sept. 1910.

6 Elmer Anderson: b 29 Nov. 1917. Twins.

7 Thelma Anderson: b. 29 Nov. 1917,

8 Jefferson Crosby: b 9 June 1879 He m. 13 Sept. 1904 at Salisaw, Okla., Lucille Butler, b Springfield, Mo., 30 May 1887. He is representative of the Smith-Dorset' Drug Co., of Lincoln, Neb., reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

1 Cornell: b 26 Jan. 1906 at Salisaw, Okla.

vi Thomas N.: b 28 July 1882; m, said to reside Dallas, Tex. No children.

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vii William A.: b 12 Oct. 1884. He m. 19 Apr. 1909 Christine Paphaw (?), reside Kansas City, Mo. They had: 1 Bernice: b 191-.

#### 422 SIDNEY THORNTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Reuben R. 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 41, William s, John 2, Francis t.*) Born Tennessee, probably Montgomery County, 7 March 1841, moved to Arkansas where he married (1) 18- Ann Young, born 18-, she died and he married (2) 18- Nannie Young (?) (this name is hearsay and may not be correct), a divorce, and he married (3) prior to 1911 Bertha Cordelia Dorsey, born 14 February 1881, he died 25 December 1928 in Arkansas, she was living in 1930. This has been a difficult family to get any details from.

Children:

i Arra: b 18-, m (1) a Mr. Gaston, (2) a Mr. Trout, she was living in 1932 and was then in an asylum, resided some place in Arkansas.

ii Sully (?) : b 18-, died aet. ca. 18 years.

iii Arthur R.: b 18- 2d wife, m Dora , reside Siloam Springs, Ark. No information obtainable. From other sources we learn they had:

1 Sidney.

2 Clark: Was living in San Francisco, Calif. in 1930.

3 James.

iv Stella: b 18-, m at Shawnee, Okla. 14 July 1906 Frank Dillon, b 18-, reside Fort Smith, Ark. They had:

1 William Thornton Dillon: b 15 Apr. 1907 at Mansfield, Ark., died 17 Mar. 1922.

2 Stella Adelia Dillon: b 28 Oct. 1905 at Fort Smith, Ark., died 19 Jan. 1914.

3 Frank Dillon, Jr.: b 9 Nov. 1909.

4 Harold Dillon: b 4 Oct. 1913.

5 Juanita Dillon: b 30 Mar. 1916.

v Mary Adelia Jane: b 23 July 1911 at Mansfield, Ark., 3d wife, she m at Fort Smith, Ark., 28 May 1929 Edgar Lee Holt, b 7 May 1909 at Fort Smith, Ark., where they reside. No children in 1932.

vi Sidney Thornton, Jr.: b 18 Mar. 1915, resides Elkins Ark.

#### 423 CYRENIUS AUGUSTUS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Reuben R. 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Montgomery County, Tennessee 26 May 1843. He states that his mother had a difficult time rearing her children after his father's death. That he had no schooling whatever. He enlisted at Fort Lincoln, Kansas, 28 October 1861 as Private, 5th Kansas Cavalry,

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U. S., he was five feet and eight and one half inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, occupation stated as farmer; in March 1862 was threshing wheat; September 1862, was Teamster; January 1863 was Company Cook; 5 March to September 1863 was Teamster; October 1863 to April 186-1 was clerk Brigade Commissary; August to October 1864 was clerk in Regimental Commissary; discharged 18 November 1864. (War Dept. records) He states when he enlisted he could not read or write but with the aid of a comrade he mastered both and came out of the army with a fair education. He married (1) at Louisburg, Arkansas (this place is not listed on present map), 18 September 1867 Agnes Welbourne, born 17 July 1850, she died 14 August 1886 at Altus, Franklin Co., Arkansas; he married (2) 30 November 1888 Lou , born 18-,she died 6 December 1892, and he married (3) 3 October 1893 Minerva , born 18=, she died 31 December 1897 and he married (4) 8 June 1898 Mary , born 18-, she died 1 January 1929. He was a salesman until well advanced in age and resided at Poteau, Oklahoma, moved to Antlers, Oklahoma in January 1929 and was engaged in insurance business at last accounts. He has furnished most of the information on this family. No children by 2d, 3d or 4th marriages mentioned.

Children:

i Reuben R.: b 19 Apr. 1869, died 29 Apr. 1869.

ii Irene: b 9 July 1871 at Louisburg, Ark., m 30 Dec. 1891 C. A. Finley, reside Antlers, Okla. They had:

1 Newell Finley: b 189-, m P. E. Wright, reside Chicago, Ill. .

2 Mildred Finley: b 189-, m R. E. Basore, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

3 Helen Finley: b 189-, m Otis Philips, reside Antlers, Okla.

4 Irene Finley: b 19-.

5 Agnes Finley: b 19-, resides Oklahoma City, Okla.

6 Mary Finley: b 19-.

7 C. A. Finley, Jr.: b 19-; resides Houston, Tex.

iii .Samuel Welbourne: b 10 Sept. 1874 at Louisburg, Ark. married 4 Feb. 1907 at Houston, Tex., Elizabeth Gertice Tubb, b Houston, Tex. 19 Jan. 1886. He died 24 Oct. 1928, she survives him and resides Houston, Tex. They had:

1 Samuel Welbourne, Jr.: b 22 Oct. 1908.

2 Russell Hicks: b 28 May 1912, m 7 July 1931 Vivian Annette Meadows, at Lake Charles,. La., reside Houston, Tex.

3 Claude Augustus: b 27 Sept. 1915, died 8 July 1921.

iv Claudius Augustus: b 10 Sept. 1878, m Jan. 1896 Mary Butler, he died 1 Jan. 1909 in Ark. They had:

1 Virginia: b 189-, m a Mr. Smith, reside Kansas City, Mo.

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2 Agnes: b 1-, m , reside Calif.

3 Claude Augustus: b 17 July 1905 Ark., B. S. Colo. Agri. College w1925. 2d Lieut., Field Artillery, U. S. Army, 30 June 1926, m, resided Fort Myer, Va. in 1932.

v Daisy: b 16 July 1880, resides Antlers, Okla.

vi Clarence Thornton: b 30 Sept. 1884, m July 1902 Jewell Peck, he is a railroad man, reside Douglas, Ariz. They had:

1 Frank: b 190-.

2 Virginia: b 190-.

3 Elizabeth: b 19-.

4 Jack: b 19-.

#### 424 WILLIAM WASHINGTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Nathan S, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William h, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Izard County, Arkansas in 1842. He enlisted 22 July 1862 Fulton County, Arkansas Private B, 27th Ark. Infantry, C. S. A.; deserted 1 November 1862. No further record. (War Dept. records.) He married in 1866 Sarah Russell Dillard, born Arkansas in 1848, resided in Izard County in 1880, he is said to have died about 1917, no data on her death. Members of Christian church. Only one of his children living in 1932 would answer any requests for information and she gave only meager data.

Children:

i Robert E.: b 1868 resided Brockwell, Ark. Said to have been interested in the family history and could furnish much information, he would never reply to any one on the subject.

ii Laura: b. 1869, deceased.

iii Lina: b May 1870, died small.

iv William Frank: b 1872 deceased.

v Matilda: b 1875, m a Mr. Hodges, reside Larkin, Ark.

vi Kate H.: b 1877, m a Mr. Hutchinson, reside Egypt, Ark.

vii George: b 1878, died infancy.

viii Cora L.: b 1879, m a Mr. Wolf..

ix Sidney T.: b Apr. 1880, resided Tulsa, Okla. in 1931.

x Nellie: b 188-, m a Mr. Harmon, reside Franklin, Ark. 1931.

xi Willie Leona: b.25 Mar. 1885 Izard Co., Ark., m 4 Aug. 1906 at Guion, Ark. Richard Richardson, b Oxford, Ark. 13 Sept. 1885, reside Oxford, Ark. They had:

1 Clyde Baxter Richardson: b 18 Dec. 1909 Ark., m 1926 Olaf McLaughlin, b 1912. They had:

a Carmine Francine Richardson: b 1927 (son).

b Willie Clyde Richardson: b Sept. 1930.

2 James Cecil Richardson: b 7 Oct. 1912.  
3 Clara Mamie Richardson: b 16 Aug. 1915 at Denton, Ten., m 29 June 192? Jeff Davis Cook, b Ark. 10 June 1906.  
They had:  
    a Juanita Delphine Cook: b 7 Apr. 1930.  
4 Carl Lewis Richardson: b 22 Apr. 1916.  
5 Richard Woodroe Richardson: b 6 Nov. 1918.  
6 Daniel Richardson: b 12 July 1921.  
7 Naomi Marie Richardson: b 12 Mar. 1923.  
8 Arthur Leonard Richardson: b 4 Feb. 1925.

xiv Sallie Rose: b 189- m a Mr. Gilbreath, resided Wichita Falls, Tex. at last accounts.

(Nathan 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis i.) Born Izard County, Arkansas in 1844. Family records state he served in Confederate Army 1864-65 his name is not on record in War Department. He married in 1874 Emma Elizabeth Nicks, born Arkansas 18 December 1856, he died at Kensett, Arkansas 15 May 1927, she was living in 1931. Members of Christian church.

iii Arthur William: b 8 Feb. 1882. Grad. M.D. and in practice since 1907. He m 11 Feb. 1912 at Newberg, Ark., Ruth Lee Rodgers, b Violet Hill, Ark. 10 June 1893, reside Tucker, Ark., he is physician to State penitentiary. They had:

vi Marshall Newton: b 18 Aug. 1892, m Bertie Moser, reside Franklin, Ark.

(Nathan 8, Samuel y, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Izard County, Arkansas 18 June 1862, he married 17 April 1870 Rhoda Jane Bates, born Tennessee in 1853, resided Izard



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County to about 1897/98 then =moved to Tuckerman, Jackson County, Arkansas where Rhoda died 25 July 1908. He married (2) prior to 1912 Mrs. Mary Busby. They were members of the Christian .church, and resided Steele, Missouri, in 1931.

Children:

i Emily E.: b 20 Nov. 1872, died 9 Apr. 1909.

ii Charles Lafayette (10) : b 21 Jan. 1875.

iii Lina B.: b 26 July 187?, died 15 Mar. 1901.

iv Ida May: b 15 Jan. 1880, died 29 Dec. 1908.

v A. Dee: b 12 May 1882, died 30 Mar. 1909.

vi Gordon E.: b 25 July 1885, died 25 Apr. 1905.

vii Lillie F.: b 17 Nov. 1888, m a Mr. Robertson, reside Steele, Mo. in 1931. She furnished data on this family but gave no data on her own family:

viii N. Ernest: b 2 Oct. 1891.

ix R. Lesley: b 11 July 1894.

x Gordon Elmer: b 6 Sept. 1912, 2d wife.

xi Martha Alice: b 19 Feb. 1916.

xii Bertha B.: b 10 July 1919.

#### 427 JOHN FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY .

(*Nathan 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas in 1854 he married in 1880 Anna Elizabeth Weathers, born Arkansas 18-,she was generally known as "Rudy," they resided Violet Hill, Arkansas to about 1902-3 then moved to Purdy, Oklahoma where she died 28 February 1905, and he died 3 July 1910. .

Children:

i Cordelia: b 10 July 1881, she m 1898 Noah Blevins, she died 20 July 1899, a few hours after the birth of a son.

ii Marvin: b 22 Nov. 1883 Ark., m 12 Nov. 1905 Ida Graham, he died 18 Dec. 1915, she survives him and resides Purdy, Okla. They had:

1 Dick: b 15 Jan. 1907, m 24 Oct. 1926 Ruby Lemon, reside Purdy, Okla. They had: Doyle Wayne: b 13 Sept. 1927

2 Daisy: b 19 May 1911.

3 John Franklin: b 21 Oct. 1915.

iii Hugh: b 25 June 1886 Ark., m 1920 Gladys Bartholomew, at Maysville, Okla., reside Lindsay, Okla. They had:

1 Derotha : b Jan: 1930.

iv Dulcy: b 5 Nov. 1889 Ark., m 23 Dec. 1908 at Maysville, Okla. Jack Ramsey, reside Maysville, Okla. No children.

v Shelby Morton: b Mar. 1891.

vi Vivian Delore: b 28 Apr. 1892 Ark., m 20 Sept. 1913 Thomas Cascar, reside Maysville, Okla. No children.

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vii Mary Jane: b 23 May 1894, m 23 Dec. 1908 William Brumett, reside Maysville, Okla., said to have 4 or 5 children.

viii Banonas: b July 1896 Ark., died 14 Feb. 1914 Purdy, Okla. ix Son: b 1904, died aet. 48 hours.

428 JOSHUA LAFAYETTE (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Nathan 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.)* Born Izard County, Arkansas in 1858, he married in 1883 Charlotte Jane Spann, born Izard County, Arkansas in 1865. He was a farmer and spent all his days in Izard County where he died in July 1929 and is buried New Liberty cemetery, she survives him and resided Izard County, Arkansas in 1931. They were members of the Christian church.

Children:

i Charles L.: b 27 Aug. 1884. He is a physician, graduate of Med. College, Memphis, Tenn. He m 19 Dec. 1909 Ida C. Lunn, b Mammoth Spring, Ark. 11 Feb. 1883, reside Ash Flat, Ark. They had:

1 Charlotte Unis: b 30 Oct. 1910.

2 Charles Loyd: b 17 Oct. 1911.

3 Willine: b 5 Jan. 1914.

ii Elsie Farries: b 1886, m Albert R. Forrest, reside Beggs, Okla. They had

1 Letrice Forrest.

2 William Forrest.

3 Roscoe Forrest.

4 Earl Forrest.

5 Clifton Forrest.

6 Vivian Marie Forrest.

7 Inez Forrest.

8 Nadine Forrest.

iii Oscar Elmore: b 1888. Was a graduate of Freed Hardman College, Henderson, Tenn. a minister of the Christian Church, married Ollie Jett, of Newburg, Ark. He died Oct. 1926, she survives him and resided Newburg, Ark. He was active in raising funds for what is now Hardney Christian College, Morrilton, Ark. They had:

1 Maxine.

2 Bennie.

3 Ruby. Cline.

4 Oscar Elmore, Jr.

iv Nathan Bruce: b 1890 Izard Co., Ark., m Arden Weathers, b La Cross, Ark. 18-, reside Springfield, Mo. They had: 1 Clarice L.: b 1-. 2 Bruce A.

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3 Regina.

v Finis W.: b 1892, m prior to 1923 Pearl Lindsay of Maynard, Ark., resided Little Rock, Ark. where he died Oct. 1931, she survives him. They had:

1 Lindsay: b 192-.

vi William Howard: b 189-, m (1) , m (2) Novelle, reside Amarillo, Tex. They had:

1 William Howard, Jr.

vii Audie Lee: b 1901, m William Lyons, reside Violet Hill, Ark. They had

1 Claude Lamar Lyons.

2 Elsie Jane Lyons.

viii Obert: b 1903, m Opal Smith, reside Violet Hill, Ark. They had:

1 Cecil.

2 Bannie.

ix Edward: b 1905, resides El Paso, Tex.

x Ettie : b 1905, a twin.

### 429 DAVID WARREN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joshua 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas in 1843. He enlisted 7 September 1861 Private C, 14th Arkansas Infantry, C. S. A.; 30 November 1861 absent sick; 31\_ January 1862 present; transferred to Company C, 21st Arkansas Infantry and was 1st Corporal in 1862, 2d Sergeant February 1863. No further record in War Department. His son, Austin, states while he was on his way to the battle of Vicksburg he was wounded in the right thigh and the limb was amputated causing him to go on a peg leg the rest of his days. He married (1) in 1869 Mary Jane, daughter of Nathan Billingsley, No. 253, born in 1847, 1st cousins. He served as County Clerk, Izard County for several terms in the 1870's. Mary Jane died July 1884 and is buried in the family plot of her father on his farm. He married (2) 188- at Violet Hill, Arkansas, Mrs. M. E. King. He died at his home 27 July 1895 and is buried near his first wife, she survived him some years and died 1927-28.

Children:

i Edmund: b 29 Jan. 1870. Served as County and Circuit Clerk, Izard Co.,. Ark. 1901-1904. He m 7 Sept. 1904 Hattie M. Baxter, b Melbourne, Ark. 30 Oct. 1883, reside Melbourne, Ark. where he is engaged in general merchandising. They had:

1 Mildred Cecil: b 9 Feb. 1907, is a teacher.

2 Edward Baxter: b 18 June 1910 was a midshipman at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. in 1931,

ii Albert: b 3 Apr. 1872, .m 28 Jan. 1898 at LaCross, Ark., Kate Wilson, b Tenn. 18-, reside Cotter, Ark. They had

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1 Willie C.: b 25 Dec. 1902, m June 1924 Albert Douglass, of Greensboro, Ala. They had:  
a Albert Sidney Douglass: b 25 June 1925.

iii Austin: b 13 Oct. 1877 Ark., m 25 Oct. 1903 at Franklin, Ark., Minnie Boler, they moved to Guion, Ark., and in 1920 moved to Wayne, Okla. where he is engaged in mercantile business, member of Christian church in which he holds a Deaconship. We are indebted to him for his active interest in the family records it was thru his efforts that we were able to secure the records of the children of both Joshua and Nathan Billingsley. Reside Wayne, Okla. They had:

1 Rhea: b 31 Dec. 1905 Franklin, Ark., m 12 Apr. 1929 at Wayne, Okla., P. H. Perry, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had:

a Maurine Elizabeth Perry: b 16 Oct. 1930.

2 Boyce: b 1 Feb. 1907, is known as "Buster," graduated in Dentistry from Baylor University, Tex. in May 1931.

3 Ed. Baker: b 26 Apr. 1918.

iv Bertha Elizabeth: b 3 Nov. 1879, died 4 July 1896, buried on her grandfather's farm with her parents.

v Roscoe: b 15 Dec. 1881, m 1909 Fulton Co., Ark., Nora Ann Thompson, b 18-,resided Viola, and Guion, Ark., moved to Wayne, Okla. in 1920 and is associated with his brother in mercantile business. He is a non church member, his wife is a Baptist. They had:

1 Robert Warren: b 14 Feb. 1910.

2 Mary Emma: b 25 Mar. 1912.

3 Max Edward: b 1 Oct. 1915 at Guion, Ark.

4 Jo June: b 9 Sept. 1923 at Wayne, Okla.

vi Warren Victor: b 30 Dec. 1888, 2d wife, died 7 July 1893.

430 SAMUEL HALE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joshua 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 25 July 1850, he married 14 March 1869 at Newburg, Arkansas, Manerva A. Grimmett. He was a farmer and resided Franklin, Arkansas where he died 16 December 1926 and is buried Roberts cemetery, she was living in 1931 and resided Tulsa, Oklahoma with her son.

Children:

i Mary Jane: b 20 Aug. 1870, m 11 Feb. 1886 Campbell Hasting, she died 30 Nov. 188?, buried Roberts cemetery, Franklin, Ark.

ii Elzada Catherine: b 14 Dec. 1872, died 16 Aug. 1873. .

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iii Almi is Annice: b 12 Mar. 1874, m (1) 15 Nov. 1888 J. M. Williams; (2) a Mr. Whisnatt, reside Norman, Okla.

iv Ada Atlanta: b 1 Feb. 1877, died 24 Dec. 1877.

v Nevada Bethel: b 12 Dec. 1879, living 1931.

vi Non Izula: b 20 Sept. 1881, died 27 Feb. 1882.

vii Carl asker: b 29 June 1883, m 10 Mar. 1906 Allie Meyatt, reside, Tulsa, Okla. They had:  
1 Noel Conner: b 17 Dec. 1906.

viii Harv Clarence: b 18 Oct. 1885, In Wilma Batterton at Franklin, Ark. have a son and reside in Okla. in 1931.

ix Homer Earnest: b 17 July 1887, m Mollie Wadley, reside Se inole, Okla., have children.

x Child: b 13 Feb. 1891, died 16 Aug. 1891.

431 THOMAS FALTER (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 8, Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cherokee County, Alabama 22 June 1853. He married (1) 11 October 1877 Ella O'Neal, born 18-, she died 10 December 1855 and he married (2) 16 January 1890 Sarah Hanks, born 18-, she died 20 April 1920. He is a farmer and resides Gadsden, Alabama.

Children:

i Robert Newton (10) : b 10 Aug. 1878.

ii T. L la: b 1879, m 1899 T. S. Moon, b 1877, reside in Etowa Co., Ala. They had:

1 Thomas Walter Moon: b 1900, m 1926 LouSeay. They had:

a Vernon Moon: b 1927.

2 James Irvin Moon: b 1904.

3 Alma Pearl Moon: b 1909.

4 Lina Moon: b 1913.

iii Alma Ernestine: b 4 Feb. 1881, m 1899 Thomas H. Arkridge, b 1866, reside Etowah Co., Ala. They had nine children, two died small:

1 Nancy Ella Arkridge: b 1900, m 1919 Mattison Smith, 1897, reside Etowah Co., Ala. They had:.

a James Smith: b 1920.

b Pauline Smith: b 1922.

c Harold Smith: b 1924.

d Charles Smith: b 1927.

2 Thelma Beatrice Arkridge: b 1906, m 1921 Daniel Butler, 1899, residence not stated. They had:

a Daniel Butler: b 1923.

b Lucite Butler: b 1926.

c Ella Ruth Butler: b 1930.

3 Walter Radford Arkridge: b 1908, m 1928 Hattie Mae Pharr, b 1909, residence not stated. They had:

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a Walter Radford Arkridge, Jr.: b 193-.

4 Clyde Malcolm Arkridge: b 1913.

5 Roy Pinkney Arkridge: b 1915.

6 Robert Hugh Arkridge: h 1920.

iv James Malcolm: b 5 Nov. 1884, m 1909 Sealie Thew, b 18 Mar. 1886, reside Gadsden, Ala. They had:

1 Alma Ernestine: b 26 June 1911.

2 Ola Dean: b 19 Mar. 1914.

3 Josie Mae: b 26 Feb. 1916.

4 Alice Maud: b 23 June 1918.

v Elizabeth: b 189-, 2d wife.

vi Mary: b 189--.

### 432 IRA FRANCIS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James. 8, Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cherokee County, Alabama 22 September 1859. He married at Buchanan, Georgia 3 September 1899 Cassie Griffin, born Haralson County, Georgia 16 February 1884. Reside near Rome, Georgia.

Children:

i Ira Alvin: b 7 July 1900 at Sylacauga, Ala. He is a member of Odd Fellows Baptist, and resides Rome, Ga. He has furnished information on this family.

ii Robert Early: b 18 Dec. 1903, m Rose Gaston and reside Rome, Ga.

iii Walter Washington: b 7 Mar. 1905, m Willie Mae Tillery, reside Rome, Ga.

iv Rose Felton: b 18 Sept. 1907, m John Robert Gilliam, residence not stated.

v Oliver Charles: b 3 Mar. 1911.

vi William Edward: b 27 May 1914.

vii Sallie Altazara: b 9 Sept. 1916.

### 433 SARA REBECCA (9) BILLINGSLEA

(*Samuel C. 8, Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Taliaferro County, Georgia 5 December 1843, moved to Texas and Mississippi with her parents. She -married (1) 5 December 1865 John Andrew Williamson, born Georgia 5 December 1834. He was son of -- Williamson and Martha Turner, see Turner Excursus. John Andrew Williamson enlisted 24 August 1861 as Private B, 6th Miss. Vols. at Grenada, Miss. He served thru the war and was paroled at Greensboro, N. C. in 1865 and was then Private A, 14th ?Miss. Consolidated Inf. C. S. A. Resided Goshen Springs, Mississippi, where he died 19 May 1880. She married (2) 25 October 1893 J. P. W. Barksdale, born Virginia in 1838, his 2d wife, he had six living children at the

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time of this marriage. She died 26 February 1924. No mention of the date of his death.

Children: i Samuella Elizabeth Williamson: b 11 Dec. 1866, died Sept. 1882. ii Annie Kate Williamson: b 14 Jan. 1869, m 29 Mar. 1888 Eugene Sydnor Barksdale, born Va. 30 July 1863, son of J. P. W. Barksdale and his first wife. Reside Goshen Springs, Miss. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Mary Agnes Barksdale: b 6 Mar. 1889, m John T. Hosea, reside Memphis, Tenn.

2 Sara Willie Barksdale: b 20 Oct. 1890, m Leon Baker, reside Goshen Springs, Miss. They had: a Mary Eugenic Baker: b 23 Oct. 1921.

3 Clifford Flournay Barksdale: b 4 Apr. 1893, m James Walter Speer, reside Goshen Springs, Miss. They had: a Ina Claire Speer: b 10 Mar. 1913. b James Walter Speer: b 25 Dec. 1919. c Hoy Barksdale Speer: b 19---. d Sydnor Morton Speer: b 27 July 19--.

4 Katie Elsie Barksdale: b 19 Oct. 189, m James H. Woodard, Jr. Reside Lula, Miss.

5 Eugene Hoy Barksdale: b 5 Nov. 1897. Enlisted 8 May 1917 Aviation Service, trained at Austin, Tex. and sent overseas where he was 1st Lieut. May 1918 National Army; appointed 1st Lieut. Air Service, U. S. Army 1 July 1920. He m Lura Lee Dunn of New York City, stationed at Mitchell Field, sent to McCook Field, Ohio where he was killed in a plane accident 11 Aug. 1926 (See Army Register).

6 James David Barksdale: b 27 July 1900 Enlisted Oct. 1918 and discharged Mar. 1919, m Lillian Frisbee, reside Goshen Springs, Miss. They had: a Mary Agnes Barksdale: b Sept. 1927.

7 Rubie Jeanne Barksdale: b 27 Aug. 1903 B. S. Miss. State Col. for Women in 1923; M. A. Peabody Col. for Teachers, Nashville, Tenn. in 1930 m. 1930 C. Wallace O'Keefe. Is with W. Tex. State Teachers College, Canyon, Tex.

iii John Bradford Williamson: b 19 May 1871, m 15 Dec. 1901 Lavinia Virginia Robinson, b 23 Oct. 1880 at Goshen Springs, Miss., reside Fannin, Miss. They had:

1 John Bradford Williamson, Jr.: b 6 Mar. 1913.

2 Nannie Rebecca Williamson: b 29 Sept. 1915.

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iv Sara Rebecca, Williamson: b 11 Apr. 1873 B. S. Harperville College in 1893. Teacher for ten years. She married 6 May- 1903 James Robert Slater, reside Rich, Miss. In 1932. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 James Price Slater: b 29 Mar. 190-1. Graduate of Chamberlain Hunt Academy, Port Gibson, Miss. in 1921; 2 years South Western University; graduate of Rockefeller Foundation School, Indianola, Miss. in 1927. Was with Union Co., Ark. Health Unit to 1931, then Chief Sanitary Inspector U. S. P. H. and assigned to Arkansas, resides Little Rock, Ark.

2 Son: b 1905, died 1905.

#### 434 WILLIAM FRANKLIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel C. 8, Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis t.*) Born Rankin County, Mississippi 22 October 1852, a twin. He married prior to 1875 Henrietta Holiday, born Mississippi 30 October 1853. They moved to Texas in the early 1900's, she died at Elgin, Texas 6 January 1927 and he died at Hutto, Texas 12 August 1927.

Children:

i John Bradford: b 20 Feb. 1875 Rankin Co., Miss. He m at Saratoga, Tex. 28 Aug. 1905 Luella Taylor, b Cleveland, Tex. 31 Aug. 1888. Reside Saratoga, Tex. They had:

1 Edith: b 31 Oct. 1909 at Georgetown, Tex.

2 Taylor: b 21 Sept. 1915 at Navasota, Tex.

ii Marion Coleman: b 22 May 1877 Rankin Co., Miss. He m at Saratoga, Tex. 15 Mar. 1908 Helena Gertrude Sherwood, b Montgomery Co., Tex. 18 Apr. 1888. Reside Saratoga, Tex. They had:

1 Marion Curtis: b 5 Aug. 1909.

2 Mildred Alison: b 6 Sept. 1911, m 19 May 1931 W. F. Foster, Jr.

3 Child: b 1 Jan. 1913, died 22 Jan. 1913.

4 William Vernon: b 22 Sept. 1916.

5 Irene Gertrude: b 15 Feb. 1920 at Round Rock, Tex.

iii Walter Emmett: b 187-.

iv Annie Laura: b 188-.

v Mary Ella: b 185-.

vi William Franklin: b 18-.

#### 435 SAMUEL WINSTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel C. 8, Frances B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Madison County, Mississippi in 1854. He married in Rankin County, Mississippi in 1873 Dora Frances Boyd,



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born Troupe County, Georgia in 1856. He was a farmer and resided in Bolivar County, Mississippi where he is stated to have been killed during a storm in November 1883. She survives him and resides Brandon, Mississippi

##### Children:

i Anna Lee: b Feb. 1876, married Robert Lafayette Baker, residence not stated. They had:

1 Helen Baker: b 1-, m , res. Dallas, Tex.

2 Roy Baker: b 1-, m , res. Newton, Miss.

3 Minnie Baker: b 1-, m , res. Newton, Miss.

ii Oliver Clifton: b Sept. 1878, m 3 Feb. 1901 Florence Waddell, reside Brandon, Miss. They had:

1 Dorothy Elizabeth: b 25 Apr. 1903, was a teacher for some years, m 11 June 1929 Gibson Spivey Smith, reside Brandon, Miss.

2 Waddell Clifton: b 6 Jan. 1907.

3 Hazel Hall: b 20 Mar. 1909, A. B. Miss. St. Col. Women.

4 Olivia Rebecca: b 30 Sept. 1913, m 8 May 1932 Bivian Buchanan, reside Brandon, Miss. iii Samuella Rebecca: b 1882, m Harry Jackson Champion, reside Canton, Miss. They had:

1 Robert Jackson Champion: b Nov. 190-1, m 1922 Polly Margaret Hobson, reside Canton, Miss. They had:

a Robert Jackson Champion, Jr.

b Frances Rosalind Champion.

2 Frank Priestly Champion.

3 Andrea- Fred Champion.

#### 436 OLIVER HOLIDAY (9) BILLINGSLEA

(*Oliver F. 8, Francis B. 7, Samuel 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Madison County, Mississippi in 1861. He married 23 November 1887 Anna Belle Watts, born Mississippi in 1866, daughter of Dr. David Watts, see No. 274. He died 10 June 1912 and she married (2) , not stated if death or divorce, she married (3) she resides Madison County, Mississippi, not stated if a widow, no children by second or third marriages.

##### Children:

i Wirt Edward: b 8 Sept. 1888, m 18 June 1916 Hattie Luckett, reside Camden, Miss. They had:

1 Wirt Edward, Jr.: b ca 1919.

ii Bertha Maxwell: b 31 Dec. 1889, m 2 Aug. 1912 John West, reside El Paso, Tex. They had:

1 Georgia Belle West: b 191-, m Edward McNeese, residence not stated. They had:

a John Edward McNeese: b 1930.

b Henry Braxton McNeese: b 1931.

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2 Mary Clyde Vest: b May 1916.

3 Bertha West: b 1919.

4 Virginia Vest: b 1921.

5 John VI. Vest, Jr.: b 192-.

iii Theresa Louise: b 17 Feb. 1892, m 20 Dec. 1912 Clifford A. Knight, reside Baton Rouge, La. They had:

1 Martha Knight: b ca 1916.

2 Charles Knight: b ca 1918.

iv David Watts: b 4 Jan. 1894 Miss. He married Eleanor Harris, b Ky., reside Franklin, Ky., said to have children.

v Mary B.: b 18 June 1898, m (1) 26 Apr. 1913 Clyde L. Fugate, a divorce and she m (2) S. J. Andrews, reside Pickens, Miss. They had:

1 Robert Lee Fugate: b 26 Apr. 1915.

2 David Clyde Fugate: b 16 June 1918.

3 Sandra June Andrews: b 12 Nov. 1931 (adopted): vi William Walter: b 20 Jan. 1899, m Mabel Dendy, reside Pickens, Miss. They had:

1 Audrey B.: b 1924.

2 Elemese: b 1925.

3 Alice Ann: b 1925.

4 William Shelby: b 1931.

vii Jessie Evelyn: b 16 Nov. 1901, m 26 Aug. 1927 John Miller, reside Jackson, Miss. They had:

1 John Miller, Jr.: b 19-.

2 Jessie Evelyn Miller: b 19-.

viii Oliver Holiday: b 13 July 1903, m Evelyn Montgomery, reside Camden, Miss. They had:

1 Mary Louise: b Dec. 1926.

2 Evelyn: b Dec. 1928.

ix Anna Belle: b 4 Nov. 1908 (still born).

437 EUGENE LANE (9) BILLINGSLEA

(*James C. 8, Clement C. 7, William 6, Francis 5, William 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Tuscaloosa County, Alabama 4 July 1856, moved to Augusta, Arkansas with his parents. He married at Augusta, Arkansas 2 September 1894 Mary Ellen Watson, born Searcy, Arkansas 30 May 1880, daughter of Henry Watson. He died at Bald Knob, Arkansas 12 December 1910, she survives him and resides Augusta, Arkansas. Family Presbyterians.

Children:

i Lucy E.: b 1 Oct. 1895, died 26 Nov. 1911.

ii Virginia Pearl: b 28 Nov. 1897, m a Mr. Daniels, reside Augusta, Ark. They had:

1 Mary Elizabeth Daniels.

2 Virginia Daniels.

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iii Eugene Louis: b 25 Apr. 1900. Served in U. S. Army in World War, graduate Washington Univ. of Dentistry, St. Louis, Mo. He married (1) at Beebe, Ark. 22 Aug. 1921 Bernice Garrison, b Carmi, Ill. 25 Oct. 1905, divorced 8 Oct. 1924 and he married (2) at Forrest City, Ark. 14 Sept. 1926 Armorie Harris, b Slate Springs, Miss. 23 Oct. 1908, reside Hughes, Ark. He has furnished information on this family and has aided on other families of the name in his vicinity. They had:

1 Eugene Elton: b 25 July 1922 at Beebe, Ark.

2 Wanda Lucille: b 11 Jan. 1923 at Augusta, Ark.

3 Eugene Louis, Jr.: b 29 May 1927 at Hughes, Ark.

iv Arthur Clement: b 15 Dec. 1902, m , resided Augusta, Ark. in 1920 and at Marietta, Ark. in 1926. He is a druggist and resided Camden, Ark. in 1932. He furnished copy of Bible record of Clement C. Billingslea to John T. Moore, Nashville, Tenn. in 1920 and this record was furnished us by Mrs. John T. Moore. They had:

1 Clement Dixon: b 19-.

2 Anne: b 19-.

v Eva Lane: b 12 Feb. 1905.

vi Kenneth Moreau: b 5 Sept. 1907, died 22 Dec. 1907.

#### 438 RAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 8, Samuel W. 7, William 6, Sias 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington County, Iowa in 1855. `Was a graduate of Iowa State University in 1873-76. He was on a visit to the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia. in 1876 and renewed acquaintance with his relatives one of whom is still living and stated that he talked with him and gave him as much family history as he could and states that. Ray was at that time seeking all information possible of the Billingsley family with a view of writing up the record. There is no doubt he collected much information concerning the Monongalia County branch of the family and this information is believed to be in possession of his son William Patterson Billingsley who has ignored all appeals for information necessary to make a complete record. The following is taken from an obituary notice of his wife.

He married 22 February 1882 Eleanor, daughter of John G. Patterson and Eleanor Quiggle, born Tiffin, Ohio 12 July 1856 and moved to Charles City, Iowa with her parents. She was a graduate of Iowa State University, taught in several counties until she married. He was a lawyer and they established a home at Vinton, Iowa, where they resided until 1 July, 1886 when they moved to Orange, California having already purchased a home there. ;Family Presbyterians and were among the organizers of the Congregational church at Villa Park in 1888. She died 26 April,

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1926 at Los Angeles, California. He survived her and is stated to have died 1928-29.

Children:

i William Patterson: b 1883-4 Iowa. Resided Los Angeles, Calif. in 1932 listed with a wife named Clara B. No information obtainable from him.

ii Helen May: b 1885-86, m a Mr. Flintham, resided Los Angeles, Calif. in 1926.

iii Harlowe Ray: b 18- said to reside Santa Anna, Calif. 1930.

iv Carey Val: b 14 Feb. 1888. Graduated in medicine in 1914, married, he died 4 November 1918 of influenza, his widow said to reside Santa Anna, Calif. in 1932.

v Hester Sophia: b 189-, m a Mr. Searle, of Glendale, Calif.

vi Mynard John: b 1890, died prior to 1926.

439 CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Christopher C. 8, William 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 5, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Autauga County, Alabama 30 September 1848. He married 1868-69 Mary A. Spigner, born Alabama 18-19. He was a farmer and resided all his life in the neighborhood of Billingsley, Autauga County, Alabama, named after the pioneer Clement Billingsley. Family members of Big Spring, Baptist church of which he was a Deacon for many years. She died about 1927 and he died 28 March 1931. This information is taken from an obituary in Alabama Baptist June 1931. Four of his children were living in 1931 but we have not been able to get any information from any of them.

Children:

i Mary A.: b 1870.

ii Sarah E.: b 1873.

iii Levering M.: b 1875 (daughter).

iv John W. L.: b 1877. v Joel C.: b 1879.

440 JAMES CLEMENT (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph S. 8, Clement T. 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William, 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Hillsboro, Texas 27 May 1877, moved to Collin County, Texas with his parents prior to 1880. He married prior to 1900 Eva Dean Sanders, born Texas 12 August 1880, resided Wylie, Texas some years and were living in Dallas, Texas in 1932.

Children:

i Clement Harrel: b 29 July 1900, resides Galveston, Tex.

ii Sachse Hestel: b 13 June 1903; m 13 Sept. 1930, Marybelle Keene, b 13 Oct. 1909, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:  
1 James Hestel: b 1 Mar. 1932.

iii Hascal Sanders: b 26 Dec. 1905.

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### 441 JAMES J. (9) BILLINGSLEY ,

(*Joseph B. 8, James R. 7, Clement 6, James 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop, Louisiana 31 December 1853, was reared in the home of his grandparents, Nathan H. and Elizabeth Brady. He married about 1878 Georgine Wartelle, born Opelousas, Louisiana 19 November 1859. They moved to New York, N. Y. after 1887 where he died 5 January 1927, and she died 4 February 1931.

Children:

i James Wartelle: b 29 Jan. 1880 Bastrop, La., moved to New York City with his parents, and m Irene Rice. He was an Engineer, resided in New Orleans, La. where he died 17 Aug. 1931 leaving no children.

ii Lucille: b 18S-, La., m H. H. Kidder, reside New York City.

iii Frederic Nichols: b 29 Dec. 1887 Bastrop, La., moved to New York City with his parents, he m at Troy, N. Y. 25 Sept. 1919, Gladys Crockett, b Troy, N. Y. He is an Engineer and connected with Billingsley Engineering Co., New Orleans, La, where they reside. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Frederic Crockett: b 21 July 1921.

2 Doris Crockett: b 1 Dec. 1923.

### 442 ELIJAH PICKERING (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel K. 8, William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harrison County, Ohio, 15 September 1845, moved to Iowa, with his parents where he married (1) 18 December 1870 at Salem, Iowa., Mary Louisa Coffin, born 18-. she died after 1886 and he married (2) prior to 1897 Mrs. Ellen (Cross) Moles, widow. He died 7 April 1926, she survives him and resides Texico, New Mexico. (1931)

Children:

i Adelpha: b 9 Aug. 1872, m Charles E. Berry, reside Delta, Colo. They had:

1 Vera Berry.

2 Mae Berry.

3 Hazel Berry.

4 Margaret Berry.

5 Elmer Berry.

6 Harold Berry.

ii Myrta: b 27 Dec. 1876, m Fred Freed, reside Myrtle Creek, Oregon. They had:

1 Evelyn Freed.

iii William E.: b 5 Apr. 1886, m Lillian , reside Fresno, Calif. No children.

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iv John Kirk: .b 6 Nov. 189?, 2d wife, m Velma, reside Texico, New Mex. They had:

1 Jack.

2 Ina Mae.

443 WILLIAM FLETCHER (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel K. 8, William R. 7, James 6, James 6, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harrison County, Ohio 13 May 1847. He married 1865-1866 near Tippecanoe, Ohio, Sarah Jane Ramsey. He died 23 December 1918, not stated residence but probably in Iowa.

Children:

i Annie Bell: b 186-, died inf.

ii Charles L.: b 186-, died inf.

iii Lydia Fesler: b Jan. 1870, m Charles Gurney, his 2d wife, reside Pleasantville, Iowa. No children.

iv Nora Belle: b 187-, m Charles Gurney, she died and he m (2), see above. They had:

1 Harold Gurney.

2 Haldean Gurney.

3 Evelyn Gurney.

v William W.: b 187-, m Alice Friman, reside Pleasantville Iowa. They had:

1 Alvin.

2 Ethel.

3 Mabel.

vi Sarah Elizabeth: b 187- resides Pleasantville, Iowa, unmarried.

444 SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel K. 8, William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harrison County, Ohio 6 September 1853, moved to Iowa with his parents where he married 2 November 1876 in Adams County, Sarah Ellen Carothers, born Venango County, Pennsylvania 1 October 1857. They moved to Kansas about 1882, he died 7 January 192? at Marysville, Kansas, she survives him and was living 1930.

Children:

i Nellie Vestine: b 10 Oct. 1877, resides Marysville, Kan. and has furnished information on this family.

ii Elsie Gertrude: b 2 Jan. 1879, m 14 Nov. 1900 Orin A. Iveis, she died 30 Sept. 1918 *sine prole*.

iii Samuel Ellsworth: b 2 Oct. 1880, m 8 Apr. 1908 in Adams Co., Iowa, Hannah Elizabeth Lee, b 15 May 1884 in Alliance Co., Ohio. Reside Denver, Colo. They had:

1 John Arthur: b 1 Jan. 1909.

2 Helen Clara: b 19 Nov. 1910.

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iv Charles Albert: b 20 Apr. 1882 at Spencer, Iowa m 16 Oct. 1920 at Carthage, Mo. Bessie Ferree, b 5 Aug. 1887 at Carthage, Mo., she was a registered nurse, he is a farmer, reside Carthage, Mo. They had:

1 Mary Anna: b 23 Sept. 1921, died 23 Sept. 1921.

2 Margaret Louise: b 26 Jan. 1918 (adopted).

3 Edna Maude: b 15 July 1925.

v William Fred: b 29 Sept. 1883 Nemaha Co., Kan., he m 15 June 1912 at Kansas City, Mo., Fae Hawthorn Thompson, b Cerro Gordo, Ill. 16 Oct. 1887, she died at Wagoner, Okla. 22 Apr. 1925. He is proprietor of the Midway Cafe, a member of Wagoner Lodge No. 19, A. F. A. M., and Kiwanis, resides Wagoner, Okla. They had

1 Ruth: b 4 July 1913.

2 William Fred: b 10 Nov. 1915.

3 Robert Hawthorn: b 10 Nov. 1915, a twin.

vi Rebecca Alfreda: b 17 Sept. 1885, m 1 Sept. 1909 Joseph Harry Elliott, reside Stafford, Kan. They had:

1 Joseph Franklin Elliott: b 25 July 1910.

2 Roland Albert Elliott: b 1 Mar. 1912.

3 Helen Alfreda Elliott: b 21 Dec. 1913.

4 Samuel Howard Elliott: b 25 Aug. 1916.

5 Elizabeth Eileen Elliott: b 25 Aug. 1920.

vii Andrew Bird: b 22 Dec. 1887 at Baileyville, Kan. Served in World War, m 9 June 1928 at Kansas City, Mo., Ruth Bernese Henderson, b Alma, Kan. 6 Aug. 1897. He is with Union Pacific railroad, reside Omaha, Neb. No children.

viii Helen Mae: b 2 May 1890, m 9 Apr. 1913 William Marshall Griffiee, reside Marysville, Kan. They had:

1 Janice Helen Griffiee: b 24 Feb. 1915.

2 Evelyn Elizabeth Griffiee: b 2 Jan. 1917.

3 William Robert Griffiee: b 3 May 1921.

4 Isla Mae Griffiee: b 16 Aug. 1925. ix Walter Carothers: b 5 Feb. 1892 at Marysville, Kan., m 11 Oct. 1914 at Concordia, Kan. Martha Maude Moraine, b Downs, Kan. 2 Nov. 1892, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

They had:

1 Clifford Carroll: b 31 July 1918.

x Carrol Myron: b 24 Dec. 1894. Served in World War, m 3 July 1920 Alta Jane Pritchard, reside Topeka, Kan.

They had:

1 Beverly June: b 3 Sept. 1923.

2 Natalie Carol: b 2 Jan. 1926.

xi Carlisle Byron: b 24 Dec. 1894, a twin, served in World War, m 23 Sept. 1922 Vera Jane Smith, reside Sapulpa, Okla. They had:

i Jack Byron: b 4 July 192:3.

xii Leslie Kirk: b 1 June 1897. Served in World War, m 18 June 1918 Belmont Hazel Collins, reside Marysville, Kan. They had:

1 Thaine Edward: b 5 June 1925.

445 ALBERT MAGEE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William P. 8, William R. 7, James 6, James 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Harrison County, Ohio 2..5 October 1860. He is listed as a school teacher in 1880. He married in 1882 Eliza Vail Boyd, born 31 December 1862, daughter of George Boyd, born 1827, died 1914 and Eliza Vail Markley, born 183?, living in 1923, married in 1858. He was a Methodist minister and served churches in Ohio, Illinois, Missouri, and Iowa, he was a trustee of Cornell College, Iowa, and died at Cedar Falls, Iowa April 1929, she was living in 1932.

Children:

i Wayland: b 1883 Wetmore, Kan.: died in 1883.

ii Harry Esmond: b 20 Sept. 1885 in Ohio, m in Arizona, Edna, reside Los Angeles, Calif, said to have three children.

iii Paul Raymond: b 25 Oct. 1887 at Lowellville, Ohio. B.S. Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa 1910; M.D. North Western Univ. 1918. He married 13 Apr. 1917 at Chicago, Ill. Frances Adelaide Bulot, b Pittsburgh, Pa., 8 May 1897, moved to S. Dak. and located at Sioux Falls where they resided 1932. He is a Mason, a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, family Methodists. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Ruth: b 27 Nov. 1918.

2 Mary Frances: b 11 Nov. 1.922.

3 Patrick Paul: b 3 May 1925.

4 Hugh Michael: b 20 Feb. 1929.

iv Ruth Virginia: b 5 Mar. 1893 at Evansville, Ill., she married Floyd Arnold at Manchester, Iowa, she died in 1916 *sine prole*.

446 THOMAS JEFFERSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Brigth W 8, John 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Carroll County, Mississippi in 1848, moved to De Soto Parish, Louisiana in 1850's where he married (1) prior to 1869 Sarah Johnson, born Louisiana in 1850, she died about 1886 and he married (2) Margaret Waldwork, born 18-. He was a farmer, resided in De Soto Parish, both were deceased some years prior to 1930. Said to have been .seventeen children by the two marriages, four of whom died in infancy.



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Children: (known)

i Thomas: b 1869 La., deceased 1930.

ii James: b 1871, deceased.

iii Bright W.: b 1873, deceased.

iv Martha: b 1875 La., m a Mr. Cobb, they had five children, two of them were living in 1930, resided at Logansport, La. No information obtainable.

v Elizabeth: b 1876, m , they had seven children, she was deceased before 1930, residence not stated.

vi Edgar: b 1878, m , they had four children, he was deceased before 1930, residence not stated.

vii Lucy: b 1879, m a Mr. Carroll, they had six children, 3 were living in 1930, residence not stated.

viii Alfred: b 188-, m , they had eight children, 6 were living in 1930, resided Nederland, Tex. No information obtainable.

ix Henry Clay: b 11 May 1889, 2d wife, m, he resides Lufkin, Tex. where he was Sheriff in 1932.

x George S. (10) : b 20 May 1891.

xi John Jefferson: b 1896, m, reside Lufkin, Tex. in 1932.

xii Samuel Dewey: b 1899, m, reside Lufkin, Tex. in 1932.

xiii Roosevelt Jackson: b 12 Feb. 1901, resided Lufkin, Tex. in 1932 and was unmarried.

### 447 ELIZA JANE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, Johns 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Florida 30 December 1831, she married 2 December 1855 Alfred Jones, born 16 January 1821, he died 28 September 1897 and she died 31 December 1921, resided in Leon County, Florida.

Children:

i Charles Spurgeon Jones: b 30 Dec. 1858, m 22 Dec. 1880 Mary E. Riddle, reside Lloyd, Fla.

ii Seaborn Alfred Jones: b 29 Oct. 1860, m (1) 3 Sept. 1890 Lucy R. Earnest; he m (2) at Macon, Ga. 15 Dec. 1927 Ona Rushin, reside Lloyd, Fla.

iii Mary Henrietta Jones: b 21 Oct. 1862, m 21 Dec. 1879 Thomas Leonard Miller, she died 5 July 1885.

iv Edmund Fuller Jones: b 12 June 1866, m 18 Sept. 1900 at Metcalfe, Ga. Emma Beane, reside Lloyd, Fla.

v William Cooper Jones: b 27 Mar. 1868, m 30 Dec. 1909 Lula G. Russell, .he died 21 Apr. 1923

### 448 JOHN SMITH (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 16 December 1836. He married (1) 28 November 1860 Florida Felkel. He enlisted 17 Mar. 186- Private

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Scott's Company 2d Florida Cavalry, C. S. A.; 23 August transferred to D. W. Gwynn's Company; on 3 April 1864 he is listed as Private C, 5th Florida Cavalry; paroled May 1865. He was six feet and one inch in height, black hair, and dark eyes. Florida died March 1864 and he married (2) 18 November 1867 Cynthia Ann Bradley, born Florida 8 January 1846, resided Leon County, Florida to 1872-73 then moved to Hays County, Texas where they resided to about 1904 then moved to Austin, Texas where he is listed as farmer. She died 23 October 1918 and he died 18 June 1919.

Children:

i John Williams: b 1861 Fla. Was living 1932 Santa Cruz, Calif.

ii Leonidas Felkel: b 21 Mar. 1864 Fla. He m 1 Jan. 1896 Bell Co., Tex. Ada Elizabeth McAlister, b 25 Apr. 1880 in Erath Co., Tex., she died 4 Aug. 1910 and he died 10 Jan. 1918, resided Whitney, Tex. They had:

1 Oliver Leon: b 12 Apr. 1897, m 9 Aug. 1923 at Mercury, Tex. Mynila McMurtrey, b Menard, Tex. 13 Dec. 1903, resided Brownwood, Tex., then moved to Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Oliver Leon, Jr.: b 6 Nov. 1927, died 30 Nov. 1927.

b Betty Ann: b 17 Feb. 1931.

2 Irene Millissie: b 22 May 1899 Hill Co., Tex., m 2 Jan. 1923 Forrest Dabney Clinard, b Bell Co., Tex. 1896, reside Whitney, Tex. They had:

a Celia Gwendolyn Clinard: b 24 Sept. 1923.

b Charles Oliver Clinard: b 28 Sept. 1926.

c Forrest Dabney Clinard, Jr.: b 30 Oct. 1928.

d Don J. Clinard: b 9 Oct. 1931.

3 Gwendolyn: b 27 Nov. 1902, m 15 July 1920 Julius J.

Engleman, she died 20 Aug. 1923. They had:

a Marcella Irene Engleman: b 19 July 1923.

4 John McAlister: b 13 Jan. 1904, died 2 Nov. 1905.

5 Aubrey Hugh: b 14 Nov. 1907, died 22 Apr. 1909.

iii Rennie Ethelbert: b 12 Oct. 1868, 2d wife, he m about 1888 at San Marcos, Tex., Ula Beall McCoy, they moved to Austin, Tex. about 1908 where he is listed to 1916, a divorce and he m (2) , and resided Mexico City, Mex. at last accounts. They had:

1 Floyd McCoy: b 5. May 1890 at San Marcos, Tex. m about 1914 Margaret Nunor, of San Francisco, Calif. where they reside, he was business manager Moving Picture Projectionists 1932. No children.

2 Velma Ray: b 1892 San Marcos, Tex., m about 1918 Thomas W. Robisher, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

a Helen Robisher: b 19-.

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b Hazel Robisher : b 19-.

c Betty Jane Robisher: b 19-.

3 Annie Evie : b Aug. 1894, died 14 Sept. 1894.

4 Evelyn Ola: b 189-, m 1913 Bertie Lewis Hildinger, a divorce and she m (2) Ted, reside San Antonio. They had:  
a Son: b 191-, died aet. a few months.

b Bertie L. Hildinger : b ca 1916.

c Beverly Ruth Hildinger: b 1918.

5 Lewie Rennie: b ca 1895-99, m (1) Agnes , a divorce, and he m (2) 1923 Leslie, he died aet. 26 years at San Antonio, Tex.

6 Ethel: b 19-, m about 1922 Moody Nivens, reside Austin, Tex. No children.

7 Adelle: b 19-, m (1) about 1918 a Mr. Merton, a divorce in 1919 and she m (2) 1920-21 Hendrix Burden, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a Jack Burden.

8 Belle: b 19-, m James Armstrong, reside Houston, Tex., said to have three children.

iv Hugh Smith: b 2 Nov. 1871, died 27 Dec. 1917 at Austin, Tex. of pneumonia, unmarried.

v Eulalia Laura: b 15 June 1873 Tex., m 4 July 1894 at San Marcos, Tex. J. Clark Messer, of Austin, Tex. She died 6 Jan. 1919 at Austin, Tex.

vi Arthur Bradley: b 1874, died aet. few months.

vii Theodore Edward: b 17 Jan. 1876, resides El Paso, Tex. j

viii Clinton Augustus: b 6 Apr. 1878. Was in Austin, Tex. 1903-4 and listed as a "Dairy hand" with F. N. Chapin; in 1905-6 he is listed as "Teamster"; 1909-10 resided with his brother, Rennie. He m 192- a Mrs. Callie, who had a daughter at the time of this marriage, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

1 Florence b 1920, step daughter, goes by name of Billingsley.

ix Charles Emerson: b 10 Sept. 1879, died 22 Dec. 1919 at Fort Worth, Tex., buried at Dallas, Tex.

x Clyde Norton : b 1880, died aet : 3 months.

xi Dessie Conway: b 29 Aug.. 1881, resides San Antonio, Tex.

xii Leila Vance: b 22 June 1885, San Marcos, Tex., m 24 Dec. 1908 at Austin, Tex., William Henry Luter, Ill., b Mobile, Ala., reside Culver City, Calif. 1932. No children. It was thru her efforts that the record of this family was brought to this state of completion.

xiii Viola Josephine: b 18 Nov. 1886 San Marcos, Tex., m 1926 Fred J. Melberg, reside Seattle, Wash. They had:

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1 Fred J. Melberg, Jr.: b Mar. 1928.

xiv Flavius Roswell: b 14 Apr. 1890 San Marcos, Tex. 1909-10, he is listed at Austin, Tex. as "Teamster"; 1912-13, 2d Supt. Deaf and Dumb Inst. He m 1914 Ethel Irwin, of Austin; 1916 listed as "teacher" Deaf and Dumb Inst.; and 1920 as Supt. of same; moved to Akron, Ohio during the year and resided there several years, was again in Austin, Tex. in 1928, resides Houston, Tex. 1932. They had:

1 John Smith: b 16 Jan. 1916 Tex. died 1 Nov. 1922 Akron, Ohio.

2 William Henry: b 10 July 1920 Akron, Ohio.

3 Roy Irwin: b 25 Nov. 1925, at Austin, Tex.

xv Rudolph Rumel: b 18 Oct. 1892. Was in U. S. Army 1932, Air Corps.

### 449 HENRY CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 1 April 1839. He enlisted 30 Aug. 1861 at Tallahassee, Florida as Private 2d Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 31 Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at Memphis, Tennessee; 30 Apr. 1862 was in Company E; on 30 June 1862 on furlough, sick; on 31 October 1862 was in Company M; wounded at Gettysburg and captured, in hospital 4 j July 1863, exchanged 31 July 1863; October 1863 present; 1 February 1864 transferred to Company D, and April 1864 absent, wounded; 31 August 1864 in hospital; October 1864 on sick furlough, and February 1865 furloughed home; he was five feet and ten inches in height, black hair, and dark eyes. (War Dept. Records) We have been informed that some of the wounds mentioned above left him a cripple the rest of his days. He married 10 October 1866 Martha Elizabeth Hall, born Randolph County, Georgia 28 December 1841. He was a farmer and died 4 February 1914, she survived him a few years and died 13 March 1919, family Baptists, and resided Leon County, Florida.

Children:

i Edward Ley: b 22 Nov. 1867, m 11 Nov. 1896 Lee Fleeting, b Leon Co., Fla. 1868. He is a member of Woodmen of the World, family Baptist, and reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Winifred Wilkinson: b 2 Feb. 1899, died 18 Sept. 1900.

ii Fellows Henry: b 9 Nov. 1869, m 19 July 1913 at Tallahassee, Fla. Pearl Thompson. He is a , farmer, family Baptist. He has furnished information on this family, reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Edith May: b 4 May 1914.

2 Henry Ford: b 20 June 1916.

3 Ethel Eliza: b 28 Nov. 1918.

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4 Fellows Edward: b 28 Nov. 1922, died 8 Dec. 1922.

5 Lulian Lowry: b 15 Oct. 1924.

iii John Powell: b 2 Dec. 1871, m 12 Oct. 1894 Lela Hawk at Tallahassee, Fla. He is a farmer, member of Woodmen of the World, family Baptist and reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Norman King: b 5 Oct. 1905, m 2 Jan. 1930 Eunice Allen, reside Lloyd, Fla.

2 Forrest E.: b 18 May 1908, m 12 Feb. 1931 Grace Dowless, reside Lloyd, Fla.

3 Ruby Lee: b 4 Aug. 1910, died 19 June 1915.

4 Hugh: b 30 Jan. 1913.

5 Mildred: b 19 May 1915.

6 Jewel: b 1 Aug. 1918.

iv Mattie Gertrude: b 7 Apr. 1874, m 5 Sept. 1894 William J. Johnson, reside Chaires, Fla. They had:

1 Eulalia Estelle Johnson: b 31 July 1896, m 6 May 1917 Ansley O. Stephens, reside Chaires, Fla. They had

a Kathryn Estelle Stephens: b 11 July 1918.

b Alvin O. Stephen, : b 19 Feb. 1921.

2 James Leslie Johnson: b 12 May 1898, m 1923 Elisabeth Burrows, reside Tampa, Fla.

3 Leon Derrick Johnson: b 26 Apr. 1905, m 3 July 1927 at Tampa, Fla. Myrtis Shaw, reside Bradenton, Fla.

v Sarah Maud: b 28 Sept. 1877, died 28 Feb. 1883.

vi Emma Willie: b 21 July 1880, resides Atlanta, Ga.

450 GEORGE WASHINGTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John ;2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 20 December 1842. He enlisted 26 April 186- Private Gamble's Company, Florida Light Artillery, present April 1862; A. W. O. L. 11 December 1864; paroled May 1865; he was five feet and eight inches in height, dark hair, and dark eyes. (War Dept. Records) He married prior to 1869 Sarah Ann Hall, born 25 September 1847 in Florida, daughter of Fellows Henry Hall and Sarah Cook. Resided in Leon County, Florida many years then moved to San Antonio, Texas where he died 30 September 1916, she survived him some years and died 25 January 1929 result of automobile accident.

Children:

i Ids M.: b Mar. 1869, died 1870's.

ii Berths F.: b Feb. 1870, died 1870's.

iii Sallie Corine: b 26 July 1875, m a Mr. Anderson, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Hazel Vern Anderson: b 1-, m Henry Brenham.

2 Florence Anderson: b 1-, m D. Harrod Baker.

3 Bessie Anderson: b 1-, m Harold Dillashaw.

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4 Frank Anderson: b 1--.

iv Olive Emma: b 12 Aug. 1877, m prior to 1911 Walter Charles Belder, b 10 Oct. 1882, reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished data on this family. They had:

1 Leonard George Belder: b 13 Feb. 1911.

v Florida Belle: b 21 June 1880, m a Mr. Myers, reside Eagle, Pass. Tex. They had:

1 Carrie Myers: b 1-, m Helma Frick, res. Eagle Pass, Tex.

2 Naomi Myers: b 1-, m -Percy Storms, reside San Francisco, Calif.

vi Jesse Powell: b 25 Feb. 1883, m , reside Crystal City, Tex. They had

1 Frances.

2 Margie.

3 Jesse Powell, Jr.

451 SIDNEY COLEMAN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina in 1844. He enlisted 24 February 1862 Private H, 43d N. C. Infantry, C. S. A.; 3d Corp. June 1862; 21 Apr. 1863 sick in Wilson hospital; 18 August 186-1 sick in hospital at Winchester, Virginia,; captured 19 October 1864 as Strasburg, Virginia, and released 24 June 1865. He was five feet and ten inches in height, dark hair and light blue eyes. He was a farmer after the war and then became a Methodist minister. He married 10 June 1876 Mary Jane Teal, born Morven, North Carolina in 1853. He died at Polkton, North Carolina 5 February 1921, she survived him a few years and died 17 December 1926.

Children:

i Anna E.: b 22 July 1877, m 29 Dec. 1896 William Thomas Allen, his 2d wife. She died 27 July 1906 and he m (3)

Lucy Jane Billingsley, see below. They had:

1 Clifford Allen: b 1898, died aet. 18 months.

2 Mary Ellen Allen: b ca 1900.

ii Carrandon Carlton: b 27 May 1879, m 23 Mar. 1914 Lora Porter, he is with Seaboard Air Line railway, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

1 Carlton, Coleman: b ca, 1916.

2 Willard Potter: b 19-.

iii Nettle A.: b 27 May 1882, m 19 Feb. 1902 Victor Smith, she died 9 Apr. 1925. They had:

1 Beulah Smith: b 19-, m Marion Hendley, residence not stated. They had

a Ednagra Hendley: b ca 1928.

b Nettle Maxine Hendley: b 1931.

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iv Lucy Jane: b 7 Aug. 1884, m 9 Sept. 1906 William Thomas Allen, his 3d wife, resided East Rockingham, N. C. They had:

- 1 William T. Alley, Jr.: b 190-.
- 2 Annie Alley: b ca 1911, m a Mr. Heeney. They had:
  - a Bettie Lou Heeney: b 1929.
  - b William McDonald Heeney: b 1931.
- 3 Nell Allen: b 1919.

v Willard J.: b 19 Dec. 1886, died 4 June 1889.

vi Sallie E.: b 21 Dec. 1889, m 1910 Frank Tyson, residence not stated. They had:

- 1 Fred Tyson: b ca 1912.
- 2 Emma Tyson.
- 3 Ruby Tyson.
- 4 John R. Tyson.
- 5 Zebulon Tyson.
- 6 Esther Tyson.
- 7 Jessie Ray Tyson.

vii Edmund F.: b 24 Apr. 1891, m 11 Aug. 1912 Ada Bailey, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

- 1 James Edward: b ca 1914.
- 2 Mason Cline: b 19-.
- 3 Margaret Elizabeth: b 19-.
- 4 Keith Maxwell: b 1927.

viii Minnie Lee: b 5 Oct. 1893, m 1911 Millard Horne, reside Peachland, N. C. They had

- 1 William Horne.
- 2 Louise Horne.
- 3 Mary Lee Horne.
- 4 Charles Horne.
- 5 Millard Horne, Jr.
- 6 Martha Horne.
- 7 Ellie Horne.
- 8 Jimmy Rogers Horne.

ix Zebulon, David: b 11 Mar. 1897, m 28 Sept. 1920 Jennie Morrison, b Richmond Co., N. C. in 1897. Reside Rockingham, N. C. They have no children.

452 WILLIAM MARTIN ('9) BILLINGSLEY

*(David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1)* Born in Anson County, North Carolina- in 1848. He is stated to have served a. short period in Confederate service near the close of the war. His names does not appear on the War Department records tho this does not prove he did not serve. He married (1) prior to 1871 Eliza J. Bennett, born South Carolina 185-, she died October 1871 and he married (2) in 1873 Annie E. Bennett, born 4 March 1855,

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sister to his first wife. He was a farmer resided near Hamlet, North Carolina where he died 9 January 1917, she survived him a few months and died 6 December 1917. Family Methodists.

Children:

i John David: b 15 Oct. 1871, died 23 July 1903, unmarried.

ii Harriet Alie: b 13 Sept. 1874 near Wadesboro, N. C. She married (1) 30 Oct. 1895 Griffin D. Watkins, b N. C. 18-, he died 28 Oct. 1903. She married (2) in 1922 E. J. Coble, b N. C. 1861, his 3d wife. Family Methodist, reside Albermarle, N. C. She has shown considerable interest in the history and has secured much information on her own branch of the family. They had:

1 Griffin D. Watkins: b 14 Sept. 1896, m 25 Dec. 1924 Margie Josey. He is an electrician, reside Florence, S. C.

They had:

a Margaret Ann Watkins: b 11 Oct. 1925.

b Marion Lee Watkins: b 1927.

c Griffin D. Watkins: b 10. Sept. 1929.

2 Nellie May Watkins: b 23 Mar. 1898, m 23 Dec. 1915 B. F. Duncan, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

a B. F. Duncan, Jr.: b 25 Sept. 1919.

3 James B. Watkins: b 28 Sept. 1901. Was unmarried 1933.

4 Gladys M. Watkins: b 2 Mar. 1904, m 10 Sept. 1922 A. L. Shankle, reside Albermarle, N. C. No children.

iii James Marcus: b 1 Feb. 1876, m (1) Cappie F. Edwards, of Robeson Co., N. C. she died about 1919 and he m (2) 29 Mar. 1922 Lula Gibson, of Richmond Co., N. C. reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

1 Lois Ethel: b 15 June 1924.

2 Edna Page: b 15 July 1926.

3 James Marcus: b 1928, died aet. 8 months. j

4 William Everett: b 9 July 1930.

5 Roy Mitchell: b 19 Jan. 1933.

iv William Edmund: b 25 Jan. 1878, m 25 Dec. 1907 Ava May Stuckey, b 20 Mar. 1885, Chesterfield, S. C. See Davis Family, by H. A. Davis, for her ancestry. He died 18 Oct. 1910 in Arizona, she m (2) 20 Sept. 1914 A. A. May, she died 20 Nov. 1918. They had:

1 Ava May: b 3 Oct. 1909, m 12 Oct. 1932 Angus B. McLaughlin, reside Florence, S. C.

v Mary Eliza: b 10 Jan. 1880, m George W. Kyker, reside Ashville, N. C. They had: .

1 Fletcher Kyker: b 1904.

2 Clara Kyker: b 1907.

3 Julia Kyker : b 1910.'



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vi Guilford Coleman: b 31 Oct. 1882, died 15 Nov. 1905. vii Eugene Garland: b 31 Oct. 1887, m Ella Mae McCaskell nee Watson, a divorcee after 1923, he was a railroad man, resided Hamlet, N. C. Family Methodist. He died 18 Jan. 1932 of pneumonia. They had:

- 1 Ruby May: b 1916.
- 2 James Garland: b 1921.
- 3 William Ray: b 1923.

viii Willie Franklin: b 6 Sept. 1889, m 24 Dec. 1919 Ruth Barricks, he is a railroad man, member of Knights of Pythias, family Methodist, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

- 1 Lois Annie: b 8 Mar. 1922.
- 2 William Franklin: b 29 Jan. 1924.
- 3 Robert Edward: b 8 Oct. 1925.
- 4 Frances Ellen: b 12 Apr. 1927.

ix Jefferson Coleman: b 19 Dec. 1892, m 13 Sept. 1919 Anabel Gibson, he is a railroad man, reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

- 1 Hallie Elizabeth: b 2 Oct. 1920.
- 2 Ernest Oscar: b 17 Jan. 1922.
3. Freida Vivian: b 3 Apr. 1923.
- 4 Annie Laurie: b 24 Nov. 1924.
- 5 Bennett T.: b 5 Sept. 1926.
- 6 Melba Louise: b 10 June 1928.
- 7 David Jefferson: b 28 Sept. 1932.

x Lonnie Powell: b 23 Dec. 1896, m 30 Aug. 1929 Lettie Thompson. He is a railroad man, reside Hampton, Va. They had:

- 1 Betty Ann: b 13 Feb. 1931.
- 2 William Eugene: b June 1932.

#### 453 JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Pike County, Georgia 20 May 1836. Was reared in the home of his grandfather, Elias Billingsley. He and his brother, John P., moved to Texas about 1856 to join their father. He married 9 May 1858 Nancy Jane Jones, born Illinois, 10 Aug. 1837, resided Rusk County, Texas. We do not find his name listed in War Department records as a soldier in the Civil War. He was a farmer and died 24 July 1881, she survived him and died 17 December 1917. Resided in Rusk and Lamar Counties, Texas.

Children:

i Thomas Perry: b 24 Feb. 1859, m Mary Reed, of Mt. Enterprise, Tex. residence not stated, both supposed to be living in 1932. They had:

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- 1 Thomas.
- 2 Ina.
- 3 Annie.

ii Harriet Ellen: b 22 Nov. 1860, m Andrew McIlvane, residence not stated, supposed to be living 1932. They had:

- 1 James McIlvane: b 18-, m Annie Thompson. They had:
  - a Orbon McIlvane.
  - b May Delle McIlvane.
  - c Mildred McIlvane.
  - d George McIlvane.
- 2 George McIlvane: b 18-, m Minnie Clark. No children.
- 3 Ruth McIlvane : b 18-, m Corbon C. Alexander. They had:
  - a Mack Alexander.
  - b James Alexander.
  - c Billy Jane Alexander.
- 4 Emory McIlvane: b 18-, died childhood.

iii Martha Jane: b 21 Sept. 1862, died 28 Dec. 1863.

iv Emily Ann : b 10 Jan. 1864, died 17 Oct. 1867.

v James William (10) : b 5 Jan. 1867.

vi Louisa Louise: b 1869-70, m C. M. Duke, residence not stated, both supposed to be living 1932. They had:

- 1 Benjamin Hill Duke.
- 2 Robert Duke.
- 3 Eva Duke.
- 4 Ova Duke.
- 5 Milburn Duke.
- 6 Iva Duke.
- 7 Eldred Duke.

vii John Pulaski: b 19 Jan. 1872, resided Henderson, Tex. 1932.

viii George Franklin: b 1 Jan. 1875, died 2 Oct. 1875. E

ix Sarah E.: b 6 Jan. 1877, died 19 Dec. 1877.

x Robert Madison (10) : b 19 Sept. 1879.

454 ROBERT BENJAMIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(James A. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Leon County, Florida or Thomas County, Georgia in 1844. He enlisted 15 May 186- Private K, 5th Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 9 September 1862 a prisoner and paroled; October 1862 left sick in Maryland; 23 April 1863 transferred to 1st Battalion Florida Volunteers, this became Company E, 10th Florida Infantry. Paroled from Libbey prison April 1865. He married prior to 1866 Sarah Elizabeth Jones, born Florida in 1848, resided Thomas County, Georgia in 1870 and in Leon County,

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Florida in 1880. He was a farmer, Sarah died 28 February 1892 and he died 22 November 1899. Children:  
i Margaret A.: b 16 Sept. 1866, died 1867-6,8.

ii Mary E.: b 25 Aug. 1868, she m 20 Jan. 1881 Berton Marshall Courtney, b 5 Nov. 1865, she died 13 Nov. 1910, he survived her and died 26 Aug. 1930, resided Leon Co., Fla. They had:

1 Mary Frances Courtney: b 25 Sept. 1888, m Sherley Smithson.

2 Berton Marshall Courtney, Jr.: b 19 Oct. 1889.

3 Lora Elizabeth Courtney: b 13 Aug. 1893, m 1 May 1914 Albert L. Billingsley, son of William H. Billingsley, No. 455, which see.

4 Otho Caloway Courtney: b 26 Nov. 1895.

5 Fannie Lee Courtney: b 13 Oct. 1899, died 13 Mar. 1901.

6 James Samuel Courtney: b 8 Oct. 1902. Said to have resided Washington, D. C. 1931, we have been unable to locate any one of this name in this city.

7 Estelle Courtney: b 1905, m 1928 Grover Nixon.

8 Bersho Courtney: b 18 Oct. 1907, m 1926 Lovard McMichael.

iii Sidney I.: b 4 Mar. 1871, died in 1880's.

iv Anna G.: b 19 Sept. 1874, died in 1880's.

v James Addison: b 6 Sept. 1876, m 21 Jan. 1900 at Metcalfe, Ga., Frauline Barrow, b Ga. 3 Oct. 1876, reside Samson, Ala. They had

1 Child: b 14 Jan. 1901, died same day.

2 Pansy: b 10 Apr. 1903.

3 Elizabeth: b 20 Oct. 1906.

vi Robert Benjamin, Jr.: b 29 Jan. 1882, died small.

vii Polly A.: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, statements as to year not in accord. She m 23 July 1906 at Thomasville, Ga. William T. Applewhite, reside Milton, Fla. They had:

1 Agnes Rae Applewhite: b 3 Sept. 1908 Ga.

2 Edna Thelma Applewhite: b 25 Jan. 1912 Ga.

3 William Randolph Applewhite: b 13 Sept. 1913, died 26 July 1915 in Ga.

viii Callie L.: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, a twin of Polly she m 2 Apr. 1910 at Thomasville, Ga. William H. Wood, b Talbotton, Ga., reside Tallahassee, Fla. They had:

1 William H. Wood, Jr.: b 8 Jan. 1911.

2 Anna Louise Wood: b 29 Nov. 1914.

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455 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida in 1846, was living at home -of his parents in 1870 and married prior to 1878 Swan Elizabeth Hancock, born Georgia in 1860, daughter of Joseph Hancock. Resided in Thomas County, Georgia where he died in 1916, she survives him (1932).

Children:

i James A.: b 1878, died small.

ii William Augustus: b 7 Aug. 1881, m 10 June 1901 Lee Youngblood. He died 7 Aug. 1909 and she m (2) M. L. Peterman, of Butler, Ga. where they reside. No record of Peterman children. They had:

1 William Taylor: b 28 Apr. 1902, m 1923 Frances Cone, of Ludowici, Ga. Residence not stated, said to have several children.

2 Roy Lee: b 27 Nov. 1904, m, about 1925, residence not stated, said to have several children.

iii Lucy Kate: b 7 Mar. 1883, m 3 Feb. 1910 William Thomas Williams, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 Elizabeth Mae Williams: b 12 May 1911, m 27 Mar. 1928 Samuel Joseph Pettigrew. They had:

a Joseph William Pettigrew: b 25 Dec. 1929.

2 William Anderson Williams: b 27 Sept. 1913.

3 Sophie Edna Williams: b 17 Apr. 1919.

iv Joseph Thomas: b 18 Feb. 1885, m 25 Feb. 1916 Lillie Belle Sarrette, reside Miccosukee, Fla. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Joseph Earl: b 12 July 1917.

2 Lillie Edna: b 19 Jan. 1920.

v Blunt Strickland: b 14 Oct. 1888, m 3 Mar. 1911 Lula Whitfield, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had:

1 Luella: b 25 Oct. 1912, died 26 June 1917. .

2 Walter May: b 26 May 1917.

3 Joseph Henry: b 1 Jan. 1920.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 2 June 1890, m 6 Sept. 1919 John Jerry Wyrick, reside Miccosukee, Fla. They had:

1 Gussie Elizabeth Wyrick: b 22 Aug. 1920.

2 Lucy Gertrude Wyrick: b 18 Jan. 1922.

3 Martha Geraldine Wyrick: b 10 Oct. 1923.

4 Gladys Louise Wyrick: b 31 Oct. 1925. .

5 Annie Grace Wyrick: b 1 Mai. 1928.

vii Albert Lee: b 2 Dec. 1892, m 1 May 1914 Lora Elizabeth Courtney, b Ga. 13 May 1893, see No. 454, reside Thomasville, Ga. We have not been able to secure names of their daughters. They had:

1 Daughter: b 1916.

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2 Daughter: b 1921.

viii Robert Henry: b 26 Feb. 1895, m 19 Nov. 1916 Haley Russell McElvey, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 William Albert: b 27 Sept. 1917.

2 Mattie Sue: b 6 Dec. 1919.

3 Winifred Virginia: b 22 Aug. 1922.

4 Mildred Elma: b 1 Sept. 1925.

5 Robert Henry: b 10 Apr. 1928.

ix Charles Eugene: b 2 Nov. 1900, died 3 Apr. 1923.

x Susie Mae: b 27 Apr. 1905, m 17 Apr. 1926 Henry Beaver, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had

1 Jack Beaver: b 28 Dec. 1926.

### 456 THOMAS WILSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement S, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Perry County, Alabama in 1831, moved to Mississippi with his parents about October 1840. He married in 1851-52 at Lodi, Mississippi, Susannah Loggins, born Mississippi in 1834, a daughter of Henry Loggins, born Tennessee November 1808, living in 1880, and Elizabeth Darden, born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1811, moved to Alabama with her parents before 1820 and was married in Tuscaloosa County, moved to Mississippi and resided in Montgomery County, where she died in 1873. Thomas and his wife resided in Choctaw County, Mississippi in 1860. He enlisted 22 March 1862 at Lodi, Miss. and was appointed Captain, Company C, 30th Miss. Infantry, C. S. A.; December 1862, absent sick; on a list of prisoners captured at Stone River, no date shown; a roll dated February 1863 shows, "Died 13 January 1863 Murfreesboro." Susannah survived him a few years and died in 1867, presumably at the home of her father in Montgomery County.

Children:

i Robert: b ca 1853, died infancy.

ii Annabel: b 1856, m ca 1878 Walter Trotter, b Miss. 1850, a lawyer, resided Winona, Miss. in 1880 where she died Sept. 1884. They had, known:

1 L. M. Trotter: b 1879 (daughter).

iii De Votie (10) : b 5 Dec. 1858.

iv Thomas Martin: b 186, m after 1880 Nanie Shaw, he died in or about 1925 leaving no children, she was living 1931.

### 457 ROBERT BRUCE (9); BILLINGSLEA

(*Cyrus 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Perry County, Alabama in April 1860, moved to Florida with his parents and married there prior to 1885 Buerilla Edrington, born 18-, she died at Brooksville, Florida in 1894 and he married (2) a Mrs. Kathleen Heron, they reside Russum, Mississippi. Both were living

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in 1932 and effort was made to secure some clue to his brother, Llewellyn and his family but without any success as he would not answer any letters from any one.

Children:

i Francis Carroll: b Feb. 1885. At least accounts he was living at Kingston, Jamaica.

ii Charlotte Bernice: b 29 Dec. 1889, m Howard B. Sterrett, and resided Charlotte, N. C. where she died 8 Aug. 1926, he was living 1931. They had:

1 Robert Bruce Sterrett: b 27 June 1917.

2 Bernice Sterrett: b 1920.

iii William Cyrus: b 29 Dec. 1889, a twin of Bernice, at Brooksville, Fla. He married 3 Oct. 1922 Genevieve Anderson Dale, b Hinds Co., Miss. 23 Jan. 1888. He is a farmer and resides Russum, Miss. He has furnished some of this information. They had:

1 Marjorie Kethleen: b 21 Feb. 1924.

2 Howard Bruce: b 5 Aug. 1926.

3 William Cyrus, Jr.: b 6 Apr. 1928.

#### 458 SIAS CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*George W. 8, Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, Alabama 5 July 1854, moved to Talladega County with his parents before 1860. He married 20 April 1879 at Ashland, Alabama, Sarah Jane King, born Ashland, Alabama 28 October 1864. He was a farmer, resided Clay County, Alabama where she died 17 June 1897, he survived her some years and died at Mobile, Alabama 13 October 1924, buried Clay County, Alabama.

Children:

i Lillie Joe: b 14 May 1881 at Ashland, Ala., she m 8 Jan. 1927 at Brewton, Ala. A. W. Rogers, b 7 July 1869, Choctaw Co., Ala. reside Brewton, Ala. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

ii Annie E.: b 31 July 1883, m W. S. Pearce, reside Bucatunna, Miss. They had

1 William Clay Pearce.

2 Lewis Scott Pearce.

3 Daughter Pearce: m Jesse J. Brewer, reside Chicago, Ill.

4 Joseph Fulman Pearce.

5 Annie Katherine Pearce.

6 Sarah Helen Pearce.

7 Arthur Woods Pearce.

8 Brooks Billingsley Pearce.

9 Eula Glynn Pearce.

iii Mary C.: b 2 Sept. 1885, resides Fruitland Park, Fla.

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iv Arthur W.: b 27 Jan. 1887, m Claude Moreland, reside San Angelo, Texas, he was serving as Deputy U. S. Marshal Northern Tex. Dist. in 1930. They had:

1 Dovia Ruth.

2 Mary Marcine.

v Samuel Fulman: b 17 July 1889, m Ethel Rogers, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Samuel Fulman, Jr.

2 Joseph Clay.

vi Carrie King: b 15 Dec. 1890, m J. M. Magruder, reside Fruitland Park, Fla. They had

1 Cary Billingsley Magruder.

vii Esther S.: b 20 Feb. 1892, m Rev. John Luther Moye, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth Moye.

2 John Luther Moye, Jr.

viii Edda Mae: b 29 Aug. 1895, m Bryan W. Whitfield, she was deceased 1930.

#### 459 CHARLES NATHANIEL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi, 3 February 1847, shortly before midnight. He married 28 November 1872 Mrs. Laura Jane Lowry, born 28 January 1854. He died 19 January 1925, no mention of her death or if she is living (1932), resided in Tate County, near Senatobia, Mississippi.,

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 28 Nov. 1873, m 4 Feb. 1906 Walter DeShazo, reside Senatobia, Miss. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Raymond DeShazo: b 14 Jan. 1907.

2 Virgil Lee DeShazo: b 14 Apr. 1909.

3 .Howard DeShazo: b 3 Dec. 1910, is in U. S. Navy.

4 Eone DeShazo: b 22 Apr. 1912, is a trained nurse.

5 Ira Lynn DeShazo : b 9 June 1914. \_

6 Gladys Virginia DeShazo: b 15 Sept. 1915.

ii Robert Lee (10) : b 19 Mar. 1876.

iii Mollies b 30 Oct. 1879, died 26 July 1885.

iv Samuel D.: b 15 Jan. 1882, m \$ May 1910 Blanche Murphy, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Marie: b 14 Sept. 1912.

2 Lois: b 2 Oct. 1915.

3 Eloise: b 31 Oct. 1917.

4 Henry Murphy: b 5 June 1920.

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v James Oscar: b 23 June 1884, m 24 June 1915 Lucile Mothershed. He died 3 Sept. 1928, she survives him and resides Looxahoma, Miss. They had:

- 1 Elsie: b 8 Aug. 1916.
- 2 Jack: b 19 May 1918.
- 3 Doris: b 28 Feb. 1920.
- 4 . Janette: b 22 May 1924, died 12 Nov. 1926.

vi William L.: b 19 Feb. 1887, m 21 Mar. 1914 Ruth Martin, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

- 1 Esther: b 6 Nov. 1916.
- 2 William: b 25 Apr. 1919.
- 3 Bernice: b 27 Dec. 1923.
- 4 Jerome: b 19 Sept. 1925.
- 5 Charles: b 15 Aug. 1927.

vii Leona: b 18 July 1891, m 14 Dec. 1913 Jodie Barmer, reside Senatobia, Miss. They had:

- 1 Wayne Barmer: b 24 Aug. 1915.
- 2 Kenneth Barmer: b 5 Dec. 1917.

viii Annie Laura: b 11 Dec. 1893, m 11 Jan. 1914 Eugene Wynne, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had

- 1 Thomas Lee Wynne: b Sept. 1919 (adopted).
- 2 Bobby Gene Wynne: b 12 Jan. 1932.

#### 460 ZACHARIAH TAYLOR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi in 1849. He married (1) in 1871 Caroline Frances Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1853, she died in 1879 and he married (2) in 1880 Callie Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1861, sister to his first wife. Resided in Tate County to about 1885 when they moved to Arkansas where he died 27 December 1914, she survived him and died 2 May 1925, residence not stated though probably in Lee County, Arkansas.

Children:

i James: b 6 July 1872 Miss., m Margaret Hurley, he was deceased before 1932, resided Ark. No record of children.

ii Cyrus Nathaniel (10) : b B Dec. 1874.

iii William: b 15 Sept. 1875, m prior to 1914 Kate Clark, b Miss. 189-, daughter of William J. T. B. Clark and Susan Billingsley, see No. 321, he died about 1927-28 at Hulbert, Ark., she m (2) Floy, . Harrison, and resided Forrest City, Ark. in 1932. They had

- 1 Clark: b 1914.
- 2 Carlton: b 1916, died aet. 5 years.
- 3 Laverne: b 1920, died aet. 2 years.
- 4 Annie Wilma: b 1921.
- 5 Blanche Natalie: b 1924.



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6 Kathleen Evelyn: b 1926. iv Edward: b 20 Feb. 1877 Miss., m Bessie Blount, reside Ark. v Cora: b 19 Jan. 1879 Miss., m , reside Ark. vi Lirk: b 7 Sept. 1882, 2d wife, m Emma Lou Parker, reside Ark.

vii Mollies b 16 Feb. 1884, m Steve Hurt, his 2d wife, reside Ark.

viii Carlton: b 27 May 1885, was deceased in 1932, never married.

ix Claud: b-8 Nov. 1887, m Fannie Wilkes, reside Ark.

x Nona: b 22 June 1889, m Steve Hurt, she died 1910 and he m (2) Mollie Billingsley, see above. !

xi Samuel: b 4 Sept. 1890, m, reside Ark.

#### 461 ALFORD NICHOLAS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William, 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born De Soto County, Mississippi 6 May 1851. He married (1) prior to 1876 Susan Wynne, born Mississippi in 1855, resided in Tate County in 1880. He became a Missionary Baptist minister and labored in North Mississippi, she died in the 1890's. List of all her children not known and all said to be deceased in 1931. He married (2) 5 Dec. 1901 at Cockrum, Mississippi Susan Rebecca Doak, born Mississippi 11 August 1866, he died 8 November 1917, she survives him and divides her time between her sons, in Memphis, Tennessee and Helena, Arkansas.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Charles: b 1876. Living in 1880.

ii John C.: b 1879. Living in 1880.

iii Walter Afford: b 18 Feb. 1883 at Looxahoma, Miss., he married 20 July 1902 at Lula, Miss., Thornton Elizabeth Billingsley, b Holly Springs, Miss. 26 Jan. 1891, daughter of David C. Billingsley and Ellen Meek, see No. 159. They moved to Memphis, Tenn. where he died 25 Dec. 1921, she survives him. They had:

1 Rivers Camack: b 24 Jan. 1907 Lula, Miss.

2 Mary Thelma: b 10 Jan. 1911, died 18 Feb. 1911.

3 Katherine Elizabeth: b 17 Dec. 1916.

iv Thomas Afford: b 12 Oct. 1902, 2d wife, m Mabel Gambill, reside Memphis, Tenn. No children.

v Jesse James: b 19 Sept. 1905, . m Corinne McBride, reside Helena, Ark. They had:

1 Peggy: b 1927.

2 Claire: b 1929.

3 James: b Sept. 1931.

vi Edward Franklin: b 27 Jan. 1910. Is in U. S. Navy, on U. S. S. Maryland in 1931.

## 462 JOHN WILLIAM (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born DeSoto County, Mississippi, 24 January 1853. He married (1) prior to 1875 Elizabeth Winn, or Wynne, born Mississippi in 185-, she died in 1878 and he married (2) prior to 1882 Martha Jane Billingsley, born Mississippi in 1858, daughter of Elias Y. Billingsley, No. 324. He was a farmer and was generally known as "John Cy," as there were some five Johns who lived in the vicinity. Martha Jane was generally known as "Crick" Billingsley. He died 16 February 1925, she survives him and resides Senatobia, Mississippi.

## Children:

i Susan Evelyn: b 30 Sept. 1875, she m (1) 1 Jan. 1896 Odas A. McPeters, b Miss. 18 Sept. 1874, they moved to Mt. Pleasant, Tex. and later to Lone Wolf, Okla., where he died 13 Apr. 1909, she m (2) 7 July 1917 R. B. Robertson, b Murfreesboro, Tenn. 14 Mar. 1878, reside Annona, Texas. They had:

1 Vernon A. McPeters: b 30 Jan. 1898, m May 1919, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Estelle McPeters: b 24 Aug. 1920.

2 Estelle McPeters : b 11 May 1900, m 20 Feb. 1919 Thomas V. Watson, reside Humphreys, Okla. They had:

a Thomas V. Watson, Jr.: b 19 Dec. 1919.

3 Dee Esther McPeters: b 6 June 1902, m 5 Oct. 1919 Hubert Garrison, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Huubert Garrison, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1921.

b Earl Ray Garrison: b 23 May 1923, died 20 July 1923.

4 Child: b 8 Nov. 1904, died 28 July 1905.

5 Edna McPeters: b 29 May 1906, m 3 Sept. 1924 a Mr. Marsh, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Billie Dee Marsh: b 9 June 1925.

b Eva Sue Marsh: b 18 Aug. 1927.

6 Kiowa McPeters: b 26 Mar. 1909 at Lone Wolf, Okla., died 10 Apr. 1909.

ii Addie: b 8 Dec. 1877, died aet. 11 years.

iii Amanda Virginia: b 5 Oct. 1882, known as "Jennie," m 3 June 1900 Frank Golden, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 7 Sept. 1901, still born.

2 Raymond Haschal Golden: b 29 Aug. 1902, m 23 Sept. 1923 Gertie Ilene Sanders, residence not stated. They had:

a Lillian Virginia Golden: b 10 Dec. 1924.

b Lancaster Golden: b 23 July 1927.

c Raymond Haschal Golden, Jr.: b 10 Aug. 1929.

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d May Ilene Golden: b 18 Dec. 1931.

3 Essie Irene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905.

4 Effie Lorene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905 a twin, d aet. 4 months.

5 Durward Delmas Golden: b 27 June 1907.

6 Audrey Hope Golden: b 3 Dec. 1909, died 30 Jan. 1911.

7 Thorwald Golden: b 5 June 1915. j

8 Margaret Elizabeth Golden: b 9 Oct. 1917.

iv Lillie Agnes: b 22 Jan. 1885, died aet. 3 years.

v Edwin Franklin: b 10 June 1887, m May 1907 Maud Sewell, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Maggie Lee: b 17 May 1908, m 13 Oct. 1923 Aubrey Gordon, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

a Thomas Gordon: b 3 July 1925.

b Imogene Gordon: b 21 Apr. 1927.

c Billy Gordon: b 11 July 1930.

2 Lottie Mae: b 6 Sept. 1910; m 2 Feb. 1930 R. J. Crockett. They had:

a Ava Nell Crockett: b 5 Nov. 1930.

3 Thomas: b 1 June 1915.

4 Elmer: b 4 Sept. 1918. Twins.

5 Thelma: b 4 Sept. 1918.

vi Rowena Rebecca: b 9 May 1889, known as "Winnie," m William W. Crockett, residence not stated, probably Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 19-, still born.

2 Annie Laura Crockett.

3 Mary Wilma Crockett.

vii Susie Irene: b 29 Sept. 1891, died infancy, accidentally killed by a fall.

viii Elias Cyrus: b 1 Aug. 1893, generally known as "Ray Billingsley," m 17 Feb. 1932 Mabel Hale, reside Senatobia, miss.

#### 463 JOHN F. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Jackson County, Tennessee 2 December 1842, moved to Sullivan and Monroe Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He returned to Jackson County about 1860 and then moved to Clay County where he married 31 March 1863 Sarah E. Hatcher, born Tennessee in 1846. He enlisted 8 March 1864 at Carthage, Tennessee as Private F, 1st Tenn. Mounted Infantry, U. S., and was discharged 5 July 1865. Record shows he was five feet four inches in height. He was pensioned. After the war they moved to Monroe County, Kentucky where Sarah died 1 January 1917, he then moved to Redboiling Springs, Tennessee

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and lived with his son, William. He died suddenly 6 February 1920 while on his way to the bank to cash a pension check. He is buried at Smith Chapel, Macon County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Nancy J.: b 6 June 1865, called "Nannie," was living in 1931 at Hayfield, Ky.

ii William V.: b 18 Feb. 1869, m Margaret , resided Redboiling Springs, Tenn. in 1920, both deceased before 1931.

iii Mary A.: b 31 Jan. 18?- , was deceased before 1898. iv L. Enzie: b 7 July 1874, m James Reagan, reside Memorial, Tenn.

They had

1 Ella Reagan.

2 Amanda Reagan.

3 Charles Reagan.

4 Joseph Reagan.

5 Adelaide Reagan.

v Ailes: b 3 Apr. 1876, resided Moss, Tenn. in 1931.

463 :A JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Monroe County, Tennessee 17 April 1853, moved to Jackson County, Tennessee with his parents about 1860. He married prior to 1877 Jence Copass, born Tennessee 12 Sept. 1856. He was a farmer and blacksmith, and about 1909 he entered the mercantile business and was quite successful. Jence died 20.March 1914, he survived her and died 3 March 1927, resided in Clay County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Thurston: b 27 Aug. 1877, m Jane King, reside Herrin, Ill. They had

1 Ada.

ii Radford M.: b. 14 Oct. 1881, m Elma Cherry, reside Memorial, Tenn. They had:

1 Attrice.

2 Atla, deceased.

3 Boyd.

4 Gordon.

iii May: b 14 May 1888, m Hack Hurry, reside Redboiling Springs, Tenn. They had:

1 Essie Murry.

2 Mandra Hurry.

3 Juanita Hurry.

4 Mamie Hurry.

5 Estin Hurry.

iv John B.: b 17 Dec. 1890. Was living in Illinois and enlisted 11 Mar. 1918, was over sea and participated in Meuse

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Argonne, Verdun, etc. discharged at Camp Taylor, Ky. 26 May 1919. He married 23 Dec. 1922 Eva Kirby, b 18-, reside Memorial, Tenn. He has furnished information on this family. They had: 1 Thurston Lee: b 18 Sept. 1923, called "Jack." 2 Harold L.: b 16 Mar. 1929.

#### 464 CHARLES EDGAR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fulton County, Illinois 10 February 1869. He married 22 July 1890, probably at Marceline, Missouri, Eulalia Cupp, born Marceline, Missouri, 22 August 1867. They were residing at Mena, Arkansas, in 1900 then moved to Heavener, Oklahoma, where he died 14 May 1929, she survives him.

Children;

i Clarice Irene: b 26 July 1891, m 2? Mar. 1921 at Heavener, Okla., Francis Edmund Chouteau, b 16 Sept. 1886 at Kansas City, Mo. He is City Manager at Nowata, Okla. where they reside. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Charles Cyprian Chouteau: b 19 Jan. 1922.

2 James Meade Chouteau: b 4 Mar. 1923.

3 Ruth Jean Chouteau : b 25 July 1924.

4 Ben Lee Chouteau: b 21 Feb. 1926.

5 Martha Noble Chouteau: b 23 Nov. 1927.

6 John Edmund Chouteau: b 17 May 1929.

7 Mary Charlotte Chouteau : b 15 Mar. 1931, died 20 Mar. 1931.

ii Goldie Mae: b 8 Mar. 1893, died 22 Dec. 1893.

iii Mina Beatrice: b 17 Nov. 1894.

iv Clifford Jennings: b 17 Nov. 1896, m 1 Jan. 1922 Trixie Louise Knight, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

1 Eulalia Louise: b 28 Dec. 1923.

2 Elizabeth Virginia: b 1 July 1926.

3 Charles Robert: b 12 Feb. 1929.

4 Ted Eugene: b 28 July 1930.

v James Russell: b 28 Mar. 1900 at Mena, Ark., m 22 Aug. 1922 at Heavener, Okla., Opal Teague, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

1 Catherine Clarice: : b 15 Feb. 1925.

2 Richard Allen: b 23 Nov. 1926.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 25 Oct. 1903, m 22 Aug. 1926 Leslie Edgar Whitside, reside Palatka, Fla. They had:

1 Charles Edgar Whitside: b 28 May 192?.

2 Mary Elizabeth Whitside: b 22 Dec. 1929.

3 Dan Fowler Whitside: b 1 May 1931.

vii Charles Arthur: b 3 Jan. 1906.

viii Walter Earle: b 14 July 1910.

465 JAMES ARTHUR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born McDonough County, Illinois 7 April 1871. He married 28 July 1895 at Marceline, Missouri, Sarah Frances Wright, born New Boston, Missouri, 19 December 1873. He was employed by the Santa Fe railroad for some years and it appears that when he began work for the Kansas City Southern railroad the service letter from the Santa Fe had already been used by his brother, J. M. Billingsley and in order to avoid confusion he showed his name as "Arthur Roland Billingsley." He has used this name continuously for more than 30 years. He is a member of the Elks, reside DeQueen, Arkansas, Family Methodists.

Children:

i Byron Herbert: b 5 July 1900 at Mena, Ark., m Sept. 1925 at Kansas City, Mo. Johnnie Lou Lake, he died 25 Nov. 1926 at Kansas City, Mo.

ii James Glazebrook: b 26 Nov. 1907 at Mena, Ark., graduate A. B. , college not stated. He married 9 July 1929 Malcolm Elizabeth Rice, b 27 Jan. 1910 at Abilene, Tex. He is a teacher at Arizona State Teachers College, Tempe, Ariz. They had:  
1 James Glazebrook, Jr.: b 30 May 1931 at DeQueen, Ark.

465 LOUIS CLINTON (9) BILLINGSLEY E

(*Louis C. 8, Bennett M. 7, James 6, James 6, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Atlanta, Georgia 9 Nov. 1866. He is listed in 1883 as a student; in 1888 as a clerk. He married 26 June 1889 Victoria Bullard, born Bullard, Twiggs County, Georgia, 26 March 1872, daughter of Daniel Bullard and Elizabeth Barton. He is listed in Atlanta, Georgia in 1890 as insurance agent, they moved to Macon, Georgia before August 1890 where he is listed in 1897 with Southern Express Company. He is stated to have left his home and family in the early 1900's and went to Atlanta, Georgia where he died 26 October 1927. Victoria is listed in the city directory of Macon, Georgia for 1911 as "Widow, of Louis C" we are reliably informed that this is an error and that no one ever took the trouble, to correct it. She. survives and resides Macon, Georgia in 1933.

Children:

i Child: b 27 Aug. 1890, died same day.

ii Daniel LeRoy: b 25 July 1891, died 27 July 1893.

iii Eugene Bullard: b 20 Oct. 1893, m Frances Lewis, reside Atlanta, Ga.

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iv Louis Taylor: b 2 Nov. 1894, m 24 June 1920 at Macon, Ga. Esther Maurine DeBruler, b Bloomington, Ill., 14 May 1900. He is Chief Clerk, Henry Gray Hotel, Atlanta, Ga. No living children. He has furnished information on this family.

v Bessie: b 17 Mar. 1897, m prior to 1921 Harry A. Wright, reside Princeton, Fla. They had:

1 Harry A. Wright: b 21 Mar. 1921, Macon, Ga.

2 Eugene Wright: b 8 May 1923 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

3 Esther Louise Wright: b 12 Feb. 1925 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

4 Ruth Elizabeth Wright: b 5 Oct. 1927 at Miami, Fla.

vi Clifford Madison: b 20 Sept. 1900, m prior to 1922 Susie Martin, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Martina Robinson: b 22 July 1922.

2 Clifford Madison, Jr.: b 18 Dec. 1929.

#### 466 CHARLES WINTERROWD (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Allen 8, Moses 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Shelby County, Indiana 17 March 1864. He married 8 January 1890 Louise Mullendore Snapp, born Indiana 7 January 1867, she was a daughter of, Joseph Snapp, born 1841 and Elizabeth Mullendore, born 18-, married 30 December 1862. Elizabeth Mullendore married (1) John Legate who died 1857, she was a daughter of Jacob Mullendore, born- 12 March 1792, Winchester, Virginia, died 18 April 1872 Shelby County, Indiana, and Catherine Wertz, born 28 March 1804, Middletown, Ohio, died 8 December 1875, Shelby County, Indiana. Joseph Snapp was a son of John Snapp, born 5 August 1812, Montgomery County, Ohio, died 7 August 1881 Shelby County, Indiana and Catherine Neible, born 10 April 1815 Ohio, died 3 January 1875. He operated a farm for some years, moved to Shelbyville, Indiana about 1898 and managed an elevator for some time. He was President of the First National Bank in 1927. Resided Shelbyville, Indiana.

Children:

i Allen Loren: b 4 Oct. 1890, m Alma Lee Mohr. No record of children or where they live. .

ii Joe Kenton: b 25 Oct. 1895 at Flat Rock, Ind. He m 9 Sept. 1921 at Winchester, Mass., Georgiana Brown, b Winchester, Mass. 30 Sept. 1899. He is manager investment department 1st National Old Colony Corporation of Boston, Mass. where they reside. He has furnished information on this branch of the family. They had:

1 Betty Louise: b 6 Apr. 1926.

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iii David Webb: b 11 Dec. 1896, m 4 June 1926 Dells Kathryn Tinder, b 17 Aug. 1903. Reside Vincennes, Ind. No children.

466 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 26 February 1855. He married 2 November 1879 Mary Elizabeth Powell, born Alabama in 1859, her mother was Elizabeth Pool. He was a farmer and resided Lauderdale County, Alabama where she died near Florence, Alabama on 24 August 1914, he survived her some years and died in October 1929.

Children:

i George William: b 21 Sept. 1880, died 24 Sept. 1881.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 29 Apr. 1882. She m 1 Jan. 1901 near Florence, Ala., Robert A. Castile, b Waynesboro, Tenn. 187-. He is a Spanish-American War Veteran. She has furnished information on this family, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn. They had:

1 Clifford C. Castile: b 23 Oct. 1901. Is a World War Veteran, m a Miss Bradley, reside N. Y. State, have 5 children.

2 Buford A. Castile: b 11 Mar. 1904, m Lola Clemmons, reside near Florence, Ala., have 2 children.

3 Roy E. Castile: b 29 Apr. 1908, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

4 Alta Marie Castile: b 29 Sept. 1909.

5 Lillian Ruth Castile: b 18 Sept. 1912, m Arlen Ivey, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

6 Odie Glenn Castile: b 2 May 1914, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

7 Robert Lynn Castile: b 27 Nov. 1916.

8 James Philip Castile: b 27 July 1919.

9 Elizabeth Bedford Castile: b 19 Apr. 1922.

iii Annie Lee: b 8 Mar. 1884, m Aug. 1900 Andrew Womble, reside Florence, Ala. No information obtainable from her.

iv John Perry: b 26 July 1886. After about three years of effort by various ones without any replies Albert M. Billingsley made a final appeal in Aug. 1933 and received a reply but with very meager detail and nothing of his own family, he did state he was married, also that he in his early days played professional base ball under the name of Billings, and that he was employed by the Pa. railroad, he has not replied to any further requests for detail of his family, etc. His sister, Mrs. Castile, stated



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she could not give any details of his family as she did not know. Only child of record is:  
1 Thomas -D. : b 1-,said to be 16 years old 1933.

v Esther E.: b 28 1889, m J. W. LaFan, reside Killen, Ala.

vi James L.: b 28 July 1892, m Laura Mae Bennett, reside Florence, Ala.

vii Joseph S.: b 6 Feb. 1896, m Myrtle Williams, reside Florence Ala.

467 JAMES R. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 6, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 3 July 1862. He married (1) 2 October 1887 Mattie Smotherman, born Alabama 18-,she died 20 July 1888 and he married (2) 8 September 1889 Mary Josephine Butler, born Alabama 18-. Resides on the homestead entered by his grandfather in 1847 near Florence, Alabama. He has furnished information on this family. Children:

i Lewis Adrian: b 22 July 1890.

ii Emmett Avery: b 14 Sept. 1892, m 1915 Ollie McClure. They had:

1 Dene Louise: b 4 Mar. 191?.

2 Frankie Irene: b 23 July 1920.

3 Mary Ollie: b 23 Mar. 1924.

iii Myrtle Lee: b 17 Oct. 1895, m 1911 James Yancey McClure. They had:

1 Ruby Christine McClure: b 11 Jan. 1914.

2 Janey Lucile McClure: b 6 Apr. 1916.

3 Lottie Erin McClure: b 15 Sept. 1917.

4 James Yancey McClure, Jr.: b 19 July 1921.

5 Claude Leslie McClure: b 24 Jan. 1927.

iv Mary Lena: b 17 Oct. 1897, m 1913 Jesse McClure. They had:

1 Lewis Edward McClure: b ? June 1922.

2 Mary Josephine McClure: b 25 Oct. 1923.

3 John Calvin McClure: b 6 Sept. 1925.

4 Chester Bennett McClure: b 15 Nov. 1929.

v Hazel Marie: b 6 Feb. 1901, m 1927 Granville Behel. They had:

1 Nannie Jo Behel: b 9 Jan. 1929.

2 Ilajean Behel: b 5 Sept. 1930.

vi Wayman Elizabeth: b 2 July 1903, m prior to 1930 Edward Behel. They had

1 Lena Mae Behel: b 27 Aug. 1930.

vii James Rudolph: b 15 July 1906, m 1927 Dorsey Moore.

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468 JAMES HERNDON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Leslie 0. 8, Joseph Z. F. 7, Joseph A. 6, John A. 6, Zachariah 4, *Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1:*) -Born Washington, D. C. 9 December 1881. Graduate of Vanderbilt University. While his ancestors have been consistent members of the Baptist church he was ordained Deacon in 1912, and Elder in 1914 in the Methodist Episcopal church. He married 20 October 1902 at Rockville, Maryland, Edith May George, born Westmoreland County, Virginia in 1885. He has served churches at Arnold, Md., Romney, W. Va., Roanoke, Va., Cumberland, Md., Marlin, W. Va., East Maryland; Mt. Ranier, Md., and was located at Baltimore, Maryland in 1931.

Children:

i Bernice Marie: b 1 Mar. 1907, m Andrew Fisher Ballard, she died 13 Mar. 1929. They had:

1 Nannie Louise Ballard: b 1 Apr. 1923.

2 James Andrew Ballard: b 12 May 1926.

3 Helen Mae Ballard: b 30 Jan. 1928.

ii Helen Tate: b 4 Oct. 1909, m H. A. Milor, reside Mt. Ranier, Md. They had:

1 Rufus Edward Milor: b ca 1931.

iii James Regester: b 25 Feb. 1915.

iv Grace Virginia: b June 1919.

v Margaret Edith: b 8 July 1923.

469 STEPHEN HICKS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*William T. 9, Jonathan 8, Samuel 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 8 December 1849 moved to Bradley County, Tennessee and to Grayson County, Texas with his parents. He married 26 December 1872 in Grayson County, Texas Cynthia Elizabeth Trout, born 2? March 1850, near Atlanta, Georgia, daughter of Robert Wiley Trout, born 10 July 1812 and Elizabeth C. , his wife. They moved to Gainsville, Texas prior to 1876 where Cynthia died 24 May 1907, he survived her some years and died at Duncan, Stephens. County, Oklahoma 30 May 1924.

Children:

i Ora Liles: b 16 Mar. 1874, died 13 Jan. 1881.

ii Charles Edward: b 30 Jan. 1876 Cook Co., Tex. married 29 June 1909 at Gainsville, Tex. Clara Belle Bugg, b 20. Nov. 1878 Cook Co., Tex. Reside Plainview, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Lillie Pearl: b 1 Mar. 1913.

2 Howard Nealey: b 16 Feb. 1916.

3 Lloyd Charles: b 4 Jan. 1920.

iii Malinda Elizabeth: b 24 Mar. 1878, died 31 Oct. 1879,

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iv Lula Pearl: b 16 Aug. 1880, m J. L. Hammonds, she died 10 Aug. 1930 at Chicasa, Okla.

v Las Vegas Hicks: b 2 Sept. 1884, died 26 July 1886.

470 LUTHER. A. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1867, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents and married September 1899 Mintie Estes, born Arkansas 31 December 1872. They moved to Detroit, Texas about 1902 and then moved to Stuart, Oklahoma before 1906 where he died in 1909, his widow was living in Maud, Oklahoma in 1928-29 and was residing in Wewoka, Oklahoma in 1931.

Children:

i Walter A.: b 12 Aug. 1890 at Salem, Ark., moved to Texas and Okla. with his parents. In 1908 he became a school teacher and taught for 9 years; in 1917 was Co. Supt. of Schools, Seminole Co., Okla., elected a 2d term 1918-1921 when he entered law office of C. L. Hill at Wewoka and after one and one half years became Assistant County Attorney, and County Attorney in 1924. In 1929 he established law offices at Wewoka, Okla. He married in 1916 at Tecumseh, Okla., Alice O'Neal, b. 2 Mar. 1893 at Havana, Ark. Served as 1st Lieut. Batt. A. 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927; member Officers Reserve Corps. Is a 32 degree Mason Indian Consistory, McAlester, Okla., and member India Temple Mystic Shrine, Oklahoma City, Okla. Family members of Christian church, reside Wewoka, Okla. He furnished much of the information on this family. They had:

1 Charles Hult : b 15 Oct. 1928 Oklahoma City, Okla.

ii Clarence L.: b 22 Feb. 1892 at Salem, Ark. He m (1) prior to 1921 Pearl Collies, b ca 1893, she died at Maud, Okla. Feb. 1927, and he m (2) Sept. 1929 May Belle He is a World War Veteran, reside Wewoka, Okla. They had:

1 Wandell: b June 1921.

2 Weldan: b 1924. .

3 Walter: b Feb. 1927.

iii J. Bird: b 11 Nov. 1893 at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, and a Mason, he m Frances Perkins, b Ky. Ca 1893, he is engaged in oil business, reside Tulsa, Okla. No children.

iv Claud A.: b 3 Aug. 1895 at Salem, Ark., m prior to 1918 Ora Bell Westfall, b ca 1893, she died 1933, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Noble; b 1918 Oklahoma City, Okla.

2 Child: b 19-, died aet. few days.

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v Earl C.: b 21 Feb. 189? at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, he m prior to 1922 Mabel Nix, b 189-, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had:

1 Eugene Earl: b 1922.

2 Child: b 1928.

vi Mettie: b 30 Jan. 1899 at Salem, Ark., died Dec. 1918 at Stuart, Okla., unmarried.

vii Fred: b 8 July 1901 at Salem, Ark., m Patricia McCarthy, reside Los Angeles, Calif. No children.

viii Victor: b 4 Oct. 1903 at Detroit, Tex. He served as 2d Lieut. Batt. A 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927, member Officers Reserve Corps; he is a 32 degree Mason and member of Indian. Consistory. He m prior to 1930 Irma Cunningham, b-19-, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Victor, Jr.: b Dec. 1930.

ix Vista: b 4 Feb. 1906 at Stuart, Okla., she m prior to 1927 Kenneth Miller, reside Richmond, Va. They had:

1 Kenneth Miller, Jr.: b 1927.

#### 471 RANZY B. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1883, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents, then moved to Texas and Oklahoma with them. He married in 1909 at Stuart, Oklahoma Alice Estes, born 188-. He served two terms as Court Clerk, Hughes County, Oklahoma; two terms as Mayor of Holdenville, Oklahoma; in 1931 he was Deputy Examiner and Inspector of the State. Family members of Christian church, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

Children:

i Kermit H.: b 1910.

ii C. Wayne: b 1914.

iii J. Ross: b 1921.

iv Ranzy B., Jr.: b 1923.

v Robert: b 1926. Twins.

vi William: b 1926.

#### 472 SAMUEL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Byrum L. 9, Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Red River County, Texas 10 September 1868. He married 5 February. 1890 Addie Marchbanks, born December-1868, reside Guian, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Robert Arley: b 26 Jan. 1891.

ii Ola: b 9 Dec. 1892.

iii Byrum Loid : b 28 Jan. 1895. He m 7 June 1917 in Red

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River Co., Tex. Ollie Jackson, b Tex. 1898, she died 15 Feb. 1932, he resides Ladonia, Tex. They had:

1 Louise: b 2 Apr. 1918.

2 Huie (?) : b 2 June 1919.

3 Byrum L., Jr.: b 20 Oct. 1924.

iv Nervesta: b 7 Mar. 1897 m 1923 Ross Roach, he died in 1930, she survives and resides Ladonia, Tex. Not stated if there are any children.

v Gilbert Samuel: b 14 Aug. 1899, m 11 Sept. 1930 Minnie Lee Turnbow, b 10 Oct. 1909, reside Lawn, Tex. They had:

1 Minnie May: b 15 May 1932.

vi Clifford Franklin: b 16 Dec. 1901.

vii Norma: b 9 July 1904, m 28 Oct. 1928 Elijah Martin Fox, b 6 May 1905, reside Hale Center, Tex. They had:

1 Samuel Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930. Twins.

2 James Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930.

viii James Wade: b 6 Feb. 1909, died 19 Apr. 1923.

ix Layce Ruth: b 8 May 1912, m 30 May 1930 Travis Middleton, b 11 Feb. 1911, reside Bradshaw, Tex.

#### 473 JAMES MORONI (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Elijah 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Beaver County, Utah 23 October 1865. He married 30 December 1887 at Manti, Utah, Minerva Carter, born at Heber City, Utah, 3 October 1867, a daughter of Sidney Carter. They moved to Alberta, Canada where he died 28 February 1915, she was living in 1931.

Children:

i Virginia: b 4 Aug. 1888. Called Jennie, m Lona L. Brown, she died 28 Dec. 1914.

ii James Loren: b 22 Apr. 1892, m prior to 1915 Edna Thompson, b 13 Jan. 1895, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Hilda: b 12 Oct. 1915.

2 Lamont Devon: b 14 Jan. 1918.

3 Forest DeLoss: b 8 Dec. 1919.

iii Robert Ervin: b 27 Mar. 1894 at Joseph, Utah, m 18 Dec. 1924 at Cardston, Canada, Oneta Clegg Nelson, b 7 July 1902 at Marysville, Idaho, reside Glenwoodville, Alberta, Canada. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 DeVere K.: b 19 Oct. 1925.

2 Roberta: b 25 Mar. 1927.

iv Lucinda: b 1 Mar. 1896, m Alvin Orlando Rich.

v Blanch Permelia: b 18 Mar. 1898, m Henry Edward Cline.

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vi John Turner: b 24 Nov. 1900, m prior to 1922 Katherine Leishman, b 6 Oct. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Marjorie: b 12 May 1922.

2 James Bruce: b 24 Sept. 1923.

3 Neal Allen: b 26 Sept. 1925.

vii Mary Isabella: b 2 Sept. 1902, died 6 Nov. 1905.

viii Minerva: b 24 Nov. 1904, died 24 May 1905.

ix Sidney Leroy: b 28 Sept. 1906, m Vivian Jenson, b 19 June 1906, reside Alberta, Canada.

x Alma Owen: b 5 Nov. 190?, m Thora Seely, b 6 Mar. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Beth Seely: b 22 May 1929. xi Alvin Ray: b 26 Nov. 1911.

474 TURNER GORDON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W. 9, William B. 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 11 October 1886. He married prior to 1908 Amelia Mentz, born 18-, reside McDade, Texas.

Children:

i Mentz Gordon: b 18 Dec. 1908.

ii Ameba Margaret: b 28 Mar. 1909, m Louis Neds, residence not stated. They had:

1 Louis Neds, Jr.

iii Mary Turner: b 21 Apr. 1911.

iv Eliza M.: b 10 Aug. 1913.

v Phyllis Eloise: b 22 Sept. 1915.

vi Turner Gordon, Jr.: b 20 July 1920.

474 JOHN CALVIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 9, John C. 8, John 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born near Prescott, Arkansas 7 August 1866. He married (1) in 1886 Sarah Jane Porter, born in 1871 at Prescott, Arkansas, she died 16 July 1904 and he married (2) in 1907 Mrs. Lura Alta (Collins) Frieburger, born ca 1874 at Shelbyville, Illinois, resided near Prescott, Arkansas till they moved to Lamesa, Texas where he is a prosperous farmer and stock man.

Children:

i Andrew Lee: b 1887 Ark., m in 1914 in Texas Aliene Caffey, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Dorothy Louise: b 28 Sept. 1915.

2 Dorris Lee: b 31 Mar. 191?.

3 Marjorie Jane: b 26 June 1918.

4 Marie Virginia: b 25 Jan. 1920.

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5 Estelle Irene: b 25 Sept. 1921. .

6 Betty Maybell: b 24 July 1924.

7 James Andrew: b 25 Sept. 1927.

ii Dolphus: b 1889, m ca 1912 Ida Cosby, reside Lovington, New Mexico. No children.

iii Alva: b 14 Sept. 1895. Enlisted for World War, served in Co. C, Ammunition Train, 5th Div., A. E. F. He married Mar. 1924 at Malvern, Ark. Flora Hardin, b 7 Jan. 1896 near Hot Springs, Ark. He has furnished information on the family and appears to be the only one who was interested enough to give the subject serious consideration. Reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Sarah Miller: b 15 Apr. 1925.

2 John Alva: b 22 Oct. 1926.

3 Abram: b 8 June 1928, died 8 Aug. 1928.

iv Arthur: b 1908, 2d wife. He m prior to 1930 Jessie Painter, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Don Quinsy: b 3 Jan. 1930. v C. L.: b 1911 (son).

vi John Bryce: b 1916.

vii Floyd: b 1921.

#### 475 LUTHER ARMSTRONG (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Madison A. 9, James 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Baldwyn, Mississippi, 7 January 1875. He married at Baldwyn, Mississippi in 1896 Stella Archer, born at Baldwyn, Mississippi 1 December 1878. He has been connected with the Mobile and Ohio Railway since 1906, reside Baldwyn, Mississippi. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Ernest Armour: b 19 Jan. 1898, he m 22 Sept. 1918 at Jackson, Tenn. Vivian Rose Helms, b Carbondale, Ill. 26 Nov. 1899. He is a railroad man, and resides Murphysboro, Ill. They had:

1 Beverly Doris: b 2 Dec. 1927.

2 Ernest Armour, Jr.: b 1 May 1930, died 5 Feb. 1931.,

ii Daisy Ruth: b 9 Sept. 1902, m Everett Plunk.

iii Harold Spurgeon: b 13 June 1905.

iv Nona Pearl: b 7 May 1910.

v Luther Bernice.- b 4 Mar. 1915.

#### 476 WILLIAM MARSHALL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1872. He married prior to 1900 Josephine Garrett, born in 1883, resided

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at Blanco, Texas where he died in September 1908, she only survived a short time and died in the same month.

Children:

i James Floyd: b 7 Feb. 1900 at Blanco, Tex. He m 24 Mar. 1927 at San Antonio, Tex. Margaret Keith Alder, b 10 Nov. 1902 at San Antonio, Tex. He is a Pharmacist and operated a drug store, resides San Antonio, Tex. They had:  
1 Margaret Joan: b 11 Sept. 1928.

2 Bruce Alder: b 3 Sept. 1930.

ii Flaurel: b 11 Feb. 1902 at Blanco, Tex. She m 19 Nov. 1921 at San Antonio, Tex. Belva Landrum, b 10 Sept. 1897 at San Antonio, Tex., reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. No children.

iii Alta Mae: b 9 May 1904, m (1) 21 Dec. 1921 at Blanco, Tex. Floyd Byars, a divorce and she m (2) John West, reside Fullerton, Calif. They had:

1 Douglas Byars: b 31 Aug. 1922.

iv Vernon Marshall: b 15 Dec. 1906. Was a member of Medical Department, U. S. Army, and stationed at Randolph Field, Tex. in 1932.

#### 477 WALTER KIMBRO (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1875. He married (1) 27 October 1896 at Waco, Texas, Cuma P. Halford, born Illinois in 1875, she died at Dublin, Texas 23 March 1908 and he married (2) 6 September 1908 at Dublin, Texas, Gussie Lee Johnson, born Alabama 22 December 1886. He is a farmer and resides Dublin, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Pearl: b 2 Oct. 1900 at Mullin, Tex., m Roy Bagwell.

ii Lucius: b 20 May 1903 at Waco, Tex., died 10 Dec. 1908 at Dublin, Tex.

iii . Voye : b 1 Aug. 1909, 2d' wife, he m Helen Purvis.

iv Kitty Oleta: b 20 Nov. 1910 at Dublin, Tex.

v Carl: b 23 Jan. 1913 at Kenefic, Okla.

#### 478 OLIVER EATON (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James L. 9, William F. 8, William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Roane County, Tennessee 29 April 1876. He married 2? June 1900 at Wheat, Tennessee, Ida Parlee Hembree, a born Wheat, Tennessee, 14 December 1880. He was a farmer, she died 17 March 1920 at Wheat, Tennessee, and he died 23 June 1927 at Lenoir City, Tennessee.



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Children:

- i Maude Mae: b 24 June 1901, resides Lenoir City, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family.
- ii Anna: b 5 Mar. 1904, m 16 July 1927 at Loudon, Tenn. Ragin Luttrell, reside Martel, Tenn.
- iii Lillie: b 5 Nov. 1905.
- iv Georgia: b 11 June 1907, m 2 Dec. 1926 Bruce Thurmer, reside Lenoir City, Tenn.
- v Roy: b 12 May 1909, resides Toledo, Ohio.
- vi Earl: b 12 May 1909, a twin, died 10 Jan. 1924.
- vii Perry Walter: b 11 Dec. 1911.
- viii Helen Lucille: b 24 Feb. 1914.
- ix Ida Beatrice: b 23 Mar. 1916.
- x Elbert Boyd: b 31 July 1919.

#### 479 JAMES POLLARD (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(William 9, James 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Johnson County, Texas, in 1854. He married in Ellis County, Texas 15 June 1890 Willie McKiddy, born Tennessee in 1869. They moved to Scurry County, Texas where he died 31 July 1919, she survives him and resides Dunn, Texas.

Children:

- i Roger William: b 1891, died in 1919.
- ii Jesse Jefferson: b 8 Nov. 1893 Ellis Co., Tex., m 7 Nov. 1920 at Snyder, Tex. Corinne Boone. He is in real estate and insurance business, reside Colorado, Tex. No children.
- iii Nathan Alonzo: b 1898.
- iv James Pollard, Jr.: b 1899.
- v Hugh Forreston: b 1901.
- vi Robert: b 1909, died Feb. 1930.

#### 480 AARON EDMONSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Mark 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Johnson County, Texas 11 December 1867, was graduated in the public schools and had a business education. He married 22 December 1887 at Alvarado, Texas, Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 17 January 1870, a daughter of Albert Cartwright Glasgow and Sarah Campbell, see Glasgow-Cartwright Excursus. He is a farmer, Public Weigher, and manager of a Cotton Compress Co.; is a member of the Odd Fellows, and has served as Secretary of the Lodge for many years; is also Secretary of the Pioneer Association of Johnson County, and is a Democrat in his politics. Reside Alvarado, Texas.

Children:

- i Albert Mark (11) : b 1 Sept. 1889.

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ii Monnie Lucille: b 7 Nov. 1891 at Alvarado, Tex., m at Grandview, Tex. 24 Nov. 1910 James Burl Kirkland, family Methodists, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 James Burl Kirkland: b 16 Aug. 1912.

2 Mary Elizabeth Kirkland: b 2 Oct. 1917.

3 Alexander Earl Kirkland: b 25 Jan. 1920.

4 Sarah Ruth Kirkland: b 12 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

iii William Alexander: b 25 Jan. 1894. Educated in the public schools and attended business college. He enlisted 19 Sept. 1917 Pvt. and Cpl. Hdqrs. Co., 359th Inf., was over seas, wounded, was in army of occupation in Germany, returned to U. S. and discharged at Camp Bowie, 24 June 1919. After his discharge he entered the postal service. He married 3 July 1922 at Cleburne, Tex., Thelma Agnes Williamson, of Bono, Tex. He is a Mason, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 Patsey Louise: b 19 Aug. 1923.

iv Homer Campbell: b 31 May 1896. Enlisted 24 Aug. 1917 at Dallas, Tex., as Landsman for Ships Cook, U. S. Navy, discharged 3 Nov. 1919 as Ship's Cook, 2d class. He married 25 Oct. 1931 at Waiters, Okla., Emma Gene Wieler, b Muenster, Tex. 14 May 1905. Reside, Ardmore, Okla.

v Ina Mae: b 12 Sept. 1898, reside Alvarado, Tex.

vi Edna Alline: b 3 June 1901, married 24 Dec. 1924 at Alvarado, Tex. Irwin Harold Turney, b Blanket, Tex. 29 Oct. 1898, son of Rev. A. E. Turney, of Cleburne, Tex., family Methodists, reside Weleetka, Okla. They had:

1 Betty Jane Turney: b 22 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Evelyn Turney: b 24 July 1931, Okmulgee, Okla. vii Sarah Nell: b 9 June 1905. Graduate of North Texas State Teachers College.

viii Morris Shepherd: b 27 Feb. 1910. Called "Jack," m 12 Sept. 1933 at Alvarado. Tex., Bernice Elizabeth Venable, b Grandview, Tex., 28 Dec. 1912.

#### GLASGOW-CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

WILLIAM GLASGOW was born in 1796. We have been unable to ascertain -any facts concerning his parentage or from whence he came to Tennessee. He had a brother, Caleb, who married and left a son, Bud, who died in Dallas, Texas, unmarried, and a daughter Edna, who died unmarried in Nashville, Tennessee. He was married prior to 1827 in Tennessee to Jacomine Cartwright, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 27 October 1803, the daughter of David Cartwright and Elizabeth Powell, see Cart-

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wright record: They resided in Maury County for some time then moved to Davidson County. He went to Nashville and enlisted the 24 September 1847 as Private Co. H, 3d Tennessee Infantry for the Mexican War; age stated at enlistment as 41 years. A muster roll for December 1847 does not show if present or absent; a roll for January-February 1848 shows that he died in hospital at Mexico City 23 January 1848. She survived him and was residing near Goodlettsville in 1850, and was still living there in 1860, she is said to have died in the early 1870's at Nashville, Tennessee.

Children:

i Celia Catherine Glasgow: b 1827, m (1) prior to 1850 a Mr. Richards, she m (2) a Mr. Berkenbine. No children.

ii Albert Cartwright Glasgow: b 19 Nov. 1829 Maury Co., Tenn. moved to Davidson Co., Tenn. with his parents where he married prior to 1861 Sarah Campbell, b Tenn. in 1834, a daughter of James Campbell and Elizabeth Garrett. Resided near Goodlettsville, Tenn. in 1870, moved to Johnson Co., Tex. about Nov. 1876 and resided near Alvarado .where he died in 1904, she died in 1920. He was a farmer and a Mason, family Methodists. They had:  
1 William C. Glasgow: b 2 Sept. 1861 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m Oct. 1886 Pallie Adair, b 18-. He was Cashier of 1st Nat. Bank of Alvarado, Tex. for some 30 odd years, reside Alvarado, Tex. He is a Mason, family Methodists. They had:

a Robert Adair Glasgow: b 1890, resides El Centro, Calif.

b Zula Mae Glasgow: b 189-, m Roy Douglass, reside Fort Worth, Tex., have children.

c Herschel Glasgow: b 7 Feb. 1895, m 31 Mar. 1923 Grace Miller, b Collin Co., Tex. 23 Feb. 1901. He is a Mason, Royal -Arch, Knight Templar, and member of Mystic Shrine, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

c1 Herschel Miller Glasgow: b 10 Mar. 1924.

c2 Bobby Louis Glasgow: b 21 Mar. 1927.

d Hazel Glasgow: b 189-, died act. 8 years.

2 Alexander Jackson Glasgow: b 2 Apr. 1865 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and In (1) 2 Dec. 1886 Mollie Johnson, she died Oct. 1901 at Haskell Tex., and he m (2) at Mundy, Tex. Mrs. Nannie McAdams. He is a Knights of Pythias, and family Methodist, reside Seymour, Tex. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:

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a Lena Clara Glasgow: b 20 Dec. 1888, m Roy Browning, she was killed in a street railway accident 19 Jan. 1924, buried Boulder, Colo. No children.

b Willie Henry Glasgow: b 13 Mar. 1889, m Joseph Ligon, he died 1922, she survives him and resides Seymour, Tex. Family Methodists. They had:

b1 Hazel Jim Ligon: b 1908.

b2 Joseph M. Ligon: b 8 Oct. 1919.

b3 Leslie Ann Ligon: b 1921.

c Katherine Sallie Glasgow: b 25 Dec. 1891, m 15Feb. 1912 at Rotan, Tex. James Arthur Rutherford, b Houston, Mo. 15 Mar. 1886, a son of Frank and Margaret Rutherford, he died 20 Aug. 1932 at Springfield, Mo. she survives him and resides Houston, Mo. Family Methodists. They had:

c1 Ernest Eugene Rutherford: b 18 Mar. 1918.

c2 Christine Rosland Rutherford: b 29 Nov. 1922.

d Georgia Lucille Glasgow: b 5 Feb. 1893, m 11 June 1913 Roy Kerr Whiteside, b Ala. 1889. He is a Mason, family Baptists, reside Seymour, Tex. They had:

d1 Roy Williamson Whiteside: b 24 July 1914.

d2 Mary Geraldine Whiteside: b 28 Apr. 1916.

d3 Gilbert Glasgow Whiteside: b 19 Aug. 1918, died 21 Aug. 1918.

d4 Clyde Emerson Whiteside: b 2 May 1927. -

e Gilbert Johnson Glasgow: b 16 Feb. 1895, at Moran, Tex. He is a World War Veteran, a Mason, and a Methodist, resides Altus, Okla.

f Pauline Sue Glasgow: b 18 Dec. 1900, m 1920 Edgar Ezell, reside Cleburne, Tex. They had:

f1 Sue Ezell: b 1922.

3 James Thomas Glasgow: b 31 Oct. 1867-68, died infancy.

4 Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow: b 17 Jan. 1870, m Aaron E. Billingsley, No. 480, which see.

5 Sarah Margaret Glasgow: b 7 Apr. 1873 Tenn., died 1889 Texas.

iii Eliza Glasgow: b 1832, died unmarried after 1860 in Tenn.

iv Samuel Glasgow: b 1834 Tenn., moved to Ark. and married Mattie, Irvin, -resided near Malvern, Ark. No children.

v Mary Frances Glasgow: b 23 Nov. 1838 Tenn., m after 1860 Reuben S. Bolles. They had several children all died in childhood. She was a member and active worker in the Presbyterian church. About 1892 she became interested in establishing a Home for the aged and succeeded in

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establishing the Old Womans Home of which was a Director to the time of her death in 1922, he predeceased her several years, resided Nashville, Tenn.

vi William Thomas Glasgow: b 1840 Tenn. He was agent for the Nashville & Chattanooga railway and was active in transportation of Confederate forces; he was captured at McMinnville, Tenn. 21 Apr. 1863, paroled 26 Apr., and forwarded to Nashville 27 Apr. 1863; took the oath of allegiance 13 May 1863. He married prior to 1871 Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Williams and Ellen Dedman. Was for many years representative of Muldoon Monument Co., of Louisville, Ky. Became interested in the Acklen property for educational purposes, planned a school and interested the present owners and established what is now Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn. Later moved to New York City where he died in 1906, she died at Columbia, Tenn. in 1922. They had:

1 Minnie Glasgow: b ca 1871, died June 1891.

2 Sarah Hamilton Glasgow: b 15 July 1873, m 5 Mar. 1891 John Means Thompson, b S. C. 18-, resided New York, N. Y., she died Sept. 1932. They had:

a John Means Thompson, Jr.: b 1891 Tenn., m Gertrude Bartlett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

b William Glasgow Thompson: b 1893 N. Y., m Edna Pritchett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

c Hugh S. Thompson: b 1895. Was in Air Service, an aviator, killed in action 16 Sept. 1918 in France.

3 Daughter: b 187-, died aet. a few hours.

#### CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

The following brief record of the Cartwright family is compiled from data furnished by Miss Emma Irene Cartwright, of Memphis, Tennessee, Bible record of Robert Cartwright, a sketch by Colonel Putnam, former President of the Tennessee Historical Society, an article which was published in the Nashville Banner 8 August 1914, and D. A. R. National Number 78912. Abraham Cartwright, of Northamptonshire, England.

JOHN CARTWRIGHT, born circa 1602 came to America in the ship "Adventure;" and was the first white man to explore the James River. He was a witness to the will of John Rolph, James City Co., Va. 10 March 1621, and was a resident of James City Co., Va.

John (2) Cartwright, born 1638.

Robert (3) Cartwright, born 1665.

John (4) Cartwright, born 1700.

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ROBERT (5) CARTWRIGHT, born 22 February 1722, in Prince Anne CO., Virginia. He was a Sheriff's Deputy in 1758. There is formal appointment of Robert Cartwright and others as guardians of the public peace in Prince Anne County in 1760. He married (1) 15 August 1745 Anne, daughter of John Hugins, she died in 1746 and he married (2) 10 April 1749 Mary, daughter of John Hunter, she died 22 January 1764 and he married (3) within a short period Pembroke Hunter, believed to be a sister of his 2d wife. About 1764 they moved to Carrituck County, North Carolina, then moved to Orange County where he joined the Alamance emigration and moved to Watauga Settlement. He was a signer of a compact of government drawn up in opposition to the British, and was subsequently active during the Revolution particularly in fighting the British Allies, the Indians. They remained in this settlement. for some years and he was present at a 4th of July celebration in 1777. In 1779 he joined the party of John Donelson and set out for the Cumberland country and arrived after an adventurous trip the 24 April 1780. He entered a large tract of land and at the time of his death which occurred in 1809 he owned about 6,000 acres. No data on the death of Pembroke though she is known to have died in Tennessee.

Children:

i William Cartwright: b 4 July 1746, 1st wife.

ii Martha Cartwright: b 14 May 1750, 2d wife.

iii Mary Cartwright: b 11 Aug. 1753.

iv Anne Cartwright: b 2 June 1755.

v Susannah Cartwright: b 4 Sept. 1757, died 15 Aug. 1759.

vi Robert Cartwright: b 1? Dec. 1759, died 23 Mar. 1776.

vii John Hunter Cartwright: b 26 Feb. 1762, died 1780, killed by Indians soon after arrival in Cumberland settlement.

viii Pemmy Cartwright: b 28 Feb. 1765, 3d wife.

ix Jacob Cartwright: b 21 Feb. 1767, moved to Tenn. With parents.

x Thomas Cartwright: b 20 Nov. 1768, moved to Tenn. With parents.

xi James Cartwright: b 14 Feb. 1770, moved to Tenn. With parents, lived and died near Gallatin, Tenn. Left descendants.

xii William Hunter Cartwright: b 4 Oct. 1773.

xiii Elizabeth Cartwright: b 2 Sept. 1776.

xiv Robert Cartwright: b 1778-79.

xv .David Cartwright: b 1781 Cumberland Settlement, Tenn., now Davidson Co., Tenn. He married prior to 1803 Elizabeth Powell, b North Carolina 20 Oct. 1786. He is stated to have gone to camp to enlist for the War of 1812, was taken with pneumonia and died in the latter part of the year 1813. She survived him, was residing with her

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daughter, Eliza, in 1850, and died in '1856, Davidson Co., Tenn. They had

1 Jacomine Cartwright: b 27 Oct. 1803, m William Glasgow, see above.

2 Albert Robert Cartwright: b 14 Aug. 1806, m 5 May 1835 Priscilla Buford Giddens, b 18 Mar. 1818. He died 18 June 1863 and she died 15 Nov. 1887, residence not stated. Only child known is:

a Emma Irene Cartwright: b ca 1853. Was living 1931 in Memphis, Tenn.

3 Pembroke Cartwright: b 13 July 1808, m prior to 1829 Thomas D. Watkins, b Tenn. 180-, he died sometime after 1838 and prior to 1850, she was living in 1850 and 186.0 in Davidson Co., Tenn. They had, known:

a Elizabeth Watkins: b 1829.

b Sarah Watkins: b 1830.

c Celia A. Watkins: b 1833.

d Ann E. Watkins: b 1836.

e Thomas D. Watkins: b 1838.

4 Emily Cartwright: b 26 Oct. 1809-10, m Aris Brown, residence not stated.

5 Eliza Cartwright: b 28 May 1812, m prior to 1833 Robert P. Estes, b Va. 1804, he was a farmer, and resided Davidson Co., Tenn. in 1850. They had, known:

a David C. Estes: b 1833.

b Albert F. Estes: b 1834.

c Thomas J. Estes: b 1835.

d Mary E. Estes: b 1836.

e Robert P. Estes, Jr.: b 1838.

6 Sarah J. Cartwright: b 13 May 1814, m John Allen, residence not stated.

xvi Jesse Cartwright: b 178- Tenn., moved to Texas and said to have many descendants in that State.

#### 481 WILLIAM GRANVILLE (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edminston 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Stubblefield, Texas 18 January 1862. He married (1) 17 February 1881 in Johnson County, Texas, Louisa Frances George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 July 1863, she " died 22 January 1892 and he married (2) 29 July 1894 Sara Elizabeth McAnear George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 January 1872, she died 21 December 1904 and he married (3) 9 November 1909 Julia Ann Davis Saunders, born Fannin County, Texas, 20 August 1885. Reside Jayton, Texas where he is serving as County Commissioner of Kent County.

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Children:

i Ora Caveats: b 28 Feb. 1882 at Stubblefield, Tex., m 3 Jan. 1900 Robert Franklin Hood, b 24 Mar. 1871 at Batesville, Ark. Reside Riverside, Calif. They had:

1 Stella Mae Hood: b 6 Oct. 1900 at Fairview, Tex., died 9 Apr. 1920 in Calif.

2 Carl Byrd Hood: b 13 Nov. 1901, Jones Co., Tex., m 21 Nov. 1921 at Riverside, Calif., Mabry Salina Curbs, b 14 Apr. 1915 at Kalispell, Mont., reside Pomona, Calif. They had:

a Carl Robert Hood: b 7 Sept. 1922 Calif.

b Mary Louise Hood: b 27 June 1924, Fullerton, Calif.

c Dorothy May Hood: b 9 Sept. 1926.

d Clifford Curtis Hood: b 3 Aug. 1931.

ii Dovie Idelia: b 2 Feb. 1884, Hill Co., Tex., m 7 July 1901, Judge Joseph C. Randel, b 27 June 1878, Brown Co., Tex., reside Hamlin, Tex. where he died 29 Mar. 1923. They had:

1 Clay Raymond Randel: b 29 Mar. 1902, m 12 Mar. 1927 Mary Eula Crow, b 15 June 19-

2 Joseph C. Randel: b 2 June 1906.

iii Christopher Byrd: b 13 Dec. 1885, Johnson County, Tex., m 1 Jan. 1907 Jones Co., Tex. Annie Miller, b 20 Feb. 1890, reside Stamford, Tex. They had:

1 Joseph Byrd: b 18 May 1912 Jones Co., Tex.

iv Edward Benjamin: b 28 Jan. 1888 Johnson County, Tex., m 10 Dec. 1908 at Clairemont, Tex., Catherine Loraine Hoy, b 12 Mar. 1895. He died 10 Oct. 1922 at Post City, Tex. and she m (2) a Mr. Ferguson, reside Post City, Tex. They had:

1 Ethelbert Edward: b 20 Sept. 1909.

2 Margaret Mae: b 5 July 1913.

3 Edward Benjamin, Jr.: b 5 May 1918.

4 Jackie : b 2 Oct. 1920.

v Peter B.: b 16 Mar. 1890 Johnson Co., Tex., m 3 Apr. 1910 Stonewall Co., Tex. Bertha Davis, b 22 May 1895 Lamar Co., Tex., she died 24 Jan. 1919 and he m (2) Madge Batie, b 3 Nov. 1901, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Edmonston: b 29 Aug. 1911.

2 Aaron: b 10 June 1913.

3 Lusarah Pearl: b 21 Nov. 1917. She was reared in home of her aunt, Dovie B. Randel.

4 Bertha Alfreda: b 19. Feb. 1925, 2d wife.

5 Ada Lou: b 24 May 1928 at Lamesa, Tex.



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vi Willie Mae: b 1 May 1895, 2d wife. She m 25 Nov. 1910 Jones Co., Tex., Charles J. Ferrell, b 2 July 1890 in Miss., reside Mayhill, N. Mex., in 1932. They had:

- a Charles J. Ferrell, Jr.: b 22 Aug. 1911 Aspermont, Tex.
- b. Juanita Ferrell: b 19 Sept. 1914.
- c Julian Ferrell: b 11- Feb. 1917.
- d Charlie Mae Ferrell: b 8 Sept. 1919.

vii Jefferson Ervin: b 25 Apr. 1897; m 18 Feb. 1920 Stonewall Co., Tex. Lavena Jones, b 12 Mar. 1900, reside Floydada, . They had

- 1 Granvill Francis: b 27 June 1921.
- 2 Thelma Laverne: b 5 Mar. 1923.
- 3 Edith Lavel : b 16 June 1924.

viii Roxanna: b 189-, died infancy.

ix Roy Granvill: b 24 July 1902 Jones Co., Tex. Was reared in the home of his uncle, Henry D. Billingsley. He m 21 Oct. 1921 at Cleburne, Tex. Alta Loraine Walls, b 25 Feb. 1905 in Hill Co., Tex., reside Stamford, Tex. They had:  
1 Bettie Elizabeth: b 30 July 1924.

x Alice Edna: b 28 Nov. 1912, 3d wife. She m 19 Dec. 1931 W. R. Vandiver, reside Jayton, Tex.

xi Henry: b 26 June 1916, died 15 Nov. 1916.

xii William: b 26 June 1916, a twin.

481 SAIL RUFUS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James D. 9, Oliver 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Saline County, Missouri 27 Jan. 1868, he married at Marshall, Missouri 5 May 1889 Grace Bunker Kelton, born 19 March 1867. Resided Denver, Colorado in 1932. No information directly obtainable from him, what is listed is from other members of the family and may not be entirely accurate.

Children:

i Alice May: b 12 June 1890, m prior to 1911 Jimmie Larkin, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

- 1 James Gaffney Larkin: b 30 Jan. 1911.
- 2 Francis Wilburn Larkin: b 26 Apr. 1914.
- 3 Mary Margaret Larkin: b 21 July 1919.
- 4 Ruby Irene Larkin: b 10 June 1923.
- 5 Dorothy Louise Larkin: b 23 Aug. 1924.

ii Ruby Irene: b 13 June 1892, m Wiley O. Rhodes prior to 1908, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

- 1 Mason Kelton Rhodes: b 20 Feb. 1908, m prior to 1928 Ann (Rhodes?), reside Denver, Colo. They had:
  - a Mason Kelton Rhodes, Jr.: b 28 Apr. 1928.

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2 Syngs, Dolores Rhodes: b 3 Nov. 1909. iii Dorsey Dewey: b 27 Jan. 1899, resides Denver, Colo.

iv James Kelton: b 21 Apr. 1903, m prior to 1922 Marie Lyons, reside, Denver, Colo. They had  
1 Marie Kelton: b 11 Feb. 1922.

v Grace Mildred: b 4 July 1906, m prior to 1924 a Mr. Robinson, (2) Eugene Walters, reside Kansas City, Mo. They had:

1 Betty Jane Robinson: b Aug. 1924.

#### 482 JAMES JESSE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Greenwood, Sebastian County, Arkansas, 26 August 1872, moved to Washington Territory with his mother and step father and grand parents in the 1880's. He married 27 July 1902 Maude Alice Fisher, born Webster, Iowa, 30 November 1882, he is a farmer and resides at Wilbur, Washington.

Children:

i Jesse Oran: b 22 Dec. 1903, m 3 Nov. 1930 Thelma Stambaugh.

ii Flossie Marie: b 19 Oct. 1905.

iii Willis Leroy: b 23 Mar. 1908. .

iv Esther Lucinda: b 13 Nov. 1909, m 1 Jan. 1929 Arney Arneson. They had:

1 Marion Jesse Arneson: b 9 Sept. 1929 at Creston, Wash.

2 Elmer Alfred Arneson: b 7 Dec. 1931.

v Vern Alford: b 23 Oct. 1912.

vi Hazel Irene: b 28 Sept. 1916.

#### 483 GEORGE W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*George Mc. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 26 May 1847. He married at Summer Shade, Kentucky in 1874 Isabell, daughter of James and Rebecca Payne, born Monroe County, Kentucky 23 April 1849, resided Monroe County, Kentucky, Claiborne County, Tennessee, then moved to Freestone County, Texas where they resided some years, then returned to Kentucky and settled at Glasgow where she died 22 Jan. 1922, he survived her, moved to Arthur, Tennessee where he died 2 Jan. 1929.

Children:

i Margaret G.: b 15 Nov. 1876, m John R. Bailey, reside Glasgow, Ky.

ii Oscar P.: b 21 Oct. 1878, resides Portland, Oregon.

iii Garfield M.: b 21 Sept. 1880, m May Vail, reside Portland, Oreg.

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iv Latimer Y.: b 29 May 1883 Fairfield, Tex., m 30 Sept. 1913 in Oreg. Frances Vail, reside Portland, Oreg. where he is in automobile business. He furnished information on this family. No children.

v Kirven W.: b 26 Feb. 1887.

vi Inez V.: b 25 Apr. 1890, m Beeler B. Bowman, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

484 ROBERT W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*George Me. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John, 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 18 July 1864, migrated to Monroe County, Kentucky and resided there in 1880. He married prior to 1882 Emily Collingsworth, born Virginia in 1860, daughter of William F. and Louisa Collingsworth of Virginia who moved to Kentucky in 1862 and to Tennessee in 1864. Resided in Tennessee then moved to Oklahoma and lived in or near Anadarka, then moved to Oklahoma City where he is listed from 1911 to 1917, not listed in 1918. He is said to have died in 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, result of a street car accident. She survives him and was living in New York City in 1931.

Children:

i Logan: b 1882 Claiborne Co., Tenn., moved to Okla. with his parents and married prior to 1907 Chloe, was residing in Oklahoma City 1910 and in insurance business, 1911-12, was proprietor of a drug store. Then moved to Seattle, Wash. and operated a drug store, then moved to New York, N. Y. where he engaged in real estate business having connections in Miami, Fla. Not stated if his wife died or a divorce, he married (2) Dec. 1919 in Miami, Fla. Hattie Mae Key. Resided New York City and was President of Bronx Chamber of Commerce in 1931. They had: ' 1 Glenn A.: b 1907. Was in Wichita, Kan. about 1928-29 where he m, now reside New York, N. Y. 2 Logan, Jr.: b 1921 Fla.

ii Robert W., Jr.: b 1884, moved to Okla. with his parents and m Emily, he died in 1908 in Anadarka, Okla., she was living Oklahoma City, Okla. in 1915. No mention of any children.

iii Charlotte: b 1886, m Henry Donnellan, reside El Reno, Okla.

iv Ora B.: b 1889-90, m prior to 1912 Bertha, was residing Oklahoma City at that date, was in New York City in 1931. No mention of any children.

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v Frederick: b 1896, m prior to 1915 Hazel , was proprietor of a drug store in Oklahoma City at that date, resided Los Angeles, Calif . in 1931.

vi Sherman: b 1898, m Hazel Donnelly, reside New York, N. Y.

vii Pearl: b 1903, m Andrew Gray, reside New York, N. Y.

485 JOHN HOUSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee 17 March 1861. He married in 1883 Elizabeth Cole, born Tennessee, 28 October 1865. He was employed by the Roane Iron Company for more than thirty years. Elizabeth died 21 October 1926 of lung trouble (Tuberculosis?). He survives her and resides with his daughter at Lima, Ohio.

Children :

i Ethel: b 1885, m 1918 Frank Johnson. He served 12 years in U. S. Navy, spent some years on Pacific coast then settled at Lima, Ohio. They had:

1 Vinnie Johnson: b 1920.

2 Kermit Johnson: b 1923.

3 Oran Johnson: b 192-, died aet. 4 years.

ii Robbie: b May 1892 at Rockwood, Tenn. She m 1909 Edward L. Hinds, b Tenn. 1891, he is employed by Southern Railway, reside Rockwood, Tenn. They had

1 Jack Nelson Hinds: b 1911.

2 Elizabeth Hinds: b 1914.

3 Madaline Hinds: b 1916.

4 Joseph Houston Hinds: b 1920.

5 Kenneth Wilburn Hinds: b 1923.

iii Reece: b 189-, m G. V. Newell, she resides Lima, Ohio and is divorced. They had:

1 Elizabeth Newell: b 1923.

486 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Benjamin F. 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Paint Rock, Tennessee 10 April 1859, moved to Missouri, Arkansas, and back to Tennessee with his parents. In 1883 he migrated to the pan handle of Texas and was a Cow Puncher for five years on the L I T ranch. .In January 1888 he moved to St. Joins, Arizona, was there a few days then moved to Duncan, Arizona. He married 1 November 1900 Eleanor Hilton, born Seven Oaks Junction, England, 1 January 1868. He is a general merchant and jobber in tobacco. Reside Duncan, Arizona. He has furnished considerable information in connection with this branch of the family. He was elected Justice of the Peace for his District in the election of November, 1932.

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### Children:

i Harold LeRoy: b 8 Nov. 1902, m Joyce McIntire, reside Morenci, Ariz. They had:

1 Franklin Ashurst : b 1929.

2 Philip LeRoy: b 193-.

ii Alice Margaret: b 23 June 1904. She is a Methodist Missionary teacher, Korea.

iii Leslie Ashton: b 18 Aug. 1905, m Vermel Randall, reside Duncan, Ariz. They had:

1 Marilyn Doris: b 1931.

iv Charles Oliver: b 26 May 1907.

v Benjamin Franklin: b 28 Feb. 1909.

## 487 CHARLES OLIVER (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Benjamin F. 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Washington County, Arkansas in 1873, moved Benton County, Arkansas and then to Roane and Loudon Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He migrated West and married about 1890 at Lordsburg, New Mexico, Margaret Hessel, born Harrisburg, Pennsylvania in 1864. Resided some years at Chico, California then moved to Clifton, Arizona where he is foreman in a smelting plant.

### Children:

i Ethel: b 1893, m Therman Bates, reside Phoenix, Ariz., said to have five children.

ii Benjamin F.: b 30 Sept. 1894 at Chico, Calif., married 28 May 1914 at Clifton, Ariz. Jessie Rodgers, b St. Joseph, Mo., 18-, reside Piedmont, Calif. They had:

1 Mildred: b 31 May 1915 at Clifton, Ariz.

## 488 WILLIAM PENN (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James D. 9, George H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Monroe County, Kentucky 14 November 1854, moved to Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1874 Nancy Emaline Lewis, born 11 November 1855 at Shiloh, Tennessee. They moved to Dallas County, Texas in early 1880's and after a short time returned to Tennessee and then moved to Texas again and located in Ellis County prior to 1887. In November 1899, they moved to Wichita Falls, Texas. He was a carpenter and farmer and is said to have been successful in all his undertakings. He died 8 August 191?, she survives him. Family Methodists. He was active in church and Sunday school work; 'never cased profane language, tobacco, nor. intoxicants, and was highly respected in his community. Was a life long Democrat in his politics.

### Children:

i Della: b 4 Sept. 1874, m Samuel Burns, reside Waxahachie, Tex. They had:

1 Dick Burns.

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2 Willie May Burns.

ii Eke: b 21 Jan. 1877, m Irvan Deaton, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. They had:

1 Rella Deaton: b 18-, m H. G. Malitz, reside Dallas, Tex.

2 Nina May Deaton.

iii Hoil: b 26 Nov. 1879, m Launetta Meadow, he is a World War Veteran, reside Lamar, Colo. They had:

1 Agnes, resides Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Alys, resides Fort Worth, Tex. 3 Maxie.

iv Allie May: b 10 May 188-, m George Ison, reside Mangum, Okla. They had:

1 Raymond Ison.

2 Lonnie Ison.

v Floyd: b 10 Nov. 1887 Ellis Co., Tex., m 6 Sept. 1911 at Wichita Falls, Tex. Allie May Hendricks, b Grayson Co., Tex. 18 Mar. 1892, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. States he served in Post Office Dept. for 13 years and was exempt from service in World War; then 5 years in a bank, then 5 years in hardware business; has served as a Scout Master for two troops of Boy Scouts. They had:

1 Frances Emaline: b 20 Aug. 1915.

2 Harry Oliver: b 10 May 1917, died 24 June 1930.

3 Mary Ruth: b 19 Aug. 1920.

vi William Pearson: b 16 Jan. 1890, Veteran of World War, m reside Fort Lauderdale, Fla. No children.

vii Mamie: b 10 Aug. 1893, m Arthur E. Teague, reside Rome, Ga. They had

1 Eugene Teague.

2 Dale Teague.

3 Daughter.

4 Harry Teague.

viii Raymond: b 14 Nov. 1898, resides Wichita Falls, Tex.

489 JAMES ROBERT (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*John D. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sevier County, Arkansas in 1852, moved to Tulare County, California with his parents in 1869. He married in the late 1870's Manuella Vaughn, born 1858. He died 17 September 1917, she :survived. him and died .27 December 1921, resided Tulare, California.

Children:

i John Robert: b 2 June 1882, m 1 Apr. 1903 Tina H. Vincent, b 27 Jan. 1882, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Ila Irene: b Aug. 1904, m W. J. Sommers, reside Tulare, Calif.

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2 Pauline Ione: b 1 Jan. 1912. Is a Nurse, in San Francisco, Calif. in 1931.

3 John Emmett: b 20 Sept. 1916.

ii Floyd: b 27 Mar. 1883. Resides Tulare, Calif.

iii Charles: b 22 June 1884, m Elizabeth Monroe, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Kenneth.

2 Dorothy.

iv Grace: b 1885-6. Killed in same accident that killed her grandfather in 1893. v Walter Royal: b 2 May 1888 at Pixley, Calif., m 6 July 1915 at Tulare, Calif. Katherine Frusetta, b 2 Oct. 1888, reside Hollister, Calif. They had:

1 Marjorie Katherine: b 25 Feb. 1920.

2 Robert Vaughn: b 11 Sept. 1922.

vi Hazel: b 1890, m ca 1910 Alfred Le Blanc, reside Hynes, Calif. They had

1 Laurence LeBlanc.

2 Harold LeBlanc.

3 Marguerite LeBlanc.

vii Homer R.: b 10 May 1892, m 26 Aug. 1919 Neva Ann Santry, reside Porterville, Calif. where he is connected with Fire Department. He has furnished information on this family. No children.

viii Ralph: b Jan. 1895, m 1929 Nell Hornbrook, reside Terra Bella, Calif.

ix Bernice: b 1897, m Robert Belshaw, she died Aug. 1919, he survives her and resides Goshen, Calif. They had:

1 Cleo Belshaw: b 19-.

2 Roberta Belshaw: b 19-.

x Vesta: b Aug. 1899, m 10 Aug. 1931 Dr. J. E. Beck, reside Tulare, Calif.

490 SAMUEL T. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel E. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sevier County, Arkansas 14 November 1859 moved to Texas and later to West Virginia with his mother and step father. He married in 1880 Nancy J. Warhop, born Virginia 186-, resided Mercer County, West Virginia to about 1910, then moved to w Batavia; Ohio where he is engaged in farming. There were ten children born to this union seven of whom died in infancy. He has furnished in

- formation on this family.

Children

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i Roy Raymond: b 8 Feb. 1883, m 13 May 1903 at Hinton,

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and settled in Amelia, Clermont Co., where they reside. They had:

1 Dossie Blanch: b 31 May 1904 W. Va. Grad. Commercial College, Cincinnati, Ohio, she is educational secretary, Y. W. C. A., So: Western Ohio at Cincinnati, Ohio. She m 10 Sept. 1930 Homer A. Russell.

2 Carrie Eunice: b 4 Mar. 1906 W. Va. Grad. Campbell Commercial College, she is stenographer Information Dept. Chamber of Commerce, Cincinnati, Ohio.

3 Leonard Oswald: b 19 June 1908 W. Va.

4 Victor Mott: b 23 May 1911 Ohio.

ii Grower C.: b 4 Mar. 1885, died 24 Aug. 1908.

iii Cecil Samuel: b 29 Apr. 1887, m 1912 Augusta Krekler, reside Ohio. They had

1 Owen Oswald: b 23 Oct. 1913.

2 Velva Virginia: b 21 Apr. 1915.

#### 491 CHARLES LAFAYETTE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Nathan, 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 21 January 1875. He married (1) at Evening Shade, Arkansas, 2 February 1895 Amanda Clem Phillips, born Arkansas 18-, resided in Sharp and Jackson Counties, Arkansas, Amanda died 10 March 1908, buried Dowe cemetery, Jackson County. He married (2) 1912-13 at Poteau, Oklahoma, Myrtle Monks, born 18-, reside Wynne Wood, Oklahoma.

Children:

i Willie: b 21 Dec. 1898, died 13 Jan. 1899, Izard Co., Ark.

ii Bertha Elizabeth: b 20 Jan. 1900, resides Ralls, Tex.

iii Bulah : b 10 May 1901, died 18 Dec. 1902 Izard Co., Ark.

iv Ranson: b 16 July 1902, died 15 Aug. 1902 Jackson Co., Ark.

v Fannies b 7 Apr. 1905, died 9 Oct. 1905.

vi Earnest: b 20 Apr. 1907, resides Grant, Okla.

vii Cecil: b 12 June 1912, 2d wife.

viii Herschal: b 29 Nov. 1915.

ix Virgil: b 6 June 1918.

x Harrold: b 16 July 1920.

xi Carrol: b 5 Sept. 1922.

xii Jerrold: b 16 Aug. 1926.

xiii Ulysses Grant: b 13 June 1930.

#### 492 ROBERT NEWTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas W. 9, John 8, Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cherokee County, Alabama 10 August 1878. He married (1) Margaret Head, she died 9 June 1920 and he. mar



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ried (2) prior to 1924 Delma , born Alabama ? March 1898. Reside Gadsden, Alabama.

Children:

i Ella Mae: b 27 May 1898.

ii Marie Lou: b 8 Aug. 1901.

iii Rinda Elizabeth: b 27 Apr. 1904.

iv Charles Lee: b 29 Nov. 1914.

v Mary Emma: b 17 Apr. 1920.

vi Robert Joe: b 4 Mar. 1924, 2d wife.'

vii Thomas W.: b 4 Apr. 1926.

viii William Herbert: b 18 Aug. 1929.

#### 493 GEORGE S. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas J. 9, Bright W. 8, John 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logansport, Louisiana 20 May 1891. He married 19 May 1912 in Texas, Elizabeth Scarborough, born Texas 18-. Reside Grand Prairie, Texas. He is the only one of this entire family so far encountered who would give any information; data of Thomas J. Billingsley and his children has been furnished by him.

Children:

i Alton Albert: b 8 Sept. 1913.

ii Myrtle Almeta: b 25 Apr. 1915.

iii L. B.: b 10 Feb. 1917.

iv James Leon: b 26 Dec. 1922.

v Teletha Martha: b 9 Aug. 1925.

vi Retha Margaret: b 9 Aug. 1925, a twin, she died 5 June 1926.

#### 494 JAMES WILLIAM (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Rusk or Lamar County, Texas 5 January . 186?. He married (1) 23 May 1889 Margaret S. Edwards, born Texas 18-, she died 1890-1891 and he married (2) Lula Adams, born Texas 18-. They moved to Oklahoma and resided there some years then returned to Texas where he died 24 January 1906, and she died in 1909, Shelby County. There are stated to have been ten children by the second marriage, some of these are unknown and probably died in infancy.

Children: (known)

i Margaret Ethel: b 1890-91, m Grover Scruggs, residence not stated. They had:

1 Wildon Scruggs.

2 Marjorie Scruggs.

3 Ethel Scruggs.

ii Emory: b 189-, 2d wife, m Irma Sindol, reside Orange, Calif.

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iii Birtie: b 189- Shelby Co., Tex., m 25 Oct. 1917 William Henry Long, b Tex., reside Gary, Tex. They had:

1 William Long: b 3 Nov. 1918.

2 Eunice Long: b 13 Dec. 1920, died 26 Apr. 1931.

3 Mabel Long: b 27 Feb. 1924.

4 James R. Long: b 15 Sept. 1926.

5 J. R. Long: b 6 July 1927, died set. 2 years.

6 Joel Long: b 3 Jan. 1930.

iv Robert Haden: b 18 Dec. 1901 in Okla., he m 2 Jan. 1925 at Kaufman, Tex. Lorene Morris, b Henderson Co., Tex. 19 Oct. 1906, reside Crowley, Texas. No children.

v James: b 19-, m Gertrude Riley, reside Marysville, Texas. No information as to his family, etc.

vi Travis: b 19-, m Etta Tooney, he was accidentally killed 11 July 1928, no mention of any children, or his residence.

495 ROBERT MADISON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lamar County, Texas 19 September 1879, he married at Oak Flat, Texas, 9 November 1902 Emma Eunice Vaughn, born Oak Flat, Texas 18 December 1880. Reside Henderson, Texas.

Children:

i Robert Alton: b 30 Oct. 1904, m 3 Aug. 1929 Opal Wooster, reside Henderson, Tex.

ii Clara Eunice: b 28 Nov. 1907 at Oak Flat, Tex., she m at Texarkana, Ark. 18 June 1931 Ollie T. Brightwell, b Kilgore, Tex. 1 Feb. 1902. She has furnished considerable information concerning this family. Reside Henderson, Tex.

iii Arpie Jane: b 13 Mar. 1911.

iv William Andre: b 18 Dec. 1913.

v Mary Ann: b 22 Aug. 1916.

496 DE VOTIE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas W. 9, William 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Choctaw County, Mississippi, 6 December 1858, moved to Montgomery County with his mother after his father's death, nothing is stated as to who reared him, his brother or sister, after his mother's death in 1867, it is assumed that she returned to her parents in Montgomery County, Mississippi where she died and that the children were reared in the home of their grandfather Loggias. He has furnished the information on this family. He married 12 November 1882 at Lodi, Mississippi Connie Aldridge, born Choctaw County, Mississippi 18 October 1865, both were living in 1931 and resided Winona, Mississippi.

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### Children:

i Cleora: b 13 Aug. 1883, m J. D. Stone, reside Lambert, Miss. no mention of any children.

ii Thomas Henry: b 1 Dec. 1884, m prior to 1908 Mintie Flowers, b 18-, reside Winona, Miss. where he was Mayor in 1931. They had:

1 Allie Ward: b 22 Mar. 1908.

2 Lula Frances: b 21 May 1912.

iii William DeVotie: b 24 Apr. 1887. The following is copied from G. O. No. 512 Navy Department, Washington, D. C. 11 Nov. 1919: "Destroyer No. 293, under construction at the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Co., Squantum, Mass. named in memory of Ensign William D. Billingsley, United States Navy. Born in Winona, Miss., April 24, 1887; killed in an aeroplane accident June 20, 1913, and buried in the Naval Academy Cemetery, Annapolis, Md., June 28, 1913. Appointed midshipman July 5, 1905; graduated in June 1909; ensign June 5, 1911. Cruised on the U. S. *Petrel* on special service 1911-12. On June 20, 1913, started from the aviation station near Annapolis in a Wright biplane which had been converted into a hydroplane. When about 10 miles down the bay a gust of wind struck the hydroaeroplane and caused it to dive. Ensign Billingsley was thrown out and fell into the water. This was the first fatal accident to an aviator of the United States Navy. He was an officer of determination and fearless courage."

iv Eliza: b 11 Oct. 1888, died 13 Aug. 1894.

v DeWitt: b 13 Apr. 1890, m 1 Oct. 1914 at Atlanta, Ga. Elizabeth Lovell McMillan, b at Pittston, Pa. 7 July 1892, reside New Orleans, La. They had:

1 Elizabeth Ann: b 1 Jan. 1916, d 1? Mar. 1917.

2 DeWitt, Jr.: b 13 Feb. 1918, d 17 Dec. 1918.

3 William DeVotie: b 3 Oct. 1919.

4 Mae Lovell: b 23 July 1921 called "Peggy."

vi Alma: b 29 Feb. 1892, m prior to 1917 Oliver Abbot Shaw, reside University, Miss. They had: .

1 Hope Stone Shaw: b 26 Jan. 1917.

2 Oliver Abbot Shaw, Jr.: b 16 Apr. 1918.

3 Aldridge Winfield Shaw: b 7 Dec. 1919.

4 Anna Brook Shaw: b 25 Dec. 1920.

5 Francis Shaw: b 19 May 1922.

6 Mary Katheryn Shaw: b 3 Jan. 1926.

7 Maynard DeVotie Shaw: b 18 Apr. 1930.

vii Celeste: b 10 Apr. 1893, m prior to 1923 Irby A. Wadlington, reside Memphis, Tenn. They had:

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1 Anne Wadlington : b 18 Aug. 1923.

2 Irby Augusta Wadlington: b 10 Sept. 1926.

viii Irene: b 27 Apr. 1894, m prior to 1928 Van Dorn Stone, b . 18- reside Lambert, Miss. They had:

1 Yona Stone: b 4 Oct. 1928.

2 Henry Deck Stone: b 15 May 1930. Twins

3 Van Dorn Stone: b 15 May 1930.

ix Connie: b 20 June 1895, m (1) prior to 1925 Jack Hamilton, he died and she m (2) H. E. Johnson, reside Winona, Miss. They had:

1 Martha Jane Hamilton: b 4 Mar. 1925.

2 Rebecca Johnson: b 14 Aug. 1931.

x Martin Charles: b 8 July 1898, m prior to 1927 Ninna Davis, b 1-,reside Winona, Miss. They had:

1 Martin Charles, Jr.: b 22 June 1927.

2 William Eugene: b 22 Sept. 1930.

xi Laline : b 14 Nov. 1899, resides Winona, Miss.

497 ROBERT LEE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Charles N. 9, Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tate County, Mississippi 19 March 1876, he married 20 January 1900 Ada Lee Davis, born Mississippi 20 October 1878. Reside Tate County, Mississippi.

Children:

i Leo Lynn: b 18 June 1902, m (1) Rosa Baker, m (2) 16 Apr. 1927 Laverne Holmes. No children.

ii Ila Inez: b 1 Oct. 1903, m 27 June 1930 Ray Shackelford. No children.

iii Annie Laura: b 30 Dec. 1906, m 11 Oct. 1926 Ira Rochelle, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Daniel Rochelle: b 26 Dec. 1927.

2 Imogen Rochelle: b 5 Nov. 1929.

3 Joyce Rochelle: b 24 Dec. 1931.

iv Hubert Lee: b 16 Apr. 1908.

v Maurice William: b 29 Apr. 1910, died 2 Sept. 1912.

vi Leslie: b 13 Mar. 1912, m 23 Nov. 1929 Floyd Gentry, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Floy Lee Gentry: b 14 Mar. 1931 (daughter). .

vii Ruby Lilly: b 9 July 1914.

viii Ada Ruth: b 9 Apr. 1916, died 30 Nov. 1917.

ix Leonard: b .7 May 1918.

498 CYRUS NATHANIEL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Zachariah T. 9, Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tate County, Mississippi, 6 December 1874, moved to Arkansas with his parents about 1885 where he married at Gill,

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Arkansas; in 1887 Sarah Jane Vaulx, born Brownsville, Tennessee 15 November 1872, daughter of John Watson Vaulx. He died 23 March 1925 at Aubrey, Arkansas, she survives him.

Children:

i Nina: b 4 Oct. 1888, unmarried 1932.

ii Marie: b 20 Apr. 1900, m L. J. Brown.

iii Cecil Floyd: b 23 May 1902 Lee Co., Ark., he m 20 Sept. 1924 at Mariana, Ark. Ione Elaine Hicks, b Obion, Tenn. 23 Apr. 1907, reside Hughes, Ark. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Cecil Floyd, Jr.: b 20 Dec. 1926.

2 Max Turner: b 22 Feb. 1928.

iv Stella Madge: b 9 Dec. 1904, m George A. Thomason.

v E. Homer: b 16 Apr. 1908.

vi Thelma: b 4 Feb. 1911, m Ray Wells.

vii Mary Katherine: b 12 Dec. 1915.

#### 499 ALBERT MARK (11) BILLINGSLEY

*(Aaron E. 10, Mark 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)*

Born Johnson County, Texas 1 September 1889. He married at Benjamin, Texas 19 December 1909 Lela Gertrude Harris, born Fannin County, Georgia, 31 August 1892, daughter of James and Josephine Harris, of Georgia and Texas. Resided at Alvarado, Texas some years where he engaged in farming, painting and decorating, etc. In 1923 they moved to San Bernardino, California where he entered the service of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway as a locomotive and car painter, they removed to Window, Arizona in the year 1924 where he is still in the service of the Santa Fe railroad.

Albert M. Billingsley has been an ardent worker in the matter of collecting the data used herein, not only in that of his own branch but of any one of the name who would answer him and thru his assiduity and persistence many "lost ones" have been included in the records.

Children;

i Harold Harris: b 16 July 1911 at Alvarado, Tex., m 28 Jan. 1933 at Holbrook, Ariz., Ruth Crain, of Winslow, Ariz., reside Window, Ariz.

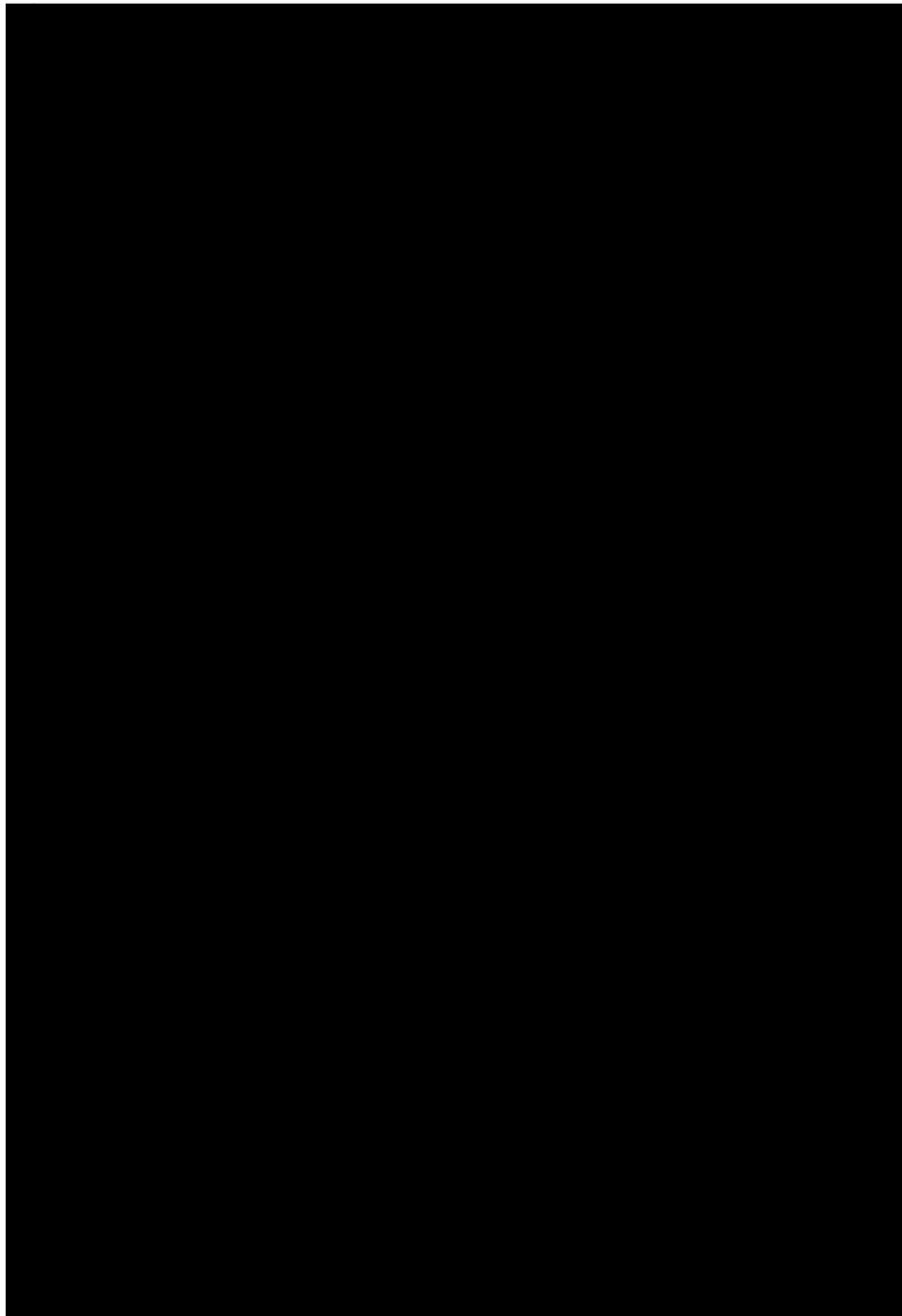
ii Sarah Josephine: b 3 Jan. 1914.

iii Albert Edmonston: b 13 Dec. 1916.

iv Charles Raymond: b 24 Sept. 1925 at Winslow, Ariz.

#### ADDENDA

Several years since in correspondence with descendants of Eli H. Billingsley we were informed he had a daughter, Nancy, who was still living, but aged. Efforts were in vain to get any information from her. In June 1934, too late for inclusion in its proper place, we learned "Aunt Nancy



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had passed to her reward," and had left the following information "my father was Hudson; uncles Cy and Zach lived in Ohio; aunt Matt never married; aunt Mary Ann went to Ohio to teach school and married a Mr. Harford or Halvey; aunt Annie married a Mr. Harrington and lived in Ohio."

It will be noted that this information checks with the data given concerning the children of William Billingsley except Mary Ann.

In November 1934 we had further information concerning Mary Ann from a descendant through Miss M. E. Houston, of Washington, D. C. The following is added to complete the record of this family.

160 MARY ANN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) See page 119 for her parents, and this Number should follow 160-A, page 323. Mary Ann was born in Stafford County, Virginia in April 1800. She became a school teacher and about 1820-21 went to Licking County, Ohio where she met and married about 1822-23 James Harvey, born Maryland 15 December 1791. He is stated to have moved to Virginia with his parents when about two years old, and to have served in the War of 1812. It is not stated when he moved to Ohio. He was married (1) to she probably died and he married (2) as stated above. In 1828 they moved to Tazewell County, Illinois being among the first settlers; in 1854 to 1857 they resided in Peoria then returned to Groveland township where he died 19 October 1859, leaving a will in which Mary Ann was sole legatee, and at her death the estate to be divided among eight children. She survived him and died in 1873 at Peoria, Illinois. Said to. have been eleven children by this marriage.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Susan Harvey: b 18-, m Newcomb.

ii Sarah Ann Harvey: b 18-, m Mombelow.

iii Hannah M. Harvey: b 5 Sept. 1823, 2d wife. She m in Aug. 1839 William H. John, removed to Coshocton Co., Ohio. He died in 1907, she was residing Havana, Ill. 1908, was still living in 1919. They had nine children, 4 were living in 1919:

1 Thomas Harvey John: b 18-, m Josephine , was living 1919 at Bloomington, Ill.

2 Mary E. John: b 18-, m Kreabaum, was living 1919.

3 Frank -John: b 18--, was living Kansas City, Mo. 1919.

4 Margaret John: b 18-, m Phillips, was living in Kansas City, Mo. in 1919.

iv Wesley B. Harvey: b 15 Dec. 1824 Ohio. He was married twice, he died 20 Feb. 1908, will probated in Tazewell Co., Ill., and names all living heirs. He had no children.

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v William A. Harvey: b 12 July 1826. He m (1) prior to 1857 Vina Erckenbrook; (2) in 1872 Maude B. Hamilton; was living in 1908 at Diagonal, Iowa. They had:

1 Frank S. Harvey: b 1857 Ill., m prior to 1878 Jennie b Iowa 1860, resided Shelden, Iowa in 1908. Had two children living in 1880: Luella and Carrie.

2 Ella Jane Harvey: b 1859-60. Called Jennie, m Marsh, resided New York in 1908.

3 Ray E. Harvey: b 1862, resided Shelden, Ia. in 1908.

vi Mary E. Harvey: b 1831 Ill. She m (1) Capt. Phillips; (2) in 1862 O. M. McTween. She had some children and was living in 1908 at Mackinaw, Ill.

vii Martha Jane Harvey: b 6 Nov. 1833 Ill. She married 3 July 1857 James Morris Burrell, b 30 Jan. 1826-28 in Albany Co., N. Y. They removed to Polk Co., Mo., where he died in 1918 and she died 16 Nov. 1920. They had:

1 Charles C. Burrell: b 1858.

2 Nettie Vienna Burrell: b 10 Jan. 1861. She m 7 Nov. 1881 Alfred Washington Mitchell, b Beverly, N. J. 10 Mar. 1856. He died 5 Sept. 1911, she survives him and resides Humansville, Mo. They had:

a Meta Pearl Mitchell: b 188- Mo., m 5 June 1907 Cleveland Alexander Newton, a lawyer. Reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

al John Alfred Newton: b 17 Oct. 1912.

b James W. Mitchell: b 188-, died infancy.

c Ethel Burrell Mitchell: b 18-, m James R. Vaughn.

d Estelle Elizabeth Mitchell: b 18-.

e Harriet Lucille Mitchell: b 18-, m Edward Bloodgood Stringham, reside Poughkeepsie, N. Y. They had:

el Katherine Varrick Stringham.

e2 Edward Barnes Stringham.

3 Wesley H. Burrell: b 1863.

viii John D. Harvey: b 183?, resided Anadarko, Okla. in 1919.

ix Drucilla Harvey: b 1839, m (1) ante 1859 Brachin; (2) Phillips; she was living in 1919 Monette, Mo.

x Harriet A. Harvey: b 1842. She married Edmund Hibbard, in 1919 some place in Wyoming. They had:

1 James Bradford Hibbard: b 1862 Ill.

2 Charles E. Hibbard: b 1863-64.

3 Ross R. Hibbard: b 1867 (Census record shows this name as Ross. It may be intended for Rosa who m Burch and named in will of Wesley B. Harvey in 1908.

4 Robert L. Hibbard: b 1871 Kan.



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Children: (known)

i Thomas: b 1869 La., deceased 1930.

ii James: b 1871, deceased.

iii Bright W.: b 1873, deceased.

iv Martha: b 1875 La., m a Mr. Cobb, they had five children, two of them were living in 1930, resided at Logansport, La. No information obtainable.

v Elizabeth: b 1876, m , they had seven children, she was deceased before 1930, residence not stated.

vi Edgar: b 1878, m , they had four children, he was deceased before 1930, residence not stated.

vii Lucy: b 1879, m a Mr. Carroll, they had six children, 3 were living in 1930, residence not stated.

viii Alfred: b 188-, m , they had eight children, 6 were living in 1930, resided Nederland, Tex. No information obtainable.

ix Henry Clay: b 11 May 1889, 2d wife, m, he resides Lufkin, Tex. where he was Sheriff in 1932.

x George S. (10) : b 20 May 1891.

xi John Jefferson: b 1896, m, reside Lufkin, Tex. in 1932.

xii Samuel Dewey: b 1899, m, reside Lufkin, Tex. in 1932.

xiii Roosevelt Jackson: b 12 Feb. 1901, resided Lufkin, Tex. in 1932 and was unmarried.

447 ELIZA JANE (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, Johns 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Florida 30 December 1831, she married 2 December 1855 Alfred Jones, born 16 January 1821, he died 28 September 1897 and she died 31 December 1921, resided in Leon County, Florida.

Children:

i Charles Spurgeon Jones: b 30 Dec. 1858, m 22 Dec. 1880 Mary E. Riddle, reside Lloyd, Fla.

ii Seaborn Alfred Jones: b 29 Oct. 1860, m (1) 3 Sept. 1890 Lucy R. Earnest; he m (2) at Macon, Ga. 15 Dec. 1927 Ona Rushin, reside Lloyd, Fla.

iii Mary Henrietta Jones: b 21 Oct. 1862, m 21 Dec. 1879 Thomas Leonard Miller, she died 5 July 1885.

iv Edmund Fuller Jones: b 12 June 1866, m 18 Sept. 1900 at Metcalfe, Ga. Emma Beane, reside Lloyd, Fla.

v William Cooper Jones: b 27 Mar. 1868, m 30 Dec. 1909 Lula G. Russell, .he died 21 Apr. 1923

448 JOHN SMITH (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 16 December 1836. He married (1) 28 November 1860 Florida Felkel. He enlisted 17 Mar. 186- Private

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Scott's Company 2d Florida Cavalry, C. S. A.; 23 August transferred to D. W. Gwynn's Company; on 3 April 1864 he is listed as Private C, 5th Florida Cavalry; paroled May 1865. He was six feet and one inch in height, black hair, and dark eyes. Florida died March 1864 and he married (2) 18 November 1867 Cynthia Ann Bradley, born Florida 8 January 1846, resided Leon County, Florida to 1872-73 then moved to Hays County, Texas where they resided to about 1904 then moved to Austin, Texas where he is listed as farmer. She died 23 October 1918 and he died 18 June 1919.

Children:

i John Williams: b 1861 Fla. Was living 1932 Santa Cruz, Calif.

ii Leonidas Felkel: b 21 Mar. 1864 Fla. He m 1 Jan. 1896 Bell Co., Tex. Ada Elizabeth McAlister, b 25 Apr. 1880 in Erath Co., Tex., she died 4 Aug. 1910 and he died 10 Jan. 1918, resided Whitney, Tex. They had:

1 Oliver Leon: b 12 Apr. 1897, m 9 Aug. 1923 at Mercury, Tex. Mynila McMurtrey, b Menard, Tex. 13 Dec. 1903, resided Brownwood, Tex., then moved to Dallas, Tex. They had:

a Oliver Leon, Jr.: b 6 Nov. 1927, died 30 Nov. 1927.

b Betty Ann: b 17 Feb. 1931.

2 Irene Millissie: b 22 May 1899 Hill Co., Tex., m 2 Jan. 1923 Forrest Dabney Clinard, b Bell Co., Tex. 1896, reside Whitney, Tex. They had:

a Celia Gwendolyn Clinard: b 24 Sept. 1923.

b Charles Oliver Clinard: b 28 Sept. 1926.

c Forrest Dabney Clinard, Jr.: b 30 Oct. 1928.

d Don J. Clinard: b 9 Oct. 1931.

3 Gwendolyn: b 27 Nov. 1902, m 15 July 1920 Julius J.

Engleman, she died 20 Aug. 1923. They had:

a Marcella Irene Engleman: b 19 July 1923.

4 John McAlister: b 13 Jan. 1904, died 2 Nov. 1905.

5 Aubrey Hugh: b 14 Nov. 1907, died 22 Apr. 1909.

iii Rennie Ethelbert: b 12 Oct. 1868, 2d wife, he m about 1888 at San Marcos, Tex., Ula Beall McCoy, they moved to Austin, Tex. about 1908 where he is listed to 1916, a divorce and he m (2), and resided Mexico City, Mex. at last accounts. They had:

1 Floyd McCoy: b 5. May 1890 at San Marcos, Tex. m about 1914 Margaret Nunor, of San Francisco, Calif. where they reside, he was business manager Moving Picture Projectionists 1932. No children.

2 Velma Ray: b 1892 San Marcos, Tex., m about 1918 Thomas W. Robisher, reside Austin, Tex. They had:

a Helen Robisher: b 19-.

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b Hazel Robisher : b 19-.

c Betty Jane Robisher: b 19-.

3 Annie Evie : b Aug. 1894, died 14 Sept. 1894.

4 Evelyn Ola: b 189-, m 1913 Bertie Lewis Hildinger, a divorce and she m (2) Ted, reside San Antonio. They had:  
a Son: b 191-, died aet. a few months.

b Bertie L. Hildinger : b ca 1916.

c Beverly Ruth Hildinger: b 1918.

5 Lewie Rennie: b ca 1895-99, m (1) Agnes , a divorce, and he m (2) 1923 Leslie, he died aet. 26 years at San Antonio, Tex.

6 Ethel: b 19-, m about 1922 Moody Nivens, reside Austin, Tex. No children.

7 Adelle: b 19-, m (1) about 1918 a Mr. Merton, a divorce in 1919 and she m (2) 1920-21 Hendrix Burden, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a Jack Burden.

8 Belle: b 19-, m James Armstrong, reside Houston, Tex., said to have three children.

iv Hugh Smith: b 2 Nov. 1871, died 27 Dec. 1917 at Austin, Tex. of pneumonia, unmarried.

v Eulalia Laura: b 15 June 1873 Tex., m 4 July 1894 at San Marcos, Tex. J. Clark Messer, of Austin, Tex. She died 6 Jan. 1919 at Austin, Tex.

vi Arthur Bradley: b 1874, died aet. few months.

vii Theodore Edward: b 17 Jan. 1876, resides El Paso, Tex. j

viii Clinton Augustus: b 6 Apr. 1878. Was in Austin, Tex. 1903-4 and listed as a "Dairy hand" with F. N. Chapin;. in 1905-6 he is listed as "Teamster"; 1909-10 resided with his brother, Rennie. He m 192- a Mrs. Callie, who had a daughter at the time of this marriage, reside Dallas, Tex. They had:

1 Florence b 1920, step daughter, goes by name of Billingsley.

ix Charles Emerson: b 10 Sept. 1879, died 22 Dec. 1919 at Fort Worth, Tex., buried at Dallas, Tex.

x Clyde Norton : b 1880, died aet : 3 months.

xi Dessie Conway: b 29 Aug.. 1881, resides San Antonio, Tex.

xii Leila Vance: b 22 June 1885, San Marcos, Tex., m 24 Dec. 1908 at Austin, Tex., William Henry Luter, Ill., b Mobile, Ala., reside Culver City, Calif. 1932. No children. It was thru her efforts that the record of this family was brought to this state of completion.

xiii Viola Josephine: b 18 Nov. 1886 San Marcos, Tex., m 1926 Fred J. Melberg, reside Seattle, Wash. They had:

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1 Fred J. Melberg, Jr.: b Mar. 1928.

xiv Flavius Roswell: b 14 Apr. 1890 San Marcos, Tex. 1909-10, he is listed at Austin, Tex. as "Teamster"; 1912-13, 2d Supt. Deaf and Dumb Inst. He m 1914 Ethel Irwin, of Austin; 1916 listed as "teacher" Deaf and Dumb Inst.; and 1920 as Supt. of same; moved to Akron, Ohio during the year and resided there several years, was again in Austin, Tex. in 1928, resides Houston, Tex. 1932. They had:

1 John Smith: b 16 Jan. 1916 Tex. died 1 Nov. 1922 Akron, Ohio.

2 William Henry: b 10 July 1920 Akron, Ohio.

3 Roy Irwin: b 25 Nov. 1925, at Austin, Tex.

xv Rudolph Rumel: b 18 Oct. 1892. Was in U. S. Army 1932, Air Corps.

### 449 HENRY CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 1 April 1839. He enlisted 30 Aug. 1861 at Tallahassee, Florida as Private 2d Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 31 Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at Memphis, Tennessee; 30 Apr. 1862 was in Company E; on 30 June 1862 on furlough, sick; on 31 October 1862 was in Company M; wounded at Gettysburg and captured, in hospital 4 j July 1863, exchanged 31 July 1863; October 1863 present; 1 February 1864 transferred to Company D, and April 1864 absent, wounded; 31 August 1864 in hospital; October 1864 on sick furlough, and February 1865 furloughed home; he was five feet and ten inches in height, black hair, and dark eyes. (War Dept. Records) We have been informed that some of the wounds mentioned above left him a cripple the rest of his days. He married 10 October 1866 Martha Elizabeth Hall, born Randolph County, Georgia 28 December 1841. He was a farmer and died 4 February 1914, she survived him a few years and died 13 March 1919, family Baptists, and resided Leon County, Florida.

Children:

i Edward Ley: b 22 Nov. 1867, m 11 Nov. 1896 Lee Fleeting, b Leon Co., Fla. 1868. He is a member of Woodmen of the World, family Baptist, and reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Winifred Wilkinson: b 2 Feb. 1899, died 18 Sept. 1900.

ii Fellows Henry: b 9 Nov. 1869, m 19 July 1913 at Tallahassee, Fla. Pearl Thompson. He is a , farmer, family Baptist. He has furnished information on this family, reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Edith May: b 4 May 1914.

2 Henry Ford: b 20 June 1916.

3 Ethel Eliza: b 28 Nov. 1918.

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4 Fellows Edward: b 28 Nov. 1922, died 8 Dec. 1922.

5 Lulian Lowry: b 15 Oct. 1924.

iii John Powell: b 2 Dec. 1871, m 12 Oct. 1894 Lela Hawk at Tallahassee, Fla. He is a farmer, member of Woodmen of the World, family Baptist and reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Norman King: b 5 Oct. 1905, m 2 Jan. 1930 Eunice Allen, reside Lloyd, Fla.

2 Forrest E.: b 18 May 1908, m 12 Feb. 1931 Grace Dowless, reside Lloyd, Fla.

3 Ruby Lee: b 4 Aug. 1910, died 19 June 1915.

4 Hugh: b 30 Jan. 1913.

5 Mildred: b 19 May 1915.

6 Jewel: b 1 Aug. 1918.

iv Mattie Gertrude: b 7 Apr. 1874, m 5 Sept. 1894 William J. Johnson, reside Chaires, Fla. They had:

1 Eulalia Estelle Johnson: b 31 July 1896, m 6 May 1917 Ansley O. Stephens, reside Chaires, Fla. They had

a Kathryn Estelle Stephens: b 11 July 1918.

b Alvin O. Stephen, : b 19 Feb. 1921.

2 James Leslie Johnson: b 12 May 1898, m 1923 Elisabeth Burrows, reside Tampa, Fla.

3 Leon Derrick Johnson: b 26 Apr. 1905, m 3 July 1927 at Tampa, Fla. Myrtis Shaw, reside Bradenton, Fla.

v Sarah Maud: b 28 Sept. 1877, died 28 Feb. 1883.

vi Emma Willie: b 21 July 1880, resides Atlanta, Ga.

450 GEORGE WASHINGTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John ;2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 20 December 1842. He enlisted 26 April 186- Private Gamble's Company, Florida Light Artillery, present April 1862; A. W. O. L. 11 December 1864; paroled May 1865; he was five feet and eight inches in height, dark hair, and dark eyes. (War Dept. Records) He married prior to 1869 Sarah Ann Hall, born 25 September 1847 in Florida, daughter of Fellows Henry Hall and Sarah Cook. Resided in Leon County, Florida many years then moved to San Antonio, Texas where he died 30 September 1916, she survived him some years and died 25 January 1929 result of automobile accident.

Children:

i Ids M.: b Mar. 1869, died 1870's.

ii Berths F.: b Feb. 1870, died 1870's.

iii Sallie Corine: b 26 July 1875, m a Mr. Anderson, reside San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Hazel Vern Anderson: b 1-, m Henry Brenham.

2 Florence Anderson: b 1-, m D. Harrod Baker.

3 Bessie Anderson: b 1-, m Harold Dillashaw.

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4 Frank Anderson: b 1--.

iv Olive Emma: b 12 Aug. 1877, m prior to 1911 Walter Charles Belder, b 10 Oct. 1882, reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished data on this family. They had:

1 Leonard George Belder: b 13 Feb. 1911.

v Florida Belle: b 21 June 1880, m a Mr. Myers, reside Eagle, Pass. Tex. They had:

1 Carrie Myers: b 1-, m Helma Frick, res. Eagle Pass, Tex.

2 Naomi Myers: b 1-, m -Percy Storms, reside San Francisco, Calif.

vi Jesse Powell: b 25 Feb. 1883, m , reside Crystal City, Tex. They had

1 Frances.

2 Margie.

3 Jesse Powell, Jr.

451 SIDNEY COLEMAN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Anson County, North Carolina in 1844. He enlisted 24 February 1862 Private H, 43d N. C. Infantry, C. S. A.; 3d Corp. June 1862; 21 Apr. 1863 sick in Wilson hospital; 18 August 186-1 sick in hospital at Winchester, Virginia,; captured 19 October 1864 as Strasburg, Virginia, and released 24 June 1865. He was five feet and ten inches in height, dark hair and light blue eyes. He was a farmer after the war and then became a Methodist minister. He married 10 June 1876 Mary Jane Teal, born Morven, North Carolina in 1853. He died at Polkton, North Carolina 5 February 1921, she survived him a few years and died 17 December 1926.

Children:

i Anna E.: b 22 July 1877, m 29 Dec. 1896 William Thomas Allen, his 2d wife. She died 27 July 1906 and he m (3)

Lucy Jane Billingsley, see below. They had:

1 Clifford Allen: b 1898, died aet. 18 months.

2 Mary Ellen Allen: b ca 1900.

ii Carrandon Carlton: b 27 May 1879, m 23 Mar. 1914 Lora Porter, he is with Seaboard Air Line railway, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

1 Carlton, Coleman: b ca, 1916.

2 Willard Potter: b 19-.

iii Nettle A.: b 27 May 1882, m 19 Feb. 1902 Victor Smith, she died 9 Apr. 1925. They had:

1 Beulah Smith: b 19-, m Marion Hendley, residence not stated. They had

a Ednagra Hendley: b ca 1928.

b Nettle Maxine Hendley: b 1931.

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iv Lucy Jane: b 7 Aug. 1884, m 9 Sept. 1906 William Thomas Allen, his 3d wife, resided East Rockingham, N. C. They had:

- 1 William T. Alley, Jr.: b 190-.
- 2 Annie Alley: b ca 1911, m a Mr. Heeney. They had:
  - a Bettie Lou Heeney: b 1929.
  - b William McDonald Heeney: b 1931.
- 3 Nell Allen: b 1919.

v Willard J.: b 19 Dec. 1886, died 4 June 1889.

vi Sallie E.: b 21 Dec. 1889, m 1910 Frank Tyson, residence not stated. They had:

- 1 Fred Tyson: b ca 1912.
- 2 Emma Tyson.
- 3 Ruby Tyson.
- 4 John R. Tyson.
- 5 Zebulon Tyson.
- 6 Esther Tyson.
- 7 Jessie Ray Tyson.

vii Edmund F.: b 24 Apr. 1891, m 11 Aug. 1912 Ada Bailey, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

- 1 James Edward: b ca 1914.
- 2 Mason Cline: b 19-.
- 3 Margaret Elizabeth: b 19-.
- 4 Keith Maxwell: b 1927.

viii Minnie Lee: b 5 Oct. 1893, m 1911 Millard Horne, reside Peachland, N. C. They had

- 1 William Horne.
- 2 Louise Horne.
- 3 Mary Lee Horne.
- 4 Charles Horne.
- 5 Millard Horne, Jr.
- 6 Martha Horne.
- 7 Ellie Horne.
- 8 Jimmy Rogers Horne.

ix Zebulon, David: b 11 Mar. 1897, m 28 Sept. 1920 Jennie Morrison, b Richmond Co., N. C. in 1897. Reside Rockingham, N. C. They have no children.

452 WILLIAM MARTIN ('9) BILLINGSLEY

(*David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1*) Born in Anson County, North Carolina- in 1848. He is stated to have served a. short period in Confederate service near the close of the war. His names does not appear on the War Department records tho this does not prove he did not serve. He married (1) prior to 1871 Eliza J. Bennett, born South Carolina 185-, she died October 1871 and he married (2) in 1873 Annie E. Bennett, born 4 March 1855,

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sister to his first wife. He was a farmer resided near Hamlet, North Carolina where he died 9 January 1917, she survived him a few months and died 6 December 1917. Family Methodists.

Children:

i John David: b 15 Oct. 1871, died 23 July 1903, unmarried.

ii Harriet Alie: b 13 Sept. 1874 near Wadesboro, N. C. She married (1) 30 Oct. 1895 Griffin D. Watkins, b N. C. 18-, he died 28 Oct. 1903. She married (2) in 1922 E. J. Coble, b N. C. 1861, his 3d wife. Family Methodist, reside Albermarle, N: C. She has shown considerable interest in the history and has secured much information on her own branch of the family. They had:

1 Griffin D. Watkins: b 14 Sept. 1896, m 25 Dec. 1924 Margie Josey. He is an electrician, reside Florence, S. C.

They had:

a Margaret Ann Watkins: b 11 Oct. 1925.

b Marion Lee Watkins: b 1927.

c Griffin D. Watkins: b 10. Sept. 1929.

2 Nellie May Watkins: b 23 Mar. 1898, m 23 Dec. 1915 B. F. Duncan, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

a B. F. Duncan, Jr.: b 25 Sept. 1919.

3 James B. Watkins: b 28 Sept. 1901. Was unmarried 1933.

4 Gladys M. Watkins: b 2 Mar. 1904, m 10 Sept. 1922 A. L. Shankle, reside Albermarle, N. C. No children.

iii James Marcus: b 1 Feb. 1876, m (1) Cappie F. Edwards, of Robeson Co., N. C. she died about 1919 and he m (2) 29 Mar. 1922 Lula Gibson, of Richmond Co., N. C. reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

1 Lois Ethel: b 15 June 1924.

2 Edna Page: b 15 July 1926.

3 James Marcus: b 1928, died aet. 8 months. j

4 William Everett: b 9 July 1930.

5 Roy Mitchell: b 19 Jan. 1933.

iv William Edmund: b 25 Jan. 1878, m 25 Dec. 1907 Ava May Stuckey, b 20 Mar. 1885, Chesterfield, S. C. See Davis Family, by H. A. Davis, for her ancestry. He died 18 Oct. 1910 in Arizona, she m (2) 20 Sept. 1914 A. A. May, she died 20 Nov. 1918. They had:

1 Ava May: b 3 Oct. 1909, m 12 Oct. 1932 Angus B. McLaughlin, reside Florence, S. C.

v Mary Eliza: b 10 Jan. 1880, m George W. Kyker, reside Ashville, N. C. They had: .

1 Fletcher Kyker: b 1904.

2 Clara Kyker: b 1907.

3 Julia Kyker : b 1910.'



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vi Guilford Coleman: b 31 Oct. 1882, died 15 Nov. 1905. vii Eugene Garland: b 31 Oct. 1887, m Ella Mae McCaskell nee Watson, a divorcee after 1923, he was a railroad man, resided Hamlet, N. C. Family Methodist. He died 18 Jan. 1932 of pneumonia. They had:

- 1 Ruby May: b 1916.
- 2 James Garland: b 1921.
- 3 William Ray: b 1923.

viii Willie Franklin: b 6 Sept. 1889, m 24 Dec. 1919 Ruth Barricks, he is a railroad man, member of Knights of Pythias, family Methodist, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

- 1 Lois Annie: b 8 Mar. 1922.
- 2 William Franklin: b 29 Jan. 1924.
- 3 Robert Edward: b 8 Oct. 1925.
- 4 Frances Ellen: b 12 Apr. 1927.

ix Jefferson Coleman: b 19 Dec. 1892, m 13 Sept. 1919 Anabel Gibson, he is a railroad man, reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

- 1 Hallie Elizabeth: b 2 Oct. 1920.
- 2 Ernest Oscar: b 17 Jan. 1922.
3. Freida Vivian: b 3 Apr. 1923.
- 4 Annie Laurie: b 24 Nov. 1924.
- 5 Bennett T.: b 5 Sept. 1926.
- 6 Melba Louise: b 10 June 1928.
- 7 David Jefferson: b 28 Sept. 1932.

x Lonnie Powell: b 23 Dec. 1896, m 30 Aug. 1929 Lettie Thompson. He is a railroad man, reside Hampton, Va. They had:

- 1 Betty Ann: b 13 Feb. 1931.
- 2 William Eugene: b June 1932.

#### 453 JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Pike County, Georgia 20 May 1836. Was reared in the home of his grandfather, Elias Billingsley. He and his brother, John P., moved to Texas about 1856 to join their father. He married 9 May 1858 Nancy Jane Jones, born Illinois, 10 Aug. 1837, resided Rusk County, Texas. We do not find his name listed in War Department records as a soldier in the Civil War. He was a farmer and died 24 July 1881, she survived him and died 17 December 1917. Resided in Rusk and Lamar Counties, Texas.

Children:

i Thomas Perry: b 24 Feb. 1859, m Mary Reed, of Mt. Enterprise, Tex. residence not stated, both supposed to be living in 1932. They had:

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- 1 Thomas.
- 2 Ina.
- 3 Annie.

ii Harriet Ellen: b 22 Nov. 1860, m Andrew McIlvane, residence not stated, supposed to be living 1932. They had:

- 1 James McIlvane: b 18-, m Annie Thompson. They had:
  - a Orbon McIlvane.
  - b May Delle McIlvane.
  - c Mildred McIlvane.
  - d George McIlvane.
- 2 George McIlvane: b 18-, m Minnie Clark. No children.
- 3 Ruth McIlvane : b 18-, m Corbon C. Alexander. They had:
  - a Mack Alexander.
  - b James Alexander.
  - c Billy Jane Alexander.
- 4 Emory McIlvane: b 18-, died childhood.

iii Martha Jane: b 21 Sept. 1862, died 28 Dec. 1863.

iv Emily Ann : b 10 Jan. 1864, died 17 Oct. 1867.

v James William (10) : b 5 Jan. 1867.

vi Louisa Louise: b 1869-70, m C. M. Duke, residence not stated, both supposed to be living 1932. They had:

- 1 Benjamin Hill Duke.
- 2 Robert Duke.
- 3 Eva Duke.
- 4 Ova Duke.
- 5 Milburn Duke.
- 6 Iva Duke.
- 7 Eldred Duke.

vii John Pulaski: b 19 Jan. 1872, resided Henderson, Tex. 1932.

viii George Franklin: b 1 Jan. 1875, died 2 Oct. 1875. E

ix Sarah E.: b 6 Jan. 1877, died 19 Dec. 1877.

x Robert Madison (10) : b 19 Sept. 1879.

454 ROBERT BENJAMIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida or Thomas County, Georgia in 1844. He enlisted 15 May 186- Private K, 5th Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 9 September 1862 a prisoner and paroled; October 1862 left sick in Maryland; 23 April 1863 transferred to 1st Battalion Florida Volunteers, this became Company E, 10th Florida Infantry. Paroled from Libbey prison April 1865. He married prior to 1866 Sarah Elizabeth Jones, born Florida in 1848, resided Thomas County, Georgia in 1870 and in Leon County,

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Florida in 1880. -He was a farmer, Sarah died 28 February 1892 and he died 22 November 1899.'

Children:

i Margaret A.: b 16 Sept. 1866, died 1867-6,8.

ii Mary E.: b 25 Aug. 1868, she m 20 Jan. 1881 Berton Marshall Courtney, b 5 Nov. 1865, she died 13 Nov. 1910, he survived her and died 26 Aug. 1930, resided Leon Co., Fla. They had:

1 Mary Frances Courtney: b 25 Sept. 1888, m Sherley Smithson.

2 Berton Marshall Courtney, Jr.: b 19 Oct. 1889.

3 Lora Elizabeth Courtney: b 13 Aug. 1893, m 1 May 1914 Albert L. Billingsley, son of William H. Billingsley, No. 455, which see.

4 Otho Caloway Courtney: b 26 Nov. 1895.

5 Fannie Lee Courtney: b 13 Oct. 1899, died 13 Mar. 1901.

6 James Samuel Courtney: b 8 Oct. 1902. Said to have resided Washington, D. C. 1931, we have been unable to locate any one of this name in this city.

7 Estelle Courtney: b 1905, m 1928 Grover Nixon.

8 Bersho Courtney: b 18 Oct. 1907, m 1926 Lovard McMichael.

iii Sidney I.: b 4 Mar. 1871, died in 1880's.

iv Anna G.: b 19 Sept. 1874, died in 1880's.

v James Addison: b 6 Sept. 1876, m 21 Jan. 1900 at Metcalfe, Ga., Frauline Barrow, b Ga. 3 Oct. 1876, reside Samson, Ala. They had

1 Child: b 14 Jan. 1901, died same day.

2 Pansy: b 10 Apr. 1903.

3 Elizabeth: b 20 Oct. 1906.

vi Robert Benjamin, Jr.: b 29 Jan. 1882, died small.

vii Polly A.: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, statements as to year not in accord. She m 23 July 1906 at Thomasville, Ga. William T. Applewhite, reside Milton, Fla. They had:

1 Agnes Rae Applewhite: b 3 Sept. 1908 Ga.

2 Edna Thelma Applewhite: b 25 Jan. 1912 Ga.

3 William Randolph Applewhite: b 13 Sept. 1913, died 26 July 1915 in Ga.

viii Callie L: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, a twin of Polly she m 2 Apr. 1910 at Thomasville, Ga. William H. Wood, b Talbotton, Ga., reside Tallahassee, Fla. They had:

1 William H. Wood, Jr.: b 8 Jan. 1911.

2 Anna Louise Wood: b 29 Nov. 1914.

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455 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida in 1846, was living at home -of his parents in 1870 and married prior to 1878 Swan Elizabeth Hancock, born Georgia in 1860, daughter of Joseph Hancock. Resided in Thomas County, Georgia where he died in 1916, she survives him (1932).

Children:

i James A.: b 1878, died small.

ii William Augustus: b 7 Aug. 1881, m 10 June 1901 Lee Youngblood. He died 7 Aug. 1909 and she m (2) M. L. Peterman, of Butler, Ga. where they reside. No record of Peterman children. They had:

1 William Taylor: b 28 Apr. 1902, m 1923 Frances Cone, of Ludowici, Ga. Residence not stated, said to have several children.

2 Roy Lee: b 27 Nov. 1904, m, about 1925, residence not stated, said to have several children.

iii Lucy Kate: b 7 Mar. 1883, m 3 Feb. 1910 William Thomas Williams, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 Elizabeth Mae Williams: b 12 May 1911, m 27 Mar. 1928 Samuel Joseph Pettigrew. They had:

a Joseph William Pettigrew: b 25 Dec. 1929.

2 William Anderson Williams: b 27 Sept. 1913.

3 Sophie Edna Williams: b 17 Apr. 1919.

iv Joseph Thomas: b 18 Feb. 1885, m 25 Feb. 1916 Lillie Belle Sarrette, reside Miccosukee, Fla. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Joseph Earl: b 12 July 1917.

2 Lillie Edna: b 19 Jan. 1920.

v Blunt Strickland: b 14 Oct. 1888, m 3 Mar. 1911 Lula Whitfield, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had:

1 Luella: b 25 Oct. 1912, died 26 June 1917. .

2 Walter May: b 26 May 1917.

3 Joseph Henry: b 1 Jan. 1920.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 2 June 1890, m 6 Sept. 1919 John Jerry Wyrick, reside Miccosukee, Fla. They had:

1 Gussie Elizabeth Wyrick: b 22 Aug. 1920.

2 Lucy Gertrude Wyrick: b 18 Jan. 1922.

3 Martha Geraldine Wyrick: b 10 Oct. 1923.

4 Gladys Louise Wyrick: b 31 Oct. 1925. .

5 Annie Grace Wyrick: b 1 Mai. 1928.

vii Albert Lee: b 2 Dec. 1892, m 1 May 1914 Lora Elizabeth Courtney, b Ga. 13 May 1893, see No. 454, reside Thomasville, Ga. We have not been able to secure names of their daughters. They had:

1 Daughter: b 1916.

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2 Daughter: b 1921.

viii Robert Henry: b 26 Feb. 1895, m 19 Nov. 1916 Haley Russell McElvey, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 William Albert: b 27 Sept. 1917.

2 Mattie Sue: b 6 Dec. 1919.

3 Winifred Virginia: b 22 Aug. 1922.

4 Mildred Elma: b 1 Sept. 1925.

5 Robert Henry: b 10 Apr. 1928.

ix Charles Eugene: b 2 Nov. 1900, died 3 Apr. 1923.

x Susie Mae: b 27 Apr. 1905, m 17 Apr. 1926 Henry Beaver, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had

1 Jack Beaver: b 28 Dec. 1926.

456 THOMAS WILSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(William 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement S, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Perry County, Alabama in 1831, moved to Mississippi with his parents about October 1840. He married in 1851-52 at Lodi, Mississippi, Susannah Loggins, born Mississippi in 1834, a daughter of Henry Loggins, born Tennessee November 1808, living in 1880, and Elizabeth Darden, born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1811, moved to Alabama with her parents before 1820 and was married in Tuscaloosa County, moved to Mississippi and resided in Montgomery County, where she died in 1873. Thomas and his wife resided in Choctaw County, Mississippi in 1860. He enlisted 22 March 1862 at Lodi, Miss. and was appointed Captain, Company C, 30th Miss. Infantry, C. S. A.; December 1862, absent sick; on a list of prisoners captured at Stone River, no date shown; a roll dated February 1863 shows, "Died 13 January 1863 Murfreesboro." Susannah survived him a few years and died in 1867, presumably at the home of her father in Montgomery County.

Children:

i Robert: b ca 1853, died infancy.

ii Annabel: b 1856, m ca 1878 Walter Trotter, b Miss. 1850, a lawyer, resided Winona, Miss. in 1880 where she died Sept. 1884. They had, known:

1 L. M. Trotter: b 1879 (daughter).

iii De Votie (10) : b 5 Dec. 1858.

iv Thomas Martin: b 186, m after 1880 Nanie Shaw, he died in or about 1925 leaving no children, she was living 1931.

457 ROBERT BRUCE (9); BILLINGSLEA

*(Cyrus 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Perry County, Alabama in April 1860, moved to Florida with his parents and married there prior to 1885 Buerilla Edrington, born 18-, she died at Brooksville, Florida in 1894 and he married (2) a Mrs. Kathleen Heron, they reside Russum, Mississippi. Both were living

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in 1932 and effort was made to secure some clue to his brother, Llewellyn and his family but without any success as he would not answer any letters from any one.

Children:

i Francis Carroll: b Feb. 1885. At least accounts he was living at Kingston, Jamaica.

ii Charlotte Bernice: b 29 Dec. 1889, m Howard B. Sterrett, and resided Charlotte, N. C. where she died 8 Aug. 1926, he was living 1931. They had:

1 Robert Bruce Sterrett: b 27 June 1917.

2 Bernice Sterrett: b 1920.

iii William Cyrus: b 29 Dec. 1889, a twin of Bernice, at Brooksville, Fla. He married 3 Oct. 1922 Genevieve Anderson Dale, b Hinds Co., Miss. 23 Jan. 1888. He is a farmer and resides Russum, Miss. He has furnished some of this information. They had:

1 Marjorie Kethleen: b 21 Feb. 1924.

2 Howard Bruce: b 5 Aug. 1926.

3 William Cyrus, Jr.: b 6 Apr. 1928.

458 SIAS CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*George W. 8, Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, Alabama 5 July 1854, moved to Talladega County with his parents before 1860. He married 20 April 1879 at Ashland, Alabama, Sarah Jane King, born Ashland, Alabama 28 October 1864. He was a farmer, resided Clay County, Alabama where she died 17 June 1897, he survived her some years and died at Mobile, Alabama 13 October 1924, buried Clay County, Alabama.

Children:

i Lillie Joe: b 14 May 1881 at Ashland, Ala., she m 8 Jan. 1927 at Brewton, Ala. A. W. Rogers, b 7 July 1869, Choctaw Co., Ala. reside Brewton, Ala. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

ii Annie E.: b 31 July 1883, m W. S. Pearce, reside Bucatunna, Miss. They had

1 William Clay Pearce.

2 Lewis Scott Pearce.

3 Daughter Pearce: m Jesse J. Brewer, reside Chicago, Ill.

4 Joseph Fulman Pearce.

5 Annie Katherine Pearce.

6 Sarah Helen Pearce.

7 Arthur Woods Pearce.

8 Brooks Billingsley Pearce.

9 Eula Glynn Pearce.

iii Mary C.: b 2 Sept. 1885, resides Fruitland Park, Fla.

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iv Arthur W.: b 27 Jan. 1887, m Claude Moreland, reside San Angelo, Texas, he was serving as Deputy U. S. Marshal Northern Tex. Dist. in 1930. They had:

1 Dovis Ruth.

2 Mary Marcine.

v Samuel Fulman: b 17 July 1889, m Ethel Rogers, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Samuel Fulman, Jr.

2 Joseph Clay.

vi Carrie King: b 15 Dec. 1890, m J. M. Magruder, reside Fruitland Park, Fla. They had

1 Cary Billingsley Magruder.

vii Esther S.: b 20 Feb. 1892, m Rev. John Luther Moye, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth Moye.

2 John Luther Moye, Jr.

viii Edda Mae: b 29 Aug. 1895, m Bryan W. Whitfield, she was deceased 1930.

#### 459 CHARLES NATHANIEL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi, 3 February 1847, shortly before midnight. He married 28 November 1872 Mrs. Laura Jane Lowry, born 28 January 1854. He died 19 January 1925, no mention of her death or if she is living (1932), resided in Tate County, near Senatobia, Mississippi.,

Children:

i Elizabeth: b 28 Nov. 1873, m 4 Feb. 1906 Walter DeShazo, reside Senatobia, Miss. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Raymond DeShazo: b 14 Jan. 1907.

2 Virgil Lee DeShazo: b 14 Apr. 1909.

3 .Howard DeShazo: b 3 Dec. 1910, is in U. S. Navy.

4 Eone DeShazo: b 22 Apr. 1912, is a trained nurse.

5 Ira Lynn DeShazo : b 9 June 1914. \_

6 Gladys Virginia DeShazo: b 15 Sept. 1915.

ii Robert Lee (10) : b 19 Mar. 1876.

iii Mollies b 30 Oct. 1879, died 26 July 1885.

iv Samuel D.: b 15 Jan. 1882, m \$ May 1910 Blanche Murphy, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Marie: b 14 Sept. 1912.

2 Lois: b 2 Oct. 1915.

3 Eloise: b 31 Oct. 1917.

4 Henry Murphy: b 5 June 1920.

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v James Oscar: b 23 June 1884, m 24 June 1915 Lucile Mothershed. He died 3 Sept. 1928, she survives him and resides Looxahoma, Miss. They had:

- 1 Elsie: b 8 Aug. 1916.
- 2 Jack: b 19 May 1918.
- 3 Doris: b 28 Feb. 1920.
- 4 . Janette: b 22 May 1924, died 12 Nov. 1926.

vi William L.: b 19 Feb. 1887, m 21 Mar. 1914 Ruth Martin, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

- 1 Esther: b 6 Nov. 1916.
- 2 William: b 25 Apr. 1919.
- 3 Bernice: b 27 Dec. 1923.
- 4 Jerome: b 19 Sept. 1925.
- 5 Charles: b 15 Aug. 1927.

vii Leona: b 18 July 1891, m 14 Dec. 1913 Jodie Barmer, reside Senatobia, Miss. They had:

- 1 Wayne Barmer: b 24 Aug. 1915.
- 2 Kenneth Barmer: b 5 Dec. 1917.

viii Annie Laura: b 11 Dec. 1893, m 11 Jan. 1914 Eugene Wynne, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had

- 1 Thomas Lee Wynne: b Sept. 1919 (adopted).
- 2 Bobby Gene Wynne: b 12 Jan. 1932.

#### 460 ZACHARIAH TAYLOR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi in 1849. He married (1) in 1871 Caroline Frances Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1853, she died in 1879 and he married (2) in 1880 Callie Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1861, sister to his first wife. Resided in Tate County to about 1885 when they moved to Arkansas where he died 27 December 1914, she survived him and died 2 May 1925, residence not stated though probably in Lee County, Arkansas.

Children:

i James: b 6 July 1872 Miss., m Margaret Hurley, he was deceased before 1932, resided Ark. No record of children.

ii Cyrus Nathaniel (10) : b B Dec. 1874.

iii William: b 15 Sept. 1875, m prior to 1914 Kate Clark, b Miss. 189-, daughter of William J. T. B. Clark and Susan Billingsley, see No. 321, he died about 1927-28 at Hulbert, Ark., she m (2) Floy, . Harrison, and resided Forrest City, Ark. in 1932. They had

- 1 Clark: b 1914.
- 2 Carlton: b 1916, died aet. 5 years.
- 3 Laverne: b 1920, died aet. 2 years.
- 4 Annie Wilma: b 1921.
- 5 Blanche Natalie: b 1924.



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6 Kathleen Evelyn: b 1926. iv Edward: b 20 Feb. 1877 Miss., m Bessie Blount, reside Ark. v Cora: b 19 Jan. 1879 Miss., m , reside Ark. vi Lirk: b 7 Sept. 1882, 2d wife, m Emma Lou Parker, reside Ark.

vii Mollies b 16 Feb. 1884, m Steve Hurt, his 2d wife, reside Ark.

viii Carlton: b 27 May 1885, was deceased in 1932, never married.

ix Claud: b-8 Nov. 1887, m Fannie Wilkes, reside Ark.

x Nona: b 22 June 1889, m Steve Hurt, she died 1910 and he m (2) Mollie Billingsley, see above. !

xi Samuel: b 4 Sept. 1890, m, reside Ark.

#### 461 ALFORD NICHOLAS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William, 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born De Soto County, Mississippi 6 May 1851. He married (1) prior to 1876 Susan Wynne, born Mississippi in 1855, resided in Tate County in 1880. He became a Missionary Baptist minister and labored in North Mississippi, she died in the 1890's. List of all her children not known and all said to be deceased in 1931. He married (2) 5 Dec. 1901 at Cockrum, Mississippi Susan Rebecca Doak, born Mississippi 11 August 1866, he died 8 November 1917, she survives him and divides her time between her sons, in Memphis, Tennessee and Helena, Arkansas.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Charles: b 1876. Living in 1880.

ii John C.: b 1879. Living in 1880.

iii Walter Afford: b 18 Feb. 1883 at Looxahoma, Miss., he married 20 July 1902 at Lula, Miss., Thornton Elizabeth Billingsley, b Holly Springs, Miss. 26 Jan. 1891, daughter of David C. Billingsley and Ellen Meek, see No. 159. They moved to Memphis, Tenn. where he died 25 Dec. 1921, she survives him. They had:

1 Rivers Camack: b 24 Jan. 1907 Lula, Miss.

2 Mary Thelma: b 10 Jan. 1911, died 18 Feb. 1911.

3 Katherine Elizabeth: b 17 Dec. 1916.

iv Thomas Afford: b 12 Oct. 1902, 2d wife, m Mabel Gambill, reside Memphis, Tenn. No children.

v Jesse James: b 19 Sept. 1905, . m Corinne McBride, reside Helena, Ark. They had:

1 Peggy: b 1927.

2 Claire: b 1929.

3 James: b Sept. 1931.

vi Edward Franklin: b 27 Jan. 1910. Is in U. S. Navy, on U. S. S. Maryland in 1931.

## 462 JOHN WILLIAM (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born DeSoto County, Mississippi, 24 January 1853. He married (1) prior to 1875 Elizabeth Winn, or Wynne, born Mississippi in 185-, she died in 1878 and he married (2) prior to 1882 Martha Jane Billingsley, born Mississippi in 1858, daughter of Elias Y. Billingsley, No. 324. He was a farmer and was generally known as "John Cy," as there were some five Johns who lived in the vicinity. Martha Jane was generally known as "Crick" Billingsley. He died 16 February 1925, she survives him and resides Senatobia, Mississippi.

## Children:

i Susan Evelyn: b 30 Sept. 1875, she m (1) 1 Jan. 1896 Odas A. McPeters, b Miss. 18 Sept. 1874, they moved to Mt. Pleasant, Tex. and later to Lone Wolf, Okla., where he died 13 Apr. 1909, she m (2) 7 July 1917 R. B. Robertson, b Murfreesboro, Tenn. 14 Mar. 1878, reside Annona, Texas. They had:

1 Vernon A. McPeters: b 30 Jan. 1898, m May 1919, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Estelle McPeters: b 24 Aug. 1920.

2 Estelle McPeters : b 11 May 1900, m 20 Feb. 1919 Thomas V. Watson, reside Humphreys, Okla. They had:

a Thomas V. Watson, Jr.: b 19 Dec. 1919.

3 Dee Esther McPeters: b 6 June 1902, m 5 Oct. 1919 Hubert Garrison, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Huubert Garrison, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1921.

b Earl Ray Garrison: b 23 May 1923, died 20 July 1923.

4 Child: b 8 Nov. 1904, died 28 July 1905.

5 Edna McPeters: b 29 May 1906, m 3 Sept. 1924 a Mr. Marsh, reside Annona, Tex. They had:

a Billie Dee Marsh: b 9 June 1925.

b Eva Sue Marsh: b 18 Aug. 1927.

6 Kiowa McPeters: b 26 Mar. 1909 at Lone Wolf, Okla., died 10 Apr. 1909.

ii Addie: b 8 Dec. 1877, died aet. 11 years.

iii Amanda Virginia: b 5 Oct. 1882, known as "Jennie," m 3 June 1900 Frank Golden, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 7 Sept. 1901, still born.

2 Raymond Haschal Golden: b 29 Aug. 1902, m 23 Sept. 1923 Gertie Ilene Sanders, residence not stated. They had:

a Lillian Virginia Golden: b 10 Dec. 1924.

b Lancaster Golden: b 23 July 1927.

c Raymond Haschal Golden, Jr.: b 10 Aug. 1929.

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d May Ilene Golden: b 18 Dec. 1931.

3 Essie Irene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905.

4 Effie Lorene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905 a twin, d aet. 4 months.

5 Durward Delmas Golden: b 27 June 1907.

6 Audrey Hope Golden: b 3 Dec. 1909, died 30 Jan. 1911.

7 Thorwald Golden: b 5 June 1915. j

8 Margaret Elizabeth Golden: b 9 Oct. 1917.

iv Lillie Agnes: b 22 Jan. 1885, died aet. 3 years.

v Edwin Franklin: b 10 June 1887, m May 1907 Maud Sewell, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Maggie Lee: b 17 May 1908, m 13 Oct. 1923 Aubrey Gordon, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

a Thomas Gordon: b 3 July 1925.

b Imogene Gordon: b 21 Apr. 1927.

c Billy Gordon: b 11 July 1930.

2 Lottie Mae: b 6 Sept. 1910; m 2 Feb. 1930 R. J. Crockett. They had:

a Ava Nell Crockett: b 5 Nov. 1930.

3 Thomas: b 1 June 1915.

4 Elmer: b 4 Sept. 1918. Twins.

5 Thelma: b 4 Sept. 1918.

vi Rowena Rebecca: b 9 May 1889, known as "Winnie," m William W. Crockett, residence not stated, probably Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 19-, still born.

2 Annie Laura Crockett.

3 Mary Wilma Crockett.

vii Susie Irene: b 29 Sept. 1891, died infancy, accidentally killed by a fall.

viii Elias Cyrus: b 1 Aug. 1893, generally known as "Ray Billingsley," m 17 Feb. 1932 Mabel Hale, reside Senatobia, miss.

463 JOHN F. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Jackson County, Tennessee 2 December 1842, moved to Sullivan and Monroe Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He returned to Jackson County about 1860 and then moved to Clay County where he married 31 March 1863 Sarah E. Hatcher, born Tennessee in 1846. He enlisted 8 March 1864 at Carthage, Tennessee as Private F, 1st Tenn. Mounted Infantry, U. S., and was discharged 5 July 1865. Record shows he was five feet four inches in height. He was pensioned. After the war they moved to Monroe County, Kentucky where Sarah died 1 January 1917, he then moved to Redboiling Springs, Tennessee

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and lived with his son, William. He died suddenly 6 February 1920 while on his way to the bank to cash a pension check. He is buried at Smith Chapel, Macon County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Nancy J.: b 6 June 1865, called "Nannie," was living in 1931 at Hayfield, Ky.

ii William V.: b 18 Feb. 1869, m Margaret , resided Redboiling Springs, Tenn. in 1920, both deceased before 1931.

iii Mary A.: b 31 Jan. 18?- , was deceased before 1898. iv L. Enzie: b 7 July 1874, m James Reagan, reside Memorial, Tenn.

They had

1 Ella Reagan.

2 Amanda Reagan.

3 Charles Reagan.

4 Joseph Reagan.

5 Adelaide Reagan.

v Ailes: b 3 Apr. 1876, resided Moss, Tenn. in 1931.

463 :A JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Monroe County, Tennessee 17 April 1853, moved to Jackson County, Tennessee with his parents about 1860. He married prior to 1877 Jence Copass, born Tennessee 12 Sept. 1856. He was a farmer and blacksmith, and about 1909 he entered the mercantile business and was quite successful. Jence died 20.March 1914, he survived her and died 3 March 1927, resided in Clay County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Thurston: b 27 Aug. 1877, m Jane King, reside Herrin, Ill. They had

1 Ada.

ii Radford M.: b. 14 Oct. 1881, m Elma Cherry, reside Memorial, Tenn. They had:

1 Attrice.

2 Atla, deceased.

3 Boyd.

4 Gordon.

iii May: b 14 May 1888, m Hack Hurry, reside Redboiling Springs, Tenn. They had:

1 Essie Murry.

2 Mandra Hurry.

3 Juanita Hurry.

4 Mamie Hurry.

5 Estin Hurry.

iv John B.: b 17 Dec. 1890. Was living in Illinois and enlisted 11 Mar. 1918, was over sea and participated in Meuse

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Argonne, Verdun, etc. discharged at Camp Taylor, Ky. 26 May 1919. He married 23 Dec. 1922 Eva Kirby, b 18-, reside Memorial, Tenn. He has furnished information on this family. They had: 1 Thurston Lee: b 18 Sept. 1923, called "Jack." 2 Harold L.: b 16 Mar. 1929.

#### 464 CHARLES EDGAR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fulton County, Illinois 10 February 1869. He married 22 July 1890, probably at Marceline, Missouri, Eulalia Cupp, born Marceline, Missouri, 22 August 1867. They were residing at Mena, Arkansas, in 1900 then moved to Heavener, Oklahoma, where he died 14 May 1929, she survives him.

Children;

i Clarice Irene: b 26 July 1891, m 2? Mar. 1921 at Heavener, Okla., Francis Edmund Chouteau, b 16 Sept. 1886 at Kansas City, Mo. He is City Manager at Nowata, Okla. where they reside. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Charles Cyprian Chouteau: b 19 Jan. 1922.

2 James Meade Chouteau: b 4 Mar. 1923.

3 Ruth Jean Chouteau : b 25 July 1924.

4 Ben Lee Chouteau: b 21 Feb. 1926.

5 Martha Noble Chouteau: b 23 Nov. 1927.

6 John Edmund Chouteau: b 17 May 1929.

7 Mary Charlotte Chouteau : b 15 Mar. 1931, died 20 Mar. 1931.

ii Goldie Mae: b 8 Mar. 1893, died 22 Dec. 1893.

iii Mina Beatrice: b 17 Nov. 1894.

iv Clifford Jennings: b 17 Nov. 1896, m 1 Jan. 1922 Trixie Louise Knight, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

1 Eulalia Louise: b 28 Dec. 1923.

2 Elizabeth Virginia: b 1 July 1926.

3 Charles Robert: b 12 Feb. 1929.

4 Ted Eugene: b 28 July 1930.

v James Russell: b 28 Mar. 1900 at Mena, Ark., m 22 Aug. 1922 at Heavener, Okla., Opal Teague, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

1 Catherine Clarice: : b 15 Feb. 1925.

2 Richard Allen: b 23 Nov. 1926.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 25 Oct. 1903, m 22 Aug. 1926 Leslie Edgar Whitside, reside Palatka, Fla. They had:

1 Charles Edgar Whitside: b 28 May 192?.

2 Mary Elizabeth Whitside: b 22 Dec. 1929.

3 Dan Fowler Whitside: b 1 May 1931.

vii Charles Arthur: b 3 Jan. 1906.

viii Walter Earle: b 14 July 1910.

465 JAMES ARTHUR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born McDonough County, Illinois 7 April 1871. He married 28 July 1895 at Marceline, Missouri, Sarah Frances Wright, born New Boston, Missouri, 19 December 1873. He was employed by the Santa Fe railroad for some years and it appears that when he began work for the Kansas City Southern railroad the service letter from the Santa Fe had already been used by his brother, J. M. Billingsley and in order to avoid confusion he showed his name as "Arthur Roland Billingsley." He has used this name continuously for more than 30 years. He is a member of the Elks, reside DeQueen, Arkansas, Family Methodists.

Children:

i Byron Herbert: b 5 July 1900 at Mena, Ark., m Sept. 1925 at Kansas City, Mo. Johnnie Lou Lake, he died 25 Nov. 1926 at Kansas City, Mo.

ii James Glazebrook: b 26 Nov. 1907 at Mena, Ark., graduate A. B. , college not stated. He married 9 July 1929 Malcolm Elizabeth Rice, b 27 Jan. 1910 at Abilene, Tex. He is a teacher at Arizona State Teachers College, Tempe, Ariz. They had:  
1 James Glazebrook, Jr.: b 30 May 1931 at DeQueen, Ark.

465 LOUIS CLINTON (9) BILLINGSLEY E

(*Louis C. 8, Bennett M. 7, James 6, James 6, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Atlanta, Georgia 9 Nov. 1866. He is listed in 1883 as a student; in 1888 as a clerk. He married 26 June 1889 Victoria Bullard, born Bullard, Twiggs County, Georgia, 26 March 1872, daughter of Daniel Bullard and Elizabeth Barton. He is listed in Atlanta, Georgia in 1890 as insurance agent, they moved to Macon, Georgia before August 1890 where he is listed in 1897 with Southern Express Company. He is stated to have left his home and family in the early 1900's and went to Atlanta, Georgia where he died 26 October 1927. Victoria is listed in the city directory of Macon, Georgia for 1911 as "Widow, of Louis C" we are reliably informed that this is an error and that no one ever took the trouble, to correct it. She. survives and resides Macon, Georgia in 1933.

Children:

i Child: b 27 Aug. 1890, died same day.

ii Daniel LeRoy: b 25 July 1891, died 27 July 1893.

iii Eugene Bullard: b 20 Oct. 1893, m Frances Lewis, reside Atlanta, Ga.

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iv Louis Taylor: b 2 Nov. 1894, m 24 June 1920 at Macon, Ga. Esther Maurine DeBruler, b Bloomington, Ill., 14 May 1900. He is Chief Clerk, Henry Gray Hotel, Atlanta, Ga. No living children. He has furnished information on this family.

v Bessie: b 17 Mar. 1897, m prior to 1921 Harry A. Wright, reside Princeton, Fla. They had:

1 Harry A. Wright: b 21 Mar. 1921, Macon, Ga.

2 Eugene Wright: b 8 May 1923 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

3 Esther Louise Wright: b 12 Feb. 1925 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

4 Ruth Elizabeth Wright: b 5 Oct. 1927 at Miami, Fla.

vi Clifford Madison: b 20 Sept. 1900, m prior to 1922 Susie Martin, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Martina Robinson: b 22 July 1922.

2 Clifford Madison, Jr.: b 18 Dec. 1929.

#### 466 CHARLES WINTERROWD (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Allen 8, Moses 7, Moses 6, Charles 5, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Shelby County, Indiana 17 March 1864. He married 8 January 1890 Louise Mullendore Snapp, born Indiana 7 January 1867, she was a daughter of, Joseph Snapp, born 1841 and Elizabeth Mullendore, born 18-, married 30 December 1862. Elizabeth Mullendore married (1) John Legate who died 1857, she was a daughter of Jacob Mullendore, born- 12 March 1792, Winchester, Virginia, died 18 April 1872 Shelby County, Indiana, and Catherine Wertz, born 28 March 1804, Middletown, Ohio, died 8 December 1875, Shelby County, Indiana. Joseph Snapp was a son of John Snapp, born 5 August 1812, Montgomery County, Ohio, died 7 August 1881 Shelby County, Indiana and Catherine Neible, born 10 April 1815 Ohio, died 3 January 1875. He operated a farm for some years, moved to Shelbyville, Indiana about 1898 and managed an elevator for some time. He was President of the First National Bank in 1927. Resided Shelbyville, Indiana.

Children:

i Allen Loren: b 4 Oct. 1890, m Alma Lee Mohr. No record of children or where they live. .

ii Joe Kenton: b 25 Oct. 1895 at Flat Rock, Ind. He m 9 Sept. 1921 at Winchester, Mass., Georgiana Brown, b Winchester, Mass. 30 Sept. 1899. He is manager investment department 1st National Old Colony Corporation of Boston, Mass. where they reside. He has furnished information on this branch of the family. They had:

1 Betty Louise: b 6 Apr. 1926.

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iii David Webb: b 11 Dec. 1896, m 4 June 1926 Dells Kathryn Tinder, b 17 Aug. 1903. Reside Vincennes, Ind. No children.

466 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 26 February 1855. He married 2 November 1879 Mary Elizabeth Powell, born Alabama in 1859, her mother was Elizabeth Pool. He was a farmer and resided Lauderdale County, Alabama where she died near Florence, Alabama on 24 August 1914, he survived her some years and died in October 1929.

Children:

i George William: b 21 Sept. 1880, died 24 Sept. 1881.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 29 Apr. 1882. She m 1 Jan. 1901 near Florence, Ala., Robert A. Castile, b Waynesboro, Tenn. 187-. He is a Spanish-American War Veteran. She has furnished information on this family, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn. They had:

1 Clifford C. Castile: b 23 Oct. 1901. Is a World War Veteran, m a Miss Bradley, reside N. Y. State, have 5 children.

2 Buford A. Castile: b 11 Mar. 1904, m Lola Clemmons, reside near Florence, Ala., have 2 children.

3 Roy E. Castile: b 29 Apr. 1908, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

4 Alta Marie Castile: b 29 Sept. 1909.

5 Lillian Ruth Castile: b 18 Sept. 1912, m Arlen Ivey, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

6 Odie Glenn Castile: b 2 May 1914, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

7 Robert Lynn Castile: b 27 Nov. 1916.

8 James Philip Castile: b 27 July 1919.

9 Elizabeth Bedford Castile: b 19 Apr. 1922.

iii Annie Lee: b 8 Mar. 1884, m Aug. 1900 Andrew Womble, reside Florence, Ala. No information obtainable from her.

iv John Perry: b 26 July 1886. After about three years of effort by various ones without any replies Albert M. Billingsley made a final appeal in Aug. 1933 and received a reply but with very meager detail and nothing of his own family, he did state he was married, also that he in his early days played professional base ball under the name of Billings, and that he was employed by the Pa. railroad, he has not replied to any further requests for detail of his family, etc. His sister, Mrs. Castile, stated



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she could not give any details of his family as she did not know. Only child of record is:  
1 Thomas -D. : b 1-,said to be 16 years old 1933.

v Esther E.: b 28 1889, m J. W. LaFan, reside Killen, Ala.

vi James L.: b 28 July 1892, m Laura Mae Bennett, reside Florence, Ala.

vii Joseph S.: b 6 Feb. 1896, m Myrtle Williams, reside Florence Ala.

467 JAMES R. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 6, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 3 July 1862. He married (1) 2 October 1887 Mattie Smotherman, born Alabama 18-,she died 20 July 1888 and he married (2) 8 September 1889 Mary Josephine Butler, born Alabama 18-. Resides on the homestead entered by his grandfather in 1847 near Florence, Alabama. He has furnished information on this family. Children:

i Lewis Adrian: b 22 July 1890.

ii Emmett Avery: b 14 Sept. 1892, m 1915 Ollie McClure. They had:

1 Dene Louise: b 4 Mar. 191?.

2 Frankie Irene: b 23 July 1920.

3 Mary Ollie: b 23 Mar. 1924.

iii Myrtle Lee: b 17 Oct. 1895, m 1911 James Yancey McClure. They had:

1 Ruby Christine McClure: b 11 Jan. 1914.

2 Janey Lucile McClure: b 6 Apr. 1916.

3 Lottie Erin McClure: b 15 Sept. 1917.

4 James Yancey McClure, Jr.: b 19 July 1921.

5 Claude Leslie McClure: b 24 Jan. 1927.

iv Mary Lena: b 17 Oct. 1897, m 1913 Jesse McClure. They had:

1 Lewis Edward McClure: b ? June 1922.

2 Mary Josephine McClure: b 25 Oct. 1923.

3 John Calvin McClure: b 6 Sept. 1925.

4 Chester Bennett McClure: b 15 Nov. 1929.

v Hazel Marie: b 6 Feb. 1901, m 1927 Granville Behel. They had:

1 Nannie Jo Behel: b 9 Jan. 1929.

2 Ilajean Behel: b 5 Sept. 1930.

vi Wayman Elizabeth: b 2 July 1903, m prior to 1930 Edward Behel. They had

1 Lena Mae Behel: b 27 Aug. 1930.

vii James Rudolph: b 15 July 1906, m 1927 Dorsey Moore.

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468 JAMES HERNDON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(Leslie 0. 8, Joseph Z. F. 7, Joseph A. 6, John A. 6, Zachariah 4, *Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1:*) -Born Washington, D. C. 9 December 1881. Graduate of Vanderbilt University. While his ancestors have been consistent members of the Baptist church he was ordained Deacon in 1912, and Elder in 1914 in the Methodist Episcopal church. He married 20 October 1902 at Rockville, Maryland, Edith May George, born Westmoreland County, Virginia in 1885. He has served churches at Arnold, Md., Romney, W. Va., Roanoke, Va., Cumberland, Md., Marlin, W. Va., East Maryland; Mt. Ranier, Md., and was located at Baltimore, Maryland in 1931.

Children:

i Bernice Marie: b 1 Mar. 1907, m Andrew Fisher Ballard, she died 13 Mar. 1929. They had:

1 Nannie Louise Ballard: b 1 Apr. 1923.

2 James Andrew Ballard: b 12 May 1926.

3 Helen Mae Ballard: b 30 Jan. 1928.

ii Helen Tate: b 4 Oct. 1909, m H. A. Milor, reside Mt. Ranier, Md. They had:

1 Rufus Edward Milor: b ca 1931.

iii James Regester: b 25 Feb. 1915.

iv Grace Virginia: b June 1919.

v Margaret Edith: b 8 July 1923.

469 STEPHEN HICKS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*William T. 9, Jonathan 8, Samuel 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 8 December 1849 moved to Bradley County, Tennessee and to Grayson County, Texas with his parents. He married 26 December 1872 in Grayson County, Texas Cynthia Elizabeth Trout, born 2? March 1850, near Atlanta, Georgia, daughter of Robert Wiley Trout, born 10 July 1812 and Elizabeth C. , his wife. They moved to Gainsville, Texas prior to 1876 where Cynthia died 24 May 1907, he survived her some years and died at Duncan, Stephens. County, Oklahoma 30 May 1924.

Children:

i Ora Liles: b 16 Mar. 1874, died 13 Jan. 1881.

ii Charles Edward: b 30 Jan. 1876 Cook Co., Tex. married 29 June 1909 at Gainsville, Tex. Clara Belle Bugg, b 20. Nov. 1878 Cook Co., Tex. Reside Plainview, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Lillie Pearl: b 1 Mar. 1913.

2 Howard Nealey: b 16 Feb. 1916.

3 Lloyd Charles: b 4 Jan. 1920.

iii Malinda Elizabeth: b 24 Mar. 1878, died 31 Oct. 1879,

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iv Lula Pearl: b 16 Aug. 1880, m J. L. Hammonds, she died 10 Aug. 1930 at Chicasa, Okla.

v Las Vegas Hicks: b 2 Sept. 1884, died 26 July 1886.

470 LUTHER. A. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1867, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents and married September 1899 Mintie Estes, born Arkansas 31 December 1872. They moved to Detroit, Texas about 1902 and then moved to Stuart, Oklahoma before 1906 where he died in 1909, his widow was living in Maud, Oklahoma in 1928-29 and was residing in Wewoka, Oklahoma in 1931.

Children:

i Walter A.: b 12 Aug. 1890 at Salem, Ark., moved to Texas and Okla. with his parents. In 1908 he became a school teacher and taught for 9 years; in 1917 was Co. Supt. of Schools, Seminole Co., Okla., elected a 2d term 1918-1921 when he entered law office of C. L. Hill at Wewoka and after one and one half years became Assistant County Attorney, and County Attorney in 1924. In 1929 he established law offices at Wewoka, Okla. He married in 1916 at Tecumseh, Okla., Alice O'Neal, b. 2 Mar. 1893 at Havana, Ark. Served as 1st Lieut. Batt. A. 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927; member Officers Reserve Corps. Is a 32 degree Mason Indian Consistory, McAlester, Okla., and member India Temple Mystic Shrine, Oklahoma City, Okla. Family members of Christian church, reside Wewoka, Okla. He furnished much of the information on this family. They had:

1 Charles Hult : b 15 Oct. 1928 Oklahoma City, Okla.

ii Clarence L.: b 22 Feb. 1892 at Salem, Ark. He m (1) prior to 1921 Pearl Collies, b ca 1893, she died at Maud, Okla. Feb. 1927, and he m (2) Sept. 1929 May Belle He is a World War Veteran, reside Wewoka, Okla. They had:

1 Wandell: b June 1921.

2 Weldan: b 1924. .

3 Walter: b Feb. 1927.

iii J. Bird: b 11 Nov. 1893 at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, and a Mason, he m Frances Perkins, b Ky. Ca 1893, he is engaged in oil business, reside Tulsa, Okla. No children.

iv Claud A.: b 3 Aug. 1895 at Salem, Ark., m prior to 1918 Ora Bell Westfall, b ca 1893, she died 1933, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Noble; b 1918 Oklahoma City, Okla.

2 Child: b 19-, died aet. few days.

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v Earl C.: b 21 Feb. 189? at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, he m prior to 1922 Mabel Nix, b 189-, reside Oklahoma City, Okla. They had:

1 Eugene Earl: b 1922.

2 Child: b 1928.

vi Mettie: b 30 Jan. 1899 at Salem, Ark., died Dec. 1918 at Stuart, Okla., unmarried.

vii Fred: b 8 July 1901 at Salem, Ark., m Patricia McCarthy, reside Los Angeles, Calif. No children.

viii Victor: b 4 Oct. 1903 at Detroit, Tex. He served as 2d Lieut. Batt. A 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927, member Officers Reserve Corps; he is a 32 degree Mason and member of Indian. Consistory. He m prior to 1930 Irma Cunningham, b-19-, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Victor, Jr.: b Dec. 1930.

ix Vista: b 4 Feb. 1906 at Stuart, Okla., she m prior to 1927 Kenneth Miller, reside Richmond, Va. They had:

1 Kenneth Miller, Jr.: b 1927.

#### 471 RANZY B. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1883, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents, then moved to Texas and Oklahoma with them. He married in 1909 at Stuart, Oklahoma Alice Estes, born 188-. He served two terms as Court Clerk, Hughes County, Oklahoma; two terms as Mayor of Holdenville, Oklahoma; in 1931 he was Deputy Examiner and Inspector of the State. Family members of Christian church, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

Children:

i Kermit H.: b 1910.

ii C. Wayne: b 1914.

iii J. Ross: b 1921.

iv Ranzy B., Jr.: b 1923.

v Robert: b 1926. Twins.

vi William: b 1926.

#### 472 SAMUEL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Byrum L. 9, Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Red River County, Texas 10 September 1868. He married 5 February. 1890 Addie Marchbanks, born December-1868, reside Guian, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Robert Arley: b 26 Jan. 1891.

ii Ola: b 9 Dec. 1892.

iii Byrum Loid : b 28 Jan. 1895. He m 7 June 1917 in Red

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River Co., Tex. Ollie Jackson, b Tex. 1898, she died 15 Feb. 1932, he resides Ladonia, Tex. They had:

1 Louise: b 2 Apr. 1918.

2 Huie (?) : b 2 June 1919.

3 Byrum L., Jr.: b 20 Oct. 1924.

iv Nervesta: b 7 Mar. 1897 m 1923 Ross Roach, he died in 1930, she survives and resides Ladonia, Tex. Not stated if there are any children.

v Gilbert Samuel: b 14 Aug. 1899, m 11 Sept. 1930 Minnie Lee Turnbow, b 10 Oct. 1909, reside Lawn, Tex. They had:

1 Minnie May: b 15 May 1932.

vi Clifford Franklin: b 16 Dec. 1901.

vii Norma: b 9 July 1904, m 28 Oct. 1928 Elijah Martin Fox, b 6 May 1905, reside Hale Center, Tex. They had:

1 Samuel Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930. Twins.

2 James Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930.

viii James Wade: b 6 Feb. 1909, died 19 Apr. 1923.

ix Layce Ruth: b 8 May 1912, m 30 May 1930 Travis Middleton, b 11 Feb. 1911, reside Bradshaw, Tex.

473 JAMES MORONI (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Elijah 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Beaver County, Utah 23 October 1865. He married 30 December 1887 at Manti, Utah, Minerva Carter, born at Heber City, Utah, 3 October 1867, a daughter of Sidney Carter. They moved to Alberta, Canada where he died 28 February 1915, she was living in 1931.

Children:

i Virginia: b 4 Aug. 1888. Called Jennie, m Lona L. Brown, she died 28 Dec. 1914.

ii James Loren: b 22 Apr. 1892, m prior to 1915 Edna Thompson, b 13 Jan. 1895, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Hilda: b 12 Oct. 1915.

2 Lamont Devon: b 14 Jan. 1918.

3 Forest DeLoss: b 8 Dec. 1919.

iii Robert Ervin: b 27 Mar. 1894 at Joseph, Utah, m 18 Dec. 1924 at Cardston, Canada, Oneta Clegg Nelson, b 7 July 1902 at Marysville, Idaho, reside Glenwoodville, Alberta, Canada. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 DeVere K.: b 19 Oct. 1925.

2 Roberta: b 25 Mar. 1927.

iv Lucinda: b 1 Mar. 1896, m Alvin Orlando Rich.

v Blanch Permelia: b 18 Mar. 1898, m Henry Edward Cline.

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vi John Turner: b 24 Nov. 1900, m prior to 1922 Katherine Leishman, b 6 Oct. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Marjorie: b 12 May 1922.

2 James Bruce: b 24 Sept. 1923.

3 Neal Allen: b 26 Sept. 1925.

vii Mary Isabella: b 2 Sept. 1902, died 6 Nov. 1905.

viii Minerva: b 24 Nov. 1904, died 24 May 1905.

ix Sidney Leroy: b 28 Sept. 1906, m Vivian Jenson, b 19 June 1906, reside Alberta, Canada.

x Alma Owen: b 5 Nov. 190?, m Thora Seely, b 6 Mar. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Beth Seely: b 22 May 1929. xi Alvin Ray: b 26 Nov. 1911.

474 TURNER GORDON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W. 9, William B. 8, Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 11 October 1886. He married prior to 1908 Amelia Mentz, born 18-, reside McDade, Texas.

Children:

i Mentz Gordon: b 18 Dec. 1908.

ii Ameba Margaret: b 28 Mar. 1909, m Louis Neds, residence not stated. They had:

1 Louis Neds, Jr.

iii Mary Turner: b 21 Apr. 1911.

iv Eliza M.: b 10 Aug. 1913.

v Phyllis Eloise: b 22 Sept. 1915.

vi Turner Gordon, Jr.: b 20 July 1920.

474 JOHN CALVIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 9, John C. 8, John 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born near Prescott, Arkansas 7 August 1866. He married (1) in 1886 Sarah Jane Porter, born in 1871 at Prescott, Arkansas, she died 16 July 1904 and he married (2) in 1907 Mrs. Lura Alta (Collins) Frieburger, born ca 1874 at Shelbyville, Illinois, resided near Prescott, Arkansas till they moved to Lamesa, Texas where he is a prosperous farmer and stock man.

Children:

i Andrew Lee: b 1887 Ark., m in 1914 in Texas Aliene Caffey, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Dorothy Louise: b 28 Sept. 1915.

2 Dorris Lee: b 31 Mar. 191?.

3 Marjorie Jane: b 26 June 1918.

4 Marie Virginia: b 25 Jan. 1920.

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5 Estelle Irene: b 25 Sept. 1921. .

6 Betty Maybell: b 24 July 1924.

7 James Andrew: b 25 Sept. 1927.

ii Dolphus: b 1889, m ca 1912 Ida Cosby, reside Lovington, New Mexico. No children.

iii Alva: b 14 Sept. 1895. Enlisted for World War, served in Co. C, Ammunition Train, 5th Div., A. E. F. He married Mar. 1924 at Malvern, Ark. Flora Hardin, b 7 Jan. 1896 near Hot Springs, Ark. He has furnished information on the family and appears to be the only one who was interested enough to give the subject serious consideration. Reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Sarah Miller: b 15 Apr. 1925.

2 John Alva: b 22 Oct. 1926.

3 Abram: b 8 June 1928, died 8 Aug. 1928.

iv Arthur: b 1908, 2d wife. He m prior to 1930 Jessie Painter, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Don Quinsy: b 3 Jan. 1930. v C. L.: b 1911 (son).

vi John Bryce: b 1916.

vii Floyd: b 1921.

#### 475 LUTHER ARMSTRONG (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Madison A. 9, James 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Baldwyn, Mississippi, 7 January 1875. He married at Baldwyn, Mississippi in 1896 Stella Archer, born at Baldwyn, Mississippi 1 December 1878. He has been connected with the Mobile and Ohio Railway since 1906, reside Baldwyn, Mississippi. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Ernest Armour: b 19 Jan. 1898, he m 22 Sept. 1918 at Jackson, Tenn. Vivian Rose Helms, b Carbondale, Ill. 26 Nov. 1899. He is a railroad man, and resides Murphysboro, Ill. They had:

1 Beverly Doris: b 2 Dec. 1927.

2 Ernest Armour, Jr.: b 1 May 1930, died 5 Feb. 1931.,

ii Daisy Ruth: b 9 Sept. 1902, m Everett Plunk.

iii Harold Spurgeon: b 13 June 1905.

iv Nona Pearl: b 7 May 1910.

v Luther Bernice.- b 4 Mar. 1915.

#### 476 WILLIAM MARSHALL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1872. He married prior to 1900 Josephine Garrett, born in 1883, resided

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at Blanco, Texas where he died in September 1908, she only survived a short time and died in the same month.

Children:

i James Floyd: b 7 Feb. 1900 at Blanco, Tex. He m 24 Mar. 1927 at San Antonio, Tex. Margaret Keith Alder, b 10 Nov. 1902 at San Antonio, Tex. He is a Pharmacist and operated a drug store, resides San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Margaret Joan: b 11 Sept. 1928.

2 Bruce Alder: b 3 Sept. 1930.

ii Flaurel: b 11 Feb. 1902 at Blanco, Tex. She m 19 Nov. 1921 at San Antonio, Tex. Belva Landrum, b 10 Sept. 1897 at San Antonio, Tex., reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. No children.

iii Alta Mae: b 9 May 1904, m (1) 21 Dec. 1921 at Blanco, Tex. Floyd Byars, a divorce and she m (2) John West, reside Fullerton, Calif. They had:

1 Douglas Byars: b 31 Aug. 1922.

iv Vernon Marshall: b 15 Dec. 1906. Was a member of Medical Department, U. S. Army, and stationed at Randolph Field, Tex. in 1932.

#### 477 WALTER KIMBRO (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1875. He married (1) 27 October 1896 at Waco, Texas, Cuma P. Halford, born Illinois in 1875, she died at Dublin, Texas 23 March 1908 and he married (2) 6 September 1908 at Dublin, Texas, Gussie Lee Johnson, born Alabama 22 December 1886. He is a farmer and resides Dublin, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Pearl: b 2 Oct. 1900 at Mullin, Tex., m Roy Bagwell.

ii Lucius: b 20 May 1903 at Waco, Tex., died 10 Dec. 1908 at Dublin, Tex.

iii . Voye : b 1 Aug. 1909, 2d' wife, he m Helen Purvis.

iv Kitty Oleta: b 20 Nov. 1910 at Dublin, Tex.

v Carl: b 23 Jan. 1913 at Kenefic, Okla.

#### 478 OLIVER EATON (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James L. 9, William F. 8, William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Roane County, Tennessee 29 April 1876. He married 2? June 1900 at Wheat, Tennessee, Ida Parlee Hembree, a born Wheat, Tennessee, 14 December 1880. He was a farmer, she died 17 March 1920 at Wheat, Tennessee, and he died 23 June 1927 at Lenoir City, Tennessee.



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Children:

- i Maude Mae: b 24 June 1901, resides Lenoir City, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family.
- ii Anna: b 5 Mar. 1904, m 16 July 1927 at Loudon, Tenn. Ragin Luttrell, reside Martel, Tenn.
- iii Lillie: b 5 Nov. 1905.
- iv Georgia: b 11 June 1907, m 2 Dec. 1926 Bruce Thurmer, reside Lenoir City, Tenn.
- v Roy: b 12 May 1909, resides Toledo, Ohio.
- vi Earl: b 12 May 1909, a twin, died 10 Jan. 1924.
- vii Perry Walter: b 11 Dec. 1911.
- viii Helen Lucille: b 24 Feb. 1914.
- ix Ida Beatrice: b 23 Mar. 1916.
- x Elbert Boyd: b 31 July 1919.

#### 479 JAMES POLLARD (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(William 9, James 8, John 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Johnson County, Texas, in 1854. He married in Ellis County, Texas 15 June 1890 Willie McKiddy, born Tennessee in 1869. They moved to Scurry County, Texas where he died 31 July 1919, she survives him and resides Dunn, Texas.

Children:

- i Roger William: b 1891, died in 1919.
- ii Jesse Jefferson: b 8 Nov. 1893 Ellis Co., Tex., m 7 Nov. 1920 at Snyder, Tex. Corinne Boone. He is in real estate and insurance business, reside Colorado, Tex. No children.
- iii Nathan Alonzo: b 1898.
- iv James Pollard, Jr.: b 1899.
- v Hugh Forrester: b 1901.
- vi Robert: b 1909, died Feb. 1930.

#### 480 AARON EDMONSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Mark 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Johnson County, Texas 11 December 1867, was graduated in the public schools and had a business education. He married 22 December 1887 at Alvarado, Texas, Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 17 January 1870, a daughter of Albert Cartwright Glasgow and Sarah Campbell, see Glasgow-Cartwright Excursus. He is a farmer, Public Weigher, and manager of a Cotton Compress Co.; is a member of the Odd Fellows, and has served as Secretary of the Lodge for many years; is also Secretary of the Pioneer Association of Johnson County, and is a Democrat in his politics. Reside Alvarado, Texas.

Children:

- i Albert Mark (11) : b 1 Sept. 1889.

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ii Monnie Lucille: b 7 Nov. 1891 at Alvarado, Tex., m at Grandview, Tex. 24 Nov. 1910 James Burl Kirkland, family Methodists, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 James Burl Kirkland: b 16 Aug. 1912.

2 Mary Elizabeth Kirkland: b 2 Oct. 1917.

3 Alexander Earl Kirkland: b 25 Jan. 1920.

4 Sarah Ruth Kirkland: b 12 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

iii William Alexander: b 25 Jan. 1894. Educated in the public schools and attended business college. He enlisted 19 Sept. 1917 Pvt. and Cpl. Hdqrs. Co., 359th Inf., was over seas, wounded, was in army of occupation in Germany, returned to U. S. and discharged at Camp Bowie, 24 June 1919. After his discharge he entered the postal service. He married 3 July 1922 at Cleburne, Tex., Thelma Agnes Williamson, of Bono, Tex. He is a Mason, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 Patsey Louise: b 19 Aug. 1923.

iv Homer Campbell: b 31 May 1896. Enlisted 24 Aug. 1917 at Dallas, Tex., as Landsman for Ships Cook, U. S. Navy, discharged 3 Nov. 1919 as Ship's Cook, 2d class. He married 25 Oct. 1931 at Waiters, Okla., Emma Gene Wieler, b Muenster, Tex. 14 May 1905. Reside, Ardmore, Okla.

v Ina Mae: b 12 Sept. 1898, reside Alvarado, Tex.

vi Edna Alline: b 3 June 1901, married 24 Dec. 1924 at Alvarado, Tex. Irwin Harold Turney, b Blanket, Tex. 29 Oct. 1898, son of Rev. A. E. Turney, of Cleburne, Tex., family Methodists, reside Weleetka, Okla. They had:

1 Betty Jane Turney: b 22 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Evelyn Turney: b 24 July 1931, Okmulgee, Okla. vii Sarah Nell: b 9 June 1905. Graduate of North Texas State Teachers College.

viii Morris Shepherd: b 27 Feb. 1910. Called "Jack," m 12 Sept. 1933 at Alvarado. Tex., Bernice Elizabeth Venable, b Grandview, Tex., 28 Dec. 1912.

#### GLASGOW-CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

WILLIAM GLASGOW was born in 1796. We have been unable to ascertain -any facts concerning his parentage or from whence he came to Tennessee. He had a brother, Caleb, who married and left a son, Bud, who died in Dallas, Texas, unmarried, and a daughter Edna, who died unmarried in Nashville, Tennessee. He was married prior to 1827 in Tennessee to Jacomine Cartwright, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 27 October 1803, the daughter of David Cartwright and Elizabeth Powell, see Cart-

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wright record: They resided in Maury County for some time then moved to Davidson County. He went to Nashville and enlisted the 24 September 1847 as Private Co. H, 3d Tennessee Infantry for the Mexican War; age stated at enlistment as 41 years. A muster roll for December 1847 does not show if present or absent; a roll for January-February 1848 shows that he died in hospital at Mexico City 23 January 1848. She survived him and was residing near Goodlettsville in 1850, and was still living there in 1860, she is said to have died in the early 1870's at Nashville, Tennessee.

Children:

i Celia Catherine Glasgow: b 1827, m (1) prior to 1850 a Mr. Richards, she m (2) a Mr. Berkenbine. No children.

ii Albert Cartwright Glasgow: b 19 Nov. 1829 Maury Co., Tenn. moved to Davidson Co., Tenn. with his parents where he married prior to 1861 Sarah Campbell, b Tenn. in 1834, a daughter of James Campbell and Elizabeth Garrett. Resided near Goodlettsville, Tenn. in 1870, moved to Johnson Co., Tex. about Nov. 1876 and resided near Alvarado .where he died in 1904, she died in 1920. He was a farmer and a Mason, family Methodists. They had:  
1 William C. Glasgow: b 2 Sept. 1861 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m Oct. 1886 Pallie Adair, b 18-. He was Cashier of 1st Nat. Bank of Alvarado, Tex. for some 30 odd years, reside Alvarado, Tex. He is a Mason, family Methodists. They had:

a Robert Adair Glasgow: b 1890, resides El Centro, Calif.

b Zula Mae Glasgow: b 189-, m Roy Douglass, reside Fort Worth, Tex., have children.

c Herschel Glasgow: b 7 Feb. 1895, m 31 Mar. 1923 Grace Miller, b Collin Co., Tex. 23 Feb. 1901. He is a Mason, Royal -Arch, Knight Templar, and member of Mystic Shrine, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

c1 Herschel Miller Glasgow: b 10 Mar. 1924.

c2 Bobby Louis Glasgow: b 21 Mar. 1927.

d Hazel Glasgow: b 189-, died act. 8 years.

2 Alexander Jackson Glasgow: b 2 Apr. 1865 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and In (1) 2 Dec. 1886 Mollie Johnson, she died Oct. 1901 at Haskell Tex., and he m (2) at Mundy, Tex. Mrs. Nannie McAdams. He is a Knights of Pythias, and family Methodist, reside Seymour, Tex. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:

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a Lena Clara Glasgow: b 20 Dec. 1888, m Roy Browning, she was killed in a street railway accident 19 Jan. 1924, buried Boulder, Colo. No children.

b Willie Henry Glasgow: b 13 Mar. 1889, m Joseph Ligon, he died 1922, she survives him and resides Seymour, Tex. Family Methodists. They had:

b1 Hazel Jim Ligon: b 1908.

b2 Joseph M. Ligon: b 8 Oct. 1919.

b3 Leslie Ann Ligon: b 1921.

c Katherine Sallie Glasgow: b 25 Dec. 1891, m 15 Feb. 1912 at Rotan, Tex. James Arthur Rutherford, b Houston, Mo. 15 Mar. 1886, a son of Frank and Margaret Rutherford, he died 20 Aug. 1932 at Springfield, Mo. she survives him and resides Houston, Mo. Family Methodists. They had:

c1 Ernest Eugene Rutherford: b 18 Mar. 1918.

c2 Christine Rosland Rutherford: b 29 Nov. 1922.

d Georgia Lucille Glasgow: b 5 Feb. 1893, m 11 June 1913 Roy Kerr Whiteside, b Ala. 1889. He is a Mason, family Baptists, reside Seymour, Tex. They had:

d1 Roy Williamson Whiteside: b 24 July 1914.

d2 Mary Geraldine Whiteside: b 28 Apr. 1916.

d3 Gilbert Glasgow Whiteside: b 19 Aug. 1918, died 21 Aug. 1918.

d4 Clyde Emerson Whiteside: b 2 May 1927. -

e Gilbert Johnson Glasgow: b 16 Feb. 1895, at Moran, Tex. He is a World War Veteran, a Mason, and a Methodist, resides Altus, Okla.

f Pauline Sue Glasgow: b 18 Dec. 1900, m 1920 Edgar Ezell, reside Cleburne, Tex. They had:

f1 Sue Ezell: b 1922.

3 James Thomas Glasgow: b 31 Oct. 1867-68, died infancy.

4 Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow: b 17 Jan. 1870, m Aaron E. Billingsley, No. 480, which see.

5 Sarah Margaret Glasgow: b 7 Apr. 1873 Tenn., died 1889 Texas.

iii Eliza Glasgow: b 1832, died unmarried after 1860 in Tenn.

iv Samuel Glasgow: b 1834 Tenn., moved to Ark. and married Mattie, Irvin, -resided near Malvern, Ark. No children.

v Mary Frances Glasgow: b 23 Nov. 1838 Tenn., m after 1860 Reuben S. Bolles. They had several children all died in childhood. She was a member and active worker in the Presbyterian church. About 1892 she became interested in establishing a Home for the aged and succeeded in

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establishing the Old Womans Home of which was a Director to the time of her death in 1922, he predeceased her several years, resided Nashville, Tenn.

vi William Thomas Glasgow: b 1840 Tenn. He was agent for the Nashville & Chattanooga railway and was active in transportation of Confederate forces; he was captured at McMinnville, Tenn. 21 Apr. 1863, paroled 26 Apr., and forwarded to Nashville 27 Apr. 1863; took the oath of allegiance 13 May 1863. He married prior to 1871 Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Williams and Ellen Dedman. Was for many years representative of Muldoon Monument Co., of Louisville, Ky. Became interested in the Acklen property for educational purposes, planned a school and interested the present owners and established what is now Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn. Later moved to New York City where he died in 1906, she died at Columbia, Tenn. in 1922. They had:

1 Minnie Glasgow: b ca 1871, died June 1891.

2 Sarah Hamilton Glasgow: b 15 July 1873, m 5 Mar. 1891 John Means Thompson, b S. C. 18-, resided New York, N. Y., she died Sept. 1932. They had:

a John Means Thompson, Jr.: b 1891 Tenn., m Gertrude Bartlett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

b William Glasgow Thompson: b 1893 N. Y., m Edna Pritchett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

c Hugh S. Thompson: b 1895. Was in Air Service, an aviator, killed in action 16 Sept. 1918 in France.

3 Daughter: b 187-, died aet. a few hours.

#### CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

The following brief record of the Cartwright family is compiled from data furnished by Miss Emma Irene Cartwright, of Memphis, Tennessee, Bible record of Robert Cartwright, a sketch by Colonel Putnam, former President of the Tennessee Historical Society, an article which was published in the Nashville Banner 8 August 1914, and D. A. R. National Number 78912. Abraham Cartwright, of Northamptonshire, England.

JOHN CARTWRIGHT, born circa 1602 came to America in the ship "Adventure;" and was the first white man to explore the James River. He was a witness to the will of John Rolph, James City Co., Va. 10 March 1621, and was a resident of James City Co., Va.

John (2) Cartwright, born 1638.

Robert (3) Cartwright, born 1665.

John (4) Cartwright, born 1700.

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ROBERT (5) CARTWRIGHT, born 22 February 1722, in Prince Anne CO., Virginia. He was a Sheriff's Deputy in 1758. There is formal appointment of Robert Cartwright and others as guardians of the public peace in Prince Anne County in 1760. He married (1) 15 August 1745 Anne, daughter of John Hugins, she died in 1746 and he married (2) 10 April 1749 Mary, daughter of John Hunter, she died 22 January 1764 and he married (3) within a short period Pembroke Hunter, believed to be a sister of his 2d wife. About 1764 they moved to Carrituck County, North Carolina, then moved to Orange County where he joined the Alamance emigration and moved to Watauga Settlement. He was a signer of a compact of government drawn up in opposition to the British, and was subsequently active during the Revolution particularly in fighting the British Allies, the Indians. They remained in this settlement. for some years and he was present at a 4th of July celebration in 1777. In 1779 he joined the party of John Donelson and set out for the Cumberland country and arrived after an adventurous trip the 24 April 1780. He entered a large tract of land and at the time of his death which occurred in 1809 he owned about 6,000 acres. No data on the death of Pembroke though she is known to have died in Tennessee.

Children:

i William Cartwright: b 4 July 1746, 1st wife.

ii Martha Cartwright: b 14 May 1750, 2d wife.

iii Mary Cartwright: b 11 Aug. 1753.

iv Anne Cartwright: b 2 June 1755.

v Susannah Cartwright: b 4 Sept. 1757, died 15 Aug. 1759.

vi Robert Cartwright: b 1? Dec. 1759, died 23 Mar. 1776.

vii John Hunter Cartwright: b 26 Feb. 1762, died 1780, killed by Indians soon after arrival in Cumberland settlement.

viii Pemmy Cartwright: b 28 Feb. 1765, 3d wife.

ix Jacob Cartwright: b 21 Feb. 1767, moved to Tenn. With parents.

x Thomas Cartwright: b 20 Nov. 1768, moved to Tenn. With parents.

xi James Cartwright: b 14 Feb. 1770, moved to Tenn. With parents, lived and died near Gallatin, Tenn. Left descendants.

xii William Hunter Cartwright: b 4 Oct. 1773.

xiii Elizabeth Cartwright: b 2 Sept. 1776.

xiv Robert Cartwright: b 1778-79.

xv .David Cartwright: b 1781 Cumberland Settlement, Tenn., now Davidson Co., Tenn. He married prior to 1803 Elizabeth Powell, b North Carolina 20 Oct. 1786. He is stated to have gone to camp to enlist for the War of 1812, was taken with pneumonia and died in the latter part of the year 1813. She survived him, was residing with her

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daughter, Eliza, in 1850, and died in '1856, Davidson Co., Tenn. They had

1 Jacomine Cartwright: b 27 Oct. 1803, m William Glasgow, see above.

2 Albert Robert Cartwright: b 14 Aug. 1806, m 5 May 1835 Priscilla Buford Giddens, b 18 Mar. 1818. He died 18 June 1863 and she died 15 Nov. 1887, residence not stated. Only child known is:

a Emma Irene Cartwright: b ca 1853. Was living 1931 in Memphis, Tenn.

3 Pembroke Cartwright: b 13 July 1808, m prior to 1829 Thomas D. Watkins, b Tenn. 180-, he died sometime after 1838 and prior to 1850, she was living in 1850 and 186.0 in Davidson Co., Tenn. They had, known:

a Elizabeth Watkins: b 1829.

b Sarah Watkins: b 1830.

c Celia A. Watkins: b 1833.

d Ann E. Watkins: b 1836.

e Thomas D. Watkins: b 1838.

4 Emily Cartwright: b 26 Oct. 1809-10, m Aris Brown, residence not stated.

5 Eliza Cartwright: b 28 May 1812, m prior to 1833 Robert P. Estes, b Va. 1804, he was a farmer, and resided Davidson Co., Tenn. in 1850. They had, known:

a David C. Estes: b 1833.

b Albert F. Estes: b 1834.

c Thomas J. Estes: b 1835.

d Mary E. Estes: b 1836.

e Robert P. Estes, Jr.: b 1838.

6 Sarah J. Cartwright: b 13 May 1814, m John Allen, residence not stated.

xvi Jesse Cartwright: b 178- Tenn., moved to Texas and said to have many descendants in that State.

#### 481 WILLIAM GRANVILLE (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edminston 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Stubblefield, Texas 18 January 1862. He married (1) 17 February 1881 in Johnson County, Texas, Louisa Frances George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 July 1863, she " died 22 January 1892 and he married (2) 29 July 1894 Sara Elizabeth McAnear George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 January 1872, she died 21 December 1904 and he married (3) 9 November 1909 Julia Ann Davis Saunders, born Fannin County, Texas, 20 August 1885. Reside Jayton, Texas where he is serving as County Commissioner of Kent County.

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Children:

i Ora Caveats: b 28 Feb. 1882 at Stubblefield, Tex., m 3 Jan. 1900 Robert Franklin Hood, b 24 Mar. 1871 at Batesville, Ark. Reside Riverside, Calif. They had:

1 Stella Mae Hood: b 6 Oct. 1900 at Fairview, Tex., died 9 Apr. 1920 in Calif.

2 Carl Byrd Hood: b 13 Nov. 1901, Jones Co., Tex., m 21 Nov. 1921 at Riverside, Calif., Mabry Salina Curbs, b 14 Apr. 1915 at Kalispell, Mont., reside Pomona, Calif. They had:

a Carl Robert Hood: b 7 Sept. 1922 Calif.

b Mary Louise Hood: b 27 June 1924, Fullerton, Calif.

c Dorothy May Hood: b 9 Sept. 1926.

d Clifford Curtis Hood: b 3 Aug. 1931.

ii Dovie Idelia: b 2 Feb. 1884, Hill Co., Tex., m 7 July 1901, Judge Joseph C. Randel, b 27 June 1878, Brown Co., Tex., reside Hamlin, Tex. where he died 29 Mar. 1923. They had:

1 Clay Raymond Randel: b 29 Mar. 1902, m 12 Mar. 1927 Mary Eula Crow, b 15 June 19-

2 Joseph C. Randel: b 2 June 1906.

iii Christopher Byrd: b 13 Dec. 1885, Johnson County, Tex., m 1 Jan. 1907 Jones Co., Tex. Annie Miller, b 20 Feb. 1890, reside Stamford, Tex. They had:

1 Joseph Byrd: b 18 May 1912 Jones Co., Tex.

iv Edward Benjamin: b 28 Jan. 1888 Johnson County, Tex., m 10 Dec. 1908 at Clairemont, Tex., Catherine Loraine Hoy, b 12 Mar. 1895. He died 10 Oct. 1922 at Post City, Tex. and she m (2) a Mr. Ferguson, reside Post City, Tex. They had:

1 Ethelbert Edward: b 20 Sept. 1909.

2 Margaret Mae: b 5 July 1913.

3 Edward Benjamin, Jr.: b 5 May 1918.

4 Jackie : b 2 Oct. 1920.

v Peter B.: b 16 Mar. 1890 Johnson Co., Tex., m 3 Apr. 1910 Stonewall Co., Tex. Bertha Davis, b 22 May 1895 Lamar Co., Tex., she died 24 Jan. 1919 and he m (2) Madge Batie, b 3 Nov. 1901, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Edmonston: b 29 Aug. 1911.

2 Aaron: b 10 June 1913.

3 Lusarah Pearl: b 21 Nov. 1917. She was reared in home of her aunt, Dovie B. Randel.

4 Bertha Alfreda: b 19. Feb. 1925, 2d wife.

5 Ada Lou: b 24 May 1928 at Lamesa, Tex.



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vi Willie Mae: b 1 May 1895, 2d wife. She m 25 Nov. 1910 Jones Co., Tex., Charles J. Ferrell, b 2 July 1890 in Miss., reside Mayhill, N. Mex., in 1932. They had:

- a Charles J. Ferrell, Jr.: b 22 Aug. 1911 Aspermont, Tex.
- b. Juanita Ferrell: b 19 Sept. 1914.
- c Julian Ferrell: b 11- Feb. 1917.
- d Charlie Mae Ferrell: b 8 Sept. 1919.

vii Jefferson Ervin: b 25 Apr. 1897; m 18 Feb. 1920 Stonewall Co., Tex. Lavena Jones, b 12 Mar. 1900, reside Floydada, . They had

- 1 Granvill Francis: b 27 June 1921.
- 2 Thelma Laverne: b 5 Mar. 1923.
- 3 Edith Lavel : b 16 June 1924.

viii Roxanna: b 189-, died infancy.

ix Roy Granvill: b 24 July 1902 Jones Co., Tex. Was reared in the home of his uncle, Henry D. Billingsley. He m 21 Oct. 1921 at Cleburne, Tex. Alta Loraine Walls, b 25 Feb. 1905 in Hill Co., Tex., reside Stamford, Tex. They had:  
1 Bettie Elizabeth: b 30 July 1924.

x Alice Edna: b 28 Nov. 1912, 3d wife. She m 19 Dec. 1931 W. R. Vandiver, reside Jayton, Tex.

xi Henry: b 26 June 1916, died 15 Nov. 1916.

xii William: b 26 June 1916, a twin.

481 SAIL RUFUS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James D. 9, Oliver 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Saline County, Missouri 27 Jan. 1868, he married at Marshall, Missouri 5 May 1889 Grace Bunker Kelton, born 19 March 1867. Resided Denver, Colorado in 1932. No information directly obtainable from him, what is listed is from other members of the family and may not be entirely accurate.

Children:

i Alice May: b 12 June 1890, m prior to 1911 Jimmie Larkin, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

- 1 James Gaffney Larkin: b 30 Jan. 1911.
- 2 Francis Wilburn Larkin: b 26 Apr. 1914.
- 3 Mary Margaret Larkin: b 21 July 1919.
- 4 Ruby Irene Larkin: b 10 June 1923.
- 5 Dorothy Louise Larkin: b 23 Aug. 1924.

ii Ruby Irene: b 13 June 1892, m Wiley O. Rhodes prior to 1908, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

- 1 Mason Kelton Rhodes: b 20 Feb. 1908, m prior to 1928 Ann (Rhodes?), reside Denver, Colo. They had:
  - a Mason Kelton Rhodes, Jr.: b 28 Apr. 1928.

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2 Syriags, Dolores Rhodes: b 3 Nov. 1909. iii Dorsey Dewey: b 27 Jan. 1899, resides Denver, Colo.

iv James Kelton: b 21 Apr. 1903, m prior to 1922 Marie Lyons, reside, Denver, Colo. They had  
1 Marie Kelton: b 11 Feb. 1922.

v Grace Mildred: b 4 July 1906, m prior to 1924 a Mr. Robinson, (2) Eugene Walters, reside Kansas City, Mo. They had:

1 Betty Jane Robinson: b Aug. 1924.

#### 482 JAMES JESSE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Greenwood, Sebastian County, Arkansas, 26 August 1872, moved to Washington Territory with his mother and step father and grand parents in the 1880's. He married 27 July 1902 Maude Alice Fisher, born Webster, Iowa, 30 November 1882, he is a farmer and resides at Wilbur, Washington.

Children:

i Jesse Oran: b 22 Dec. 1903, m 3 Nov. 1930 Thelma Stambaugh.

ii Flossie Marie: b 19 Oct. 1905.

iii Willis Leroy: b 23 Mar. 1908. .

iv Esther Lucinda: b 13 Nov. 1909, m 1 Jan. 1929 Arney Arneson. They had:

1 Marion Jesse Arneson: b 9 Sept. 1929 at Creston, Wash.

2 Elmer Alfred Arneson: b 7 Dec. 1931.

v Vern Alford: b 23 Oct. 1912.

vi Hazel Irene: b 28 Sept. 1916.

#### 483 GEORGE W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*George Mc. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 26 May 1847. He married at Summer Shade, Kentucky in 1874 Isabell, daughter of James and Rebecca Payne, born Monroe County, Kentucky 23 April 1849, resided Monroe County, Kentucky, Claiborne County, Tennessee, then moved to Freestone County, Texas where they resided some years, then returned to Kentucky and settled at Glasgow where she died 22 Jan. 1922, he survived her, moved to Arthur, Tennessee where he died 2 Jan. 1929.

Children:

i Margaret G.: b 15 Nov. 1876, m John R. Bailey, reside Glasgow, Ky.

ii Oscar P.: b 21 Oct. 1878, resides Portland, Oregon.

iii Garfield M.: b 21 Sept. 1880, m May Vail, reside Portland, Oreg.

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iv Latimer Y.: b 29 May 1883 Fairfield, Tex., m 30 Sept. 1913 in Oreg. Frances Vail, reside Portland, Oreg. where he is in automobile business. He furnished information on this family. No children.

v Kirven W.: b 26 Feb. 1887.

vi Inez V.: b 25 Apr. 1890, m Beeler B. Bowman, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

484 ROBERT W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(George Me. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John, 2, Francis 1.) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 18 July 1864, migrated to Monroe County, Kentucky and resided there in 1880. He married prior to 1882 Emily Collingsworth, born Virginia in 1860, daughter of William F. and Louisa Collingsworth of Virginia who moved to Kentucky in 1862 and to Tennessee in 1864. Resided in Tennessee then moved to Oklahoma and lived in or near Anadarka, then moved to Oklahoma City where he is listed from 1911 to 1917, not listed in 1918. He is said to have died in 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, result of a street car accident. She survives him and was living in New York City in 1931.

Children:

i Logan: b 1882 Claiborne Co., Tenn., moved to Okla. with his parents and married prior to 1907 Chloe, was residing in Oklahoma City 1910 and in insurance business, 1911-12, was proprietor of a drug store. Then moved to Seattle, Wash. and operated a drug store, then moved to New York, N. Y. where he engaged in real estate business having connections in Miami, Fla. Not stated if his wife died or a divorce, he married (2) Dec. 1919 in Miami, Fla. Hattie Mae Key. Resided New York City and was President of Bronx Chamber of Commerce in 1931. They had: ' 1 Glenn A.: b 1907. Was in Wichita, Kan. about 1928-29 where he m, now reside New York, N. Y. 2 Logan, Jr.: b 1921 Fla.

ii Robert W., Jr.: b 1884, moved to Okla. with his parents and m Emily, he died in 1908 in Anadarka, Okla., she was living Oklahoma City, Okla. in 1915. No mention of any children.

iii Charlotte: b 1886, m Henry Donnellan, reside El Reno, Okla.

iv Ora B.: b 1889-90, m prior to 1912 Bertha, was residing Oklahoma City at that date, was in New York City in 1931. No mention of any children.

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v Frederick: b 1896, m prior to 1915 Hazel , was proprietor of a drug store in Oklahoma City at that date, resided Los Angeles, Calif . in 1931.

vi Sherman: b 1898, m Hazel Donnelly, reside New York, N. Y.

vii Pearl: b 1903, m Andrew Gray, reside New York, N. Y.

#### 485 JOHN HOUSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee 17 March 1861. He married in 1883 Elizabeth Cole, born Tennessee, 28 October 1865. He was employed by the Roane Iron Company for more than thirty years. Elizabeth died 21 October 1926 of lung trouble (Tuberculosis?). He survives her and resides with his daughter at Lima, Ohio.

Children :

i Ethel: b 1885, m 1918 Frank Johnson. He served 12 years in U. S. Navy, spent some years on Pacific coast then settled at Lima, Ohio. They had:

1 Vinnie Johnson: b 1920.

2 Kermit Johnson: b 1923.

3 Oran Johnson: b 192-, died aet. 4 years.

ii Robbie: b May 1892 at Rockwood, Tenn. She m 1909 Edward L. Hinds, b Tenn. 1891, he is employed by Southern Railway, reside Rockwood, Tenn. They had

1 Jack Nelson Hinds: b 1911.

2 Elizabeth Hinds: b 1914.

3 Madaline Hinds: b 1916.

4 Joseph Houston Hinds: b 1920.

5 Kenneth Wilburn Hinds: b 1923.

iii Reece: b 189-, m G. V. Newell, she resides Lima, Ohio and is divorced. They had:

1 Elizabeth Newell: b 1923.

#### 486 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Benjamin F. 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Paint Rock, Tennessee 10 April 1859, moved to Missouri, Arkansas, and back to Tennessee with his parents. In 1883 he migrated to the pan handle of Texas and was a Cow Puncher for five years on the L I T ranch. .In January 1888 he moved to St. Joins, Arizona, was there a few days then moved to Duncan, Arizona. He married 1 November 1900 Eleanor Hilton, born Seven Oaks Junction, England, 1 January 1868. He is a general merchant and jobber in tobacco. Reside Duncan, Arizona. He has furnished considerable information in connection with this branch of the family. He was elected Justice of the Peace for his District in the election of November, 1932.

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### Children:

i Harold LeRoy: b 8 Nov. 1902, m Joyce McIntire, reside Morenci, Ariz. They had:

1 Franklin Ashurst : b 1929.

2 Philip LeRoy: b 193-.

ii Alice Margaret: b 23 June 1904. She is a Methodist Missionary teacher, Korea.

iii Leslie Ashton: b 18 Aug. 1905, m Vermel Randall, reside Duncan, Ariz. They had:

1 Marilyn Doris: b 1931.

iv Charles Oliver: b 26 May 1907.

v Benjamin Franklin: b 28 Feb. 1909.

## 487 CHARLES OLIVER (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Benjamin F. 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Washington County, Arkansas in 1873, moved Benton County, Arkansas and then to Roane and Loudon Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He migrated West and married about 1890 at Lordsburg, New Mexico, Margaret Hessel, born Harrisburg, Pennsylvania in 1864. Resided some years at Chico, California then moved to Clifton, Arizona where he is foreman in a smelting plant.

### Children:

i Ethel: b 1893, m Therman Bates, reside Phoenix, Ariz., said to have five children.

ii Benjamin F.: b 30 Sept. 1894 at Chico, Calif., married 28 May 1914 at Clifton, Ariz. Jessie Rodgers, b St. Joseph, Mo., 18-, reside Piedmont, Calif. They had:

1 Mildred: b 31 May 1915 at Clifton, Ariz.

## 488 WILLIAM PENN (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James D. 9, George H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Monroe County, Kentucky 14 November 1854, moved to Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1874 Nancy Emaline Lewis, born 11 November 1855 at Shiloh, Tennessee. They moved to Dallas County, Texas in early 1880's and after a short time returned to Tennessee and then moved to Texas again and located in Ellis County prior to 1887. In November 1899, they moved to Wichita Falls, Texas. He was a carpenter and farmer and is said to have been successful in all his undertakings. He died 8 August 191?, she survives him. Family Methodists. He was active in church and Sunday school work; 'never cased profane language, tobacco, nor. intoxicants, and was highly respected in his community. Was a life long Democrat in his politics.

### Children:

i Della: b 4 Sept. 1874, m Samuel Burns, reside Waxahachie, Tex. They had:

1 Dick Burns.

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2 Willie May Burns.

ii Eke: b 21 Jan. 1877, m Irvan Deaton, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. They had:

1 Rella Deaton: b 18-, m H. G. Malitz, reside Dallas, Tex.

2 Nina May Deaton.

iii Hoil: b 26 Nov. 1879, m Launetta Meadow, he is a World War Veteran, reside Lamar, Colo. They had:

1 Agnes, resides Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Alys, resides Fort Worth, Tex. 3 Maxie.

iv Allie May: b 10 May 188-, m George Ison, reside Mangum, Okla. They had:

1 Raymond Ison.

2 Lonnie Ison.

v Floyd: b 10 Nov. 1887 Ellis Co., Tex., m 6 Sept. 1911 at Wichita Falls, Tex. Allie May Hendricks, b Grayson Co., Tex. 18 Mar. 1892, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. States he served in Post Office Dept. for 13 years and was exempt from service in World War; then 5 years in a bank, then 5 years in hardware business; has served as a Scout Master for two troops of Boy Scouts. They had:

1 Frances Emaline: b 20 Aug. 1915.

2 Harry Oliver: b 10 May 1917, died 24 June 1930.

3 Mary Ruth: b 19 Aug. 1920.

vi William Pearson: b 16 Jan. 1890, Veteran of World War, m reside Fort Lauderdale, Fla. No children.

vii Mamie: b 10 Aug. 1893, m Arthur E. Teague, reside Rome, Ga. They had

1 Eugene Teague.

2 Dale Teague.

3 Daughter.

4 Harry Teague.

viii Raymond: b 14 Nov. 1898, resides Wichita Falls, Tex.

489 JAMES ROBERT (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*John D. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sevier County, Arkansas in 1852, moved to Tulare County, California with his parents in 1869. He married in the late 1870's Manuella Vaughn, born 1858. He died 17 September 1917, she :survived. him and died .27 December 1921, resided Tulare, California.

Children:

i John Robert: b 2 June 1882, m 1 Apr. 1903 Tina H. Vincent, b 27 Jan. 1882, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Ila Irene: b Aug. 1904, m W. J. Sommers, reside Tulare, Calif.

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2 Pauline Ione: b 1 Jan. 1912. Is a Nurse, in San Francisco, Calif. in 1931.

3 John Emmett: b 20 Sept. 1916.

ii Floyd: b 27 Mar. 1883. Resides Tulare, Calif.

iii Charles: b 22 June 1884, m Elizabeth Monroe, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Kenneth.

2 Dorothy.

iv Grace: b 1885-6. Killed in same accident that killed her grandfather in 1893. v Walter Royal: b 2 May 1888 at Pixley, Calif., m 6 July 1915 at Tulare, Calif. Katherine Frusetta, b 2 Oct. 1888, reside Hollister, Calif. They had:

1 Marjorie Katherine: b 25 Feb. 1920.

2 Robert Vaughn: b 11 Sept. 1922.

vi Hazel: b 1890, m ca 1910 Alfred Le Blanc, reside Hynes, Calif. They had

1 Laurence LeBlanc.

2 Harold LeBlanc.

3 Marguerite LeBlanc.

vii Homer R.: b 10 May 1892, m 26 Aug. 1919 Neva Ann Santry, reside Porterville, Calif. where he is connected with Fire Department. He has furnished information on this family. No children.

viii Ralph: b Jan. 1895, m 1929 Nell Hornbrook, reside Terra Bella, Calif.

ix Bernice: b 1897, m Robert Belshaw, she died Aug. 1919, he survives her and resides Goshen, Calif. They had:

1 Cleo Belshaw: b 19-.

2 Roberta Belshaw: b 19-.

x Vesta: b Aug. 1899, m 10 Aug. 1931 Dr. J. E. Beck, reside Tulare, Calif.

#### 490 SAMUEL T. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel E. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sevier County, Arkansas 14 November 1859 moved to Texas and later to West Virginia with his mother and step father. He married in 1880 Nancy J. Warhop, born Virginia 186-, resided Mercer County, West Virginia to about 1910, then moved to w Batavia; Ohio where he is engaged in farming. There were ten children born to this union seven of whom died in infancy. He has furnished in

- formation on this family.

Children

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i Roy Raymond: b 8 Feb. 1883, m 13 May 1903 at Hinton,

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and settled in Amelia, Clermont Co., where they reside. They had:

1 Dossie Blanch: b 31 May 1904 W. Va. Grad. Commercial College, Cincinnati, Ohio, she is educational secretary, Y. W. C. A., So: Western Ohio at Cincinnati, Ohio. She m 10 Sept. 1930 Homer A. Russell.

2 Carrie Eunice: b 4 Mar. 1906 W. Va. Grad. Campbell Commercial College, she is stenographer Information Dept. Chamber of Commerce, Cincinnati, Ohio.

3 Leonard Oswald: b 19 June 1908 W. Va.

4 Victor Mott: b 23 May 1911 Ohio.

ii Grower C.: b 4 Mar. 1885, died 24 Aug. 1908.

iii Cecil Samuel: b 29 Apr. 1887, m 1912 Augusta Krekler, reside Ohio. They had

1 Owen Oswald: b 23 Oct. 1913.

2 Velva Virginia: b 21 Apr. 1915.

#### 491 CHARLES LAFAYETTE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Nathan, 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 21 January 1875. He married (1) at Evening Shade, Arkansas, 2 February 1895 Amanda Clem Phillips, born Arkansas 18-, resided in Sharp and Jackson Counties, Arkansas, Amanda died 10 March 1908, buried Dowe cemetery, Jackson County. He married (2) 1912-13 at Poteau, Oklahoma, Myrtle Monks, born 18-, reside Wynne Wood, Oklahoma.

Children:

i Willie: b 21 Dec. 1898, died 13 Jan. 1899, Izard Co., Ark.

ii Bertha Elizabeth: b 20 Jan. 1900, resides Ralls, Tex.

iii Bulah : b 10 May 1901, died 18 Dec. 1902 Izard Co., Ark.

iv Ranson: b 16 July 1902, died 15 Aug. 1902 Jackson Co., Ark.

v Fannies b 7 Apr. 1905, died 9 Oct. 1905.

vi Earnest: b 20 Apr. 1907, resides Grant, Okla.

vii Cecil: b 12 June 1912, 2d wife.

viii Herschal: b 29 Nov. 1915.

ix Virgil: b 6 June 1918.

x Harrold: b 16 July 1920.

xi Carrol: b 5 Sept. 1922.

xii Jerrold: b 16 Aug. 1926.

xiii Ulysses Grant: b 13 June 1930.

#### 492 ROBERT NEWTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas W. 9, John 8, Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cherokee County, Alabama 10 August 1878. He married (1) Margaret Head, she died 9 June 1920 and he. mar



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ried (2) prior to 1924 Delma , born Alabama 2? March 1898. Reside Gadsden, Alabama.

Children:

i Ella Mae: b 27 May 1898.

ii Marie Lou: b 8 Aug. 1901.

iii Rinda Elizabeth: b 27 Apr. 1904.

iv Charles Lee: b 29 Nov. 1914.

v Mary Emma: b 17 Apr. 1920.

vi Robert Joe: b 4 Mar. 1924, 2d wife.'

vii Thomas W.: b 4 Apr. 1926.

viii William Herbert: b 18 Aug. 1929.

#### 493 GEORGE S. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas J. 9, Bright W. 8, John 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logansport, Louisiana 20 May 1891. He married 19 May 1912 in Texas, Elizabeth Scarborough, born Texas 18-. Reside Grand Prairie, Texas. He is the only one of this entire family so far encountered who would give any information; data of Thomas J. Billingsley and his children has been furnished by him.

Children:

i Alton Albert: b 8 Sept. 1913.

ii Myrtle Almeta: b 25 Apr. 1915.

iii L. B.: b 10 Feb. 1917.

iv James Leon: b 26 Dec. 1922.

v Teletha Martha: b 9 Aug. 1925.

vi Retha Margaret: b 9 Aug. 1925, a twin, she died 5 June 1926.

#### 494 JAMES WILLIAM (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Rusk or Lamar County, Texas 5 January . 186?. He married (1) 23 May 1889 Margaret S. Edwards, born Texas 18-, she died 1890-1891 and he married (2) Lula Adams, born Texas 18-. They moved to Oklahoma and resided there some years then returned to Texas where he died 24 January 1906, and she died in 1909, Shelby County. There are stated to have been ten children by the second marriage, some of these are unknown and probably died in infancy.

Children: (known)

i Margaret Ethel: b 1890-91, m Grover Scruggs, residence not stated. They had:

1 Wildon Scruggs.

2 Marjorie Scruggs.

3 Ethel Scruggs.

ii Emory: b 189-, 2d wife, m Irma Sindol, reside Orange, Calif.

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iii Birtie: b 189- Shelby Co., Tex., m 25 Oct. 1917 William Henry Long, b Tex., reside Gary, Tex. They had:

1 William Long: b 3 Nov. 1918.

2 Eunice Long: b 13 Dec. 1920, died 26 Apr. 1931.

3 Mabel Long: b 27 Feb. 1924.

4 James R. Long: b 15 Sept. 1926.

5 J. R. Long: b 6 July 1927, died set. 2 years.

6 Joel Long: b 3 Jan. 1930.

iv Robert Haden: b 18 Dec. 1901 in Okla., he m 2 Jan. 1925 at Kaufman, Tex. Lorene Morris, b Henderson Co., Tex. 19 Oct. 1906, reside Crowley, Texas. No children.

v James: b 19-, m Gertrude Riley, reside Marysville, Texas. No information as to his family, etc.

vi Travis: b 19-, m Etta Tooney, he was accidentally killed 11 July 1928, no mention of any children, or his residence.

495 ROBERT MADISON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lamar County, Texas 19 September 1879, he married at Oak Flat, Texas, 9 November 1902 Emma Eunice Vaughn, born Oak Flat, Texas 18 December 1880. Reside Henderson, Texas.

Children:

i Robert Alton: b 30 Oct. 1904, m 3 Aug. 1929 Opal Wooster, reside Henderson, Tex.

ii Clara Eunice: b 28 Nov. 1907 at Oak Flat, Tex., she m at Texarkana, Ark. 18 June 1931 Ollie T. Brightwell, b Kilgore, Tex. 1 Feb. 1902. She has furnished considerable information concerning this family. Reside Henderson, Tex.

iii Arpie Jane: b 13 Mar. 1911.

iv William Andre: b 18 Dec. 1913.

v Mary Ann: b 22 Aug. 1916.

496 DE VOTIE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas W. 9, William 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Choctaw County, Mississippi, 6 December 1858, moved to Montgomery County with his mother after his father's death, nothing is stated as to who reared him, his brother or sister, after his mother's death in 1867, it is assumed that she returned to her parents in Montgomery County, Mississippi where she died and that the children were reared in the home of their grandfather Loggias. He has furnished the information on this family. He married 12 November 1882 at Lodi, Mississippi Connie Aldridge, born Choctaw County, Mississippi 18 October 1865, both were living in 1931 and resided Winona, Mississippi.

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### Children:

i Cleora: b 13 Aug. 1883, m J. D. Stone, reside Lambert, Miss. no mention of any children.

ii Thomas Henry: b 1 Dec. 1884, m prior to 1908 Mintie Flowers, b 18-, reside Winona, Miss. where he was Mayor in 1931. They had:

1 Allie Ward: b 22 Mar. 1908.

2 Lula Frances: b 21 May 1912.

iii William DeVotie: b 24 Apr. 1887. The following is copied from G. O. No. 512 Navy Department, Washington, D. C. 11 Nov. 1919: "Destroyer No. 293, under construction at the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Co., Squantum, Mass. named in memory of Ensign William D. Billingsley, United States Navy. Born in Winona, Miss., April 24, 1887; killed in an aeroplane accident June 20, 1913, and buried in the Naval Academy Cemetery, Annapolis, Md., June 28, 1913. Appointed midshipman July 5, 1905; graduated in June 1909; ensign June 5, 1911. Cruised on the U. S. *Petrel* on special service 1911-12. On June 20, 1913, started from the aviation station near Annapolis in a Wright biplane which had been converted into a hydroplane. When about 10 miles down the bay a gust of wind struck the hydroaeroplane and caused it to dive. Ensign Billingsley was thrown out and fell into the water. This was the first fatal accident to an aviator of the United States Navy. He was an officer of determination and fearless courage."

iv Eliza: b 11 Oct. 1888, died 13 Aug. 1894.

v DeWitt: b 13 Apr. 1890, m 1 Oct. 1914 at Atlanta, Ga. Elizabeth Lovell McMillan, b at Pittston, Pa. 7 July 1892, reside New Orleans, La. They had:

1 Elizabeth Ann: b 1 Jan. 1916, d 1? Mar. 1917.

2 DeWitt, Jr.: b 13 Feb. 1918, d 17 Dec. 1918.

3 William DeVotie: b 3 Oct. 1919.

4 Mae Lovell: b 23 July 1921 called "Peggy."

vi Alma: b 29 Feb. 1892, m prior to 1917 Oliver Abbot Shaw, reside University, Miss. They had: .

1 Hope Stone Shaw: b 26 Jan. 1917.

2 Oliver Abbot Shaw, Jr.: b 16 Apr. 1918.

3 Aldridge Winfield Shaw: b 7 Dec. 1919.

4 Anna Brook Shaw: b 25 Dec. 1920.

5 Francis Shaw: b 19 May 1922.

6 Mary Kathryn Shaw: b 3 Jan. 1926.

7 Maynard DeVotie Shaw: b 18 Apr. 1930.

vii Celeste: b 10 Apr. 1893, m prior to 1923 Irby A. Wadlington, reside Memphis, Tenn. They had:

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1 Anne Wadlington : b 18 Aug. 1923.

2 Irby Augusta Wadlington: b 10 Sept. 1926.

viii Irene: b 27 Apr. 1894, m prior to 1928 Van Dorn Stone, b . 18- reside Lambert, Miss. They had:

1 Yona Stone: b 4 Oct. 1928.

2 Henry Deck Stone: b 15 May 1930. Twins

3 Van Dorn Stone: b 15 May 1930.

ix Connie: b 20 June 1895, m (1) prior to 1925 Jack Hamilton, he died and she m (2) H. E. Johnson, reside Winona, Miss. They had:

1 Martha Jane Hamilton: b 4 Mar. 1925.

2 Rebecca Johnson: b 14 Aug. 1931.

x Martin Charles: b 8 July 1898, m prior to 1927 Ninna Davis, b 1-,reside Winona, Miss. They had:

1 Martin Charles, Jr.: b 22 June 1927.

2 William Eugene: b 22 Sept. 1930.

xi Laline : b 14 Nov. 1899, resides Winona, Miss.

497 ROBERT LEE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Charles N. 9, Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tate County, Mississippi 19 March 1876, he married 20 January 1900 Ada Lee Davis, born Mississippi 20 October 1878. Reside Tate County, Mississippi.

Children:

i Leo Lynn: b 18 June 1902, m (1) Rosa Baker, m (2) 16 Apr. 1927 Laverne Holmes. No children.

ii Ila Inez: b 1 Oct. 1903, m 27 June 1930 Ray Shackelford. No children.

iii Annie Laura: b 30 Dec. 1906, m 11 Oct. 1926 Ira Rochelle, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Daniel Rochelle: b 26 Dec. 1927.

2 Imogen Rochelle: b 5 Nov. 1929.

3 Joyce Rochelle: b 24 Dec. 1931.

iv Hubert Lee: b 16 Apr. 1908.

v Maurice William: b 29 Apr. 1910, died 2 Sept. 1912.

vi Leslie: b 13 Mar. 1912, m 23 Nov. 1929 Floyd Gentry, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Floy Lee Gentry: b 14 Mar. 1931 (daughter). .

vii Ruby Lilly: b 9 July 1914.

viii Ada Ruth: b 9 Apr. 1916, died 30 Nov. 1917.

ix Leonard: b .7 May 1918.

498 CYRUS NATHANIEL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Zachariah T. 9, Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tate County, Mississippi, 6 December 1874, moved to Arkansas with his parents about 1885 where he married at Gill,

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Arkansas; in 1887 Sarah Jane Vaulx, born Brownsville, Tennessee 15 November 1872, daughter of John Watson Vaulx. He died 23 March 1925 at Aubrey, Arkansas, she survives him.

Children:

i Nina: b 4 Oct. 1888, unmarried 1932.

ii Marie: b 20 Apr. 1900, m L. J. Brown.

iii Cecil Floyd: b 23 May 1902 Lee Co., Ark., he m 20 Sept. 1924 at Mariana, Ark. Ione Elain Hicks, b Obion, Tenn. 23 Apr. 1907, reside Hughes, Ark. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Cecil Floyd, Jr.: b 20 Dec. 1926.

2 Max Turner: b 22 Feb. 1928.

iv Stella Madge: b 9 Dec. 1904, m George A. Thomason.

v E. Homer: b 16 Apr. 1908.

vi Thelma: b 4 Feb. 1911, m Ray Wells.

vii Mary Katherine: b 12 Dec. 1915.

#### 499 ALBERT MARK (11) BILLINGSLEY

*(Aaron E. 10, Mark 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)*

Born Johnson County, Texas 1 September 1889. He married at Benjamin, Texas 19 December 1909 Lela Gertrude Harris, born Fannin County, Georgia, 31 August 1892, daughter of James and Josephine Harris, of Georgia and Texas. Resided at Alvarado, Texas some years where he engaged in farming, painting and decorating, etc. In 1923 they moved to San Bernardino, California where he entered the service of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway as a locomotive and car painter, they removed to Window, Arizona in the year 1924 where he is still in the service of the Santa Fe railroad.

Albert M. Billingsley has been an ardent worker in the matter of collecting the data used herein, not only in that of his own branch but of any one of the name who would answer him and thru his assiduity and persistence many "lost ones" have been included in the records.

Children;

i Harold Harris: b 16 July 1911 at Alvarado, Tex., m 28 Jan. 1933 at Holbrook, Ariz., Ruth Crain, of Winslow, Ariz., reside Window, Ariz.

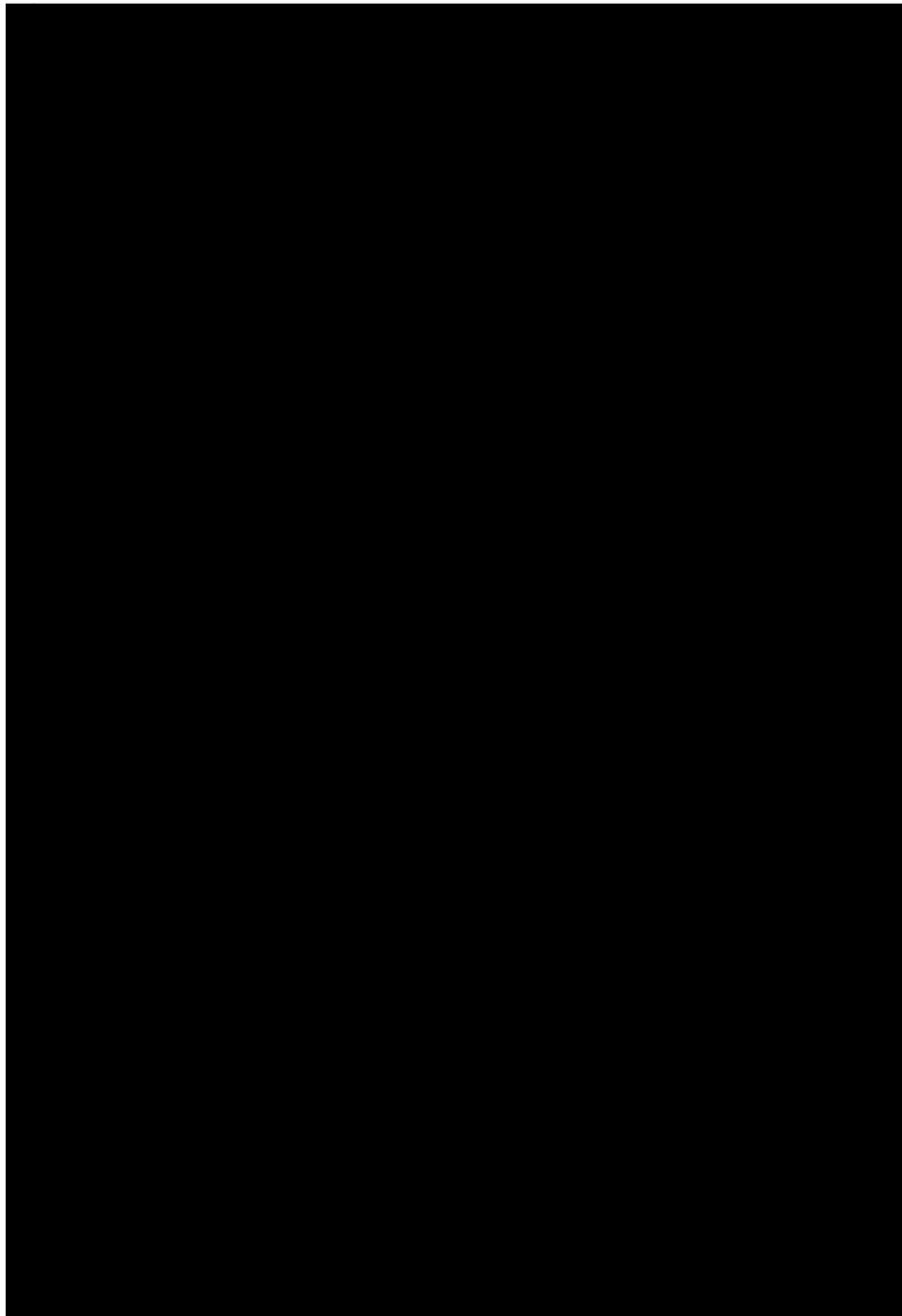
ii Sarah Josephine: b 3 Jan. 1914.

iii Albert Edmonston: b 13 Dec. 1916.

iv Charles Raymond: b 24 Sept. 1925 at Winslow, Ariz.

#### ADDENDA

Several years since in correspondence with descendants of Eli H. Billingsley we were informed he had a daughter, Nancy, who was still living, but aged. Efforts were in vain to get any information from her. In June 1934, too late for inclusion in its proper place, we learned "Aunt Nancy



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had passed to her reward," and had left the following information "my father was Hudson; uncles Cy and Zach lived in Ohio; aunt Matt never married; aunt Mary Ann went to Ohio to teach school and married a Mr. Harford or Halvey; aunt Annie married a Mr. Harrington and lived in Ohio."

It will be noted that this information checks with the data given concerning the children of William Billingsley except Mary Ann.

In November 1934 we had further information concerning Mary Ann from a descendant through Miss M. E. Houston, of Washington, D. C. The following is added to complete the record of this family.

160 MARY ANN (7) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) See page 119 for her parents, and this Number should follow 160-A, page 323. Mary Ann was born in Stafford County, Virginia in April 1800. She became a school teacher and about 1820-21 went to Licking County, Ohio where she met and married about 1822-23 James Harvey, born Maryland 15 December 1791. He is stated to have moved to Virginia with his parents when about two years old, and to have served in the War of 1812. It is not stated when he moved to Ohio. He was married (1) to she probably died and he married (2) as stated above. In 1828 they moved to Tazewell County, Illinois being among the first settlers; in 1854 to 1857 they resided in Peoria then returned to Groveland township where he died 19 October 1859, leaving a will in which Mary Ann was sole legatee, and at her death the estate to be divided among eight children. She survived him and died in 1873 at Peoria, Illinois. Said to. have been eleven children by this marriage.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Susan Harvey: b 18-, m Newcomb.

ii Sarah Ann Harvey: b 18-, m Mombelow.

iii Hannah M. Harvey: b 5 Sept. 1823, 2d wife. She m in Aug. 1839 William H. John, removed to Coshocton Co., Ohio. He died in 1907, she was residing Havana, Ill. 1908, was still living in 1919. They had nine children, 4 were living in 1919:

1 Thomas Harvey John: b 18-, m Josephine , was living 1919 at Bloomington, Ill.

2 Mary E. John: b 18-, m Kreabaum, was living 1919.

3 Frank -John: b 18--, was living Kansas City, Mo. 1919.

4 Margaret John: b 18-, m Phillips, was living in Kansas City, Mo. in 1919.

iv Wesley B. Harvey: b 15 Dec. 1824 Ohio. He was married twice, he died 20 Feb. 1908, will probated in Tazewell Co., Ill., and names all living heirs. He had no children.

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v William A. Harvey: b 12 July 1826. He m (1) prior to 1857 Vina Erckenbrook; (2) in 1872 Maude B. Hamilton; was living in 1908 at Diagonal, Iowa. They had:

1 Frank S. Harvey: b 1857 Ill., m prior to 1878 Jennie b Iowa 1860, resided Shelden, Iowa in 1908. Had two children living in 1880: Luella and Carrie.

2 Ella Jane Harvey: b 1859-60. Called Jennie, m Marsh, resided New York in 1908.

3 Ray E. Harvey: b 1862, resided Shelden, Ia. in 1908.

vi Mary E. Harvey: b 1831 Ill. She m (1) Capt. Phillips; (2) in 1862 O. M. McTween. She had some children and was living in 1908 at Mackinaw, Ill.

vii Martha Jane Harvey: b 6 Nov. 1833 Ill. She married 3 July 1857 James Morris Burrell, b 30 Jan. 1826-28 in Albany Co., N. Y. They removed to Polk Co., Mo., where he died in 1918 and she died 16 Nov. 1920. They had:

1 Charles C. Burrell: b 1858.

2 Nettie Vienna Burrell: b 10 Jan. 1861. She m 7 Nov. 1881 Alfred Washington Mitchell, b Beverly, N. J. 10 Mar. 1856. He died 5 Sept. 1911, she survives him and resides Humansville, Mo. They had:

a Meta Pearl Mitchell: b 188- Mo., m 5 June 1907 Cleveland Alexander Newton, a lawyer. Reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

al John Alfred Newton: b 17 Oct. 1912.

b James W. Mitchell: b 188-, died infancy.

c Ethel Burrell Mitchell: b 18-, m James R. Vaughn.

d Estelle Elizabeth Mitchell: b 18-.

e Harriet Lucille Mitchell: b 18-, m Edward Bloodgood Stringham, reside Poughkeepsie, N. Y. They had:

el Katherine Varrick Stringham.

e2 Edward Barnes Stringham.

3 Wesley H. Burrell: b 1863.

viii John D. Harvey: b 183?, resided Anadarko, Okla. in 1919.

ix Drucilla Harvey: b 1839, m (1) ante 1859 Brachin; (2) Phillips; she was living in 1919 Monette, Mo.

x Harriet A. Harvey: b 1842. She married Edmund Hibbard, in 1919 some place in Wyoming. They had:

1 James Bradford Hibbard: b 1862 Ill.

2 Charles E. Hibbard: b 1863-64.

3 Ross R. Hibbard: b 1867 (Census record shows this name as Ross. It may be intended for Rosa who m Burch and named in will of Wesley B. Harvey in 1908.

4 Robert L. Hibbard: b 1871 Kan.



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b Hazel Robisher : b 19-.

c Betty Jane Robisher: b 19-.

3 Annie Evie : b Aug. 1894, died 14 Sept. 1894.

4 Evelyn Ola: b 189-, m 1913 Bertie Lewis Hildinger, a divorce, and she m (2) Ted, reside San Antonio. They had:  
a Son: b 191-, died aet. a few months.

b Bertie L. Hildinger : b ca 1916.

c Beverly Ruth Hildinger: b 1918.

5 Lewie Rennie: b ca 1895-99, m (1) Agnes , a divorce, and he m (2) 1923 Leslie, he died aet. 26 years at San Antonio, Tex.

6 Ethel: b 19-, m about 1922 Moody Nivens, reside Austin, Tex. No children.

7 Adelle: b 19-, m (1) about 1918 a Mr. Merton, a divorce in 1919 and she m (2) 1920-21 Hendrix Burden, reside Houston, Tex. They had:

a Jack Burden.

8 Belle: b 19-, m James Armstrong, reside Houston, Tex., said to have three children.

iv Hugh Smith: b 2 Nov. 1871, died 27 Dec. 1917 at Austin, Tex. of pneumonia, unmarried.

v Eulalia Laura: b 15 June 1873 Tex., m 4 July 1894 at San Marcos, Tex. J. Clark Messer, of Austin, Tex. She died 6 Jan. 1919 at Austin, Tex.

vi Arthur Bradley: b 1874, died aet. few months.

vii Theodore Edward: b 17 Jan. 1876, resides El Paso, Tex. j

viii Clinton Augustus: b 6 Apr. 1878. Was in Austin, Tex. 1903-4 and listed as a "Dairy hand" with F. N. Chapin; in 1905-6 he is listed as "Teamster"; 1909-10 resided with his brother, Rennie. He m 192- a Mrs. Callie , who had a daughter at the time of this marriage, reside Dallas, Tea. They had:

1 Florence: b 1920, step daughter, goes by name of Billingsley.

ix Charles Emerson: b 10 Sept. 1879, died 22 Dec. 1919 at Fort Worth, Tex., buried at Dallas, Tex.

x Clyde Norton : b 1880, died aet : 3 months.

xi Dessie Conway: b 29 Aug.. 1881, resides San Antonio, Tex.

xii Leila Vance: b 22 June 1885, San Marcos, Tex., m 24 Dec. 1908 at Austin, Tex., William Henry Luter, Ill., b Mobile, Ala., reside Culver City, Calif. 1932. No children. It was thru her efforts that the record of this family was brought to this state of completion.

xiii Viola Josephine: b 18 Nov. 1886 San Marcos, Tex., m 1926 Fred J. Melberg, reside Seattle, Wash. They had:

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1 Fred J. Melberg, Jr.: b Mar. 1928.

xiv Flavius Roswell: b 14 Apr. 1890 San Marcos, Tex. 1909-10, he is listed at Austin, Tex. as "Teamster"; 1912-13, 2d Supt. Deaf and Dumb Inst. He m 1914 Ethel Irwin, of Austin; 1916 listed as "teacher" Deaf and Dumb Inst.; and 1920 as Supt. of same; moved to Akron, Ohio during the year and resided there several years, was again in Austin, Tex. in 1928, resides Houston, Tex. 1932. They had:

1 John Smith: b 16 Jan. 1916 Tex. died 1 Nov. 1922 Akron, O.

2 William Henry: b 10 July 1920 Akron, Ohio.

3 Roy Irwin: b 25 Nov. 1925, at Austin, Tex.

xv Rudolph Rumel: b 18 Oct. 1892. Vas in U. S. Army 1932, Air Corps.

### 449 HENRY CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida 1 April 1839. He enlisted 30 Aug. 1861 at Tallahassee, Florida as Private 2d Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 31 Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at Memphis, Tennessee; 30 Apr. 1862 was in Company E; on 30 June 1862 on furlough, sick; on 31 October 1862 was in Company M; wounded at Gettysburg and captured, in hospital 4 July 1863, exchanged 31 July 1863; October 1863 present; 1 February 1864 transferred to Company D, and April 1864 absent, wounded; 31 August 1864 in hospital; October 1864 on sick furlough, and February 1865 furloughed home; he was five feet and ten inches in height, black hair, and dark eyes. (War Dept. Records) We have been informed that some of the wounds mentioned above left him a cripple the rest of his days. He married 10 October 1866 Martha Elizabeth Hall, born Randolph County, Georgia 28 December 1841. He was a farmer and died 4 February 1914, she survived him a few years and died 13 March 1919, family Baptists, and resided Leon County, Florida.

Children:

i Edward Ley: b 22 Nov. 1867, m 11 Nov. 1896 Lee Fleeting, b Leon Co., Fla. 1868. He is a member of Woodmen of the World, family Baptist, and reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 Winifred Wilkinson: b 2 Feb. 1899, died 18 Sept. 1900.

ii Fellows Henry: b 9 Nov. 1869, m 19 July 1913 at Tallahassee, Fla. Pearl Thompson. He is a , farmer, family Baptist. He has furnished information on this family, reside Lloyd, Fla. They had:

1 .Edith May: b 4 May 1914.

2 Henry Ford: b 20 June 1916.

3 Ethel Eliza: b 28 Nov. 1918.

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4 Frank Anderson: b 1--.

iv Olive Emma: b 12 Aug. 1877, m prior to 1911 Walter Charles Belder, b 10 Oct. 1882, reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished data on this family. They had:

1 Leonard George Belder: b 13 Feb. 1911. v Florida Belle: b 21 June 1880, m a Mr. Myers, reside Eagle, Pass. Tex. They had:

1 Carrie Myers: b 1-, m Helma Frick, res. Eagle Pass, Tex.

2 Naomi Myers: b 1-, m -Percy Storms, reside San Francisco, Calif.

vi Jesse Powell: b 25 Feb. 1883, m , reside Crystal City, Tex. They had:

1 Frances.

2 Margie.

3 Jesse Powell, Jr.

### 451 SIDNEY COLEMAN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowler 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born Anson County, North Carolina in 1844. He enlisted 24 February 1862 Private H, 43d N. C. Infantry, C. S. A.; 3d Corp. June 1862; 21 Apr. 1863 sick in Wilson hospital; 18 August 186-1 sick in hospital at Winchester, Virginia.; captured 19 October 1864 as Strasburg, Virginia, and released 24 June 1865. He was five feet and ten inches in height, dark hair and light blue eyes. He was a farmer after the war and then became a Methodist minister. He married 10 June 1876 Mary Jane Teal, born Morven, North Carolina in 1853. He died at Polkton, North Carolina 5 February 1921, she survived him a few years and died 17 December 1926.

Children:

i Anna E.: b 22 July 1877, m 29 Dec. 1896 William Thomas Allen, his 2d wife. She died 27 July 1906 and he m (3) Lucy Jane Billingsley, see below. They had:

1 Clifford Allen: b 1898, died aet. 18 months.

2 Mary Ellen Allen: b ca 1900.

ii Carrandon Carlton: b 2? May 1879, m 23 Mar. 1914 Lora Porter, he is with Seaboard Air Line railway, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

1 Carlton, Coleman: b ca, 1916.

2 Willard Potter: b 19-.

iii Nettle A.: b 27 May 1882, m 19 Feb. 1902 Victor Smith, she died 9 Apr. 1925. They had:

1 Beulah Smith: b 19-, m Marion Hendley, residence not stated. They had

a Ednagra Hendley: b ca 1928.

b Nettle Maxine Hendley: b 1931.

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iv Lucy Jane: b 7 Aug. 1884, m 9 Sept. 1906 William Thomas Allen, his 3d wife, resided East Rockingham, N. C. They had:

1 William T. Alley, Jr.: b 190-.

2 Annie Alley: b ca 1911, m a Mr. Heeney. They had:

a Bettie Lou Heeney: b 1929.

b William McDonald Heeney: b 1931.

3 Nell Allen: b 1919.

v Willard J.: b 19 Dec. 1886, died 4 June 1889.

vi Sallie E.: b 21 Dec. 1889, m 1910 Frank Tyson, residence not stated. They had:

1 Fred Tyson: b ca 1912.

2 Emma Tyson.

3 Ruby Tyson.

4 John R. Tyson.

5 Zebulon Tyson.

6 Esther Tyson.

7 Jessie Ray Tyson.

vii Edmund F.: b 24 Apr. 1891, m 11 Aug. 1912 Ada Bailey, reside Polkton, N. C. They had:

1 James Edward: b ca 1914.

2 Mason Cline: b 19-.

3 Margaret Elizabeth: b 19-.

4 Keith Maxwell: b 1927.

viii Minnie Lee: b 5 Oct. 1893, m 1911 Millard Horne, reside Peachland, N. C. They had:

1 William Horne.

2 Louise Horne.

3 Mary Lee Horne.

4 Charles Horne.

5 Millard Horne, Jr.

6 Martha Horne.

7 Ellie Horne.

8 Jimmy Rogers Horne.

ix Zebulon, David: b 11 Mar. 1897, m 28 Sept. 1920 Jennie Morrison, b Richmond Co., N. C. in 1897. Reside Rockingham, N. C. They have no children.

### 452 WILLIAM MARTIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*David D. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 6, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Anson County, North Carolina- in 1848. He is stated to have served a. short period in Confederate service near the close of the war. His names does not appear on the War Department records tho this does not prove he did not serve. He married (1) prior to 1871 Eliza J. Bennett, born South Carolina 185-, she died October 1871 and he married (2) in 1873 Annie E. Bennett, born 4 March 1855,

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sister to his first wife. He was a farmer resided near Hamlet, North Carolina where he died 9 January 1917, she survived him a few months and died 6 December 1917. Family Methodists.

Children:

i John David: b 15 Oct. 1871, died 23 July 1903, unmarried. ii Harriet Alie: b 13 Sept. 1874 near Wadesboro, N. C. She married (1) 30 Oct. 1895 Griffin D. Watkins, b N.C. 18-, he died 28 Oct. 1903. She married (2) in 1922 E. J. Coble, b N. C. 1861, his 3d wife. Family Methodist, reside Albermarle, N: C. She has shown considerable interest in the history and has secured much information on her own branch of the family. They had:

1 Griffin D. Watkins: b 14 Sept. 1896, m 25 Dec. 1924 Margie Josey. He is an electrician, reside Florence, S.C.

They had:

a Margaret Ann Watkins: b 11 Oct. 1925.

b Marion Lee Watkins: b 1927.

c Griffin D. Watkins: b 10. Sept. 1929.

2 Nellie May Watkins: b 23 Mar. 1898, m 23 Dec. 1915 B. F. Duncan, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

a B. F. Duncan, Jr.: b 25 Sept. 1919.

3 James B. Watkins: b 28 Sept. 1901. Was unmarried 1933.

4 Gladys M. Watkins: b 2 Mar. 1904, m 10 Sept. 1922 A. L. Shankle, reside Albermarle, N. C. No children.

iii James Marcus: b 1 Feb. 1876, m (1) Cappie F. Edwards, of Robeson Co., N. C. she died about 1919 and he m (2) 29 Mar. 1922 Lula Gibson, of Richmond Co., N. C., reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

1 Lois Ethel: b 15 June 1924.

2 Edna Page: b 15 July 1926.

3 James Marcus: b 1928, died aet. 8 months. j

4 William Everett: b 9 July 1930.

5 Roy Mitchell: b 19 Jan. 1933.

iv William Edmund: b 25 Jan. 1878, m 25 Dec. 1907 Ava May Stuckey, b 20 Mar. 1885, Chesterfield, S. C.

See Davis Family, by H. A. Davis, for her ancestry. He died 18 Oct. 1910 in Arizona, she m (2) 20 Sept. 1914 A. A. May, she died 20 Nov. 1918. They had:

1 Ava May: b 3 Oct. 1909, m 12 Oct. 1932 Angus B. McLaughlin, reside Florence, S. C.

v Mary Eliza: b 10 Jan. 1880, m George W. Kyker, reside Ashville, N. C. They had: .

1 Fletcher Kyker: b 1904.

2 Clara Kyker: b 1907.

3 Julia Kyker : b 1910.

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vi Guilford Coleman: b 31 Oct. 1882, died 15 Nov. 1905. vii Eugene Garland: b 31 Oct. 1887, m Ella Mae McCaskell nee Watson, a divorcee after 1923, he was a railroad man, resided Hamlet, N. C. Family Methodist. He died 18 Jan. 1932 of pneumonia. They had:

- 1 Ruby May: b 1916.
- 2 James Garland: b 1921.
- 3 William Ray: b 1923.

viii Willie Franklin: b 6 Sept. 1889, m 24 Dec. 1919 Ruth Barricks, he is a railroad man, member of Knights of Pythias, family Methodist, reside Lynchburg, Va. They had:

- 1 Lois Annie: b 8 Mar. 1922.
- 2 William Franklin: b 29 Jan. 1924.
- 3 Robert Edward: b 8 Oct. 1925.
- 4 Frances Ellen: b 12 Apr. 1927.

ix Jefferson Coleman: b 19 Dec. 1892, m 13 Sept. 1919 Anabel Gibson, he is a railroad man, reside Hamlet, N. C. They had:

- 1 Hallie Elizabeth: b 2 Oct. 1920.
- 2 Ernest Oscar: b 17 Jan. 1922.
3. Freida Vivian: b 3 Apr. 1923.
- 4 Annie Laurie: b 24 Nov. 1924.
- 5 Bennett T.: b 5 Sept. 1926.
- 6 Melba Louise: b 10 June 1928.
- 7 David Jefferson: b 28 Sept. 1932.

x Lonnie Powell: b 23 Dec. 1896, m 30 Aug. 1929 Lettie Thompson. He is a railroad man, reside Hampton, Va. They had:

- 1 Betty Ann: b 13 Feb. 1931.
- 2 William Eugene: b June 1932.

#### 453 JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Pike County, Georgia 20 May 1836. Was reared in the home of his grandfather, Elias Billingsley. He and his brother, John P., moved to Texas about 1856 to join their father. He married 9 May 1858 Nancy Jane Jones, born Illinois, 10 Aug. 1837, resided Rusk County, Texas. We do not find his name listed in War Department records as a soldier in the Civil War. He was a farmer and died 24 July 1881, she survived him and died 17 December 1917. Resided in Rusk and Lamar Counties, Texas.

Children:

i Thomas Perry: b 24 Feb. 1859, m Mary Reed, of Mt. Enterprise, Tex. residence not stated, both supposed to be living in 1932. They

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1 Thomas.

2 Ina.

3 Annie.

ii Harriet Ellen: b 22 Nov. 1860, m Andrew McIlvane, residence not stated, supposed to be living 1932. They had:

1 James McIlvane: b 18-, m Annie Thompson. They had:

a Orbon McIlvane.

b May Delle McIlvane.

c Mildred McIlvane.

d George McIlvane.

2 George McIlvane: b 18-, m Minnie Clark. No children.

3 Ruth McIlvane : b 18-, m Corbon C. Alexander. They had:

a Mack Alexander.

b James Alexander.

c Billy Jane Alexander.

4 Emory McIlvane: b 18-, died childhood.

iii Martha Jane: b 21 Sept. 1862, died 28 Dec. 1863.

iv Emily Ann : b 10 Jan. 1864, died 17 Oct. 1867.

v James William (10) : b 5 Jan. 1867.

vi Louisa Louise: b 1869-70, m C. M. Duke, residence not stated, both supposed to be living 1932. They had

1 Benjamin Hill Duke.

2 Robert Duke.

3 Eva Duke.

4 Ova Duke.

5 Milburn Duke.

6 Iva Duke.

7 Eldred Duke.

vii John Pulaski: b 19 Jan. 1872, resided Henderson, Tex. 1932.

viii George Franklin: b 1 Jan. 1875, died 2 Oct. 1875. E

ix Sarah E.: b 6 Jan. 1877, died 19 Dec. 1877.

x Robert Madison (10) : b 19 Sept. 1879.

454 ROBERT BENJAMIN (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 3, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida or Thomas County, Georgia in 1844. He enlisted 15 May 186- Private K, 5th Florida Infantry, C. S. A.; 9 September 1862 a prisoner and paroled; October 1862 left sick in Maryland; 23 April 1863 transferred to 1st Battalion Florida Volunteers, this became Company E, 10th Florida Infantry. Paroled from Libbey prison April 1865. He married prior to 1866 Sarah Elizabeth Jones, born Florida in 1848, resided Thomas County, Georgia in 1870 and in Leon County,

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Florida in 1880. -He was a farmer, Sarah died 28 February 1892 and he died 22 November 1899.'

Children

i Margaret A.: b 16 Sept. 1866, died 1867-68.

ii Mary E.: b 25 Aug. 1868, she m 20 Jan. 1881 Berton Marshall County, b 5 Nov. 1865, she died 13 Nov. 1910, he survived her and died 26 Aug. 1930, resided Leon Co., Fla. They had:

1 Mary Frances Courtney: b 25 Sept. 1888, m Sherley Smithson.

2 Berton Marshall Courtney, Jr.: b 19 Oct. 1889.

3 Lora Elizabeth Courtney: b 13 Aug. 1893, m 1 May 1914 Albert L. Billingsley, son of William H. Billingsley, No. 455, which see.

4 Otho Caloway Courtney: b 26 Nov. 1895.

5 Fannie Lee Courtney: b 13 Oct. 1899, died 13 Mar. 1901.

6 James Samuel Courtney: b 8 Oct. 1902. Said to have resided Washington, D. C. 1931, we have been unable to locate any one of this name in this city.

7 Estelle Courtney: b 1905, m 1928 Grover Nixon.

8 Bersho Courtney: b 18 Oct. 1907, m 1926 Lovard McMichael.

iii Sidney I.: b 4 Mar. 1871, died in 1880's.

iv Anna G.: b 19 Sept. 1874, died in 1880's.

v James Addison: b 6 Sept. 1876, m 21 Jan. 1900 at Metcalfe, Ga., Frauline Barrow, b Ga. 3 Oct. 1876, reside Samson, Ala. They had

1 Child: b 14 Jan. 1901, died same day.

2 Pansy: b 10 Apr. 1903.

3 Elizabeth: b 20 Oct. 1906.

vi Robert Benjamin, Jr.: b 29 Jan. 1882, died small.

vii Polly A.: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, statements as to year not in accord. She m 23 July 1906 at Thomasville, Ga. William T. Applewhite, reside Milton, Fla. They had:

1 Agnes Rae Applewhite: b 3 Sept. 1908 Ga.

2 Edna Thelma Applewhite: b 25 Jan. 1912 Ga.

3 William Randolph Applewhite: b 13 Sept. 1913, died 26 July 1915 in Ga.

viii Callie L: b 23 Apr. 1887-88, a twin of Polly she m 2 Apr. 1910 at Thomasville, Ga. William H. Wood, b Talbotton, Ga., reside Tallahassee, Fla. They had

1 William H. Wood, Jr.: b 8 Jan. 1911.

2 Anna Louise Wood: b 29 Nov. 1914.



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455 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Leon County, Florida in 1846, was living at home -of his parents in 1870 and married prior to 1878 Swan Elizabeth Hancock, born Georgia in 1860, daughter of Joseph Hancock. Resided in Thomas County, Georgia where he died in 1916, she survives him (1932).

Children:

i James A.: b 1878, died small.

ii William Augustus: b 7 Aug. 1881, m 10 June 1901 Lee Youngblood. He died 7 Aug. 1909 and she m (2) M. L. Peterman, of Butler, Ga. where they reside. No record of Peterman children. They had:

1 William Taylor: b 28 Apr. 1902, m 1923 Frances Cone, of Ludowici, Ga. Residence not stated, said to have several children.

2 Roy Lee: b 27 Nov. 1904, m, about 1925, residence not stated, said to have several children.

iii Lucy Kate: b 7 Mar. 1883, m 3 Feb. 1910 William Thomas Williams, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 Elizabeth Mae Williams: b 12 May 1911, m 27 Mar. 1928 Samuel Joseph Pettigrew. They had:

a Joseph William Pettigrew: b 25 Dec. 1929.

2 William Anderson Williams: b 27 Sept. 1913.

3 Sophie Edna Williams: b 17 Apr. 1919.

iv Joseph Thomas: b 18 Feb. 1885, m 25 Feb. 1916 Lillie Belle Sarrette, reside Miccosukee, Fla. She has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Joseph Earl: b 12 July 1917.

2 Lillie Edna: b 19 Jan. 1920.

v Blunt Strickland: b 14 Oct. 1888, m 3 Mar. 1911 Lula Whitfield, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had:

1 Luella: b 25 Oct. 1912, died 26 June 1917. .

2 Walter May: b 26 May 1917.

3 Joseph Henry: b 1 Jan. 1920.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 2 June 1890, m 6 Sept. 1919 John Jerry Wyrick, reside Miccosukee, Fla. They had:

1 Gussie Elizabeth Wyrick: b 22 Aug. 1920.

2 Lucy Gertrude Wyrick: b 18 Jan. 1922.

3 Martha Geraldine Wyrick: b 10 Oct. 1923.

4 Gladys Louise Wyrick: b 31 Oct. 1925. .

5 Annie Grace Wyrick: b 1 Mai. 1928.

vii Albert Lee: b 2 Dec. 1892, m 1 May 1914 Lora Elizabeth Courtney, b Ga. 13 May 1893, see No. 454, reside Thomasville, Ga. We have not been able to secure names of their daughters. They had:

1 Daughter: b 1916.

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2 Daughter: b 1921.

viii Robert Henry: b 26 Feb. 1895, m 19 Nov. 1916 Haley Russell McElvey, reside Metcalfe, Ga. They had:

1 William Albert: b 27 Sept. 1917.

2 Mattie Sue: b 6 Dec. 1919.

3 Winifred Virginia: b 22 Aug. 1922.

4 Mildred Elma: b 1 Sept. 1925.

5 Robert Henry: b 10 Apr. 1928.

ix Charles Eugene: b 2 Nov. 1900, died 3 Apr. 1923.

x Susie Mae: b 27 Apr. 1905, m 17 Apr. 1926 Henry Beaver, reside Thomasville, Ga. They had

1 Jack Beaver: b 28 Dec. 1926.

### 456 THOMAS WILSON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Perry County, Alabama in 1831, moved to Mississippi with his parents about October 1840. He married in 1851-52 at Lodi, Mississippi, Susannah Loggins, born Mississippi in 1834, a daughter of Henry Loggins, born Tennessee November 1808, living in 1880, and Elizabeth Darden, born Wilkes County, Georgia in 1811, moved to Alabama with her parents before 1820 and was married in Tuscaloosa County, moved to Mississippi and resided in Montgomery County, where she died in 1873. Thomas and his wife resided in Choctaw County, Mississippi in 1860. He enlisted 22 March 1862 at Lodi, Miss. and was appointed Captain, Company C, 30th Miss. Infantry, C. S. A.; December 1862, absent sick; on a list of prisoners captured at Stone River, no date shown; a roll dated February 1863 shows, "Died 13 January 1863 Murfreesboro." Susannah survived him a few years and died in 1867, presumably at the home of her father in Montgomery County.

Children:

i Robert: b ca 1853, died infancy.

ii Annabel: b 1856, m ca 1878 Walter Trotter, b Miss. 1850, a lawyer, resided Winona, Miss. in 1880 where she died Sept. 1884. They had, known:

1 L. M. Trotter: b 1879 (daughter).

iii De Votie (10) : b 5 Dec. 1858.

iv Thomas Martin: b 186, m after 1880 Nanie Shaw, he died in or about 1925 leaving no children, she was living 1931.

### 457 ROBERT BRUCE (9); BILLINGSLEA

(*Cyrus 8, Thomas 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Perry County, Alabama in April 1860, moved to Florida with his parents and married there prior to 1885 Buerilla Edrington, born 18-, she died at Brooksville, Florida in 1894 and he married (2) a Mrs. Kathleen Heron, they reside Russum, Mississippi. Both were living

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in 1932 and effort was made to secure some clue to his brother, Llewellyn and his family but without any success as he would not answer any letters from any one.

Children:

i Francis Carroll: b Feb. 1885. At least accounts he was living at Kingston, Jamaica.

ii Charlotte Bernice: b 29 Dec. 1889, m Howard B. Sterrett, and resided Charlotte, N.C. where she died 8 Aug. 1926, he was living 1931. They had:

1 Robert Bruce Sterrett: b 27 June 1917.

2 Bernice Sterrett: b 1920.

iii William Cyrus: b 29 Dec. 1889, a twin of Bernice, at Brooksville, Fla. He married 3 Oct. 1922 Genevieve Anderson Dale, b Hinds Co., Miss. 23 Jan. 1888. He is a farmer and resides Russum, Miss. He has furnished some of this information. They had:

1 Marjorie Kethleen: b 21 Feb. 1924.

2 Howard Bruce: b 5 Aug. 1926.

3 William Cyrus, Jr.: b 6 Apr. 1928.

#### 458 SIAS CLAY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*George W. 8, Sias 7, Sias 6, Clement 6, Bowler 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Randolph County, Alabama 5 July 1854, moved to Talladega County with his parents before 1860. He married 20 April 1879 at Ashland, Alabama, Sarah Jane King, born Ashland, Alabama 28 October 1864. He was a farmer, resided Clay County, Alabama where she died 17 June 1897, he survived her some years and died at Mobile, Alabama 13 October 1924, buried Clay County, Alabama.

Children:

i Lillie Joe: b 14 May 1881 at Ashland, Ala., she m 8 Jan. 1927 at Brewton, Ala. A. W. Rogers, b 7 July 1869, Choctaw Co., Ala. reside Brewton, Ala. No children. She has furnished information on this family.

ii Annie E.: b 31 July 1883, m W. S. Pearce, reside Bucatunna, Miss. They had

1 William Clay Pearce.

2 Lewis Scott Pearce.

3 Daughter Pearce: m Jesse J. Brewer, reside Chicago, Ill.

4 Joseph Fulman Pearce.

5 Annie Katherine Pearce.

6 Sarah Helen Pearce.

7 Arthur Woods Pearce.

8 Brooks Billingsley Pearce.

9 Eula Glynn Pearce.

iii Mary C.: b 2 Sept. 1885, resides Fruitland Park, Fla.

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iv Arthur W.: b 27 Jan. 1887, m Claude Moreland, reside San Angelo, Texas, he was serving as Deputy U. S. Marshal Northern Tex. Dist. in 1930. They had:

1 Dovia Ruth.

2 Mary Marcine.

v Samuel Fulman: b 17 July 1889, m Ethel Rogers, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Samuel Fulman, Jr.

2 Joseph Clay.

vi Carrie King: b 15 Dec. 1890, m J. M. Magruder, reside Fruitland Park, Fla. They had

1 Cary Billingsley Magruder.

vii Esther S.: b 20 Feb. 1892, m Rev. John Luther Moye, reside Birmingham, Ala. They had:

1 Sarah Elizabeth Moye.

2 John Luther Moye, Jr.

viii Edda Mae: b 29 Aug. 1895, m Bryan W. Whitfield, she was deceased 1930.

#### 459 CHARLES NATHANIEL (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi, 3 February 1847, shortly before midnight. He married 28 November 1872 Mrs. Laura Jane Lowry, born 28 January 1854. He died 19 January 1925, no mention of her death or if she is living (1932), resided in Tate County, near Senatobia, Mississippi.

##### Children

i Elizabeth: b 28 Nov. 1873, m 4 Feb. 1906 Walter DeShazo, reside Senatobia, Miss. She furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Raymond DeShazo: b 14 Jan. 1907.

2 Virgil Lee DeShazo: b 14 Apr. 1909.

3 .Howard DeShazo: b 3 Dec. 1910, is in U. S. Navy.

4 Eone DeShazo: b 22 Apr. 1912, is a trained nurse.

5 Ira Lynn DeShazo : b 9 June 1914. \_

6 Gladys Virginia DeShazo: b 15 Sept. 1915.

ii Robert Lee (10) : b 19 Mar. 1876.

iii Mollies b 30 Oct. 1879, died 26 July 1885.

iv Samuel D.: b 15 Jan. 1882, m \$ May 1910 Blanche Murphy, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Marie: b 14 Sept. 1912.

2 Lois: b 2 Oct. 1915.

3 Eloise: b 31 Oct. 1917.

4 Henry Murphy: b 5 June 1920.

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v James Oscar: b 23 June 1884, m 24 June 1915 Lucile Mothershed. He died 3 Sept. 1928, she survives him and resides Looxahoma, Miss. They had:

- 1 Elsie: b 8 Aug. 1916.
- 2 Jack: b 19 May 1918.
- 3 Doris: b 28 Feb. 1920.
- 4 . Janette: b 22 May 1924, died 12 Nov. 1926.

vi William L.: b 19 Feb. 1887, m 21 Mar. 1914 Ruth Martin, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

- 1 Esther: b 6 Nov. 1916.
- 2 William: b 25 Apr. 1919.
- 3 Bernice: b 27 Dec. 1923.
- 4 Jerome: b 19 Sept. 1925.
- 5 Charles: b 15 Aug. 1927.

vii Leona: b 18 July 1891, m 14 Dec. 1913 Jodie Barmer, reside Senatobia, Miss. They had:

- 1 Wayne Barmer: b 24 Aug. 1915.
- 2 Kenneth Barmer: b 5 Dec. 1917.

viii Annie Laura: b 11 Dec. 1893, m 11 Jan. 1914 Eugene Wynne, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

- 1 Thomas Lee Wynne: b Sept. 1919 (adopted).
- 2 Bobby Gene Wynne: b 12 Jan. 1932.

#### 460 ZACHARIAH TAYLOR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi in 1849. He married (1) in 1871 Caroline Frances Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1853, she died in 1879 and he married (2) in 1880 Callie Lowrey, born Mississippi in 1861, sister to his first wife. Resided in Tate County to about 1885 when they moved to Arkansas where he died 27 December 1914, she survived him and died 2 May 1925, residence not stated though probably in Lee County, Arkansas.

Children:

i James: b 6 July 1872 Miss., m Margaret Hurley, he was deceased before 1932, resided Ark. No record of children.

ii Cyrus Nathaniel (10) : b B Dec. 1874.

iii William: b 15 Sept. 1875, m prior to 1914 Kate Clark, b Miss. 189-, daughter of William J. T. B. Clark and Susan Billingsley, see No. 321, he died about 1927-28 at Hulbert, Ark., she m (2) Floy, . Harrison, and resided Forrest City, Ark. in 1932. They had:

- 1 Clark: b 1914.
- 2 Carlton: b 1916, died aet. 5 years.
- 3 Laverne: b 1920, died aet. 2 years.
- 4 Annie Wilma: b 1921.
- 5 Blanche Natalie: b 1924.

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6 Kathleen Evelyn: b 1926. iv Edward: b 20 Feb. 1877 Miss., m Bessie Blount, reside Ark. v Cora: b 19 Jan. 1879 Miss., m , reside Ark. vi Lirk: b 7 Sept. 1882, 2d wife, m Emma Lou Parker, reside Ark.

vii Mollies b 16 Feb. 1884, m Steve Hurt, his 2d wife, reside Ark.

viii Carlton: b 27 May 1885, was deceased in 1932, never married.

ix Claud: b-8 Nov. 1887, m Fannie Wilkes, reside Ark.

x Nona: b 22 June 1889, m Steve Hurt, she died 1910 and he m (2) Mollie Billingsley, see above.

xi Samuel: b 4 Sept. 1890, m, reside Ark.

461 ALFORD NICHOLAS (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowies 4, William, 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born De Soto County, Mississippi 6 May 1851. He married (1) prior to 1876 Susan Wynne, born Mississippi in 1855, resided in Tate County in 1880. He became a Missionary Baptist minister and labored in North Mississippi, she died in the 1890's. List of all her children not known and all said to be deceased in 1931. He married (2) 5 Dec. 1901 at Cockrum, Mississippi Susan Rebecca Doak, born Mississippi 11 August 1866, he died 8 November 1917, she survives him and divides her time between her sons, in Memphis, Tennessee and Helena, Arkansas.

Children:

(1st wife, known)

i Charles: b 1876. Living in 1880.

ii John C.: b 1879. Living in 1880. !

iii Walter Afford: b 18 Feb. 1883 at Looxahoma, Miss., he married 20 July 1902 at Lula, Miss., Thornton Elizabeth Billingsley, b Holly Springs, Miss. 26 Jan. 1891, daughter of David C. Billingsley and Ellen Meek, see No. 159. They moved to Memphis, Tenn. where he died 25 Dec. 1921, she survives him. They had:

1 Rivers Camack: b 24 Jan. 1907 Lula, Miss.

2 Mary Thelma: b 10 Jan. 1911, died 18 Feb. 1911.

3 Katherine Elizabeth: b 17 Dec. 1916.

iv Thomas Afford: b 12 Oct. 1902, 2d wife, m Mabel Gambill, reside Memphis, Tenn. No children.

v Jesse James: b 19 Sept. 1905, . m Corinne McBride, reside Helena, Ark. They had:

1 Peggy: b 1927.

2 Claire: b 1929.

3 James: b Sept. 1931.

vi Edward Franklin: b 27 Jan. 1910. Is in U. S. Navy, on U.S.S. Maryland in 1931.

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462 JOHN WILLIAM (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Cyrus 8, James 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowler 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born DeSoto County, Mississippi, 24 January 1853. He married (1) prior to 1875 Elizabeth Winn, or Wynne, born Mississippi in 185-, she died in 1878 and he married (2) prior to 1882 Martha Jane Billingsley, born Mississippi in 1858, daughter of Elias Y. Billingsley, No. 324. He was a farmer and was generally known as "John Cy," as there were some five Johns who lived in the vicinity. Martha Jane was generally known as "Crick" Billingsley. He died 16 February 1925, she survives him and resides Senatobia, Mississippi.

Children:

i Susan Evelyn: b 30 Sept. 1875, she m (1) 1 Jan. 1896 Odas A. McPeters, b Miss. 18 Sept. 1874, they moved to Mt. Pleasant, Tex. and later to Lone Wolf, Okla., where he died 13 Apr. 1909, she m (2) 7 July 1917 R. B. Robertson, b Murfreesboro, Tenn. 14 Mar. 1878, reside Annona, Texas. They had:

1 Vernon A. McPeters: b 30 Jan. 1898, m May 1919, reside Annona, Tex. They had: a Estelle McPeters: b 24 Aug. 1920.

2 Estelle McPeters : b 11 May 1900, m 20 Feb. 1919 Thomas V. Watson, reside Humphreys, Okla. They had:  
a Thomas V. Watson, Jr.: b 19 Dec. 1919.

3 Dee Esther McPeters: b 6 June 1902, m 5 Oct. 1919 Hubert Garrison, reside Annona, Tex. They had:  
a Huubert Garrison, Jr.: b 13 Nov. 1921.

b Earl Ray Garrison: b 23 May 1923, died 20 July 1923.

4 Child: b 8 Nov. 1904, died 28 July 1905.

5 Edna McPeters: b 29 May 1906, m 3 Sept. 1924 a Mr. Marsh, reside Annona, Tex. They had: a Billie Dee Marsh: b 9 June 1925. b Eva Sue Marsh: b 18 Aug. 1927.

6 Kiowa McPeters: b 26 Mar. 1909 at Lone Wolf, Okla., died 10 Apr. 1909. ii Addie: b 8 Dec. 1877, died aet. 11 years.

iii Amanda Virginia: b 5 Oct. 1882, known as "Jennie," m 3 June 1900 Frank Golden, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 7 Sept. 1901, still born.

2 Raymond Haschal Golden: b 29 Aug. 1902, m 23 Sept. 1923 Gertie Ilene Sanders, residence not stated. They had:  
a Lillian Virginia Golden: b 10 Dec. 1924.

b Lancaster Golden: b 23 July 1927.

c Raymond Haschal Golden, Jr.: b 10 Aug. 1929.

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d May Ilene Golden: b 18 Dec. 1931.

3 Essie Irene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905.

4 Effie Lorene Golden: b 3 Mar. 1905 a twin, d aet. 4 months.

5 Durward Delmas Golden: b 27 June 1907.

6 Audrey Hope Golden: b 3 Dec. 1909, died 30 Jan. 1911.

7 Thorwald Golden: b 5 June 1915. j

8 Margaret Elizabeth Golden: b 9 Oct. 1917.

iv Lillie Agnes: b 22 Jan. 1885, died aet. 3 years.

v Edwin Franklin: b 10 June 1887, m May 1907 Maud Sewell, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had

1 Maggie Lee: b 17 May 1908, m 13 Oct. 1923 Aubrey Gordon, reside Tate Co., Miss. They had:

a Thomas Gordon: b 3 July 1925.

b Imogene Gordon: b 21 Apr. 1927.

c Billy Gordon: b 11 July 1930.

2 Lottie Mae: b 6 Sept. 1910; m 2 Feb. 1930 R. J. Crockett. They had:

a Ava Nell Crockett: b 5 Nov. 1930.

3 Thomas: b 1 June 1915.

4 Elmer: b 4 Sept. 1918. Twins.

5 Thelma: b 4 Sept. 1918.

vi Rowena Rebecca: b 9 May 1889, known as "Winnie," m William W. Crockett, residence not stated, probably Tate Co., Miss. They had:

1 Son: b 19-, still born.

2 Annie Laura Crockett.

3 Mary Wilma Crockett.

vii Susie Irene: b 29 Sept. 1891, died infancy, accidentally killed by a fall.

viii Elias Cyrus: b 1 Aug. 1893, generally known as "Ray Billingsley," m 17 Feb. 1932 Mabel Hale, reside Senatobia, miss.

463 JOHN F. (9) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Jackson County, Tennessee 2 December 1842, moved to Sullivan and Monroe Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He returned to Jackson County about 1860 and then moved to Clay County where he married 31 March 1863 Sarah E. Hatcher, born Tennessee in 1846. He enlisted 8 March 1864 at Carthage, Tennessee as Private F, 1st Tenn. Mounted Infantry, U. S., and was discharged 5 July 1865. Record shows he was five feet four inches in height. He was pensioned. After the war they moved to Monroe County, Kentucky where Sarah died 1 January 1917, he then moved to Redboiling Springs, Tennessee



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and lived with his son, William. He died suddenly 6 February 1920 while on his way to the bank to cash a pension check. He is buried at Smith Chapel, Macon County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Nancy J.: b 6 June 1865, called "Nannie," was living in 1931 at Hayfield, Ky.

ii William V.: b 18 Feb. 1869, m Margaret , reside Redboiling Springs, Tenn. in 1920, both deceased before 1931.

iii Mary A.: b 31 Jan. 187-, was deceased before 1898.

iv L. Enzie: b 7 July 1874, m James Reagan, reside Memorial, Tenn. They had:

1 Ella Reagan.

2 Amanda Reagan.

3 Charles Reagan.

4 Joseph Reagan.

5 Adelaide Reagan.

v Ailes: b 3 Apr. 1876, resided Moss, Tenn. in 1931.

463 :A JAMES A. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 8, Eli H. 7, William 6, Zachariah 5, Bowles 4, William 3, John Q, Francis 1.*) Born Monroe County, Tennessee 17 April 1853, moved to Jackson County, Tennessee with his parents about 1860. He married prior to 1877 Jence Copass, born Tennessee 12 Sept. 1856. He was a farmer and blacksmith, and about 1909 he entered the mercantile business and was quite successful. Jence died 20 March 1914, he survived her and died 3 March 1927, resided in Clay County, Tennessee.

Children:

i Thurston: b 27 Aug. 1877, m Jane King, reside Herrin, Ill. They had:

1 Ada.

ii Radford M.: b. 14 Oct. 1881, m Elma Cherry, reside Memorial, Tenn. They had:

1 Attrice.

2 Atla, deceased.

3 Boyd.

4 Gordon.

iii May: b 14 May 1888, m Hack Hurry, reside Redboiling Springs, Tenn. They had:

1 Essie Murry.

2 Mandra Hurry.

3 Juanita Hurry.

4 Mamie Hurry.

5 Estin Hurry.

iv John B.: b 17 Dec. 1890. Was living in Illinois and enlisted 11 Mar. 1918, was over sea and participated in Meuse-

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Argonne, Verdun, etc. discharged at Camp Taylor, Ky. 26 May 1919. He married - 23 Dec. 1922 Eva Kirby, b 18-, reside Memorial, Tenn. He has furnished information on this family. They had:  
1 Thurston Lee: b 18 Sept. 1923, called "Jack."  
2 Harold L.: b 16 Mar. 1929.

#### 464 CHARLES EDGAR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 6, Samuel 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Fulton County, Illinois 10 February 1869. He married 22 July 1890, probably at Marceline, Missouri, Eulalia Cupp, born Marceline, Missouri, 22 August 1867. They were residing at Mena, Arkansas, in 1900 then moved to Heavener, Oklahoma, where he died 14 May 1929, she survives him.

i Clarice Irene: b 26 July 1891, m 2? Mar. 1921 at Heavener, Okla., Francis Edmund Chouteau, b 16 Sept. 1886 at Kansas City, Mo. He is City Manager at Nowata, Okla. where they reside. She furnished information on this family. They had:

- 1 Charles Cyprian Chouteau: b 19 Jan. 1922.
- 2 James Meade Chouteau: b 4 Mar. 1923.
- 3 Ruth Jean Chouteau : b 25 July 1924.
- 4 Ben Lee Chouteau: b 21 Feb. 1926.
- 5 Martha Noble Chouteau: b 23 Nov. 1927.
- 6 John Edmund Chouteau: b 17 May 1929.
- 7 Mary Charlotte Chouteau : b 15 Mar. 1931, died 20 Mar. 1931.

ii Goldie Mae: b 8 Mar. 1893, died 22 Dec. 1893.

iii Mina Beatrice: b 17 Nov. 1894.

iv Clifford Jennings: b 17 Nov. 1896, m 1 Jan. 1922 Trixie Louise Knight, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

- 1 Eulalia Louise: b 28 Dec. 1923.
- 2 Elizabeth Virginia: b 1 July 1926.
- 3 Charles Robert: b 12 Feb. 1929.
- 4 Ted Eugene: b 28 July 1930.

v James Russell: b 28 Mar. 1900 at Mena, Ark., m 22 Aug. 1922 at Heavener, Okla., Opal Teague, reside Heavener, Okla. They had:

- 1 Catherine Clarice: : b 15 Feb. 1925.
- 2 Richard Allen: b 23 Nov. 1926.

vi Mary Elizabeth: b 25 Oct. 1903, m 22 Aug. 1926 Leslie Edgar Whitside, reside Palatka, Fla. They had:

- 1 Charles Edgar Whitside: b 28 May 192?.
- 2 Mary Elizabeth Whitside: b 22 Dec. 1929. r
- 3 Dan Fowler Whitside: b 1 May 1931.

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vii Charles Arthur: b 3 Jan. 1906.

viii Walter Earle: b 14 July 1910.

465 JAMES ARTHUR (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*James H. 8, Joseph 7, James 6, Walter 5, Samuel 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born McDonough County, Illinois 7 April 1871. He married 28 July 1895 at Marceline, Missouri, Sarah Frances Wright, born New Boston, Missouri, 19 December 1873. He was employed by the Santa Fe railroad for some years and it appears that when he began work for the Kansas City Southern railroad the service letter from the Santa Fe had already been used by his brother, J. M. Billingsley and in order to avoid confusion he showed his name as "Arthur Roland Billingsley." He has used this name continuously for more than 30 years. He is a member of the Elks, reside DeQueen, Arkansas, Family Methodists.

Children:

i Byron Herbert: b 5 July 1900 at Mena, Ark., m Sept. 1925 at Kansas City, Mo. Johnnie Lou Lake, he died 25 Nov. 1926 at Kansas City, Mo.

ii James Glazebrook: b 26 Nov. 190? at Mena, Ark., graduate A. B. , college not stated. He married 9 July 1929 Malcolm Elizabeth Rice, b 2? Jan. 1910 at Abilene, Tex. He is a teacher at Arizona State Teachers College, Tempe, Ariz. They had:

1 James Glazebrook, Jr.: b 30 May 1931 at DeQueen, Ark.

465 LOUIS CLINTON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Louis C. 8, Bennett M. 7, James 6, James 6, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Atlanta, Georgia 9 Nov. 1866. He is listed in 1883 as a student; in 1888 as a clerk. He married 26 June 1889 Victoria Bullard, born Bullard, Twiggs County, Georgia, 26 March 1872, daughter of Daniel Bullard and Elizabeth Barton. He is listed in Atlanta, Georgia in 1890 as insurance agent, they moved to Macon, Georgia before August 1890 where he is listed in 1897 with Southern Express Company. He is stated to have left his home and family in the early 1900's and went to Atlanta, Georgia where he died 26 October 1927. Victoria is listed in the city directory of Macon, Georgia for 1911 as "Widow, of Louis C" we are reliably informed that this is an error and that no one ever took the trouble, to correct it. She. survives and resides Macon, Georgia in 1933.

Children:

i Child: b 27 Aug. 1890, died same day.

ii Daniel LeRoy: b 25 July 1891, died 27 July 1893.

iii Eugene Bullard: b 20 Oct. 1893, m Frances Lewis, reside Atlanta, Ga.

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iv Louis Taylor: b 2 Nov. 1894, m 24 June 1920 at Macon, Ga. Esther Maurine DeBruler, b Bloomington, Ill., 14 May 1900. He is Chief Clerk, Henry Gray Hotel, Atlanta, Ga. No living children. He has furnished information on this family.

v Bessie: b 17 Mar. 1897, m prior to 1921 Harry A. Wright, reside Princeton, Fla. They had:

1 Harry A. Wright: b 21 Mar. 1921, Macon, Ga.

2 Eugene Wright: b 8 May 1923 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

3 Esther Louise Wright: b 12 Feb. 1925 at Fitzgerald, Ga.

4 Ruth Elizabeth Wright: b 5 Oct. 1927 at Miami, Fla.

vi Clifford Madison: b 20 Sept. 1900, m prior to 1922 Susie Martin, reside Macon, Ga. They had:

1 Martina Robinson: b 22 July 1922.

2 Clifford Madison, Jr.: b 18 Dec. 1929.

#### 466 CHARLES WINTERROWD (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Allen 8, Moses 7, Moses 6, Charles 6, James 4, Walter 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Shelby County, Indiana 17 March 1864. He married 8 January 1890 Louise Mullendore Snepp, born Indiana 7 January 1867, she was a daughter of, Joseph Snepp, born 1841 and Elizabeth Mullendore, born 18-, married 30 December 1862. Elizabeth Mullendore married (1) John Legate who died 1857, she was a daughter of Jacob Mullendore, born 12 March 1792, Winchester, Virginia, died 18 April 1872 Shelby County, Indiana, and Catherine Wertz, born 28 March 1804, Middletown, Ohio, died 8 December 1875, Shelby County, Indiana. Joseph Snepp was a son of John Snepp, born 5 August 1812, Montgomery County, Ohio, died 7 August 1881 Shelby County, Indiana and Catherine Neible, born 10 April 1815 Ohio, died 3 January 1875. He operated a farm for some years, moved to Shelbyville, Indiana about 1898 and managed an elevator for some time. He was President of the First National Bank in 1927. Resided Shelbyville, Indiana.

Children:

i Allen Loren: b 4 Oct. 1890, m Alma Lee Mohr. No record of children or where they live.

ii Joe Kenton: b 25 Oct. 1895 at Flat Rock, Ind. He m 9 Sept. 1921 at Winchester, Mass., Georgiana Brown, b Winchester, Mass. 30 Sept. 1899. He is manager investment department 1st National Old Colony Corporation of Boston, Mass. where they reside. He has furnished information on this branch of the family. They had:

1 Betty Louise: b 6 Apr. 1926.

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iii David Webb: b 11 Dec. 1896, m 4 June 1926 Dells Kathryn Tinder, b 17 Aug. 1903. Reside Vincennes, Ind. No children.

466 WILLIAM HENRY (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 5, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 26 February 1855. He married 2 November 1879 Mary Elizabeth Powell, born Alabama in 1859, her mother was Elizabeth Pool. He was a farmer and resided Lauderdale County, Alabama where she died near Florence, Alabama on 24 August 1914, he survived her some years and died in October 1929.

Children:

i George William: b 21 Sept. 1880, died 24 Sept. 1881.

ii Mary Elizabeth: b 29 Apr. 1882. She m 1 Jan. 1901 near Florence, Ala., Robert A. Castile, b Waynesboro, Tenn. 187-. He is a Spanish-American War Veteran. She has furnished information on this family, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn. They had:

1 Clifford C. Castile: b 23 Oct. 1901. Is a World War Veteran, m a Miss Bradley, reside N. Y. State, have 5 children.

2 Buford A. Castile: b 11 Mar. 1904, m Lola Clemmons, reside near Florence, Ala., have 2 children.

3 Roy E. Castile: b 29 Apr. 1908, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

4 Alta Marie Castile: b 29 Sept. 1909.

5 Lillian Ruth Castile: b 18 Sept. 1912, m Arlen Ivey, reside Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

6 Odie Glenn Castile: b 2 May 1914, died 8 Dec. 1922, accident.

7 Robert Lynn Castile: b 27 Nov. 1916.

8 James Philip Castile: b 27 July 1919.

9 Elizabeth Bedford Castile: b 19 Apr. 1922.

iii Annie Lee: b 8 Mar. 1884, m Aug. 1900 Andrew Womble, reside Florence, Ala. No information obtainable from her.

iv John Perry: b 26 July 1886. After about three years of effort by various ones without any replies Albert M. Billingsley made a final appeal in Aug. 1933 and received a reply but with very meager detail and nothing of his own family, he did state he was married, also that he in his early days played professional base ball under the name of Billings, and that he was employed by the Pa. railroad, he has not replied to any further requests for detail of his family, etc. His sister, Mrs. Castile, stated

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she could not give any details of his family as she did not know. Only child of record is:  
1 Thomas -D. : b 1-,said to be 16 years old 1933.

v Esther E.: b 28 1889, m J. W. LaFan, reside Killen,Ala.

vi James L.: b 28 July 1892, m Laura Mae Bennett, reside Florence, Ala.

vii Joseph S.: b 6 Feb. 1896, m Myrtle Williams, reside Florence Ala.

467 JAMES R. (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*John P. 8, William 7, William 6, Henry 6, William 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Lauderdale County, Alabama 3 July 1862. He married (1) 2 October 1887 Mattie Smotherman, born Alabama 18-,she died 20 July 1888 and he married (2) 8 September 1889 Mary Josephine Butler, born Alabama 18-. Resides on the homestead entered by his grandfather in 1847 near Florence, Alabama. He has furnished information on this family. Children:

i Lewis Adrian: b 22 July 1890.

ii Emmett Avery: b 14 Sept. 1892, m 1915 Ollie McClure. They had:

1 Dene Louise: b 4 Mar. 191?.

2 Frankie Irene: b 23 July 1920.

3 Mary Ollie: b 23 Mar. 1924.

iii Myrtle Lee: b 17 Oct. 1895, m 1911 James Yancey McClure. They had:

1 Ruby Christine McClure: b 11 Jan. 1914.

2 Janey Lucile McClure: b 6 Apr. 1916.

3 Lottie Erin McClure: b 15 Sept. 1917.

4 James Yancey McClure, Jr.: b 19 July 1921.

5 Claude Leslie McClure: b 24 Jan. 1927.

iv Mary Lena: b 17 Oct. 1897, m 1913 Jesse McClure. They had:

1 Lewis Edward McClure: b ? June 1922.

2 Mary Josephine McClure: b 25 Oct. 1923.

3 John Calvin McClure: b 6 Sept. 1925.

4 Chester Bennett McClure: b 15 Nov. 1929.

v Hazel Marie: b 6 Feb. 1901, m 1927 Granville Behel. They had:

1 Nannie Jo Behel: b 9 Jan. 1929.

2 Ilajean Behel: b 5 Sept. 1930.

vi Wayman Elizabeth: b 2 July 1903, m prior to 1930 Edward Behel. They had:

1 Lena Mae Behel: b 27 Aug. 1930.

vii James Rudolph: b 15 July 1906, m 1927 Dorsey Moore.

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### 468 JAMES HERNDON (9) BILLINGSLEY

(*Leslie 9. 8, Joseph Z. F. 7, Joseph A. 6, John A. 5, Zachariah 4, Francis 3, Edward 2, Francis 1.*) Born Washington, D. C. 9 December 1881. Graduate of Vanderbilt University. While his ancestors have been consistent members of the Baptist church he was ordained Deacon in 1912, and Elder in 1914 in the Methodist Episcopal church. He married 20 October 1902 at Rockville, Maryland, Edith May George, born Westmoreland County, Virginia in 1885. He has served churches at Arnold, Md., Romney, W. Va., Roanoke, Va., Cumberland, Md., Marlin, W. Va., East Maryland; Mt. Ranier, Md., and was located at Baltimore, Maryland in 1931.

Children:

i Bernice Marie: b 1 Mar. 1907, m Andrew Fisher Ballard, she died 13 Mar. 1929. They had:

1 Nannie Louise Ballard: b 1 Apr. 1923.

2 James Andrew Ballard: b 12 May 1926.

3 Helen Mae Ballard: b 30 Jan. 1928.

ii Helen Tate: b 4 Oct. 1909, m H. A. Milor, reside Mt. Ranier, Md. They had:

1 Rufus Edward Milor: b ca 1931.

iii James Regester: b 25 Feb. 1915.

iv Grace Virginia: b June 1919.

v Margaret Edith: b 8 July 1923.

### 469 STEPHEN HICKS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*William T. 9, Jonathan 8, Samuel 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bledsoe County, Tennessee 8 December 1849 moved to Bradley County, Tennessee and to Grayson County, Texas with his parents. He married 26 December 1872 in Grayson County, Texas Cynthia Elizabeth Trout, born 2? March 1850, near Atlanta, Georgia, daughter of Robert Wiley Trout, born 10 July 1812 and Elizabeth C. , his wife. They moved to Gainsville, Texas prior to 1876 where Cynthia died 24 May 1907, he survived her some years and died at Duncan, Stephens. County, Oklahoma 30 May 1924.

Children:

i Ora Liles: b 16 Mar. 1874, died 13 Jan. 1881. ii Charles Edward: b 30 Jan. 1876 Cook Co., Tex. married 29 June 1909 at Gainsville, Tex. Clara Belle Bugg, b 20. Nov. 1878 Cook Co., Tex. Reside Plainview, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Lillie Pearl: b 1 Mar. 1913.

2 Howard Nealey: b 16 Feb. 1916.

3 Lloyd Charles: b 4 Jan. 1920.

iii Malinda Elizabeth: b 24 Mar. 1878, died 31 Oct. 1879,

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iv Lula Pearl: b 16 Aug. 1880, m J. L. Hammonds, she died 10 Aug. 1930 at Chicasa, Okla.

v Las Vegas Hicks: b 2 Sept. 1884, died 26 July 1886.

470 LUTHER. A. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1867, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents and married September 1899 Mintie Estes, born Arkansas 31 December 1872. They moved to Detroit, Texas about 1902 and then moved to Stuart, Oklahoma before 1906 where he died in 1909, his widow was living in Maud, Oklahoma in 1928-29 and was residing in Wewoka, Oklahoma in 1931.

Children:

i Walter A.: b 12 Aug. 1890 at Salem, Ark., moved to Texas and Okla. with his parents. In 1908 he became a school teacher and taught for 9 years; in 1917 was Co. Supt. of Schools, Seminole Co., Okla., elected a 2d term 1918-1921 when he entered law office of C. L. Hill at Wewoka and after one and one half years became Assistant County Attorney, and County Attorney in 1924. In 1929 he established law offices at Wewoka, Okla. He married in 1916 at Tecumseh, Okla., Alice O'Neal, b. 2 Mar. 1893 at Havana, Ark. Served as 1st Lieut. Batt. A. 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927; member Officers Reserve Corps. Is a 32 degree Mason Indian Consistory, McAlester, Okla., and member India Temple Mystic Shrine, Oklahoma City, Okla. Family members of Christian church, reside Wewoka, Okla. He furnished much of the information on this family. They had:

1 Charles Hult : b 15 Oct. 1928 Oklahoma City, Okla.

ii Clarence L.: b 22 Feb. 1892 at Salem, Ark. He m (1) prior to 1921 Pearl Collies, b ca 1893, she died at Maud, Okla. Feb. 1927, and he m (2) Sept. 1929 May Belle is a World War Veteran, reside Wewoka, Okla. They had:

1 Wandell: b June 1921.

2 Weldan: b 1924. .

3 Walter: b Feb. 1927.

iii J. Bird: b 11 Nov. 1893 at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, and a Mason, he m Frances Perkins, b Ky. Ca 1893, he is engaged in oil business, reside Tulsa, Okla. No children.

iv Claud A.: b 3 Aug. 1895 at Salem, Ark., m prior to 1918 Ora Bell Westfall, b ca 1893, she died 1933, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Noble; b 1918 Oklahoma City, Okla.

2 Child: b 19-, died aet. few days.



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v Earl C.: b 21 Feb. 189? at Salem, Ark. He is a World War Veteran, he m prior to 1922 Mabel Nix, b 189-, reside. Oklahoma City, Okla. They had

1 Eugene Earl: b 1922.

2 Child: b 1928.

vi Mettie: b 30 Jan. 1899 at Salem, Ark., died Dec. 1918 at Stuart, Okla., unmarried.

vii Fred: b 8 July 1901 at Salem, Ark., m Patricia McCarthy, reside Los Angeles, Calif. No children.

viii Victor: b 4 Oct. 1903 at Detroit, Tex. He served as 2d Lieut. Batt. A 160 F. A., Okla. Nat. Guard, 1921-1927, member Officers Reserve Corps; he is a 32 degree Mason and member of Indian. Consistory. He m prior to 1930 Irma Cunningham, b-19-, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Victor, Jr.: b Dec. 1930.

ix Vista: b 4 Feb. 1906 at Stuart, Okla., she m prior to 1927 Kenneth Miller, reside Richmond, Va. They had:

1 Kenneth Miller, Jr.: b 1927.

#### 471 RANZY B. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Clayton W. 9, Jephtha 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Tishmingo County, Mississippi in 1883, moved to Fulton County, Arkansas with his parents, then moved to Texas and Oklahoma with them. He married in 1909 at Stuart, Oklahoma Alice Estes, born 188-. He served two terms as Court Clerk, Hughes County, Oklahoma; two terms as Mayor of Holdenville, Oklahoma; in 1931 he was Deputy Examiner and Inspector of the State. Family members of Christian church, reside Oklahoma City, Okla.

Children:

i Kermit H.: b 1910.

ii C. Wayne: b 1914.

iii J. Ross: b 1921.

iv Ranzy B., Jr.: b 1923.

v Robert: b 1926. Twins.

vi William: b 1926.

#### 472 SAMUEL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Byrum L. 9, Samuel 8, William 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Red River County, Texas 10 September 1868. He married 5 February. 1890 Addie Marchbanks, born 9 December-1868, reside Guian, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Robert Arley: b 26 Jan. 1891. ii Ola: b 9 Dec. 1892.

iii Byrum Loid : b 28 Jan. 1895. He m 7 June 1917 in Red

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River Co., Tex. Ollie Jackson, b Tex. 1898, she died 15 Feb. 1932, he resides Ladonia, Tex. They had:

1 Louise: b 2 Apr. 1918.

2 Huie (?) : b 2 June 1919.

3 Byrum L., Jr.: b 20 Oct. 1924.

iv Nervesta: b 7 Mar. 1897 m 1923 Ross Roach, he died in 1930, she survives and resides Ladonia, Tex. Not stated if there are any children.

v Gilbert Samuel: b 14 Aug. 1899, m 11 Sept. 1930 Minnie Lee Turnbow, b 10 Oct. 1909, reside Lawn, Tex. They had:

1 Minnie May: b 15 May 1932.

vi Clifford Franklin: b 16 Dec. 1901.

vii Norma: b 9 July 1904, m 28 Oct. 1928 Elijah Martin Fox, b 6 May 1905, reside Hale Center, Tex. They had:

1 Samuel Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930. Twins.

2 James Fox: b 25 Jan. 1930.

viii James Wade: b 6 Feb. 1909, died 19 Apr. 1923.

ix Layce Ruth: b 8 May 1912, m 30 May 1930 Travis Middleton, b 11 Feb. 1911, reside Bradshaw, Tex.

473 JAMES MORONI (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Elijah 8, Jephtha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Beaver County, Utah 23 October 1865. He married 30 December 1887 at Manti, Utah, Minerva Carter, born at Heber City, Utah, 3 October 1867, a daughter of Sidney Carter. They moved to Alberta, Canada where he died 28 February 1915, she was living in 1931.

Children:

i Virginia: b 4 Aug. 1888. Called Jennie, m Lona L. Brown, she died 28 Dec. 1914.

ii James Loren: b 22 Apr. 1892, m prior to 1915 Edna Thompson, b 13 Jan. 1895, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Hilda: b 12 Oct. 1915.

2 Lamont Devon: b 14 Jan. 1918.

3 Forest DeLoss: b 8 Dec. 1919.

iii Robert Ervin: b 27 Mar. 1894 at Joseph, Utah, m 18 Dec. 1924 at Cardston, Canada, Oneta Clegg Nelson, b 7 July 1902 at Marysville, Idaho, reside Glenwoodville, Alberta, Canada. He furnished information on this family. They had:

1 DeVere K.: b 19 Oct. 1925.

2 Roberta: b 25 Mar. 1927.

iv Lucinda: b 1 Mar. 1896, m Alvin Orlando Rich.

v Blanch Permelia: b 18 Mar. 1898, m Henry Edward Cline.

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v John Turner: b 24 Nov. 1900, m prior to 1922 Katherine Leishman, b 6 Oct. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Marjorie: b 12 May 1922.

2 James Bruce: b 24 Sept. 1923.

3 Neal Allen: b 26 Sept. 1925. I

vii Mary Isabella: b 2 Sept. 1902, died 6 Nov. 1905.

viii Minerva: b 24 Nov. 1904, died 24 May 1905.

ix Sidney Leroy: b 28 Sept. 1906, m Vivian Jenson, b 19 June 1906, reside Alberta, Canada.

x Alma Owen: b 5 Nov. 190?, m Thora Seely, b 6 Mar. 1903, reside Alberta, Canada. They had:

1 Beth Seely: b 22 May 1929. xi Alvin Ray: b 26 Nov. 1911.

474 TURNER GORDON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Samuel W. 9, William B. 8, Jeptha 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Bastrop County, Texas 11 October 1886. He married prior to 1908 Amelia Mentz, born 18-, reside McDade, Texas.

Children:

i Mentz Gordon: b 18 Dec. 1908.

ii Ameba Margaret: b 28 Mar. 1909, m Louis Neds, residence not stated. They had:

1 Louis Neds, Jr.

iii Mary Turner: b 21 Apr. 1911.

iv Eliza M.: b 10 Aug. 1913.

v Phyllis Eloise: b 22 Sept. 1915.

vi Turner Gordon, Jr.: b 20 July 1920.

474 JOHN CALVIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(John 9, John C. 8, John 7, Samuel 6, James 6, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.) Born near Prescott, Arkansas 7 August 1866. He married (1) in 1886 Sarah Jane Porter, born in 1871 at Prescott, Arkansas, she died 16 July 1904 and he married (2) in 1907 Mrs. Lura Alta (Collins) Frieburger, born ca 1874 at Shelbyville, Illinois, resided near Prescott, Arkansas till they moved to Lamesa, Texas where he is a prosperous farmer and stock man.

Children:

i Andrew Lee: b 1887 Ark., m in 1914 in Texas Aliene Caffey, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Dorothy Louise: b 28 Sept. 1915.

2 Dorris Lee: b 31 Mar. 191?.

3 Marjorie Jane: b 26 June 1918.

4 Marie Virginia: b 25 Jan. 1920.

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5 Estelle Irene: b 25 Sept. 1921. .

6 Betty Maybell: b 24 July 1924.

7 James Andrew: b 25 Sept. 1927.

ii Dolphus: b 1889, m ca 1912 Ida Cosby, reside Lovington, New Mexico. No children.

iii Alva: b 14 Sept. 1895. Enlisted for World War, served in Co. C, Ammunition Train, 5th Div., A. E. F. He married Mar. 1924 at Malvern, Ark. Flora Hardin, b 7 Jan. 1896 near Hot Springs, Ark. He has furnished information on the family and appears to be the only one who was interested enough to give the subject serious consideration. Reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Sarah Miller: b 15 Apr. 1925.

2 John Alva: b 22 Oct. 1926.

3 Abram: b 8 June 1928, died 8 Aug. 1928.

iv Arthur: b 1908, 2d wife. He m prior to 1930 Jessie Painter, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Don Quinsy: b 3 Jan. 1930. v C. L.: b 1911 (son).

vi John Bryce: b 1916.

vii Floyd: b 1921.

#### 475 LUTHER ARMSTRONG (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Madison A. 9, James 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Baldwyn, Mississippi, 7 January 1875. He married at Baldwyn, Mississippi in 1896 Stella Archer, born at Baldwyn, Mississippi 1 December 1878. He has been connected with the Mobile and Ohio Railway since 1906, reside Baldwyn, Mississippi. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Ernest Armour: b 19 Jan. 1898, he m 22 Sept. 1918 at Jackson, Tenn. Vivian Rose Helms, b Carbondale, Ill. 26 Nov. 1899. He is a railroad man, and resides Murphysboro, Ill. They had

1 Beverly Doris: b 2 Dec. 1927.

2 Ernest Armour, Jr.: b 1 May 1930, died 5 Feb. 1931.,

ii Daisy Ruth: b 9 Sept. 1902, m Everett Plunk.

iii Harold Spurgeon: b 13 June 1905.

iv Nona Pearl: b 7 May 1910.

v Luther Bernice.- b 4 Mar. 1915.

#### 476 WILLIAM MARSHALL (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1872. He married prior to 1900 Josephine Garrett, born in 1883, resided

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at Blanco, Texas where he died in September 1908, she only survived a short time and died in the same month.

Children:

i James Floyd: b 7 Feb. 1900 at Blanco, Tex. He m 24 Mar. 1927 at San Antonio, Tex. Margaret Keith Alder, b 10 Nov. 1902 at San Antonio, Tex. He is a Pharmacist and operated a drug store, resides San Antonio, Tex. They had:

1 Margaret Joan: b 11 Sept. 1928.

2 Bruce Alder: b 3 Sept. 1930.

ii Flaurel: b 11 Feb. 1902 at Blanco, Tex. She m 19 Nov. 1921 at San Antonio, Tex. Belva Landrum, b 10 Sept. 1897 at San Antonio, Tex., reside San Antonio, Tex. She has furnished information on this family. No children.

iii Alta Mae: b 9 May 1904, m (1) 21 Dec. 1921 at Blanco, Tex. Floyd Byars, a divorce and she m (2) John West, reside Fullerton, Calif. They had:

1 Douglas Byars: b 31 Aug. 1922.

iv Vernon Marshall: b 15 Dec. 1906. Was a member of Medical Department, U. S. Army, and stationed at Randolph Field, Tex. in 1932.

#### 477 WALTER KIMBRO (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Edward C. 9, Edward C. 8, Thomas 7, Samuel 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born St. Augustine County, Texas in 1875. He married (1) 27 October 1896 at Waco, Texas, Cuma P. Halford, born Illinois in 1875, she died at Dublin, Texas 23 March 1908 and he married (2) 6 September 1908 at Dublin, Texas, Gussie Lee Johnson, born Alabama 22 December 1886. He is a farmer and resides Dublin, Texas. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Pearl: b 2 Oct. 1900 at Mullin, Tex., m Roy Bagwell.

ii Lucius: b 20 May 1903 at Waco, Tex., died 10 Dec. 1908 at Dublin, Tex.

iii Voyer : b 1 Aug. 1909, 2d' wife, he m Helen Purvis.

iv Kitty Oleta: b 20 Nov. 1910 at Dublin, Tex.

v Carl: b 23 Jan. 1913 at Kenefic, Okla.

#### 478 OLIVER EATON (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James L. 9, William F. 8, William H. 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Roane County, Tennessee 29 April 1876. He married 2? June 1900 at Wheat, Tennessee, Ida Parlee Hembree, a born Wheat, Tennessee, 14 December 1880. He was a farmer, she died 17 March 1920 at Wheat, Tennessee, and he died 23 June 1927 at Lenoir City, Tennessee.

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##### Children:

- i Maude Mae: b 24 June 1901, resides Lenoir City, Tenn. She has furnished information on this family.
- ii Anna: b 5 Mar. 1904, m 16 July 1927 at Loudon, Tenn. Ragin Luttrell, reside Martel, Tenn.
- iii Lillie: b 5 Nov. 1905.
- iv Georgia: b 11 June 1907, m 2 Dec. 1926 Bruce Thurmer, reside Lenoir City, Tenn.
- v Roy: b 12 May 1909, resides Toledo, Ohio.
- vi Earl: b 12 May 1909, a twin, died 10 Jan. 1924. j
- vii Perry Walter: b 11 Dec. 1911.
- viii Helen Lucille: b 24 Feb. 1914.
- ix Ida Beatrice: b 23 Mar. 1916.
- x Elbert Boyd: b 31 July 1919.

#### 479 JAMES POLLARD (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 9, James 8, John 7, James 6, James 6, William h, William 8, John, 2, Francis 1.*) Born Johnson County, Texas, in 1854. He married in Ellis County, Texas 15 June 1890 Willie McKiddy, born Tennessee in 1869. They moved to Scurry County, Texas where he died 31 July 1919, she survives him and resides Dunn, Texas.

##### Children

- i Roger William: b 1891, died in 1919.
- ii Jesse Jefferson: b 8 Nov. 1893 Ellis Co., Tex., m 7 Nov. 1920 at Snyder, Tex. Corinne Boone. He is in real estate and insurance business, reside Colorado, Tex. No children.
- iii Nathan Alonzo: b 1898.
- iv James Pollard, Jr.: b 1899.
- v Hugh Forrester: b 1901.
- vi Robert: b 1909, died Feb. 1930.

#### 480 AARON EDMONSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Mark 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Johnson County, Texas 11 December 1867, was graduated in the public schools and had a business education. He married 22 December 1887 at Alvarado, Texas, Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 17 January 1870, a daughter of Albert Cartwright Glasgow and Sarah Campbell, see Glasgow-Cartwright Excursus. He is a farmer, Public Weigher, and manager of a Cotton Compress Co.; is a member of the Odd Fellows, and has served as Secretary of the Lodge for many years; is also Secretary of the Pioneer Association of Johnson County, and is a Democrat in his politics. Reside Alvarado, Texas.

##### Children:

- i Albert Mark (11) : b 1 Sept. 1889.

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ii Monnie Lucille: b 7 Nov. 1891 at Alvarado, Tex., m at Grandview, Tex. 24 Nov. 1910 James Burl Kirkland, family Methodists, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 James Burl Kirkland: b 16 Aug. 1912.

2 Mary Elizabeth Kirkland: b 2 Oct. 1917.

3 Alexander Earl Kirkland: b 25 Jan. 1920.

4 Sarah Ruth Kirkland: b 12 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

iii William Alexander: b 25 Jan. 1894. Educated in the public schools and attended business college. He enlisted 19 Sept. 1917 Pvt. and Cpl. Hdqrs. Co., 359th Inf., was over seas, wounded, was in army of occupation in Germany, returned to U. S. and discharged at Camp Bowie, 24 June 1919. After his discharge he entered the postal service. He married 3 July 1922 at Cleburne, Tex., Thelma Agnes Williamson, of Bono, Tex. He is a Mason, reside Alvarado, Tex. They had:

1 Patsey Louise: b 19 Aug. 1923.

iv Homer Campbell: b 31 May 1896. Enlisted 24 Aug. 1917 at Dallas, Tex., as Landsman for Ships Cook, U. S. Navy, discharged 3 Nov. 1919 as Ship's Cook, 2d class. He married 25 Oct. 1931 at Waiters, Okla., Emma Gene Wieler, b Muenster, Tex. 14 May 1905. Reside, Ardmore, Okla.

v Ina Mae: b 12 Sept. 1898, reside Alvarado, Tex.

vi Edna Alline: b 3 June 1901, married 24 Dec. 1924 at Alvarado, Tex. Irwin Harold Turney, b Blanket, Tex. 29 Oct. 1898, son of Rev. A. E. Turney, of Cleburne, Tex., family Methodists, reside Weleetka, Okla. They had:

1 Betty Jane Turney: b 22 Aug. 1928, Fort Worth, Tex.

2 Evelyn Turney: b 24 July 1931, Okmulgee, Okla.

vii Sarah Nell: b 9 June 1905. Graduate of North Texas State Teachers College.

viii Morris Shepherd: b 27 Feb. 1910. Called "Jack," m 12 Sept. 1933 at Alvarado. Tex., Bernice Elizabeth Venable, b Grandview, Tex., 28 Dec. 1912.

#### GLASGOW-CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

WILLIAM GLASGOW was born in 1796. We have been unable to ascertain -any facts concerning his parentage or from whence he came to Tennessee. He had a brother, Caleb, who married and left a son, Bud, who died in Dallas, Texas, unmarried, and a daughter Edna, who died unmarried in Nashville, Tennessee. He was married prior to 1827 in Tennessee to Jacomine Cartwright, born Davidson County, Tennessee, 27 October 1803, the daughter of David Cartwright and Elizabeth Powell, see Cart

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wright record: They resided in Maury County for some time then moved to Davidson County. He went to Nashville and enlisted the 24 September 1847 as Private Co. H, 3d Tennessee Infantry for the Mexican War; age stated at enlistment as 41 years. A muster roll for December 1847 does not show if present or absent; a roll for January-February 1848 shows that he died in hospital at Mexico City 23 January 1848. She survived him and was residing near Goodlettsville in 1850, and was still living there in 1860, she is said to have died in the early 1870's at Nashville, Tennessee.

Children:

i Celia Catherine Glasgow: b 1827, m (1) prior to 1850 a Mr. Richards, she m (2) a Mr. Berkenbine. No children.

ii Albert Cartwright Glasgow: b 19 Nov. 1829 Maury Co., Tenn. moved to Davidson Co., Tenn. with his parents where he married prior to 1861 Sarah Campbell, b Tenn. in 1834, a daughter of James Campbell and Elizabeth Garrett. Resided near Goodlettsville, Tenn. in 1870, moved to Johnson Co., Tex. about Nov. 1876 and resided near Alvarado .where he died in 1904, she died in 1920. He was a farmer and a Mason, family Methodists.

They had:

1 William C. Glasgow: b 2 Sept. 1861 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and m Oct. 1886 Pallie Adair, b 18-. He was Cashier of 1st Nat. Bank of Alvarado, Tex. for some 30 odd years, reside Alvarado, Tex. He is a Mason, family Methodists. They had:

a Robert Adair Glasgow: b 1890, resides El Centro, Calif.

b Zula Mae Glasgow: b 189-, m Roy Douglass, reside Fort Worth, Tex., have children.

c Herschel Glasgow: b 7 Feb. 1895, m 31 Mar. 1923 Grace Miller, b Collin Co., Tex. 23 Feb. 1901. He is a Mason, Royal -Arch, Knight Templar, and member of Mystic Shrine, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

c1 Herschel Miller Glasgow: b 10 Mar. 1924.

c2 Bobby Louis Glasgow: b 21 Mar. 1927.

d Hazel Glasgow: b 189-, died aet. 8 years.

2 Alexander Jackson Glasgow: b 2 Apr. 1865 Tenn., moved to Tex. with his parents and In (1) 2 Dec. 1886 Mollie Johnson, she died Oct. 1901 at Haskell Tex., and he m (2) at Mundy, Tex. Mrs. Nannie McAdams. He is a Knights of Pythias, and family Methodist, reside Seymour, Tex. They had, 1<sup>st</sup> wife:



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a Lena Clara Glasgow: b 20 Dec. 1888, m Roy Browning, she was killed in a street railway accident 19 Jan. 1924, buried Boulder, Colo. No children.

b Willie Henry Glasgow: b 13 Mar. 1889, m Joseph Ligon, he died 1922, she survives him and resides Seymour, Tex. Family Methodists. They had:

b1 Hazel Jim Ligon: b 1908.

b2 Joseph M. Ligon: b 8 Oct. 1919.

b3 Leslie Ann Ligon: b 1921.

c Katherine Sallie Glasgow: b 25 Dec. 1891, m 15 Feb. 1912 at Rotan, Tex. James Arthur Rutherford, b Houston, Mo. 15 Mar. 1886, a son of Frank and Margaret Rutherford, he died 20 Aug. 1932 at Springfield, Mo. she survives him and resides Houston, Mo. Family Methodists. They had:

c1 Ernest Eugene Rutherford: b 18 Mar. 1918.

c2 Christine Rosland Rutherford: b 29 Nov. 1922.

d Georgia Lucille Glasgow: b 5 Feb. 1893, m 11 June 1913 Roy Kerr Whiteside, b Ala. 1889. He is a Mason, family Baptists, reside Seymour, Tex. They had:

d1 Roy Williamson Whiteside: b 24 July 1914.

d2 Mary Geraldine Whiteside: b 28 Apr. 1916.

d3 Gilbert Glasgow Whiteside: b 19 Aug. 1918, died 21 Aug. 1918.

d4 Clyde Emerson Whiteside: b 2 May 1927. -

e Gilbert Johnson Glasgow: b 16 Feb. 1895, at Moran, Tex. He is a World War Veteran, a Mason, and a Methodist, resides Altus, Okla.

f Pauline Sue Glasgow: b 18 Dec. 1900, m 1920 Edgar Ezell, reside Cleburne, Tex. They had:

f1 Sue Ezell: b 1922.

3 James Thomas Glasgow: b 31 Oct. 1867-68, died infancy.

4 Arzula Elizabeth Glasgow: b 17 Jan. 1870, m Aaron E. Billingsley, No. 480, which see.

5 Sarah Margaret Glasgow: b 7 Apr. 1873 Tenn., died 1889 Texas.

iii Eliza Glasgow: b 1832, died unmarried after 1860 in Tenn.

iv Samuel Glasgow: b 1834 Tenn., moved to Ark. and married Mattie, Irvin, -resided near Malvern, Ark. No children.

v Mary Frances Glasgow: b 23 Nov. 1838 Tenn., m after 1860 Reuben S. Bolles. They had several children all died in childhood. She was a member and active worker in the Presbyterian church. About 1892 she became interested in establishing a Home for the aged and succeeded in

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establishing the Old Womans Home of which was a Director to the time of her death in 1922, he predeceased her several years, resided Nashville, Tenn.

vi William Thomas Glasgow: b 1840 Tenn. He was agent for the Nashville & Chattanooga railway and was active in transportation of Confederate forces; he was captured at McMinnville, Tenn. 21 Apr. 1863, paroled 26 Apr., and forwarded to Nashville 27 Apr. 1863; took the oath of allegiance 13 May 1863. He married prior to 1871 Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Williams and Ellen Dedman. Was for many years representative of Muldoon Monument Co., of Louisville, Ky. Became interested in the Acklen property for educational purposes, planned a school and interested the present owners and established what is now Belmont College, Nashville, Tenn. Later moved to New York City where he died in 1906, she died at Columbia, Tenn. in 1922. They had:

1 Minnie Glasgow: b ca 1871, died June 1891.

2 Sarah Hamilton Glasgow: b 15 July 1873, m 5 Mar. 1891 John Means Thompson, b S. C. 18-, resided New York, N. Y., she died Sept. 1932. They had:

a John Means Thompson, Jr.: b 1891 Tenn., m Gertrude Bartlett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

b William Glasgow Thompson: b 1893 N. Y., m Edna Pritchett, reside New York, N. Y. Have two sons.

c Hugh S. Thompson: b 1895. Was in Air Service, an aviator, killed in action 16 Sept. 1918 in France.

3 Daughter: b 187-, died act. a few hours.

## CARTWRIGHT EXCURSUS

The following brief record of the Cartwright family is compiled from data furnished by Miss Emma Irene Cartwright, of Memphis, Tennessee, Bible record of Robert Cartwright, a sketch by Colonel Putnam, former President of the Tennessee Historical Society, an article which was published in the Nashville Banner 8 August 1914, and D. A. R. National Number 78912.

Abraham Cartwright, of Northamptonshire, England.

JOHN CARTWRIGHT, born circa 1602 came to America in the ship "Adventure;" and was the first white man to explore the James River. He was a witness to the will of John Rolph, James City Co., Va. 10 March 1621, and was a resident of James City Co., Va.

John (2) Cartwright, born 1638.

Robert (3) Cartwright, born 1665. —

John (4) Cartwright, born 1700.

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ROBERT (5) CARTWRIGHT, born 22 February 1722, in Prince Anne CO., Virginia. He was a Sheriff's Deputy in 1758. There is formal appointment of Robert Cartwright and others as guardians of the public peace in Prince Anne County in 1760. He married (1) 15 August 1745 Anne, daughter of John Hugins, she died in 1746 and he married (2) 10 April 1749 Mary, daughter of John Hunter, she died 22 January 1764 and he married (3) within a short period Pembroke Hunter, believed to be a sister of his 2d wife. About 1764 they moved to Carrituck County, North Carolina, then moved to Orange County where he joined the Alamance emigration and moved to Watauga Settlement. He was a signer of a compact of government drawn up in opposition to the British, and was subsequently active during the Revolution particularly in fighting the British Allies, the Indians. They remained in this settlement. for some years and he was present at a 4th of July celebration in 1777. In 1779 he joined the party of John Donelson and set out for the Cumberland country and arrived after an adventurous trip the 24 April 1780. He entered a large tract of land and at the time of his death which occurred in 1809 he owned about 6,000 acres. No data on the death of Pembroke though she is known to have died in Tennessee.

Children:

i William Cartwright: b 4 July 1746, 1st wife.

ii Martha Cartwright: b 14 May 1750, 2d wife.

iii Mary Cartwright: b 11 Aug. 1753.

iv Anne Cartwright: b 2 June 1755.

v Susannah Cartwright: b 4 Sept. 1757, died 15 Aug. 1759.

vi Robert Cartwright: b 1? Dec. 1759, died 23 Mar. 1776.

vii John Hunter Cartwright: b 26 Feb. 1762, died 1780, killed by Indians soon after arrival in Cumberland settlement.

viii Pemmy Cartwright: b 28 Feb. 1765, 3d wife.

ix Jacob Cartwright: b 21 Feb. 1767, moved to Tenn. With parents.

x Thomas Cartwright: b 20 Nov. 1768, moved to Tenn. With parents.

xi James Cartwright: b 14 Feb. 1770, moved to Tenn. With parents, lived and died near Gallatin, Tenn. Left descendants.

xii William Hunter Cartwright: b 4 Oct. 1773.

xiii Elizabeth Cartwright: b 2 Sept. 1776.

xiv Robert Cartwright: b 1778-79.

xv .David Cartwright: b 1781 Cumberland Settlement, Tenn., now Davidson Co., Tenn. He married prior to 1803 Elizabeth Powell, b North Carolina 20 Oct. 1786. He is stated to have gone to camp to enlist for the War of 1812, was taken with pneumonia and died in the latter part of the year 1813. She survived him, was residing with her

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daughter, Eliza, in 1850, and died in '1856, Davidson Co., Tenn. They had

1 Jacomine Cartwright: b 27 Oct. 1803, m William Glasgow, see above.

2 Albert Robert Cartwright: b 14 Aug. 1806, m 5 May 1835 Priscilla Buford Giddens, b 18 Mar. 1818. He died 18 June 1863 and she died 15 Nov. 1887, residence not stated. Only child known is:

a Emma Irene Cartwright: b ca 1853. Was living 1931 in Memphis, Tenn.

3 Pembroke Cartwright: b 13 July 1808, m prior to 1829 Thomas D. Watkins, b Tenn. 180-, he died sometime after 1838 and prior to 1850, she was living in 1850 and 186.0 in Davidson Co., Tenn. They had, known:

a Elizabeth Watkins: b 1829.

b Sarah Watkins: b 1830.

c Celia A. Watkins: b 1833.

d Ann E. Watkins: b 1836.

e Thomas D. Watkins: b 1838.

4 Emily Cartwright: b 26 Oct. 1809-10, m Aris Brown, residence not stated.

5 Eliza Cartwright: b 28 May 1812, m prior to 1833 Robert P. Estes, b Va. 1804, he was a farmer, and resided Davidson Co., Tenn. in 1850. They had, known:

a David C. Estes: b 1833.

b Albert F. Estes: b 1834.

c Thomas J. Estes: b 1835.

d Mary E. Estes: b 1836.

e Robert P. Estes, Jr.: b 1838.

6 Sarah J. Cartwright: b 13 May 1814, m John Allen, residence not stated.

xvi Jesse Cartwright: b 178- Tenn., moved to Texas and said to have many descendants in that State.

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*(Edminston 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Stubblefield, Texas 18 January 1862. He married (1) 17 February 1881 in Johnson County, Texas, Louisa Frances George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 July 1863, she " died 22 January 1892 and he married (2) 29 July 1894 Sara Elizabeth McAnear George, born Johnson County, Texas 18 January 1872, she died 21 December 1904 and he married (3) 9 November 1909 Julia Ann Davis Saunders, born Fannin County, Texas, 20 August 1885. Reside Jayton, Texas where he is serving as County Commissioner of Kent County.

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### Children:

i Ora Caveats: b 28 Feb. 1882 at Stubblefield, Tex., m 3 Jan. 1900 Robert Franklin Hood, b 24 Mar. 1871 at Batesville, Ark. Reside Riverside, Calif. They had:

1 Stella Mae Hood: b 6 Oct. 1900 at Fairview, Tex., died 9 Apr. 1920 in Calif.

2 Carl Byrd Hood: b 13 Nov. 1901, Jones Co., Tex., m 21 Nov. 1921 at Riverside, Calif., Mabry Salina Curbs, b 14 Apr. 1915 at Kalispell, Mont., reside Pomona, Calif. They had:

a Carl Robert Hood: b 7 Sept. 1922 Calif.

b Mary Louise Hood: b 27 June 1924, Fullerton, Calif.

c Dorothy May Hood: b 9 Sept. 1926.

d Clifford Curtis Hood: b 3 Aug. 1931.

ii Dovie Idelia: b 2 Feb. 1884, Hill Co., Tex., m 7 July 1901, Judge Joseph C. Randel, b 27 June 1878, Brown Co., Tex., reside Hamlin, Tex. where he died 29 Mar. 1923. They

had:

1 Clay Raymond Randel: b 29 Mar. 1902, m 12 Mar. 1927 Mary Eula Crow, b 15 June 19-

2 Joseph C. Randel: b 2 June 1906.

iii Christopher Byrd: b 13 Dec. 1885, Johnson County, Tex., m 1 Jan. 1907 Jones Co., Tex. Annie Miller, b 20 Feb. 1890, reside Stamford, Tex. They had:

1 Joseph Byrd: b 18 May 1912 Jones Co., Tex.

iv Edward Benjamin: b 28 Jan. 1888 Johnson County, Tex., m 10 Dec. 1908 at Clairemont, Tex., Catherine Loraine Hoy, b 12 Mar. 1895. He died 10 Oct. 1922 at Post City, Tex. and she m (2) a Mr. Ferguson, reside Post City, Tex. They had:

1 Ethelbert Edward: b 20 Sept. 1909.

2 Margaret Mae: b 5 July 1913.

3 Edward Benjamin, Jr.: b 5 May 1918.

4 Jackie : b 2 Oct. 1920.

v Peter B.: b 16 Mar. 1890 Johnson Co., Tex., m 3 Apr. 1910 Stonewall Co., Tex. Bertha Davis, b 22 May 1895 Lamar Co., Tex., she died 24 Jan. 1919 and he m (2) Madge Batie, b 3 Nov. 1901, reside Lamesa, Tex. They had:

1 Edmonston: b 29 Aug. 1911.

2 Aaron: b 10 June 1913.

3 Lusarah Pearl: b 21 Nov. 1917. She was reared in home of her aunt, Dovie B. Randel.

4 Bertha Alfreda: b 19. Feb. 1925, 2d wife.

5 Ada Lou: b 24 May 1928 at Lamesa, Tex.

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vi Willie Mae: b 1 May 1895, 2d wife. She m 25 Nov. 1910 Jones Co., Tex., Charles J. Ferrell, b 2 July 1890 in Miss., reside Mayhill, N. Mex., in 1932. They had:

a Charles J. Ferrell, Jr.: b 22 Aug. 1911 Aspermont, Tex.

b. Juanita Ferrell: b 19 Sept. 1914.

c Julian Ferrell: b 11- Feb. 1917.

d Charlie Mae Ferrell: b 8 Sept. 1919.

vii Jefferson Ervin: b 25 Apr. 1897; m 18 Feb. 1920 Stonewall Co., Tex. Lavena Jones, b 12 Mar. 1900, reside Floydada, Tex. They had:

1 Granvill Francis: b 27 June 1921.

2 Thelma Laverne: b 5 Mar. 1923.

3 Edith Lavel : b 16 June 1924.

viii Roxanna: b 189-, died infancy.

ix Roy Granvill: b 24 July 1902 Jones Co., Tex. Was reared in the home of his uncle, Henry D. Billingsley. He m 21 Oct. 1921 at Cleburne, Tex. Alta Loraine Walls, b 25 Feb. 1905 in Hill Co., Tex., reside Stamford, Tex. They had:

1 Bettie Elizabeth: b 30 July 1924.

x Alice Edna: b 28 Nov. 1912, 3d wife. She m 19 Dec. 1931 W. R. Vandiver, reside Jayton, Tex.

xi Henry: b 26 June 1916, died 15 Nov. 1916.

xii William: b 26 June 1916, a twin.

#### 481 SAIL RUFUS (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James D. 9, Oliver 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 5, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Saline County, Missouri 27 Jan. 1868, he married at Marshall, Missouri 5 May 1889 Grace Bunker Kelton, born 19 March 1867. Resided Denver, Colorado in 1932. No information directly obtainable from him, what is listed is from other members of the family and may not be entirely accurate.

Children

i Alice May: b 12 June 1890, m prior to 1911 Jimmie Larkin, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

1 James Gaffney Larkin: b 30 Jan. 1911.

2 Francis Wilburn Larkin: b 26 Apr. 1914.

3 Mary Margaret Larkin: b 21 July 1919.

4 Ruby Irene Larkin: b 10 June 1923.

5 Dorothy Louise Larkin: b 23 Aug. 1924.

ii Ruby Irene: b 13 June 1892, m Wiley O. Rhodes prior to 1908, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

1 Mason Kelton Rhodes: b 20 Feb. 1908, m prior to 1928 Ann (Rhodes?), reside Denver, Colo. They had:

a Mason Kelton Rhodes, Jr.: b 28 Apr. 1928.

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2 Syring, Dolores Rhodes: b 3 Nov. 1909.

ii Dorsey Dewey: b 27 Jan. 1899, resides Denver, Colo.

iv James Kelton: b 21 Apr. 1903, m prior to 1922 Marie Lyons, reside, Denver, Colo. They had:

1 Marie Kelton: b 11 Feb. 1922.

v Grace Mildred: b 4 July 1906, m prior to 1924 a Mr. Robinson, (2) Eugene Walters, reside Kansas City, Mo. They had:

1 Betty Jane Robinson: b Aug. 1924.

482 JAMES JESSE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James T. 9, Christopher 8, James 7, James 6, James 5, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Greenwood, Sebastian County, Arkansas, 26 August 1872, moved to Washington Territory with his mother and step father and grand parents in the 1880's. He married 27 July 1902 Maude Alice Fisher, born Webster, Iowa, 30 November 1882, he is a farmer and resides at Wilbur, Washington.

Children:

i Jesse Oran: b 22 Dec. 1903, m 3 Nov. 1930 Thelma Stambaugh.

ii Flossie Marie: b 19 Oct. 1905.

iii Willis Leroy: b 23 Mar. 1908. .

iv Esther Lucinda: b 13 Nov. 1909, m 1 Jan. 1929 Arney Arneson. They had:

1 Marion Jesse Arneson: b 9 Sept. 1929 at Creston, Wash.

2 Elmer Alfred Arneson: b 7 Dec. 1931.

v Vern Alford: b 23 Oct. 1912.

vi Hazel Irene: b 28 Sept. 1916.

483 GEORGE W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*George Mc. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 26 May 1847. He married at Summer Shade, Kentucky in 1874 Isabell, daughter of James and Rebecca Payne, born Monroe County, Kentucky 23 April 1849, resided Monroe County, Kentucky, Claiborne County, Tennessee, then moved to Freestone County, Texas where they resided some years, then returned to Kentucky and settled at Glasgow where she died 22 Jan. 1922, he survived her, moved to Arthur, Tennessee where he died 2 Jan. 1929.

Children:

i Margaret G.: b 15 Nov. 1876, m John R. Bailey, reside Glasgow, Ky.

ii Oscar P.: b 21 Oct. 1878, resides Portland, Oregon.

iii Garfield M.: b 21 Sept. 1880, m May Vail, reside Portland, Oreg.

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iv Latimer Y.: b 29 May 1883 Fairfield, Tex., m 30 Sept. 1913 in Oreg. Frances Vail, reside Portland, Oreg. where he is in automobile business. He furnished information on this family. No children.

v Kirven W.: b 26 Feb. 1887.

vi Inez V.: b 25 Apr. 1890, m Beeler B. Bowman, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

484 ROBERT W. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*George Me. 9, William P. 8, Jesse 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John, 2, Francis 1.*) Born Claiborne County, Tennessee 18 July 1864, migrated to Monroe County, Kentucky and resided there in 1880. He married prior to 1882 Emily Collingsworth, born Virginia in 1860, daughter of William F. and Louisa Collingsworth of Virginia who moved to Kentucky in 1862 and to Tennessee in 1864. Resided in Tennessee then moved to Oklahoma and lived in or near Anadarka, then moved to Oklahoma City where he is listed from 1911 to 1917, not listed in 1918. He is said to have died in 1917 in Detroit, Michigan, result of a street car accident. She survives him and was living in New York City in 1931.

Children:

i Logan: b 1882 Claiborne Co., Tenn., moved to Okla. with his parents and married prior to 1907 Chloe, was residing in Oklahoma City 1910 and in insurance business, 1911-12, was proprietor of a drug store. Then moved to Seattle, Wash. and operated a drug store, then moved to New York, N. Y. where he engaged in real estate business having connections in Miami, Fla. Not stated if his wife died or a divorce, he married (2) Dec. 1919 in Miami; Fla. Hattie Mae Key. Resided New York City and was President of Bronx Chamber of Commerce in 1931. They had:  
1 Glenn A.: b 1907. Was in Wichita, Kan. about 1928-29 where he m , now reside New York, N. Y.  
2 Logan, Jr.: b 1921 Fla.

ii Robert W., Jr.: b 1884, moved . to Okla. with his parents and m Emily, he died in 1908 in Anadarka, Okla., she was living Oklahoma City, Okla. in 1915. No mention of any children.

iii Charlotte: b 1886, m Henry Donnellan, reside El Reno, Okla.

iv Ora B.: b 1889-90, m prior to 1912 Bertha, was residing Oklahoma City at that date, was in New York City in 1931. No mention of any children.



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v Frederick: b 1896, m prior to 1915 Hazel , was proprietor of a drug store in Oklahoma City at that date, resided Los Angeles, Calif. in 1931. vi Sherman: b 1898, m Hazel Donnelly, reside New York, N. Y. vii Pearl: b 1903, m Andrew Gray, reside New York, N. Y.

#### 485 JOHN HOUSTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William S, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Roane County, Tennessee 17 March 1861. He married in 1883 Elizabeth Cole, born Tennessee, 28 October 1865. He was employed by the Roane Iron Company for more than thirty years. Elizabeth died 21 October 1926 of lung trouble (Tuberculosis?). He survives her and resides with his daughter at Lima, Ohio.

Children:

i Ethel: b 1885, m 1918 Frank Johnson. He served 12 years in U. S. Navy, spent some years on Pacific coast then settled at Lima, Ohio. They had:

1 Vinnie Johnson: b 1920.

2 Kermit Johnson: b 1923.

3 Oran Johnson: b 192-, died act. 4 years.

ii Robbie: b May 1892 at Rockwood, Tenn. She m 1909 Edward L. Hinds, b Tenn. 1891, he is employed by Southern Railway, reside Rockwood, Tenn. They had

1 Jack Nelson Hinds: b 1911.

2 Elizabeth Hinds: b 1914.

3 Madaline Hinds: b 1916.

4 Joseph Houston Hinds: b 1920.

5 Kenneth Wilburn Hinds: b 1923.

iii Reece: b 189-, m G. V. Newell, she resides Lima, Ohio and is divorced. They had:

1 Elizabeth Newell: b 1923.

#### 486 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Benjamin F. 9, John H. 7, James 7, John 6, James 6, William 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born at Paint Rock, Tennessee 10 April 1859, moved to Missouri, Arkansas, and back to Tennessee with his parents. In 1883 he migrated to the pan handle of Texas and was a Cow Puncher for five years on the L I T ranch. .In January 1888 he moved to St. Joins, Arizona, was there a few days then moved to Duncan, Arizona. He married 1 November 1900 Eleanor Hilton, born Seven Oaks Junction, England, 1 January 1868. He is a general merchant and jobber in tobacco. Reside Duncan, Arizona. He has furnished considerable information in connection with this branch of the family. He was elected Justice of the Peace for his District in the election of November, 1932.

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Children i Harold LeRoy: b 8 Nov. 1902, m Joyce McIntire, reside Morenci, Ariz. They had:

1 Franklin Ashurst : b 1929.

2 Philip LeRoy: b 193-.

ii Alice Margaret: b 23 June 1904. She is a Methodist Missionary teacher, Korea.

ii Leslie Ashton: b 18 Aug. 1905, m Vermel Randall, reside Duncan, Ariz. They had:

1 Marilyn Doris: b 1931.

iv Charles Oliver: b 26 May 1907.

v Benjamin Franklin: b 28 Feb. 1909.

#### 487 CHARLES OLIVER (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Benjamin F. 9, John H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Washington County, Arkansas in 1873, moved Benton County, Arkansas and then to Roane and Loudon Counties, Tennessee with his parents. He migrated West and married about 1890 at Lordsburg, New Mexico, Margaret Hessel, born Harrisburg, Pennsylvania in 1864. Resided some years at Chico, California then moved to Clifton, Arizona where he is foreman in a smelting plant.

Children:

i Ethel: b 1893, m Therman Bates, reside Phoenix, Ariz., said to have five children.

ii Benjamin F.: b 30 Sept. 1894 at Chico, Calif., married 28 May 1914 at Clifton, Ariz. Jessie Rodgers, b St. Joseph, Mo., 18-, reside Piedmont, Calif. They had:

1 Mildred: b 31 May 1915 at Clifton, Ariz. .

#### 488 WILLIAM PENN (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(James D. 9, George H. 8, James 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Monroe County, Kentucky 14 November 1854, moved to Tennessee with his parents. He married prior to 1874 Nancy Emaline Lewis, born 11 November 1855 at Shiloh, Tennessee. They moved to Dallas County, Texas in early 1880's and after a short time returned to Tennessee and then moved to Texas again and located in Ellis County prior to 1887. In November 1899, they. moved to Wichita Falls, Texas. He was a carpenter and farmer and is said to have been successful in all his undertakings. He died 8 August 191?, she survives him. Family Methodists. He was active in church and Sunday school work; 'never cased profane language, tobacco, nor. intoxicants, and was highly respected in his community. Was a life long Democrat in his politics.

Children:

i Della: b 4 Sept. 1874, m Samuel Burns, reside Waxahachie, Tex. They had:

1 Dick Burns.

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2 Willie May Burns.

ii Eke: b 21 Jan. 1877, m Irvan Deaton, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. They had:

1 Rella Deaton: b 18-, m H. G. Malitz, reside Dallas, Tex.

2 Nina May Deaton.

iii Hoil: b 26 Nov. 1879, m Launetta Meadow, he is a World War Veteran, reside Lamar, Colo. They had:

1 Agnes, resides Fort Worth, Tex.

Alys, resides Fort Worth, Tex.

3 Maxie.

iv Allie May: b 10 May 188-, m George Ison, reside Mangum, Okla. They had:

1 Raymond Ison.

2 Lonnie Ison.

v Floyd: b 10 Nov. 1887 Ellis Co., Tex., m 6 Sept. 1911 at Wichita Falls, Tex. Allie May Hendricks, b Grayson Co., Tex. 18 Mar. 1892, reside Wichita Falls, Tex. He has furnished information on this family. States he served in Post Office Dept. for 13 years and was exempt from service in World War; then 5 years in a bank, then 5 years in hardware business; has served as a Scout Master for two troops of Boy Scouts. They had:

1 Frances Emaline: b 20 Aug. 1915.

2 Harry Oliver: b 10 May 1917, died 24 June 1930.

3 Mary Ruth: b 19 Aug. 1920.

vi William Pearson: b 16 Jan. 1890, Veteran of World War, m reside Fort Lauderdale, Fla. No children.

vii Mamie: b 10 Aug. 1893, m Arthur E. Teague, reside Rome, Ga. They had

1 Eugene Teague.

2 Dale Teague.

3 Daughter.

4 Harry Teague.

viii Raymond: b 14 Nov. 1898, resides Wichita Falls, Tex.

### 489 JAMES ROBERT (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*John D. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Sevier County, Arkansas in 1852, moved to Tulare County, California with his parents in 1869. He married in the late 1870's Manuella Vaughn, born 1858. He died 17 September 1917, she :survived. him and died .27 December 1921, resided Tulare, California.

Children:

i John Robert: b 2 June 1882, m 1 Apr. 1903 Tina H. Vincent, b 27 Jan. 1882, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Ila Irene: b Aug. 1904, m W. J. Sommers, reside Tulare, Calif.

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2 Pauline Ione: b 1 Jan. 1912. Is a Nurse, in San Francisco, Calif. in 1931.

3 John Emmett: b 20 Sept. 1916.

ii Floyd: b 27 Mar. 1883. Resides Tulare, Calif.

iii Charles: b 22 June 1884, m Elizabeth Monroe, reside Tulare, Calif. They had:

1 Kenneth.

2 Dorothy.

iv Grace: b 1885-6. Killed in same accident that killed her grandfather in 1893. v Walter Royal: b 2 May 1888 at Pixley, Calif., m 6 July 1915 at Tulare, Calif. Katherine Frusetta, b 2 Oct. 1888, reside Hollister, Calif. They had:

1 Marjorie Katherine: b 25 Feb. 1920.

2 Robert Vaughn: b 11 Sept. 1922.

vi Hazel: b 1890, m ca 1910 Alfred Le Blanc, reside Hynes, Calif. They had

1 Laurence LeBlanc.

2 Harold LeBlanc.

3 Marguerite LeBlanc.

vii Homer R.: b 10 May 1892, m 26 Aug. 1919 Neva Ann Santry, reside Porterville, Calif. where he is connected with Fire Department. He has furnished information on this family. No children.

viii Ralph: b Jan. 1895, m 1929 Nell Hornbrook, reside Terra Bella, Calif.

ix Bernice: b 1897, m Robert Belshaw, she died Aug. 1919, he survives her and resides Goshen, Calif. They had:

1 Cleo Belshaw: b 19-.

2 Roberta Belshaw: b 19-.

x Vesta: b Aug. 1899, m 10 Aug. 1931 Dr. J. E. Beck, reside Tulare, Calif.

#### 490 SAMUEL T. (10) BILLINGSLEY

*(Samuel E. 9, Edward N. 8, Thomas 7, John 6, James 6, William 4- 5, John 2, Francis 1.)* Born Sevier County, Arkansas 14 November 1859 moved to Texas and later to West Virginia with his mother and step father. He married in 1880 Nancy J. Warhop, born Virginia 186-, resided Mercer County, West Virginia to about 1910, then moved to w Batavia; Ohio where he is engaged in farming. There were ten children born to this union seven of whom died in infancy. He has furnished information on this family.

Children:

i Roy Raymond: b 8 Feb. 1883, m 13 May 1903 at Hinton, W. Va. Carrie M. Wyant, they moved to Ohio about 1910

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and settled in Amelia, Clermont Co., where they reside. They had:

- 1 Dossie Blanch: b 31 May 1904 W. Va. Grad. Commercial College, Cincinnati, Ohio, she is educational secretary, Y. W. C. A., So: Western Ohio at Cincinnati, Ohio. She m 10 Sept. 1930 Homer A. Russell.
- 2 Carrie Eunice: b 4 Mar. 1906 W. Va. Grad. Campbell Commercial College, she is stenographer Information Dept. Chamber of Commerce, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- 3 Leonard Oswald: b 19 June 1908 W. Va.
- 4 Victor Mott: b 23 May 1911 Ohio.

ii Grower C.: b 4 Mar. 1885, died 24 Aug. 1908.

iii Cecil Samuel: b 29 Apr. 1887, m 1912 Augusta Krekler, reside Ohio. They had:

- 1 Owen Oswald: b 23 Oct. 1913.
- 2 Velva Virginia: b 21 Apr. 1915.

491 CHARLES LAFAYETTE (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Nathan, 8, Samuel 7, John 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Izard County, Arkansas 21 January 1875. He married (1) at Evening Shade, Arkansas, 2 February 1895 Amanda Clem Phillips, born Arkansas 18-, resided in Sharp and Jackson Counties, Arkansas, Amanda died 10 March 1908, buried Dowe cemetery, Jackson County. He married (2) 1912-13 at Poteau, Oklahoma, Myrtle Monks, born 18-, reside Wynne Wood, Oklahoma.

Children:

i Willie: b 21 Dec. 1898, died 13 Jan. 1899, Izard Co., Ark.

ii Bertha Elizabeth: b 20 Jan. 1900, resides Ralls, Tex.

iii Bulah : b 10 May 1901, died 18 Dec. 1902 Izard Co., Ark.

iv Ranson: b 16 July 1902, died 15 Aug. 1902 Jackson Co., Ark.

v Fannies b 7 Apr. 1905, died 9 Oct. 1905.

vi Earnest: b 20 Apr. 1907, resides Grant, Okla.

vii Cecil: b 12 June 1912, 2d wife.

viii Herschal: b 29 Nov. 1915.

ix Virgil: b 6 June 1918.

x Harrold: b 16 July 1920.

xi Carrol: b 5 Sept. 1922.

xii Jerrold: b 16 Aug. 1926.

xiii Ulysses Grant: b 13 June 1930.

492 ROBERT NEWTON (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas W. 9, John 8, Walter 7, Walter 6, James 5, William 4, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Cherokee County, Alabama 10 August 1878. He married (1) Margaret Head, she died 9 June 1920 and he. mar

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ried (2) prior to 1924 Delma , born Alabama 2? March 1898. Reside Gadsden, Alabama.

Children:

i Ella Mae: b 27 May 1898.

ii Marie Lou: b 8 Aug. 1901.

iii Rinda Elizabeth: b 27 Apr. 1904.

iv Charles Lee: b 29 Nov. 1914.

v Mary Emma: b 17 Apr. 1920.

vi Robert Joe: b 4 Mar. 1924, 2d wife.'

vii Thomas W.: b 4 Apr. 1926.

viii William Herbert: b 18 Aug. 1929.

#### 493 GEORGE S. (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*Thomas J. 9, Bright W. 8, John 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles 4, William 8, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born Logansport, Louisiana 20 May 1891. He married 19 May 1912 in Texas, Elizabeth Scarborough, born Texas 18-. Reside Grand Prairie, Texas. He is the only one of this entire family so far encountered who would give any information; data of Thomas J. Billingsley and his children has been furnished by him.

Children:

i Alton Albert: b 8 Sept. 1913.

ii Myrtle Almeta: b 25 Apr. 1915.

iii L. B.: b 10 Feb. 1917.

iv James Leon: b 26 Dec. 1922.

v . Teletha Martha: b 9 Aug. 1925.

vi Retha Margaret: b 9 Aug. 1925, a twin, she died 5 June 1926.

#### 494 JAMES WILLIAM (10) BILLINGSLEY

(*James A. 9, Thomas P. 8, Elias 7, Sias 6, Clement 5, Bowles h, William 3, John 2, Francis 1.*) Born in Rusk or Lamar County, Texas 5 January . 186?. He married (1) 23 May 1889 Margaret S. Edwards, born Texas 18-, she died 1890-1891 and he married (2) Lula Adams, born Texas 18-. They moved to Oklahoma and resided there some years then returned to Texas where he died 24 January 1906, and she died in 1909, Shelby County. There are stated to have been ten children by the second marriage, some of these are unknown and probably died in infancy.

Children: (known)

i Margaret Ethel: b 1890-91, m Grover Scruggs, residence not stated. They had:

1 Wildon Scruggs. 2 Marjorie Scruggs. 3 Ethel Scruggs.

ii Emory: b 189-, 2d wife, m Irma Sindol, reside Orange, Calif.

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v William A. Harvey: b 12 July 1826. He m (1) prior to 1857 Vina Erckenbrook; (2) in 1872 Maude B. Hamilton; was living in 1908 at Diagonal, Iowa. They had:

1 Frank S. Harvey: b 1857 Ill., m prior to 1878 Jennie b Iowa 1860, resided Shelden, Iowa in 1908. Had two children living in 1880: Luella and Carrie.

2 Ella Jane Harvey: b 1859-60. Called Jennie, m Marsh, resided New York in 1908.

3 Ray E. Harvey: b 1862, resided Shelden, Ia. in 1908.

vi Mary E. Harvey: b 1831 Ill. She m (1) Capt. Phillips; (2) in 1862 O. M. McTween. She had some children and was living in 1908 at Mackinaw, Ill.

vii Martha Jane Harvey: b 6 Nov. 1833 Ill. She married 3 July 1857 James Morris Burrell, b 30 Jan. 1826-28 in Albany Co., N. Y. They removed to Polk Co., Mo., where he died in 1918 and she died 16 Nov. 1920. They had:

1 Charles C. Burrell: b 1858.

2 Nettie Vienna Burrell: b 10 Jan. 1861. She m 7 Nov. 1881 Alfred Washington Mitchell, b Beverly, N. J. 10 Mar. 1856. He died 5 Sept. 1911, she survives him

and resides Humansville, Mo. They had

a Meta Pearl Mitchell: b 188- Mo., m 5 June 1907 Cleveland Alexander Newton, a lawyer. Reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

al John Alfred Newton: b 17 Oct. 1912.

b James W. Mitchell: b 188-, died infancy.

c Ethel Burrell Mitchell: b 18-, m James R. Vaughn.

d Estelle Elizabeth Mitchell: b 18-.

e Harriet Lucille Mitchell: b 18-, m Edward Bloodgood Stringham, reside Poughkeepsie, N. Y. They had:

el Katherine Varrick Stringham.

e2 Edward Barnes Stringham.

3 Wesley H. Burrell: b 1863.

viii John D. Harvey: b 1837, resided Anadarko, Okla. in 1919.

ix Drucilla Harvey: b 1839, m (1) ante 1859 Brachin; (2) Phillips; she was living in 1919 Monette, Mo.

v Harriet A. Harvey: b 1842. She married Edmund Hibbard, in 1919 some place in Wyoming. They had:

1 James Bradford Hibbard: b 1862 Ill.

2 Charles E. Hibbard: b 1863-64.

3 Ross R. Hibbard: b 1867 (Census record shows this name as Ross. It may be intended for Rosa who m Burch and named in will of Wesley B. Harvey in 1908.)

4 Robert L. Hibbard: b 1871 Kan.

## PART II

### THOMAS BILLINGSLEY circa 1830

Born Ireland in 1804, migrated to America circa 1830 and settled in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania where he married prior to 1834 Matilda George, born Pennsylvania in 1806, daughter of Eliza George, born Ireland 1780, living in 1850 in the home of her daughter Matilda. Resided Wilkins township where he is listed as a farmer in 1850. They evidently removed from this County before 1860. No trace of this family has been discovered after 1850.

Children: (known)

i Margaret: b 1834.

ii Matthew: b 1840.

iii Anna: b 1842.

iv David: b 1846.



PART III  
1837  
JAMES BILLINGSLEY

Born Donegal, Ireland in 1775. It is not known from what branch of the family he descends. From family records he appears to have been a jobber in textiles. He bought wool which was distributed among the peasant women who spun and wove it into cloth which he sold to the merchants or markets. He married (1) prior to 1800 Elizabeth Black, born Ireland 177-, she died 1810-12 and he married (2) prior to 1816 Elizabeth Fleming, born Ireland in 1786. They became interested in reports from the eldest son, John, in America, sold out and set sail for the New World arriving in Philadelphia in March 1837 after a six weeks' voyage. They moved to near Pittsburgh and from there they moved to Mercer County where they bought land and built a log house and barn. They spent the rest of their days on this farm, this farm is owned at present by John S. Billingsley, a grandson. Some of the original structures are still in use. (1931) James Billingsley is said to have been about five feet and four inches in height, fair complexion, blue eyes, and light hair. He died 8 February 1865, Elizabeth survived him and died 24 February 1872. There is extant some linen woven by her, and the spinning wheel she brought with her to America is in possession of her granddaughter, Mary J. Billingsley.

Children:

i John (2) : b 1800.

ii Matthew (2) : b 1802.

iii Eliza: b 180- Ireland. She m John Andrews and lived and died in Philadelphia, Pa. Only child of record is:  
1 Mary Andrews: b 18-, m a Mr. Patton.

iv Robert (2): b 1810.

v Joseph (2) : b 1810. Twins.

vi James F.: b 1816 Donegal, Ireland came to America with his parents in 1837. He enlisted 12 Oct. 1861 as Pvt. K, 4th Pa. Cav., U.S., at Franklin, Pa.; Corp. 10 Dec. 1861, and discharged 31 Dec. 1863 ; reenlisted 1 Jan. 1864 at Bristol, Va., Veteran; Sgt. 1 Mar. 1864. He was 5 feet and 5 inches in height, grey eyes, and auburn hair. After the war he settled in Venango Co., Pa., purchased a house and spent the rest of his days. He is said to have become an expert knitter in his latter days. He died in 1894, never married.

vii Jane: b 1818 Ireland. She m prior to 1840 Matthew Black, b 18-, she died about 1889 and he died a few years later, resided Mercer Co., Pa. Both buried at Harrisville, Pa. They had

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1 Susan Black: b 184-, m William Buchanan. They moved to Tenn. and resided Dickson, where they both died. They had:

- a Virginia Buchanan: b 18-, m Charles Ray.
- b Henry Buchanan: b 18-. Living 1931.
- c Margaret Buchanan: b 18-.
- d Daughter: b 18-, died aet. 1 year. `

2 James Black: b 1842-43. He enlisted in Pa. troops, U.S. in Civil War and died aet. 19 years, of fever.

3 Joseph Black: b 1845, m Aurelia Curry. He died 4 July. 1915, residence not stated. They had

a Florence Black: b 18-, m William McKnight, reside Pocatello, Idaho. No children. b Homer Black: b 8 Jan. 1886, m 29 July 1915 Jennie Cummings, b 3 May 1893, reside near Grove City, Pa. No children. c Herbert Black: b 1889, m Florence Coxson, reside Grove City, Pa. They had:'

- cl Virginia CoYSON Black: b 8 Mar. 1909.
- c2 Dorothea Black: b 8 Mar. 1913, m 26 Jan. 1931, George Smith.
- c3 Martha Jane Black: b 9 Mar. 1915.
- c4 Fred K. Black: b 25 July 1922.
- c5 Alice Black: b 9 June 1924.
- d Ada Black: b 189-. Is a Nurse, resides Philadelphia, Pa.
- e Violet Black: b 189-, m George Butler, reside Idaho. They had;
  - e1 Ruth Adelaide Butler: b 19 Mar. 1923.
  - e2 John Black Butler: b 23 Apr. 1924, died 28 Feb. 1931.
  - e3 Mary Butler: b 23 Jan. 1926.
  - e4 Betty Katheryn Butler: b 11 Mar. 1927.
  - e5 Peter Joseph Butler: b 192-.
  - e6 Margaret Esther Butler: b 10 Aug. 1930.

4 Elizabeth Black: b 1847, died 1917, unmarried.

5 Henry Black: b 1849, m Ann Hosack, of Mercer Co., Pa. He died 1915, resided Mercer, Pa. They had

- a Jennie Black: b 18-, died aet. 20 years.
- b Eva Black: b 18-, m Henry. Zimmerman, reside Mercer, Pa. No children.
- c Salina Black: b 18-. Is a Nurse, Philadelphia, Pa.
- d Frank Black: b 18-, died aet. 20-21 years.
- e Child: b 18-, died infancy.

6 Margaret Black: b 1852, died aet. 60 years, unmarried.

7 Sarah Jane Black: b 1854, died aet. 14 years.

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- 8 Samuel Black: b 1856, m Anna McDonald. He died ca 1921, she survives him, resides Mercer Co., Pa. They had:  
a Irene Black: b 18-, m W. Herbert Gregg, reside Grove City, Pa. No children.  
b Mary Black: b 18-.  
c Donald Black: b 18-, m Ruth Pierce, have 2 children.  
d Olive Black: b 18-, died aet. 2 years.

viii Sarah: b 1820, m 1852 Alexander Black, she died 1853.

- ix Catherine: b 1822. She m John McMurry, of Harrisville, Pa. He was a farmer, she died about 1898. They had:  
1 Mary Ann McMurry: b 184-, died small. I  
2 Elizabeth McMurry: b 184-, died aet. 2 years.  
3 James McMurry: b 1849, m Mary Byers, she died about 1917, and he died 20 Aug. 1926 aet. 27 years. They had:  
a Margaret McMurry: b 18-, m Joseph Dugan, a farmer and school teacher, reside near Harrisville, Pa.  
They had:  
al Francis Dugan, m Dorothy Fielding.  
a2 Waldo Dugan.  
b Lewis McMurry: b 18-, died aet. 19 years.  
c Charles McMurry: b ca 1890, died in camp 1917 during World War.  
4 Robert D. McMurry: b ca 1853, m Emma Black, he was living 1931, resided Butler, Pa. They had:  
a Dessa McMurry: b 18-.  
b John F. McMurry: b 18-, m Carolyn Reinheimer, he died 1920, automobile accident. They had:  
b1 Helen McMurry: b ca 1914.  
c Fannie McMurry: b 18-, m Karl Kennedy. They had: Robert, Richard, and a daughter b ca 1928.  
d Samuel McMurry: b 18-, m Dorothy Heimer, of Butler, Pa. They had:  
d1 Delphina McMurry.  
d2 Betty Lee McMurray.  
d3 Robert McMurry.  
d4 Dorothy Jane McMurry.  
e Ralph McMurry: b 18-.  
f Arthur McMurry: b 18-, m Gertrude Toomey.  
g Grace McMurry: b 18-, died infancy.  
5 Jane McMurry: b 185-, m Tiffney McFadden, of Wesley, Pa., she was deceased in 1931. No children.  
6 Sara McMurry: b 18 June 1859. She m 18 Sept. 1881 at Butler, Pa., Parker Hovis, b 3 Mar. 1859, Venago Co.,

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Pa. He died 8 Apr. 1921 from injury by machinery of oil well. He was a 32 degree Mason, she survives him and resides Youngstown, Ohio, is a member of the Eastern Star. They had:

a Charles Parker Hovis: b 17 Jan. 1886, m 1911 at Butler, Pa. Wilda Starr, b Pa. Feb. 188-. He is a Mason, reside Youngstown, Ohio. They had:

al Sarah Hovis: b 12 June 1912.

a2 James Hovis: b 15 Feb. 1914. '

a3 Grace Hovis : b Oct. 1915.

7 Anna McMurry: b 1850, m Henry Fish, she died ca 1915, and he died 1924-25, resided Youngstown, Ohio. They had:

a J. Carl Fish, m Lucy Rowe. They had:

a1 Virginia Marie Fish: b 1915.

8 Samuel McMurry: b 186-, died aet. 4 years.

x William (2) : b 10 Oct. 1824.

xi Alexander Sterrett (2) : b 29 June 1826.

xii David (2) : b 1829.

xiii Daughter: b 183-, died infancy.

#### 2 JOHN (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1800. He married 30 May 1823 Elizabeth Black, born Ireland in 1802. It is stated that this marriage was an elopement and that they immediately set sail for America and landed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where they resided for about two years and then moved to Mercer County, Pennsylvania where they resided to about 1831 then moved to Butler County where he engaged in farming. Elizabeth died 22 May 1860, he survived her a few years and died about 1866.

Children

i Mary (3) : b 14 Feb. 1824.

ii James (3) : b 8 Feb. 1826.

iii Catherine: b 4 Nov. 1828 Mercer Co., Pa. She m (1) 9 Mar. 1854, William Kerr, he died and she m (2) Charles Bovard. She died 6 Dec. 1893 in Venango Co., Pa. No children by 2d marriage. They had:

1 Elizabeth Kerr: b 185-, m

2 Margaret Kerr: b 185-, m W. H. Bovard, she died before 1924. He was living in 1930, Venango Co., Pa. They had:

a Edna Bovard.

b Anna Bovard.

iv Eve Jane: b 27 July 1830 Mercer Co., Pa. She m 5 June 1851 Joseph Tinker, they moved. to Malcolm, Iowa. No subsequent record.

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v Elizabeth (3) : b 7 Nov. 1831.

vi William B.: b 29 Aug. 1833, m 3 Nov. 1853, he died 18 Sept. 1854 at Pittsburgh, Pa.

vii John: b 2 June 1836, m 6 Jan. 1859 Sidney Gill, he died 15 Dec. 1865.

viii Margaret: b 10 Oct. 1838, died 26 Feb. 1842.

ix Sarah Ann (3) : b 28 Feb. 1841.

x Joseph (3) : b 29 Feb. 1844.

### 3 MATTHEW (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1802. He migrated to America about 1830 arrived in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and then proceeded to Butler County, Pennsylvania and after a short sojourn with his brother, John, he moved to Allegheny County where he married prior to 1834 Elizabeth, born Pennsylvania in 180-. They resided in the North Ward of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in 1840 and he died before 1850. According to a statement of the youngest child in her affidavit in the pension claim of her brother, George, they resided in Pittsburgh where Elizabeth died during the Civil War, exact date not known; the name does not appear in city directories of the date, neither is this family shown in this County in the census of 1850 or 1860.

Children:

i George Elias: b 22 Sept. 1834, Pittsburgh, Pa. He left home when about 18 or 19 years old and migrated to Illinois. He was a blacksmith. He enlisted 24 June 1861 as Pvt. E, 17th Ill. Inf., U.S., at Alton, Ill., age given as 24 years; June 1862 in hospital at Keokuk, Iowa; Apr. 1863 in hospital; discharged 24 June 1864. He states he resided in Mercer Co., Ill., moved to Adams Co., Iowa in 1865; was in LaSalle Co., Ill. in 1880; O'Neil City, S. Dak. In 1882; Holt Co., Nebr. 188-; Fort Scott, Kan. in 1887; Sacramento, Calif. 189-. He m prior to 1865 Aurilla b Ohio 1838, she was living in 1880 and was deceased before 1910. He made claim for pension 'and owing to difference in his age stated at enlistment and that on his claim he was requested to produce evidence. He presented an affidavit of his sister, Elizabeth Leonard, of Pittsburgh, Pa., dated 21 Feb. 1910 who states: "He left home in 1853, he is 7 or 8 years older than I am and is a blacksmith." Her age is given as 68 years. Also an affidavit of Anna E. Bilderback, his daughter, dated 13 Jan. 1910, who gives his date of birth as 22 Sept. 1834 from the Family Bible in her possession. He names as nearest relative, Ruth Billingsley, his daughter. In a letter dated 14 May 1910 he states he lived with his widowed mother and sisters, Jemima and Anna E., in Pittsburgh, and that

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he dropped the Elias from his name, etc. His claim was granted. He was an inmate of the Soldier's Home, Leavenworth, Kan. where he died 2 June 1912. They had, known:

1 Anna E.: b 1866 Iowa, m Bilderback and resided Adams Co., Iowa in 1910.

2 Ruth: b 18-. Was living in 1910 Leavenworth, Kan. j

ii Jemima (4) : b 1836.

iii Anna Elizabeth: b 1842 Pa. She married John Leonard, of Pittsburgh, Pa. He served in 102 Pa. Inf., U. S. 1861-65, in same company with Richard Barrows. She died 1915 and he died 1922, resided Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Stella Leonard: b 18-, died childhood.

2 Preston Leonard: b 18-, died childhood.

3 Gertrude Leonard: b 18-, died infancy.

4 Harry Leonard: b 18-, m Bird Conkel, he died ca 1911. resided Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

a Florence Leonard: b 1-, m James Armstrong; reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

al James Armstrong, Jr.

5 Walter Leonard: b 18-, m Florence, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. No children.

#### 4 ROBERT (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1810, a twin. The family tradition has it that about 1828-29 his brother, John Billingsley of Butler County, Pennsylvania wrote his brother, Matthew, urging him to come over to America. Matthew did not care to come and Robert asked to be allowed to make the trip. His father at first objected but finally consented, gave him money and some Irish linens to peddle when he arrived, and placed him in the care of a friend who was coming over on the same ship. This friend managed to secure all of the linen and money leaving Robert stranded in New York City. He by some means managed to make his way to his brother, John, where he remained about two years. He then went to work on the railroads "East of the mountains" under a contractor named Robert Appleton. In 1834 he purchased a farm in Venango County, Pennsylvania and erected a log house. Here he met and married prior to 1838 Jane Gilliland, born Pennsylvania 1816, resided there for some years then moved to Mercer County. About 1855 Robert went to Michigan. In 1856 Jane and her children, in charge of the oldest son, Josiah, then 18 years of age, started to move to Branch County, Michigan. Josiah kept a diary from which the following facts are taken: On 14 April 1856 left New Vernon, Pa.; the first stop was at Greenville, Pa., from there to Kinsman, Ohio, then to Cleveland, Ohio; from the 16th to 20th waiting for a boat to Detroit; while the family were waiting for a boat the representatives of a newly constructed railroad came and urged them to travel by train to Detroit, Jane would hear of no such

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nonsense-'and would not risk the lives of her children on the newfangled "Steam cars." They arrived at Coldwater, Michigan, 27 April 1856, travelled a total of 383 miles at a cost of 8157.98. There appears to have been a separation about December 1858 and Jane took her daughter, Mary, and returned to Pennsylvania. She moved again to Michigan in the 1860's and resided in Eaton County where she is said to have died 30 July 1870 at Kalamo. Robert married (2) in 1859 Harriet, b New York in 1836, believed to be a daughter of Leonard Adams, and a young widow, name not known, who had a son at the time of this marriage, resided Branch County, Michigan in 1860. It is not known where he was living in 1870, he is not listed in any of the Counties he is supposed to have lived. Date of the death of Harriet is not known, tho she was either deceased or divorced prior to 1865-66 as Robert married (3) prior to 1867 Rebecca Callahan, born Ohio circa 1850. He was living in Charlotte, Michigan in 1880 and listed as a laborer. He is stated to have visited his daughter, Louisa Brown, about 1893 and presented a book to his grandson which said grandson still has. He died in 1896 and is buried at Charlotte, Rebecca survived him and died 13 May 1898 and is buried at Charlotte, Michigan.

Children: (1st wife)

i Josiah: b 7 May 1838 Pa. After moving to Mich. in 1856 he studied law and was admitted to the bar. In his diary he lists books in his possession and among them are: "Military History of the United States, History of the American Revolution, History of the Conquest of Mexico and California, Chronicles of the English, Spanish, and French, and others including Tom Jones and Clark's English Grammar, etc." On 12 Aug. 1861 he enlisted at Coldwater, Mich., made Corp. B 44th Ill. Inf., Barrett's North West Rifle Regt., U.S.; Oct. 1861 sick in hospital at Warsaw, Mo.; Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at St. Louis, Mo.; Oct. 1862 reduced to Pvt., absent sick since 1 Sept. 1862; Apr. 1863 absent sick since Feb. 1862 and on the roll of Apr. 1863 he is dropped as a deserter. In this jacket is his Medical Record which shows he was discharged 3 Feb. 1862 by Surgeon's Certificate of Disability for reason of tuberculosis (Illinois records). In the Michigan records we find: he reenlisted 1 June 1862 at Coldwater, Mich., as Pvt. H, 17th Mich. Inf., U.S. and made Sgt.; reduced to. ranks 8 Jan.. 1863 and again made Sgt. 23 Feb. 1863; furlough 15 days 17 Aug. 1863; 2d Lieut. 31 Aug. 1863 and assigned to Co. I; he was killed by shell 20 Nov. 1863 at Knoxville, Tenn., and buried in National Cemetery there. He kept his diary to the last making an entry a few minutes before he was killed. He married Mary Anderson just before entering service. No children.

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ii Catherine: b 7 May 1839, m ca 1857 at Coldwater, Mich., Dudley Locke, she died 22 Feb. 1883. They had:  
1 Jay Locke: b 19 Aug. 1858, m 19 Aug. 1897 Matie Ruprecht. He was a cigar maker and died 25 May 1909.  
2 Joseph Locke: b 19 Nov. 1865, m (1) 10 July 1895 Margaret Lockerby, (2) 16 Mar. 1905, resided near Coldwater, Mich. in 1932. They had:  
a Earl Dudley Locke: b 11 July 1896, d 24 Aug. 1900.  
b Kate Locke: b 189-.

iii Joseph: b 1842 Pa., moved to Mich. with his mother in 1856. He is stated to have been a hard working lad who took adversity without a murmur. He enlisted 28 May 1861 Pvt. Batt. A, 1st Mich. Light Arty., U.S.; appears present to 19 Sept. 1863; a roll Oct. 1863 shows-Missing. In a letter he wrote home dated 29 Feb. (undoubtedly 1864) from Danville, Va. he states "we have made several unsuccessful attempts to escape, now think we are 'cooped' for the war." He was transferred soon after this date to Andersonville and a roll dated 28 July 1865 shows he died 29 Aug. 1864 at Andersonville, Ga.

iv Margaret : b 1 Aug. 1844 Pa. She m (1) James Bennett of Coldwater, Mich. He died and she m (2) 1 July 1898 George Truitt, of Tacoma, Wash., he died in 1902, she was living in 1932, Tacoma, Wash. They had:  
1 Eva Bennett: b 18-, m John Davis in Mich. They moved to Washington on account of his health. He was deceased prior to 1927, she was living at Long Beach, Calif. No children mentioned. It was this move that eventually brought the entire family to Washington.  
2 Elizabeth Leone Bennett: b 18- Mich. She m a Mr. Cross who was a painting contractor and decorator, both living in 1932, Tacoma, Wash. No children.

v Elizabeth: b 3 Sept. 1846 Pa. She m during the administration of Andrew Johnson, Henry Johnson, who was given the nickname of "Andy" which stuck to him the rest of his days. He operated an hotel at Big Rapids, Mich. and died about 1870. Elizabeth never remarried, travelled a considerable portion of her life, living in Denver, Colo., Seattle, Wash., and San Francisco, Calif., and was there in 1906 during the earthquake. She died at the home of her sister, Louisa Brown, in May 1925. No children.

vi Louisa (3) : b 3 Sept. 1846, A twin.



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vii Robert: b 1848 Pa. Moved to Mich. in 1856. He m (1) after 1870 Ellen Bates, she died sine prole and he In (2) resided on a farm near Middleville, Mich. He died 19 Mar. 1896 at Irving, Mich. They had:  
1 Freda: b 18-. Was a school teacher at Highland Park, Mich. in 1927, she m ca 1928, and died 6 Sept. 1931.  
2 Ferna: b 18-, m, and resides on a farm near her former home, had 3 children living in 1927.

viii Alexander (3) : b 22 Feb. 1853 Pa.

ix Mary Jane: b 28 Sept. 1854, m 1874 Edward Hawkins, he was deceased before 1927, she died at the home of her son, Paul, 15 Dec. 1930 at Indianapolis, Ind. They had:  
1 Don Hawkins.  
2 Guy Hawkins.  
3 Wirt Hawkins.  
4 Paul Hawkins.

x James Johnson: b 3 May 1859 in Pa. He was engaged in teaching to about 1922 when he retired. Visited his relations in Calif. and was present at one of the early reunions at Grove City, Pa. Spent winter of 1926 at Long Beach, Calif.; was in Calif. in 1932, resides Primghar, Iowa. Has never married. Children: (2d wife)

xi Oliver: b 1857, stepson, surname unknown, he adopted the name of Billingsley, m prior to June 1880 Loe, b Ohio in 1845, resided Eaton Co., Mich. in 1880.

xii Harvey: b June 1860.

xiii Others of whom no record. Children: (3d wife)

xiv Sarah Lura: b 28 May 1867 at Olivet, Mich.

xv Olive: b 24 Jan. 1869 at Kalamo, Mich., died 29 Sept. 1881. xvi Birdie: b 7 July 1871 at Kalamo, Mich. Sarah or Birdie married Frank Poorman, and reside Battle Creek, Mich. They had  
1 Frank Poorman, Jr.  
2 Beatrice Poorman.

xvii Andrew Johnson (3) : b 15 Apr. 1873.

#### JOSEPH (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I*) Born Donegal; Ireland in 1810, a twin: Came to America with his parents in 1837 and married prior to 1838 Catherine Stevenson, born Ireland in 1815. He was a farmer and they resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania. Both were living in 1860, no data on their deaths  
Children:  
i (3): b 1838.

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ii Mary Jane: b 1841, m. Harvey Hogg, b 183-. They had:

1 Emma Hogg: b 186-, m Robert Bovard. They had:

a Iris Bovard: b 1895, died Aug. 1926.

b Bernice Bovard: b 189-.

iii James (3) : b 1844.

iv Sarah Ann: b 20 Dec. 1847. She m 3 May 1870 Thomas C. Rhodes, b Pa. 184-, she died 31 Oct. 1900 and he died 22 Apr. 1928, resided in Butler Co., Pa. They had:

1 Jennie May Rhodes: b 22 Apr. 1871, m 1 Nov. 1894 Clarence Fox, b 29 June 1873, reside Branchton, Pa. No children.

2 Harry W. Rhodes: b 11 June 1874, m 1895 Nora Fox, reside Keister, Pa. They had:

a Wilda Rhodes.

b Howard Rhodes.

c Thomas Clarence Rhodes.

3 Mabel Rhodes: b 15 Aug. 1882, m 20 Nov. 1901 Burton W. McMurry, b 26 Jan. 1880, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a Ruth McMurry: b 28 Sept. 1902, m Vernon Turner, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a1 Thomas Turner.

a2 Carl Turner.

a3 Ann May Turner: died 1925. '

a4 Richard Turner.

a5 Geraldine Turner: b 17 Jan: 1929.

b Carl McMurry: b 11 July 1904, m Helen Snyder. They had:

b1 Ronald McMurry.

b2 Edward McMurry: b 30 Nov. 1928.

b3 Marilyn McMurry: b 7 May 1930.

c Lloyd McMurry: b 12 Feb. 1906.

d Merle McCurry: b 3 Apr. 1908.

v Martha (3) : b 20 Apr. 1849.

vi Robert S. (3) : b 1851.

vii David: b 1855, died in 1870's, unmarried.

viii George Albert (3) : b 3 Dec. 1858.

## 8 WILLIAM (2) BILLINGSLEY

(James 1.) Born Donegal, Ireland 10 October 1824, came to America with his parents in 1837, he married prior to 1848 Margaret Bell Hazlett, b Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 30 July 1826. He was a farmer and resided at Elizabeth, Pennsylvania where he died 16 May 1903, she died 9 December 1903.

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### Children:

i Sarah: b 15 May 1848. She m prior to 1867 at Elizabeth, Pa., William Mitchell, 'b 18.4-, she died 9 Jan. 1908, he survived her and died Jan. 1929. They had:

1 Etta Mitchell: b 27 Feb. 1867, she m J. William Peterson. They had a Mary Margaret Peterson: b 189-, m Richard Guy. They had:

a1 Richard Guy, Jr.

b Sarah Peterson: b 189-. Resides Hollywood, Calif.

c William Peterson: b 19-, m Helma Horne.

d Jack Peterson: b 1-.

e Helen Peterson: b 1-.

2 Lyde Mitchell: b 2 Oct. 1870, m Dr. Faucet. They had:

a .Jane Faucet: b 9 Jan. 1909.

3 Mamye Mitchell: b 187-, m William Darkley, she died Feb. 1929, resided Fayetteville, Pa.

4 Edith Mitchell: b 1877, m Dr. John Boyd. They had:

a Mitchell Boyd: b Aug. 1907.

b Calvin Boyd: b 19-.

ii James: b 17 Oct. 1850, died 28 Dec. 1850.

iii Nancy Jane: b 15 Feb. 1852, m 1871 at Monongahela, Pa. George Washington Hayden, b Elizabeth; Pa. 1845. He died 1922 and she died 1925, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

1 Charles Alvin Hayden: b 1872, m Irene Carson, reside Monongahela, Pa. They had:

a Margaret Hayden: b 19-, m Enoch Colvin, reside Monongahela, Pa. They had:

al Margaret Ann Colvin: b 10 July 1928.

b Laura Maud Hayden: b 19-.

c Sarah Hayden: b 19-.

2 Laura Belle Hayden: b 1874.

3 Frank George Hayden: b 187-, m Lillian Weigle, b 5 Oct. 1881, reside Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

a George W. Hayden.

b Frank G. Hayden.

c Lillian Jean Hayden.

d Gail Hayden.

4 Maud Hayden: b 1882.

5 Jean Margaret Hayden : b ` 1886, died 1916.

iv Frank (3) : b 24 Apr. 1854.

v William (3) : b 19 Mar. 1856.

vi Ruth Ann: b 24 Apr. 1858, m (1) James Stevenson; (2) William Megmire, she died 10 Apr. 1921, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

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- 1 Roy Stevenson: b 18-, m Mary Fields. They had:
  - a William, Rachel, Hulda, Helen, James, and George W.
- 2 Margaret Stevenson: b 18-, m Henry McCreary. They had: Hazel, Stella, and Ruth.
- 3 William Stevenson: b 18-.
- 4 George Megmire: b 1--, was unmarried in 1927.

vii George Roberts: b 27 Mar. 1860 Pa. There appears to have been an early marriage of which no details have been obtainable. He moved to Memphis, Tenn. where he married Lydia Armsby. He is President of Bannon Coal & . Ice Co., reside Memphis, Tenn. No children. viii James Albert: b 27 Mar. 1860, a twin. Moved to Memphis, Tenn. and m prior to 1888 Mary F. Bannon, b Tenn. 1872. He was connected with his brother in the Coal and Ice business. He died 17 June 1912. This family said to be Roman Catholics. They had:

- 1 Pearl: b 3 Dec. 1888, m Fred Peebles, b 1887 Ga.
- 2 Frank W.: b. 6 Dec. 1890, resides Memphis, Tenn.
- 3 George A.: b 16 Oct. 1892, m Bernice Zannone, b Memphis, Tenn. 29 Apr. 1906. They had:
  - a Patricia: b 12 Jan. 1928.
- 4 Charles L.: b 20 Mar. 1898, m Ruth Armour, b Tenn. 9 Aug. 1902.

ix Margaret Belle (3) : b 24 May 1862.

x Ella Blanche: b 26 Feb. 1865, m 28 Mar. 1881 John Van Fossen, b Pa. 27 Feb. 1860, she died 25 Dec. 1901 and he died Sept. 1930, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

- 1 Carrie VanFossen: b 31 Jan. 1882, m Oct. 1903 James Bradford Golloway, b 9 Oct. 1882 in Pa., reside Orlando, Fla. They had
  - a James G. Golloway: b 31 July 1907, died 18 July 1909.
  - b Robert Abbie Golloway: b 29 Apr. 1911, Allenport, Pa:
  - c John William Golloway: b 20 July 1924, Youngstown, Ohio.

xi Ids Laura: b 2 May 1867, m Charles Cornish, she died 2 Dec. 1905 sine prole.

#### 7 ALEXANDER STERRETT (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I.*) Born Danegal, Ireland 29 June 1826, .came to America with his parents in 1837. He married 22 September 1846 in Pennsylvania, Catherine Barber, born Columbiana County, Ohio, 10 February 1818, resided a year or so in Ohio then settled in Venango County, Pennsylvania. He enlisted 14 September 1864 at Meadville, Pa. for one year, as Private F, 199 Pa. Infantry, U.8.; discharged 28 June 1865, was five feet

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and five inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, occupation, farmer. Resided the rest of their days in Venango County, Pennsylvania where she died 2 April 1891 and he died 13 April 1898.

Children:

i Agnes Maria: b 9 Sept. 1847. She m Adam Kunkel, he is deceased, she resides Franklin, Pa. Said to be 3 or children; known are:

1 Samuel Kunkel: b 18-, m, resides Franklin, Pa.

2 Irene Kunkel: b 18-, m

ii James Alexander (3) : b 23 Feb. 1849.

iii Elizabeth Jane: b 5 Apr. 1851, m 22 Sept. 1882 Preston S. Ohler, b 18-, she died 19 Nov. 1919, he survived her and died in the summer of 1930 at Franklin, Pa. They had:

1 Alexander Sterrett Ohler: b 188-, m Blanche Mina Ghost. They had

a Harry S. Ohler: b 19-, m Zilda Marie Morrison.

b Lewis Ohler: b 19-.

2 Theodore B. Ohler: b 188-, m Lena Shannon. They had:

a Frank A. Ohler: b 19-, m Grace Ray, reside Utica, Pa.

b Mildred Ohler, b 19-, m Ronald Kennedy, reside Utica, Pa.

iv Robert William (3) : b 9 Jan. 1853.

v John Daniel (3) : b 8 Oct. 1855.

vi Samuel Marion: b 18 Aug. 1857, died 11 June 1880.

vii Theodore Fleeting: b 3 Aug. 1860, m Amy Reynolds, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Gladys: b 18-.

#### 8 DAVID (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1829, came to America with his parents in 1837. He married 14 October 1860 Eliza Jane Dugan, born Butler County, Pennsylvania 14 March 1836. He succeeded to his father's farm and they spent the remainder of their days in this home. This farm is owned today by his children and it is at this home the Reunion of this Billingsley Family is held annually in August since 1924. David is said to have been about five feet and four inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair. He died in 1871, she survived him many years and died in 1920. This family Presbyterians.

Children:

i William Dugan: b 20 July 1861, m 7 Mar. 1905 Jane Mellon Cooke, he died 20 Mar. 1926, she survives him and resides Grove City, Pa. They had:

1 Viola Jane: b 27 Jan. 1906, m James Humphrey, reside Grove City, Pa. They had:

a William Claire Humphrey: b 192-.

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b Harold Humphrey: b 193-.  
2 Leora Mary: b 27 Sept. 1908.

ii Mary Jane: b 5 Feb. 1863. She has furnished much information on this family. We visited her home in 1931 and attended the Reunion, met many of the tribe and gathered considerable information.

iii James Alexander: b 14 Dec. 1865, resides Grove City, Pa., unmarried.

iv John Scott: b Dec. 1867, resides on the old homestead with his sister, Mary and is unmarried.

v Charlotte: b 1869, died 1888.

9 MARY (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John R, James I.*) Born Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 14 February 1824, moved to Butler County, Pennsylvania with her parents where she married 16 January 1845 James Thompson, born Pennsylvania 182-, resided Butler County, Pennsylvania, no data as to their deaths.

Children:

i George W. Thompson: b 1846. He was living 1930 and resided Keister, Pa.

ii William Thompson: b 1848.

iii Elizabeth Thompson: b 1850, m Harper Hughes, she was living 1931 and resided Greenville, Pa. They had, known:

1 Daughter: b 18-.

2 Gladys Hughes: b 18-, m a Mr. Freeburg, and had a daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

iv Anne Thompson: b 1852, m James McDougall, moved to New York.

v Joseph Thompson: b 1854, died unmarried.

vi Marion Thompson: b 1856, m . They had:

1 Daughter: b 18-, m W. H. Waiters, reside Harrisville, Pa. They had:

a Richard Paul Waiters.

b Glenn Edward Waiters.

c William Earl Waiters.

d Robert Waiters.

2 Daughter: b 18-, m W. A. Sproul, resided Grove City, Pa. in 1931 and had a daughter, Helen.

3 Plummer Thompson: b 18-, m. They had:

a Agnes Thompson.

b Jessie Thompson.

c Clifford Thompson.

4 Daughter: b 18-, m a Mr. Klink.

5 Daughter: b 18-, m a Mr. Gould. They had:

a Helen Gould.

b Olive Gould.

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- c Katheryn Gould. Resided Branchton, Pa. 1931.
- d Pearl Gould.
- vii Mary Jane Thompson: b 1858. She married in 1877 Bertram Lytle Hockenberry, b Pa. in 1852. He died in 1910 and she died in 1920, resided Allegheny Co., Pa. They had
  - 1 John Harvey Hockenberry: b 1878, m Jessie Grossman, reside Harrisville, Pa. They had:
    - a Bertram Hockenberry.
    - b Hazel Hockenberry.
    - c Ruth Hockenberry.
  - 2 James Alfred Hockenberry: b 1880, m Minnie McDougall, he died Feb. 1928. They had:
    - a Dorothy Hockenberry: b ca 1906. E
  - 3 Curtis Edward Hockenberry: b 19 Sept. 1882, m 24 Nov. 1904 Pearl Hesselgesser, b 1885, reside Allison Park, Pa. They had:
    - a Everett Dale Hockenberry: b Nov. 1905.
    - b Mildred Hockenberry: b Mar. 1907.
    - c Bertram Lytle Hockenberry: b Mar. 1909. `
    - d Frances Hockenberry: b Mar. 1911.
  - 4 Dora Hockenberry: b 1884, m Paul Renick, reside West Sunbury, Pa. They had
    - a Bertram Renick.
    - b Horace Renick.
    - c Clara Renick.
    - d Sarah Renick.
    - e Homer Renick.
    - f Raymond Renick.
    - g Arthur Renick.
  - 5 Sherman Hockenberry: b 1887, m Nellie Black, reside near Harrisville, Pa. They had:
    - a Howard Hockenberry: b 1908.
    - b James Hockenberry: b 19-.
    - c Bernice Hockenberry: b 19-.
    - d Freda Hockenberry: b 1915.
  - 6 Cleora Hockenberry: b 1889, m Merle Meals, reside Butler Co., Pa. They had:
    - a Leota Jane Meals: b ca 1917.
    - b George Meals: b ca 1920.

10 JAMES (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 2, James 1.*) Born Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 8 February 1826, moved to Butler County, Pennsylvania with his parents. He married 29 May 1851 Ann Thompson, born Pennsylvania in 182-. He was a farmer, resided in Venango County, *Pennsylvania*, both were living in 1880.

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### Children

i J.: b 1853, m Mary McCandless, he died in 1925 and she died 1928-29, resided Pa. They had:

1 Jay: b 18-.

2 Laurel: b 18-.

ii John: b 1855, died unmarried.

iii Sarah: b 1858, m Amos Smith, resided Butler Co., Pa., said to have had several children.

iv Albert Oliver: b 1860, died unmarried.

v Mary: b 1863, m a Mr. Hutchinson, she was deceased in 1931. No children.

vi Jane: b 1867, m Johnson Stoops, resided West Sunbury, Pa. in 1931. They had

1 Bernice Stoops: b 18-, m.

2 Paul Billingsley Stoops: b 18-.

3 Johnson Stoops: b 18-.

vii Margaret: b 1869, died small.

viii Ida: b 187-, m Charles Kelly, reside Slippery Rock, Pa. They had:

1 Arthur Kelly.

2 Mildred Kelly.

3 Bessie Kelly.

4 Edward Kelly.

ix Emma: b 187-, m a Mr. Kramer, she died in the 1920's. They had two daughters who were school teachers in 1931.

## 11 ELIZABETH (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Mercer County, Pennsylvania, 7 November 1831. She married 6 March 1856 George McDougall, born 19 May 1825 in Pennsylvania, his second wife. He was a son of Charles McDougall, born Cornhill, Scotland in 1793 who came to America and married Mary Dover, born 17 February 180- and was the father of ten children. George McDougall married (1) 28 October 1851 Nancy A. Galloway who died 13 April 1855, no mention of any children, and he married (2) as stated above. They resided on a farm in Mercer County, Pennsylvania where he died 21 August 1894 and she died 10 April 1895.

Children: (2d wife)

i John B. McDougall: b 29 Oct. 1856, died 13 Oct. 1857.

ii Nancy J. McDougall: b 22 Oct. 1858, m 10 Jan. 1884 John F. Patterson, .reside near Mercer, Pa. They had:

1 Mabel Patterson: b 24 Mar. 1886, m F. A. Moats, b 24 Mar. 1886, reside Meadville, Pa. They had:

a Mabel Elizabeth Moats: b 4 Aug. 1911. !

iii Thomas James McDougall: b 4 Nov. 1860, m 24 June 1884 Susan Barnes, b 6 Sept. 1860, reside Mercer Co., Pa. They had:



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- 1 Margery McDougall: b 20 Dec. 1888, m 24 June 1908 John M. McCoy, reside near Grove City, Pa. They had:
    - a James D. McCoy: b 9 June 1909, died 16 Dec. 1925.
    - b Kenneth E. McCoy: b 16 Jan. 1912.
    - c George W. McCoy: b 19 Feb. 1915.
    - d Susan L. McCoy: b 29 Oct. 1920.
  - 2 George B. McDougall: b 16 May 1893, m 22 Dec. 1915 Bessie J. Cooper, reside Mercer Co., Pa. They had:
    - a Erma Ruth McDougall: b 6 Sept. 1916.
    - b George Emmett McDougall: b 17 Nov. 1917.
    - c Benjamin Ross McDougall: b 6 Jan. 1920. .
    - d Mary Elizabeth McDougall: b 6 Dec. 1921.
    - e Twila Mae McDougall: b 20 Sept. 1927.
  - 3 Emmett P. McDougall: b 13 Mar. 1897, died 16 Mar. 1908.
- iv Anna M. McDougall: b 4 Aug. 1865, died 21 Aug. 1865.

### 12 SARAH ANN (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 28 February 1841. She married (1) 11 June 1807 Robert M. Laughlin, born 27 April 1841 in Ireland, he died 16 December 1870 in an accident in the oil fields. She married (2) and many years later Wesley M. McDougall, of Grove City, Pennsylvania. She died 15 October 1891. Children:

- i Elizabeth Martha Laughlin: b 11 May 1869 at Petroleum Center, Pa., she m 26 Nov. 1891 Rev. Thomas Frame Buchanan Smith, b 19 Sept. 1869 in Lawrence Co., Pa., reside Junction City, Kan. They had:
  - 1 Winifred Smith: b 18 June 1899 at Utica, Pa., she married 4 Aug. 1926 Harrell M. Stewart, reside DeKalb, Ill.
  - 2 Robert Philip Smith: b 21 Sept. 1907 at Brockton, Mass. He married 4 June 1931 Frances Delene Pipes, reside Lawrence, Kan.;

### 13 JOSEPH (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 29 February 1844. He enlisted 15 August 1862 for 9 months as Private F, 137th Pa. Infantry, U.S.; discharged 1 June 1863. . He married (1) 4 July 1867 Margaret Ann Hogg, born Pennsylvania 16 April 1848, a daughter of Robert Hogg, born Ireland 22 February 1817, died 25 January 1899, and Mary Jane , born Ireland 15 March 1823, died 15 September 1905 in Pennsylvania. They resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania until about 1879 then moved to Shelton, Nebraska where Margaret died 2 January 1881. He married (2) 4 October 1882 at Omaha, Nebraska,

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Annie Torrey, born Newark, New Jersey, 25 September 1863. They moved to Edison, Washington before 1898 and then moved to Samish where he died 10 October 1912. She later married (2) L. H. Edwards and resides Seattle, Washington in 1931.

Children:

i Margaret: b 1869, died infancy.

ii Caroline: b 187-, died infancy.

iii Joseph: b 187-, died infancy.

iv John Black: b 15 Jan. 1875 Butler Co., Pa., moved to Nebr. with his parents about 1879. He later migrated to Washington and then to Montana about 1898 and has been connected with the Northern Pacific railway for some 33 years. He m 26 Apr. 1904 at Helena, Mont., Rose Ella Talbott, b Ill. 1 Aug. 1876, reside Livingston, Mont. No children.

v Robert H.: b 9 Aug. 1878 Butler Co., Pa. He m Jessie reside Santa Barbara, Calif. They had:

1 Joseph: b 19-, resides Long Beach, Calif.

vi Annie: b 1 Jan. 1881 Nebr., died 25 Sept. 1882.

vii Austin T.: b 8 Jan. 1884 Nebr., 2d wife, he m Maud E. reside Seattle, Wash.

viii Maude Elaine: b ca 1886, m a Mr. Hoover, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

ix Francis Terence: b 2 Feb. 1888 near Shelton, Nebr. He m at Mt. Vernon, Wash., 25 Dec. 1917 Pearl Prather, b Macksville, Kan., 30 July 1889. Reside Mt. Vernon, Wash. They had: j

1 Francis: b 17 Dec. 1918.

2 Betty Viola: b 30 Jan. 1920.

x Hazel Fay: b 17 Sept. 1890, died 18 June 1898 at Edison, Wash.

xi Josie: b 6 May 1899, died 30 Aug. 1902. s

xii Leo W.: b 27 Sept. 1902, m Alphrodine, reside Seattle, Wash.

#### 14 JEMIMA (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Matthew 2, James 1.*) Born in 1836 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She married prior to 1860 Richard Barrows, born Pennsylvania in 1829. He served during the Civil War in the 102d Pennsylvania Infantry, U.S., 1861-65. He was active and prominent in Masonic circles, and was also an active Knight Templar, resided Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where he died 25 April 1895 and she died 1 January 1901, both buried at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Elizabeth Horner Barrows (4) : b 13 Mar. 1860.

ii Mary Barrows: b 186-, died aet. 4 or 5 years.

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iii Lulu Barrows: b 186-, a twin, died act. 4 or 5 years.

iv William Barrows: b 186-, died childhood.

v Margaret Barrows: b 1869: She m Watson Phillips, she died 24 Feb. 1911, he died 26 Mar. 1925, resided Pittsburgh, Pa. No children.

### 15 LOUISA (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 2, James 1.)* Born Venango County, Pennsylvania 3 September 1846, a twin, moved to Michigan with her mother in 1856. She was on a visit in the home of her sister, Elizabeth Johnson, at Big Rapids, Michigan when she met John Wesley Brown, born Washington, Ontario, Canada, 7 February 1845, whom she married 2 July 1880 at White Cloud, Michigan. He was a son of David Brown, born 15 August 1810 near Rochester, New York, died Grant, Michigan 4 April 1885, and Jane Fraleigh, born Camborough, Ontario, Canada, 15 February 1815, died Pulston, Michigan 9 April 1890, were married 21 March 1833, Ontario, Canada. They resided near Grant, Michigan where he engaged in farming and operated a small lumber mill; about 1923 they moved to Fremont, Michigan to live with a daughter where she died 21 June 1924, and he died 17 February 1926.

Children:

i Jane Gladys Brown: b 11 Nov. 1881, m 24 Dec. 1903 Charles Andrews, reside Fremont, Mich. They had:

1 Nadine Andrews: b 27 Feb. 1905. Graduate of State Normal School. She m 24 Dec. 1927 Ralph Soles, reside Kent City, Mich. No children.

2 Hugh Andrews: b 20 Mar. 1907. Graduate University of Michigan. He m 21 Oct. 1929 Ernestine Furgason, reside Chicago, Ill.

ii John Roscoe Brown: b 30 May 1883, m 19 June 1920 at Grant, Mich., Christine M. McKinlay, b Newaygo Co., Mich. 28 May 1888, reside Oakland, Calif. He is Sales Engineer with the Edison Corp. and has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Elizabeth Jane Brown: b 15 Feb. 1926, Oakland, Calif.

iii La Fora Eugene Brown: b 22 Mar. 1891 at Grant, Mich. He m June 1918 Katherine Murphy, reside Evanston, Ill. He is an engineer with the Public Service Co., of Northern Illinois. No children.

### 16 ALEXANDER COOK (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 2, James 1.)* Born Mercer County, Pennsylvania 22 February 1853, moved to Michigan with his mother in 1856. He married 21 August 1875 Edwardena Howard Pauling. He lost an arm in a saw mill accident he died 10 May 1905, resided near Woodville, Michigan.

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### Children:

- i Ernest: b 27 Jan. 1876, m 23 Dec. 1901 Matie Fairchild, they reside on a farm near White Cloud, Mich. They had:
  - 1 Ferris W.: b 13 Oct. 1902, m 2 July 1926 Rachel Hull, reside Muskegon, Mich. Have 2 sons.
  - 2 Helen M.: b 17 Nov. 1904, m 6 June 1926 Arnold Pogel, reside Grand Rapids, Mich. Have 3 sons.
  - 3 James O.: b 12 Mar. 1914.
  - 4 Frances M.: b 19 Dec. 1921.

ii Robert: b 187-, died childhood.

iii Alexander Cook, Jr.: b 15 June 1885. He is said to have been married twice, and to reside at Muskegon, Mich. No information as to his family has been obtainable.

## 16 ANDREW JOHNSON (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Robert 2, James 1.*) Born Kalamo, Michigan 15 April 1873. He married at Lyons, Michigan 30 November 1899 Sarah Van Antwerp, born Lyons, Michigan 19 July 1878. He died at Mineral Wells, Texas 15 August 1920, she survives him and resides Little Rock, Arkansas.

### Children:

- i Willard Day: b 1 July 1901 at Lyons, Mich., moved to Ark. with his parents prior to 1907. He served in the U.S. Navy in the World War. He m 1 Mar. 1923 at Little Rock, Ark., Juliet Boyce Rodehaver, b 5 Dec. 1903 at Havana, Ark. He is engaged in Outdoor Advertising; member of Advertising Club, Optimists Club, and Young Businessmen's Association; Life member and Past Master Western Star Lodge, A.F. & A.M.; Past High Priest, Union Chapter, Royal Arch; Past Master Occidental Council; Past Monarch Bendemeer Grotto; member A1 Amin Temple, Mystic Shrine; K.C.C.H., Arkansas Consistory; and Past Worthy Patron, Order of Eastern Star; was serving as secretary, Masonic Pension Fund, Grand Lodge of Ark. in 1931. Reside Little Rock, Ark. They had:
  - 1 Willard Day, Jr.: b 23 Apr. 1925.
  - 2 John Clayton: b 12 Sept. 1929.

ii Clayton Alford: b 17 Apr. 1907, Bentonville, Ark., m 15 Oct. 1928, Little Rock, Ark., Katheryn Gewin. He died 21 June 1929 at Little Rock, Ark.

## 17 CATHERINE (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1838. She married about 1858 Oliver Brown, born Pennsylvania in 183-. She died in 1859-60 following the birth of her only child.

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### Children:

- i Virginia Brown: b 1859-60. She married about 1880 Alfred Wick, b Pa. 185-, she was deceased in 1931. They had:
  - 1 Joseph H. Wick: b 29 Jan. 1882, m Minnie Ralston, b Pa. 1887-88, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
    - a Claire Wick: b 19-, m Elizabeth Wilson. He is a Methodist minister, had 3 sons living in 1931, said to be Gerald, Henry, and David. Residence not stated.
    - b Dorothy Wick: b 19-, m Paul Shuttleworth, reside New York, N. Y.
    - c Chester Wick: b 19-, m Dorothy Shaffer, of New York.
    - d Paul Wick: b 1915.
    - e Janet Lucile Wick: b 192-.
  - 2 Bessie Wick: b 14 Aug. 1884, m Charles Simms, reside Butler, Pa. They had
    - a Harold Simms: b May 1906, m Dorothy Young, reside Detroit, Mich. Had 3 children in 1931.
    - b Violet Simms: b Oct. 1915.
  - 3 Mamie Nick: b 14 Aug. 1884, a twin. She m (1) Clarence Hawks; a divorce and she m (2) Thomas Fend. They had:
    - a Wilmer Hawks: m Mooney.
    - b Myrhl Hawks: m Gladys Raabe, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
      - b1 Doris Hawks.
      - b2 Myrhl Eugene Hawks: b 1 June 1930.
    - c Mona Hawks: m Pete Novaskoski, had a son William.
    - d Garnet Fend: b Oct. 1916.
    - e Mamie Fend: b 1922.
    - f Thomas Fend, Jr.: b 19-.
  - 4 Blanche Wick: b 6 Sept. 188-. Has a daughter, Vallie Wick, b 1915.
  - 5 Alfred Wick: b 188-, m Maud McElwin, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
    - a Alfred Wick: b 1915.
    - b Catherine Wick: b 1917.
    - c Mary Wick: b 1923.
    - d Joseph Wick: b 1925.
  - 8 Bertha Wick: b Apr. 18-, m Edward Angert. They had:
    - a Edward Angert : b 1915.
    - b Thelma Angert : b 1920.
    - c Leola Angert : b 1922.

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7 Oliver Wick: b 13 Mar. 1899, m Margaret Gordon. He died 19 Jan. 1929. They had:

a Oliver Wick: b 1919.

b Billie Wick: b 192-. c George Wick: b 192-. d Jack Wick: b 1926.

8 Eleanor Wick: b 30 Aug. 1901. She m 25 Apr. 1923 Frank Huff, b 17 Mar. 1901, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a Frank Huff, Jr.: b 8 Feb. 1924. b William Leo Huff: b 19 July 1926. c Mary Anne Huff: b 26 Sept. 1930.

9 Gladys Wick: b 30 Aug. 1901, a twin. She m (1) Fred Johnson, a divorce, and she m (2) Walter Grimshaw. They had:

a Fred Johnson: b Nov. 1924. b Lawrence Grimshaw: b 6 Sept. 1930.

#### 18 JAMES (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1844. He enlisted 15 August 1861 as Private F, 137th Pa. Infantry, U.S.; discharged 1 June 1863. He married prior to 1865 Belle Shannon, born Pennsylvania 18-. He attended the first Reunion of the Billingsley Family in August 1924, and died before the following August, resided Parker's Landing, Pennsylvania. No data on the death of Belle.

Children:

i Frank: b ca 1865, m Susan Clover, reside Butler Co., Pa. They had:

1 James K.: b 18-, m Emma K. , resided Columbus, Ohio in 1931.

2 Harold: b 18-, said to reside in New Jersey.

3 Paul: b 18-.

#### 19 MARTHA (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania, 20 April 1849. She married 1875 Lewis Gerwick, born Pennsylvania 6 December 1852. She died 18 May 1913, he survives her and was present at the Reunion of the family August 1931, resides Emlenton, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i William Delbert Gerwick : 6 9 June 1877. He m 26 Aug. 1895 Esther Stevenson, b 17 Nov. 18-, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:

1 George Gerwick: b 13 June 1896, m Edith Milford. They had living in 1931: Howard; Gertrude; and Virginia.

2 Abigail Gerwick: b 9 June 1902, m Clair E. Levy, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had living in 1931: Glenna, Edwin Donald; Eugene; and Joanna Esther.

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- 3 Lewis Gerwick, Jr.: b 17 Oct. 1904, m Mary Smith, reside St. Petersburg, Pa. They had:
  - a Kenneth Gerwick: b 192-.
  - b Margaret Gerwick: b 4 Jan. 1929.
- 4 Robert Gerwick: b 1 Dec. 1906, m Hazel Hamilton, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:
  - a Robert Gerwick: b 192-.
  - b Betty Jean Gerwick: b 9 Aug. 1929.
- 5 Katherine Gerwick: b 8 Aug. 1908, m Erdest H. Shoup, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:
  - a Keith David Shoup: b 15 July 1929.
- 6 Kenneth Gerwick: b 8 Aug. 1908, a twin.
- 7 William Gerwick: b 7 May 1911.
- 8 Donald Gerwick: b 1 May 1915.
- 9 Clarence Gerwick: b 29 May 1917, died set. 18 months.'
- 10 Norabelle Gerwick: b 1 Nov. 1921.

ii Frank Gerwick: b 27 Nov. 1881.

iii Emma Gerwick: b 19 Oct. 1885, died 18 Nov. 1918, unmarried.

#### 20 ROBERT S. (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1851. He married in 1870's Margaret Gerwick, born Pennsylvania 185-. He was present at the first Reunion of the family in 1924 and also in 1925, was preparing a paper for the 1926 meeting on his branch of the family, and died 1 May 1926 aged 74 years and so far no one has been able to secure any trace of the paper he was preparing and very little is known of his immediate family. She died during the year of August 1928 to August 1929, resided North East, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Clarence J.: b 18-, m He was living in 1931 and resided Port Allegheny, Pa. They had:

I 1 Vivian.

2 . Norman.

ii Nellie: b 18-, died unmarried.

iii David L.: b 18-, m , living in 1931 and resided  
Slippery Rock, Pa. They had, known

1 Lloyd: b 1-.

#### 21 GEORGE ALBERT (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 3 December 1858. He married prior to 1882 Rosalia Wick, born Pennsylvania in 1865, she died March 1919, he survives her, resides Butler, Pennsylvania where he is a merchant. Is a member of the Odd Fellows and Maccabees, was President of the Billingsley Reunion Association in 1931.

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viii Fritz Emmett: b 1 Dec. 1893, m Zoe Wiegler, reside Allegheny Co., Pa. They had:

1 John: b Jan. 1915.

2 Anna Louise: b 191-, died aet. 17 months.

ix James: b 1895. Served in World War in Infantry. He m Mae reside Dravosburg, Pa.

x George: b 1897. Served in World War, 30th Division, Infantry.

xi Richard: b 189-, died aet. 15 months.

## 23 WILLIAM (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, 19 March 1856. He married prior to 1876 Emma Painter, born Pennsylvania 185-, he died 26 August 1925, she was living in 1931 and resided Elizabeth, Pennsylvania.

Children

i Robert: b ca 1876, died unmarried.

ii Bertha: b 1878, m Albert Flickner, residence not stated, nor is it known if they are living. They had:

1 Emma Flickner: b 19-, m 1929-30 Eugene Roache, of New Cumberland, W. Va.

2 Florence Flickner: b 19-, m 1929-30 Samuel Jacobs, of Wellsburg, W. Va.

iii Catherine: b 1880, m William Hazlett, they had 3 sons living in 1931, residence not stated.

iv Stella: b 1882, m Charles Davis, they had 3 children living in 1931, residence not stated.

v Walter, b 1884, m Mar. 1908 Theresa, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Robert: b Dec. 1908.

2 Harold: b 1910.

3 Thelma: b 19-, died 1919.

4 Thomas: b 19-.

5 Frances: b 19-.

6 Emma Jane: b 19-.

7 Melvin: b 19-.

8 Florence: b 19-.

9 Daughter: b 1929.

## 24 MARGARET BELLE (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 2, James 1.*) Born at Elizabeth, Pennsylvania 24 March 1862 She married about 1878 Henry Austin Snowden, born 23 February 1860 he died 20 April 1921, she survives him and resides Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.



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### Children:

i Carl Snowden: b 11 Oct. 1880, m Marjorie Davis, b Apr. 1893, residence not stated. They had:  
1 Helen Mae Snowden: b 1908.

ii Stella Snowden: b 8 Jan. 1883, she m 18 June 1907 Joseph A. Royce, b 28 Feb. 1880, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Charlotte Elizabeth Royce: b 3 June 1910, m Earl Cappell, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:  
a Dahn Earl Cappell: b 20 June 1930.

iii . Ruby Mae Snowden: b 17 Mar. 1889, died small.

iv Miriam Snowden: b 29 Nov. 1894, m Raymond McClain, b 1890, reside Point Marion, Pa. They had:  
1 Joanna McClain: b 7 June 1925.

## 25 JAMES ALEXANDER (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Pennsylvania 23 February 1849. He married 25 March 1875 Iantha Mariella Shirley, born Indiana County, Pennsylvania 5 September 1858, he died 5 May 1913, she survives him and resides Franklin, Pennsylvania. She has furnished information on this family.

### Children:

i Anna Bell: b 15 Sept. 1875, m Duane E. Sweeny, she died 20 July 1910.

ii James Franklin: b 7 Feb. 1877. He served as Pvt. E, 16<sup>th</sup> Pa. Vols. Spanish-American War. He m Ella McClelland, resided Franklin, Pa. where he died 3 Jan. 1919.

iii Blanch Elizabeth: b 4 Dec. 1878.

iv Mathias Miller: b 4 Nov. 1880, m Maude Seber, reside Dempseytown, Pa.

v Rachael Susanna: b 8 Sept. 1882.

vi Cassie: b 11 Sept. 1884, died 7 Apr. 1893.

vii Samuel Alexander: b 7 Sept. 1886, m Marcellyn Coyle, reside Buffalo, N. Y. (1931)

viii Albert Claire: b 7 Apr. 1893. Served in World War One, Sgt., Batt. E, 4th Brig. Field Arty. He m Beatrice Snyder, and died June 1926.

ix Agnes M.: b 5 June 1895, m Daniel B. Gent, reside Franklin, Pa .

## 26 ROBERT WILLIAM (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Carroll County, Ohio 9 January 1853, at the home of his grandparents Barber. Was reared in Venango County, Pennsylvania. He married 16 December 1880 at Franklin, Pennsylvania, Matilda Malissa Maloney, born Springville, Pennsylvania 12 August 1858. Reside Polk, Pennsylvania.

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### Children:

i Edith A. C.: b 12 Aug. 1882. She m Soloman Alvin Reichard, reside Greenville, Pa. They had:

1 Ralph Milton Reichard: b 3 Aug. 1904, m Evelyn Engles in Nov. 1924. They had:

a Shirley May Reichard: b 23 Dec. 1925.

2 Lawrence Presley Reichard: b 8 Dec. 1905, m 10 Aug. 1926 Mary Ellen Reash. They had: a Dorothy Ellen Reichard: b 29 Mar. 1928, died 16 June 1929.

3 Mary Viola Reichard: b 25 July 1907, m 20 May 1928 Floyd Reichard. They had: a Duard Lee Reichard: b 10 July 1929. b Helen Joan Reichard: b 24 Aug. 1930.

4 Freda Matilda Reichard: b 6 July 1909, m 16 Oct. 1929 Ralph E. Doyle.

5 Wilburt Alvin Reichard: b 11 Apr. 1911. In U.S. Navy.

6 William Oliver Reichard: b 23 Dec. 1914.

ii Isaac Lawrence: b 16 Jan. 1885, m Elizabeth Henderson, prior to 1908, reside Clarks Mills, Pa. They had:

1 Gladys Boneda: b 1 Mar. 1908. Is a bookkeeper and stenographer.

2 Louise Marian: b 16 Nov. 1917.

iii Robert Otis: b 1 Aug. 1888 Venango Co., Pa. He m 6 Aug. 1914 in Pa. Mary Echo McCormick, b 2 Jan. 1893, Bradner, Ohio, they moved to Oklahoma 1916-17. He is employed by the Prairie Pipe Line, reside Shawnee, Okla. They had:

1 Jane Olive: b 10 June 1916 Pa.

2 Mary Echo: b 15 Mar. 1919 at Keifer, Okla.

3 Robert McCormick: b 20 May 1921 at Bristow, Okla.

4 Jessie Grace: b 27 Oct. 1923 at Bristow, Okla.

## 27 JOHN DANIEL (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Venango County, Pennsylvania 8 October 1855. He married prior to 1880 Clarissa Cornelius of Venango County, Pennsylvania, she predeceased him and he died 16 December 1930. Order of children not definitely known.

### Children:

i Rolland Oriel: b 17 July 1880, m 28 Sept. 1904 Sylvia Arilla Hays, b 13 Mar. 1882 Venango Co., Pa., reside Utica, Pa. They had:

1 Milford O.: b 16 Mar. 1907.

2 Wilbert E.: b 19 May 1912.

3 Glenn L.: b 14 July 1920.

4 Ralph A.: b 10 Nov. 1924.

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ii Daisy: b 188-, m R. S. Staples, he died in 1920's of appendicitis, she survives him and resides Utica, Pa. They had:  
1 Dorothy Staples.

iii Catherine: b 18-.

iv Daughter: b 18-.

v Emory: b 189-. Served in World War in Cavalry, was over seas, he m Grace M., reside Franklin, Pa.

vi Jack A.: b 189-. Served in World War, was over seas. Is a metallurgist, m Ethel , reside Detroit, Mich.

#### 28 ELIZABETH HORNER (4) BARROWS

(*Jemima 3, Matthew 2, James 1.*) Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 13 March 1860. She married 27 May 1884 Walter J. Osborne, born Pennsylvania 24 July 1858, she died 24 July 1890, no data on his death, resided Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Richard Barrows Osborne: b 15 May 1885. He m 27 Sept. 1911 Margaret Raney Sterling, b Washington Co., Pa. 10 July 1892. He is an engineer, a Mason, and family United Presbyterians, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Margaret Sterling Osborne: b 4 July 1914, died 24 Feb 1924.

2 Elizabeth Jane Osborne: b 11 Nov. 1915.

3 Nancy Barrows Osborne: b 25 Apr. 1920.

4 Mary Ann Osborne: b 5 May 1923.

ii Alfred Slack Osborne: b 28 Sept. 1886, m 7 Oct. 1913 Ruth Ashmore Donnan, b Washington Co., Pa. 8 June 1892, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Alfred Slack Osborne: b 8 July 1914, died 11 Jan. 1917.

2 Alvan Donnan Osborne: b 14 Oct. 1915.

3 Edmund Donnan Osborne: b 27 Nov. 1918.

4 Margaret Barrows Osborne: b 1 Feb. 1922.

iii Mary Ann Osborne: b 188-, m 16 June 1910 Raymond Howard Dougherty, reside Syracuse, N. Y. They had:

1 Elizabeth Barrows Dougherty: b 19 July 1913.

#### 29 HENRY (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*George A. 3, Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in October 1882. He married about 1906 Fay Thompson, born March 1886, moved to Cranford; New Jersey where they resided in 1931. He is a Mason and a member of the Mystic Shrine, not known if he entered the Shrine thru the York Rite or. the Scottish Rite.

Children:

i Hester: b 9 July 1908.

ii Rosalea: b 3 Nov. 1910.

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iii Robert Henry: b 1912.

iv Jane: b Aug. 1915.

30 FRANK CONLEY (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Frank 3, William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 6 July 1884. He served in the World War in 118th Field Artillery. He married 19Eden's Buchanan, of Oklahoma, reside Wichita Falls, Texas.

Children:

i Boyd: b 19-.

ii Frank Conley, Jr.: b 19-.

iii George: b ca 1929.

31 WILLIAM (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Frank 3, William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 6 June 1889. He married 5 Sept. 1910 Elizabeth Henderson Hughes, born Pennsylvania 6 February 188-. He is a member of St. Johns Lodge, A.F.A.M., Knight Templar, and 32 degree Scottish Rite Mason, and Syrius Temple Mystic Shrine, and is engaged in the grocery business, reside Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. We spent a very enjoyable afternoon in his home in 1931.

Children:

i Elizabeth Hazel: b 8 Oct. 1911.

ii Margaret Jane: b 6 Sept. 1913.

iii William, Jr.: b 7 Oct. 1915.

iv Boyd: b 18 Aug. 1917, died act. 15 months.

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EDWARD BILLINGSLEY

While we have located some of his descendants we have not been able to get any of them to talk of the family history, hence the records of this family are fragmentary and based mostly on a biographical sketch of one of his sons published in 1901. (Okla. Biography, Chapman Pub. Co.)

He was a native of Bowling, York, England, and born circa 1810, was a graduate Engineer. He married (1) prior to 1844 Martha Pratt, born England 18-. A few years after his marriage they migrated to Canada but soon came to America in or about 1853 and settled at Girard, Illinois where he purchased a farm near Zanesville, Illinois. Martha died and he married (2) prior to 1865 Antonette (Avery) , born Indiana ca' 1834, a widow who had a daughter at the time of this marriage. Resided on the farm for some years but his son not having a taste for farm life and he wearying of it himself he sold out and moved to Kansas City, Missouri where he made his home for many years. He retired from business and moved to Warrensburg, Missouri where he died aged 83 years, no data on the death of Antonette.

Children:

i Mary: b 1844 England, came to Canada and U. S. with her parents, she was living in 1870 and unmarried, no further record.

ii George Edward: b 21 Oct. 1846 Bradford, England, came to Canada and the U. S. with his parents. In 1861 he was a student at Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill. and was desirous of enlisting in the U. S. service; his father sent him to Canada to school; he later graduated from Shurtleff College, and then from Bryant & Stratton Business College, Chicago, Ill. He became bookkeeper for Daggett & Moore, Dry Goods. He later conducted a flour mill at Girard, Ill. On 27 Dec. 1870 he married Elizabeth A. Magoon, b 18-, a daughter of Willard A. Magoon and Adeline Blake, natives of Canada. After his marriage he sold out the flour mill and moved to Warrensburg, Mo. and conducted a hardware store for 4 years. At the solicitation of his uncle, W. H. Stead, of Southport, England, he accepted a position as manager of the W. and W. H Stead Cotton Seed Oil Go., at Greenville, Miss., in which he became a stockholder. While in the Cotton Seed Oil business he crossed the Atlantic 12 times and managed plants at Natchez and Vicksburg, Miss., Arkansas City, and other points interests of a New York Syndicate After about 20 years he sold out and embarked in the

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banking business at Rome, Ga. After one year he went to Mammoth Spring, Ark., and managed the business of the Company that owned the Springs and most of the town, remaining there three years. In Jan. 1894 he bought an interest in the Capitol National Bank, Guthrie, Okla., and in one year became sole owner and President till his death on 14 Oct. 1899. He was a man of superior ability, high moral standing and unimpeachable integrity. His charities were quietly distributed and were known to none save the special objects of his benefactions. He was a Mason, and a Knight Templar, and at the date of his death vestryman in the Episcopal church at Guthrie. Buried at Warrensburg, Mo. His widow was living in 1915 at Guthrie, Okla. They had:

1 Charles Edward: b 8 Apr. 1872 Warrensburg, Mo. Graduate of Univ. Tenn., A.B. in 1890. Entered the bank of his father at Rome, Ga., then moved to Ark. with him. He entered the bank at Guthrie, Okla. when his father became a stockholder in 1894 and was made Cashier, and at the death of his father in 1899 he was made President. In 1901 he was listed as President; Member of Okla. and Amer. Bankers' Association; Democrat; member Guthrie Lodge No.

2, A.F.A.M.; and of the Scottish Rite, 32 degree Mason; vestryman Episcopal church. He m sometime prior to 1907 Iva Zoe and is listed in Guthrie, Okla. to 1915, not listed in 1926. They had, known:

a Marion: b 19-. Living 1915.

iii Emily: b ca 1854 Mo., step daughter, she m William Osgood, of Kansas City, Mo. They had a daughter who m William B. Henderson.

iv William A.: b 1865 Ill., moved to Kansas City, Mo. with his parents. He married Lily Givens, and reside Newport, Ark. where he is President of the 1st National Bank, said to be living in 1933. No children.

v Drusilla: b ca 1869 Kansas City, Mo. She married William Mercer Green, resided sometime at Greenville, Miss. and was residing Rayville, La. in 1923. She answered one letter in 1923, no information given and would never reply thereafter.

vi Gertrude: b 187-. Was living in 1922 Newport, Ark. and resided with her brother.

PART V  
1858  
SAMUEL BILLINGSLEY

Born Ireland in 1815, he married in Ireland prior to 1842 Ellen , born Ireland in 1815. They came to America about 1858 and settled in Carbon County, Pennsylvania where he is listed as a farmer. Ellen was deceased before September 1891. Samuel was living in January 1896 and in his affidavit re the pension of his son, John, testifies he was about 80 years of age, and that he had a son, John, and this claimant was the boy. Nothing is known of his ancestry or from what part of Ireland they came. We have been unable to contact any of his descendants.

Children: (known)

i John: b 13 Sept. 1842 Ireland, came to America with his parents about 1858. War Dept. records show he enlisted 14 Sept. 1861 as Pvt. G, 81st Pa. Inf., U. S., age given as 19 years; he was 5 feet and 7 inches in height, light complexion, gray eyes, and light auburn hair, occupation, laborer. He was discharged 19 Oct. 1862. He enlisted 13 Feb. 1864 as Pvt. Batt. C. 4th Arty., U. S. (Regular Army), age given as 21 years. Was on furlough Mar. 1864, returned to his home and married 4 Mar. 1864 Margaret Ann Gaston, b Pa. 1844. He was discharged the service 13 Feb. 1867 at Fort Myer, Va. He returned home in Carbon Co., Pa. and engaged in farming and lived with his wife to about 1874-75; he left her and his children and went West and not heard from again until Sept. 1891 when he reappeared at his father's home. After he had been gone for a number of years and she had no word from him she married (2) Alfred Gorman, who had been a soldier in the same Battery with John Billingsley at Fort Myer, Va. They did not apparently get along very well together as John Billingsley in an affidavit in 1896 states "Gorman was run out of town for abuse to his wife." After his return in 1891 there is nothing to show that they lived together again as man and wife. He made claim for pension and submitted affidavits from his father, his wife, Margaret Ann Billingsley, and his sister Elizabeth Hanlon, of California. In a statement he submitted on 25 Aug. 1913 he says he was born in Ireland 13 Sept. 1842. In a statement he made 17 Dec. 1920 from Missouri he says, "I left home in 1896 to get work and kept on going, was not divorced, Margaret Ann died while I was in Missouri and I married (2) 28 July 1896 at Milam, Mo., Mary Ellen Henry, I

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was not divorced but we separated." He was an inmate of the Soldier's Home, Washington, D. C. where he died 4 Dec. 1925. They had:

1 Mary Jane: b 1865, died May 1866.

2 James: b 1867, died 1868.

3 Annie Louise: b 7 June 1868, m George Wilke, a railroad engineer, resided Allentown, Pa. in 1920.

4 Samuel: b Dec. 1869, resided Allentown, Pa. in 1920.

5 Ellie: b 187-, resided Mauch Chunk, Pa. in 1920.

6 Margaret Jane: b 7 June 1897, 2d wife, m Everett Taylor, resided Milam, Mo. in 1920.

7 Elizabeth Marie: b 6 Mar. 1905, was with her mother at Milam, Mo. in 1920.

ii Samuel: b 1855 Ireland. Was living in 1870.

iii Margaret Elizabeth: b 1859 Carbon Co., Pa. She married prior to 1891 a Mr. Hanlon and resided in California. She was on a visit to her father Sept. 1891 and made an affidavit for her brother, says she was at her father's house when he appeared Sept. 1891, and that her mother was dead.



## PART VII

1883

### ALEXANDER BILLINGSLEY

Born in Wales 17-, migrated to Ireland where he married a Miss Armstrong, born Ireland 17- and probably resided in County Down. No data on the death of either of them. Only child of record is:

ROBERT BILLINGSLEY Born County Down, Ireland circa. 1818, he married prior to 1848 Margaret, daughter of Alexander Dalzell, born County Leitrim circa 182'x. He died in Belfast circa 1890, she survived him and died aged 88 years. Their children were:

i John: b 1846, m prior to 1885 , resided Belfast where

he died 1916. They had:

1 John: b 1885, m , resided Belfast, this is the one who answered and furnished the information of the family. They had a son, b 1910.

2 Jamey: b 188- Belfast, migrated to Pittsburgh, Pa. about 1920, was living 1931 and unmarried.

3 Minnie: b 18-, m , migrated to New Zealand in 1914, had. 2 daughters.

4 Joseph: b 189-, migrated to Aukland in 197,0.

5 Margaret: b 189-, m ----, reside Belfast.

6 Alexander: b 189-, m , reside Belfast.

ii Margaret: b 184-, m -

iii Alexander (3): b 1850.

iv William: b 185-, m He died in 1901, resided Belfast. They had:

1 William.

2 Robert. All Engineer, reside Belfast.

3 Joseph.

4 Frank.

v Elizabeth: b 185-, m.

vi James: b 1859-60, m Was a Prison Chaplain, and resided Cardiff, Wales in 1928

Some years since Albert M. Billingsley, of Winslow, Arizona, secured the name and address of one John Billingsley, Belfast, Ireland and wrote him asking for any family information he could furnish. He replied giving as much detail as he could and stated he had an uncle, Alexander, who had left home about 1830 and came to America and settled in or near Pittsburgh, Massachusetts. That his grandmother, who lived to be 86 years of age, during her last years hoped she would hear from her lost son, but died disappointed.

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In our searches many of the name of Alexander were found but none fitted in with this story, then one was located at Los Angeles, California and was written to several times without result tho finally his daughter did answer for him and he proved to be the LOST Sort. The family in Belfast were notified of the find with his address, etc.

#### 3 ALEXANDER (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Robert 2, Alexander 1.*) Born County Down, Ireland in 1850. He married in 1874 in Ireland, Isabella Green, born County Antrim, Ireland in 1850. Resided near Belfast to about 1883 then migrated to the United States and settled near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where they resided to 1909 then moved to Denver, Colorado where they resided to 1919 when they moved to Los Angeles, California. Both were living in 1932.

Children:

i William R.: b 1875 Ireland. He m Estelle Blazey, reside Sacramento, Calif. They had:

1 William: deceased.

2 Floyd: deceased.

3 Esther: b 1-, m E. Alden Donnenwirth, reside Sacramento, Calif.

ii Elizabeth: b 1876 Ireland, m Harry Ellis, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

iii John: b 1879 Ireland. He m Elsie Witter, reside Denver, Colo. They had: -

1 Lenore: b 1-, m Arthur Simpson, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

a Ralph Simpson.

2 John.

3 Genevieve.

4 Venettia.

iv Mary: b 1883, m Fred Fryer, she died 1919.

v Isabelle: b 1885, m Sidney Luck, she died 1926. They had:

1 Marion Luck: b 1-, m Charles Hayes. They had:

a Robert Hayes.

b Genevieve Hayes.

vi Thomas James: b 1887, m Marie Finley, reside Denver, Colo.

vii Margaret Anna: b 1890, m John J. O'Connor, reside Los Angeles, Calif. She furnished the information on her father's family.

## PART VIII

1890

### JAMES RICHARD (3) BILLINGSLEY

Mr. Andrew A. Billingsley, of Fort Worth, Tex., now deceased, informed us about 1923 that he had been working on the family tree for many years. That he had a copy of a pedigree of his father's cousin, Frederick Billingsley, of Quebec, Canada had made in London, but that from this pedigree he was unable to definitely link his earliest known ancestor. He stated Frederick Billingsley, deceased some years prior to 1923, had told him about 50 years ago the legend of the family which was as follows:

"Three brothers came from County Salop, England to America sometime prior to the Revolution and settled in Massachusetts, during the War one of them was a Loyalist and refused to live in the country and moved to Quebec, Canada where he was granted a large tract of land in Bonaventure County." Mr. Billingsley stated he had never been able to verify this legend except as to the grant of land in Canada, nor had he since found any one who could substantiate it.

His statement of not verifying the legend agrees with our failure to find any mention of the name of Billingsley in the New England record of that date. Mr. Billingsley further stated he had the following record but did not know if it pertained to his family or not:

Richard Billingsley, born 17-, married, dated his will in 1768, resided at Bridgenorth, County Salop, England.

They had:

i John.

ii Thomas.

iii Richard.

iv Elizabeth.

v Sarah.

The earliest definite record he had was:

### CAPTAIN RICHARD (1) BILLINGSLEY

Born circa 176- England, came to Canada and had a grant of land in New Carlisle, Quebec and established his home. He married (1) Elizabeth Pierson, (2) , resided New Carlisle, Quebec. No data on their deaths.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Richard (2) : b ca 179-.

ii Benjamin: b 179-, m, resided Canada. They had:

1 John: b 1-, m, they had, known

a Daughter: b 1-, m a Billingsley, in Canada. They had:

a1 Frederick: b 1-, was living 1932 Quebec, Can.

a2 Edward: b 1-.

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a3 Henry A.: b 1-, m Olive A. , he died at El Paso, Tex. ca 1927, was a minister, she was living 1932. They had: Wilson, b 1908; John Malcolm, b 1911; Henry Kenneth, b 1914; Clifford Thompson, b 1916.  
2 Frederic Charles Bernard Thomas: b 1-, m , he was deceased some years prior to 1923, left children, and resided Quebec, Canada. This is the party who had the chart made in London, which was left at his death to the nephew, Frederick, named above.

### 2 RICHARD (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*Richard 1.*) Born New Carlisle, Quebec, Canada circa 179-, he married Mary Caldwell, born Canada 17-, they lived and died at New Carlisle, Quebec on the homestead founded by the first Billingsley. They had, order not known:

Children:

i Andrew: b 18-, said to have moved to Philadelphia, Pa., warned and left two children.

ii Benjamin: b 1&-.

iii James Richard (3) : b 7 Aug. 1825.

iv Dugold: b 18-.

v John: b 18-.

vi Ronald: b 18-.

vii Norman: b 18-.

viii Isabelle: b 18-.

ix Elizabeth: b 18-.

x Mary: b 18-.

### 3 JAMES RICHARD (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Richard 2, Richard 1.*) Born New Carlisle, Quebec, Canada, 7 August 1825. He married in Bonaventure County, Quebec, Canada, Mary McNair, born Black Cape, Quebec, 1 January 1830, a daughter of Robert McNair and Miss Johnson, resided Port Hope, Ontario, Canada to about 1890 then moved to Port Huron, Michigan, after a few years they moved to Texas where he died 21 May 1899 at Alvin, Texas, she survived him and died at Chicago, Illinois 2 March 1906.

Children:

i Andrew Archibald: b 3 Sept. 1854 Port Hope, Ont. He m at Toronto, Canada prior to 1880 Olivia Jane Kirby, b Canada 23 Mar. 1858, moved to United States prior to 1892 and resided at Springfield, Ill. in that year. They moved to Fort Worth, Tex. where they resided many years, he served as Secretary-Manager Retail Merchants Association for many years, she died 11 Oct. 1926, and he died 26 May 1930. They had:

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1 Peri Alice Mary: b 1880, died 1882.

2 Arthur Percival Wylie: b 1883, m Pauline Long, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:  
a Jack Arthur: b 19-.

3 Charlotte. Clara: b 1887, m Robert McDonald. They had:  
a Charlotte McDonald.

4 Archibald Stuart: b 1892 at Springfield, Ill., m 1926 at El Paso, Tex. Helen W. Murdock, b El Paso, Tex. 1899, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

a David Stuart: b June 1929, Chicago, Ill.

b Helen Louise: b 1932.

5 Edith Olivia: b 189-, Ellery George Graves. They had:  
a George Meredith Graves.  
b Wallace Graves.

ii Mary Jane: b 19 Oct. 1856, m Thomas W. Smith, she died 21 Oct. 1919 at Chicago, Ill.

iii Martha Elizabeth: b 30 Apr. 1858, m Thomas Tennant, she died 1 June 1929 at Irons, Mich.

iv Arthur Richard: b 14 Nov. 1860 Port Hope, Ontario, Canada, he m at Houston, Tex. 19 Dec. 1900 Kate Willeen Groce, b Tex. 14 July 1880, see No. 43, Part I, he died at Houston, Tex. 29 Dec. 1902. They had:

1 Bruce Calder: b 5 Oct. 1901. Is a lawyer, resided Galveston, Tex. 1932.

v James Ernest: b 19 May 1863 Port Hope, Ontario, he married at Janetville, Ontario, 20 Sept. 1893, Elizabeth Anderson, b Janetville, Ont. 1 Jan. 1867, reside Barrie, Ontario. He has been connected with railroad work since 1879, while he has visited the United States had never resided here. He has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Susan May: b 28 July 1894 Lindsay, Ont., m Fred W. Sarjeant, reside Barrie, Ont.

2 Amy Winnifred: b 25 Apr. 1896, died Kirkfield, Ont. 23 Nov. 1902.

3 Frederick Ernest: b 22 Nov. 1902 Kirkfield, Ont., resides Toronto, Can.

4 Andrew Donald Graham: b 13 June 1911 Barrie, Ont., resides Kingston, Ont.

vi Clara: b 18 Sept. 1865 in Alfred J. Irwin, reside Galveston, Texas. Have 2 children.

vii Evelyn Maud: b 1869, died 1870.

viii Mabel Langlor: b 14 July 1873, m Thomas W. Tizzard, reside Downers Grove, Ill.

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v William A. Harvey: b 12 July 1826. He m (1) prior to 1857 Vina Erckenbrook; (2) in 1872 Maude B. Hamilton; was living in 1908 at Diagonal, Iowa. They had:

1 Frank S. Harvey: b 1857 Ill., m prior to 1878 Jennie b Iowa 1860, resided Shelden, Iowa in 1908. Had two children living in 1880: Luella and Carrie.

2 Ella Jane Harvey: b 1859-60. Called Jennie, m Marsh, resided New York in 1908.

3 Ray E. Harvey: b 1862, resided Shelden, Ia. in 1908.

vi Mary E. Harvey: b 1831 Ill. She m (1) Capt. Phillips; (2) in 1862 O. M. McTween. She had some children and was living in 1908 at Mackinaw, Ill.

vii Martha Jane Harvey: b 6 Nov. 1833 Ill. She married 3 July 1857 James Morris Burrell, b 30 Jan. 1826-28 in Albany Co., N. Y. They removed to Polk Co., Mo., where he died in 1918 and she died 16 Nov. 1920. They had:

1 Charles C. Burrell: b 1858.

2 Nettie Vienna Burrell: b 10 Jan. 1861. She m 7 Nov. 1881 Alfred Washington Mitchell, b Beverly, N. J. 10 Mar. 1856. He died 5 Sept. 1911, she survives him

and resides Humansville, Mo. They had

a Meta Pearl Mitchell: b 188- Mo., m 5 June 1907 Cleveland Alexander Newton, a lawyer. Reside St. Louis, Mo. They had:

al John Alfred Newton: b 17 Oct. 1912.

b James W. Mitchell: b 188-, died infancy.

c Ethel Burrell Mitchell: b 18-, m James R. Vaughn.

d Estelle Elizabeth Mitchell: b 18-.

e Harriet Lucille Mitchell: b 18-, m Edward Bloodgood Stringham, reside Poughkeepsie, N. Y. They had:

el Katherine Varrick Stringham.

e2 Edward Barnes Stringham.

3 Wesley H. Burrell: b 1863.

viii John D. Harvey: b 1837, resided Anadarko, Okla. in 1919.

ix Drucilla Harvey: b 1839, m (1) ante 1859 Brachin; (2) Phillips; she was living in 1919 Monette, Mo.

v Harriet A. Harvey: b 1842. She married Edmund Hibbard, in 1919 some place in Wyoming. They had:

1 James Bradford Hibbard: b 1862 Ill.

2 Charles E. Hibbard: b 1863-64.

3 Ross R. Hibbard: b 1867 (Census record shows this name as Ross. It may be intended for Rosa who m Burch and named in will of Wesley B. Harvey in 1908.)

4 Robert L. Hibbard: b 1871 Kan.

## PART II

### THOMAS BILLINGSLEY circa 1830

Born Ireland in 1804, migrated to America circa 1830 and settled in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania where he married prior to 1834 Matilda George, born Pennsylvania in 1806, daughter of Eliza George, born Ireland 1780, living in 1850 in the home of her daughter Matilda. Resided Wilkins township where he is listed as a farmer in 1850. They evidently removed from this County before 1860. No trace of this family has been discovered after 1850.

Children: (known)

i Margaret: b 1834.

ii Matthew: b 1840.

iii Anna: b 1842.

iv David: b 1846.

PART III  
1837  
JAMES BILLINGSLEY

Born Donegal, Ireland in 1775. It is not known from what branch of the family he descends. From family records he appears to have been a jobber in textiles. He bought wool which was distributed among the peasant women who spun and wove it into cloth which he sold to the merchants or markets. He married (1) prior to 1800 Elizabeth Black, born Ireland 177-, she died 1810-12 and he married (2) prior to 1816 Elizabeth Fleming, born Ireland in 1786. They became interested in reports from the eldest son, John, in America, sold out and set sail for the New World arriving in Philadelphia in March 1837 after a six weeks' voyage. They moved to near Pittsburgh and from there they moved to Mercer County where they bought land and built a log house and barn. They spent the rest of their days on this farm, this farm is owned at present by John S. Billingsley, a grandson. Some of the original structures are still in use. (1931) James Billingsley is said to have been about five feet and four inches in height, fair complexion, blue eyes, and light hair. He died 8 February 1865, Elizabeth survived him and died 24 February 1872. There is extant some linen woven by her, and the spinning wheel she brought with her to America is in possession of her granddaughter, Mary J. Billingsley.

Children:

i John (2) : b 1800.

ii Matthew (2) : b 1802.

iii Eliza: b 180- Ireland. She m John Andrews and lived and died in Philadelphia, Pa. Only child of record is:  
1 Mary Andrews: b 18-, m a Mr. Patton.

iv Robert (2): b 1810.

v Joseph (2) : b 1810. Twins.

vi James F.: b 1816 Donegal, Ireland came to America with his parents in 1837. He enlisted 12 Oct. 1861 as Pvt. K, 4th Pa. Cav., U.S., at Franklin, Pa.; Corp. 10 Dec. 1861, and discharged 31 Dec. 1863 ; reenlisted 1 Jan. 1864 at Bristol, Va., Veteran; Sgt. 1 Mar. 1864. He was 5 feet and 5 inches in height, grey eyes, and auburn hair. After the war he settled in Venango Co., Pa., purchased a house and spent the rest of his days. He is said to have become an expert knitter in his latter days. He died in 1894, never married.

vii Jane: b 1818 Ireland. She m prior to 1840 Matthew Black, b 18-, she died about 1889 and he died a few years later, resided Mercer Co., Pa. Both buried at Harrisville, Pa. They had

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1 Susan Black: b 184-, m William Buchanan. They moved to Tenn. and resided Dickson, where they both died. They had:

- a Virginia Buchanan: b 18-, m Charles Ray.
- b Henry Buchanan: b 18-. Living 1931.
- c Margaret Buchanan: b 18-.
- d Daughter: b 18-, died aet. 1 year. `

2 James Black: b 1842-43. He enlisted in Pa. troops, U.S. in Civil War and died aet. 19 years, of fever.

3 Joseph Black: b 1845, m Aurelia Curry. He died 4 July. 1915, residence not stated. They had

a Florence Black: b 18-, m William McKnight, reside Pocatello, Idaho. No children. b Homer Black: b 8 Jan. 1886, m 29 July 1915 Jennie Cummings, b 3 May 1893, reside near Grove City, Pa. No children. c Herbert Black: b 1889, m Florence Coxson, reside Grove City, Pa. They had:'

- cl Virginia CoYSON Black: b 8 Mar. 1909.
- c2 Dorothea Black: b 8 Mar. 1913, m 26 Jan. 1931, George Smith.
- c3 Martha Jane Black: b 9 Mar. 1915.
- c4 Fred K. Black: b 25 July 1922.
- c5 Alice Black: b 9 June 1924.
- d Ada Black: b 189-. Is a Nurse, resides Philadelphia, Pa.
- e Violet Black: b 189-, m George Butler, reside Idaho. They had;
  - e1 Ruth Adelaide Butler: b 19 Mar. 1923.
  - e2 John Black Butler: b 23 Apr. 1924, died 28 Feb. 1931.
  - e3 Mary Butler: b 23 Jan. 1926.
  - e4 Betty Katheryn Butler: b 11 Mar. 1927.
  - e5 Peter Joseph Butler: b 192-.
  - e6 Margaret Esther Butler: b 10 Aug. 1930.

4 Elizabeth Black: b 1847, died 1917, unmarried.

5 Henry Black: b 1849, m Ann Hosack, of Mercer Co., Pa. He died 1915, resided Mercer, Pa. They had

- a Jennie Black: b 18-, died aet. 20 years.
- b Eva Black: b 18-, m Henry. Zimmerman, reside Mercer, Pa. No children.
- c Salina Black: b 18-. Is a Nurse, Philadelphia, Pa.
- d Frank Black: b 18-, died aet. 20-21 years.
- e Child: b 18-, died infancy.

6 Margaret Black: b 1852, died aet. 60 years, unmarried.

7 Sarah Jane Black: b 1854, died aet. 14 years.



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- 8 Samuel Black: b 1856, m Anna McDonald. He died ca 1921, she survives him, resides Mercer Co., Pa. They had:  
a Irene Black: b 18-, m W. Herbert Gregg, reside Grove City, Pa. No children.  
b Mary Black: b 18-.  
c Donald Black: b 18-, m Ruth Pierce, have 2 children.  
d Olive Black: b 18-, died aet. 2 years.

viii Sarah: b 1820, m 1852 Alexander Black, she died 1853.

- ix Catherine: b 1822. She m John McMurry, of Harrisville, Pa. He was a farmer, she died about 1898. They had:  
1 Mary Ann McMurry: b 184-, died small. I  
2 Elizabeth McMurry: b 184-, died aet. 2 years.  
3 James McMurry: b 1849, m Mary Byers, she died about 1917, and he died 20 Aug. 1926 aet. 27 years. They had:  
a Margaret McMurry: b 18-, m Joseph Dugan, a farmer and school teacher, reside near Harrisville, Pa.  
They had:  
al Francis Dugan, m Dorothy Fielding.  
a2 Waldo Dugan.  
b Lewis McMurry: b 18-, died aet. 19 years.  
c Charles McMurry: b ca 1890, died in camp 1917 during World War.  
4 Robert D. McMurry: b ca 1853, m Emma Black, he was living 1931, resided Butler, Pa. They had:  
a Dessa McMurry: b 18-.  
b John F. McMurry: b 18-, m Carolyn Reinheimer, he died 1920, automobile accident. They had:  
b1 Helen McMurry: b ca 1914.  
c Fannie McMurry: b 18-, m Karl Kennedy. They had: Robert, Richard, and a daughter b ca 1928.  
d Samuel McMurry: b 18-, m Dorothy Heimer, of Butler, Pa. They had:  
d1 Delphina McMurry.  
d2 Betty Lee McMurray.  
d3 Robert McMurry.  
d4 Dorothy Jane McMurry.  
e Ralph McMurry: b 18-.  
f Arthur McMurry: b 18-, m Gertrude Toomey.  
g Grace McMurry: b 18-, died infancy.  
5 Jane McMurry: b 185-, m Tiffney McFadden, of Wesley, Pa., she was deceased in 1931. No children.  
6 Sara McMurry: b 18 June 1859. She m 18 Sept. 1881 at Butler, Pa., Parker Hovis, b 3 Mar. 1859, Venago Co.,

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Pa. He died 8 Apr. 1921 from injury by machinery of oil well. He was a 32 degree Mason, she survives him and resides Youngstown, Ohio, is a member of the Eastern Star. They had:

a Charles Parker Hovis: b 17 Jan. 1886, m 1911 at Butler, Pa. Wilda Starr, b Pa. Feb. 188-. He is a Mason, reside Youngstown, Ohio. They had:

al Sarah Hovis: b 12 June 1912.

a2 James Hovis: b 15 Feb. 1914. '

a3 Grace Hovis : b Oct. 1915.

7 Anna McMurry: b 1850, m Henry Fish, she died ca 1915, and he died 1924-25, resided Youngstown, Ohio. They had:

a J. Carl Fish, m Lucy Rowe. They had:

a1 Virginia Marie Fish: b 1915.

8 Samuel McMurry: b 186-, died aet. 4 years.

x William (2) : b 10 Oct. 1824.

xi Alexander Sterrett (2) : b 29 June 1826.

xii David (2) : b 1829.

xiii Daughter: b 183-, died infancy.

## 2 JOHN (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1800. He married 30 May 1823 Elizabeth Black, born Ireland in 1802. It is stated that this marriage was an elopement and that they immediately set sail for America and landed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where they resided for about two years and then moved to Mercer County, Pennsylvania where they resided to about 1831 then moved to Butler County where he engaged in farming. Elizabeth died 22 May 1860, he survived her a few years and died about 1866.

Children

i Mary (3) : b 14 Feb. 1824.

ii James (3) : b 8 Feb. 1826.

iii Catherine: b 4 Nov. 1828 Mercer Co., Pa. She m (1) 9 Mar. 1854, William Kerr, he died and she m (2) Charles Bovard. She died 6 Dec. 1893 in Venango Co., Pa. No children by 2d marriage. They had:

1 Elizabeth Kerr: b 185-, m

2 Margaret Kerr: b 185-, m W. H. Bovard, she died before 1924. He was living in 1930, Venango Co., Pa. They had:

a Edna Bovard.

b Anna Bovard.

iv Eve Jane: b 27 July 1830 Mercer Co., Pa. She m 5 June 1851 Joseph Tinker, they moved. to Malcolm, Iowa. No subsequent record.

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v Elizabeth (3) : b 7 Nov. 1831.

vi William B.: b 29 Aug. 1833, m 3 Nov. 1853, he died 18 Sept. 1854 at Pittsburgh, Pa.

vii John: b 2 June 1836, m 6 Jan. 1859 Sidney Gill, he died 15 Dec. 1865.

viii Margaret: b 10 Oct. 1838, died 26 Feb. 1842.

ix Sarah Ann (3) : b 28 Feb. 1841.

x Joseph (3) : b 29 Feb. 1844.

### 3 MATTHEW (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1802. He migrated to America about 1830 arrived in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and then proceeded to Butler County, Pennsylvania and after a short sojourn with his brother, John, he moved to Allegheny County where he married prior to 1834 Elizabeth, born Pennsylvania in 180-. They resided in the North Ward of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in 1840 and he died before 1850. According to a statement of the youngest child in her affidavit in the pension claim of her brother, George, they resided in Pittsburgh where Elizabeth died during the Civil War, exact date not known; the name does not appear in city directories of the date, neither is this family shown in this County in the census of 1850 or 1860.

Children:

i George Elias: b 22 Sept. 1834, Pittsburgh, Pa. He left home when about 18 or 19 years old and migrated to Illinois. He was a blacksmith. He enlisted 24 June 1861 as Pvt. E, 17th Ill. Inf., U.S., at Alton, Ill., age given as 24 years; June 1862 in hospital at Keokuk, Iowa; Apr. 1863 in hospital; discharged 24 June 1864. He states he resided in Mercer Co., Ill., moved to Adams Co., Iowa in 1865; was in LaSalle Co., Ill. in 1880; O'Neil City, S. Dak. In 1882; Holt Co., Nebr. 188-; Fort Scott, Kan. in 1887; Sacramento, Calif. 189-. He m prior to 1865 Aurilla b Ohio 1838, she was living in 1880 and was deceased before 1910. He made claim for pension 'and owing to difference in his age stated at enlistment and that on his claim he was requested to produce evidence. He presented an affidavit of his sister, Elizabeth Leonard, of Pittsburgh, Pa., dated 21 Feb. 1910 who states: "He left home in 1853, he is 7 or 8 years older than I am and is a blacksmith." Her age is given as 68 years. Also an affidavit of Anna E. Bilderback, his daughter, dated 13 Jan. 1910, who gives his date of birth as 22 Sept. 1834 from the Family Bible in her possession. He names as nearest relative, Ruth Billingsley, his daughter. In a letter dated 14 May 1910 he states he lived with his widowed mother and sisters, Jemima and Anna E., in Pittsburgh, and that

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he dropped the Elias from his name, etc. His claim was granted. He was an inmate of the Soldier's Home, Leavenworth, Kan. where he died 2 June 1912. They had, known:

1 Anna E.: b 1866 Iowa, m Bilderback and resided Adams Co., Iowa in 1910.

2 Ruth: b 18-. Was living in 1910 Leavenworth, Kan. j

ii Jemima (4) : b 1836.

iii Anna Elizabeth: b 1842 Pa. She married John Leonard, of Pittsburgh, Pa. He served in 102 Pa. Inf., U. S. 1861-65, in same company with Richard Barrows. She died 1915 and he died 1922, resided Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Stella Leonard: b 18-, died childhood.

2 Preston Leonard: b 18-, died childhood.

3 Gertrude Leonard: b 18-, died infancy.

4 Harry Leonard: b 18-, m Bird Conkel, he died ca 1911. resided Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

a Florence Leonard: b 1-, m James Armstrong; reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

al James Armstrong, Jr.

5 Walter Leonard: b 18-, m Florence, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. No children.

#### 4 ROBERT (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1810, a twin. The family tradition has it that about 1828-29 his brother, John Billingsley of Butler County, Pennsylvania wrote his brother, Matthew, urging him to come over to America. Matthew did not care to come and Robert asked to be allowed to make the trip. His father at first objected but finally consented, gave him money and some Irish linens to peddle when he arrived, and placed him in the care of a friend who was coming over on the same ship. This friend managed to secure all of the linen and money leaving Robert stranded in New York City. He by some means managed to make his way to his brother, John, where he remained about two years. He then went to work on the railroads "East of the mountains" under a contractor named Robert Appleton. In 1834 he purchased a farm in Venango County, Pennsylvania and erected a log house. Here he met and married prior to 1838 Jane Gilliland, born Pennsylvania 1816, resided there for some years then moved to Mercer County. About 1855 Robert went to Michigan. In 1856 Jane and her children, in charge of the oldest son, Josiah, then 18 years of age, started to move to Branch County, Michigan. Josiah kept a diary from which the following facts are taken: On 14 April 1856 left New Vernon, Pa.; the first stop was at Greenville, Pa., from there to Kinsman, Ohio, then to Cleveland, Ohio; from the 16th to 20th waiting for a boat to Detroit; while the family were waiting for a boat the representatives of a newly constructed railroad came and urged them to travel by train to Detroit, Jane would hear of no such

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nonsense-'and would not risk the lives of her children on the newfangled "Steam cars." They arrived at Coldwater, Michigan, 27 April 1856, travelled a total of 383 miles at a cost of 8157.98. There appears to have been a separation about December 1858 and Jane took her daughter, Mary, and returned to Pennsylvania. She moved again to Michigan in the 1860's and resided in Eaton County where she is said to have died 30 July 1870 at Kalamo. Robert married (2) in 1859 Harriet, b New York in 1836, believed to be a daughter of Leonard Adams, and a young widow, name not known, who had a son at the time of this marriage, resided Branch County, Michigan in 1860. It is not known where he was living in 1870, he is not listed in any of the Counties he is supposed to have lived. Date of the death of Harriet is not known, tho she was either deceased or divorced prior to 1865-66 as Robert married (3) prior to 1867 Rebecca Callahan, born Ohio circa 1850. He was living in Charlotte, Michigan in 1880 and listed as a laborer. He is stated to have visited his daughter, Louisa Brown, about 1893 and presented a book to his grandson which said grandson still has. He died in 1896 and is buried at Charlotte, Rebecca survived him and died 13 May 1898 and is buried at Charlotte, Michigan.

Children: (1st wife)

i Josiah: b 7 May 1838 Pa. After moving to Mich. in 1856 he studied law and was admitted to the bar. In his diary he lists books in his possession and among them are: "Military History of the United States, History of the American Revolution, History of the Conquest of Mexico and California, Chronicles of the English, Spanish, and French, and others including Tom Jones and Clark's English Grammar, etc." On 12 Aug. 1861 he enlisted at Coldwater, Mich., made Corp. B 44th Ill. Inf., Barrett's North West Rifle Regt., U.S.; Oct. 1861 sick in hospital at Warsaw, Mo.; Dec. 1861 sick in hospital at St. Louis, Mo.; Oct. 1862 reduced to Pvt., absent sick since 1 Sept. 1862; Apr. 1863 absent sick since Feb. 1862 and on the roll of Apr. 1863 he is dropped as a deserter. In this jacket is his Medical Record which shows he was discharged 3 Feb. 1862 by Surgeon's Certificate of Disability for reason of tuberculosis (Illinois records). In the Michigan records we find: he reenlisted 1 June 1862 at Coldwater, Mich., as Pvt. H, 17th Mich. Inf., U.S. and made Sgt.; reduced to. ranks 8 Jan.. 1863 and again made Sgt. 23 Feb. 1863; furlough 15 days 17 Aug. 1863; 2d Lieut. 31 Aug. 1863 and assigned to Co. I; he was killed by shell 20 Nov. 1863 at Knoxville, Tenn., and buried in National Cemetery there. He kept his diary to the last making an entry a few minutes before he was killed. He married Mary Anderson just before entering service. No children.

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ii Catherine: b 7 May 1839, m ca 1857 at Coldwater, Mich., Dudley Locke, she died 22 Feb. 1883. They had:  
1 Jay Locke: b 19 Aug. 1858, m 19 Aug. 1897 Matie Ruprecht. He was a cigar maker and died 25 May 1909.  
2 Joseph Locke: b 19 Nov. 1865, m (1) 10 July 1895 Margaret Lockerby, (2) 16 Mar. 1905, resided near Coldwater, Mich. in 1932. They had:  
a Earl Dudley Locke: b 11 July 1896, d 24 Aug. 1900.  
b Kate Locke: b 189-.

iii Joseph: b 1842 Pa., moved to Mich. with his mother in 1856. He is stated to have been a hard working lad who took adversity without a murmur. He enlisted 28 May 1861 Pvt. Batt. A, 1st Mich. Light Arty., U.S.; appears present to 19 Sept. 1863; a roll Oct. 1863 shows-Missing. In a letter he wrote home dated 29 Feb. (undoubtedly 1864) from Danville, Va. he states "we have made several unsuccessful attempts to escape, now think we are 'cooped' for the war." He was transferred soon after this date to Andersonville and a roll dated 28 July 1865 shows he died 29 Aug. 1864 at Andersonville, Ga.

iv Margaret : b 1 Aug. 1844 Pa. She m (1) James Bennett of Coldwater, Mich. He died and she m (2) 1 July 1898 George Truitt, of Tacoma, Wash., he died in 1902, she was living in 1932, Tacoma, Wash. They had:  
1 Eva Bennett: b 18-, m John Davis in Mich. They moved to Washington on account of his health. He was deceased prior to 1927, she was living at Long Beach, Calif. No children mentioned. It was this move that eventually brought the entire family to Washington.  
2 Elizabeth Leone Bennett: b 18- Mich. She m a Mr. Cross who was a painting contractor and decorator, both living in 1932, Tacoma, Wash. No children.

v Elizabeth: b 3 Sept. 1846 Pa. She m during the administration of Andrew Johnson, Henry Johnson, who was given the nickname of "Andy" which stuck to him the rest of his days. He operated an hotel at Big Rapids, Mich. and died about 1870. Elizabeth never remarried, travelled a considerable portion of her life, living in Denver, Colo., Seattle, Wash., and San Francisco, Calif., and was there in 1906 during the earthquake. She died at the home of her sister, Louisa Brown, in May 1925. No children.

vi Louisa (3) : b 3 Sept. 1846, A twin.

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vii Robert: b 1848 Pa. Moved to Mich. in 1856. He m (1) after 1870 Ellen Bates, she died sine prole and he In (2) resided on a farm near Middleville, Mich. He died 19 Mar. 1896 at Irving, Mich. They had:  
1 Freda: b 18-. Was a school teacher at Highland Park, Mich. in 1927, she m ca 1928, and died 6 Sept. 1931.  
2 Ferna: b 18-, m, and resides on a farm near her former home, had 3 children living in 1927.

viii Alexander (3) : b 22 Feb. 1853 Pa.

ix Mary Jane: b 28 Sept. 1854, m 1874 Edward Hawkins, he was deceased before 1927, she died at the home of her son, Paul, 15 Dec. 1930 at Indianapolis, Ind. They had:  
1 Don Hawkins.  
2 Guy Hawkins.  
3 Wirt Hawkins.  
4 Paul Hawkins.

x James Johnson: b 3 May 1859 in Pa. He was engaged in teaching to about 1922 when he retired. Visited his relations in Calif. and was present at one of the early reunions at Grove City, Pa. Spent winter of 1926 at Long Beach, Calif.; was in Calif. in 1932, resides Primghar, Iowa. Has never married. Children: (2d wife)

xi Oliver: b 1857, stepson, surname unknown, he adopted the name of Billingsley, m prior to June 1880 Loe, b Ohio in 1845, resided Eaton Co., Mich. in 1880.

xii Harvey: b June 1860.

xiii Others of whom no record. Children: (3d wife)

xiv Sarah Lura: b 28 May 1867 at Olivet, Mich.

xv Olive: b 24 Jan. 1869 at Kalamo, Mich., died 29 Sept. 1881. xvi Birdie: b 7 July 1871 at Kalamo, Mich. Sarah or Birdie married Frank Poorman, and reside Battle Creek, Mich. They had  
1 Frank Poorman, Jr.  
2 Beatrice Poorman.

xvii Andrew Johnson (3) : b 15 Apr. 1873.

#### JOSEPH (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I*) Born Donegal; Ireland in 1810, a twin: Came to America with his parents in 1837 and married prior to 1838 Catherine Stevenson, born Ireland in 1815. He was a farmer and they resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania. Both were living in 1860, no data on their deaths  
Children:  
i (3): b 1838.

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ii Mary Jane: b 1841, m. Harvey Hogg, b 183-. They had:

1 Emma Hogg: b 186-, m Robert Bovard. They had:

a Iris Bovard: b 1895, died Aug. 1926.

b Bernice Bovard: b 189-.

iii James (3) : b 1844.

iv Sarah Ann: b 20 Dec. 1847. She m 3 May 1870 Thomas C. Rhodes, b Pa. 184-, she died 31 Oct. 1900 and he died 22 Apr. 1928, resided in Butler Co., Pa. They had:

1 Jennie May Rhodes: b 22 Apr. 1871, m 1 Nov. 1894 Clarence Fox, b 29 June 1873, reside Branchton, Pa. No children.

2 Harry W. Rhodes: b 11 June 1874, m 1895 Nora Fox, reside Keister, Pa. They had:

a Wilda Rhodes.

b Howard Rhodes.

c Thomas Clarence Rhodes.

3 Mabel Rhodes: b 15 Aug. 1882, m 20 Nov. 1901 Burton W. McMurry, b 26 Jan. 1880, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a Ruth McMurry: b 28 Sept. 1902, m Vernon Turner, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a1 Thomas Turner.

a2 Carl Turner.

a3 Ann May Turner: died 1925. '

a4 Richard Turner.

a5 Geraldine Turner: b 17 Jan: 1929.

b Carl McMurry: b 11 July 1904, m Helen Snyder. They had:

b1 Ronald McMurry.

b2 Edward McMurry: b 30 Nov. 1928.

b3 Marylin McMurry: b 7 May 1930.

c Lloyd McMurry: b 12 Feb. 1906.

d Merle McCurry: b 3 Apr. 1908.

v Martha (3) : b 20 Apr. 1849.

vi Robert S. (3) : b 1851.

vii David: b 1855, died in 1870's, unmarried.

viii George Albert (3) : b 3 Dec. 1858.

## 8 WILLIAM (2) BILLINGSLEY

(James 1.) Born Donegal, Ireland 10 October 1824, came to America with his parents in 1837, he married prior to 1848 Margaret Bell Hazlett, b Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 30 July 1826. He was a farmer and resided at Elizabeth, Pennsylvania where he died 16 May 1903, she died 9 December 1903.



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### Children:

i Sarah: b 15 May 1848. She m prior to 1867 at Elizabeth, Pa., William Mitchell, 'b 18.4-, she died 9 Jan. 1908, he survived her and died Jan. 1929. They had:

1 Etta Mitchell: b 27 Feb. 1867, she m J. William Peterson. They had a Mary Margaret Peterson: b 189-, m Richard Guy. They had:

a1 Richard Guy, Jr.

b Sarah Peterson: b 189-. Resides Hollywood, Calif.

c William Peterson: b 19-, m Helma Horne.

d Jack Peterson: b 1-.

e Helen Peterson: b 1-.

2 Lyde Mitchell: b 2 Oct. 1870, m Dr. Faucet. They had:

a .Jane Faucet: b 9 Jan. 1909.

3 Mamye Mitchell: b 187-, m William Darkley, she died Feb. 1929, resided Fayetteville, Pa.

4 Edith Mitchell: b 1877, m Dr. John Boyd. They had:

a Mitchell Boyd: b Aug. 1907.

b Calvin Boyd: b 19-.

ii James: b 17 Oct. 1850, died 28 Dec. 1850.

iii Nancy Jane: b 15 Feb. 1852, m 1871 at Monongahela, Pa. George Washington Hayden, b Elizabeth; Pa. 1845. He died 1922 and she died 1925, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

1 Charles Alvin Hayden: b 1872, m Irene Carson, reside Monongahela, Pa. They had:

a Margaret Hayden: b 19-, m Enoch Colvin, reside Monongahela, Pa. They had:

al Margaret Ann Colvin: b 10 July 1928.

b Laura Maud Hayden: b 19-.

c Sarah Hayden: b 19-.

2 Laura Belle Hayden: b 1874.

3 Frank George Hayden: b 187-, m Lillian Weigle, b 5 Oct. 1881, reside Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

a George W. Hayden.

b Frank G. Hayden.

c Lillian Jean Hayden.

d Gail Hayden.

4 Maud Hayden: b 1882.

5 Jean Margaret Hayden : b ` 1886, died 1916.

iv Frank (3) : b 24 Apr. 1854.

v William (3) : b 19 Mar. 1856.

vi Ruth Ann: b 24 Apr. 1858, m (1) James Stevenson; (2) William Megmire, she died 10 Apr. 1921, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

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- 1 Roy Stevenson: b 18-, m Mary Fields. They had:
  - a William, Rachel, Hulda, Helen, James, and George W.
- 2 Margaret Stevenson: b 18-, m Henry McCreary. They had: Hazel, Stella, and Ruth.
- 3 William Stevenson: b 18-.
- 4 George Megmire: b 1--, was unmarried in 1927.

vii George Roberts: b 27 Mar. 1860 Pa. There appears to have been an early marriage of which no details have been obtainable. He moved to Memphis, Tenn. where he married Lydia Armsby. He is President of Bannon Coal & . Ice Co., reside Memphis, Tenn. No children. viii James Albert: b 27 Mar. 1860, a twin. Moved to Memphis, Tenn. and m prior to 1888 Mary F. Bannon, b Tenn. 1872. He was connected with his brother in the Coal and Ice business. He died 17 June 1912. This family said to be Roman Catholics. They had:

- 1 Pearl: b 3 Dec. 1888, m Fred Peebles, b 1887 Ga.
- 2 Frank W.: b. 6 Dec. 1890, resides Memphis, Tenn.
- 3 George A.: b 16 Oct. 1892, m Bernice Zannone, b Memphis, Tenn. 29 Apr. 1906. They had:
  - a Patricia: b 12 Jan. 1928.
- 4 Charles L.: b 20 Mar. 1898, m Ruth Armour, b Tenn. 9 Aug. 1902.

ix Margaret Belle (3) : b 24 May 1862.

x Ella Blanche: b 26 Feb. 1865, m 28 Mar. 1881 John Van Fossen, b Pa. 27 Feb. 1860, she died 25 Dec. 1901 and he died Sept. 1930, resided Elizabeth, Pa. They had:

- 1 Carrie VanFossen: b 31 Jan. 1882, m Oct. 1903 James Bradford Golloway, b 9 Oct. 1882 in Pa., reside Orlando, Fla. They had
  - a James G. Golloway: b 31 July 1907, died 18 July 1909.
  - b Robert Abbie Golloway: b 29 Apr. 1911, Allenport, Pa:
  - c John William Golloway: b 20 July 1924, Youngstown, Ohio.

xi Ids Laura: b 2 May 1867, m Charles Cornish, she died 2 Dec. 1905 sine prole.

#### 7 ALEXANDER STERRETT (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James I.*) Born Danegal, Ireland 29 June 1826, .came to America with his parents in 1837. He married 22 September 1846 in Pennsylvania, Catherine Barber, born Columbiana County, Ohio, 10 February 1818, resided a year or so in Ohio then settled in Venango County, Pennsylvania. He enlisted 14 September 1864 at Meadville, Pa. for one year, as Private F, 199 Pa. Infantry, U.8.; discharged 28 June 1865, was five feet

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and five inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair, occupation, farmer. Resided the rest of their days in Venango County, Pennsylvania where she died 2 April 1891 and he died 13 April 1898.

Children:

i Agnes Maria: b 9 Sept. 1847. She m Adam Kunkel, he is deceased, she resides Franklin, Pa. Said to be 3 or children; known are:

1 Samuel Kunkel: b 18-, m, resides Franklin, Pa.

2 Irene Kunkel: b 18-, m

ii James Alexander (3) : b 23 Feb. 1849.

iii Elizabeth Jane: b 5 Apr. 1851, m 22 Sept. 1882 Preston S. Ohler, b 18-, she died 19 Nov. 1919, he survived her and died in the summer of 1930 at Franklin, Pa. They had:

1 Alexander Sterrett Ohler: b 188-, m Blanche Mina Ghost. They had

a Harry S. Ohler: b 19-, m Zilda Marie Morrison.

b Lewis Ohler: b 19-.

2 Theodore B. Ohler: b 188-, m Lena Shannon. They had:

a Frank A. Ohler: b 19-, m Grace Ray, reside Utica, Pa.

b Mildred Ohler, b 19-, m Ronald Kennedy, reside Utica, Pa.

iv Robert William (3) : b 9 Jan. 1853.

v John Daniel (3) : b 8 Oct. 1855.

vi Samuel Marion: b 18 Aug. 1857, died 11 June 1880.

vii Theodore Fleeting: b 3 Aug. 1860, m Amy Reynolds, reside Los Angeles, Calif. They had:

1 Gladys: b 18-.

#### 8 DAVID (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*James 1.*) Born Donegal, Ireland in 1829, came to America with his parents in 1837. He married 14 October 1860 Eliza Jane Dugan, born Butler County, Pennsylvania 14 March 1836. He succeeded to his father's farm and they spent the remainder of their days in this home. This farm is owned today by his children and it is at this home the Reunion of this Billingsley Family is held annually in August since 1924. David is said to have been about five feet and four inches in height, blue eyes, and light hair. He died in 1871, she survived him many years and died in 1920. This family Presbyterians.

Children:

i William Dugan: b 20 July 1861, m 7 Mar. 1905 Jane Mellon Cooke, he died 20 Mar. 1926, she survives him and resides Grove City, Pa. They had:

1 Viola Jane: b 27 Jan. 1906, m James Humphrey, reside Grove City, Pa. They had:

a William Claire Humphrey: b 192-.

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b Harold Humphrey: b 193-.  
2 Leora Mary: b 27 Sept. 1908.

ii Mary Jane: b 5 Feb. 1863. She has furnished much information on this family. We visited her home in 1931 and attended the Reunion, met many of the tribe and gathered considerable information.

iii James Alexander: b 14 Dec. 1865, resides Grove City, Pa., unmarried.

iv John Scott: b Dec. 1867, resides on the old homestead with his sister, Mary and is unmarried.

v Charlotte: b 1869, died 1888.

9 MARY (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John R, James I.*) Born Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 14 February 1824, moved to Butler County, Pennsylvania with her parents where she married 16 January 1845 James Thompson, born Pennsylvania 182-, resided Butler County, Pennsylvania, no data as to their deaths.

Children:

i George W. Thompson: b 1846. He was living 1930 and resided Keister, Pa.

ii William Thompson: b 1848.

iii Elizabeth Thompson: b 1850, m Harper Hughes, she was living 1931 and resided Greenville, Pa. They had, known:

1 Daughter: b 18-.

2 Gladys Hughes: b 18-, m a Mr. Freeburg, and had a daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

iv Anne Thompson: b 1852, m James McDougall, moved to New York.

v Joseph Thompson: b 1854, died unmarried.

vi Marion Thompson: b 1856, m . They had:

1 Daughter: b 18-, m W. H. Waiters, reside Harrisville, Pa. They had:

a Richard Paul Waiters.

b Glenn Edward Waiters.

c William Earl Waiters.

d Robert Waiters.

2 Daughter: b 18-, m W. A. Sproul, resided Grove City, Pa. in 1931 and had a daughter, Helen.

3 Plummer Thompson: b 18-, m. They had:

a Agnes Thompson.

b Jessie Thompson.

c Clifford Thompson.

4 Daughter: b 18-, m a Mr. Klink.

5 Daughter: b 18-, m a Mr. Gould. They had:

a Helen Gould.

b Olive Gould.

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- c Katheryn Gould. Resided Branchton, Pa. 1931.
- d Pearl Gould.
- vii Mary Jane Thompson: b 1858. She married in 1877 Bertram Lytle Hockenberry, b Pa. in 1852. He died in 1910 and she died in 1920, resided Allegheny Co., Pa. They had
  - 1 John Harvey Hockenberry: b 1878, m Jessie Grossman, reside Harrisville, Pa. They had:
    - a Bertram Hockenberry.
    - b Hazel Hockenberry.
    - c Ruth Hockenberry.
  - 2 James Alfred Hockenberry: b 1880, m Minnie McDougall, he died Feb. 1928. They had:
    - a Dorothy Hockenberry: b ca 1906. E
  - 3 Curtis Edward Hockenberry: b 19 Sept. 1882, m 24 Nov. 1904 Pearl Hesselgesser, b 1885, reside Allison Park, Pa. They had:
    - a Everett Dale Hockenberry: b Nov. 1905.
    - b Mildred Hockenberry: b Mar. 1907.
    - c Bertram Lytle Hockenberry: b Mar. 1909. `
    - d Frances Hockenberry: b Mar. 1911.
  - 4 Dora Hockenberry: b 1884, m Paul Renick, reside West Sunbury, Pa. They had
    - a Bertram Renick.
    - b Horace Renick.
    - c Clara Renick.
    - d Sarah Renick.
    - e Homer Renick.
    - f Raymond Renick.
    - g Arthur Renick.
  - 5 Sherman Hockenberry: b 1887, m Nellie Black, reside near Harrisville, Pa. They had:
    - a Howard Hockenberry: b 1908.
    - b James Hockenberry: b 19-.
    - c Bernice Hockenberry: b 19-.
    - d Freda Hockenberry: b 1915.
  - 6 Cleora Hockenberry: b 1889, m Merle Meals, reside Butler Co., Pa. They had:
    - a Leota Jane Meals: b ca 1917.
    - b George Meals: b ca 1920.

10 JAMES (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*John 2, James 1.*) Born Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 8 February 1826, moved to Butler County, Pennsylvania with his parents. He married 29 May 1851 Ann Thompson, born Pennsylvania in 182-. He was a farmer, resided in Venango County, *Pennsylvania*, both were living in 1880.

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### Children

i J.: b 1853, m Mary McCandless, he died in 1925 and she died 1928-29, resided Pa. They had:

1 Jay: b 18-.

2 Laurel: b 18-.

ii John: b 1855, died unmarried.

iii Sarah: b 1858, m Amos Smith, resided Butler Co., Pa., said to have had several children.

iv Albert Oliver: b 1860, died unmarried.

v Mary: b 1863, m a Mr. Hutchinson, she was deceased in 1931. No children.

vi Jane: b 1867, m Johnson Stoops, resided West Sunbury, Pa. in 1931. They had

1 Bernice Stoops: b 18-, m.

2 Paul Billingsley Stoops: b 18-.

3 Johnson Stoops: b 18-.

vii Margaret: b 1869, died small.

viii Ida: b 187-, m Charles Kelly, reside Slippery Rock, Pa. They had:

1 Arthur Kelly.

2 Mildred Kelly.

3 Bessie Kelly.

4 Edward Kelly.

ix Emma: b 187-, m a Mr. Kramer, she died in the 1920's. They had two daughters who were school teachers in 1931.

## 11 ELIZABETH (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Mercer County, Pennsylvania, 7 November 1831. She married 6 March 1856 George McDougall, born 19 May 1825 in Pennsylvania, his second wife. He was a son of Charles McDougall, born Cornhill, Scotland in 1793 who came to America and married Mary Dover, born 17 February 180- and was the father of ten children. George McDougall married (1) 28 October 1851 Nancy A. Galloway who died 13 April 1855, no mention of any children, and he married (2) as stated above. They resided on a farm in Mercer County, Pennsylvania where he died 21 August 1894 and she died 10 April 1895.

Children: (2d wife)

i John B. McDougall: b 29 Oct. 1856, died 13 Oct. 1857.

ii Nancy J. McDougall: b 22 Oct. 1858, m 10 Jan. 1884 John F. Patterson, .reside near Mercer, Pa. They had:

1 Mabel Patterson: b 24 Mar. 1886, m F. A. Moats, b 24 Mar. 1886, reside Meadville, Pa. They had:

a Mabel Elizabeth Moats: b 4 Aug. 1911. !

iii Thomas James McDougall: b 4 Nov. 1860, m 24 June 1884 Susan Barnes, b 6 Sept. 1860, reside Mercer Co., Pa. They had:

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- 1 Margery McDougall: b 20 Dec. 1888, m 24 June 1908 John M. McCoy, reside near Grove City, Pa. They had:
    - a James D. McCoy: b 9 June 1909, died 16 Dec. 1925.
    - b Kenneth E. McCoy: b 16 Jan. 1912.
    - c George W. McCoy: b 19 Feb. 1915.
    - d Susan L. McCoy: b 29 Oct. 1920.
  - 2 George B. McDougall: b 16 May 1893, m 22 Dec. 1915 Bessie J. Cooper, reside Mercer Co., Pa. They had:
    - a Erma Ruth McDougall: b 6 Sept. 1916.
    - b George Emmett McDougall: b 17 Nov. 1917.
    - c Benjamin Ross McDougall: b 6 Jan. 1920. .
    - d Mary Elizabeth McDougall: b 6 Dec. 1921.
    - e Twila Mae McDougall: b 20 Sept. 1927.
  - 3 Emmett P. McDougall: b 13 Mar. 1897, died 16 Mar. 1908.
- iv Anna M. McDougall: b 4 Aug. 1865, died 21 Aug. 1865.

### 12 SARAH ANN (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 28 February 1841. She married (1) 11 June 1807 Robert M. Laughlin, born 27 April 1841 in Ireland, he died 16 December 1870 in an accident in the oil fields. She married (2) and many years later Wesley M. McDougall, of Grove City, Pennsylvania. She died 15 October 1891. Children:

- i Elizabeth Martha Laughlin: b 11 May 1869 at Petroleum Center, Pa., she m 26 Nov. 1891 Rev. Thomas Frame Buchanan Smith, b 19 Sept. 1869 in Lawrence Co., Pa., reside Junction City, Kan. They had:
  - 1 Winifred Smith: b 18 June 1899 at Utica, Pa., she married 4 Aug. 1926 Harrell M. Stewart, reside DeKalb, Ill.
  - 2 Robert Philip Smith: b 21 Sept. 1907 at Brockton, Mass. He married 4 June 1931 Frances Delene Pipes, reside Lawrence, Kan.;

### 13 JOSEPH (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(John 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 29 February 1844. He enlisted 15 August 1862 for 9 months as Private F, 137th Pa. Infantry, U.S.; discharged 1 June 1863. . He married (1) 4 July 1867 Margaret Ann Hogg, born Pennsylvania 16 April 1848, a daughter of Robert Hogg, born Ireland 22 February 1817, died 25 January 1899, and Mary Jane , born Ireland 15 March 1823, died 15 September 1905 in Pennsylvania. They resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania until about 1879 then moved to Shelton, Nebraska where Margaret died 2 January 1881. He married (2) 4 October 1882 at Omaha, Nebraska,

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Annie Torrey, born Newark, New Jersey, 25 September 1863. They moved to Edison, Washington before 1898 and then moved to Samish where he died 10 October 1912. She later married (2) L. H. Edwards and resides Seattle, Washington in 1931.

Children:

i Margaret: b 1869, died infancy.

ii Caroline: b 187-, died infancy.

iii Joseph: b 187-, died infancy.

iv John Black: b 15 Jan. 1875 Butler Co., Pa., moved to Nebr. with his parents about 1879. He later migrated to Washington and then to Montana about 1898 and has been connected with the Northern Pacific railway for some 33 years. He m 26 Apr. 1904 at Helena, Mont., Rose Ella Talbott, b Ill. 1 Aug. 1876, reside Livingston, Mont. No children.

v Robert H.: b 9 Aug. 1878 Butler Co., Pa. He m Jessie reside Santa Barbara, Calif. They had:

1 Joseph: b 19-, resides Long Beach, Calif.

vi Annie: b 1 Jan. 1881 Nebr., died 25 Sept. 1882.

vii Austin T.: b 8 Jan. 1884 Nebr., 2d wife, he m Maud E. reside Seattle, Wash.

viii Maude Elaine: b ca 1886, m a Mr. Hoover, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

ix Francis Terence: b 2 Feb. 1888 near Shelton, Nebr. He m at Mt. Vernon, Wash., 25 Dec. 1917 Pearl Prather, b Macksville, Kan., 30 July 1889. Reside Mt. Vernon, Wash. They had: j

1 Francis: b 17 Dec. 1918.

2 Betty Viola: b 30 Jan. 1920.

x Hazel Fay: b 17 Sept. 1890, died 18 June 1898 at Edison, Wash.

xi Josie: b 6 May 1899, died 30 Aug. 1902. s

xii Leo W.: b 27 Sept. 1902, m Alphrodine, reside Seattle, Wash.

#### 14 JEMIMA (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Matthew 2, James 1.*) Born in 1836 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She married prior to 1860 Richard Barrows, born Pennsylvania in 1829. He served during the Civil War in the 102d Pennsylvania Infantry, U.S., 1861-65. He was active and prominent in Masonic circles, and was also an active Knight Templar, resided Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where he died 25 April 1895 and she died 1 January 1901, both buried at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Elizabeth Horner Barrows (4) : b 13 Mar. 1860.

ii Mary Barrows: b 186-, died aet. 4 or 5 years.



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iii Lulu Barrows: b 186-, a twin, died act. 4 or 5 years.

iv William Barrows: b 186-, died childhood.

v Margaret Barrows: b 1869: She m Watson Phillips, she died 24 Feb. 1911, he died 26 Mar. 1925, resided Pittsburgh, Pa. No children.

15 LOUISA (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 2, James 1.)* Born Venango County, Pennsylvania 3 September 1846, a twin, moved to Michigan with her mother in 1856. She was on a visit in the home of her sister, Elizabeth Johnson, at Big Rapids, Michigan when she met John Wesley Brown, born Washington, Ontario, Canada, 7 February 1845, whom she married 2 July 1880 at White Cloud, Michigan. He was a son of David Brown, born 15 August 1810 near Rochester, New York, died Grant, Michigan 4 April 1885, and Jane Fraleigh, born Camborough, Ontario, Canada, 15 February 1815, died Pulston, Michigan 9 April 1890, were married 21 March 1833, Ontario, Canada. They resided near Grant, Michigan where he engaged in farming and operated a small lumber mill; about 1923 they moved to Fremont, Michigan to live with a daughter where she died 21 June 1924, and he died 17 February 1926.

Children:

i Jane Gladys Brown: b 11 Nov. 1881, m 24 Dec. 1903 Charles Andrews, reside Fremont, Mich. They had:

1 Nadine Andrews: b 27 Feb. 1905. Graduate of State Normal School. She m 24 Dec. 1927 Ralph Soles, reside Kent City, Mich. No children.

2 Hugh Andrews: b 20 Mar. 1907. Graduate University of Michigan. He m 21 Oct. 1929 Ernestine Furgason, reside Chicago, Ill.

ii John Roscoe Brown: b 30 May 1883, m 19 June 1920 at Grant, Mich., Christine M. McKinlay, b Newaygo Co., Mich. 28 May 1888, reside Oakland, Calif. He is Sales Engineer with the Edison Corp. and has furnished information on this family. They had:

1 Elizabeth Jane Brown: b 15 Feb. 1926, Oakland, Calif.

iii La Fora Eugene Brown: b 22 Mar. 1891 at Grant, Mich. He m June 1918 Katherine Murphy, reside Evanston, Ill. He is an engineer with the Public Service Co., of Northern Illinois. No children.

16 ALEXANDER COOK (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Robert 2, James 1.)* Born Mercer County, Pennsylvania 22 February 1853, moved to Michigan with his mother in 1856. He married 21 August 1875 Edwardena Howard Pauling. He lost an arm in a saw mill accident he died 10 May 1905, resided near Woodville, Michigan.

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### Children:

i Ernest: b 27 Jan. 1876, m 23 Dec. 1901 Matie Fairchild, they reside on a farm near White Cloud, Mich. They had:  
1 Ferris W.: b 13 Oct. 1902, m 2 July 1926 Rachel Hull, reside Muskegon, Mich. Have 2 sons.  
2 Helen M.: b 17 Nov. 1904, m 6 June 1926 Arnold Pogel, reside Grand Rapids, Mich. Have 3 sons.  
3 James O.: b 12 Mar. 1914.  
4 Frances M.: b 19 Dec. 1921.

ii Robert: b 187-, died childhood.

iii Alexander Cook, Jr.: b 15 June 1885. He is said to have been married twice, and to reside at Muskegon, Mich. No information as to his family has been obtainable.

## 16 ANDREW JOHNSON (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Robert 2, James 1.*) Born Kalamo, Michigan 15 April 1873. He married at Lyons, Michigan 30 November 1899 Sarah Van Antwerp, born Lyons, Michigan 19 July 1878. He died at Mineral Wells, Texas 15 August 1920, she survives him and resides Little Rock, Arkansas.

### Children:

i Willard Day: b 1 July 1901 at Lyons, Mich., moved to Ark. with his parents prior to 1907. He served in the U.S. Navy in the World War. He m 1 Mar. 1923 at Little Rock, Ark., Juliet Boyce Rodehaver, b 5 Dec. 1903 at Havana, Ark. He is engaged in Outdoor Advertising; member of Advertising Club, Optimists Club, and Young Businessmen's Association; Life member and Past Master Western Star Lodge, A.F. & A.M.; Past High Priest, Union Chapter, Royal Arch; Past Master Occidental Council; Past Monarch Bendemeer Grotto; member A1 Amin Temple, Mystic Shrine; K.C.C.H., Arkansas Consistory; and Past Worthy Patron, Order of Eastern Star; was serving as secretary, Masonic Pension Fund, Grand Lodge of Ark. in 1931. Reside Little Rock, Ark. They had:  
1 Willard Day, Jr.: b 23 Apr. 1925.  
2 John Clayton: b 12 Sept. 1929.

ii Clayton Alford: b 17 Apr. 1907, Bentonville, Ark., m 15 Oct. 1928, Little Rock, Ark., Katheryn Gewin. He died 21 June 1929 at Little Rock, Ark.

## 17 CATHERINE (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1838. She married about 1858 Oliver Brown, born Pennsylvania in 183-. She died in 1859-60 following the birth of her only child.

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### Children:

- i Virginia Brown: b 1859-60. She married about 1880 Alfred Wick, b Pa. 185-, she was deceased in 1931. They had:
  - 1 Joseph H. Wick: b 29 Jan. 1882, m Minnie Ralston, b Pa. 1887-88, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
    - a Claire Wick: b 19-, m Elizabeth Wilson. He is a Methodist minister, had 3 sons living in 1931, said to be Gerald, Henry, and David. Residence not stated.
    - b Dorothy Wick: b 19-, m Paul Shuttleworth, reside New York, N. Y.
    - c Chester Wick: b 19-, m Dorothy Shaffer, of New York.
    - d Paul Wick: b 1915.
    - e Janet Lucile Wick: b 192-.
  - 2 Bessie Wick: b 14 Aug. 1884, m Charles Simms, reside Butler, Pa. They had
    - a Harold Simms: b May 1906, m Dorothy Young, reside Detroit, Mich. Had 3 children in 1931.
    - b Violet Simms: b Oct. 1915.
  - 3 Mamie Nick: b 14 Aug. 1884, a twin. She m (1) Clarence Hawks; a divorce and she m (2) Thomas Fend. They had:
    - a Wilmer Hawks: m Mooney.
    - b Myrhl Hawks: m Gladys Raabe, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
      - b1 Doris Hawks.
      - b2 Myrhl Eugene Hawks: b 1 June 1930.
    - c Mona Hawks: m Pete Novaskoski, had a son William.
    - d Garnet Fend: b Oct. 1916.
    - e Mamie Fend: b 1922.
    - f Thomas Fend, Jr.: b 19-.
  - 4 Blanche Wick: b 6 Sept. 188-. Has a daughter, Vallie Wick, b 1915.
  - 5 Alfred Wick: b 188-, m Maud McElwin, reside Butler, Pa. They had:
    - a Alfred Wick: b 1915.
    - b Catherine Wick: b 1917.
    - c Mary Wick: b 1923.
    - d Joseph Wick: b 1925.
  - 8 Bertha Wick: b Apr. 18-, m Edward Angert. They had:
    - a Edward Angert : b 1915.
    - b Thelma Angert : b 1920.
    - c Leola Angert : b 1922.

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7 Oliver Wick: b 13 Mar. 1899, m Margaret Gordon. He died 19 Jan. 1929. They had:

a Oliver Wick: b 1919.

b Billie Wick: b 192-. c George Wick: b 192-. d Jack Wick: b 1926.

8 Eleanor Wick: b 30 Aug. 1901. She m 25 Apr. 1923 Frank Huff, b 17 Mar. 1901, reside Butler, Pa. They had:

a Frank Huff, Jr.: b 8 Feb. 1924. b William Leo Huff: b 19 July 1926. c Mary Anne Huff: b 26 Sept. 1930.

9 Gladys Wick: b 30 Aug. 1901, a twin. She m (1) Fred Johnson, a divorce, and she m (2) Walter Grimshaw. They had:

a Fred Johnson: b Nov. 1924. b Lawrence Grimshaw: b 6 Sept. 1930.

#### 18 JAMES (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1844. He enlisted 15 August 1861 as Private F, 137th Pa. Infantry, U.S.; discharged 1 June 1863. He married prior to 1865 Belle Shannon, born Pennsylvania 18-. He attended the first Reunion of the Billingsley Family in August 1924, and died before the following August, resided Parker's Landing, Pennsylvania. No data on the death of Belle.

Children:

i Frank: b ca 1865, m Susan Clover, reside Butler Co., Pa. They had:

1 James K.: b 18-, m Emma K. , resided Columbus, Ohio in 1931.

2 Harold: b 18-, said to reside in New Jersey.

3 Paul: b 18-.

#### 19 MARTHA (3) BILLINGSLEY

*(Joseph 2, James 1.)* Born Butler County, Pennsylvania, 20 April 1849. She married 1875 Lewis Gerwick, born Pennsylvania 6 December 1852. She died 18 May 1913, he survives her and was present at the Reunion of the family August 1931, resides Emlenton, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i William Delbert Gerwick : 6 9 June 1877. He m 26 Aug. 1895 Esther Stevenson, b 17 Nov. 18-, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:

1 George Gerwick: b 13 June 1896, m Edith Milford. They had living in 1931: Howard; Gertrude; and Virginia.

2 Abigail Gerwick: b 9 June 1902, m Clair E. Levy, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had living in 1931: Glenna, Edwin Donald; Eugene; and Joanna Esther.

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- 3 Lewis Gerwick, Jr.: b 17 Oct. 1904, m Mary Smith, reside St. Petersburg, Pa. They had:
  - a Kenneth Gerwick: b 192-.
  - b Margaret Gerwick: b 4 Jan. 1929.
- 4 Robert Gerwick: b 1 Dec. 1906, m Hazel Hamilton, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:
  - a Robert Gerwick: b 192-.
  - b Betty Jean Gerwick: b 9 Aug. 1929.
- 5 Katherine Gerwick: b 8 Aug. 1908, m Erdest H. Shoup, reside Emlenton, Pa. They had:
  - a Keith David Shoup: b 15 July 1929.
- 6 Kenneth Gerwick: b 8 Aug. 1908, a twin.
- 7 William Gerwick: b 7 May 1911.
- 8 Donald Gerwick: b 1 May 1915.
- 9 Clarence Gerwick: b 29 May 1917, died set. 18 months.'
- 10 Norabelle Gerwick: b 1 Nov. 1921.

ii Frank Gerwick: b 27 Nov. 1881.

iii Emma Gerwick: b 19 Oct. 1885, died 18 Nov. 1918, unmarried.

#### 20 ROBERT S. (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in 1851. He married in 1870's Margaret Gerwick, born Pennsylvania 185-. He was present at the first Reunion of the family in 1924 and also in 1925, was preparing a paper for the 1926 meeting on his branch of the family, and died 1 May 1926 aged 74 years and so far no one has been able to secure any trace of the paper he was preparing and very little is known of his immediate family. She died during the year of August 1928 to August 1929, resided North East, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Clarence J.: b 18-, m He was living in 1931 and resided Port Allegheny, Pa. They had:

I 1 Vivian.

2 . Norman.

ii Nellie: b 18-, died unmarried.

iii David L.: b 18-, m , living in 1931 and resided  
Slippery Rock, Pa. They had, known

1 Lloyd: b 1-.

#### 21 GEORGE ALBERT (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania 3 December 1858. He married prior to 1882 Rosalia Wick, born Pennsylvania in 1865, she died March 1919, he survives her, resides Butler, Pennsylvania where he is a merchant. Is a member of the Odd Fellows and Maccabees, was President of the Billingsley Reunion Association in 1931.

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viii Fritz Emmett: b 1 Dec. 1893, m Zoe Wiegler, reside Allegheny Co., Pa. They had:

1 John: b Jan. 1915.

2 Anna Louise: b 191-, died aet. 17 months.

ix James: b 1895. Served in World War in Infantry. He m Mae reside Dravosburg, Pa.

x George: b 1897. Served in World War, 30th Division, Infantry.

xi Richard: b 189-, died aet. 15 months.

#### 23 WILLIAM (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, 19 March 1856. He married prior to 1876 Emma Painter, born Pennsylvania 185-, he died 26 August 1925, she was living in 1931 and resided Elizabeth, Pennsylvania.

Children

i Robert: b ca 1876, died unmarried.

ii Bertha: b 1878, m Albert Flickner, residence not stated, nor is it known if they are living. They had:

1 Emma Flickner: b 19-, m 1929-30 Eugene Roache, of New Cumberland, W. Va.

2 Florence Flickner: b 19-, m 1929-30 Samuel Jacobs, of Wellsburg, W. Va.

iii Catherine: b 1880, m William Hazlett, they had 3 sons living in 1931, residence not stated.

iv Stella: b 1882, m Charles Davis, they had 3 children living in 1931, residence not stated.

v Walter, b 1884, m Mar. 1908 Theresa, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Robert: b Dec. 1908.

2 Harold: b 1910.

3 Thelma: b 19-, died 1919.

4 Thomas: b 19-.

5 Frances: b 19-.

6 Emma Jane: b 19-.

7 Melvin: b 19-.

8 Florence: b 19-.

9 Daughter: b 1929.

#### 24 MARGARET BELLE (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*William 2, James 1.*) Born at Elizabeth, Pennsylvania 24 March 1862 She married about 1878 Henry Austin Snowden, born 23 February 1860 he died 20 April 1921, she survives him and resides Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

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### Children:

i Carl Snowden: b 11 Oct. 1880, m Marjorie Davis, b Apr. 1893, residence not stated. They had:  
1 Helen Mae Snowden: b 1908.

ii Stella Snowden: b 8 Jan. 1883, she m 18 June 1907 Joseph A. Royce, b 28 Feb. 1880, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Charlotte Elizabeth Royce: b 3 June 1910, m Earl Cappell, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:  
a Dahn Earl Cappell: b 20 June 1930.

iii . Ruby Mae Snowden: b 17 Mar. 1889, died small.

iv Miriam Snowden: b 29 Nov. 1894, m Raymond McClain, b 1890, reside Point Marion, Pa. They had:  
1 Joanna McClain: b 7 June 1925.

## 25 JAMES ALEXANDER (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Pennsylvania 23 February 1849. He married 25 March 1875 Iantha Mariella Shirley, born Indiana County, Pennsylvania 5 September 1858, he died 5 May 1913, she survives him and resides Franklin, Pennsylvania. She has furnished information on this family.

### Children:

i Anna Bell: b 15 Sept. 1875, m Duane E. Sweeny, she died 20 July 1910.

ii James Franklin: b 7 Feb. 1877. He served as Pvt. E, 16<sup>th</sup> Pa. Vols. Spanish-American War. He m Ella McClelland, resided Franklin, Pa. where he died 3 Jan. 1919.

iii Blanch Elizabeth: b 4 Dec. 1878.

iv Mathias Miller: b 4 Nov. 1880, m Maude Seber, reside Dempseytown, Pa.

v Rachael Susanna: b 8 Sept. 1882.

vi Cassie: b 11 Sept. 1884, died 7 Apr. 1893.

vii Samuel Alexander: b 7 Sept. 1886, m Marcellyn Coyle, reside Buffalo, N. Y. (1931)

viii Albert Claire: b 7 Apr. 1893. Served in World War One, Sgt., Batt. E, 4th Brig. Field Arty. He m Beatrice Snyder, and died June 1926.

ix Agnes M.: b 5 June 1895, m Daniel B. Gent, reside Franklin, Pa .

## 26 ROBERT WILLIAM (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Carroll County, Ohio 9 January 1853, at the home of his grandparents Barber. Was reared in Venango County, Pennsylvania. He married 16 December 1880 at Franklin, Pennsylvania, Matilda Malissa Maloney, born Springville, Pennsylvania 12 August 1858. Reside Polk, Pennsylvania.

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### Children:

i Edith A. C.: b 12 Aug. 1882. She m Soloman Alvin Reichard, reside Greenville, Pa. They had:

1 Ralph Milton Reichard: b 3 Aug. 1904, m Evelyn Engles in Nov. 1924. They had:

a Shirley May Reichard: b 23 Dec. 1925.

2 Lawrence Presley Reichard: b 8 Dec. 1905, m 10 Aug. 1926 Mary Ellen Reash. They had: a Dorothy Ellen Reichard: b 29 Mar. 1928, died 16 June 1929.

3 Mary Viola Reichard: b 25 July 1907, m 20 May 1928 Floyd Reichard. They had: a Duard Lee Reichard: b 10 July 1929. b Helen Joan Reichard: b 24 Aug. 1930.

4 Freda Matilda Reichard: b 6 July 1909, m 16 Oct. 1929 Ralph E. Doyle.

5 Wilburt Alvin Reichard: b 11 Apr. 1911. In U.S. Navy.

6 William Oliver Reichard: b 23 Dec. 1914.

ii Isaac Lawrence: b 16 Jan. 1885, m Elizabeth Henderson, prior to 1908, reside Clarks Mills, Pa. They had:

1 Gladys Boneda: b 1 Mar. 1908. Is a bookkeeper and stenographer.

2 Louise Marian: b 16 Nov. 1917.

iii Robert Otis: b 1 Aug. 1888 Venango Co., Pa. He m 6 Aug. 1914 in Pa. Mary Echo McCormick, b 2 Jan. 1893, Bradner, Ohio, they moved to Oklahoma 1916-17. He is employed by the Prairie Pipe Line, reside Shawnee, Okla. They had:

1 Jane Olive: b 10 June 1916 Pa.

2 Mary Echo: b 15 Mar. 1919 at Keifer, Okla.

3 Robert McCormick: b 20 May 1921 at Bristow, Okla.

4 Jessie Grace: b 27 Oct. 1923 at Bristow, Okla.

## 27 JOHN DANIEL (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Alexander S. 2, James I.*) Born Venango County, Pennsylvania 8 October 1855. He married prior to 1880 Clarissa Cornelius of Venango County, Pennsylvania, she predeceased him and he died 16 December 1930. Order of children not definitely known.

### Children:

i Rolland Oriel: b 17 July 1880, m 28 Sept. 1904 Sylvia Arilla Hays, b 13 Mar. 1882 Venango Co., Pa., reside Utica, Pa. They had:

1 Milford O.: b 16 Mar. 1907.

2 Wilbert E.: b 19 May 1912.

3 Glenn L.: b 14 July 1920.

4 Ralph A.: b 10 Nov. 1924.



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ii Daisy: b 188-, m R. S. Staples, he died in 1920's of appendicitis, she survives him and resides Utica, Pa. They had:  
1 Dorothy Staples.

iii Catherine: b 18-.

iv Daughter: b 18-.

v Emory: b 189-. Served in World War in Cavalry, was over seas, he m Grace M., reside Franklin, Pa.

vi Jack A.: b 189-. Served in World War, was over seas. Is a metallurgist, m Ethel , reside Detroit, Mich.

#### 28 ELIZABETH HORNER (4) BARROWS

(*Jemima 3, Matthew 2, James 1.*) Born Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 13 March 1860. She married 27 May 1884 Walter J. Osborne, born Pennsylvania 24 July 1858, she died 24 July 1890, no data on his death, resided Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Children:

i Richard Barrows Osborne: b 15 May 1885. He m 27 Sept. 1911 Margaret Raney Sterling, b Washington Co., Pa. 10 July 1892. He is an engineer, a Mason, and family United Presbyterians, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Margaret Sterling Osborne: b 4 July 1914, died 24 Feb 1924.

2 Elizabeth Jane Osborne: b 11 Nov. 1915.

3 Nancy Barrows Osborne: b 25 Apr. 1920.

4 Mary Ann Osborne: b 5 May 1923.

ii Alfred Slack Osborne: b 28 Sept. 1886, m 7 Oct. 1913 Ruth Ashmore Donnan, b Washington Co., Pa. 8 June 1892, reside Pittsburgh, Pa. They had:

1 Alfred Slack Osborne: b 8 July 1914, died 11 Jan. 1917.

2 Alvan Donnan Osborne: b 14 Oct. 1915.

3 Edmund Donnan Osborne: b 27 Nov. 1918.

4 Margaret Barrows Osborne: b 1 Feb. 1922.

iii Mary Ann Osborne: b 188-, m 16 June 1910 Raymond Howard Dougherty, reside Syracuse, N. Y. They had:

1 Elizabeth Barrows Dougherty: b 19 July 1913.

#### 29 HENRY (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*George A. 3, Joseph 2, James 1.*) Born Butler County, Pennsylvania in October 1882. He married about 1906 Fay Thompson, born March 1886, moved to Cranford; New Jersey where they resided in 1931. He is a Mason and a member of the Mystic Shrine, not known if he entered the Shrine thru the York Rite or. the Scottish Rite.

Children:

i Hester: b 9 July 1908.

ii Rosalea: b 3 Nov. 1910.

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iii Robert Henry: b 1912.

iv Jane: b Aug. 1915.

### 30 FRANK CONLEY (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Frank 3, William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 6 July 1884. He served in the World War in 118th Field Artillery. He married 19Eden's Buchanan, of Oklahoma, reside Wichita Falls, Texas.

Children:

i Boyd: b 19-.

ii Frank Conley, Jr.: b 19-.

iii George: b ca 1929.

### 31 WILLIAM (4) BILLINGSLEY

(*Frank 3, William 2, James 1.*) Born Allegheny County, Pennsylvania 6 June 1889. He married 5 Sept. 1910 Elizabeth Henderson Hughes, born Pennsylvania 6 February 188-. He is a member of St. Johns Lodge, A.F.A.M., Knight Templar, and 32 degree Scottish Rite Mason, and Syrius Temple Mystic Shrine, and is engaged in the grocery business, reside Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. We spent a very enjoyable afternoon in his home in 1931.

Children:

i Elizabeth Hazel: b 8 Oct. 1911.

ii Margaret Jane: b 6 Sept. 1913.

iii William, Jr.: b 7 Oct. 1915.

iv Boyd: b 18 Aug. 1917, died aet. 15 months.

PART IV 1853  
EDWARD BILLINGSLEY

While we have located some of his descendants we have not been able to get any of them to talk of the family history, hence the records of this family are fragmentary and based mostly on a biographical sketch of one of his sons published in 1901. (Okla. Biography, Chapman Pub. Co.)

He was a native of Bowling, York, England, and born circa 1810, was a graduate Engineer. He married (1) prior to 1844 Martha Pratt, born England 18-. A few years after his marriage they migrated to Canada but soon came to America in or about 1853 and settled at Girard, Illinois where he purchased a farm near Zanesville, Illinois. Martha died and he married (2) prior to 1865 Antonette (Avery) , born Indiana ca' 1834, a widow who had a daughter at the time of this marriage. Resided on the farm for some years but his son not having a taste for farm life and he wearying of it himself he sold out and moved to Kansas City, Missouri where he made his home for many years. He retired from business and moved to Warrensburg, Missouri where he died aged 83 years, no data on the death of Antonette.

Children:

i Mary: b 1844 England, came to Canada and U. S. with her parents, she was living in 1870 and unmarried, no further record.

ii George Edward: b 21 Oct. 1846 Bradford, England, came to Canada and the U. S. with his parents. In 1861 he was a student at Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill. and was desirous of enlisting in the U. S. service; his father sent him to Canada to school; he later graduated from Shurtleff College, and then from Bryant & Stratton Business College, Chicago, Ill. He became bookkeeper for Daggett & Moore, Dry Goods. He later conducted a flour mill at Girard, Ill. On 27 Dec. 1870 he married Elizabeth A. Magoon, b 18-, a daughter of Willard A. Magoon and Adeline Blake, natives of Canada. After his marriage he sold out the flour mill and moved to Warrensburg, Mo. and conducted a hardware store for 4 years. At the solicitation of his uncle, W. H. Stead, of Southport, England, he accepted a position as manager of the W. and W. H Stead Cotton Seed Oil Go., at Greenville, Miss., in which he became a stockholder. While in the Cotton Seed Oil business he crossed the Atlantic 12 times and managed plants at Natchez and Vicksburg, Miss., Arkansas City, and other points interests of a New York Syndicate After about 20 years he sold out and embarked in the

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banking business at Rome, Ga. After one year he went to Mammoth Spring, Ark., and managed the business of the Company that owned the Springs and most of the town, remaining there three years. In Jan. 1894 he bought an interest in the Capitol National Bank, Guthrie, Okla., and in one year became sole owner and President till his death on 14 Oct. 1899. He was a man of superior ability, high moral standing and unimpeachable integrity. His charities were quietly distributed and were known to none save the special objects of his benefactions. He was a Mason, and a Knight Templar, and at the date of his death vestryman in the Episcopal church at Guthrie. Buried at Warrensburg, Mo. His widow was living in 1915 at Guthrie, Okla. They had:

1 Charles Edward: b 8 Apr. 1872 Warrensburg, Mo. Graduate of Univ. Tenn., A.B. in 1890. Entered the bank of his father at Rome, Ga., then moved to Ark. with him. He entered the bank at Guthrie, Okla. when his father became a stockholder in 1894 and was made Cashier, and at the death of his father in 1899 he was made President. In 1901 he was listed as President; Member of Okla. and Amer. Bankers'

Association; Democrat; member Guthrie Lodge No.

2, A.F.A.M.; and of the Scottish Rite, 32 degree Mason; vestryman Episcopal church. He m sometime prior to 1907 Iva Zoe and is listed in Guthrie, Okla. to 1915, not listed in 1926. They had, known:

a Marion: b 19-. Living 1915.

iii Emily: b ca 1854 Mo., step daughter, she m William Osgood, of Kansas City, Mo. They had a daughter who m William B. Henderson.

iv William A.: b 1865 Ill., moved to Kansas City, Mo. with his parents. He married Lily Givens, and reside Newport, Ark. where he is President of the 1st National Bank, said to be living in 1933. No children.

v Drusilla: b ca 1869 Kansas City, Mo. She married William Mercer Green, resided sometime at Greenville, Miss. and was residing Rayville, La. in 1923. She answered one letter in 1923, no information given and would never reply thereafter.

vi Gertrude: b 187-. Was living in 1922 Newport, Ark. and resided with her brother.

PART V  
1858  
SAMUEL BILLINGSLEY

Born Ireland in 1815, he married in Ireland prior to 1842 Ellen , born Ireland in 1815. They came to America about 1858 and settled in Carbon County, Pennsylvania where he is listed as a farmer. Ellen was deceased before September 1891. Samuel was living in January 1896 and in his affidavit re the pension of his son, John, testifies he was about 80 years of age, and that he had a son, John, and this claimant was the boy. Nothing is known of his ancestry or from what part of Ireland they came. We have been unable to contact any of his descendants.

Children: (known)

i John: b 13 Sept. 1842 Ireland, came to America with his parents about 1858. War Dept. records show he enlisted 14 Sept. 1861 as Pvt. G, 81st Pa. Inf., U. S., age given as 19 years; he was 5 feet and 7 inches in height, light complexion, gray eyes, and light auburn hair, occupation, laborer. He was discharged 19 Oct. 1862. He enlisted 13 Feb. 1864 as Pvt. Batt. C. 4th Arty., U. S. (Regular Army), age given as 21 years. Was on furlough Mar. 1864, returned to his home and married 4 Mar. 1864 Margaret Ann Gaston, b Pa. 1844. He was discharged the service 13 Feb. 1867 at Fort Myer, Va. He returned home in Carbon Co., Pa. and engaged in farming and lived with his wife to about 1874-75; he left her and his children and went West and not heard from again until Sept. 1891 when he reappeared at his father's home. After he had been gone for a number of years and she had no word from him she married (2) Alfred Gorman, who had been a soldier in the same Battery with John Billingsley at Fort Myer, Va. They did not apparently get along very well together as John Billingsley in an affidavit in 1896 states "Gorman was run out of town for abuse to his wife." After his return in 1891 there is nothing to show that they lived together again as man and wife. He made claim for pension and submitted affidavits from his father, his wife, Margaret Ann Billingsley, and his sister Elizabeth Hanlon, of California. In a statement he submitted on 25 Aug. 1913 he says he was born in Ireland 13 Sept. 1842. In a statement he made 17 Dec. 1920 from Missouri he says, "I left home in 1896 to get work and kept on going, was not divorced, Margaret Ann died while I was in Missouri and I married (2) 28 July 1896 at Milam, Mo., Mary Ellen Henry, I

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was not divorced but we separated." He was an inmate of the Soldier's Home, Washington, D. C. where he died 4 Dec. 1925. They had:

1 Mary Jane: b 1865, died May 1866.

2 James: b 1867, died 1868.

3 Annie Louise: b 7 June 1868, m George Wilke, a railroad engineer, resided Allentown, Pa. in 1920.

4 Samuel: b Dec. 1869, resided Allentown, Pa. in 1920.

5 Ellie: b 187-, resided Mauch Chunk, Pa. in 1920.

6 Margaret Jane: b 7 June 1897, 2d wife, m Everett Taylor, resided Milam, Mo. in 1920.

7 Elizabeth Marie: b 6 Mar. 1905, was with her mother at Milam, Mo. in 1920.

ii Samuel: b 1855 Ireland. Was living in 1870.

iii Margaret Elizabeth: b 1859 Carbon Co., Pa. She married prior to 1891 a Mr. Hanlon and resided in California. She was on a visit to her father Sept. 1891 and made an affidavit for her brother, says she was at her father's house when he appeared Sept. 1891, and that her mother was dead.

## PART VII

1883

### ALEXANDER BILLINGSLEY

Born in Wales 17-, migrated to Ireland where he married a Miss Armstrong, born Ireland 17- and probably resided in County Down. No data on the death of either of them. Only child of record is:

ROBERT BILLINGSLEY Born County Down, Ireland circa. 1818, he married prior to 1848 Margaret, daughter of Alexander Dalzell, born County Leitrim circa 182'x. He died in Belfast circa 1890, she survived him and died aged 88 years. Their children were:

i John: b 1846, m prior to 1885 , resided Belfast where

he died 1916. They had:

1 John: b 1885, m , resided Belfast, this is the one who answered and furnished the information of the family. They had a son, b 1910.

2 Jamey: b 188- Belfast, migrated to Pittsburgh, Pa. about 1920, was living 1931 and unmarried.

3 Minnie: b 18-, m , migrated to New Zealand in 1914, had. 2 daughters.

4 Joseph: b 189-, migrated to Aukland in 197,0.

5 Margaret: b 189-, m ----, reside Belfast.

6 Alexander: b 189-, m , reside Belfast.

ii Margaret: b 184-, m -

iii Alexander (3): b 1850.

iv William: b 185-, m He died in 1901, resided Belfast. They had:

1 William.

2 Robert. All Engineer, reside Belfast.

3 Joseph.

4 Frank.

v Elizabeth: b 185-, m.

vi James: b 1859-60, m Was a Prison Chaplain, and resided Cardiff, Wales in 1928

Some years since Albert M. Billingsley, of Winslow, Arizona, secured the name and address of one John Billingsley, Belfast, Ireland and wrote him asking for any family information he could furnish. He replied giving as much detail as he could and stated he had an uncle, Alexander, who had left home about 1830 and came to America and settled in or near Pittsburgh, Massachusetts. That his grandmother, who lived to be 86 years of age, during her last years hoped she would hear from her lost son, but died disappointed.

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In our searches many of the name of Alexander were found but none fitted in with this story, then one was located at Los Angeles, California and was written to several times without result tho finally his daughter did answer for him and he proved to be the LOST Sort. The family in Belfast were notified of the find with his address, etc.

#### 3 ALEXANDER (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Robert 2, Alexander 1.*) Born County Down, Ireland in 1850. He married in 1874 in Ireland, Isabella Green, born County Antrim, Ireland in 1850. Resided near Belfast to about 1883 then migrated to the United States and settled near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where they resided to 1909 then moved to Denver, Colorado where they resided to 1919 when they moved to Los Angeles, California. Both were living in 1932.

Children:

i William R.: b 1875 Ireland. He m Estelle Blazey, reside Sacramento, Calif. They had:

1 William: deceased.

2 Floyd: deceased.

3 Esther: b 1-, m E. Alden Donnenwirth, reside Sacramento, Calif.

ii Elizabeth: b 1876 Ireland, m Harry Ellis, reside Los Angeles, Calif.

iii John: b 1879 Ireland. He m Elsie Witter, reside Denver, Colo. They had: -

1 Lenore: b 1-, m Arthur Simpson, reside Denver, Colo. They had:

a Ralph Simpson.

2 John.

3 Genevieve.

4 Venettia.

iv Mary: b 1883, m Fred Fryer, she died 1919.

v Isabelle: b 1885, m Sidney Luck, she died 1926. They had:

1 Marion Luck: b 1-, m Charles Hayes. They had:

a Robert Hayes.

b Genevieve Hayes.

vi Thomas James: b 1887, m Marie Finley, reside Denver, Colo.

vii Margaret Anna: b 1890, m John J. O'Connor, reside Los Angeles, Calif. She furnished the information on her father's family.



## PART VIII

1890

### JAMES RICHARD (3) BILLINGSLEY

Mr. Andrew A. Billingsley, of Fort Worth, Tex., now deceased, informed us about 1923 that he had been working on the family tree for many years. That he had a copy of a pedigree of his father's cousin, Frederick Billingsley, of Quebec, Canada had made in London, but that from this pedigree he was unable to definitely link his earliest known ancestor. He stated Frederick Billingsley, deceased some years prior to 1923, had told him about 50 years ago the legend of the family which was as follows:

"Three brothers came from County Salop, England to America sometime prior to the Revolution and settled in Massachusetts, during the War one of them was a Loyalist and refused to live in the country and moved to Quebec, Canada where he was granted a large tract of land in Bonaventure County." Mr. Billingsley stated he had never been able to verify this legend except as to the grant of land in Canada, nor had he since found any one who could substantiate it.

His statement of not verifying the legend agrees with our failure to find any mention of the name of Billingsley in the New England record of that date. Mr. Billingsley further stated he had the following record but did not know if it pertained to his family or not:

Richard Billingsley, born 17-, married, dated his will in 1768, resided at Bridgenorth, County Salop, England.

They had:

i John.

ii Thomas.

iii Richard.

iv Elizabeth.

v Sarah.

The earliest definite record he had was:

### CAPTAIN RICHARD (1) BILLINGSLEY

Born circa 176- England, came to Canada and had a grant of land in New Carlisle, Quebec and established his home. He married (1) Elizabeth Pierson, (2) , resided New Carlisle, Quebec. No data on their deaths.

Children: (1st wife, known)

i Richard (2) : b ca 179-.

ii Benjamin: b 179-, m, resided Canada. They had:

1 John: b 1-, m, they had, known

a Daughter: b 1-, m a Billingsley, in Canada. They had:

a1 Frederick: b 1-, was living 1932 Quebec, Can.

a2 Edward: b 1-.

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a3 Henry A.: b 1-, m Olive A. , he died at El Paso, Tex. ca 1927, was a minister, she was living 1932. They had: Wilson, b 1908; John Malcolm, b 1911; Henry Kenneth, b 1914; Clifford Thompson, b 1916.  
2 Frederic Charles Bernard Thomas: b 1-, m , he was deceased some years prior to 1923, left children, and resided Quebec, Canada. This is the party who had the chart made in London, which was left at his death to the nephew, Frederick, named above.

### 2 RICHARD (2) BILLINGSLEY

(*Richard 1.*) Born New Carlisle, Quebec, Canada circa 179-, he married Mary Caldwell, born Canada 17-, they lived and died at New Carlisle, Quebec on the homestead founded by the first Billingsley. They had, order not known:

Children:

i Andrew: b 18-, said to have moved to Philadelphia, Pa., warned and left two children.

ii Benjamin: b 1&-.

iii James Richard (3) : b 7 Aug. 1825.

iv Dugold: b 18-.

v John: b 18-.

vi Ronald: b 18-.

vii Norman: b 18-.

viii Isabelle: b 18-.

ix Elizabeth: b 18-.

x Mary: b 18-.

### 3 JAMES RICHARD (3) BILLINGSLEY

(*Richard 2, Richard 1.*) Born New Carlisle, Quebec, Canada, 7 August 1825. He married in Bonaventure County, Quebec, Canada, Mary McNair, born Black Cape, Quebec, 1 January 1830, a daughter of Robert McNair and Miss Johnson, resided Port Hope, Ontario, Canada to about 1890 then moved to Port Huron, Michigan, after a few years they moved to Texas where he died 21 May 1899 at Alvin, Texas, she survived him and died at Chicago, Illinois 2 March 1906.

Children:

i Andrew Archibald: b 3 Sept. 1854 Port Hope, Ont. He m at Toronto, Canada prior to 1880 Olivia Jane Kirby, b Canada 23 Mar. 1858, moved to United States prior to 1892 and resided at Springfield, Ill. in that year. They moved to Fort Worth, Tex. where they resided many years, he served as Secretary-Manager Retail Merchants Association for many years, she died 11 Oct. 1926, and he died 26 May 1930. They had:

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1 Peri Alice Mary: b 1880, died 1882.

2 Arthur Percival Wylie: b 1883, m Pauline Long, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:  
a Jack Arthur: b 19-.

3 Charlotte. Clara: b 1887, m Robert McDonald. They had:  
a Charlotte McDonald.

4 Archibald Stuart: b 1892 at Springfield, Ill., m 1926 at El Paso, Tex. Helen W. Murdock, b El Paso, Tex. 1899, reside Fort Worth, Tex. They had:

a David Stuart: b June 1929, Chicago, Ill.

b Helen Louise: b 1932.

5 Edith Olivia: b 189-, Ellery George Graves. They had:  
a George Meredith Graves.  
b Wallace Graves.

ii Mary Jane: b 19 Oct. 1856, m Thomas W. Smith, she died 21 Oct. 1919 at Chicago, Ill.

iii Martha Elizabeth: b 30 Apr. 1858, m Thomas Tennant, she died 1 June 1929 at Irons, Mich.

iv Arthur Richard: b 14 Nov. 1860 Port Hope, Ontario, Canada, he m at Houston, Tex. 19 Dec. 1900 Kate Willeen Groce, b Tex. 14 July 1880, see No. 43, Part I, he died at Houston, Tex. 29 Dec. 1902. They had:

1 Bruce Calder: b 5 Oct. 1901. Is a lawyer, resided Galveston, Tex. 1932.

v James Ernest: b 19 May 1863 Port Hope, Ontario, he married at Janetville, Ontario, 20 Sept. 1893, Elizabeth Anderson, b Janetville, Ont. 1 Jan. 1867, reside Barrie, Ontario. He has been connected with railroad work since 1879, while he has visited the United States had never resided here. He has furnished information on the family. They had:

1 Susan May: b 28 July 1894 Lindsay, Ont., m Fred W. Sarjeant, reside Barrie, Ont.

2 Amy Winnifred: b 25 Apr. 1896, died Kirkfield, Ont. 23 Nov. 1902.

3 Frederick Ernest: b 22 Nov. 1902 Kirkfield, Ont., resides Toronto, Can.

4 Andrew Donald Graham: b 13 June 1911 Barrie, Ont., resides Kingston, Ont.

vi Clara: b 18 Sept. 1865 in Alfred J. Irwin, reside Galveston, Texas. Have 2 children.

vii Evelyn Maud: b 1869, died 1870.

viii Mabel Langlor: b 14 July 1873, m Thomas W. Tizzard, reside Downers Grove, Ill.

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