

of John Thors of
North Carolina. Lurrying heavily considering the
uncertainty of this mortal life and being of
sound mind and memory blessed be
almighty god for the same I do make
and publish this my Last will and
Testament in manner and form following
First I give and bequeath to my wife
Dolly Thors the Tract of Land whereon
I now live ~~as long~~ as long as she remains
my widow I will the upper part of
said Land to my son John Thors beginning
at the River in the middle of said
Land and running out to the border
Line when he comes of age at my wifes
death or at her marriage I will the
Lower part of my Land to my son Rubin
I also I give and bequeath to my wife
all my negros as long as she remains my
widow and wish her to give them
to my children as she may think proper
but if she should marry I will them
to be equally divided I also will all my
Black household furniture on the same
same condition I will the other
property if she marries to go to my children
and if ~~the~~ Daniel Hal and John Daunt
mince and dease and carry on the

Copy

SHORES, REUBEN

FROM: Query sent to Geneal. Soc. 1991

Rebecca Wuertemberger
2001 Peacock Road
Richmond, IND 47374

Seeking connection of 18th cen. Surry Co., NC SHORES families to REUBEN SHORES,
b. c1803, m. LUCINDA WOODRUFF 1833 Surry Co; removed to Fentress Co., Tenn.,
then Floyd Co., GA.

Hi, As a member of the SCGA I saw your query and checked my files for the names of other researchers in hopes some of them could help you. I have a Shore connection with my ancestor West Mosley who m. Rebecca Shores, supposedly his third wife and not my ancestress. Therefore I am interested, but do little Shores research.

Bonnie Wagner, 800 Norcross Rd., Kernersville, NC 27284

Mrs. Verna Rosacrans, PO Bx 324, Moxee City, WA 98936 (working on Reuben Shores family)

Mrs. C. Wayne Shore, 10203 Tioga Dr., San Antonio, TX 78230

Verna Shores Tingley, 5441 Coralite St., Long Beach, CA 90830

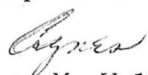
John R. Sammons, 1004 Grace Dr., Johnson City, Tenn. 37601

Woodruff/Woodrough:

Mr. Sam Woodruff, 3626 Woodruff Ln, Concord, CA 94519

Delwood Jackson, 1738 Cedar Ave., College Hill, Cincinnati, OH 45224

I hope some of these people can be of help to you, especially Verna Rosacrans.


Agnes M. Wells
521 N. Franklin Road
Mt. Airy, NC 27030

I am enclosing some flyers in case the court records, etc. might be of help.

**Twin Springs Farm
Route 1, Box 240
Palmyra, Virginia 22963
October 14, 1998**

Surry County Genealogical Society
P.O. ^Box 997
Dobson, N.C. 27017

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am seeking information on **Reuben Shores, Jr.**, born about 1759, living in Surry County, probably marrying there, as well - he was a son of Reuben and Susannah. I am particularly in seeing **Reuben, Jr.'s** will, which I understand exists. Unfortunately, I cannot put a date on it, but I suspect it would be early 1800's, maybe even 1820.

Any suggestions you may are greatly appreciated and I will gladly pay for any help.

Thank you,



Judith Shores Ruch

*Susannah Shores Will dtd 15 Sept 1804 (31.74a) found
in Surry.*

SURRY COUNTY GENEALOGICAL ASSOCIATION
P. O. BOX 997
DOBSON, NC 27017

October 28, 1998

Judith Shores Ruch
Twin Springs Farm
Rt. 1, Box 240
Palmyra, VA 22963

Thank you for your letter dated October 14, 1998 regarding Reuben Shores, Jr. We are sorry that we did not find a marriage record or will in Surry County. We suggest you write the Department of Cultural Resources, Archives and Records Section, 109 E. Jones Street, Raleigh, NC 27601-2807.

We did find a will of Susannah Shores dated 15 Sep 1804 (WB 3:74a) found in Surry. An abstract is enclosed. We are sending along some other information on Reuben Shores as well as other Shores that we had. We hope some of it will be useful to you. If you wish to get copies of any of the deeds for Reubin Shore in Surry County, write the Register of Deeds, P. O. Box 303, Dobson, NC 27017. They charge 25 cents per page to copy.

If the State Archives cannot help you, you might wish to write Iris Harvey, 6809 Chasewick Circle, Raleigh, NC 27615 to see if she can locate them for you. You will need to check with her regarding her charge.

We don't do in-depth research but check our files and available books and records.

We would love to have some family sheets and pedigree charts on the Shore surname for our files. There were plenty of Shores in Surry County in the early days. If you could share some information with us we would like to add it to our files in the Surry Community College Library.

We wish we had been able to locate the marriage record and will for you. Good luck with your research. If you feel we can help you further, please write.

We will be happy to print a query in our journal for you and place surname cards in our file.

WAT
Research Committee

Enclosures

Shores + meredith
Richmond, Indiana
47374

October 2, 1991

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am seeking information on the ancestry/parents of Mary Meredith, born ca. 1780(?), married Simeon Shores, lived in Surry Co. and later Stokes. Her children were Ransom, Reuben, William, Meredith, John, Martin, Daniel, Sarah, Rhoda, Mary, Martha, David, and Simeon Shores. I presume she was related to the Surry Co. Merediths listed in the 1790 Census. They were:

Samuel
Daniel
Bartholomew
John &c.

and William - also listed in other Surry records as early as 1777.

Simeon Shores, her husband, was son of Reuben Shores, believed to be English and unrelated to the Schor/Shore family from Switzerland.

I would appreciate any leads you might have to this family.

Thank you.

Rebecca Wuerstemberger

Rebecca Wuertemberger
2001 Peacock Rd.
Richmond, IND 47373

Oct. 15, 1991

Dear Ms Wuertemberger,

Your query to the Association regarding the Shore family will be published in the next journal in which space is available.

One of our members has already answered your first letter and sent you names and address of Shore researchers. We hope you get a good response from this.

We do not have any researchers listed for Meredith, however, your name will be added to this file. Perhaps someone will see this and write to you.

Sincerely,

SCGA

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G.F. GRANDFATHER
G.M. GRANDMOTHER



Jean Sorensen
HC 78 Box 2486
Garden Valley, ID, 83622-9721

G.F. FULL NAME

#1 Henry Clay Shore
b. 11 April 1855
p.b. Hancock County, Indiana
m. 26 Oct. 1875
p.m. Hancock Co, Indiana
d. 23 Sept. 1927
p.d. Hancock Co, Indiana

FATHER'S FULL NAME

C1 Paul Everett Shore
b. 18 June 1898
p.b. Hancock County, Indiana
m. 18 July 1936
p.m. Oakland, California
d. 13 August 1965
p.d. St. Louis, Missouri

G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

D2 Isabel Thomas
b. 10 Jan. 1857
p.b. Hancock Co, Indiana
d. 12 Oct. 1937
p.d. Anderson, Hancock Co,
Indiana

*FULL NAME

B. Daryle Jean Shore
b. Oakland, California
p.b. 26 May, 1937
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

G.F. FULL NAME

D3 William Bridges Butler
b. 3 March 1879
p.b. Salt Lake, Utah
m. 30 Jan. 1900
p.m. Salt Lake, Utah
d. 10 Jan 1934
p.d. Oakland, California

MOTHER'S FULL MAIDEN NAME

C2 Sophia Cleone Butler
b. 20 January, 1903
p.b. Murry Slc, Utah
d. 5 March 1985
p.d. Boise, Ada Co, Idaho

G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

D4 Sophia Fredricka Christensen
b. 10 February 1876
p.b. Lehi, Utah
d. 18 Nov. 1963
p.d. Oakland, California
w.a.k.a. Sorensen

*SPOUSE OF NO. 1

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

*If person is female, give
full maiden name.

G.G.F. FULL NAME

E1 William Shore E1
b. 12 June 1816
p.d. Surry County, North
m. 1 July, 1854 Carolina
p.m. Hancock Co. Indiana
d. 3 May, 1901
p.d. Vernon Twp, Hancock Co.

G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

E2 Lucinda Bell E2
b. 26 March 1824
p.b. Kentucky - Jessamin
d. 7 July 1893
p.d. Vernon Twp, Hancock Co.
Indiana

G.G.F. FULL NAME

E3 David Jackson Thomas E
a. 14 July 1831
p.b. Wayne Co, Indiana
m. 8 April 1856
p.m. Hancock Co, Indiana
d. 21 Feb. 1915
p.d. Hancock Co. Indiana

G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

E4 Mary Jane Paxton E
b. 7 May 1937
p.b. Hancock Co, Indiana
d. 27 Dec. 1918
p.d. Hancock Co. Indiana

G.G.F. FULL NAME

E5 William Lorenzo Butler E
b. 9 March 1851
p.b. Beiper Derby Eng.
m. 6 July 1874
p.m. 1
d. 18 May 1932
p.d. Salt Lake, Utah
E6
G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

E6 Jane Rowen MacDuff E
b. 20 May 1855
p.b. Chesterfield Derby Eng.
d. 27 Oct. 1928
p.d. Salt Lake, Utah

G.G.F. FULL MAIDEN NAME

E7 Frederick Christensen E
b. 23 Dec. 1824
p.b. Breninge Holbaek
m. 14 Dec. 1862 Denmark
p.m. Utah
d. 24 Feb. 1904
p.d. Crescent, Utah

G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

E8 Sophia Walbum E
b. 7 May 1838
p.b. Oland, Sweden
d. 1 Dec. 1904
p.d. Salt Lake, Utah

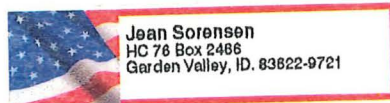


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G.G.M. GREAT GRANDMOTHER



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FAMILY HERITAGE
P.O. BOX 495
ELK GROVE, CA 95624



(Anderson)*
FATHER'S FULL NAME

F1 John Shore

b. 1785
p.b. Germany
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d. Hancock Co.
Indiana

G.F. FULL NAME

G1 David Shore

b. 1765
p.b.
m.
p.m.
d. 1785
p.d.

G.G.F. FULL NAME

H1

b. REC. NO. H1
p.b.
m.
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G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

H2

b. REC. NO. H2
p.b.
d.
p.d.

G.G.F. FULL NAME

H3

b. REC. NO. H3
p.b.
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

H4

b. REC. NO. H4
p.b.
d.
p.d.

*FULL NAME

E1 William Shore

b. 12 June 1816
p.b. Surry Co. North Carolina
m. 1 July 1854
p.m.
d. 3 May, 1901
p.d. Vernon Township
Hancock Co.
Indiana

G.F. FULL NAME

G3 Money

b.
p.b.
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

G.G.F. FULL NAME

H5

b. REC. NO. H5
p.b.
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

H6

b. REC. NO. H6
p.b.
d.
p.d.

MOTHER'S FULL MAIDEN NAME

F2 Susannah Money

b. Surry Co., North Carolina
p.b.
d.
p.d. Hancock Co. Indiana

G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME

G4 Susannah Ashley

b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

G.G.F. FULL MAIDEN NAME

H7 William Ashley

b. REC. NO. H7
p.b. before 1765
m.
p.m.
d.
p.d.

Resided in Surry Co. N.C.
G.G.M. FULL MAIDEN NAME in 1790

H8

b. REC. NO. H8
p.b.
d.
p.d.

E2
*SPOUSE OF NO.

Lucinda Bell

b. 26 March 1824
p.b. Kentucky
d. 7 July 1893
p.d. Vernon Township, Hancock Co.
Indiana

*If person is female, give
full maiden name.

*Raised by a step father named Anderson. Sometimes
referred to as John Anderson Shore.

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

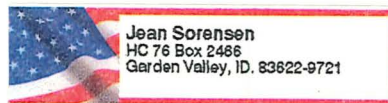
HUSBAND William SHORE E1-E2
 Born 12 June 1816 Place Surry County, North Carolina
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Marr. 1 July 1854 Place Hancock County, Indiana
 Died 3 May 1901 Place Hancock County, Indiana

Bur. _____ Place _____
 HUSBAND'S FATHER John Shore HUSBAND'S MOTHER Susannah Money
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES (1) Mary Jeffrey (3) Arrinda Hutzel (4) Benette Caudell

WIFE Lucinda BELL
 Born 26 March 1824 Place Jessamine County, Kentucky
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Died 7 July 1893 Place Vernon Twp. Hancock Co., Indiana
 Bur. _____ Place Green Twp. Hancock Co., Indiana
 WIFE'S FATHER Elijah Bell WIFE'S MOTHER Susan Green
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS William McConnell

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
	List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	
1 X	M	Henry Clay	11	April	1855		Hancock	Ind	26 Oct. 1875	23	Sept.	1927	
2	F	Luzena	2	Aug.	1856			"	Isabel Thomas				
3	F	Martha Elvira	5	July	1858			"	Noah Campbell #1				
4	F	Mary Almeda	15	July	1860			"	Robert Steele				
5	F	Elmira	28	Oct.	1863			"	~~William Reason #3~~				
6	M	Monroe	2	Feb.	1866			"	William Reason #2				
7									Ida				
8													
9													
10													
11													

SOURCES OF INFORMATION



OTHER MARRIAGES

#1 Luzena - 2nd husband - Wm Priest
 #2 Elmira - 2nd husband - Harry Huffman
 #3 Elmira - d. Memphis, Tenn.

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

HUSBAND William SHORE E1(+1)
 Born 12 June 1816 Place Surry Co., North Carolina
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Marr. 8 October 1835 Place Surry Co., North Carolina
 Died 5 March 1901 Place Hancock Co., Indiana
 Bur. _____ Place _____
 HUSBAND'S FATHER John Shore HUSBAND'S MOTHER Susannah Money
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES (2) Lucinda Bell

WIFE Mary JEFFREY
 Born 23 Feb. 1819 Place North Carolina
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Died 14 March 1854 Place Hancock Co., Indiana
 Bur. _____ Place Green Twp., Hancock Co., Indiana
 WIFE'S FATHER _____ WIFE'S MOTHER _____
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS _____

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
	List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	
1 M	Meredith		2	Sept.	1836		Surry	N.C.					
2 M	Azal (Azazel on 1850 census)		29	Aug	1839		Surry	N.C.	Rachel E				
3 F	Susannah		7	Sept	1842		"	N.C.					
4 F	Nancy Jane		12	May	1845		"	N.C.					
5 M	John Levi		8	Aug.	1848		Hancock	Ind.					
6 F	Sarah E		4	July	1851		Hancock	Ind.					
7													
8													
9													
10													
11													

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OTHER MARRIAGES

Shores

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2001 Peacock Road
Richmond, Indiana
47374

January 19, 1991

Dear Sirs:

Could you, please, include this
query in your publication?

SEEKING CONNECTION OF 18TH CEN-
TURY SURRY Co. SHORES FAMILIES TO
REUBEN SHORES, b. ca. 1803; m. LUCINDA
WOODRUFF 1833 IN. SURRY Co.; REMOVED
TO FENTRESS Co., TENN., THEN FLOYD
Co., GA.

Thank you,
Rebecca Wuertemberg

REBECCA WUERTEMBERGER
2001 PEACOCK ROAD
RICHMOND, INDIANA
47374

Wuertemberg

Query to Judy 1-11-98
Surname cards in file

November 22, 1998

Judith Shores Ruch
Twin Springs Farm
Route 1, Box 240
Palmyra VA 22963

Ms. Wilma Heatt
Research Committee
Furry County Genealogical Assoc
PO Box 987
Horton, NC 27017

Dear Ms. Heatt,

Thank you so very much for
all the information you sent re: The
Reuben / Susannah Shores family.
I will write to the address you gave
me in Raleigh to search for the
will of Reuben, Jr.

I will be glad to share family
sheets and pedigree charts on
the family when (and if) they
are complete - so much as not
verified!

(over)

To correct your reference to me on
the back of your Page 2 - it is Palmyra,
Va (Leuben Shores, Jr., William, Sr.
and Jr., and John - descendants
of Leuben and Susannah Shores).

I do appreciate your adding
my query to your journal and
placing surnames in your file.

Your reference to SHORE is
another family altogether -
however, I am confused by
the use of SHORE(S) - I know
the German and Swiss families
often added the "s" when they
came to the U.S., but our family,
from England via Ireland, always
used the SHORES Name.

Again, my thanks.

Dai Luck

SHORES

1991

Rebecca Wuertemberger
2001 Peacock Road
Richmond, Ind. 47374

Seeking connection of 18th cen. Surry Co. NC Shores
families to Reuben Shores, b. c1803, m. Lucinda
Woodruff 1833 Surry Co.; removed to FEntress Co.,
Tenn., then Floyd Co., GA.

Verna Rossarone
P. O. Box 324
Moxee City, WA 98936
Dec. 24, 1985

Dear James:

So glad to hear from you. Really strange that you wrote when you did as I just received the Cornelius + Rhoda (Shore) Phillips family sheet within the last month. I have some more info on their family + will send in a couple of weeks.

I went back to work in 1982 + quit in Sept so for three years the genealogy just sat gathering dust. The last couple of months I have been working on it - mainly organizing what I have + cleaning out files. What a mess! Hopefully by February I will be back researching again. I, also, started working at our local Gen. Library again.

Yes, Agnes ^{well} and I are still writing. She sent me some land records (Grants) on Keuber Shore. The earliest is 1789. But I still don't know where he came from. Possibly from New Jersey with Phillips family or Virginia. According to my info Cornelius - father Abner Phillips moved from New Jersey to Va - En Va by 1777 - sold land in Va in 1784 + was in Surry Co NC by 1788. Abner was on the Culpeper + Fauquier Co. Va Tax Lists 1782-1787. I'm familiar with both these Cos. as my Rousseau family lived there but never ran across any Shore family. But there were Shores in Virginia. + an early Shore female married a Westmoreland + in Susannah Shore she named daughter Elizabeth (over)

Westmoreland. I think she married Isham Westmoreland
and they moved to Georgia. The early Shore female
that married a Westmoreland was not Susan's
daughter.

Yes, I would like to have a copy of
John Shore's will. How did you find out he
was the 5th Reuben Shore Sr? & how did you find
who he married? I'm pretty sure I found two of
Reuben & Susan's sons in Wayne Co. Ky. early - 1800's.
picked them up in Tenn & lost them again.

Well had best close. Hope
you had a Very Nice Christmas & a Very Happy New
Year. How did you happen to move to Michigan?

Sincerely,

Jenna Rosecrance