# SAMUEL JACKSON

The eldest Ancestor of this record

Born: 1720-25
Died In 1806 in Stokes Co, North Carolina
Married: Catherine Plankinhorn

# SAMUEL JACKSON of Pennsylvania and North Carolina

#### Samuel Jackson:

The date and place of his birth is unknown. Research from many sources, including the Library of Congress, the D.A.R. library in Washington, DC, court house records, and many libraries in counties of Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland, have failed to establish a record of the name of his parents. Many descendants over the years have researched and have paid professional genealogists to gather information concerning his family history. To date no clue as to their identity has been found.

Early history states that his wife was Catherine Plankinhorn. To date no record of this marriage has been located. In order for this statement to have been made, there must exist a record of their marriage somewhere, which researchers have been unable to locate, unless it was handed down by word of mouth through some of their children. Such being the case, there may be no records of this marriage.

We have some information from a "Testimony at Fall creek Monthly Meeting in Highland Co, OH", concerning Jacob Jackson, the eldest son of Samuel and Catherine Jackson. Jacob stated that he was born in Chester Co, PA in 1747, and at the age of twelve or thirteen he came with his parents to Rowan Co, NC. A copy of this testimony can be found in the Quaker College, "Guilford College" in Greensboro, NC.

Samuel Jackson Jr. was a Revolutionary soldier and is believed to be a son of Samuel, though this has not been proven. In his application for pension, he stated that he was born in 1758 in PA, near the Delaware river, about five miles south of the city of Philadelphia. He said that when a small lad, his parents moved to North Carolina, and they settled in Rowan Co, which later became Davidson Co.

From the above statements of **Jacob** and **Samuel Jackson**, it can be assumed that **Samuel Jackson** was living in Chester Co, PA as early as 1747. He then moved to Rowan Co, NC between 1760 and 1762. He lived there for approximately ten years before moving to Surry Co, NC, settling near Tom's Creek in the Westfield Community. Many deeds for **Samuel** and his sons can be found at the Dobson and Surry County court houses.

Stokes Co was formed from Surry Co in 1789 with the county lines running near the Westfield Monthly Meeting house. Families living on the western side of the church remained in Surry Co, those living on the east side were taken into the newly formed Stokes Co. Samuel Jr., Samuel Sr., and some of his son's property lay in the newly formed Stokes Co. This then poses the problem of researching both counties for family records.

Samuel Jackson was living in Chester Co, PA at the time when several Quaker families by the name of Jackson were living in the area. Most researchers have made the assumption, by this, that Samuel was

a Quaker and have concentrated on the prospect of his parents being Quakers. This may account for the reason that his parents have not been located.

I have communicated with the Quaker College at Guilford Co, NC and have visited their library, checking over their records. The librarian there has written informing me that there is no record that Samuel Jackson or his wife Catherine, were ever members of either New Garden or Westfield congregations. Even though their children did become members. (Note from Robert Jackson: Page 14 shows that Samuel and Catherine were present for the marriage of Jacob Jackson and Ann Beals. However, they may have been "guests".)

In his application for membership at New Garden, Jacob Jackson stated that he was not a Quaker, and that his parents were not members of the Society of Friends. Samuel Jackson Jr. was received into membership at the age of nineteen, at his own request on May 31, 1777. He stated that he had never been a member of the Society of Friends, and that his parents were not members.

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Upon the arrival of the family in Rowan Co, his father placed **Jacob** with a Quaker family (name unknown) with the acknowledgment of learning a trade. He remained with that family for several years. It was at this time that **Jacob** became impressed with the Quaker religion, and believed it his duty to make an application to become a member. After much deliberation by the church Elders, be was granted acceptance.

Shortly after his marriage, **Jacob** had the feeling that he was called to the ministry, unto which be submitted. His being a member of the Quakers was probably instrumental in getting his brothers and sisters to join the church.

Where Samuel had settled in Rowan Co was a puzzle to me. Samuel Jr. had settled in the part which later became Davidson Co, but I was unable to find any records in Davidson Co that would indicate just where they had settled. This puzzle was cleared up somewhat by the library research I was doing for a client on Randolph Co, NC. I found an old map on Randolph Co dated in the late 1700's which showed a part of Davidson Co. I found a little village or settlement called "Jackson" near the Davidson Co line. There was a large creek that ran across both boundaries called "Jackson Creek". This find led me to the conclusion that Samuel might have settled in this area, since Jackson Village was on the county line and quiet possibly this was mentioned as the place in Samuel Jr.'s application for a pension. This settlement was located southwest of the New Garden settlement in Guilford Co, NC and along the Uharie River, in Grant Twp., four miles northeast of Farmer.

In 1837, the "Jackson School", a log school house, was built on Jackson Road. The "Mount Tabor Methodist Chapel", one of the oldest churches in the county, was also built on Jackson road. The exact date of the founding of the chapel is unknown.

On Mar. 29, 1779, seventy-two men along the Uharie River petitioned to the General Assembly in Raleigh, NC. They asked that the people living along the Uharie River not be allowed to build dams that would extend from bank to bank so all the people living along the river would be allowed to benefit of the said river in getting fish, as they formerly had for many years, The Jackson men that signed the petition were Robert Jackson, James Jackson, Andrew Jackson, and Simeon Jackson.

The Randolph Co librarian informed me that the **Jacksons** in this area originally came from the state of Maryland. It is my belief **Samuel Jackson** knew of these "**Jacksons**" prior to his arrival in North Carolina. Closer investigation might prove they were related in some manner. This may be the reason that he chose Rowan Co in which to settle. If **Samuel** had been a Quaker, there were three Quaker settlements near by that he could have settled in: New Garden, Eno, and Snow Camp.

The early records of Samuel found in Surry Co show an elderly John Jackson, who died before 1802 was living near him. This John had several sons: John Jr., William, Ruben, Nathan, and maybe a James and a Samuel. Just what the relationship, if any, to Samuel is unknown. They appear in the area of Tom's Creek around the same time, and the two families were closely connected. John Jackson Jr. was a witness to the signing of the deed where William Jackson is buying fifty acres of land from his father Samuel's estate. There has an elderly John Jackson who sold his plantation in the Jackson

settlement prior to 1749 and this may be the same **John**. It is possible that this **John Jackson** may be a brother of **Samuel**. I do not think that he could be **Samuel's** father, as his children were around the same age of **Samuel's** children.

One question that has puzzled so many Jackson researchers is: "Was the one called Samuel Jackson Jr., the son of Samuel and Catherine Jackson?". All census records show Samuel Jr. and Sr. Additionally, Samuel Jr. names most of his children the same names as the names of the children of Samuel Sr. They lived side by side in Stokes Co. No written proof has been found to indicate that he was, or was not the son of Samuel and Catherine. If he is not the son of Samuel, then he is probably the son of the John Jackson, as this John and Samuel were the only Jackson families in the area at that time.

Catherine Jackson died Apr. 24, 1780. Samuel Jackson out lived his wife by twenty-six years, and died in Stokes Co in 1806. Records show he was married to a lady by the name of "Sarah" at the time of his death. No record of this marriage has been located. Sarah was probably an older woman when they married, as the records show no children born to this couple.

In Sept. of 1985, I (Lucille) had the pleasure of accompanying James "Gene" Jackson from Dallas, TX, and his lovely wife "Polly" on a trip to Washington, DC, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware. We were able to investigate the Jackson and the Plankinhorn families more thoroughly.

We uncovered a lot of information, some of which I have included in a section done on the **Plankinhorn** family as well as the **Jacksons**. In each locality we visited libraries, archives, and county court houses. We found information on early Jacksons, but were unable to find any clue as to who **Samuel's** parents were.

After researching the family of **Samuel Jackson** for more than six years, I now believe that if his parents are ever found, they will be among the many **Jackson** families that settled on the eastern shores of Maryland, Delaware, and New Jersey, not from the Quaker Jacksons of Pennsylvania.

Many Jackson researchers over the years have written articles on who they believe to be **Samuel's** parents, some which I (Lucille) am including.

The descendants of Samuel and Catherine who are now living in the Westfield area will tell you that his father was one Aaron Jackson, son of William, born Feb. 25, 1725in Pasquotank, NC. This information was taken from a research done by Luther Byrd of Westfield, and can be found in the Guilford College Library.

Mr. Luther N. Byrd, grew up in Mt. Airy, NC and while a teacher of the Westfield High School, became interested in the history of the early Quakers that had settled in that area. He started his students working on family trees, and in order to help the students he did genealogical research himself. In his research on the Jacksons, he gives the name of Aaron Jackson, son of a William Jackson as the father of, Samuel, and Priscilla Jackson Jessup as a sister of Samuel.

Aaron Jackson of Pasquotank Co, NC did have a son by the name of Samuel and a brother named Samuel. He also had a daughter Priscilla, who became the wife of Joseph Jessup. This couple moved in the New Garden Area of Guilford Co and made the move from Guilford to the Westfield community around the same time that Samuel with his family moved from Rowan Co to the Westfield Area. Two of Samuel's sons, William and Joseph married the daughters of Priscilla and Joseph Jessup, Mary and Sarah Jessup. Thus becoming the first two marriages between the Jessup and the Jacksons.

Samuel Jackson's birth is estimated to be ca. 1720-25 as his eldest son was born in 1747. Aaron Jackson of Pasquotank Co, NC was born in 1725, so the two men would be around the same age and could not be father and son. These Pasquotank Jacksons were descendants of Samuel Jackson of Maryland and some of the names are the same names found in the Jackson settlement. If there should be any truth in this statement, would mean that Samuel Jackson, brother of Aaron, went back to PA

before he moved to North Carolina, and therefore could have been the uncle of **Priscilla Jackson Jessup**, and not her brother.

Professor Edwin P. West, great-grandson of Jacob and Ann Jackson, gave an account which was used in the History of Clinton Co, OH. This article had been written earlier by Judge Harian on "Sketches of Clinton Co", which stated that three brothers Jacob, John, and Samuel Jackson were among the first settlers of Clinton Co and that their father was Samuel Jackson who was the son of Isaac Jackson, who was the son of Anthony Jackson, who was a descendant of Ralph Jackson who was burned at the stake as a martyr at Stratford, England in 1556. He also stated that Samuel was probably a first cousin and intimate friend of President Andrew Jackson.

I have found many discrepancies in this article. First, the Isaac Jackson, son of Anthony Jackson, married Ann Evans, and brought his family to America in 1725 when he was sixty years of age and settled in Chester Co, PA. His life has been well documented in Quaker records and Pennsylvania histories. They did not have a son by the name of Samuel, so Samuel Jackson was not the son of Isaac and Ann Evans Jackson.

The brother Samuel that he speaks of is believed to be the son of Jacob and not his brother. Jacob had a son named Samuel born in Surry Co, NC in 1774 and would have been old enough to be the Samuel that Professor West wrote about.

He stated that **Samuel** was probably an intimate friend and first cousin of President **Andrew Jackson**. Records show that **Andrew Jackson** received his license to practice law in Surry Co at the old Richmond court house (now gone) which was located on the banks of the Yadkin River, just below where **Samuel** and his family lived. It is possible that they did become friends with **Andrew**. From information that has been handed down, it is apparent they never liked **Andrew**, and could not believe that it was the **Andy Jackson** they knew who had been elected President of the United States, as he was such a rough character, always getting into brawls, fighting, gambling, etc.

Samuel Jackson was around forty-five years old when Andrew Jackson was born, and had been in America for several years before Andrew Jackson Sr. came to America and settled at Waxhaw. Andrew Sr. did have a brother named Samuel, "Called Sam the Sailor" and as the story goes was instrumental in getting the Jackson and Hutchins family out of Ireland and to America.

If there is any relationship between **Samuel Jackson** of Westfield and **Andrew Jackson**, it would be way back in England or Ireland where they may have had a common ancestor, as I can find no close connection between these two families in America.

With so many descendants of **Samuel Jackson Sr.** and **Samuel Jr.** doing research on both families, maybe some day one of them will get lucky and find the clue that will lead to the identity of their parents.

#### THE PLANKINHORN FAMILY

Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn who, in 1778, were mentioned as "late of Gloucester in the Province of New Jersey, deceased" as "Cope" wrote in 1901, the earliest progenitor of the Plankinhorns

Catherine Plankinhorn was the wife of Samuel Jackson. Jackson researchers over the years have tried to find her parents or anyone by the name of Plankinhorn. Every available source have been researched in the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, New Jersey and Delaware and the libraries in Washington, DC, including the Library of Congress and the D.A.R. Library. Research was done in archives, county seats, and tax records, and in all of this research, only two small articles have been found on the name of Plankinhorn, and they were on Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn.

One of the reasons for not finding the name is that prior to the war in 1776 the name was changed from **Plankinhorn** to **Plankenton**. Information has been found in Pennsylvania on the **Plankenton** families who were the children and grandchildren of **Peter** and **Susanna**.

The first valuable source of information on the Plankinhorn's was compiled in 1901 by Gilbert Cope, on the descendants of George and Sarah Smedley, early settlers of Chester Co, PA, who's descendants had married into the Robins family of Edgemont Township, Delaware Co, PA. Two of the Robin sisters, Jane and Sarah, married Jesse and Samuel Plankenton, son of Peter Plankinhorn Jr. Jane and Sarah were the granddaughters of Joseph and Lear (Crayton) Robins of New Jersey, and the daughters of Joseph and Jane (Hooper) Robins, of Edgemont. In 1901, Cope wrote that Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn who, in 1778 (now deceased) were mentioned as "Late of Gloucester in the Providence of New Jersey." He named four known children: Jacob, John, Peter Jr. and Elizabeth. Information on these four is found in census, tax records, and marriages of Pennsylvania. Since he did not research the family, they probably had other children.

The second piece of information written on the family of **Peter** and **Sarah Plankinhorn** was four pages written out in long hand, and very hard to read. It was written by one of the great-grandsons of **Peter Plankinhorn Jr**. and placed in one of the libraries in Washington, DC. Mr. **Keith Parrish** from Washington found these pages while researching the family and sent copies to me. The name of the writer was not given

The compilation of this Genealogy is of the "Plankenton family of Pennsylvania" descended from Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn, colonial settlers in Gloucester Co, New Jersey sometime before 1778. They were probably from Wales. Two reasons may be given for undertaking and bring together widely scattered published records of the family. First, no extensive genealogy of the Plankenton family has ever been published and second, it was my desire and ambition at that time to gather all available records of the families of my eight great-grandparents.

"Cope" named four known children, Jacob, John, Peter Jr., and Elizabeth. Catherine and Samuel Jackson named their eldest son Jacob, their third son John and their two daughters Susannah and Elizabeth. If Catherine was their daughter, the children were named for her two brothers, her mother Susanna, and her sister Elizabeth.

Peter and Susanna may have had other children name Susannah, Michael, and Bridget. One Susannah Blankinhorn was married to John Hepperset, on Aug. 27, 1763 at St. Michael and Zion Lutheran Church in Philadelphia. One Bridget Blackenton was Baptized in 1760 at the age of 23. In 1777, Michael Blankinhorn was in the Revolutionary war, and in 1780 he was listed as Michael Plankinhorn. In Colonial Days, the "'P" and "B" were used often interchangeably,

Joseph Plankinton had said he thought that the origin of the Plankinhorns were from Great Britain, (Wales). Cope said he thought they came from Wales, since no one has found any written information on where they came from or how many children they had. The origin could be German instead of Wales.

A book was published in 1969 by the Baltimore Genealogical Publishing Company, called, "Naturalizations of foreign of foreign Protestants in the American and West Indian Colonies" (Pursuant to Statute 13 George II, c 7). I only have three pages from this book. Page 99, Pennsylvania Supreme Court at Philadelphia in Sept. and Oct. of 1765, lists the names of some who took the Sacrament in 1765. Page 137 gives the name of John Plankinhorn, and on page 148 is the name of Jacob Plankinhorn. These two men were from Whitpaine Township of Philadelphia. The Sacraments were given by the Moravians, but the year when the Sacrament was taken was not given.

The Moravians had settled in Pennsylvania around 1722. They had come from Hernhut, Germany. Their religion is very similar to that of the Lutheran Church. In the early 1800's, a **John Plankinhorn** settled in Lycoming Co, PA. He was from Germany. The **Susannah Blankinhorn** was married in a Lutheran Church, **Elizabeth** was married in the Old Swede Church, (now Lutheran), so the religion of the early Plankinhorn's may have been Lutheran. One of their sons **John** married a Quaker girl and later joined the Concord MM, in Philadelphia.

What information on the four known children of Peter and Susanna is given, and my many thanks go to

Keith Parrish who sent most of the information that I have on the family, along with Mrs. Edith Hankins. I am very grateful several other Jackson researchers who were so kind as to share their findings with me.

#### Jacob Plankinhorn

Jacob Plankinhorn, son of Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn, was born in 1731. He may have been their eldest son. The year the family moved from Gloucester Co, NJ to PA is unknown.

Jacob paid taxes in 1767 in the Philadelphia, and in 1767 he was listed in the Lower Delaware Ward. No acres or livestock were given and no tax paid, but the name is listed as living there,

He was in the 6th Battalion during the Revolutionary War, where he is listed as paying fines. (PA, Archives 3rd Series vol. 5, P 473)

According to "Cope", Jacob was married two or three times, but left no children, Joseph Plankenton, a grand nephew, in his writings said that he was never married. (Both writers were in error because the 1790 census, Heads of Families in Pennsylvania, page 212, Philadelphia Co, lists Jacob Plankinhorn-(Flour Tryer) one male over 16 (himself), one male under 16, with two females, the two females may have been wife and daughter, or if his wife was deceased at that time it may have been two daughters.) Jacob was the flour inspector for the port of Philadelphia for more than thirty years.

Jacob Plankenhorn married Miriam Olding in the Old Swede Lutheran church on Dec. 7, 1775. If this was his first marriage, he was 45 years old when he married, so he may have had an earlier marriage that has not been found. Another reference to this marriage gives Miriam's name as Miriam Maudlin.

Vol. VIII. page 213 at Christ Church, Philadelphia (Episcopal) shows that **Jacob Plankinhorn** and **Elizabeth Russell** were married 1781, July 10.

"Naturalizations of Foreign Protestants in the-American and West Indian Colonies" lists Jacob Plankinhorn on page 148 Whitpaine Township, Philadelphia Co, PA. The date was not given, only that the sacraments were taken by the Moravians.

Jacob Plankinton died Sept. 15, 1824, in Philadelphia at the age of 93 years. The names of any of his children are unknown. He was living at #8, Almond Street at the time of his death.

#### Sources:

"Cope" Smedley family
Plankinton, progenitor of Joseph and Robins Plankenton.
Edith Jackson Hankins
Keith Parrish
Jeanne Wilson

#### John Plankinhorn

John Plankinhorn was born in 1732, the second son of Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn. The date of his marriage to Jane Hart and the names of all of their children is unknown.

The first United States census taken in 1790, Philadelphia Co, PA, lists **John Plankinhorn**, a biscuit maker, two males over 16, 3 males under 16, with 5 females. That would be a total of eight children; four males and four females. At that time he was living in the southern District at # 4 Penn St. South side. This was quite a fashionable part of town.

In 1760 John was listed as a freeman, in Chester Township, Delaware Co, PA. In 1778 he was a distiller in the South Ward, Philadelphia, and at one time he owned a lumber yard at the corner of 7th and Zane Street. (now Guilbert).

John was naturalized as an American citizen, listed on page 137 (Naturalization of Foreign Protestants,

in the American and West Indian Colonies, Pursuant to Statue 13 George 11, c. 7,) This gives that the Plankinhorns were not from Great Britain.

John Plankinhorn is listed on page 191, in 1769, City of Philadelphia, North Ward, Proprietary Tax which shows he was taxed, but owned no acreage or livestock, 3.3.6

John was in the Revolutionary War, 6th Battalion, 4 Class. Pd. Apr. 20, 1781 Grice's Company. (Pa. Archives Series 6, vol. 1. page 431).

John and his family became members of the Philadelphia MM (Society of Friends) in 1766. The family had not previously been Quakers, and he asked for a certificate to the Concord, MM in 1814, one month before his death...

John Plankinhorn died Nov. 10, 1814 at the age of 82 years. Jane Hart Plankinhorn was born in 1743 and died Apr. 30, 1808. Their deaths are recorded in the Philadelphia MM. The names of only three of their children are known:

- 1. Thomas Plankinhorn, born in 1785, died Oct. 19, 1806 at the age of 21
- 2. Hannah Plankinhorn, married (Ware)
- 3. Susannah Plankinhorn, died in 1842, unmarried. She was living on east side of 6th street at the time of her death.

#### Peter Plankinhorn Jr.

Peter Plankinhorn Jr. was born ca 1735-38, the son of Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn. For some reason Peter changed the name from Plankinhorn to Plankenton in 1776. Not all of the children and grandchildren went along with him and continued to call themselves Plankinhorn.

Peter married Hannah Talkenton on Apr. 6, 1768. She was a member of the Concord MM in Philadelphia. They lived in Concord Township in 1777, and Peter was living on a rented farm of one hundred acres in Kennet Township in 1786. The date of the death of Hannah is unknown. After her death, Peter married Martha McMinn.

The First United States census in 1790 Chester Co, PA shows Peter Plankinton, 2 males over 16, 2 males under 16 and four females in his household. This would be his family by his second wife Martha.

Peter Plankinhorn died around 1808 at Mill Creek Hundred, Delaware Co, PA.

Peter and Hannah were the parents of three children:

- 1. Samuel Plankinton, born ca 1774, died in 1856. See account.
- 2. Jesse Plankinton, married in 1797. See account.
- 3. Peter Plankinton

Peter and his second wife Martha McMinn had five children:

- 4. Eli Plankinton
- 5. John Plankinton
- 6. Isabella Plankinton, married Jacob Pierson
- 7. Hannah Plankinton, married John Baughman
- 8. Ann Plankinton, no information.

#### Jesse Plankinton

Jesse Plankinton was the second son of Peter Plankinhorn Jr. and Hannah Talkinton and was born ca. 1772 in Brandywine Hundred, in Delaware. His father had changed the name from Plankinhorn to Plankinton in 1776. He married Jane Robins, on Mar. 3, 1797 in the Old Swede Lutheran Church in Wilmington, Delaware.

Jane Robins was born May 31, 1776 in Edgemont Township Delaware. She was the daughter of Joseph Robins and Jane Hooper of Edgemont, and the sister of Sarah Robins, wife of Jesse's brother Samuel. Jane and Sarah were the granddaughters of Joseph Robins and Leah Clayton of New Jersey who were the earliest progenitors of the Robins family.

After his marriage to **Jane**, they moved to Concord Co, Delaware, where their first child **Joseph** was born. Then they moved to Brandywine Hundred, Delaware near the Delaware County line. After the move to Delaware, he was in need of a barn on his place. His brother **Samuel**, being a carpenter, was employed to build one for him. He (**Samuel**) had an apprentice at the time. The apprentice was about 18 or 19 years old, and was a very eccentric young man and with a genius of a peculiar character. He (the apprentice) composed a number of verses which purported to describe the place, the people, their manners, and customs, etc. **Joseph Plankinton** could only remember one whole verse:

"They would gear up a bull and an old broken cart, and with a quarter of wood to town they would start. Make sale of the wood, then home they would come, with a quarter of flour and a gallon of rum."

Jane Robins Plankinton died in 1806. Jesse and Jane had been married for ten years and were the parents of three children. One day Jane and her horse were killed by lightning while riding on horseback with her husband. They were in the road about one mile north of Wilmington, where they had gone to make some purchases. Shortly after Jane's death, Jesse married Catherine Smith, who died in 1813 in Wilmington, Delaware. Jesse died Nov. 9, 1814 at Brandywine Hundred, one year after his father, and his first wife Jane's death. Jesse and Jane are both buried at the Concord MM, Cemetery.

Jesse and Jane were the parents of three children:

- Joseph Plankinton, born Dec. 25, 1799 and died Jan. 11 1890. He married Deborah
  Williams. Joseph was 75 in 1875, when he wrote an 8 page brochure on the Plankinton and
  Robins families. He gave the names of Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn as being the first
  progenitors of the family, and that they were late of Gloucester, in the Providence of New Jersey.
  Also, he thought that they were from the country of Wales
- 2. Robins Plankinton, born Dec. 19, 1801, died Feb. 12, 1869, married Sarah Cecelia Smith.
- 3. Susannah Plankinton, born June 5, 1805, died young

#### Samuel Plankinton:

Samuel Plankinton was born ca 1770, the was eldest son of Peter Plankinhorn Jr., and Hannah Talkinton. He married Sarah Robins, the daughter of Joseph and Jane (Hooper) Robins. Sarah was born in 1768 (or 1769) and died in Edgemont in 1856. She was a sister to Jane Robins, the wife of his brother Jesse.

After their marriage, they settled on a farm in Edgemont, owned by Lewis M. Yerkes. Samuel was a carpenter by trade, and died in Edgemont Nov. 10, 1819 at the age of about 50 years. His will was probated Nov. 30, 1819, witnesses were John Yarnell and Enos Painter. They were the parents of four known children:

- Samuel Plankinton, married Margaret Baker, and died in 1869. They lived in Edgemont Township, Delaware Co. One of their daughters, Mary Plankinton, married Henry Clay Bishop on Feb. 28, 1861. They were the grandparents of the writer of the "Preface Of The Plankinton Family Of Pennsylvania".
- 2. Hannah Plankinton was born Nov. 6, 1795 and died Feb. 7, 1855. She married Gideon Dunn.
- 3. Sarah Plankinton, born Aug. 30, 1801, died Sept. 3, 1882. She married Edward Baker.
- 4. Phoebe H. Plankinton, born July 8, 1809, died Jan. 4, 1884. She married Isaac Green.

#### Elizabeth Plankinhorn (Peter Plankinhorn)

Elizabeth's birth date is unknown. She was the daughter of Peter Plankinhorn and his wife Susanna, late of Gloucester, New Jersey. The only information found on Elizabeth was her marriage to Francis Adams on June 2, 1762, in the old Swede Church in Wilmington, Delaware.

#### Catherine Plankinhorn (Peter Plankinhorn?)

Catherine was born ca 1726-29 and believed to have been the daughter of Peter and Susanna Plankinhorn, as they were the only family in Pennsylvania by the name. The date and place of her marriage to Samuel Jackson is unknown. They lived in Chester Co, PA, near the Delaware river, before moving to Rowan Co, NC. They lived in Rowan Co, NC for about fourteen years before moving

to Surry Co, NC, where they remained the rest of their lives. When Stokes Co was formed from Surry Co, their land lay just across the Stokes Co line near Tom's Creek and the Westfield MM. Catherine died Apr. 4, 1780.

#### Children of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn:

- Jacob Jackson, was born ca. 1749 in Chester Co, PA. He married Ann Beals on Aug. 10, 1774.
   Ann was born Sept. 3, 1755, daughter of Bowater Beals and Sarah Ann Cook. Jacob was a Quaker minister, He moved his family to Highland Co, OH, where they remained until their death. Jacob died Nov. 14, 1844 at the age of 97 years. Ann died on Aug. 27, 1835. They were the parents of nine children. See account.
- 2. Curtis Jackson was born ca. 1751 in Chester Co, PA. He married Ruth Beals Nov. 25, 1775. Ruth was born June 17, 1757, the daughter of Bowater Beals, and Sarah Ann Cook. They lived on Tom's Creek, in Surry Co until 1808 where all twelve of their children were born. Curtis' second marriage was to Elizabeth Shaw on June 10, 1820, in Guilford Co, NC. Curtis remained in North Carolina and was living in Guilford Co in Sept. 1829, when he made out his will. He had two daughters by his second wife. See account.
- 3. John Jackson was born ca, 1753 in Chester Co, PA. He married Phoebe Beals on Nov. 10, 1779. Phoebe was born Mar. 3, 1759, the daughter of Bowater and Sarah Ann Cook Beals. He remained in Surry Co for about 15 years then moved first to Green Co, TN, then to Highland Co, OH. He died in Highland Co, Nov. 1, 1810. They were the parents of twelve children.
- 4. Susannah Jackson was born ca 1757 in Chester Co, PA. She married Daniel Beals on Apr. 5, 1775 at Westfield. Daniel was, born Feb. 15, 1753, the son of Thomas Beals and Sarah Antrim Beals. This family moved to several places, and it is believed that at the time of Susannah's death, they were living in Randolph Co, IN. Susannah died Aug. 9, 1840. They were the parents of ten children.
- 5. Samuel Jackson Jr. It has not been proven that this Samuel Jackson Jr., was the son of Samuel Sr., and Catherine Jackson. He was born in Chester Co, PA in 1758, and would have been the right age to have been Samuel and Catherine's son. No children have been found for Samuel Sr. and Catherine from 1755 to 1761 when their son Joseph was born, unless they had a child that died. This Samuel Jr. married Hannah Gibson on Jan. 23, 1782. Hannah's parents are unknown, but are believed to be Valentine and Frances (Garret) Gibson. Samuel Jr. was a Revolutionary War soldier. He died in Stokes Co, NC on June 18, 1834. They were the parents of eleven children.
- 6. Joseph Jackson, was born Dec. 27, 1761 in Rowan Co, NC. He was the first child born to Samuel and Catherine after their arrival in Rowan Co, NC. He married Sarah Jessup at Westfield, Mar. 21, 1787. Sarah was born Aug. 20, 1764. She was the daughter of Joseph Jessup and Priscilla (Jackson) Jessup. This family remained in Surry and Stokes Co and they were the parents of 11 children, many of their descendants still live in this area.
- 7. Elizabeth Jackson was born, May 12, 1763 in Rowan Co, NC. She married Charles Simmons at Westfield on Mar. 8, 1786. They were the parents of six known children. Charles was the son of Peter and Elizabeth Simmons. Very little information more is known about the Simmons family.
- 8. Jehu Jackson, was born July 4, 1765 in Rowan Co, NC. He married Hope Jessup at Westfield, on Mar. 22, 1788. They were the parents of nine children. Hope was the daughter of Timothy Jessup and Hannah Pratt. Jehu lived most of his life in Stokes Co. At the age of 65 years, he moved to Hendricks Co, IN where he died on July 6, 1844.
- 9. William Jackson was born May 15, 1767 in Rowan Co, NC. He married Mary Jessup Sept. 12, 1790. They had six known children. Mary Jessup was the daughter of Joseph and Priscilla (Jackson) Jessup. William remained in Stoker Co all of his life, where many of his descendants are still living. His will was probated on Sept. 20, 1851.
- 10. Amer Jackson was born June 9, 1769 in Rowan Co, NC. His first marriage (date unknown) was to Violette Forkner. His second marriage was to Elizabeth Shippley. He had ten children by his first wife and five children by his second. Most all of these children remained in North Carolina, where there are many of his descendants are still living.

Chapter 2

JACOB JACKSON

# The eldest son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn

Born: ca 1747 in PA.
Died Nov. 14, 1844 in Clinton Co, Ohio
Married: Ann Beals on Mar. 1, 1744

#### JACOB JACKSON (Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Jackson was born in Chester Co, PA, around 1747, the son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn. His parents moved to Rowan Co, NC when he was about twelve or thirteen years old.

After their arrival in North Carolina, his father placed him in the home of a member of "The Society of Friends" (Quakers) to learn a trade. He remained in the care of this family for several years. Their names are unknown.

Jacob was not a birthright Quaker, as so many of them were. His parents, Samuel and Catherine were not members of the Quaker Church. He became a member of the New Garden MM in Guilford Co, upon his personal application for membership, soon after arriving at manhood.

His parents moved from Rowan Co, to Surry Co, NC, around 1774, settling on Tom's Creek. Jacob must have been quite an influence on his brothers and sisters, as they all became members of the Society of Friends. There is no record of his parents ever joining either the New Garden or the Westfield MM. A Quaker meeting house was built and called Tom's Creek MM. Jacob, along with his brothers, Curtis, John, and Samuel Jr. were among the charter members. They later helped build the new church called "Westfield". A new brick church has been built to take the place of the old one on the same location, and just across the highway is the grave yard. Unfortunately all of the old early Quaker graves have been plowed under and now there is just an open field. It gives you a very sad feeling to stand and look out over this plowed field where so many of the Jackson family and their relatives were buried. The Jessup, Sumner, Simmons, Hiett, Garrett, and many other families were also buried there.

Jacob married Ann Beals on Mar. 1, 1774 in the old Tom's Creek MM. Ann Beals was the daughter of Bowater Beals, and Sarah A. Cook. Jacob bought his first land (recorded at Dobson, Surry Co) from Lewis Conners, which contained 100 acres and was located on the waters of Tom's Creek, not far from the Virginia line and the Blue Ridge Mountains.

Jacob moved his family to New Hope MM in Green Co, TN on Dec. 24, 1797, where he remained for seven years. On Dec. 17, 1804 he moved with his family to Miami, OH, and in 1811 to Clinton Co, OH where he remained until his death Nov. 14, 1844, at the age of 97.

The following is from "A Testimony of Fall Creek Monthly Meeting of Fiends In Highland Co, and State of Ohio, concerning JACOB JACKSON"

Under a solemn engagement of mind, that breaths love to the memory of the deceased, and desires for the edification of the living, we are induced to give a brief account of our beloved friend and helper in Christ, **Jacob Jackson**. He was born in Chester Co, PA, and when about twelve or thirteen years old, his parents removed with him to Rowan Co, NC. While yet a lad, his father placed him in the services, and under the care of a steady and exemplary member of our Society, where he resided for several years, in which time, (as some of us have heard him say) he became seriously engaged concerning his future state. Impressions of this kind increased, until he believed it his duty to make application to become a member of the Society which, after a time of deliberation, was granted.

In the year 1774, he married Ann, daughter of Bowater and Sarah Beals, who proved a pious and an affectionate helpmate to him during the space of about sixty-one years. She was a woman of good example in the common walks of life, and particularly in that of the diligent attendance of our religious meetings, in which she encouraged her children and those around her, and for a number of years before her death she filled the station of an Elder in the church to the satisfaction of her Friends. In the early part of his married state, he became deeply exercised under an apprehension that he was called to the ministry, unto which he submitted, and occupied his gift therein with great caution and self-abasement, having frequently been heard to say that it was a great thing to him to be permitted to minister in the Lord's sanctuary.

He moved with his family to Tennessee in 1796. He remained there about eight years, aiding in the settling and well-ordering of the meetings of Friends in that state, and also performing some religious visits to Friends and others in other States. In the fall of 1804, he again removed with his family and settled in this county, where, for many succeeding years he witnessed the almost unprecedented increase and growth of Friend's meetings in this country, particularly in this and some of the neighboring counties, many of which received a portion of his tender care and labor, both in the ministry, and the proper exercise of the discipline, wherein he had a remarkably quick sight and correct judgment. He was diligent in the attendance of his meetings at home, where he mostly sat in a solemn and awful silence, waiting patiently for the moving of the waters, yet at times he would rise, as it were, from the bottom of Jordan, bringing up stones of memorial as evidence of help in his deep baptisms and earnest engagement for the present and future welfare, of all mankind, particularly the members of this Society whom he ardently loved.

In the latter part of the year 1811, he moved to Clinton county, where a few Friends had previously settled, and where, also, and in the adjacent meetings, his labors of love were continued. His longest sojourn was there. There his useful labors closed, and in the burying ground at that place his remains and those of his beloved wife repose.

After the division which took place in our Yearly and Subordinate Meetings in the years 1828 and 1829, this our dear Friend, with the members of this Monthly Meeting, were attached to Miami Quarterly meeting, from which he resided more than twenty miles and, not with-standing his great age, the distance, the frequent inclemency of the weather and badness of the road, he seldom failed attending it, often evincing therein a fervency of engagement for the good of "this People" as he frequently called the Society, which manifested a greenness in old age, such as we do not remember to have witnessed in any other person.

His intellectual faculties were strong and continued almost unimpaired to the close of his eventful life. In his conversation and deportment among his friends he was of a remarkably cheerful and lively disposition, often very shrewdly applying the common incidents of the time and occasion to the correction or encouragement (as the case required) of those about him, which rendered him company not only agreeable but instructive and edifying.

Within the last ten years he several times visited all the Monthly Meetings within the limits of Miami Quarter, administering advice in cases of difficulty, and encouragement to those who were laboring faithfully to support the testimonies and good order of our Society. He was also enabled to attend all the sittings of our last Yearly Meeting a little more than a month before his decease in the several sittings whereof he manifested a deep and lively concern for the right acceptance and application of the Gospel. His greatest concern appeared to be for the cause of Truth and the welfare of those whom he should leave behind. His mind was exercised on account of the many empty professions and new-modeled systems so prevalent in those days, and exhorted Friends both in meeting and in private conversation to faithfulness in bearing a testimony against them, saying that we should not only discourage our children and those under our care from attending the lectures delivered on those subjects, but that we should restrain them when practicable.

His last illness, which was of a complicated character, confined him mostly to his room for about three

weeks, but to his bed only a few hours. A sudden change took place about two o'clock in the afternoon on the 14th day of the eleventh month, 1844, On being helped to bed he said he did not expect ever to rise again, and spoke but little afterwards, though he appeared to be quite sensible and composed, and lay in that situation until near eleven o'clock in the evening of the same day, when he passed quietly away, and thus closed his long and useful life in the 97th year of his age.

We who are left behind cannot but feel the loss of him who has been a father in Israel, whose religious experience and sound principles have survived the many turnings and overturning that have transpired for almost a century, a large portion of which time he has been as one of Zion's watchmen, faithful to the Captain of His Salvation, Signed by direction and on behalf of the aforesaid Meeting, held at Clear Creed, the 19th day of the 4th month, 1845, by:

Joseph Bennett Edith Tomlinson, (Clerks)

#### JACOB JACKSON and ANN BEALS

Whereas, Jacob Jackson, son of Samuel and Catherine Jackson, of the county of Surry, and province of North Carolina, and Ann Beals, daughter of Bowater and Sarah Beals, of the county and province aforesaid, having declared their intentions of marriage before several of the Monthly meetings of the people called Quakers, at New Garden whose proceedings therein (having consent of parents and relations concerned) were allowed of by the same Meetings.

Now these are to certify whom it may concern, that for the full accomplishment of their said intentions, this tenth day of the eight month in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and seventy four, they, the said Jacob Jackson and Ann Beals, appeared in public assembly of the said People, and others met together, at their usual Meeting House at Tom's Creek, in the County of Surry aforesaid, and the said Jacob Jackson, taking the said Ann Beals by the hand, did in a solemn manner openly declare that he took her to be his wife, promising to be unto her a loving and faithful husband, until death should separate them. And then and there in the said Assembly, the said Ann Beals did in like manner declare that she took the said Jacob Jackson to be her husband, promising to be unto him a loving and faithful wife until death should separate them, or words to that effect. And moreover the said Jacob Jackson and Ann Beals, she according to the custom of marriage assuming the name of her husband, as a further confirmation thereof, did then and there to these present set their hands,

Jacob Jackson Ann Jackson

And we whose names are hereunder, being amongst others present, at the solemnization of their marriage and superscription in manner aforesaid, as witnesses thereto, have hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

<b>Bowater Beals</b>	Esther Burris	Ann Hiett	Ann Jessup
Thomas Beals	Samuel Bond	Hannah Hiett	Thomas Jessup
Sarah Beals	David Ballard	Susannah Hiett	Thomas Jessup
Ruth Beals	Moorman Ballard	Catherine Jackson	Mary Jessup
Sarah Beals	Uriah Carson	Samuel Jackson	Caleb Jessup
Elizabeth Beals	Amos Henley	Richard Jones	Phoebe Sumner
Daniel Beals	John Hiett	Jamima Jones	Thomas Sumner
John Bryant	Hannah Hiett	Curtis Jackson	Ruth Worley
Lydia Bryant	Joseph Hiett	Jacob Jessup	Hen( Worley

"The above marriage of Jacob and Ann Beals was copied from the original document, owned by Mrs. Ida Jackson of Whitter, CA, sent in to New Garden MM at Guilford College, in Greensboro, NC".

# ANN BEALS (wife of Jacob Jackson)

ANN Beals was born Sept. 3, 1755, in Orange Co, NC, and later moved to Guilford Co. She died on Aug. 27, 1835, in Martinsville, Clinton Co, OH at age 80. She was the daughter of Bowater Beals, and Sarah Ann Cook.

Sarah Ann Cook, the mother of Ann, was born Oct. 12, 1732, and was the daughter of Thomas Cook and Mary Underwood.

Thomas Cook, was born Aug. 29, 1704, at Norwich, England and was the son of Peter and Elinor Norman Cook. He emigrated to Pennsylvania with his parents in 1713. He married Mary Underwood, the daughter of Alexander and Jane (Harris) Underwood, about 1730, probably at London Grove, in Chester Co, PA. The family moved to Newberry in York Co, PA, where they are mentioned in the records of the Warrington MM. Thomas died in 1752. Mary and some of the children moved to Cane Creek, NC in 1754. Mary then married Joseph Wells of Cane Creek in 1758.

(Sources: Cook genealogies, and Warrington meeting records, compiled by Wayne B. Hadley, Palmyra, PA. in 1874.)

Bowater Beals, father of Ann was born in 1725. He married Sarah Ann Cook at Warrington MM in Pennsylvania and on Jan. 6, 1753. They were received at Cane Creek MM, NC, on certificate from Fairfax MM, Montgomery, PA, dated July 25, 1752. The family records are found in New Garden MM, Guilford Co, NC. He died in Guilford Co, Feb. 9, 1781. Bowater was the son of John Beals.

John Beals was born Jan. 20, 1685-6, and was the son of John and Mary (Clayton) Beals. He married Sarah Bowater on Sept. 14, 1711 at Chester MM. Sarah was born Aug. 17, 1688 and was the daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Edge) Bowater.

John and Sarah Beals moved to Monocacy, Medericks Co, Maryland in 1725, then to Hopewell, near Winchester, VA, where John died in 1745. Three years later the family moved to North Carolina, and on Mar. 1748 Sarah (Bowater) Beals married Alexander Underwood.

Bowater and Sarah (Cook) Beals were the parents of nine children. Their first three daughters all married the sons of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn. Ann married Jacob Jackson, Ruth married Curtis Jackson, and Phoebe (Phebe) married John Jackson.

Their son John Bowater Beals was born in 1764 and married Lois Branson and moved to Miami MM, OH with the Jackson family. Another daughter, Sarah Beals, born in 1776, married Benjamin Hoggatt (later changed to Hockett).

Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson were the parents of nine children:

- Rachel Jackson was born July 15, 1775, Westfield, Surry Co, NC. Her first marriage was to Enoch Graham in ca 1799, and her second marriage was to Christopher Hussey on June 6 1829. Rachel died on Sept. 23, 1846 in Highland Co, OH. See account.
- 2. Ruth Jackson was born Nov. 4, 1776 in Surry Co, NC. She married Joseph Hoggatt (Hockett) on Nov. 9, 1796.
- 3. Samuel Jackson was born Aug. 10, 1778, at Westfield, Surry Co, NC. See account.
- Mary Jackson was born Feb. 28, 1782 in Surry Co. She married Thomas Macklin on Nov. 10, 1804.
- 5. Ann Jackson was born Apr. 25, 1784 in Surry Co, NC. She was with her parents when they moved to Green Co, TN. No other information on Ann. She may have died young.
- Jesse Jackson was born Oct. 16, 1786 in Surry Co, NC. and died in Clinton Co, OH on Aug. 8, 1844. He married Ann Hockett on Apr. 6, 1814. Ann was the daughter of Joseph and Ann Hockett
- Lydia Jackson was born Oct. 11, 1788 in Surry Co, NC, and died Feb. 22, 1870. She married Joseph Thornburg on Feb. 6, 1812. Joseph was the son of Joseph and Rachel (Brown) Thornburg
- 8. Curtis Jackson was born Jan. 1, 1793, in Surry Co, NC and diedon Apr. 30, 1850, in Clinton Co, OH. He married Lydia Sumner on Oct. 25, 1815. Lydia was the daughter of Thomas and Hannah (Hiatt) Sumner.

9. Josiah Jackson was born Aug. 9, 1795 in Surry Co, NC and died on July 16, 1848 in Clinton Co, OH. His first marriage was to Ruth Hiatt on Oct. 18, 1814. His second marriage was to Hannah Hiatt on Mar. 27, 1845. Ruth and Hannah were sisters and the daughters of Benjamin and Mary (Worley) Hiatt

# Rachel Jackson (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel, the eldest daughter of Jacob and Ann Jackson, was born, July 15, 1775 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC and she grew up in the Westfield Community. She married Enoch Graham ca 1799. After their marriage they moved to TN, around the close of the eighteenth century. Enoch died in 1806 in TN. Rachel and her family immigrated to OH and settled near Lexington in 1807. They moved to Clark Township in 1810.

Rachel's second marriage was to Christopher Hussey June 6, 1829 in Newberry MM in Clinton Co, OH. Christopher Hussey was born Nov. 19, 1770 in Randolph Co, NC. He was the son of Steven and Martha (Charmness) Hussey. Steven's first wife was Sarah Brown, and they were the parents of nine children,

Christopher, with his brother Steven, made the trip to OH with their families in 1805. The trip was made by wagon and team from Deep River, NC through TN and KY, where they camped out at night in the wagons. They crossed the Ohio River at Maysville and continued on into Highland Co, an entirely new and heavily timbered country. They were on the road for six weeks, and after they arrived at their destination, they had to continue living in the wagons until the men had time to clear off a patch of ground and build log cabins.

The father, Stephen Hussey, was located just across the line in Clinton Co. Their uncle, Joshua lived about a half mile south of him, just on the northern edge of Highland Co. Christopher and Stephen Jr., were about four miles south of them on the banks of Clear Creek.

Although lame, Christopher was a good farmer, and was also known as a blacksmith. He died on Jan. 21, 1851 at the home of his son Christopher, in Lee Co, IA, Rachel died on Sept. 23, 1846 and was buried at Clear Creek, Highland Co, OH.

Rachel and her first husband, Enoch Graham, had six children:

- 1. Jacob Graham was born before Nov. 23, 1797, and died before Sept. 17, 1808.
- 2. Jonathan Graham, born June 19, 1801, in Tennessee.
- Josiah Graham born Mar. 1, 1803 in Tennessee, died Apr. 2, 1856 at age 53. He married Mary on July 22, 1825 at Newberry, MM. Mary was born July 13, 1804, died July 4, 1875 age 70 years, 11 months, and 21 days.
- Jesse Graham, born Jan. 16, 1805 in Tennessee. His first marriage was to Phoebe Wright on Feb. 28, 1828 at Newberry. Phoebe died Mar. 12, 1859. Jesse's second marriage was to Rachel Batson. See account.
- 5. Mary Graham, married Ira Grace Hunt on Apr. 28, 1815 at Clear Creek MM, Highland Co, OH. Ira Hunt was born on Oct. 3, 1793 in Guilford Co, NC, and died May 15, 1864. Ira was the son of John Hunt and Rachel Hayworth. Ira was dismissed from the New Garden MM, Wayne Co, IN on July 15, 1820 for producing a receipt against a note unjustly.
- 6. Rachel Graham, last noted information Nov. 26, 1800. She was a member of Fairfield MM, OH.

Rachel and her second husband, Christopher Hussey had twins:

- 1. Christopher Hussey Jr., born July 26, 1816. (see account on Christopher)
- 2. Lydia Hussey, born July 26, 1816. She married Frederick Moberley. See account. Jesse Graham.

Jesse Graham was born Jan. 16, 1805 in TN, the son of Enoch Graham and Rachel Jackson. His father died when he was only a year old and his mother moved her family to OH to be near her parents, Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson.

Information on Christopher Hussey Jr. taken from "Lee Co, Iowa History"

# Charles Hussey

Charles Hussey was born Mar. 11, 1838 in Highland Co, OH, the son of Christopher Hussey Jr. and Rachel R. Moberly. He was about ten years old when his parents moved to Henry Co, IA.

He enlisted at Burlington, IA on June 17, 1861 as a second corporal in Company K, Sixth Iowa Infantry for the Civil War. He was Honorably Discharged at Louisville, Kentucky, July 21, 1865. His personal description at the time of enlistment: height: six feet, complexion: fair, eyes: blue, and hair: light brown. He applied for a pension June 8, 1920 at Henry Co, MO. The application stated that the nature of his disability was Rheumatism in left knee, and ancylois joint (that is, left knee stiff). He gave the places that he had lived after leaving the service as Lowell, Henry Co, IA, up to 1875, Huffton, Lee Co, IA, up to 1907, and Clinton, MO.

Charles married Alice Hunt. The date of their marriage, the name of her parents, and the names of any children they may have had are unknown at this time.

Charles died Mar. 22, 1927 in Clinton, MO with influenza at age 89 years and nine days. He is buried in Englewood Cemetery, in Clinton, MO.

#### LYDIA HUSSEY:

LYDIA was born on July 26, 1816 in Highland Co, OH, the daughter of Rachel Jackson and Christopher Hussey, and a twin to Christopher Jr. She married Frederick Moberly on Nov. 10, 1836. Lydia died Mar. 24, 1863 in Highland Co.

Frederick Moberly was born July 1, 1812, the son of Rezir Moberly. His second marriage was to Lovenia Pugh on Aug. 1, 1863. His will dated Mar. 11, 1874, Proven Mar. 24, 1874, named children: Cyrus Frederick, Emma, Ida Margaret, Mary Hopkins, Lydia Jane Keether. Executor: "my brother Rezir W. Moberly" Witnesses were: James Lewis, James H. Pugh, Levenia, (widow elected to take under the law) Sureties J. P. Vance, James Lewis.

Lydia and Frederick were the parents of ten children, all born in Highland Co, OH:

- 1. Christopher C. Moberly, born Nov. 17, 1837, died 1904 in Highland Co, OH. He married Louisa J. Wood on Jan. 12, 1864.
- 2. John F. Moberly, born Oct. 29, 1839, died Mar. 10, 1923. He married Catherine Dunce Sept. 26, 1866. See account.
- 3. James Moberty was born July 1842, and died in 1912. He married Elizabeth S. Foreman Feb. 24, 1864.
- 4. Charles A. Moberly was born on Mar. 9, 1847, and died July 30, 1921. He married Amelia Fender Oct. 10, 1867. See account.
- 5. William Moberly born in 1848
- 6. Cyrus F, Moberly was born Jan. 1855. He married Philinia Grant Mar. 22, 1877.
- 7. Mary Moberly's birthdate is unknown. She married John W. Hopkins Feb. 23, 1869.
- 8. Lydia Jane Moberly was born in Highland Co, OH. She married Franklin Keether (Keithler) Feb. 11, 1871.
- 9. Emma Moberly, born Highland Co, OH. Her birthdate is unknown.
- 10. Ida Margaret Moberly was born Aug. 1865. She married John B. Puckett in 1855.

# JOHN F. MOBERLY

JOHN was the son of Lydia Hussey and Frederick Moberty was born Oct. 29, 1839 in Buford, Highland Co, OH. He enrolled June 13, 1863, at Camp Dennison, OH, as a private in Company G Cavalry of the 11th Regiment of Ohio, in the Civil War. He was honorably discharged at Fort Laramie D. T. on June 27, 1866. He also served one year in 60th Ohio Infantry, Company B.

His personal description at the time of enlistment was: Height: five feet, eleven inches, complexion: light, eyes: Gray, hair: brown, and his occupation was listed as a school teacher. He applied for a pension, Dec. 11, 1909 in Adams Co, State of Washington. His pension certificate number 379215. He

gave his age as 70 years, and stated that he was a resident of Lind, Adams Co. After his discharge, he lived in Dayton, and other parts of Ohio until 1899. After 1899, he had made his home in Adams Co, WA.

John married Sept. 27, 1866 in Highland Co, OH, Catherine Duncan, they were married by Thomas Sheldon a Justice of the peace. The marriage is recorded in the probate office at Hillsboro, Highland Co, OH. His answer to the question on his application: "Are you living with your wife?; answer: "we are living together and will continue until death separates us" The names of children listed on application for pension were:

- 1. Eunice W. Moberly born June 11, 1868
- 2. Ernestine Moberly born Aug. 6, 1871
- 3. Carrie M. Moberly born Dec. 23, 1874
- 4. Nellie G. Moberty born Dec. 17, 1876
- 5. John A. Moberly born Sept. 16, 1878
- 6. Nancy M. Moberly born June 6, 1881
- 7. Aurelia Moberly born May 1, 1883, died Oct. 6, 1885
- 8. Foraker B. Moberty born Feb. 28, 1886, died May 3, 1888
- 9. Othello Moberly born Apr. 7, 1888
- 10. Herbert H. Moberly born Sept. 16, 1890

#### CHARLES A. MOBERLY

Charles was born Mar. 9, 1847 and was the son of Lydia Hussey and Frederick Moberly. He enlisted as a private in Company B, 175th Regiment, Ohio Infantry Volunteers, and served at least ninety days in the Civil War 1861-1865. and was honorably discharged. Charles was taken prisoner at Franklin, TN Nov. 30, 1864 and was exchanged Apr. 1865.

He died at his home in Buford, Highland Co, OH, July 30, 1921. On his application for pension dated Aug. 15, 1917 he named his wife as Amelia Fender, and that they were married Oct. 10, 186-, He named five children:

- 1. Loueta Moberly, born July 31, 1868
- 2. Nancy M, Moberly, born Dec. 18, 1870
- 3. Mary G, Moberly, born Apr. 12, 1872
- 4. Birtie J. Moberly, born Mar. 9, 1878
- 5. Magie E, Moberly, born Apr., 1885.

#### Ruth Jackson (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Ruth was born Nov. 4, 1776 in the Westfield community in Surry Co, NC and was the second daughter of Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson. She married Joseph Hockett (Hoggette) on Nov. 9, 1796. The year of Ruth's death is now unknown.

Joseph Hockett, (Hoggette) born Dec. 9, 1772, in Stokes Co, NC and was the son of Anthony Hockett and Mary Stanley, This family moved Nov. 18, 1797 from Westfield MM to New Hope MM in TN. In 1804 they moved to Miami, OH. In 1817, they were members of the Newberry, MM in Clinton Co, OH.

The "History of Clinton Co, Ohio. Jefferson Township", states that Joseph Hockett emigrated from TN. He lilt a hewed log house which was the first within the township and cleared a field on lands now owned by William Scott, near Hixon's schoolhouse. Soon after, he bought land in the Hale's Branch neighborhood to which he remained there until his death, in about 1843. His neighbors were Thomas Comer, John Garner, and a Mr. Brunson.

Joseph and Ruth were the parents of seven known children:

- Ann Hockett, born Aug. 1, 1797 in Westfield, NC. She married William Garner Apr. 24, 1817.
- Elizabeth Hockett, born May 7, 1800 in Sevier Co, TN and died Feb. 19, 1842. She married Thomas Moon Oct. 29, 1818. See account.
- Jesse Hockett, born 1802 in Sevier Co, TN. He married Sarah A. Richardson Oct. 24, 1822.

- Jacob Hockett, was born May 3, 1804 in TN and died Jan. 25, 1876. He married Rhoda Moon on June 24, 1830. See account.
- 5. Rachel Hockett was born Oct. 10, 1806 in Ohio, and died July 31, 1843 in Clinton Co, OH. She married Daniel H. Moon Sept. 2, 1824 at Newberry. See account.
- 6. Susannah Hockett was born July 7, 1808 in Ohio. She married George Millner Apr. 21, 1834 in Newberry, OH.
- Josiah Hockett was born Sept. 21, 1815 in Ohio. He married Mary Millner on May 15, 1834.

# Ann Hockett (Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Ann Hockett was born Aug. 1, 1797 in the Westfield Community of Surry Co, NC. She married William Garner on Apr. 14, 1817, in Clinton Co, OH. William Garner was born Apr. 20, 1794. He died June 17, 1851 in Jefferson Township, Clinton Co. They were the parents of 13 children, all born in OH:

- John Garner was born Mar. 1, 1818 and died Aug. 13, 1906. He married Ann Holaday Dec. 30, 1840.
- 2. Elizabeth Garner was born Sept. 6, 1819. She married Jonathan Andrew on Oct. 28, 1840.
- 3. James Garner was born Oct. 16, 1820. He married Grace Moon on Sept. 26, 1844.
- 4. Ruth Garner was born Apr. 13, 1822. She married William Andrew on Nov. 20, 1844.
- 5. Mary Garner was born Jul. 28, 1825 and died Oct. 3, 1843 in Ohio. She was unmarried.
- 6. Rebecca Garner was born Oct. 1, 1827, and died Mar. 23, 1916. She married William Pyle July 23, 1845.
- 7. Susannah Garner was born July 12, 1829. She married Asa B. Green Apr. 24, 1850.
- 8. Jephthat Garner was born Dec. 11, 1831. He married Martha B. McPherson Mar. 20, 1854.
- 9. Nancy Garner was born Apr. 18, 1833. She died Feb. 11, 1842, at the age of nine years.
- Raleigh Garner, born Jan. 10, 1835, died Feb. 23, 1914. He married Ruth Haisley Feb. 2, 1860.
- 11. Rachel Garner was born Aug. 16, 1836. She married Joseph Moore.
- 12. Martha Garner was born Oct. 13, 1838. She married Lindley Coppock Sept. 26, 1860.
- 13. Jesse Garner was born Dec. 13, 1823 and died unmarried May 19, 1843, at age 20 years.

#### Ruth Gardner (Ann Hockett, Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Ruth Gardner was born Apr. 13, 1822 in Clinton Co, OH and died in Clinton Co in 1906. She was the daughter of Ann Hockett and William Gardner. She married William Andrews Nov. 20, 1844 in Clinton Co. William was born Nov. 21, 1818. He died in Clinton Co, OH Dec. 15, 1856 at the age of 35 years and was buried at Westfork Cemetery. He was the son of Henry Andrews and Jane Mills. They had seven children:

- 1. Jacob H. Andrews was born Apr. 16, 1845. He married Frances A. McCrary in Jan. of 1868.
- 2. Mary Andrews was born Apr. 7, 1847. Her first marriage was to William Garrett. Her second marriage was to Henry Brown.
- 3. Lydia Ann Andrews was born May 13, 1848 and died Jul. 13, 1888. She married Samuel Carter Nov. 2, 1865 at the Newberry MM in Grant Co, IN. See account.
- 4. Sarah Andrews was born May 7, 1850 and died May 10, 1850.
- 5. Robert Andrews was born Jul. 18, 1851. He married Clarinda Van Winkle on Oct. 7, 1875.
- 6. James Raleigh Andrews was born Aug. 15, 1854 and died in 1901. He married Matte Hopewell.
- 7. Nancy Jane Andrews was born Sept. 29, 1856 and died in 1933. She married Dow Holaday Jul. 11, 1874.

#### Lydia Ann Andrews (Ruth Gardner, Ann Hockett, Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Lydia Ann Andrews was born May 13, 1848, the daughter of William and Ruth (Gardner)
Andrews. She died July 13, 1888 in Liberty Township, Grant Co, IN and was buried at Oak Ridge
Cemetery. She married Samuel Carter Nov. 11, 1865.

Samuel Carter died in Clinton, Co, OH, Nov. 3, 1910. He was the son of Enoch Carter and Elizabeth Faulkner. He married Eva Moon after the death of Lydia Ann.

Samuel and Lydia were the parents of seven children:

1. Ruth E. Carter was Born In 1866 and died in infancy.

- 2. Alice D. Carter was born July 31, 1867 in Jefferson Township, Clinton Co, OH. She died Apr. 19, 1939, in Martinsville, Clinton Co, OH. She married Horace Grant Page on Oct. 31, 1886 in Grant Co, IN.
- 3. Mary Emily Carter was born Apr. 16, 1870 and died Mar. 20, 1956. She married David Hettinger in Topeka, KS.
- 4. Clarence Elton Carter was born Jan. 20, 1878 and died Apr. 23, 1879 in Clinton Co, OH.
- 5. William C. Carter was born in 1879 and died Dec. 28, 1875.
- Eva Rachel Carter was born Nov. 7, 1880 and died July 5, 1861. She married John Burgett in Monta Vista, Co.
- 7. Charles Carter was born June 20, 1882.

# Alice D. Carter (Lydia Andrews, Ruth Gardner, Ann Hockett, Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson) Alice was born July 31, 1867 in Clinton Co, OH, the daughter of Lydia Ann Andrews and Samuel Carter. She died Apr. 19, 1939, in Martinsville, and was buried at Westfork Cemetery. She married Horace Grant Page Oct. 31, 1886 in Grant Co, IN.

Horace was born Aug. 23, 1863 and died Mar. 22, 1939. He was the son of James Page and Maria Hardesty.

They were the parents of four children:

- Venice Marie Page, born Sept. 17, 1887 and died in 1965. She married Marion Fisher Sept. 24, 1904.
- Samuel Earl Page was born Jan. 30, 1890, in Grant Co, IN and died Oct. 15, 1958 in Wilmington, OH. He married Elizabeth Cramer June 2, 1917.
- 3. Charles Harrison Page was born June 25, 1892 in Grant Co, IN and died Nov. 20, 1959 in Wilmington, OH. He married Alta Allen Apr. 20, 1917.

Alta was born Oct. 17, 1894, in Putman Co, OH. She died June 14, 1962 in Martinsville, OH. She was the daughter of **David B. Allen** and **Mary Alice Cook**.

They were the parents of five children, all born in Clinton Co, OH:

- a. Donald Allen Page was born June 9, 1920. He married Irene Helm Schubert Apr. 20, 1946, in Akron, OH.
- b. Mary Alice Page was born Feb., 28, 1923. She married Louie F. Winters Sept. 3, 1944 in Indianapolis, IN.
- c. Miriam Hortense Page was born Jan. 18, 1825. She married Raymond D. Whitehead July 15, 1944 in Wilmington, OH. Raymond and Miriam had a daughter:
  - Jane Ann Whitehead, born Oct. 22, 1950, who married David G. Engle on Dec. 21, 1974 in Green Co, OH. (Raymond was born Jan. 10, 1920 in Bransville, IN, the son of Ronald B. and Mary Lenora McKain Whitehead.)
- d. Robert Gene Page was born Dec. 22, 1930. He married Frances Ernestine Surritt Nov. 19, 1960 in Wilmington, OH.
- e. Margaret Jane Page was born Sept. 12, 1932. She married Giblert Allan Rothacker Sept. 10, 1955 in Wilmington, OH.
- 4. Lillian Ann Page was born July 18, 1894, in Grant Co, IN and died Oct. 28, 1895 in Grant Co, IN.

# Elizabeth Hockett (Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth Hockett was the second daughter of Ruth Jackson and Joseph Hockett. She was born May 7, 1800, Sevier Co, TN, died Feb. 19, 1842, and was buried at Newberry, Clinton Co, OH. She married Thomas Moon Oct. 29, 1818, at Newberry MM.

Thomas Moon was born Mar. 14, 1798 in Sevier Co, TN, the son of Joseph and Ann Moon. After the death of Elizabeth, Thomas married Sarah Presnall Mar. 22, 1844 at Clear Springs MM, Henry Co, IN.

Elizabeth and Thomas were the parents of thirteen children, all born in Clinton Co, IN:

- 1. Ruth Moon was born Dec. 10, 1818. She married George Johnson Oct. 1, 1840.
- Isaiah Moon was born Jan. 2, 1820 and died Feb. 26, 1904. He married Mary Biddlecome Nov. 28, 1839.
- 3. Joseph H. Moon was born Nov. 22, 1821. He married Lucinda Hockett Feb. 15, 1845.

- 4. Jacob Moon was born May 31, 1823. He married Hannah Mills Sept. 5, 1845.
- Nathan B. Moon was born July 8, 1825 in Ohio. He married Leah Schooley Herald Mar. 13, 1848 at Newberry MM Clinton Co, OH.
   Leah Schooley Herald, born Oct. 27, 1827 was the daughter of Andrew and Mary L. (Dyer) Herald of Clinton Co. Andrew's second marriage was to Mary Ann Haisley on Dec. 19, 1866 at Oak Ridge MM. Mary Ann was born Mar. 25, 1832.

Nathan died Sept. 27, 1869, and was buried at Oak Ridge, Grant Co, IN. After Nathan's death, Mary married David Ballard on Apr. 10, 1873.

- Joel Moon was born May 5, 1827 in Clinton Co, OH. He married Rebecca Moore Mar. 17, 1851. See account.
- 7. Jehu Moon was born Sept. 14, 1828. No information is available.
- 8. Ann Moon was born Sept. 13, 1830 in Westboro, OH. She married William Henry McCoy June 22, 1846. William Henry McCoy was born in Martinsville, Clinton Co, OH, and was the son of Arthur and Christina McCoy.
- Jane Moon was born July 17, 1837, died Dec. 10, 1835, and was buried in Newberry, Clinton Co, OH.
- 10. Rachel Moon was born Dec. 7, 1833. She married Amos Holloway who was born Aug. 29, 1834 and was the son of Jesse and Ellenor Holloway.
- 11. Thomas J. Moon was born May 19, 1836, and died Sept. 1, 1907. He married Lydia E. McPherson in 1859. Lydia was born Nov. 15, 1846, the daughter of William and Mary McPherson. Lydia died Dec. 9, 1926.
- 12. Jason G. Moon was born Dec. 18, 1837. He married Lydia E. Cravess Apr. 6, 1861. (See account)
- John Moon was born Apr. 8, 1839. He was dismissed from Newberry MM Oct. 22, 1860 for marring out of unity.

#### Joel Moon (Elizabeth, Ruth, Jacob, Samuel)

Joel Moon was the son of Elizabeth Hockett and Thomas Moon. He was born May 5, 1827 in Jefferson Township, Clinton Co, OH. He married Rebecca J. Moore Mar. 8, 1851. Rebecca was the daughter of Michjah and Rebecca (McGee) Moore. Rebecca was born in Washington Township, on Oct. 8, 1835. Joel was disowned from Newberry MM on Mar. 16, 1852 for marring out of unity. He was a farmer and owned 60 acres of land in Jefferson Township near Westboro. He and Rebecca were members of the Christian Church. His political view was Republican. He was elected to the Board of Trustees of Jefferson in 1862, re-elected in 1863, and was again chosen for that office in 1877, and served for many years.

Joel and Rebecca were the parents of six known children:

- 1. Ella J. Moon was born Oct. 18, 1852. She married Wilson Peele
- 2. Emerson E. Moon was born Aug. 13, 1855. He married Florence E. Hale
- 3. Americus E. Moon, born Dec. 26, 1859.
- 4. George F. Moon, born Apr. 27, 1866.
- Rollie E. Moon, born Jan. 26, 1868.
- Harley A. Moon, born Mar. 21, 1869.

#### Jason Moon (Elizabeth, Ruth, Jacob, Samuel)

Jason Moon was the son of Elizabeth Hockett and Thomas Moon and was born Dec. 18, 1837 in Jefferson Township, Clinton Co, OH. He married Lydia C. Cravens on Apr. 6, 1861. Lydia was born Feb. 9, 1843 in Highland Co, OH, the daughter of John and Elizabeth Cravens.

The following was taken from "Biographical Sketches of Jefferson Township, Clinton Co, Ohio":
"Jason G. Moon, farmer, P.O, Westboro, for many years of Clinton County's most successful teachers, was born in Jefferson Township Dec. 18, 1837. He is the son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hockett) Moon, natives of Sevier Co, TN.

They came to this county in 1809 with the noted "Moon Colony". At the early age of twelve years,

our subject embarked on "life's voyage alone". He found work with a farmer at a salary of \$7 per month, and finally, at a riper age, was advanced to \$15 per month,

In Aug., 1856, he engaged in teaching by taking up the Sycamore School. In order to better fit himself for his chosen profession, in 1859 he attended one term in the Lebanon Normal. He then resumed teaching, which he has since followed with fine success. Among his self-acquirements was algebra, geometry, and surveying, the latter he followed considerably. He was Deputy County Surveyor one term under **Hiram E. Moon**. He served as Clerk of Jefferson Township for six years.

He married Miss Lydia E. Cravens on Apr. 6, 1861. She was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Cravens. Mrs. Moon was born in Highland Co, OH, Feb. 9, 1843. Mr. Moon and wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Mr. Moon in politics is an advocate of republicanism. He owns a well improved farm of 117 1/2 acres, and is engaged in farming and stock-raising to some extent."

The names of any children are unknown.

#### Jacob Hockett (Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Hockett was the second son and fourth child of Ruth Jackson and Joseph Hockett. He was born May 3, 1804 in TN and died Jan. 25, 1876. He married Rhoda Moon on June 24, 1830. Rhoda was born in OH, on Sept. 22, 1820, and died Oct. 27, 1901.

Jacob and Rhoda were the parents of eight children, all born in OH:

- 1. Lydia Hockett, born in 1835
- 2. Rhoda Hockett was born in 1837. She married Irvin Moon Oct. 10, 1862.
- 3. Asa J. Hockett was born in 1839. He married Ruth Moon on Jan. 12, 1861.
- 4-. Daniel Hockett, born in 1845. No further information is available.
- 5. Naomi T. Hockett, born Feb. 6, 1848
- 6. Orpha Hockett, born Dec. 9, 1852.
- 7. Jared Hockett, born Jan. 13, 1857.
- Daniel H. Hockett was born Dec. 1, 1863. He married Alice Jessup.
   (Note: The Daniel Hockett born in 1845 must have died young, as they also named their youngest son Daniel H. Hockett.)

#### Rachel Hockett (Ruth Jackson, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel Hockett was born Oct. 10, 1806 in Ohio, died July 31, 1843, and was buried in Westfork, Clinton Co, OH. She married **Daniel H. Moon** Sept. 2, 1824 at Newberry MM. **Daniel H. Moon** was born Apr. 11, 1804, died June 24, 1862, and was buried in Spring FBG, Hendricks Co, IN.

Daniel was the son of William and Jane Moon. They were among the early settlers in Jefferson Township who became permanent and prominent citizens, along with William's brother Joseph Moon.

After the death of Rachel, Daniel married Mary (Kenworthy) Brown on Apr. 21, 1845 in Elk Preble Co, OH. Rachel and Daniel were the parents of seven known children:

- Louisa Moon was born July 20, 1825, in Clinton Co, OH and died in 1891 in Jonesboro, Grant Co, IN. She married James M. Ellis June 23, 1845 at Westfork MM in Clinton Co. James M. Ellis was born Nov. 26, 1823 and died Dec. 25, 1896 in Jonesboro, IN. James was son of Ellis and Anna (Hockett) Moon.
- 2. Susannah Moon was born May 2, 1827. She was condemned from the Newberry Monthly Meeting, OH Dec. 14, 1846 for marring Anderson Walkup out of unity.
- 3. Jacob Moon was born Dec. 9, 1829. She was condemned from the Newberry MM, for marring out of unity.
- 4. Christopher Moon was born Aug. 21, 1831.

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Lydia Moon was born June 1, 1833. She married Thomas Elwood Carey on Oct. 19, 1853.
 Thomas Elwood Carey was born July 15, 1833 in Highland Co, OH, the son of Daniel and Anna

(Coffin) Carey. Thomas' second marriage was to Martha E. (Branson) Whistler on Oct. 22, 1872.

- 6. Asaph Moon, born Jan. 1, 1836
- 7. Jacob Moon, born June 28, 1839.

# Susannah Hockett (Ruth Jackson, Jacob, Samuel)

Susannah Hockett was born July 7, 1808 in OH, the daughter of Joseph Hockett and Ruth Jackson. She married George Millner Apr. 21, 1834 at Newberry MM, Clinton Co, OH. They were the parents of five known children:

 Joseph H. Millner was born Aug. 12, 1834. He married Hannah Davidson Jan. 1, 1859 at Oak Ridge MM, Grant Co, OH.

Hannah was born Sept. 25, 1835, the daughter of Joseph and Surrena Irene Davidson. Joseph Millner was dismissed on Dec. 19, 1867, from the Quaker Church for "military service, and leaving the county without satisfying his creditors". He was living in Platte River, NE in 1887.

- 2. Ruth Millner, married Gibson Oct. 12, 1850.
- 3. William G. Millner, born Sept. 12, 1840
- 4. Jesse J. Millner was born Aug. 22, 1845. He was condemned from the Clear Creek Monthly Meeting Oct. 12, 1867 for marring "Hannah" out of unity.
- 5. Priscilla Ann Millner, born Apr. 25, 1854.

#### Jesse Hockett (Ruth, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse Hockett was born in 1802 in Seveer Co, TN. He married Sarah A. Richardson Oct. 24, 1822. He was dismissed from Newberry for marrying out of unity. They had three known children:

- 1. Naomi Hockett, born Feb. 6,1844.
- 2. Orpha Hockett, born Dec. 9, 1852
- 3. Jared Hockett was born Jan. 11, 1863 and married Alice Jessup. Alice was born Mar. 22, 1866, the daughter of Joseph F. Jessup and Mary B. Lewis.

#### Josiah Hockett (Ruth Jackson, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Josiah Hockett was born Sept. 21, 1815 in Ohio He was the youngest child of Ruth Jackson and Joseph Hockett. He married Mary Millner May 15, 1834. Mary Millner was born Apr. 20, 1816.

Josiah and Mary had four known children:

- Lewis (Louis) Hockett was born Sept. 15, 1836. He married Susannah Peacock Oct. 20, 1858 at Oak Ridge MM, IN. Susannah was born Apr. 25, 1840 and died May 4, 1910 in Fairmount, Grant Co, IN. She was the daughter of William and Phoebe (Haisley) Peacock.
- Isaac M. Hockett was born July 2, 1834 in Clinton Co, OH. His first marriage was to Peninah
  Carey on Oct. 22, 1859, at Back Creek MM, IN. Peninah was born Nov. 9 1838 in Highland Co,
  IN, and died Mar. 31, 1863. She was the daughter of John and Eliza (Moon) Carey.

Isaac's second marriage was to Mary Frazier Jan. 4, 1866 in Grant Co, IN. Mary was born Sept. 3, 1841 in Grant Co, IN. She was the daughter of Alexander and Jane (Frazier) Frazier. Isaac's third marriage was to Mary (last name not known), who was born Aug. 11, 1857.

- 3. Joseph Hockett was born Sept. 19, 1841. He married Phoebe Ann Haisley on Aug. 6, 1865 at Oak Ridge, MM. Phoebe was born Feb. 7, 1846, the daughter of Cyrus and Hannah (Hawkins) Haisley.
- 4. Jacob Powell Hockett was born Aug. 16, 1851. He married Samantha (last name not known) on Nov. 17, 1873 at Newberry MM Clinton Co, OH. They were living in St. Petersburg, FL in 1916.

### SAMUEL JACKSON (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Samuel Jackson was born Aug. 10, 1778, in Surry Co, NC. He was eldest son and third child born to Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson. He was about eighteen years old when his parents moved from Westfield to TN in 1797. There is no information on Samuel Jackson t this time. There was a marriage recorded in Green Co for one Samuel Jackson and Susannah Bent on Nov. 26, 1812, and may have been the Samuel we are researching.

Several articles have been written on the history of Clinton and Highland Counties in OH. One mentions one Samuel Jackson who came to Jefferson Co around 1800-01. He was a great hunter and frontiersman. Professor Edwin West stated that he was the brother of Jacob and John Jackson, early settlers of Wayne Co, OH. The Samuel Jackson living in Stokes Co, NC married Hannah Gibson, lived and died in Stokes Co and is believed by many Jackson researchers to be the brother of Jacob and John Jackson, and if he is a brother, then Samuel the hunter would not be a brother.

Samuel the hunter is said to have built the first cabin in Jefferson Township in 1812. Samuel, son of Jacob at that time, would have been thirty-four years of age, and he is possibly the son but not the brother of Jacob Jackson.

Since we have been unable to find any information on **Samuel**, son of **Jacob** and **Ann**, the following articles found on **Samuel** the hunter is used here.

The following was taken from "Highland Pioneer Sketches and Family Genealogies" by Elsie Johnson Ayres, Hillsboro, OH:

"Samuel Jackson and his brothers, Jacob and John, Quakers from North Carolina, settled on Rocky Fork as early as 1801. They were the sons of Samuel Jackson Sr., native of Ireland. Samuel Jackson the immigrant, was a direct descendant of Ralph Jackson who was burned at the stake as a martyr in Stratford, England, in 1556.

The brothers remained in a crude log cabin for a few years after their arrival. They were all good hunters who had served as Indian spies. They made enough money to live or the equivalent, by selling pelts. **Samuel Jackson** remained in the cabin after both his brothers had cleared land of their own. He was a rugged individual who remained in the woods for weeks at a time. His favorite region to hunt was the Brushcreek and Sunfish Hills. In 1801, during the hunting season in the Sunfish Hills, **Samuel Jackson** killed two panthers, a number of huge bears, deer, and other animals. In 1812, he moved to Clinton Co, where he erected the first cabin in what is now Jefferson Township. In 1818 he moved to Cass Co, TX, and lived to be over one hundred years of age."

#### From "A History of Highland Co, Ohio"

"In the fall of 1809, as Samuel Jackson was passing along a trace down the banks of Sunfish Creek, about three miles east of Sinking Springs, he saw a large bear crossing the path before him. The bear, not seeing him, went into a hole in the rocks while yet in sight, near the creek. Jackson determined to have him out but knew that he could not effect his purpose alone. He therefore went to the nearest cabin, which happened to be John Lowman's, for assistance. John immediately returned with him to the den of the bear. They took a chunk of fire with them. When they reached the place, they first filled the hole with dry branches, which they set on fire. After this, they stationed themselves thirty of forty yards distant, rifles in hand. The smoke soon entered the hole and forced the bruin out. As he emerged Jackson fired and wounded him. The bear then retreated to another hole close to the first.

The entrance of this was just large enough for him to pass through, but increased in size further in. The hunters again filled the mouth with leaves and fired them. But after waiting for upwards of an hour for the reappearance of the bear, and neither seeing nor hearing him, they concluded to go home and wait till evening.

When evening came they returned to the den or cave in the rocks, and after a careful examination they satisfied themselves that bruin was still there in defiance of the smoke. So **Jackson** proposed to take a torch and crawl into the hole and force him out, for they were determined to have him at all hazards. He accordingly prepared himself and managed by a considerable effort to force himself in. He soon succeeded by the help of his torch in finding the bear, which, contrary to his expectations, was quiet dead from his shot. On making this discovery and satisfying himself that there was no mistake, he called out to **Lowman** at the mouth of the hole to come and assist him in

dragging out the carcass.

Lowman crept in and managed to get hold of the body, and pulled while Jackson pushed. The bear was a very large one, and in that contracted place was quite difficult to manage. The mouth of the cave being small, the great difficulty was, however, to get him through it. Indeed the thing seemed impossible, although the animal had entered with ease while alive. After many efforts it finally stuck fast, and became wedged so tight that they could not move it either way.

The efforts of Lowman at the entrance of the hole had stirred up the remains of the leaves fired in the early part of the day, and the fire not being extinguished, a dense smoke soon penetrated the cave, notwithstanding the fact that the bear was fast in the mouth. Jackson being on the inside was like to suffocate, and Lowman being partly in was in little better condition. In this alarming state of affairs while Jackson was begging and praying with the little breath he had yet remaining. Lowman was making almost superhuman efforts to rescue him.

Lowman, by thrusting his hands between the bear and the rocks, he made a slight opening. Then laying himself on his back, with both feet against the rocks, he took a long and steady pull for life, and finally, to the great joy of his friend inside, brought out the bear, and saved him from suffocation. Mr. Lowman above mentioned was long a most worthy citizen of the vicinity of Hillsboro.

#### From "History of Clinton County, Ohio, 1882, Jefferson Township":

"Early settlements - The first cabin built in the township was on the farm now owned by **John Holaday**, by **Samuel Jackson**, about the year 1812. He had emigrated from Tennessee in the year 1800 and settled in the eastern part of what is now Highland Co, on Rocky Fork. His principal occupation was hunting, and during one year (1801) he killed two panthers and a large number of deer and bears. His hunting grounds were the Brush Creek and Sun Fish hills. About the year 1818 he moved to the southwestern part of the township, and there settled on lands now owned by **Alfred Daugherty** and known as the "**Lyons** farm". He soon after moved back to Tennessee and from there to Cass Co, TX where he was living at the beginning of the late Civil War since which time the writer has been unable to learn anything from him."

# "Clinton Co, Ohio" By Professor Edwin P. West.

"Samuel Jackson built the first cabin in Jefferson Township, in 1812. He was a famous hunter in his day, and was characterized as a second **Daniel Boone**. He is as a typical frontiersman and finally found his way to Cass Co, TX where he died a quarter of a century ago, at the age of one hundred years."

#### My (Lucille's) comments on the above articles on Samuel Jackson:

First, I believe that Samuel "The Hunter" was the son of Jacob Jackson and not his brother. Second, about the article which stated that Samuel Jackson, father of Jacob and John, was a descendant of Ralph Jackson who was burned at the stake in 1556 as a martyr. Many Jacksons over the past several years have tried to find the parents of Samuel Jackson without any luck. So at this time, it is not known if he was really a descendant of Ralph Jackson.

#### Jesse Jackson (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse Jackson was born Oct. 16, 1786 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC. He was the son of Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson. He died in Clinton, Co, OH on Aug. 8, 1844 at the age of 57 years, 9 months, and 23 days. He is buried in Clinton Co. Jesse married Ann Hockett on Apr. 6, 1814, in East Fork MM, in Clinton Co. On Sept. 14, 1833 Jesse and Ann left the "Orthodox Church to join the Hicksites".

Ann was born Mar. 28, 1797, the daughter of Joseph Hockett and Ann Thornburg. Ann died Mar. 5, 1873 in Clinton Co, and is buried with her husband in the Clinton Co Cemetery. She was 75 years old.

Jesse and Ann were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Malinda Jackson, born July 20, 1815 in OH.
- 2. Nathan Jackson was born Dec. 7, 1816 and died Feb. 27, 1818 at the age of 26 months. He was

buried at Newberry.

- 3. Joseph Jackson was born Sept. 16, 1817 and died Apr. 12, 1846 at the age of 27. He was buried Clinton Co Cemetery. He was unmarried.
- 4. Elizabeth Jackson was born Oct. 6, 1820 and died Feb. 16, 1821 at the age of 16 months.
- 5. Jacob Jackson was born May 6, 1821. He married Sarah Achor Jan. 3, 1845 See account.
- Asenath Jackson was born Jan. 5, 1825 in Ohio. She was dismissed from Falls Cheek Monthly Meeting Dec. 22, 1849 for marrying Samuel S. Stokes out of unity.
- 7. Lydia Jackson was born May 20, 1826. She married Avery Morris on Mar. 3, 1852 and was dismissed from Falls Cheek MM for marrying out of unity.
- 8. Thomas Jackson was born Sept. 18, 1831. He married Eleanor Wright Feb. 9 1854. The names of the children of Thomas and Eleanor are unknown at this time,

#### Clinton Co Cemetery records gives the following information:

Demetross Jackson died Aug. 24, 1856, age 9 months, 15 days.

Mary E. Jackson, died Oct. 20, 1870 age 1 month, 14 days.

Eliza, wife of Thomas Jackson died Sept. 16, 1869, age 38 years, 11 months, and 4 days.

# Jacob Jackson (Jesse, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Jackson was the son of Jesse Jackson and Ann Hockett. He was born in Clinton Co, OH, May 6, 1821, and died Aug. 28, 1906 at age 52 years. He married Sarah Achor Jan. 1, 1845. They moved to Richmond Co, IL in 1868, well after the close of the Civil War. Sarah passed away Nov. 3, 1886 at the age of 62. Jacob's second marriage was to Mrs. Jeanette Matthews of Calhound, on Aug. 18, 1887.

Jacob and Sarah were the parents of six children, all born in Clinton Co, OH. Not much information is known on these children.

- 1. Sarah Jackson, born in 1846
- 2. Lewis H. Jackson, born in 1848
- 3. Roxannah Jackson, died June 18 in 1851 at the age of 11 years.
- 4. Lydia Jane Jackson, born in 1852
- 5. William Parker Jackson, born in 1854
- 6. Rachel Dora Jackson, born in 1858,

#### Lydia Jackson (Jesse, Jacob Samuel Jackson)

Lydia Jackson was born May 20, 1826 in Clinton Co, OH and died in Clinton Co, Apr. 30, 1904. She was dismissed from Falls Creek MM for marring out of unity. She married Avery Morris Mar. 3, 1852. Avery was born Dec. 16, 1805 in Adams Co, OH the son of William Morriis and Defsy Bales. Avery and Lydia were the parents of six children:

- 1. Cynthia A. Morris, born Nov. 29, 1853, married Milton Sanders.
- 2. Callie D. Morris, born Jan. 25, 1856, married Wesley Ruse.
- 3. Frank N. Morris, born Aug. 3, 1857, married Hannah Turner Jan. 1, 1881.
- 4. Thomas W. Morris, born Mar. 16, 1859
- 5. Seymour Morris, born Dec. 16, 1860, married Flora Haines Mar. 16 1889.
- 6. Attie J. Morris, born Jul. 31, 1863, (no information)

# Lydia Jackson (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Lydia was born Oct. 11, 1788 in Surry Co, NC and died Feb. 22, 1870. She was the youngest daughter of Jacob Jackson and Ann Beals. She married Joseph Thornburg Feb. 6, 1812 at Lower East Fork, MM, in Clinton Co, OH. Joseph was born in North Carolina, Mar. 15, 1786 and was the son of Joseph and Rachel (Brown) Thornburg. He, (Joseph's father) died Nov. 9, 1864. Both Joseph and Rachel are buried at Hodson Cemetery, Highland Co, OH.

Joseph was a farmer and took over his father's homestead in Highland Co, OH. They were both members of Fall Creek MM, in Highland Co, and were the parents of five known children:

1. Hannah Thornburg was born Feb. 16, 1813 in Clinton Co, OH and died May 18, 1897 in Iowa. Hannah married Gerrard Johnson Morgan Feb. 28, 1833. Gerrard was the son of Hugh and Judith (Johnson) Morgan.

- Joel Thornburg was born in OH, Jul. 27, 1816, died Sept. 13, 1868, and was buried in OH, He was unmarried.
- 3. Elizabeth Thornburg was born in OH. She married John Watkins Morgan, son of Hugh and Judith (Johnson) Morgan, and brother of Gerrard, who married Elizabeth's sister Hannah.
- 4. Jacob Thornburg was born in OH, June 2, 1818. He married Frances Dillon. He was a farmer and took over the old Jackson homestead from his parents.
- 5. Ruth Thornburg was born in OH, Aug. 4, 1825 and died July 7, 1902. Her first marriage was to Isaac Marmaduke Easiack Apr. 19, 1845 at Fall Creek MM in Highland Co, OH. He died Feb. 4, 1863 and is buried at Clear Creek, OH. Ruth's second marriage was to Edward McVey on Aug. 22, 1866 in Miami MM. Lois S. McVey, a granddaughter of Ruth living in Albuquerque, NM, sent information on the family of Lydia and Joseph. She recalls that Ruth was called "Aunt Ruth" and was said to have had a wonderful sense of humor. Ruth was always telling stories about things that happened to people that she knew. The name of only one son is known, James Porter McVey. See the following account on James.

# James Porter McVey (Ruth Thornburg, ruth, Lydia, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

James was the son of Edmund McVey and Ruth Thornburg. was born Sept. 16, 1866 near Leesburg, Fayette Co, OH. He married Luretta Morris May 30, 1895, in Fayette Co. Luretta was born Aug. 9, 1872 in Fayette Co, the daughter of Jonathan and Serepta (Morrison) Morris. James died Aug. 5, 1939 in Highland Co, OH. Luretta died Sept. 26, 1916 in Highland Co. They were both buried in Highland Co. James and Luretta were the parents of four children:

- Warren Morris McVey was born Apr. 23, 1897 in Leesburg, Fayette Co, OH and died July 31, 1977 in Crawfordsville, IN. Warren married Edith Vance Oct. 10, 1920 in Highland Co, OH. Edith was born Apr. 23, 1987. Warren lived for many years in Fayette Co, IN, and was on the staff of Purdue University. He died July 31, 1977 in a nursing home after several strokes. They had one son:
  - a. Donald McVey was married to Arnetta McKenzie. They had five children: Anne, Warren Malcom, Duncan, Allister and Vance McVey.
- 2. Lois Sarepta McVey was born May 2, 1903 in Wilmington, OH,. She is a retired social worker. She was a graduate of Berea, KY, College, with two years graduate work in Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH. She has held positions in New Mexico, Arizona, Tennessee, Louisiana, and in Cleveland, OH.
- Edmund Jonathan McVey was born Oct. 12, 1906 in Wilmington, OH and died May 26, 1964 in Springfield, Highland Co, OH. He married Lucille Rhodes Aug. 30, 1930 in Highland Co. Edmund was a banker, and vice president of the Springfield Bank. He was a graduate of Berea College in KY. He died May 5, 1964 in Springfield, OH of a heart attack. They had two children:
   a. James McVey
  - b. Luretta McVey married Larry Grossman. They ran a family business in Cleveland, OH, and had two children: Eileen and Brian Grossman.
- 4. Miriam Millicent McVey, born Sept. 12, 1909 in Wilmington, OH. She married Franklin A. Thurman July 14, 1934 in Berea, KY. They had one child:
  - a. Janet Thurman was vice president of a management consulting firm in New York City. The Job consisted of a lot of traveling in the states and overseas, and she speaks several languages. She now lives in Beverly Hills, CA.

#### Hannah Thornburg (Lydia, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Hannah was born Feb. 16, 1813 in Highland Co, OH and died May 18, 1897 in Iowa. She was the first born of Joseph Thornburg and Lydia Jackson. She married Jarred Johnson Morgan Feb. 23, 1833 in Highland Co. He was the son of Hugh Morgan and Judith Johnson.

Joseph and Hannah were the parents of three known children:

- 1. Edwin R. Morgan was born Dec. 13, 1833 in Clinton Co, OH, and died Jan. 5, 1921 in Iowa. He married Frances C. Lee on Nov. 18, 1857.
- 2. Edna Amanda Morgan was born in 1836. She married John L. Herron Aug. 9, 1854.
- 3. Elizabeth Morgan was born in 1841. She married John W. Smith Nov. 26, 1861.

#### Elizabeth Thornburg (Lydia, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was born in 1817 in Ohio and died in 1887 in Highland Co, OH. She married John Watkins Morgan in, Dec. 5, 1831, in Highland Co. John was born Feb. 21, 1809 in VA and died June 8, 1859 in Highland Co, OH. He was the son of Hugh and Judith (Johnson) Morgan, and a brother to Gerrard who married Elizabeth's sister Hannah.

John and Elizabeth were the parents of five known children:

- Lydia J. Morgan was born in 1833, Highland Co, OH. She married James W. Linn May 12, 1858
- 2. Milton Morgan, born in 1835 in Highland Co, OH.
- 3. William Morgan, born in 1837 in Highland Co, OH.
- 4. Hugh Morgan was born Jan. 21, 1840 and died Nov. 22, 1863. He was unmarried.
- Judith A. Morgan was born in 1845, Highland Co, OH. She married P. F. Jonte on Apr. 25, 1865.

#### Curtis Jackson (Jacob, Samuel)

Curtis was born Jan. 1, 1793 in the Westfield Community of Surry Co, NC the son of **Jacob & Ann Jackson**. He died at the age of 57, Apr. 30, 1850 in Clinton Co, OH. He was about six years old when his parents moved to TN, and later the family moved to Clinton Co, OH. He married **Lydia Sumner** Oct. 25, 1815 at Fall Creek MM.

Lydia Sumner was born Nov. 21, 1795, in Stokes Co, NC and died Jan. 21, 1876 in Clinton Co, OH. She was the daughter of **Thomas Sumner** and **Hannah Hiatt**. She survived her husband by 26 years.

Curtis was a farmer, and in 1830 both Curtis and Lydia were disowned from Newberry, MM. Later, on Mar. 14, 1846, Lydia was disowned from Clear Creek, MM for disunity. They lived in Warren Co, OH, and were the parents of nine children.

Thomas Sumner, the father of Lydia, was born Dec. 20, 1757 in Rowan Co, NC, the son of Robert Sumner and Phoebe Beals Canady. Robert was Phoebe's second husband. She was a sister to Bowater and Ann Beals. The mother of Curtis was the daughter of Bowater Beals which would make Ann Beals and Robert Sumner first cousins. Lydia's mother was Hannah Hiatt, born Feb. 7, 1759 in Rowan Co, NC, the daughter of Joseph Hiatt.

The following was taken from "Biographical Sketches, of Jefferson Township. Highland Co, Ohio". "Curtis Jackson, (deceased) settled on Dix's survey in the year 1841. He was a native of North Carolina, born on New Year's Day, 1793. In 1797 moved with his parents to East Tennessee, and from there, in the year 1802, to Highland Co, OH, near the present site of the village of Lexington. In about 1810 they moved to the immediate vicinity of Martinsville, where he lived till his move to Jefferson Township. Early in life, he engaged as a drover. He took the first drove of hogs from Clinton Co to Cincinnati. Although his chief employment was farming, he frequently engaged in other occupations.

He with his brother **Josiah**, boated salt from the Kanawha to Cincinnati, and in 1817, they shipped two flat-bottomed boats, loaded with meat, from Cincinnati to New Orleans. They afterward drove horses to Virginia and Kentucky. In 1828 they took a drove to Kentucky, and by selling to an irresponsible party and allowing him to get possession of it, they lost the entire drove.

Soon after this unfortunate event, the subject of this sketch took a lot of goods by wagon, from Cincinnati, by way of Vincennes, to St. Louis. At that time, St. Louis was a town of less importance than Cincinnati. He continued west as far as Palmyrs, MO, thence northeast in company with others, though the unsettled county of Northern Misourri and Iowa, then known as "Black Hawk's Purchase", to Galena. This was attracting considerable attention at that time on account of the lead mines in the vicinity.

Curtis then started a stage line to Mineral Point, which is now in Wisconsin, but was then the Territory of Michigan. He remained there nearly a year with but poor success. He finally started home on horseback, in company with Adam Fouse and Benjamin Drake, the latter now living in Green Township, this county. They came down on the west side of the Mississippi and crossed at

Rock island on horseback, and continued over the prairies of Illinois, through the unbroken wilderness of Indiana, and reached Clinton Co, OH, after an absence of about one year.

He built a gristmill near Martinsville which was run with but little profit. For two winters he engaged in the business of slaughtering hogs, salting the meat and hauling with wagons to Cincinnati. It was generally an arduous business, as the road was generally muddy through the winter season. In the autumn of 1840, he collected 1,400 hogs at Greenfield, Highland Co, OH, and drove them to the city of Baltimore. But a hard winter was setting in unusually early. While they were yet in the Allegheny Mountains, and the snow falling to the depth of four feet, their progress was very much impeded, and caused quite a number of the hogs to perish. With all the unfavorable circumstances combined, it proved to be a disastrous enterprise.

After his return, he moved to Jefferson Township, and there to reside till his death on the last day of Apr., 1850. He was a man who took great interest in all public enterprises, and at the time of his death was a director of the Hillsboro & Cincinnati Railroad Company."

# Curtis and Lydia were the parents of nine children:

- 1. Lucinda Jackson was born Jul. 22, 1816, Warren Co, OH and died in Wilmington, Aug. 3, 1875. She married Lewis Hockett Jan. 28, 1836.
- 2. Hannah Jackson was born Oct. 28, 1817, in Warren Co, OH and died July 13, 1888. She married Charles Dingee Nov. 3, 1841. They lived in Iowa. See account.
- 3. Phoebe Jackson was born Aug. 21, 1819, in Warren Co, OH and died Aug. 22, 1840, unmarried at age 21 years.
- John Walter Jackson was born Dec. 29, 1821 in Martinsville, OH. His first marriage was to Martha Dickerson Apr. 12, 1846. His second marriage was to Lucinda Phelps Nov. 22, 1877. See account.
- 5. **Jerry T. Jackson** was born Mar. 18, 1824 in Clark Township, OH. He married **Dorothy Hammer** Jan. 8, 1846. They lived in Jefferson Township. See account.
- 6. Anna Jackson was born Jan. 28, 1827 in Warren Co, OH. She married James H. Williams Sept. 18, 1847. They lived near Westboro, Jefferson Township.
- 7. Thomas S. Jackson was born Sept. 17, 1830 in Warren Co, OH and died Dec. 31, 1882. He married Esther Ann Brown Sept. 6, 1854. See account.
- 8. **Jesse Jackson** was born Apr. 24, 1833 in Warren Co, OH. He married **Catherine Bryan** Apr. 12, 1854. They lived in Iowa.
- 9. Louisa Jackson was born Aug. 9, 1837 in Warren Co, OH. She married Benjamin F. Johnson Jan. 24, 1866. They lived in Clark Township.

#### Lucinda Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Lucinda was the eldest child of Curtis and Lydia Sumner Jackson. She was born July 22, 1816 in Ohio and died Aug. 3, 1875 in Clinton Co, OH, at the age of 59. She married Lewis Hockett Jan. 28, 1836 in Clinton Co. Lewis was born Jan. 16, 1815 in OH.

They were the parents of three known children, all born in Clinton Co, OH:

- 1. Maria Hockett was born in 1837. She married Garner Hinshaw Aug. 24, 1855. (see account on Garner Hinshaw.)
- 2. Hyrcanus Hockett was born in 1839. He married Mary Briggs Jan. 27, 1859.
- 3. Elbridge Hockett was born in 1845 and married "Ruth".

#### From "The History of Union Township"

"Garner Hinshaw, Wilmington, of the firm of Hinshaw & Andrew, was born at Westboro, Jefferson Township, this county, June 13, 1831. His father was Joseph Hinshaw a native of North Carolina. He came to Clinton Co at a very early day, locating in Jefferson Township, where he was a pioneer farmer for many years He died in 1874. Mr. Hinshaw's mother was Sarah Ratcliff, also a native of North Carolina. She departed this life in 1875. Mr. Hinshaw's childhood and youth was passed on a farm, and at the age of twenty years he went to Westboro and engaged in the dry goods business.

Being well known through out that part of the county, he soon gained quite a little trade which he

managed successfully until 1872, when he moved to Wilmington. He engaged in the same business in his new location, and carried it on alone until Nov. 1872 when R. E. Andrew was admitted to a partnership and the firm name changed to Hinshaw & Andrew. The trade of the firm has steadily increased to the present time, and its members rank among the better class of business men of Wilmington.

Mr. Hinshaw is a member of the Royal Arcanum, and was reared a Republican and has always believed in its principles, yet he is a firm Prohibitionist. He was united in marriage to Maria Hockett Sept. 1, 1855. Maria, was the daughter of Lewis Hockett. Of the eight children born to this union four survive: Annie, Orie, Elva, and Homer L. Mr. Hinshaw and wife have birthrights in the Society of Friends, and their children are members of the same."

The following was taken from the memoirs of his nephew Curtis Jackson:

Lewis Hockett was the postmaster in Westboro for a number of years. The mail would come in on the evening train, and the store would be full of people eager for any news. When anyone from the south would get a letter, Lewis would call out his name and they would all call back, "Open it up Lewis, and read it." This he did so all the neighbors could get the news at once.

#### Hannah Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Hannah was the daughter of Curtis and Lydia (Sumner) Jackson. She was born Oct. 28, 1817 in Clinton Co, OH and died Jan. 25, 1906 in Bether, Gosper Co, NE, She married Charles Dingee Nov. 3, 1841. Charles was born May 12, 1819 in Harrison Co, OH. Hannah was dismissed from the Fall Creek MM for marrying out of unity.

They moved to Clark Co, IA in 1817, and to Gosper Co, NE in 1883. They were the parents of four daughters and one son:

 Clarissa Dingee was born Dec. 18, 1843 and died Mar. 13 1930. She married Allen Coder Dec. 14, 1865.

Allen was born Aug. 30 1841 and died Dec. 4, 1831, They both are buried in the Coder plot Elwood NE Cemetery. Born to this union were five children.

Anna Dingee was born May 27, 1849 in Bainbridge, OH. She married James P. Hanlin Apr. 11, 1874. James was born July 3, 1842 in Bainbridge, OH. He was the son of James and Mary H. (Frazier) Hanlin, and the grandson of Amos and Letitia Hanlon. Anna Dingee died Jan. 1, 1925 and James died Oct. 19, 1962. Both were buried in Elwood, NE. They were the parents of nine children.

One of their sons, Lewis Hockett Hanlin was born Jan. 17, 1875 in Bainbridge, OH, and married Alice Lucinda Hibbs May 30, 1900. Alice was born Mar. 19, 1879 in Sanborn, IA. Lewis died May 30, 1943, and Alice died Oct. 19, 1962. Both are buried in Douglas WY. Lewis and Alice had a son, James Wesley Hanlin, born Jan. 24, 1918, in Smithfield, NE and died Feb. 19, 1967 He married Virginia Koller Feb. 14, 1946. Virginia was the one who furnished information on Hannah's family and sent me the letter that Curtis Jackson had written about his family.

- 3. Adaline Dingee was born Dec. 18, 1851 and died Apr. 28, 1931. She married Isaac Jordan Dowler, born Jan. 31, 1846, died Nov. 1, 1923, and buried in Bakersville, CA. At one time they lived in Washington Co, IA on a farm owned by her uncle John Walter Jackson. They had two children.
- 4. Marcus Dingee was born July 21, 1856. He married Rosalla Crooks July 28, 1874. Rosalla was born Aug. 25, 1885 and died July 18, 1891. They are buried in SW, Corner of the old part of Elwood NE Cemetery. Five children were born to this union. Markus died, Dec. of 1899.
- 5. Lydia D. Dingee was born May 11, 1858 and died July 12, 1927. She married John Jones. They both are buried in Boise, ID Cemetery. They had no children, but two were adopted into their family, Lulu and Frank. Frank died in his late teens, and Lulu married William Floyd and lived in Boise, ID. Lulu's first marriage was to Cicily Read with whom she had children. Their names are unknown at this time.

The following is the obituary of Hannah (Jackson) Dingee:

"Hannah Jackson, daughter of Curtis and Lydia Jackson, was born in Clinton, Co, OH Oct. 28, 1817. She married Charles Dingee in 1841, and moved to Clark, Co, IA, and in 1883 to Gosper Co, NE. To this union was born five children, four daughters and one son. She passed away Jan. 25, 1906, the husband and son having preceded her to the world beyond. The four daughters are still living, three of whom were permitted to be present, and one, Mrs. Dowler, living in Lemar CO, was not permitted to be present.

The deceased was a birthright member of the Friend's Church, was converted in childhood, lived a true Christian life, and died in the faith. She was a devoted wife and a faithful mother in the family, and a real "Mother of Israel" to the church. She was a member of the Smyrna MM, Iowa Yearly Meeting of Friends, a pioneer of Friends in this part of Nebraska. Henceforth, her children shall rise up and call her blessed. The funeral was preached by Rev. G. M. McGraw, from 2nd, Tim. 4th Chapter, 6, and 7, and first clause of the 8th verse."

# Jerry T. Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jerry was the son of Curtis and Lydia (Sumner) Jackson. The following information on Jerry was taken from "The Biographical Sketches of Jefferson Co, Ohio":

"Jerry T. Jackson was a farmer, P.O. Westboro, the son of Curtis and Lydia (Sumner) Jackson and was born in Clark Township, Mar. 18, 1824. He was reared in Clark Township until seventeen years of age, when his parents moved to Jefferson, where he attained to his majority.

He celebrated his marriage with Miss Dorothy Hammer, Jan. 8, 1846. She was the daughter of William and Jennie Hammer. Mrs. Jackson was born in Jefferson Township, Sept. 5, 1827.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson located on their present farm Mar. 7, 1851, and have since resided there. Mr. Jackson owns a neatly improved farm of eighty-seven acres, and makes a leading pursuit in rearing and breeding Poland, and China hogs.

He and his wife are both respected members of the Society of Friends. **Mr. Jackson** is a Republican. He was a member of the Board of Trustees two years, and has also held various minor offices."

No other information on the family of Jerry is known at this time.

#### Thomas Sumner Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas Jackson was born Sept. 17, 1830 in Jefferson Township, Clinton Co, OH. He was the son of Curtis Jackson and Lydia (Sumner) Jackson. He married Esther Ann Brown Sept. 6, 1854. Thomas was a successful farmer and a country lawyer, who was called upon to help settle legal matters. He was elected to the Ohio Senate in 1878. He died Dec. 31, 1882.

Thomas and Esther were the parents of eight children, six boys and two girls. A list of their children is: Erastus, Charles, Edward, Walter, Jasper, Frank, Laura, and Alice Jackson. No information was found on these children, except their son Erastus.

Erastus Jackson was born Mar. 2, 1856, son of Thomas and Esther Jackson. He was a farmer. He married Josephine James June 7, 1883. After their marriage, they moved to Clermont Co, and built a home in Woodville. They were the parents of four children: Blanch, Grace, Clara, and Homer Jackson.

- Homer Jackson was born May 19, 1897, served in the army in World War I, and was a
  participant in the Battle of the Argonne Forest where he was overcome by mustard gas that
  would effect his health in later years. He married Eva Louise Snyder May 3, 1920 in
  Norwood, OH. Homer had a small farm, and was best known for the delicious apples that he
  grew and sold. Eva died Sept. 12, 1971, Homer died Nov. 14, 1981, and they are buried in
  the Woodville Cemetery. They were the parents of eight children:
  - a. Margaret Jackson died soon after birth.
  - b. Donald Jackson
  - c. Irwin Jackson

- d. Homer Jackson Jr.
- e. Robert Jackson was born Feb. 12, 1932. He married Freda Delores Crawford Jan. 11, 1952 in Covington, KY. They had five children: Christine, Catherine, Jayne, Robert Jr., and Terry Wayne Jackson.
- Dean Jackson
- g. Jean Jackson
- h. Denna Jackson
- i. Joan Jackson

# John W. Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

John was the son of Curtis and Lydia Jackson. Information on the family of John Jackson and Martha Dickerson was taken from a story written by their son Curtis Jackson in 1837 on his memories and recollections of the family from his childhood until 1837.

In 1849 Mr. Charles J. Hanlin used this article on his genealogical record of the Jackson-Dingee families. The article was sent to me by Mrs. Virginia Stevens, who's deceased husband James W. Hanlin was a nephew of Charles Hanlin. Hannah Jackson, a sister of John W. married Charles Dingee.

The article by Curtis Jackson tells about their childhood, the schools they attended, what kind of work they each did, who they married, etc. He gives an account of his parents John W. and Martha Jackson. I have taken his story and broke it down on his parents and each individual child. In this way it makes it easier to read and understand.

I have used Curtis' story as he wrote it. On the life of his father, John W., I have included an article that was written about him in "Biographical Sketches of Clinton County, Ohio".

#### Curtis began his story with:

"Foreword: Just a minute before you read this, if you are thinking of doing so, I want to say one word. I have only written part of the things I have done. If you read this as it is you would think that I have done no wrong., I have purposely left out the part that I did not want you to remember and, it would have made a larger book than I thought I was capable of writing."

#### He ends his story with:

"This is my story. I have taken great pains to get it correct. If it should be read by anyone and I have made mistakes I hope my reader will be lenient. My thought in writing this was that I hoped that some Jackson who is yet unborn might be interested in knowing how we lived in the time from 1889-1937, or am I hoping to much? I want to say that I never could have done this much if I had not had the help of my dear niece, Josephine Frazier Richards, for which I thank her heartily." Signed, Curtis Jackson

#### John Walter Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel)

John was born Dec. 28, 1821, near Martinsville, Clinton Co, OH. The eldest son and fourth child of Curtis and Lydia (Sumner) Jackson. He was named after his uncle, John Walters.

He married Patty (Martha) Dickerson on Apr. 12, 1846. Martha was born Mar. 25, 1825 in Logan, near Zanesville, OH. She was the daughter of Thomas and Maria Dickson and was one of sixteen children. After they were married, all of the guests ate a dinner that Martha had prepared herself on the open hearth. She learned to cook on a stove after she was married.

John was reared on his father's farm. In 1843 he went to work in Cincinnati for Samuel Perin. He returned home and bought a farm of 144 acres in Jefferson Township where he farmed for one year. He returned to Martinsville and sold windmills for Smith & Sawyer of Zanesville, OH for a year. He then returned to farming and raising stock. He reared and shipped fine hogs, and sold mules for a number of years. John owned a well improved farm of 253 acres, near Martinsville. He also owned a good farm of 290 acres in Washington Co, IA. He started life with a very limited capitol, but by his good

management accumulated large property.

He had little opportunity to go to school. In the summer the boys worked on the farm while in the winter they worked in the woods or got work in the city. **John** usually got his winter work in the slaughter house in Cincinnati until he became quite a butcher of hogs. For amusement they practiced lifting, chopping, or anything that required great strength. He got to be a very strong man. He was a great lover of livestock, especially horses. His greatest delight was to teach the young horses of the farm to work and ride. This was probably the reason for his success as a dealer in horses.

John was a Quaker and even though he did not believe in war, when the Civil War broke out, he went to Camp Dennison to enlist. He was rejected because he was blind in his right eye.

He was offered a position of inspector of horses for the cavalry. He rejected this and took a contract to buy and deliver 1000 horses in Cincinnati. He never had a horse rejected. When the war was over, he bought what they called plugs. These were horses that were old or not sound. He took them by boat to Tennessee where he sold them to the planters who had sold all their horses to the Confederacy. His love for trading brought many strange animals to his home. At one time he had two buffalo and two china cattle with legs so short their bellies almost dragged the ground. He collected a monkey, a crocodile, a bear, and a hand organ to show at a tent fair. He also introduced mules into that part of Ohio he and his family were living.

Martha "Patty" Jackson died on Sept. 21, 1872. Her son Curtis remembered that his mother would have such spells of pain, caused by gall stones which finally caused her death. She is buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Westboro, OH.

In May at 1876, John rented his home place to his son Thomas, who had recently married Isabell Burnett, a neighbor girl. He moved the family to Washington Co, IA, where he had a farm that he had owned for several years. His cousins Adaline and Isaac Dowler were tenants on the farm. Adaline was the maghter of his father's sister Hannah Jackson Dingee. It took them eight days to make the trip of 600 miles. They charted two stock cars loaded with lumber, household goods, and feed for the cattle, hasses and cattle.

The following year he married Mrs. Lucinda V. Phelps on Nov. 22, 1877 in Iowa. Lucinda was born in Bedford Co, VA May 3, 1831. She was the widow of Thomas Phelps and the daughter of Thomas and Manageret Hogan. She had married Thomas Phelps on Sept. 30, 1858 and they had two children: Charles A and Anna Phelps. Lucinda's father, Thomas Hogan came to Martinsville in 1835 and was an architect of more than ordinary skill. He was somewhat instrumental in organizing and founding the Methodst Church of Martinsville. He finally died in the triumphs of the faith of the cause he so nobly supported.

John and Lucinda, with her two children and his two youngest children, Josiah and Lena remained on the farm. The other three children went to Oaskaloosa to live with the Yocum family. The depression came that he are and times were very hard for them. They had to sell their hogs at 2 cents per pound. John desired that he would move the family back to Ohio. They arrived in Ohio in 1879. Lucinda stayed for a short time, then returned to Iowa. John became ill in Jan. of 1886. The sickness lasted for five weeks and he died in Feb. of 1886. He is buried beside Martha at Westboro. A Quote from his son Curte: "My father was a very wonderful man and I wish I could describe some of the things he did and said insuch a way that others could see him as I remember him.

John W. ackson and Martha were the parents of seven children:

- 1. LydisJackson, born Mar. 25, 1847 was never married.
- 2. Thosas D. Jackson was born in 1849 and married Isabell Burnett.
- 3. Josepine Jackson was born Jan. 6, 1852 and married William Glasgow
- 4. Margret C. Jackson was born Feb. 15, 1853 and married Charles Darling
- 5 Curé Jackson was born Aug. 17, 1859 and married Elnora Sharpless.
- 6 Helea West Jackson was born Jan. 6, 1862 and married John Frazier

# 7. Josiah Jackson born July 25, 1864 and married Emma Helton.

# Lydia A. Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Lydia the eldest child of John Walter Jackson and Martha (Dickerson) Jackson was born Mar. 25, 1847 in Clinton Co, OH. She attended schools at Martinsville, received a teaching certificate, and taught in county schools around her home. While teaching, she saved her money and went to Erlham College in Richmond, from which she graduated in 1872. The next year she got a position at Middleport, OH to teach in the high school, but her mother became ill. Her mother, who had been in ill health for some time, then died. Lydia had to give up teaching that year, but began teaching the next.

After her mother's death, her father moved the family to Washington Co, IA and Lydia went with them. She and her three sisters went by train. Her father and three brothers went overland to carry the furniture and other things they would need After arriving in Iowa, she called a meeting of all the Jackson children, as she was the spokesman for the family She told them that they were now in a strange county and although it had been the custom in their part of Ohio to say "Pap", it would be well to change that and say "Father". The children agreed to do that. They also started calling her Lydia as she had always been "Lyd" to them in Ohio.

Lydia's father moved back to his farm in Ohio in 1879 and she made the move with him. Her brother Thomas and his wife had lived at the home place while the rest of the family were in Iowa. Thomas now had a little girl "Estellina" three years of age. Thomas and his wife moved into a rented house, and Lucinda, her stepmother, moved back to Iowa to be near her parents. Lydia stayed on the farm and took care of the family. She took care of her father during his last illness from which he died in 1886.

Her two brothers, Curtis and Josiah had moved to Whittier, CA. Curtis wrote her to ask if she would consider moving to CA. He said he would get a house, and that she could keep house for him and Josiah. She arrived in Whittier in 1889 and they got a shack in south Comstock. It was so run down that they did not have to pay any rent on it. Lydia put up the money for them to buy ten acres of land on South Greenleaf for \$1,250. They built a house and moved in on Oct. 1, 1889. They had little furniture and had the house finished down stairs, but the second floor was just one big room with no plaster or doors. Lydia took in Charley Williams, an orphan boy, to live with them and to go to school. He became a great help to them in caring for the home and helping with the ranch.

After Curtis married and moved to a home of his own, Lydia's home became the landing place for all of her family as they come to live in California. Her sister Lena was the first to come. Lena came with enough money to pay off what Lydia owed on the house and to buy some new furniture.

Lydia took a trip back to Richmond, IN in 1895 and returned to Whittier with her niece Estellina who was then nineteen years old. Estellina was the daughter of Lydia's brother Thomas. Lydia and Estellina kept a boarding house for the men at the oil wells in Central Canyon for a while. After Estellina married one of the men that she met at the oil wells, Lydia went back to her home in Greenbaf.

In Apr. 1905, the William Glasgow's (sister Josie) moved to California, and later, her sister Mag and last brother Thomas and his family also made the move. When Thomas arrived, she gave a big reunion for all af the family, as now all of the brothers and sisters were living near one another in California.

Thydra had been in failing health for several years when she died in June of 1922. In her will she left all of her personal property to someone she thought would particularly appreciate it. All of her sisters, throther nieces, and nephews were left something by which they could remember the thoughtfulness of "Aunt Lydia", as she was affectionately known to everyone.

A schoolhouse was later built on Painter and Short Streets and it was named "The Lydia Jackson School" in her memory. Her home place was sold and it was subdivided into business and residential lots are became part of the city of Whittier.

Lydia was never married.

#### Thomas D. Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas was born in 1849 in Clinton Co, OH as the second child of John Walter and Martha (Dickerson) Jackson. He grew up on his fathers farm in Clinton, and his father had hoped that he would become a farmer. Thomas had wanted to become a harness maker. His father's argument was, when anyone works in a shop of any kind, his salary stopped when he stopped working. But a farmer's crops and livestock grew even while he slept and rested, and made money for him even when he wasn't working. As a result of this opposition Thomas did not put his mind on the farm work as his father had wished. It was his mother who kept harmony between the two.

In the fall of 1875, when he was 26 years old, he married a neighbor (Scottish) girl named Isabell Burnett. Soon after their marriage, his father took the rest of the family and moved to a farm in Iowa. Thomas and Isabell remained on the farm in Ohio and lived there until the family returned in 1779. Their daughter Estellina was born during this time.

They rented a farm from Isabell's brother Andrew Burnett. Andrew lived in Springfield. It was a new farm and well drained. It was close to her parents and about two miles from his home place. That year was a very wet year their and crops were not very good, so the next year her brother Mr. Burnett traded the farm for a stone quarry near Springfield.

Thomas remained in Springfield with his family. Isabell had been sick for a long time, grew rapidly worse, then died in the summer of 1882. Thomas' second marriage was to Nanny Pitzer in 1885.

It was not until 1908 that **Thomas**, **Nanny**, and their children **Maybell** and **John**, moved to California to join the rest of the family. When they arrived, his sister celebrated their arrival at her home with a big family reunion. All the **Jacksons** were there with their children. The **Fraziers** came from Homet, in Riverside Co with their three children, **Josiah** and **Emma** with two children were living on their ranch on the Orange Co line; **Mag**, with her two daughters, and **Josie** and her family lived near **Lydia** in Greenleaf. In 1910 **Thomas** bought a 15 acre farm with his brother **Curtis** near Pico. They divided the farm, and **Thomas** moved his family to it.

The farm was planted with orange trees and **Thomas** plowed between the young trees. He planted three acres in lemon trees. In 1913, the trees were loaded with fruit when a frost froze the trees to the stump. It was five years before he got another crop.

Thomas was the first of the family to die. He lived only six years after his move to California. When he became ill they found that his heart had been bad for a long time. He grew steadily worse and died in 1914. Thomas had three known children: Estellina, Maybell, and John.

#### Josephine "Josie" Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Josephine, called "Josie", was born Jan. 6, 1852 in Clinton Co, OH. She attended school in Martinsville. After finishing school, she took the teachers examination in Wilmington and got her certificate to teach when she was 19. She taught her first and only year for only one winter term at the home school. She was the first woman teacher in that school. Much to the surprise of some of the people, she was able to manage the big boys as well or better than a man teacher.

She was a very good teacher, but had to quit the next year. Due to the death of her mother she had to take charge at home. She took over her mother's obligations and became like a second mother to the younger children.

She went with the family when her father moved to Washington Co, IA. The **Samuel Glasgow** family was among their new neighbors. Their land joined the **Jackson's**. They had a young son named **William "Will" Glasgow**.

It was a custom in Washington Co to hold what they called a "fishing party" every year after the corn planting. It was a sort of picnic on the English River, but little fishing was done. The girls all wore white sun bonnets to the party and the boys would take them in hired livery rigs. In the pairing off before the party, **Josey** and her sisters were to be taken by **William (Will) Glasgow**. He said they were to new and he didn't know how they were going to "take" in the neighborhood and he didn't know as he wanted to take them.

Will Glasgow and Josie were married the next year. The year they moved to Kansas is not known, but they were living there in 1885 when her sister Lena visited.

Josie could not make the trip back to Ohio when her father became ill, as she had a new baby and he (John) did not want her to risk coming to visit. John said that he would like her husband Will to come in her place. Will was there a few days before John died in Feb. of 1886.

Josie and her family moved from Kansas in 1905 to be near the rest of the family, and lived near sister Lydia on S. Greenleaf.

Josey died suddenly in 1916 from a stroke. She fell over as they were arising one morning and lived only a few hours. She regained consciousness long enough to talk to all of her children who could come. William and Josie were the parents of five children:

- 1. Ralph Glasgow married Alice Heeley. They had three children.
- 2. Frank Glasgow
- 3. Irene Glasgow married Allen Parker. They had three children.
- 4. Elsie Glasgow was first married to Edward Thomas. Her second marriage was to Irvine Stanlee.
- 5. Everett Glasgow

# Margaret Cecelia Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel)

Margaret, called "Mag", was born Feb. 15, 1853 in Clinton Co, OH. She attended the Martinsville schools, and Earlham College but did not graduate.

She moved to Iowa, then back to Ohio with the family in 1879. When they returned to Ohio, she lived with the Yocum family a while. After the death of her father, her brothers Curtis and Josiah and sister Lydia moved to Whittier, CA and she made preparation to join them. While on a visit to Urbana, she met Charles Darling, and decided that she did not want to go west and grow up with the county. She and Charles were married in the fall of 1895. Her brother Thomas divided the home place and gave her enough land to build a house.

The year that Charles died is unknown. Two of their daughters, Susie and Florence went to Whittier, CA to live with their aunt Lydia when they were still in grade school, and did finish high school. Susie married Quanton Reed, and Florence taught school for a while and married Jack Spencer.

Margaret was living with her daughter Florence in Whittier, CA when she died in Feb. of 1937. The names of any more children are unknown.

# Josiah Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Josiah was born in Clinton Co, OH, July 25, 1864 and was the youngest child of John Walter Jackson and Martha Dickerson. He was 10 years old when his mother died. He grew up in Ohio and Iowa, and after their return to Ohio, he spent most of his time helping his brother Curtis on his farm. When Curtis went to California, he lived for a while with his sister Josie in Kansas. He then moved to Whittier to be near Curtis.

They worked for awhile at a rock quarry in Temecula, and later went back to Whittier where he worked on the East Whittier Ranch.

They bought ten acres of land when their sister Lydia came out to keep house for them. They wanted

to raise orange trees. They bought some and **Josiah** had a chance to work for them. He went to work on the Bullock Ranch which was a big ranch in Puente Valley.

Josiah was 32 years old when he married Emma Helton in May of 1896. In 1908 they were living on their ranch on the Orange Co line with two children.

# Curtis Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born Aug. 17, 1859 in the little town of Westboro, in Clinton Co, in the Ohio Valley. He was the son of John W. and Martha Dickerson Jackson. He was named after his grandfather and always went by the name of "Curt".

When he was twelve years old, his father sent him to a Hicksite school at Springboro, Ohio, called the Miami Valley Institute. The Hicksites were a branch of the Quakers to which his father and grandparents Curtis and Lydia Jackson belonged.

Before going to the Hicksite school, he had attended a school located a mile up the creek and on the opposite side of their house. He recalled in his memoirs that they walked along the road or on the edges of the fields and crossed the Creek on a log. When the weather was bad, someone would take them and ford the Creek. The school house was a one room frame building and was built on one corner of about half an acre of land, which had not very long before been in the woods. The stumps of the trees with the ax Prints still in them, stood in the yard. Inside the schoolhouse was a room 30 by 40 feet. Across one end was a Platform above which was a blackboard, under the blackboard were three benches of three heights to suit the different sizes of the pupils. The desks were arranged with the smaller ones in front and the larger ones in the back. The teacher was a woman in the summer, and she was paid eighteen to twenty dollars a month. In the winter they hired a man teacher and his wages was twenty to twenty-five dollars per month, because a woman was unable to handle the big boys that came to that session of school.

Curtis was eighteen years old when his father moved the family to Washington Co, IA. He, with his father and brother Si, drove overland with the household furniture, cattle, etc. They arrived in Washington Co, unloaded the stock at once, and he and brother Si drove them to the farm 6 miles to the northeast. When they arrived they found an old house with no corrals or fences. They tied the horses to the corn crib and some of the cattle to the yard fence. Later that night, they made their beds on the floor. One morning they found that three of their horses were gone. They had to hire horses and rode far and near looking for them. They found the horses 25 miles away at Brighton's Mill. After that they fenced in some pasture to keep the stock.

That winter he worked on the farm, plowing, harvesting, hauling fence material and feed from Riverside, bran from the mill was \$3.00 per ton. In the fall he entered Earlham, and the next year he went to Penn College.

After his father's marriage to Lucinda Phelps, he rented part of the house where the Yocums lived with about twenty acres of land. This was in the north part of Oskaloosa. They moved in with some stock. In those days there were no trucks. They loaded a wagon with furniture and Lena drove the team while Curtis and Si drove two cows and thirty head of pigs. Some of the pigs were tired out, they got frightened at something and turned back. It took them until dark to round the pigs up, and they never found two of them.

During the depression they had to sell their hogs for 2 cents per pound and in the mean time his father and Lucinda had moved in with them. His sister Josey and her husband Will took charge of his father's farm and lived there for several years. They lived in Oskaloosa until school was out in 1879. He had finished a prepatory course that he was taking, and then the family moved back to Ohio.

Back in Ohio, Curtis worked for a short time in Springfield, hauling stones, and other jobs for Andrew Burnett, brother of his brother Thomas's, wife Isabell (Burnett). His father had made a trade of a half section of his land in Iowa for a farm and a mortgage of \$3,000. He told Curtis if he would pay

the \$3,000 that he would deed the farm to him. Curtis took the offer, went back to the farm, and lived there for six years until 1888. His sister Lena kept house for him. In the fall of 1887 his cousin Charley Jackson went to Whittier, CA. Charley wrote such glowing accounts of California that Curtis decided to sell his farm and move to California.

After he settled up the sale and took notes from neighbors that could not pay, he left for California with \$70 in his pockets and still owed \$600. Once in Whittier, he found that things were not as rosy as he had expected. Times were hard and there were no jobs to be found. He finally found work in the San Fernando Valley on a thresher on the big ranch of **Hubbard & Wright**. Here he remained for sixty days. During that time he never left the ranch, was never in a house, and never saw a white woman. His old friend **Andrew Burnett** had bought a granite quarry in Tamecula, and his brother **Si** (**Josiah**) had come from Kansas to join **Curtis** in **CA**.

They both worked at the quarry and Curtis wrote to his sister Lydia saying if she would come to California and keep house for them, he would find a house so the three could live together. Lydia arrived the next year and Curtis got a shack where they lived until they could build a house on the ten acres of land that he had bought. Their sister Lena came to live with them in 1889.

In Nov. of 1891, two young men and their sister named **Sharpless** moved to a ranch near Whittier. **Curtis** met the sister named **Elnora**, called "Nora". After new years, the ladies of Whittier gave a leap year party and **Elnora** ask **Curtis** to go with her. Their acquaintance grew into friendship and before long he became a regular visitor to the **Sharpless** home. **Curtis** bought ten acres of land in Feb. of 1892, but it was not until Jan. 10, 1894 that he and **Elnora** were married at the home of her parents. They were married by Rev. **Charles E, Tebbetts.** It was **Curtis'** (first?) marriage. They built a small house with very few conveniences. Their first child **Albert Thomas** was born Mar. 1, 1895. They built a larger house the next year on Colima Road and their second son named **Marion** was born there on June 2, 1896. Their only daughter **Mildred** was born in June of 1897. Their youngest son **Paul** was born July 4, 1900.

In 1900, a Mr. Commach offered Curtis \$3,500 for his place. He accepted and bought 17 acres on the corner of Painter and East Whittier Road. The place was covered with young Walnut trees. This place later became Whittier Blvd. He built another new house, this time in the walnut orchard which he called a real house. He also built barns and a buggy shed. In the spring of 1905, his sister Josie and her family moved to Whittier. The first big party in their new home was the wedding of his niece Estellina, who had been living with his sister Lydia. The next good news they received was that his brother Thomas was moving his family to Whittier. The family was now all together once more. Thomas' family arrived in 1908.

Thomas was the first of the children of John and Martha to die. He died in 1914, his sisters Josie died in 1916, Lydia died in June of 1922 and Mag in 1937.

In 1922 their place was cut up into town lots. Curtis gave a lease on the corner of Whittier and Painter Blvd. for a gasoline station which was the first in the neighborhood. The service station became the gathering place for everyone.

Curtis wrote his memoirs in 1937. He spoke of the depression before and after Franklin D, Roosevelt became president. He finished with: "And now in 1937 we do not know what will become of us".

Curtis and Elnora (Burnett) Jackson were the parents of four children:

- 1. Albert Thomas Jackson was born Mar. 1, 1895. He worked in the shipyards at Long Beach during the war. He married Ida Bardwell in Long Beach.
- 2. Marion Jackson was born June 2, 1896. He married Josephine Gidley July 28, 1922.
- 3. Mildred Jackson was born May or June of 1897. She graduated from Whittier College and married Leland Johns Oct. 28, 1921.
- 4. Paul Jackson was born July 4, 1900. He married Henrietta Dec. 23, 1927.

(Note by Mr. Charles Hanlin. "At this place (the farm in Iowa) there is a picture of Curtis Jackson shown at the age of 22. He had dark hair and eyes, a mustache well taken care of, a firm mouth, and looks to be of pretty good sized statue. He was very good looking and might be has some resemblance to John Coder at that age.")

## Helena "Lena" West Jackson (John W., Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Helena was born Jan. 6, 1862 in Clinton Co, OH. She was named after her father's cousin, Helena Jackson West. She grew up in Clinton Co, and went with her father to Washington Co, IA when she was 14 years old.

The winter following their arrival in Iowa was what the people of Iowa called "an open winter". From the first through Dec. 24, it had rained most every day. They had no chance to buy any of their Christmas presents for the family. Taking her brother Josiah, Lena started early the morning of the 24th to Washington on horseback to get presents. The roads were too bad for any other mode of travel, and the six and one half miles between their farm and Washington were considered to be the worst in the state. Lena rode a side saddle and wore a long skirt to keep her shoes clear of mud when she got to town. She carried eight dozen eggs on her lap, which she sold for a little more than \$2. With that money she got something for everyone in the family, and enough left over for a pair of vases for Lizzie Glasgow. Lizzie was Will's sister who was not very well at the time. Lizzie always remembered everyone at Christmas time.

They arrived home about dark and had to hurry to get all of the things wrapped and labeled in time to take to the Grand Prairie U. P. Church, where they had the Christmas tree. Later, they recalled it was one of the biggest times that they'd had. The entertainment consisted of a promenade, in which the boys took the girls and walked around the tree and admired the decorations. **Lena** had the time of her life.

Lydia, Josiah and Curtis moved to Whittier, CA after the death of her parents, and Helena went to join them in 1889. She took enough money with her to pay off the debt that Lydia owed on the house and bought some new furniture. She later went back to Kansas to help her sister Josie, who was raising a large family. She later returned to Whittier and bought six acres of land from sister Lydia. Soon afterward, she met a young carpenter named John Frazier who said he would build her a new house on the land.

Helena and John Frazier were married in Dec. of 1896. They lived at Homet, Riverside Co, CA for several years. The names of their children are unknown at this time, except for one daughter, Josephine Frazier Richards, who helped Curtis Jackson write his memoirs.

# Anna Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Anna was born Jan. 28, 1827 in Clinton Co, OH. She married James H. Williams on Sept. 18, 1847. James was born Dec. 11, 1827, the son of Isaac and Sarah Williams. They were the parents of six children, all born in OH:

- 1. Isaac Williams, born Feb. 18, 1854
- 2. William A. Williams, born Aug. 4, 1848
- 4. Lisbon Williams, born June 4, 1856
- 4. Francis Edward Williams, born Oct. 5, 1858
- 5. Sarah Ellen Williams, born June 15, 1861
- Thomas Williams, born Aug. 17, 1865

## Jesse Jackson (Curtis, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse, the youngest son of Curtis and Lydia Jackson, was born Apr. 24, 1844 in OH and died Oct. 19, 1802 in Iowa. He married Catherine Bryan Apr. 14, 1854. They were the parents of four known children:

- 1. John W. Jackson, born Feb. 15, 1855
- 2. Elbridge L. Jackson, no information
- 3. Lillion Jackson married William Tindell
- 4. Adelia Jackson married Henry C. Saunders

## JOSIAH JACKSON (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Josiah was born Aug. 9, 1795 in Surry Co, NC, the youngest son of Jacob and Anne Beals Jackson. His parents moved to TN when he was a small lad, and later to Ohio. He died July 16, 1848 and is buried at Newberry, Clinton Co, OH.

Josiah's first marriage was to Ruth Hiatt Oct. 18, 1823 at Fall Creek MM, in Ohio. Ruth was born June 6, 1802 in Grayson Co, VA. She was the daughter of Benjamin Hiatt and Mary Worley. After Ruth's death, Josiah married Hannah Hiatt Mar. 27, 1845. She was the sister of his first wife Ruth.

Josiah was with his brother Curtis Jackson when they boated salt from the Kanawha to Cincinnati. In 1817, they shipped two flat-bottomed boats loaded with meat from Cincinnati to New Orleans. For more information on their adventures, see the account of Curtis Jackson, son of Jacob.

Josiah and Ruth Jackson were the parents of five known children. Josiah and his second wife, Hannah had one known daughter.

- 1. Helena Jackson was born Aug. 4, 1824 in Clinton Co, OH. She married James H. West Apr. 27, 1848. (See the account on James H. West.)
- William Jackson was born Oct. 6, 1826 in Clinton Co, OH and married Rhoda Ann Sheppard June 24,1852.
- Jacob Jackson was born Aug. 31, 1828 in Clinton Co, OH. He married Caroline Betts on Sept.
   1863 and was condemned from Newberry MM for marrying out of unity. This family moved to Jasper Co, MO. They had two known children:
  - a. William W. Jackson
  - b. Annetta H. Jackson
- 4. Sarah Jackson was born Jan. 19, 1833. See account.
- 5. Hannah A. Jackson was born in OH. She married Pleasant Betterton on Apr. 22, 1858.
- 6. Ludia A. Jackson was born May 22, 1848. She lived in Whittier, CA.

#### Helena Jackson (Josiah, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Helena was born Oct. 4, 1824 near Martinsville, Clinton Co, OH. She was the eldest child of Josiah and Ruth (Hiatt) Jackson. She died Oct. 19, 1864. She married James B. West Apr. 27, 1848 in Clark Township, Clinton Co, OH.

James was born in Ohio, Mar. 2, 1821 and died Mar. 28, 1903. He was the son of Peyton West and Sarah Hadley. After Helena's death, James married Marianne McPherson.

Helena and James were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Josiah H. West was born Jan. 29, 1849 and died Oct. 17, 1864.
- 2. Edwin P. West was born Feb. 18, 1851 and died Sept. 13, 1926. He was a teacher, the Principal of Martinsville school, and a Professor.
- 3. Cassius J. West was born Oct. 12, 1853 and died Oct. 1, 1872.
- 4. Arthur W. West, born Dec. 9, 1855.
- 5. Laura B. West was born Dec. 9, 1857 and died Dec. 26, 1859.
- 6. Otis T. West was born Oct. 30, 1860 and died Feb. 4, 1878.
- Ida May West was born May 13, 1863 and died Mar. 3, 1866.

From an article on Clinton Co, OH written by their son, Professor Edwin P. West:

James H. West was a man of strong intelligence and fair education. First a teacher, and then a farmer, distinguished for firmness of conviction and integrity of character. His father, Peyton West, a man of affairs in the early history of the county, was county surveyor from 1840 to 1846, county treasurer for a period, and had a large share in the larger land transactions of that period. Peyton West had learned the surveyors art from his father Owen West, a cousin of Benjamin West, the artist who had emigrated from eastern Pennsylvania into Pittsylvania Co, VA and there to Ohio about 1805. Benjamin settled on the east fork of the Miami River a few miles southeast of Martinsville. When a boy of eighteen, James H. West was one of the chain carriers for his father when he surveyed Jefferson Township in the winter of 1839.

Peyton M. West The following is from "Biographical sketches of Clark Township":

Peyton M. West was the fourth son of Peyton and Sarah (Hadley) West. Peyton was born on the old homestead on Aug. 22, 1826. There he grew to manhood, having such educational advantages as the log schoolhouses of his neighborhood afforded. He was reared to farm life, but in later years was engaged in many different callings. He married Sarah Jackson May 26, 1853.

Sarah was the daughter of Josiah and Ruth Jackson and was a native of Clinton Co, OH. Sarah became the mother of seven children: Marietta, Emerson B. (deceased), Clara M. Frank, Josiah E. and two that died in infancy. Mrs. Sarah West died Oct. 28, 1868.

Peyton's second marriage was to Anna Dean Oct. 25, 1869. Anna bore him the following children: Harry D. (deceased), Roy, Musa, Cari, and Pearl.

Politically, Mr. West was a Whig in early life, but since the formation of the Republican party, has supported and voted that ticket. He is the owner of 200 acres of fine land in Clark Township. He also owned some lots in Wilmington and 400 acres in southeast MO. He resides at Martinsville, but looks after his farm which lies some distance south of that village. Mr. West is a man who has traveled considerably, possesses broad views and a well informed mind. Like his ancestors, he adheres to the Friend's Church.

Peyton's father, Peyton M. West was the son of Owen and Elizabeth (Martin) West. They were natives of Pittslyvania Co, VA, who came to the territory, on the East Fork of the little Miami, in Clark Township. They had a family of eleven children. He was a surveyor as were his sons Owen Jr. and Peyton, and did much of the surveying throughout the portion of Clinton Co. This family were members of the Friend's Monthly Meeting. Peyton M. learned the art of surveying from his father. He was county surveyor of Clinton Co from Oct. 1840 to Oct. 1840.

Peyton M. West married Sarah Hadley, the daughter of James and Ann Hadley. They had eleven children: James H., Joseph H, William H., Peyton M., Elisha B., Edith, Sarah Ann, Esther Jane, Caroline, Jeremiah H., and Hannah M., who died in girihood. He died at his farm in Clark Township, Aug. 22, 1868. His wife Sarah died June 23, 1876. They are both buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Clark Township. Peyton is said to have been a very large man and strong determination of character, possessing a good education and hard common sense. He was a successful farmer, and gave his children a good start in life. The old homestead, now the property of one of his daughters, is said to be one of the finest farms in Clinton Co.

## Sarah Jackson (Josiah, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was born Jan. 19, 1833 in Clinton Co, OH. She was the daughter of Josiah and Ruth Hiatt Jackson. Sarah died Oct. 29, 1868. She married Peyton W. West. Peyton was born Aug. 22, 1827, and died Apr. 8, 1897. He was the son of Peyton West and Sarah Hadley. He was a brother of James H. West who married Sarah's sister Helena Jackson. Peyton was a farmer and they lived near Martensville, in Clinton Co, OH. After Sarah's death, Peyton married Diana Dean Oct. 25, 1869. Peyton and Sarah were the parents of seven known children:

- Marietta West, born Aug. 14, 1855
- 2. Emerson B. West, died before 1882
- 3. Child, died in infancy
- 4. Child, died in infancy
- 5. Clara Myrta West, born Apr. 15, 1862
- 6. Francis (Frank) Marion West, born Aug. 17, 1865
- 7. Josiah E. West, born Oct. 14, 1868

#### Hannah A. Jackson (Josiah, Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Hannah was born in Clinton Co, OH, the daughter of Josiah Jackson and Ruth Hiatt. She married Pleasant Betterton Apr. 26, 1858, in Clinton Co, OH. Pleasant was born Dec. 24, 1830 and was the son of Joshua and Mary (West) Betterton. They were the parents of six children, all born in Clinton

#### Co, OH:

- 1. Florence Betterton, born in 1859
- 2. William Betterton, born in 1860
- 3. Charles Betterton, born in 1862
- 4. Walter Betterton, born in 1865
- 5. Malinda Betterton, born in 1867
- 6. Mary Betterton, born in 1870

## The following was taken from "Biographical Sketches of Clark Township")

Pleasant Betterton, farmer, the youngest son of Joshua and Mary (West) Betterton, was born in the township of his residence Dec. 24, 1830. His parents were natives of Campbell Co, VA. His father was born Oct. 8, 1771, and his mother in 1791. They were married in the "Old Dominion" and migrated to Clinton Co in 1812, and first settled at Snow Hill, where they resided till 1813, when Mr. Betterton purchased 300 acres, a part of which comprises the present homestead. He settled on it at about the same time. Mr. Betterton was a carpenter and millwright by trade, and followed it a good portion of his life. He built one of the large mills at Lynchburg, VA, and after coming to this county, aided in the erection of two mills—one on the "Old Haworth farm," and one for Aaron Ruse, on the east fork. Mr. Betterton was prominently connected with all the early improvements of Clark. He departed this life Oct. 3, 1834 and Mrs. Betterton died Dec. 5, 1875, at the ripe age of eighty-four years. Mr. Betterton's father, William Betterton, was a witness to the noted "Wyoming massacre," and saw his father and family cruelly murdered, while he and only one brother escaped the wrath of the uncouth savages. He also participated in the struggle for our national independence.

Mr. Betterton, the subject of this sketch, was reared to manhood on his father's farm. From 1856 to 1868, he was engaged in railroading on the M. & C. RR., and since has followed the pursuits of farming. On Apr. 26, 1858, he was joined in marriage to Miss Hannah A. Jackson, daughter of Josiah and Ruth Jackson. This union was blessed with six children. Of these, four are living: Flora, William, Walter, and Mary. Charlie and Melinda are deceased.

Mr. Betterton is a member of the Masonic Fraternity, and in politics is a Republican. He served as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clark Township for ten years. He was Land Assessor in 1870. In June 1861, he was appointed Deputy U. S. Marshal by President Lincoln, and served for the term of nine years. He owns a well cultivated farm of 136 acres, and is by occupation, a farmer.

## Mary Jackson (Jacob, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born Feb. 28, 1782 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC, the fourth child of Jacob and Ann (Beals) Jackson. Mary married Thomas Macklin on Nov. 10, 1803 in Green Co, TN. The only known information on Mary is her date of birth, her marriage to Thomas Macklin, and that they were the parents of three children:

- a. Hannah Macklin, married Solomon Moon Feb. 20, 1823.
- Allen Macklin, married Arkey Adams May 4, 1825.
- c. Samuel Macklin, married Malinda Wilson Mar. 11, 1830.

## Curtis Jackson (Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born in Chester Co, PA around 1750-52. He was the second (or third) son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankenhorn Jackson. His parents moved to Rowan Co, NC when he was a lad, around eight or nine years old. There they settled, what later became the Jackson settlement, located on the Davidson-Randolph County line. The family was living on Tom's Creek in Surry Co, NC in 1774, where they paid taxes.

Curtis and three of his brothers were among the charter members of the Westfield MM an Tom's Creek. Curtis married Ruth Beals Nov. 25, 1775. Ruth was born June 17, 1757, the daughter of Bowater and Sarah Ann Cook Beals.

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#### Bowater and Sarah Ann Cook Beals.

Deeds recorded in Surry Co court house for Curtis Aug. 9, 1787 show that he received a North Carolina grant, of two hundred acres located on both sides of Tom's Creek portion of the Yadkin River, adjoining land of Lewis Conners, Thomas Evans, and Clark.

He received a one hundred acre tract granted from the state on May 18, 1789. This was on the waters of Big Creek of Dan River. This land was adjoining **Samuel Jackson** his father's (or brother's). He purchased fifty five acres of land from **Joseph Jessup** on Jan. 31, 1794, and sold the same tract to **Nathan Beals** on Nov. 11, 1800.

Curtis and Ruth lived on the land on Tom's Creek, where their twelve children were born. In 1808 he moved to Guilford Co, NC and transferred his membership from the Westfield MM to Deep River MM. The Deep River MM received Ruth and her daughters, Edith, Katherine, and Ruth on July 9, 1808. Curtis was received on certificate on Aug. 1, 1808. Curtis died in Guilford Co, NC and his will was probated Nov. 1829.

Ruth Beals Jackson's date of death is unknown. Curtis made his will in Sept. 1829. In it he named his wife as Elizabeth with two small daughters. A marriage is recorded in Guilford Co, June 10, 1820 for a Curtis Jackson and Elizabeth Shaw. The bondsman was Henry Humphreys. It was witnessed by John Hanner, C.C.C.

Curtis and Ruth were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Phoebe Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC Dec. 15, 1776. She married Timothy Jessup Apr. 10, 1799. The names of any children are unknown. Timothy was the son of William and Mary Jessup. William and Mary Jessup were living in Dallas Co, AL in 1836.
- 2. Catherine Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC Sept. 19, 1778. She moved to Guilford Co, NC with her parents in 1808. She was given \$30, the bed, furniture, and "her wearing apparel" in her father's will
- 3. Sarah Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC on Aug. 16, 1780. She married King Fisher. No other information is available on Sarah.
- Bowater Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC Apr. 1, 1783. He married Jimmie Mace Apr. 10, 1810 in Stokes Co, NC. See account.
- 5. Jacob Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC Jan. 22, 1785. He married Susannah Gaines on June 7, 1809. See account.
- 6. Beulah Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC in 1787. She married Caleb Garrett, son of Welcome Garrett. See account.
- Susannah Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC, Apr. 10, 1789. She married Timothy H. Jessup Apr. 30, 1806. See account.
- 8. Nathan Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC. He married Susan. He died in Dallas Co, AL. See account.
- 9. Thomas Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC. He married Cynthia and moved to Indiana. See account.
- 10. Edith Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC. She married Risdon Charles in 1810. She was disowned from Deep River MM for marring out of Unity. Risdon was the son of Elizabeth Charles, who's will was probated in Guilford Co, NC in 1831. In her will, Edith Charles named six sons: Smith, Risdon, Jacob, John, Elisha, and Solomon and daughters: Elizabeth Clary, Mary Jones, Anna Raper, and Rebecca Guyes.
- 11. Ruth Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC in 1796-97. She married Jesse Ferebee. She was disowned from Deep Creek MM on Oct. 7, 1810 for marring out of unity.
- 12. Curtis Jackson Jr. was born in Surry Co, NC in 1798, the youngest child of Curtis and Ruth Beals Jackson. He married Rebecca Apr. 27 1820. Rebecca was born in 1799, and was disowned from Deep River MM July 6, 1820 for marring out of unity. Curtis was living in Hamilton Co, IN in 1850 with two sons, Andrew and Madison, both age 21 years.

The following are the children of Curtis Jackson and Elizabeth Shaw.

13. Mary Jackson was born in Guilford Co, NC around 1821. In her father's will, she was to be

placed with a nice family, and was to be schooled.

14. Lurena Jackson was born in Guilford Co, NC, around 1823. In her father's will, she was to be placed in a nice home when she was old enough, and to be schooled. Lurena may be the Louzena Jackson who married James Lloyd, on Aug. 17, 1852 in Guilford Co, NC. They were married by N. R. Sapp, J. P. The bondsman was Grafton Morgan, and witnessed by B. G. Graham.

#### WILL OF Curtis Jackson

B-0618 Curtis Jackson, 25 Sept. 1829, probated Nov., 1829 in Guilford Co, NC

Elizabeth and youngest child Lurena - Provisions as long as Elizabeth is single.

When Lurena is old enough, she and daughter Mary to be placed with a nice family and to be schooled.

Daughter Phoebe (wife of Timothy Jessop) - \$1, if legally demanded.

Daughter Catherine, \$30 over the bed and furniture she has received, her wearing apparel, and that of her mother's.

Daughter - Sarah, (wife of King Fisher), oldest son Bowater, 2nd son Jacob, Thomas, and Nathan.

Daughter - Beulah, (wife of Caleb Garrett)

Daughter - Susannah (wife of Timothy H. Jessop)

Daughter - Edith, (wife of Risdon Charles)

Daughter - Ruth, (wife of Jesse Ferabee)

Son - Curtis Jackson.

Each to receive \$1, if legally demanded.

Executor: Son Curtis Jackson

Witnesses: Richard Mendenhall, James Pitts

#### Phoebe Jackson (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Phoebe was born Dec. 15, 1776 in Surry Co, NC. She was the first born child of Curtis and Ruth (Beals) Jackson. She married Timothy Jessup on Apr. 10, 1799 at the Westfield MM in Surry Co, NC. Timuthy was born Jan. 17, 1777, the son of William and Mary Jessup.

Phoebe and Timothy moved to Dallas Co, AL, where they remained for several years. In 1850 they were living in San Augustine Co, TX with their youngest son Curtis Jessup, they were both 72 years of age.

The name of six children are known, although they probably had more. The six known children were all born in the Westfield Community of Surry Co, NC. A list of these children follows:

- 1. Gulsima Jessup, born Jan. 30, 1800 in North Carolina.
- 2. MaleChild, born May 20, 1801 and died June 1, 1801.
- Isra# Jessup was born July 14, 1803 and married "Mary". He lived in Limestone Co, TX. Seespoont.
- 4. Hanmh Jessup was born July 29, 1804 in North Carolina and married Scott Vanderslice.
- 5. Ruthlessup was born June 26, 1812 in North Carolina.
- 6. Curki Jessup was born in 1816 in North Carolina and married Sarah A. Fitzerald. See account.

## Israel Jessup (Phoebe, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Israel-washorn July 14, 1803 in the Westfield, Surry Co, NC. In 1850, Israel was living in Limestone, TX. The 350 census records gives the name of his wife as Mary, age 50, born in KY. This family had moved from Dallas Co, AL to Limestone, TX in 1837-38. The names of these eight children as listed in the 1850 ensus follows:

- 1. A.I.J. fessup, age 20, born ca 1830 in Alabama
- 2. Margaret Jessup, age 18, born ca 1832 in Alabama
- 3. Fehreitessup, age 18, born ca 1832 in Alabama
- 4. Marylessup, age 14, born ca 1836 in Alabama
- 5. ¡Elizahth Jessup, age 13, born ca 1837 in Alabama

- 6. Samuel H. Jessup, age 12, born ca 1838 in Texas
- 7. George W. Jessup, age 8, born ca 1842 in Texas
- 8. Sintha (Cynthia?) Jessup, age 5, born ca 1845 in Texas.

## Hannah Jessup (Phoebe, Curtis, Samuel)

Hannah was born July 29, 1804 in Guilford Co, NC. She married Scott Vanderslice July 17, 1820 in Dallas Co, AL. Scott Vanderslice was born ca. 1799 in KY. He was the son of Benjamin and Margaret (Scott) Vanderslice. He died ca. 1858 in Hallsville, Harrison Co, TX. The year that Hannah died is unknown.

Scott married Elizabeth Summers after Hannah died. Elizabeth was born ca. 1808 in SC, and died around 1865 in Harrison Co, TX. She was the daughter of John S. and Maria (Addy) Summers.

Scott moved his family to Harrison Co, TX in 1845. He acquired property and became a well known citizen and farmer in Harrison Co. Following his death in 1852, his estate was settled by the Co Court for distribution among his widow and nine children.

Since the date of Hannah's death is unknown, as is the date of his marriage to Elizabeth Summers, it is unknown which of the nine children listed in his estate papers are the children Hannah's and Elizabeth's. A list of Scott Vanderslice's children follows:

- Benjamin Vanderslice was born in 1822 in Dallas, AL, and died in 1864. His first
  marriage was to Martha Jane Beck in 1849. His second marriage was to Margaret Clark in
  1857, and his third marriage was to Virginia Clark in 1861.
- Delilah "Della" Vanderslice was born Aug. 15, 1825. She married William Crowser/Crowson June 21, 1855.
- 3. Mary Jane Vanderslice was born Mar. 17, 1827. She married William Smith.
- John A. Vanderslice was born July 6, 1829. He married Matilda Beck on Feb. 16, 1853.
- 5. Margaret Ann Vanderslice was born Apr. 22, 1831 and died ca. 1856. She married William H. Young Oct. 5, 1848.
- 6. Thomas S. Vanderslice was born Oct. 5, 1832. He married Stacey V. Smith June 20, 1859.
- 7. William J. Vanderslice was born June 4, 1836. No other information available.
- 8. Josephine Vanderslice was born Oct. 24, 1842 and died Mar. 31, 1882. She married Jacob Munta/Munts Jan. 26, 1869.
- 9. Reinard V. Vanderslice was born July 10, 1847 and died Oct. 15, 1920. He married Mary E. Lawson Apr. 8, 1869.

# THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HARRISON . COUNTY COURT, JANUARY TERM, 1855

Application For Petition And Distribution:

We, Elizabeth Vanderslice, widow of Scott Vanderslice, and Benjamin Vanderslice, Delilah Vanderslice, Mary Jane Smith, wife of William Smith, Margaret Ann Young, wife of William Young, John Vanderslice, Thomas Vanderslice, all of full age, and William Vanderslice, Josephine Vanderslice, Reynard Vanderslice, minor by their guardian, Elizabeth Vanderslice, hereby apply for partition and distribution of the land of said estate about two hundred and sixty six acres, the late residence of said decedent, situated in said county about ten miles west from Marshall. The foregoing are the only heirs of said estate, Jan. 26th 1855.

# ESTATE OF SCOTT VANDERSLICE, DECEASED

Elizabeth Vanderslice, widow of Scott Vanderslice, deceased, and Benjamin Vanderslice, Delilah Vanderslice, John Vanderslice, Margaret Young, wife of Wm. Young, Thomas Vanderslice, Mary Jane Smith, wife of William Smith, all of full age and William Vanderslice, Josephine Vanderslice, (and Reynard), by their mother and natural guardian, Elizabeth Vanderslice, having filed their application for partition and distribution of two hundred and sixty six acres of land, the homestead of said decedent the same, came to be heard and considered.

It appears that all of said applicants reside in Harrison Co, TX, and that no advancements have been

made except fifty acres of land to the said Margaret Young.

It further appears that said land is common property. It is ordered, adjudged and decreed the said land, two hundred and sixty six acres be first divided into two parts of equal value and that one of said parts be given to the said Elizabeth Vanderslice, widow of said decedent and that the other half be divided into nine shares of equal value and that one of said shares be given to each of the other heirs, children of said decedent.

It is further ordered that W.W.C. Stanfield, Jacob Beck, and William Milton be and they are thereby appointed commissioners of partition and distribution, and it is further ordered that a writ of partition issue commanding them to proceed forthwith to distribute said property in accordance with this decree.

## Curtis Jessup (Phoebe, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born ca 1816, the youngest known son of Phoebe and Timothy Jessup. He married Sarah Amanda Fitzgerold Mitchell in 1857. Curtis was around 41 years old when he married Sarah, so he may have had an earlier marriage.

Sarah Amanda Fitzgerold Mitchell was born in 1821 in TN. She was the daughter of Jackson Fitzgerold and Sarah Moore. Her first marriage was to Jesse Mitchell in 1846. They were the parents of two daughters:

- a. Mary Mitchell born in 1850
- b. Jane P. Mitchell Jane P. Mitchell was born in 1850/51. She married Wesley Lee, who was born May 1851. They were the parents of six known children:
  - a. William S. Lee, born Sept. 1882
  - b. Curtis J. Lee, born June 1885
  - c. Estella M. Lee, born Feb. 1886
  - d. Wesley Lee, born Aug. 1887
  - e. Birdie Lee, born Aug. 1887 (Wesley and Birdie were twins.)
  - f. Amanda L. Lee, born Feb. 1891

Sarah's father, Jackson, was a retired farmer born in Virginia and was living in their household in 1870.

Curtis and Sarah lived in San Augustine Co, TX. They were the parents of two known children:

- C. Jackson Jessup was born in Mar. 1863. He married Jennie T. Sharp, who died after 1896
  and before 1900. The 1900 census of San Augustine Co, TX, lists Jackson as unmarried with two
  small children.
  - a. George C. Jessup, born Feb. 1892
  - b. James S. Jessup, born Dec. 1896
- 2. Ellen Jessup was born Oct. 1865. She married George Mitchell. George was born Apr. 1856, The 1900 Census gives George's occupation as a doctor and a farmer. He may have been a relative of Sarah's first husband Jesse Mitchell. They were the parents of four known children:
  - a. Curtis Mitchell, born Oct. 1889
  - b. Augustus R. Mitchell, born Feb. 1893
  - c. Thomas E. Mitchell, born Mar. 1898
  - d. Amanda E. Mitchell, born Dec. 1899.

## **BOWATER JACKSON (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)**

Bowater Jackson was born Apr. 1, 1783 in Surry Co, NC, the eldest son of Curtis and Ruth (Beals) Jackson. He grew up on his fathers farm on Tom's Creek in Surry Co. He married Miss Jimmy Mace Apr. 10, 1810 in Stokes Co. The name of Jimmy's parents are unknown.

Bowater applied for, and received a certificate of membership from Westfield MM, and was excepted at Deep River MM in Guilford Co, NC on July 9, 1808. This was the same time that his parents moved to Guilford Co.

The year is not known when **Bowater** with his family, two brothers, his sister **Phoebe**, wife of **Timothy Jessop**, and their families moved from Guilford Co to Dallas Co, AL. He remained in Dallas a few

years, and in 1846 was living in Washington Township, Hamilton Co, IN. He remained and died there in 1890.

Bowater and Jimmie were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Sarah Jackson, born ca 1811 in NC. She married Jacob Vanderslice.
- Nathan H. Jackson was born June 2, 1816 and died Dec. 13 1858. He married Sleet Flanks July 30, 1853.
- 3. Eliza Jackson was born in North Carolina 1817. He married Jackson Franklin on Mar. 10, 1832.
- 4. Phoebe Jackson was born ca 1820 and married Cyrus Cook.
- 5. George Washington Jackson, born ca 1821, married Ann Carson
- 6. Jesse F. Jackson, was born ca 1824 and was living in Hamilton Co, IN in 1850 with wife Emily, age 20. Children if any, are unknown. Emily was born OH.
- 7. Mary Jane Jackson was born in 1828 and married William Frost July 10, 1847.
- 8. Caroline V. Jackson married Jesse Wills on Mar. 8, 1849.
- 9. Joel C. Jackson was born ca 1830 and married Eunice Davis.
- 10. Susannah Jackson was born ca 1832 and married John Waller May 31, 1855.
- 11. John Bowater Jackson was born ca 1836 and married Maris S. Nugent.

See accounts on Sarah, George W., Phoebe, Joel, and John Bowater. No information has been found on the other children.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF BOWATER JACKSON, Hamilton County, 1846

Be it remembered that on this 15th day of November AD. 1846 the last will and Testament of

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Witnesses are as follows:

I, **Bowater Jackson** of Hamilton County, and State of Indiana, do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at anytime heretofore made. I dispose of my worldly estate in the following manner:

FIRST: I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible, out of the money's that shall come to the hands of my executors.

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THIRD: the land which I have, being the west half of the south east quarter of section three, township eighteen, and range three, east I will to my son **Joel Jackson**, the same to belong to him, his heirs, executors, administrators, assign, and to be put into the possession as soon as he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years.

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FIFTH: Considering that my daughter Sarah Vanderslice, my son Nathan H. Jackson, my daughter Eliza Franklin, my son George W. Jackson, and my son Jesse H. Jackson have had their share of my estate, I therefore will that they shall have one dollar of my estate only.

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I now make and ordain my sons George W, and Jesse Jackson to be the executors of this will. In witness of I, Bowater Jackson, the testator have here unto sat my hand and seal, this the sixth day of the tenth month, in the year of our Lord, Eighteen hundred forty-six

State of Indiana, Hamilton, County

Be it remembered that on the 15th day of November, 1846, personally appeared before me the undersigned Clerk of the Probate Court, of the County of Hamilton, in the State of Indiana, Curtis Jackson, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last will and Testament of Bowater Jackson deceased. Late of said county, who, after being duly sworn on oath says that he saw the said Bowater Jackson the testator, sign seal, and publish the foregoing will as and for his last will and testament, and heard said testator declare the same to be his last will and testament, and this affidavit further says that he this affidavit and Leonard G. Davis were called upon by said testator to sign their names to said will as the subscribing witnesses to the same and that he this affidavit and said Davis did so sign their names as such witnesses in the presence of said testator and in the presence of each other, and this affidavit further says that said Bowater Jackson was at the time of making said will about the age of sixty four years and of sound mind and memory and that he was not under the coercion or restraint of any person or persons what so ever as he verily believes and this affidavit further says that the foregoing is the same paper so signed by said Bowater Jackson as and for his last will and testament, and so attested as aforesaid.

Curtis Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before the undersigned clerk of the Probate Court of Hamilton County, Indiana, on this 15th Dec. AD 1846.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court the date above written.

F. G. Burns, Clerk

#### Sarah Jane Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was born in 1810 in Guilford Co, NC, as the oldest child of Bowater and Jennie (Mace) Jackson. Her parents moved to Dallas Co, AL when she was a small child. She married Jacob Vanderslice in Dallas Co, in 1826.

Jacob was born in KY in 1800, the son of Benjamin and Margaret (Scott) Vanderslice, and a brother of Scott Vanderslice who married Hannah Jessup, the daughter of Phoebe and Timothy Jessup, and Sarah's first cousin.

After their marriage, they remained in Dallas Co, until around 1833-34. They moved to Hamilton, Co, IN, settling in Washington Township, where they remained until 1859. They then moved to Kansas.

Shortly moving to Kansas, **Jacob** enrolled in the 16th Regiment, Company K, of Kansas as a private on May 10, 1865 and would have been about 65 years old when he died, shortly after entering service at Camp Alkati, Nebraska Territory.

Sarah died Oct. 8, 1868 in Miami, KS. They were the parents of thirteen children. The first four were born in Dallas Co, AL, the other eight in Hamilton Co, IN. A list of their children follows:

- Mary Ann Vanderslice was born in 1827. She married Henry Carson on Feb. 14, 1843.
   (Henry was born in Ohio in 1820.) They were living in Hamilton Co, IN in 1850. Mary Ann died Feb. 14, 1859 at 32 years of age. Henry and Mary Ann were the parents of four children:
  - a. Laura A Carson, born in 1844 in Hamilton Co, IN
  - b. William Carson, born in 1845 in Hamilton Co, IN
  - c. Martha Carson, born in 1848 in Hamilton Co, IN
  - d. John M, Carson, born in 1850 in Hamilton Co, IN
- Martha A. Vanderslice, born Jan. 6, 1829. She married Francis Marion Richards Dec. 3
  1847. Francis was born in 1824 in North Carolina. They lived in Hamilton Co, IN. They were
  the parents of two known children:
  - a. Andrew Richards, born in 1849
  - b. Margaret Richards, born in 1850
- 3. Margaret C. Vanderslice was born in 1831. She married John J, Gooderick June 22, 1848. She died Nov. 2, 1906 and was buried in Osawatomie, Miami Co, KS.

- 4- Sarah Elizabeth Vanderslice was born in 1832-33. She married John M. Carson July 21, 1851.
- 5. Ann E. Vanderslice was born in 1834 in Hamilton Co, IN and married Eli A. Richards.
- 6. Nancy Vanderslice was born in 1836 and married D. L. Welsh.
- 7. Phoebe Vanderslice was born in 1838 and married William J. Miller.
- 8. Deborah S. Vanderslice was born Dec. 29, 1840. She died Sept. 17, 1887 and was buried in the Indianapolis Cemetery in Miami Co, KS. Deborah was married three times:
  - 1) Micager Goins on July 31, 1859
  - 2) James L, Cline on Jan. 4, 1864
  - 3) William Hurst on Nov. 25, 1879.
- William N. Vanderslice was born in 1842/3, in Hamilton Co, IN. He married Mary E. Babcock on July 2, 1868. William died July 4, 1892.
- Rebecca Mandana Vanderslice was born Mar. 13, 1846 and died Jan. 22, 1924. She married Samuel Nelson Gregg Jan. 15, 1864.
- Joel Curtis Vanderslice was born July 24, 1849 and died in Mar. 1938. He married Sarah Jane Fox in Waverly, KS.
- 12. Rachel A. Vanderslice was born Jan. 30 1851/52. She married Wilson S. Lightle June 6, 1868.
- Jacob Jackson Vanderslice was born May 3, 1854. He married Louisa Jane Lightle Sept. 23, 1878. He died in Apr. 1944 in Lyndon, Osage Co, KS.

## Nathan H. Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Nathan was born in North Carolina, June 2, 1816, The son of Bowater Jackson and Jimmy (Mace) Jackson. He died in Dallas Co, AL, Dec. 13, 1853. Nathan married Selete (Lateta or Letitia) Flanakin in 1835.

Selete was born in 1816, the daughter of David Flanakin. David's will was probated in 1822 in Dallas Co, AL, naming wife Elizabeth, sons Vernon, Degrafton, Marshall, John M, and Hamilton and daughter Saleta, wife of Nathan H. Jackson.

Nathan was only 37 years old when he died. He married young, as three of his children were already married when he died. An article written about one of his son-in-laws, Joseph Robbins, lists Nathan as of Quaker descent, and was a wealthy planter in Dallas Co. The following children were named in his estate papers (1853):

- 1. Mazy Ann Jackson, wife of Joseph Robbins. See account.
- 2. Statira Jackson, born in 1838, wife of George Robbins.
- 3. Sarah Jane Jackson, born in 1840 wife of George M. Martin.
- 4. Virginia Jackson, born 1843 married John K. White.
- Octavia Jackson, born in 1848.
- 6. Elizaheth Jackson, born in 1850.

#### Eliza Jacksus (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Eliza was born in 1817, the daughter of Bowater Jackson and Jenny (Jimmy) Mace. She married Jackson Fleniken. Jackson Fleniken was born in Georgia in 1812. He was the son of David and Elizabeth Fleniken, and a brother of Selete Fleniken who was the wife of Eliza's brother Nathan H. Jackson. The name of Fleniken has many spellings, Flanigan, Franklin, and Flanakin.

This family was living in Dallas Co, AL in 1850, in Louisiana in 1860, and in Rusk Co, TX in 1870 and 1880. They were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Elizabeth Fleniken was born July 27, 1833 in Dallas Co, AL and died Dec. 6, 1915. She married Thomas J. Hendricks Jan. 12, 1853.
- William H. Fleniken was born Dec. 18, 1835 in Dallas Co, AL and died Mar. 13, 1919. His first narriage was to Sarah L. Lovings on Jan. 23, 1861, and his second was to Tabitha E. Branter on Nov. 7, 1872. William was a private in Company F, Louisiana Infantry. His name appeared on the role in Jan. and Feb. 1864 in Natchitoches, LA.
- 3. Joel Eleniken was born in 1838, in Dallas Co, AL.
- 4. Pamdia Fleniken was born in 1842 in Dallas Co, AL. She married Allen Birdwell on Nov. 21, 1859
- 5 Elias G. Fleniken was born in 1844 in Dallas Co, AL. He married Sarah Swaim on Dec. 27,

1865. He enlisted June 6, 1863 as a private in Company F. Louisiana Infantry. The role for Jan. and Feb. 1864, reported him absent, in hospital at Natchitoches since Sept. 15, 1863.

- 6. Marshall Fleniken was born in 1846 in Dallas Co AL.
- 7. Nathan Fleniken was born in Nov. 1847 in Dallas Co AL. He married Eliza J. Williams in Oct. 26, 1871.
- 8. Lora A. Fleniken was born in 1851, Natchitoches, LA
- 9. David N. Fleniken was born Mar. 3, 1854 in Natchitoches, LA.
- 10. Mary Fleniken was born in 1856 and died in 1907/9 in Rush, TX.

#### Phoebe Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Phoebe was born in 1820 in Dallas Co, AL. She was the daughter of Bowater and Jimmie (Mace) Jackson. She grew up in Dallas Co, and married Cyrus Cook there ca 1840. They moved from Dallas Co to Washington Township, Hamilton Co, IN, and settled in. The 1860 census of Hamilton Co, IN, shows Cyrus as a farmer, real estate value \$4800, and that he was born in Indiana. Phoebe's age was listed 40 years. Five children were listed as living in their household, as was Lindley H. Cook, age 21. He may have been a brother of Cyrus. They were the parents of six children, all born in Indiana:

- Asa Cook, born 1841
- 2. William Cook, born 1843
- 3. Cynthia Cook, born 1846
- 4. Noami Cook, born 1848
- 5. Jesse Cook, born 1856
- 6. Arthur A Cook, born 1858

## George Washington Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

George was the son of Bowater and Jenny (Mace) Jackson. He was born ca 1820/21 in Mobile, AL. The year his parents moved from AL to Hamilton Co, IN is unknown. George married Nancy Ann Carson May 10, 1842 in Hamilton Co. See the narrative on Nancy below. The 1850 Hamilton Co census of gave his age at 30 years, and a farmer with real estate valued at \$300. At that time he was living next to his brother Joel Jackson. He was still living with nine children in Hamilton Co in 1860, near his uncle Thomas Jackson. Sometime after 1860, George moved from Indiana to Pottawattamie Township, Franklin Co, KS, where two more children were born.

While living in KS, George owned his own kiln and it is said he made the bricks for the first brick building in Ottawa, KS. George died in Sept. or Oct. of 1865, in Lone, Franklin Co, KS. He was buried in the Baker Cemetery in Lane. George and Nancy Ann Jackson were the parents of eleven children.

#### Nancy Ann Carson Jackson:

Nancy Ann Carson, wife of George Washington Jackson, was born Apr. 30, 1821 in Highland Co, OH. She was the daughter of Hiram Carson and Clemma Pearce.

Hiram Carson wan born in Guilford Co, NC ca 1798, and died in Benton Co, IN. He is buried at Oak Grove Township in Benton, IN. He was the son of Bowater Carson.

Bowater Carson was born Jan. 6, 1775 in Guilford Co, NC, and married Charity Pierce Apr. 22, 1797 in Surry Co, NC. Charity was born 1775 in Guilford Co, NC and died Sept. 20, 1852 in Highland Co, OH. Both are buried in the Hicksite Quaker Cemetery in Paint Township, Highland Co. He was the grandson of Uriah Carson who was born In Ireland, and died Dec. 8, 1780 in Guilford Co, NC. Uriah married Mary Ballard and she died Aug. 31, 1806.

Nancy Ann's mother Clemma Pearce was born Jan. 4, 1801, and died Feb. 7, 1876. She was the daughter of Enamel Job Pearce and Elizabeth Walcott. Enamel was born in 1758 and Elizabeth was born May 12, 1861. The Pearce (Pierce) family were originally from Albany, NY, and the Walcott family were from Shrewsbury, Mormouth Co, NJ.

After the death of George, Nancy Ann married Jesse Holloway between 1870-1880. She died during the last of Feb. 1884, and is buried with her husband George in the Baker Cemetery, Lane,

Franklin Co, KS.

Information on the family of George and Nancy Ann Carson Jackson was sent by Virginia Dain Jackson, Osage City, KS. It was taken from Bible records, census records, and personal correspondence with other members of this family in 1960.

The following is a list of the children of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson:

- 1. Sarah Ann Jackson was born Feb. 15, 1843 in Indiana, and died July 15, 1892. She married Absolam Rudd Nov. 16, 1870.
- 2. Rhoda Jane Jackson, born In 1844 in Indiana. See account.
- 3. Louis C. Jackson was born Oct. 22, 1847 in Hamilton Co, IN. He married Orpha Annie Hearn Jan. 19, 1871, . He died Sept. 5, 1902 and was buried in Lone Wolf, Kiowa, OK See account.
- 4. Nathan Hiram Jackson was born July 24, 1849. He married Samantha Carter Feb. 12, 1874.
- 5. William B. Jackson was born Aug. 1, 1850. He married Fanny Buttram Feb. 12, 1874.
- 6. Mary E. Jackson, born In 1852. (No other information)
- 7. George Nelson Jackson was born May 9, 1855. He married Sarah Miller Dec. 28, 1877.
- 8. Addie May (or Ada Mariah) Jackson was born Jan. 22, 1857 in Springfield, Boone Co, IN. She married Richard Cornelious Feb. 22, 1877. She died Nov. 26, 1938 and was buried at Lane, Franklin Co, KS.
- 9. Walter Perry Jackson was born Mar. 9, 1858, and died Mar. 26, 1950. He married Mary E. McCov Apr. 1882.
- Laura Bell Jackson was born July 19, 1860 in KS and died May 27, 1912. She married Lemuel Miller.
- 11. Sofa E. Jackson was born Oct. 20, 1865 in KS. She married Thomas Triplet Aug. 30, 1883.

## Louis C. Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Louis, the son of George Washington Jackson and Nancy Ann Carson, was born Oct. 22, 1847 in Hamilton Co, IN. He married Orpha Annie Hearn Jan. 19, 1871 in Osceola, Mississippi Co, AR. Orpha was born Feb. 1, 1851 in Mississippi Co, AR. She was the daughter of John Hearn and Evaline Ruddell. Orpha Jackson died May 9, 1901 in Lane, Franklin Co, KS, at the age of 50 years. She is buried in The Green Valley Cemetery, in Lane, KS.

Louis, enrolled in Company "G" 16th Regiment, KS, Volunteer Cavalry, on Nov. 24, 1863, where he served for two years. He was discharged at Fort Leavenworth, KS, Dec. 6, 1865. Louis died Sept. 5, 1902 in Lone Wolf, Kiowa Co, OK, at the age of 53 years and is buried in Lone Wolf, OK. Louis and Orpha were the parents of four known children:

- 1. William Jackson, born In Mississippi Co, AR and died as a small child.
- 2. John Jackson was born July 17, 1874 in Monroe Township, AR and died ca 1902-4. He married Kate Manifee, of Lane, KS. They had two children: Tillie, and Lewis Jackson.
- 3. George Washington Jackson See account.
- 4. Lewis E. Jackson was born Apr. of 1880 in Monroe Township, Mississippi Co, AR. (No other information on Lewis)

# George Washington Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

George Washington Jackson was the third son of Louis C. Jackson and Orpha Annie Hearn. George was born May 26, 1878 in Osceola, Mississippi Co, AR. He married in Anna Elizabeth Streme in Ottawa, Franklin Co, KS., May 16, 1899. Anna was born Sept. 29, 1880 in Ripley, Brown Co, IL. She was the daughter of John William Streme and Nancy Dewitt. She died Sept. 13, 1947 in Culber, Jefferson, OR. George died Sept. 28, 1941 at age 63 years in Parker, Linn Co, KS. He is buried in Green Valley Cemetery, in Lane, KS.

George and Anna were the parents of eight children: Viola (or Violet), Lewis William, Bessie Lee, Hazel Geneva, James Ralph, Howard Allen, Ethel Maude, and Margaret Minnie Jackson. They were the parents of three known children:

1. Viola Dorothy Jackson was the daughter of George W. and Anna E. (Streme) Jackson. She was born July 26, 1899 in Lane Franklin, KS. Died June 21, 1945 In Sioux Falls, Minnehaha, SD.

She married Elmer Conklin Feb. 22, 1917 in Franklin Co, KS. Elmer was born Oct. 6, 1891 in Arlington, SD. He was the son of Lewis and Ingehorg (Larson) Conklin. He died Nov. 18, 1971 in Oakland, CA and was buried in Arlington, SD. A list of their three children follows:

- a. Annabelle Josephine Conklin, born July 21, 1918 died Oct. 1919.
- b. George Lewis Conklin, born Nov. 24, 1922, died Dec. 1922.
- c. Isabelle Violet Conklin, born Nov. 2, 1920, in Arlington, SD. Her first marriage was to Delno Avon Smith Dec. 29, 1941. They had one daughter, Jacqueline Dell Smith. Isabelle's second marriage was to Max Lester O'Starr on July 2,1947 in Tulsa, OK. Max O'Starr was born May 23, 1921. He was the son of Edward Harold O'Starr and Mary Thelma Marinson. Isabelle was Max's third wife.
  - 1) Jacqueline Dell Smith O'Starr was born Sept. 13, 1942, in SD. Her first marriage was to Theodore Norman Esser. Theodore was born Aug. 7, 1939 in Oakland, CA. They were the parents of four children:
    - a) Theodore Norman Esser Jr., born Mar. 20, 1964.
    - b) Deanne Marie Esser, born Apr. 18, 1969.
    - c) Heidi Louise Esser, born Sept. 21, 1971.
    - d) Stacy Lynn Esser, born Jan. 15, 1973.

Jacqueline's second marriage was to Bruce Edward Bigler. Bruce was born Apr. 4, 1934 in Oakland, CA, the son of William Leslie Bigler and Elizabeth Adeline Burge Bruce and Jacqueline had one daughter:

- e) Margaret Leslie Rose Bigler, born Aug. 4, 1982
- Lewis William Jackson was born Aug. 17, 1901 in Lane, Franklin Co, KS. He married Grace Christine Bledsoe July 2, 1935 in Ottawa. KS.

Grace was born Oct. 20, 1911 in Lane, KS, the daughter of John Bledsoe and Bertha Webb. Lewis died July 2, 1968 and is buried at the Green Valley Cemetery in Lane, KS. Family records on Lewis describe him as being 6 feet and 1 inch tall with black hair and blue eyes. He was a farmer and did some railroad work. He was very even tempered and was liked by relatives and friends. He was always willing to help anyone in need, and was a very loving and faithful husband and father. Lewis and Grace had one daughter and two sons, listed below:

- a. Thelma Rosetta Jackson was born Mar. 25, 1941. She married George Barnette Orrell June 19, 1965 in Madras, OR. George was born Oct. 26, 1937. They had two daughters:
  - 1) Diane Mae Orrell, born May 31, 1967
  - 2) Carolyn Christine Orrell, born Dec. 14, 1968.
- b. George David Jackson was born Nov. 6, 1943 in Miami Co, KS. He married Connie Jo Debrick Feb. 27, 1946. Connie was born Sept. 2, 1946, the daughter of Elra James Debrick and Marjorie Jean Duodna. George and Connie were the parents of four children:
  - 1) Sonya Raner (married James Allen Clark)
  - 2) Jimmy Lewis
  - 3) Robert Bryan
  - 4) Scott Henry Jackson.
- c. Lewis William Jackson was born July 31, 1947 in Redmond, OR. He married Joyce Ann Anderson Aug. 1, 1964 in Linn Co, KS. Joyce was born in 1918 the daughter of Clarance Edward Anderson, and Lula Mae Morris. Lewis and Joyce had three children: Barbara Ann, Partricia Mae, and Lewis William Jackson III.
- 3. Bessie Lee Jackson was born Jan. 10, 1904 in Butler Co, KS. She died June 25, 1986 in Madras, OR, and was buried Redmond OR. Bessie married Cyrus Arthur Burke Oct. 21, 1923 in Sioux Falls, SD. Cyrus was born Jan. 9, 1887 in Grand Co, IN. Cyrus was the son of Samuel Burke and Marand Miller. Cyrus Burke died Mar. 1, 1952 in Culver, OR and was buried in Redmond. Bessie and Cyrus were the parents of ten children:
  - a. Wava Arlene Burke was born Dec. 21, 1924. She married Jack Coffman Aug. 15, 1948. Jack was born Apr. 29, 1918, the son of B. H. and Arlene (Clapp) Coffman. Jack and Wava and had two daughters:
    - Mary Anna Coffman, born May 17, 1952. She married Kenneth Dan Shockey Dec. 22, 1973. They had two children: Nora and Timothy Wade.
    - 2) Jane Elizabeth Coffman, born Oct. 26, 1955, married Robert Hunter Aug. 27, 1976. They had one daughter: Carriessa Ann Hunter

- b. Arthur Lee Burke was born Sept. 9, 1923. He married Shirley Darlene Jackson Sept. 13, 1949. Shirley was born Dec. 3, 1932. They had two children, both adopted.
  - 1) Kelly Jo Burke (married Charles Allen Frier)
  - Roger Kyle Burke.
- c. Carl Romance Burke was born Aug. 29, 1928. He married Marie Elizabeth Kentner Dec. 3, 1949. Marie was born Nov. 7, 1926, the daughter of William and Harriet Wattles Kentner. They were the parents of three children:
  - 1) Beverly Ann Schneider, married George Ray Burke.
  - 2) Sharell Marie Schneider, married Gordon Wilson

(Beverly Ann and Sharell Marie Schneider were from Marie's first marriage.)

- Pamela Burke, married Kenneth Flory. They had two children: Troy and Randal Flory.
- d. Rosalie Mae Burke, born June 17, 1931, in Monroe, OR. She married Melvin Hoke July 1, 1950. Melvin was born June 24, 1931 in KS, the son of Paul Stanton and Mildred A. (Skinner) Hoke. They were the parents of three children:
  - 1) Richard Eugene Hoke, born may 9, 1951. He married Beverly Irene Clark July 24, 1970. Their children were Jason, Lance, and Andrea.
  - 2). Raymond Lee Hoke, born May 3, 1954. He married Adene Dec. 20, 1973. Their three children were: Brian, Brandi, and Pamela Kay Hoke
  - 3) Elizabeth Cheryl Hoke, born May 4, 1958. She married Vernon Robertson Aug. 26, 1978.
- e. Paul Hubert Burke was born Aug. 30, 1932, in Monroe, OR. He married Ida Bernice Hoke Dec. 28, 1952. Ida was born Oct. 7, 1934 in KS, the daughter of Paul Hoke and Mildred Skinner. Paul and Ida had three children:
  - Katherine Dianne Burke was born Nov. 1, 1953. Her first marriage was to James Bryant, and her second marriage was to Edward Adams. Edward and Katherine had two daughters.
    - a) Tami Kay Bryant, born July 6, 1976
    - b) Lori Kee Adams, born Apr. 18, 1980
  - 2) Rodney Wade Burke was born Apr. 5, 1956. He married Kathryn Jeanette Williams June 3, 1977. Kathryn is the daughter of Wendell and Ann Macy.
  - Christina Lorraine Burke was born Jan. 3, 1959. She married Danny Richard Walsor on Aug. 20, 1977. Danny is the son of Ernest A. Walston, and Carol Raver.
- f. Richard Samuel Burke was born Mar. 4, 1934 in Monroe, OR. He married Thelma Willard on Apr. 11, 1953 in Bend, OR. Thelma was born Nov. 15, 1937, the daughter of Irving Charles Willard, and Ethel Warner. They had one son:
  - Richard H. Burke was born Apr. 6, 1955, in Reno, Nevada. He married Elizabeth Ann Wertz on Aug. 30, 1980. Elizabeth married a second time on Aug. 30, 1980, his name is unknown.
- g. Joyce Darlene Burke was born Apr. 20, 1937. She married Harley Preston Bowden in 1953. Harley was born Oct. 13, 1931. Harley and Joyce had four children:
  - 1) Robin Janette Bowden, born Oct. 13, 1954. She married Philip Tussing on Aug. 3, 1974. They had two children, Nathan and Joel Bowden.
  - 2). Nyla Darlene Bowden, born Nov. 14, 1955. She married Michael Bellish on Apr. 17, 1976. They have one son, Ryan Paul Bellish.
  - Deborah Rowena Bowden was born June 28, 1957. She married John Hill July 23, 1977. John was son of Harold and Mariam Hill.
  - 4) Ronald Preston Bowden was born June 16, 1958. He married Cynthia Larson and have one son, Douglas Preston, born July 13, 1985.
- h. Darrel Dean Burke, born Dec. 26, 1938, and died Oct., 5, 1941.
- Georgie Ray Burke was born May 25, 1940. He married Beverly Ann Schneider Dec. 31, 1960. Beverly was born Apr. 2, 1944. Georgie died Nov. 19, 1962. They had one son: Russell Wane Burke, born Aug. 31, 1961.
- J. Karon Harriet Burke, born Aug. 5, 1943, died Aug. 6, 1943.
- 4. Hazel Geneva Jackson was the daughter of George Washington and Orpha Jackson and was born Nov. 13, 1906 in Butler, KS. She married George W. Thompson Apr. 18, 1924. George

Thompson was born Oct. 31, 1887 in Ottawa, KS, the son of William Wesley and Rosa (Howell) Thompson. George and Hazel were the parents of four children:

- a. Hazel Jean Thompson was born Nov. 21, 1925. She married Willard Evinger Sept. 2, 1943. They were the parents of twelve children: Dennison, Joyce, Rosa Marie, Elmer Joe, Hazel Jean, George Henry, Ethel Mae, Robert Herman, Avis June, Roy Dean, John Allen, and David Gene.
- b. Ethel Marie Thompson was born Sept. 3, 1927. She married Bert William Knopsnyder. They had one daughter: Linda Sue, born Aug. 5, 1953.
- c. William Alfred Thompson was born July 18, 1929 and married Marjorie Ellen Shore Sept. 8, 1950. They had three children: Martha, Penny, and James.
- d. Joyce Ann Thompson, born Apr. 18, 1934 and died Sept. 4, 1934.
- James Ralph Jackson was the son of George Washington and Orpha Jackson. He was born Aug. 9, 1909 in Butler Co, KS, died Nov. 26, 1942 at age 33 years in Sioux falls, and was buried in Arlington, Kingsbury Co, SD.
- 6. Howard Allen Jackson was the son of George Washington Jackson and Anna Elizabeth Stremme. He was born Mar. 6, 1912 in Lathum, Butler Co, KS. He married Virginia Grace Dain Dec. 24, 1939 in Parker, Linn Co, KS. Virginia was born Apr. 29, 1923 in Parker, Linn Co, KS. She was the daughter of Cecile Dane and Francie Adams. Howard and Virginia were the parents of five children and two foster children:
  - a. Leroy Dean Jackson was born Oct. 24, 1940 in Parker, KS. He married Joan Lillian Palenske May 22, 1959. Joan, born Dec. 26, 1941, in Alma, KS, was the daughter of Edward Henry Palenske and Eleanor Herbic. They had three children:
    - 1) Leroy Dean Jr. was born Oct. 2, 1959 and married Gina May Rogers on Oct. 20 1964. Gina was the daughter of Herbert and Nyla Miller Rogers.
    - Duane Lynn Jackson was born May 7, 1962 and married Carol Annette Wilson Sept. 3, 1983. Carol was the daughter of Harold Dole Wilson and Margaret Jane Day.
    - DeAnn Lillian Jackson was born Sept. 8, 1964 and married Mark Evan Morgan June 5, 1982.
  - b. Rosemary Howardine Jackson was born Oct. 12, 1941. She married Michael Patrick McGuire in 1961. Michael was son the of Robert and Verna Helen (Reed) McGuire. Rosemary's second marriage was to Georgie Kent Winklepleck on June 2, 1972. She had two children by her first husband: Donny Dee, and Michael.
  - c. Ethel Marcella Jackson, born Dec. 16, 1942, married William Eugene Martin on Oct. 17, 1961 in Topeka, KS. William was born Dec. 24, 1942, the son of Clarence Martin and Flora Daugherty. They had two children:
    - 1) Mark Allen Martin, born July 12, 1962 in Topeka, KS.
    - Kimberly Rae Martin was born Mar. 23, 1964 and married Rickie Joe Kampschroder on June 24, 1983. They had two children: Karmic, and Kasi.
  - d. Charles Allen Jackson was born Feb. 17, 1944. He married Sonya Joan Fink Oct. 5, 1963. Sonya was born Jan. 2, 1947, the daughter of Karl Fink and Ella Hasenbank. Charles and Sonya have two children:
    - 1) Pamela Sue was born Aug. 3, 1964 and married Larry Dale Hiadky.
    - 2) Susan Joan.
    - Charles' second marriage was to Deborah Lou McLucas Sept. 1981. Deborah was the daughter of Rayns Fraser and Ethel Waters McLucas. They had one son, Kevin Jackson.
  - c. Cheryl Jeannine Jackson was born Dec. 1, 1948 in Miami, KS. She married Ray Edward Carey Aug. 19, 1966. Ray was born May 19, 1948, the son of Harry and Dorothy Carey. Cheryl died Sept. 7, 1968 in Topeka, KS, and was buried at Wabaunsee, KS.
  - .f. Darlene Bernadette Jackson was born July 9, 1950, in Kansas City, KS.
  - gg. Elizabeth Anne Jackson was also born July 9, 1950 in Kansas City, KS. Darlene and Elizabeth were twins and were wards of Howard Allen and Virginia Jackson.
- 7. Exici Maude Jackson was born Jan. 25, 1915 in Atlanta, KS, died in Mar. of 1983 in Bend, OR, and was buried in the Pilot Butte Cemetery in OR. Ethel Maude was married four times:
  - a. Ralph Beets who died in a car wreck
  - b. Moyd Creager whom she later divorced.
  - c. Hoy Sullivan who died in a boating accident.

- d. Clinton H. Basin, born July 1908, son of Harry and Nettie Basin.
- 8. Margaret Minnie Jackson, born June 20, 1917 in Rantoul, KS. She died Sept. 3, 1982 in Prineville, OR, and was buried Powell Butte, OR. Her first marriage was to Ernest Richardson, on Oct. 2, 1934. Ernest was born Apr. 18, 1913, and was the son of Walter and Icie (Spencer) Richardson. Margaret's second marriage was to Joseph Urbanek on Nov. 27, 1952. They had three children:
  - Shirley Darlene Jackson was born Dec. 3, 1932 and married Arthur Burke Sept. 13, 1949.
  - b. Selma Yvonne Richardson was born Jan. 7, 1935 and married John J. Goodman on Sept. 30, 1949. John was born Dec. 15, 1927. He was the son of Clyde and Alta Henson Goodman. They had four children: David Wayne, Joyce Elaine, John J., and Robert Allen Goodman.
  - c. Jack Leroy Richardson was born Nov. 25, 1938. He married Saren Wilson in 1976.

# Rhoda Jane Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Rhoda was the daughter of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. She was born ca 1836 in Indiana. She married David Bingham of Butler, KS. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Fred M. Bingham, born June 19, 1863
- 2. William W. Bingham, born Mar. 22, 1867
- 3. George B. Bingham, born Mar. 25, 1869
- 4. Martin H. Bingham, born Dec. 5, 1870
- 5. John R. Bingham, born Nov. 13, 1872
- 6. Adda M. Bingham, born Mar. 1, 1877
- 7. Kate E. Bingham, born Mar. 16, 1882
- 8. Annie F. Bingham, born Oct. 6, 1884
- Nathan Hiram Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Nathan was the son of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. He was born July 24, 1849 in Indiana and died in 1889 in Butler, KS. He married Samantha Carter on Feb. 12, 1874 in KS. Samantha was born in Indiana in 1857. They had three children, all born in KS:

- 1. Rudd Jackson, born in 1876
- 2. Nellie Jackson, born in 1879
- 3. Walter Jackson

#### William B. Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

William was the son of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. He was born Aug. 1, 1852 in Butler, KS. He married Fanny Buttram Feb. 12, 1874. They had three children: Earl, Glen, and Doris Jackson.

## Mary E. Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born in 1852, the daughter of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. No further information is available.

George Nelson Jackson was born May 9, 1855 in Indiana, the son of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. His first marriage was to Sarah A. Miller on Dec. 23, 1877. Sarah was born in KS in 1861. They had six children: Hattie, Opal, Walter, Bryce, Frances, and Effie B. Jackson.

George's second marriage was to Mrs. Lilly McDowell, before 1890. They were the parents of two children: Mabel, and Sopha Jackson. Three other children, Ruth, Earl, and Edward were Lilly's from a former marriage.

#### Addie May or (Ada Mariah) Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Addie was the daughter of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. She was born Jan. 22, 1857 in Springfield, Boone Co, IN, and died Nov. 26, 1938 in Topeka, Shawnee Co, KS. She married Richard Thomas Cornelius on Feb. 22, 1877. Richard was born Apr. 4, 1865 in Henry Co, KY, the son of John Bright Cornelius and Memerine Miles, of Kentucky. He died July 6, 1941.

Addie and Richard are both buried in Lane, Franklin Co, KS. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Son, born in 1878 (stillborn)
- 2. Grace Ethel Cornelius was born July 22, 1879 in Franklin Co, KS. She married Irwin Russell Egbert Nov. 2, 1912 in Folsom, NM. Grace was Irwin's second wife, but the name of his first wife is unknown. Irwin was born May 25, 1875 in Chicago, Cooke Co, IL, the son of Ira B. Egbert and Mary Russell. He died May 30, 1956 at China Lake, CA and was buried at Riverside, CA. Grace and Irwin were the parents of three children:
  - Bernard Russell Egbert, born Nov. 13, 1914, and married Margaret Starbuck Aug. 1 1943.
  - b. Addie Mary Egbert, born Apr. 11, 1918
  - c. Robert Louis Egbert was born Aug. 5, 1922 and died Aug. 15, 1929, at age of 7 years.
- 3. Cora Christina Cornelius was born Oct. 6, 1880 in Franklin Co, KS. She married Bert Lee Lord June 4, 1902. Bert was born Oct. 9, 1878 in Franklin, KS, the son of Charles Lee Lord and. Alzada Esther Hale. Bert died Apr. 15, 1959 in Franklin, KS, and is buried in the Highland Cemetery in Lane, KS. . Cora died June 18, 1924 in Rocky Ford, Otero Co, Colorado and is buried near Ottowa, KS. They had no children.
- 4. John Chesley Cornelius was born June 2, 1881-2, in Franklin Co, KS. He married Anna Isabel Brand ca 1907 (June 30?) in Miami Co, KS.

Anna Brand was born Aug. 10, 1894 near Fontana, Miami Co, KS, was the daughter of Louis Brand and Margaret Tebbe.

John died Feb. 19,1939 in Miami, KS. John and Anna were the parents of four children, all born in Fontana, Miami Co, KS:

- a. Margaret Ruth Cornelius was born Mar. 25, 1909. She marred Joe R. Peckham May 16, 1933. Joe was born July 17, 1912, son of Harry Thomas Peckham and Ida Belle Kinder. They had no known children.
- b. Elsie Evelyn Cornelius was born Feb. 8, 1911. She married Lute B. Hendrix Oct. 12, 1932. Lute was born Apr. 8, 1909 in Lane, KS. He was the son of Edgar Hendrix and Lisa Needham. They had two children:
  - Dorothy Joan Hendrix was born Oct. 14, 1931 and married Edward James Austin June 16, 1951.
  - 2) Lois Hendrix was born Oct. 28, 1938 and married Donald Bracken on Nov. 27, 1954.
- c. Gladys May Cornelius, born May 17, 1915. She marred Samuel Peter Baker, Jr. May 23, 1937. Samuel was born July 26, 1908 in KS. He was the son of Samuel Baker Sr. and Maggie Belle Baker. They had three children: Linda Jane (married Dwight Vogel), Helen Elizabeth, and Kathleen.
- d. Virginia Lee Cornelius was born Oct. 9, 1925 and married Oscar Lee Cavinee Oct. 12, 1946. Oscar was born May 30, 1923, the son of Harry Olin Cavinee and Glendora Bryan. They had two daughters:
  - 1) Cornelia Ann Cavinee, born Aug. 21, 1948
  - 2) Gail Sue Cavinee, born Oct. 4, 1959.
- e. Nelson Franklin Cornelius was the son of Richard Thomas Cornelius and Addie May Jackson was born Dec. 1, 1883 in Franklin Co, KS. He married Henrietta Dorothea Neiderland June 18, 1910 in St. Louis, Missouri. Henrietta was born ca 1890. Addie died Jan. 21, 1945 in Minneapolis, MN. They were the parents of three children:
  - Richard Thomas Cornelius was born July 14, 1911. His first marriage was to Beatrice Lorraine Selinger. Beatrice was born Sept. 23, 1920 in Minnisota, and was the daughter of Henry and Rose (Litke) Solinger. Beatrice died Aug. 5, 1950. They were the parents of three children: Robert Scott, Carol Jean, and Douglas Ralph Cornelius.

Richard's second marriage was to Gwendolyn Isabel Gorman Jan. 12, 1952. Gwendolyn was born in 1927 in Surry England. They had two children: Susan Charlene, born in 1947, and Michael Dale Cornelius, born in 1952.

- 2) Nelson Franklin Cornelius, born Oct. 2, 1915, married Isabell Taylor Allan. They had two children:
  - a) David Lynn, born Aug. 15, 1940
  - b) Roger Dale, born Feb. 4, 1948.

- 3) Lois Elaine Cornelius was born Aug. 25, 1926, in Minneapolis, Minn. She married John Fredrick Nissen June 11, 1946. John was born in 1920 and was the son of John Nissen and Carolyn Muschick. They had three children:
  - a) Belinda Elaine born Mar. 26, 1947
  - b) Amy Louise, born Aug. 31, 1949
  - c) John Fredrick, Jr. born May 18, 1954.
- f. Della May Cornelius was born Nov. 2, 1885 in Lane, KS. She married Henry Dunkak Nov. 12, 1912. Henry Dunkak was born Feb. 15, 1883 in Germany. They had no children.
- g. George Ralph Cornelius was born Oct. 2, 1888 in Butler, KS. He married Charlotte Murrin June 7, 1913 in Maryville, Missouri. Charlotte was born June 8, 1890 and died Nov. 30, 1955. She was the daughter of John and Anna Murrin. They had one son:
  - John Cornelius was born Sept. 19, 1920, in Hastings, NB. He married Julia Johnson Nov. 8, 1942. Julia was born Dec. 23, 1918 in Great Falls, MT. They were the parents of eight children: Janine, Joan, Charlotte, Jon Mark, George, Mike, Paul, and Persis.
  - h. Tizrah Blanch Cornelius was born Jan. 24, 1895 in Rantoul, KS, and died June 20, 1934 in Topeka, KS. Tizrah married Ulyuss G. Rose June 16, 1918 in Lane, KS. Ulyuss was born Sept. 3, 1897 in Harrisburg, Ill. He was the son of William Stepleton Rose and Viola Isabel Recter. They had one son:
  - a. Glenn Rose was born Apr. 25, 1922 in Lane, KS. His first marriage was to Peggy Eva Christine Gibbs on Aug. 1, 1947. His second marriage was to Margie June Quarles on Apr. 2, 1971.

After the death of Tizrah, Ulyuss married Elizabeth Bessant.

# Walter Perry Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Walter was the son of George Washington Jackson and Nancy Ann Carson. He was born Mar. 9, 1858 in Indiana (or IL). His first marriage was to Mary Elizabeth McCoy in Apr. 1882 in Ottawa, KS. Mary McCoy was born Dec. 5, 1864 in Indiana and died July 14, 1907 in Winfield, KS. Mary was the daughter of William Henry McCoy and Hulda Carter. She was buried in Newkirk, OK. Walter died Mar. 26, 1950 in Springfield, MO. They were the parents of four children:

- Olive Jackson, born Jan. 18, 1884 in Lane, KS. She married John Fredrick Harkins Oct. 22, 1904. John was born Aug. 28, 1882 in Glenwood, NB, the son of John Wesley Harkins and Leista Brown. They were the parents of two children:
  - a. Glen C. Harkin was born Sept. 4, 1906 and married Helen Kirkpatrick May 19, 1927. They had two children:
    - b) Barbara Ruth, married Don L. Keller
    - 2) Nyda Carolyn, married Delbert Wilburn.
  - b. Nyda Elizabeth Harkins, born June 13, 1910. She married McDonald Sebring May 11, 1929. They had one son:
    - F) Michael Sebring, born July 7, 1936, and married Betty Jane Garrison. They have three children: Michael, Susan Rene, and Cheryl Anne Sebring.
- Besse Jackson was born Apr. 9, 1885 in Lane, KS. She married Ralph Stewart in 1906.
   Ralph was born Jan. 21, 1880, and died Oct. 12, 1943 in Hot Springs, NM. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. Mae Stewart was born Dec. 14, 1908 and married Luther Stevens May 24, 1927.
  - b. Noland Stewart was born Aug. 15, 1910 and married Judy Brown in 1937.
  - c. Nadine Stewart was born May 9, 1914 and married William Gassett in 1932.
  - e. Marjorie Stewart was born July 20, 1917 and married Allen Howard in 1937.
  - Reiph Stewart was born Jan. 30, 1921 and died Apr. 1921.
- 3. Arvile Jackson was born June 5, 1886 in Severy, KS. He married Anna Kahoe ca 1916. They went the parents of 4 children: Rita, Ruth, Walter and Perry Jackson.
- Noland Clair Jackson, born Aug. 26, 1905, in Newkirk, OK. He married Aucra Denton Mar.
   13, 1929 in Oklahoma City. Aucra was born Apr. 21, 1912 in Mesa; AZ, the daughter of Claude Hublard Denton and Cyntha Wright. They had one son:
  - a. Neland Hubbard Jackson was born Nov. 9, 1930. He married Sylvia McKibben Dec. 23, 1955 n. Wichita, KS.

Stivia McKibben was born Mar. 19, 1934 in OK, the daughter of Rex McKibben and

#### Beulah Hackleman.

Noland and Sylvia were the parents of two children:

- 1) Noland Tracy Jackson, born Jan. 21, 1957
- 2) Kelly Clair Jackson, born Feb. 7, 1960

## Sopha E. Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Sopha was born Oct. 25, 1865, the daughter of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson)

Jackson. She married Thomas Triplett Aug. 30, 1883. Thomas was born in Indiana in 1860, the son of David A. and Hulda Triplett. They had two children:

- 1. Irving Triplett, died in June of 1963.
- 2. Christena Triplett was born in Lane, KS and married Mart Fields

## Laura Bell Jackson (George W., Bowater, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Laura was the daughter of George Washington and Nancy Ann (Carson) Jackson. She was born July 19, 1860 in KS, died May 27, 1912 in Garnett, KS, and was buried in Sutton Valley, KS. She married Lemuel Miller ca 1878. Lemuel was born Sept. 25, 1855 in Henriette, OH, the son of Daniel and Nancy Miller. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Daughter, born and died in 1879, in Rantoul, KS. (a twin)
- 2. Daughter, born and died In 1879, in Rantoul, KS. (a twin).
- 3. Pearl Miller was born Oct. 30, 1881 and died in 1902. She married Orville (Orval) Jordan ca 1899. Orville was born Apr. 2, 1880 in Osage Co, KS, the son of James L. and Melvina (Herron) Jordan. They were the parents of two children:
  - a) Erma Jordan was born July 25, 1900, and died May 11, 1920 in OK. She married Albert Wilson in 1919. Albert was born Feb. 27, 1897, the son of Clinton and Rosa Elwell. They had no children.
  - b) Floyd Jordan was born June 2, 1902 in Rantoul, KS, married Laura Hall Oct. 9, 1950. Laura

was born Feb. 24, 1909 in PA, the daughter of Charles Raymond Hall and Blanche Compton. They were the parents of eleven children:

- 1) Vera Jordan, born Apr. 4, 1928, married James Easteppe Feb. 25, 1950.
- 2) Theda Jordan, born in 1930, married and Elmo Nix.
- 3) Lawrence Jordan, born 1931, married Shirley Jerome
- 4) Clara Jordan, born 1934, married Lorin Brooks
- 5) Norma Jordan, born in 1936, married Richard Clugston
- 6) Lewanna Jordan, born in 1938, married Thomas Brown
- 7) Noami Pearl Jordan was born in 1940. Her first marriage was to Larry Davenport.
- 8) Carol Jordan, born In 1943, married Jimmy Charles Burley
- 9) Martin Jordan, born May 14, 1945
- 10) Lyle Jordan, born Jan. 4, 1947
- 11) Patricia Jordan, born Jan. 30, 1948.
- 4. Frank Miller, born Oct. 31, 1882, in Rantoul, KS, died in 1950, married Hazel Williamson.
- 5. Jay Miller was born in 1884 died Dec. 30, 1912. No further information is available.
- 6. Fred Miller, born Aug. 15, 18B7 in Rantoul, KS. married Dora Lela Garretson Sept. 22, 1919 in Wichita, KS. Dora Lela Garretson was born Mar. 22, 1899 In Tecumseh, NB and died Jan. 9, 1962 in Wichita, KS. She was the daughter of E. B. Garretson and Henretta Louise Peuter. Fred and Dora had eight children:
  - Fred Ray Miller Jr. was born Aug. 16, 1920 in Munden, KS. He married Virginia Bayless, July 7, 1945 in Ashland, Wisconsin.

Virginia Bayless was born July 5 1922 in Wisconsin, the daughter of George Donald Bayless and Lillian Engelman.

Fred and Virginia had three children: Diana Jean, Fred Ray III, and George Donald Miller.

b. June May Miller (twin to Jean Fay) was born Aug. 24, 1921 in Munden, KS. She married Gene Gould Greathouse Aug. 29, 1942 in Wichita, KS. Gene was born July 16, 1916 and died Feb. 11, 1969. They were the parents of four children: Patricia Jean, Judy May, Carol Louise, and Steven Roger.

- c. Jean Fay Miller (twin to June May) was born Aug. 24, 1921 and died at birth.
- d. Alberta Lorene Miller was born Mar. 9, 1923, in Peck, KS. She married Yale Thomas Cook June 14, 1942. Yale was born July 30, 1922 in Wichita, KS, the son of Merle and Josephine Cook. They were the parents of two children: Phylis Lorene, (married Eugene Rochat), and Ronald Cook.
- e. Harold Lloyd Miller was born Oct. 20, 1924. He married Sue Holloway July 5, 1952 in Dallas, TX. Sue was born Dec. 15, 1952, in Collins, TX, the daughter of Milton Riley Holloway. They were the parents of two children: David Lee, and Donald Lloyd Miller.
- f. Doris Louise Miller was born Aug. 17, 1926 in Peck, KS. She married Vincent John Hoheisel Mar. 15, 1947. They were the parents of two children: Donna Marie, and Glen William Hoheisel.
- g. Audrey Elizabeth Miller was born June 23, 1928 in Peck, KS. She married Miles Morris Austin Oct. 17, 1948 in Wichita, KS. They were the parents of three children: Dennis Eugene, Lloyd Gene, and Ernest Lee Austin.
- h. Laura Bell Miller was born Aug. 18, 1931 in Peck, KS. She married Howard Charles Kraft June 13, 1951 in Ft. Hood, TX. Howard was born Dec. 9, 1925. They were the parents of two children: Katherine Elaine, and Kevin.
- 7. Abbie Miller was the daughter of Lemuel Miller and Laura Jackson, born Nov. 28, 1889 in Rantoul, KS. She married Ralph Paul. Ralph was born Aug. 23, 1878, the son of J. S. Paul and Elnora Winans. He died Jan. 2, 1960 in Ottawa, KS. They were the parents of four children:
  - a. Ray Glen Paul was born Nov. 7, 1910 in Garnett, KS and married Ida Lawrence. They had two children:
    - Ellen Louise Paul, born Feb. 18, 1929, and married Harley Harmon. They had two children: Sue Ellen and Mark Alan.
    - Carol Dean Paul, born Oct. 2, 1932, married Jeanette Kelly. They had three children: Richard Dean, Susan Marie, and Steven Carroll Paul.
  - b. Merle Ernest Paul was born Feb. 2, 1912, in Garnett, KS and married Eva Young. They had three children: Merle Paul Jr. Gordon Lee, and Mauritta Mae Paul.
  - c. Eugene Marion Paul was born July 5, 1914 and married Gladys Shenk. They had two children: Virginia Jean and Barbara Irene Paul.
  - d. Ruby Mae Paul, born July 2, 1917, married Edwin Schwarz. They had two children: Linda Lou, and Janet Kay Schwarz.
- 8. Carl B. Miller was the son of Lemuel Miller and Laura Belle Jackson. He was born in 1896 in Rantoul, KS, and married Bertha Williamson.

## Joel C. Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel)

Joel was born in Dallas Co, AL around 1830, the fourth son and the ninth child born to **Bowater** and **Jimmie** (Mace) Jackson. He moved with his parents to Hamilton Co, IN around 1846.

Joel married Eunice Davis Sept. 13, 1849. Eunice was the daughter of Charles and Bridget (Hadley) Davis. She was disowned for marriage contrary to the discipline by Richland, MM, on July 3, 1850. Joel was listed on the 1850 census of Hamilton Co, IN "age 20 years, wife Eunice age 18, with real estate value \$400". He was living in Noblesville Township, Hamilton Co, in 1880.

In Bowater's will, (Joel's father) Joel was left "1/2 of quarter section three when he became twenty-one years of age." It did not say how many acres it contained.

Joel and Eunice's known children were:

- 1. Loticia Jackson, born ca 1852
- Viola A. Jackson, born ca 1854
- 3. Charles M, Jackson, born ca 1857
- 4. George I. Jackson, born ca 1859
- 5. Julia A. Jackson was born July 14, 1863 and married Dr. Isaac Davenport Mar. 31, 1881.
- 6. John Frank Jackson, born ca 1868
- Maude Jackson, born ca 1862

Joel C. Jackson died Dec. 5, 1902 in Sheridan, Hamilton Co, IN. Eunice Pavis Jackson was born in

North Carolina, and died at age 72 on Mar. 15, 1905 in Sheridan, Hamilton Co, IN.

## John Bowater Jackson (Bowater, Curtis, Samuel)

John Bowater Jackson was born in 1835, the youngest son of Bowater Jackson and Jimmie Mace. He enlisted on Aug. 31, 1861 in Noblesville, IN as a sergeant in Company D, 26th Regiment, Indiana Volunteers. He and was honorably discharged Sept. 2, 1864. He was under the command of A. D. Rose.

He was detailed on or about Nov. 7, 1861 as one of the advance guards in a place called Greasy Creek, between Sidalia and Springfield, MO. That night, the enemy fired on them and in the skirmish **John** fell about twenty feet down an embankment. He struck his left leg on the shin bone against a rock about half way between his knee and ankle. That produced vericose veins and paralysis of his whole left side which disabled him from manual labor and resulted in disease of left lung.

He was carried by ambulance to Tipton, MO, where he was treated and given a 60 day furlough. He later rejoined his Regiment and did light work until June 1862. He was placed in the general hospital in Raleigh, MO, where he remained until his discharge. He lived in Hamilton Co, IN after leaving the service.

He applied for a pension in Hamilton Co, IN on Oct. 29, 1870. He was 35 years old at that time and lived in Noblesville, Hamilton Co, IN. The pension granted him \$12 per month, beginning the Jan. 8, 1881, and two dollars a month for each additional child. He was elected Sheriff of Hamilton Co, IN and served from 1864 to 1866.

John B. was married twice. His first wife was Maria Neugent who died Mar. 11, 1860. They had one daughter: Ella Jackson, born in 1858.

His second marriage was to Susan B. Williams on Mar. 23, 1865. They were married by a minister in Westfield, IN. John B. died Jan. 2, 1880. Susan died Jan. 17, 1891.

John and Susan had five children:

- 1. Winifred Jackson, born Sept. 13, 1867
- 2. Bessy Jackson, born May 19, 1869
- 3. Marie L. Jackson, born Mar. 19, 1871
- 4. Susan Jackson, born July 10, 1872
- 5. John Clare Jackson, born May 30, 1875

#### Beulah Jackson (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Beulah Jackson was born ca 1787 in Surry Co, NC. She was the daughter of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. Beulah grew up in Surry Co, NC and was married to Caleb Garrett around 1804. Caleb was born in Surry Co, on Mar. 20, 1778, the son of Welcome Garrett and Phoebe Ann Sumner. Ruth (Beals) Jackson was the daughter of Bowater Beals, and the granddaughter of John and Sarah (Antrim) Beals.

Caleb owned land in Surry Co, where they lived for several years, Caleb received a certificate from Westfield MM on May 9, 1807 for himself and two sons, Cyrus and Nathan. The certificate was to Deep River MM in Guilford Co, NC where his name frequently appeared in the records. The minutes also show that on Sept. 2, 1813 he was officially complained of, for not attending meetings, and for deviation from plainness. A committee was appointed to visit him and on Sept. 6, 1813 reported that he was "not appearing disposed to make satisfaction". The meeting disowned him from being a member. Some time after this, he identified himself with the Christian (Camphelite) Church, where he retained membership to the end of his life. He was a farmer, a physician, and a preacher of the gospel.

Caleb moved with his family to Washington Co, IN in 1816 where he practiced medicine. He was living with his second wife in Danville, IN in 1829.

Beulah (Jackson) Garrett died in 1820 in Washington Co, IN. Caleb and Beulah were the parents of

nine children. After Beulah's death, Caleb married Cynthia Paul. Cynthia was born in 1803.

Caleb Garrett died in Danville, IN, July 31, 1831, and his second wife Cynthia died the following day. They were the parents of four children. A son-in-law, Samuel McPheeters was appointed guardian over the minor orphans of Caleb and Cynthia.

The following is a list of children of Caleb Garrett and his first wife Beulah Jackson:

- Cyrus Garrett was born Apr. 12, 1804. He married Betsey Hamerly and they lived in Winchester, IN.
- 2. Nathan Garrett was born Nov. 19, 1806. He married Sarah Puckett and they lived in Randolph Co, IN.
- Caroline Garrett was born Dec. 8, 1808 and married Joseph Clements. They lived in Hendricks Co. IN.
- 4. Luther Martin Garrett was born Dec. 9, 1810 and married Anna Bower. They lived in Randolph Co, IN
- 5. Eliza Anna Garrett was born Jan. 15, 1812 and married Samuel McPheeters.
- 6. Julia Ann Garrett was born Oct. 9, 1814. She married Jesse Coffin and they lived in Hendricks Co, IN.
- 7. Merlin Garrett was born in 1817 and died in an accident in 1822.
- 8. Emily Garrett was born Dec. 26, 1818. She married John Simmons and they lived in OR.
- 9. Nancy Garrett, born in 1820, died in 1820.

The following is a list of children of Caleb Garrett and Cynthia Paul, his second wife:

- Paulina Garrett was born in 1824 and died Mar. 4, 1908. She married James Lewis. James served for three years in the Union Army and was a prisoner for six months. They lived in Danville, IN.
- 11. Caleb Garrett Jr. was born in 1826 and died in 1900. He married Abigail Fudge and lived in Morgan Co, IN.
- 12. William Garrett was born Apr. 28, 1828. He married Tabitha Evans and lived in Iowa and NE.
- 13. Lewis Garrett was born Apr. 16, 1831 in Danville, IN He was only four months old when his parents both died.

## Cyrus Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Cyrus was the eldest son of Caleb Garrett and Beulah Jackson. He was born Apr. 12, 1804. His parents moved from Surry Co, to Guilford Co, NC when he was about three years old. They moved to Indiana in 1816.

Cyrus was married three times. His first wife was Betsy Hamerly. The name of his second wife is unknown. He married his third wife Fannie Elizabeth Smith Mar. 20, 1840 in Porter Co, IN. Fannie was born Mar. 17, 1822, and was a native of Brooklyn, NY.

Cyrus was a printer by trade and worked in many different towns. He left his home in Winchester, IN in 1865 for a trip to Cincinnati. His family was going to Brooklyn, NY and he was to meet them later. He wrote to the family for a while. His last letter, dated July 16, 1865, stated that he was connected with the Times office, and would join the family in about two weeks. He was not heard from again. Fannie searched for him at great length, but no trace of him could be found. He was said to have been a very large man standing six feet, four inches.

Cyrus had no children by his first and second wife. He and his third wife, Fannie Smith were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Mary Elizabeth Garrett, born Mar. 1842, and died Apr. 1852.
- 2. Francis Smith Garrett, born Jan. 6, 1845. See account.
- 3. Julia Ann Garrett, born Oct. 3, 1847 See account.
- 4. Amanda Louise Garrett, born Oct. 12, 1849. See account.
- 5. Henry Clay Garrett was born July 26, 1851 and died Apr. 1852.
- 6. Emily Melinda Garrett, born Apr. 22, 1859. See account.
- 7. Abraham Lincoln Garrett was born Apr. 1861 and died Apr. 1862.

Francis Smith Garrett was the son of Cyrus and Fannie Garrett. He was born June 6, 1845 in Buffalo, NY. He was a printer by trade. He married Elizabeth Helena Young of Brooklyn, on July 1, 1866. He died May 20, 1888. His widow was living in Brooklyn in 1903. They were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Willie Cyrus Garrett was born Feb. 20, 1867 and died Dec. 13, 1871.
- 2. Fannie Elizabeth Garrett born Mar. 29, 1869.
- 3. Orilla Florence Garrett was born Nov. 12, 1872.
- 4. Grace Centennial Garrett was born Mar. 1, 1876 and died Aug. 5, 1876.
- 5. Hattie Hamilton Garrett was born Feb. 16, 1877 and died July 2, 1878.
- 6. Mamie Garrett was born Dec. 13, 1878 and died Dec. 24, 1878.
- 7. Francis James Garrett was born Nov. 20, 1872 and died July 7, 1880.
- 8. George Gilbert Garrett was born Jan. 4, 1882 and died July 26, 1882.
- 9. Amanda Louise Garrett, born Apr. 13, 1883.
- 10. Edward Francis Garrett was born Aug. 17, 1885 and died Oct. 18, 1887.

Julia Ann Garrett was born Oct. 3, 1847 in Detroit MI, the daughter of Cyrus and Fannie Garrett She died July 17 1888 in Brooklyn, NY. She married in Stephen W, Danegar 1872. They were the parents of three children:

- 1. Stephen Francis Danegar, born Aug. 9, 1873
- George Danegar was born Oct. 8, 1875 and died Mar. 1, 1879.
- 3. Sarah Laura Danegar was born May 19, 1878 and died May 16, 1883.

Amanda Louise Garrett was born Oct. 12, 1849 in Detroit, MI, the daughter of Cyrus and Fannie Garrett. She and died July 7, 1884. She moved to Brooklyn, NY with her mother. Amanda married Edward H. Wood of Brooklyn Apr. 20, 1870. They had seven children, but only one survived to adulthood:

- 1. Gilbert Francis Wood was born Mar. 29, 1871 and died Feb. 13, 1882.
- 2. Edward Wood, born Aug. 1873, died in Oct. 1873.
- 3. Clara Elizabeth Wood, born Dec. 21, 1874, died Sept. 20, 1875.
- 4. Mamie Wood, born Oct. 14, 1876, died Sept. 1877.
- 5. Edward Cyrus Wood, born June 15, 1878.
- 6. Helen Louise Wood, born July 6, 1881, died Aug. 20, 1881.
- 7. George W. Wood, born July 6, 1884, died Aug. 28, 1884.

Emily Melinda Garrett was the daughter of Cyrus and Fannie Garrett. She was born Apr. 22, 1859 in Danville, IN. She moved with her mother to Brooklyn, NY when she was two years old. Emily married Roderic A. Hewitt Dec. 16, 1877. Roderic's occupation was a carriage trimmer. They had two children:

- 1. Howard Hewitt, born Sept. 26, 1878, died Jan. 1880.
- 2. Clarence Hewitt, born June 1883, died in childhood.

## Nathan Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Nathan was born Nov. 19, 1806 in Surry Co, NC. His parents moved from Guilford Co to Washington Co, IN in 1816, and in 1829 they moved to Danville, IN.

Nathan grew up in Indiana and in 1834 moved to Randolph Co, where he remained for the rest of his life. He taught school near Cerro Gordo, was elected sheriff in 1836 and served two terms. He was elected auditor of the county in 1846 and served continuously in that capacity fourteen years. He lived in Winchester until 1859 when he moved to his farm in Nettle Creek Township.

He enlisted as a private in the Seventh Indiana Cavalry and held the position of quartermaster and rank of first lieutenant after serving three years.

Nathan was married twice, his first wife was Sarah Puckett, whom he married in 1827. She was the daughter of Zacharia Puckett. She was born Sept. 12, 1809, and died May 11, 1849. Nathan and

Sarah were the parents of six children.

Nathan's second marriage was to Mrs. Malinda (Hunt) Strahan. Malinda was the daughter of Bazel Hunt. She was born Feb. 4, 1817 and survived her husband for a number of years. Nathan died Oct. 7, 1871. They were the parents of six children:

The following is a list of children of Nathan Garrett and Sarah Puckett:

- 1. Cyrus Garrett was born Apr. 6, 1828 and died Aug. 31, 1828.
- Emily Garrett was born Aug. 7, 1829 in Hendricks Co, IN. She moved to Randolph Co, IN with her parents in 1834. She married Allen 0. Neff of Randolph Co in 1848. Emily died Sept. 29, 1860 and Allen died in 1882. They had one known child:
  - a. Sarah S. B. Neff, born Dec. 26, 1849.
- 3. Beulah Garrett was born Dec. 29, 1830, in Hendricks Co, IN. She married Alonzo Monroe around 1846 in Randolph Co, IN. Beulah died Nov. 10, 1853. They had two known children:
  - a. Helen M. Monroe. No information
  - b. Warren Monroe, died Sept. 28, 1875.
- 4. Sylvania Garrett, born Oct. 14, 1833.
- 5. Duane Garrett: was born Sept. 28, 1835, in Randolph Co, IN. Duane was a soldier during the Civil War and served in 1st. Indiana heavy artillery. His first marriage was to Henrietta Neff July 27, 1856. Henrietta was born July 7, 1837, the daughter of Lewis and Susan Neff. They settled on a farm in Randolph Co, IN. His second marriage was to Mary A. Benifiel on May 29, 1894. Mary was born June 12 1856, the daughter of George and Elizabeth Benifiel. Duane died Nov. 13, 1902. Duane and Henrietta were the parents of three children:
  - a. Oristes Garrett, born June 8, 1857, died Sept. 11, 1858.
  - b. Charles Garrett, born June 16, 1858.
  - c. Emily Garrett, born Sept. 29, 1860, died May 5, 1863.
- 6. Prentice Garrett was born Aug. 18, 1838 in Randolph Co, IN. He served during the Civil War in 1861 in the 8th Regiment for three months, then three years in the 69th Indiana Volunteers. He was disabled Feb. 1863 at Arkansas Post. He married in Sarah Kate Darrah in 1861. Prentice died in 1897 and Sarah died July 11, 1908. They lived in Winchester, IN and they had four known children:
  - a Lane Garrett, born Oct. 9, 1861, died Feb. 16, 1862
  - b. Lillie A. Garrett, born Jan. 7, 1863
  - c. Cynthia Belle Garrett, born July 7, 1864
  - d. Beulah May Garrett, born July 13, 1875

The following is a list of children of Nathan Garrett and his second wife Malinda Hunt:

 Fremont Garrett was born Nov. 2; 1851 in Randolph Co, IN. Fremont was educated in the schools of Randolph and made the practice of law his profession. He married Addie Trueblood Feb. 23, 1871. Addie was born Nov. 5, 1852 and died in 1889.

Fremont's second marriage was to Anna Rooney on Sept. 14, 1892. Anna was the daughter of Patrick Rooney and Catherine Mahoney, and had been previously married to a man named Robinson. They lived in Winchester, IN. Fremont died Jan. 19, 1903. He had six children by his first wife Addie, and three children by his second wife Anna.

The following is a list of children by his first wife Addie:

- a. Arthur Thompson Garrett, born Nov. 20, 1871
- b. Egbert Welcome Garrett, born Jan. 17, 1874, died Sept. 23, 1874.
- c. Eddie Garrett, born Aug. 2, 1875, died Jan. 5, 1876.
- Myrtle Sylvania Garrett, born Jan. 2, 1877.
- e. Edna Garrett, born Oct. 18, 1879.
- f. Nellie Garrett, born Oct. 5, 1882.

The following is a list of children by his second wife Anna:

- g. Frank Garrett, born May 28, 1896, died Dec. 8, 1904
- h. Frederick Garrett, born June 11, 1897
- i. Catherine Garrett, born June 26, 1900
- 8. Egbert Garrett was born Aug. 10, 1854 and married Eva Jameson.

- 9. Jesse Benton Garrett was born Aug. 10, 1856 and married Elihu Swain.
- 10. Carrie Garrett was born in 1858 and died in infancy.
- 11. Lillie F. Garrett was born in 1860 and died in infancy.
- 12. Welcome Elsworth Garrett was born Oct. 10, 1862, in Randolph Co, IN. He married Frances Hunt, and they lived in Winchester, IN. Welcome died June, 1905. There was one known son:
  a. Ronald Garrett, born Dec. 7, 1901.

#### Caroline Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Caroline born Dec. 3, 1808, in Guilford Co, NC, the daughter of Caleb Garrett and Beulah Jackson. Her parents moved from Guilford Co, NC to Hendricks Co, IN when she was about eight years old. She grew up in Indiana and married Joseph N. Clements June 11, 1837 in Tippecanoe Co, IN.

Joseph was born Aug. 12, 1796 in Charles Co, MD, the son of William Franklin Clements and Anna Combs. They moved from Maryland to Nelson Co, KY, and in 1833 to Hendricks Co, IN. Joseph died Apr. 13, 1871. The date of Caroline's death is unknown. They were the parents of five children:

- 1. Ephrage Clements (No information)
- Eliza Jane Clements was born June 15, 1842. She married John D. Wisehart Oct. 8, 1861.
   John was a farmer and stock dealer. He was the son of John and Mary Wisehart. They lived in North Salem, Hendricks Co, IN, and had five children:
  - a. Dr. William H. Wisehart, born Aug. 28, 1863.
  - b. Effie F. Wisehart, born Dec. 17, 1870.
  - c. Dr. Oscar Wisehart, born Sept. 24, 1874.
  - d. Letitia Wisehart born, Dec. 23, 1879.
  - e. Victor Wisehart, born in 1885.

Egbert Garrett was born Aug. 20, 1854 in Randolph Co, IN, the son of Nathan and Malinda Garrett. He grew up in Randolph Co, and married Eva Jameson Jan. 5, 1877. Eva was born Sept. 11, 1858, the daughter of John and Evaline Jameson of Missouri. They lived in Winchester, IN and were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Celia Alice Garrett, born Oct. 31, 1877
- Nathan E, Garrett, born Aug. 22, 1879
- 3. Norville Fremont Garrett, born Sept. 2, 1882
- 4. Mabel Garrett, born Mar. 9, 1885, died Mar. 30, 1886
- 5. Irmia Garrett, born Jan. 14, 1887
- Opal Garrett, born in 1889
- 7. Volney Garrett, born June 17, 1892
- 8. Frances C. Garrett, born Apr. 16, 1897, died May 29, 1908

Jessie Benton Garrett was born Aug. 10, 1856 in Randolph Co, IN. She was the daughter of Nathan Garrett and Malinda Hunt. She married Elihu Swain Feb. 18, 1872. Elihu was a merchant and a farmer. They lived in Iola, Allen Co, KS. They were the parents of six children:

- 1. Corwin Duane Swain, born Mar. 16, 1874
- 2. Ira Nathan Swain, born Mar. 14, 1876
- 3. Bertha Brainard Swain, born Dec. 27, 1883
- 4. Mabel Elsie Swain, born July 30, 1888
- 5. Blaine Cecil Swain, born July 26, 1891
- 6. Anna Phoebe Swain, born Oct. 5, 1895, died Dec. 9, 1897.

#### Caroline Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Caroline Garrett was born Dec. 3, 1808 in Guilford Co, NC. Her parents moved from Guilford Co to Hendricks Co, IN when she was around eight years old. She grew up in Indiana and married Joseph N. Clements on June 11, 1837 in Tippecanoe Co, IN.

Joseph was born Aug. 12, 1796 in Charles Co, MD and was the son of William Franklin and Anna (Combs) Clements. They had moved from MD to Nelson Co, KY, and in 1833 to Hendricks Co, IN.

Joseph died Apr. 13, 1871. The date of Caroline's death is unknown. They were the parents of five

#### children:

- 1. Ephrage Clements No information.
- 2. Eliza Jane Clements was born Jun. 15, 1842. She married John D. Wisehart Oct. 8, 1861. John was a farmer and stock dealer, and was the son of John and Mary Wisehart. John and Eliza lived in Hendricks Co, IN and had five children:
  - a. Dr. William H. Wisehart, born Aug. 28, 1863
  - b. Effie F. Wisehart, born Dec. 17, 1870
  - c. Dr. Oscar Wisehart, born Sept. 24, 1874
  - d. Letitia Wisehart, born Dec. 23, 1879
  - e. Victor Wisehart, born in 1885.
- William Caleb Clements was born Oct. 7, 1844 in Hendricks Co, IN. He married Sarah J. Wisehart Oct. 21, 1866. Sarah was a sister to John Wisehart who married William's sister Eliza. William served as a soldier in the union army during the Civil War in Company C, 51st Regiment Indiana Volunteers. He was a farmer, and was elected sheriff and served for several years. Sarah died July 11, 1903. After her death, William married Mary Lout Feb. 9, 1907. Mary was the daughter of James Lout. She had been previously married to a man named Yates. William died Sept. 19, 1907 in Danville, IN. William and Sarah were the parents of ten children:
  - a. Addie 0. Clements was born July 23, 1867 and died July 22, 1868.
  - b. Alma E. Clements was born Jan. 23, 1869 and married Eliza S. Widdle Jan. 23 1890. They lived in Plainfield, IN.
  - c. Clarence 0. Clements was born July 6, 1870 and married Mary L. Hogate. They lived in Indianapolis, IN.
  - d. Florence F. Clements was born Sept. 28, 1872. She married W. J. Kennedy. They lived in Danville, IN.
  - e. Grace V. Clements, born Nov. 22, 1874, married Crawford.
  - f. Ella M. Clements, born Dec. 1, 1877
  - g. Lillie E. Clements was born Nov. 11, 1879. She married Jesse Kennedy and they lived in Indianapolis, IN.
  - h. Carl E. Clements was born Dec. 15, 1881 and died July 3, 1885.
  - i. Omar W. Clements, born Oct. 21, 1884.
  - J. Paul G. Clements

## Luther Martin Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Luther was born Dec. 9, 1810, in Guilford Co, NC, the son of Caleb Garrett and Beulah Jackson. He followed the movement of his parents to Indiana in 1816. He married Anna B. Bower Feb. 14, 1839. Anna was the daughter of Jacob and Mary Bower and had been previously married to Mr. Kisling.

Luther was in Company K, 63rd Regiment of the Indiana Volunteers Infantry. He was a farmer and at different times lived in Randolph, Delaware, and Madison Counties. He died Mar. 26, 1870 in Randolph Co, IN and was buried in Moss Island Graveyard, west of Anderson. Anna died Aug. 1, 1873. They were the parents of seven children:

- Levi Garrett was born, Aug. 24, 1839. He married Susan A. Mink Feb. 13, 1883. Susan was born Dec. 18, 1862 in Lee Co, WV and was the eldest daughter of Thompson Mink and Nannie Andis. Levi was a farmer and they lived in Hamilton Co, IN, east of Noblesville. They had five children (Levi may have had an earlier marriage.)
  - a. Ethel Leona Garrett, born Apr. 11, 1884.
  - b. Clarence Berdue Garrett, born Sept. 26, 1885.
  - c. Charles Julian Garrett, born June 25, 1889.
  - d. Forest Hill Garrett, born Sept. 2, 1894.
  - e. Jennie Iris Garrett, born Oct. 4, 1900.
- 2. James Garrett was born July 5, 1841. He was a soldier in the union army during the Civil War in Company B, 130th Regiment, Indiana Volunteers Infantry. James married Rebecca Miller Dec. 9, 1867. Rebecca was born Apr. 28, 1846 in PA and was the daughter of Albertus Miller and Susannah Stahl. Rebecca died June 15, 1892. James was a farmer and lived in Madison Co, IN. They had one known daughter:

- a. Mary Grace Garrett, born Aug. 9, 1882.
- 3. Catherine Garrett was born Jan. 29, 1844. She married John Driver Sept. 9, 1865. John was born May 19, 1838, the son of Jacob and Amanda M. Driver of Randolph Co, IN. He was a soldier in Company A, 84th Regiment, Indiana infantry, and served three years. He was a farmer. He died Sept. 27, 1902. After his death, Catherine was living in Farmland, IN. They had six children:
  - a. Rosanna Driver, born Aug. 20, 1866, died Oct. 6, 1866.
  - b. Henry E. Driver, born Sept. 4, 1867, died Dec. 18, 1871
  - c. Levi Jacob Driver, born Oct. 1, 1869
  - d. Alfred Riley Driver, born Dec 5, 1871
  - e. Clarissa Ellen Driver, born June 4, 1875
  - f. Harvey Eldridge Driver, born July 14, 1878
- 4. Welcome Garrett was born Jan. 27, 1846. He married Margaret Gift Aug. 26, 1869. Margaret was the daughter of Daniel and Eleanor Gift. Margaret died and Welcome's second marriage was to Mrs. Malinda Bugh, born in 1855, the widow of James A Bugh, and daughter of Moses Alapach and Matilda Kelsy. Welcome was a farmer and lived in Summitville, IN. A list of their children follows:
  - a. Frank Garrett, born May 7, 1870.
  - b. Alonzo W. Garrett, born Sept. 2, 1871, died Apr. 9, 1872
  - c. Luther M. Garrett, born Mar. 6, 1874.
- 5. Joseph Garrett was born Mar 1, 1848. He married Hannah Alma Kephart Oct. 2, 1875. Hannah was the daughter of Thomas Kephart and Lydia A. Eggman of Morgan Co, IN. He was a farmer and tile maker. They lived in Madison Co, IN and had no children.
- 6. Sarah Garrett was born Dec. 24, 1850 and married Calvin McNees July 27, 1872. Calvin was the son of John McNees and Sarah Hiatt. He was a farmer and they lived in Farmland, IN. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. John Luther McNees, born Aug. 31, 1873
  - b. Jessie Benton McNees, born Mar. 9, 1876
  - c. Josie May McNees, born June 27, 1884, died Oct. 6. 1884
  - d. Herman Eldridge McNees, born Jan. 29, 1886
  - e. Golvie Olive McNees, born Dec. 1, 1889
- 7. Nathan Garrett, born Mar. 25, 1853. He married Matilda Reason June 22, 1874. Matilda was born Feb. 23, 1858, the daughter of W. H. Reason of Madison Co, IN. Nathan was a farmer and lived in Madison Co, IN. They were the parents of seven children:
  - a. Xena Garrett, born Mar. 29, 1875.
  - b. Mary Garrett, born Mar. 19, 1877.
  - c. Carrie Belle Garrett, born May 16, 1879.
  - d. Sarah A. Garrett, born Sept. 1, 1882.
  - e. Emily Fay Garrett, born Apr. 29, 1885.
  - f. Loretta Garrett, born Sept. 28, 1887, died Oct. 1, 1887.
  - g. Orville Garrett, born Mar. 12, 1892.
- 8. Caleb Alfred Garrett, born Aug. 9, 1855. He married Sarah Catherine Huntsinger of Madison Co, IN on Jan. 27, 1898. Caleb was a farmer and lived in Madison Co, IN. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Robert Dale Garrett, born Feb. 21, 1900, died Aug. 18, 1901.
  - b. Ora Glen Garrett, born July 30, 1902.
  - c. Anna Matilda Garrett, born June 1, 1905.

#### Anna Eliza Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Anna Eliza Garrett was born Jan. 15, 1812 in North Carolina, the daughter of Caleb Garrett and Beulah Jackson. She married Samuel McPheeters June 5, 1828 in Washington Co, 1N. Samuel was born Mar. 3, 1803 near Mt. Sterling, KY, the son of John McPheeters. Samuel and Anna settled in Hendricks Co, 1N in 1829, the year after their marriage, where they spent the rest of their long lives. Anna died July 18, 1885 at the age of 73 years. They were the parents of seven children:

Margaret Jane McPheeters was born Aug. 11, 1829. She married William McDaniel
Jan. 4, 1849. She died Nov. 24, 1879. They lived in Hendricks Co, IN. They were the parents of

#### two children:

- a. Samuel A. McDaniel, born June 19, 1849, died June 24, 1851.
- Leuis Wesley McDaniel, born Sept. 29, 1855.
- 2. Welcome Garrett McPheeters was born Sept. 24, 1831. He married Julia Caroline Life Jan. 23, 1855. Welcome served three years in Company B, 7th Regiment of the Indiana Volunteers Infantry. He was a farmer and raised stock. He died Feb. 14, 1888. Julia died Mar. 6, 1906. They were the parents of four known children:
  - a. Margaret Sylvania McPheeters, born Mar. 11, 1856, married Theodore Huber Aug. 1, 1880. Theodore was born Oct. 11, 1856, the son of Jacob Huber and Melvina Stiles. They were the parents of two children:
    - 1) Flora May Huber, born May 1, 1881.
    - 2) Leroy Huber, born Jan. 19, 1883.
  - John William McPheeters was born July 23, 1858. He married Ella Adams. They lived in Dodge City, KS.
  - Mary Jane McPheeters, born Oct. 3, 1860. She married William Williams. They lived in Danville, IN.
  - d. Eliza Kate McPheeters was born Aug. 26, 1865 and married Charles Williams.
- 3. Rebecca J. McPheeters, born Nov. 4, 1834.
- 4. Joseph Charles McPheeters, born Jan. 26, 1837, died Nov. 2, 1861.
- 5. William Henry McPheeters, born Nov. 21, 1840, died Jan. 1, 1862.
- 6. Theopolis Milo McPheeters, born Aug. 30, 1850.
- 7. Eliza Ellen McPheeters, born June 30, 1856.

#### Julia Anna Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Julia Anna Garrett was born Oct. 9, 1814 in North Carolina. She married Jesse Coffin Mar. 12, 1840, in Hendricks Co, IN. Jesse was born Sept. 25, 1818 in Guilford Co, NC. They settled in Danville, IN, where they lived for several years. Jesse died July 31, 1851. Julia survived him many years, but the date of her death is unknown. They had six known children:

- 1. Oliver G. Coffin, born Feb. 24, 1841.
- 2. Isaac N. Coffin, born Mar. 24, 1843, died Nov. 19, 1861.
- 3. Henry Coffin, born Aug. 6, 1844.
- 4. Eliza Catherine Coffin, born July 14, 1846, died Dec. 8, 1861.
- 5. Lewis N. Coffin, born July 22, 1848, died June 25, 1851.
- 6. Pauline Ellen Coffin, born Apr. 23, 1851, died Oct. 25, 1851.

#### Emily Garrett (Beulah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Emily Garrett was born Dec. 26, 1818 in Washington Co, IN. She married John Simmons July 8, 1835. To this family was born eleven children five in Indiana. One was born as they traveled overland to Oregon in the year 1852. The family remained in Oregon.

- 1. Catherine E. Simmons, born Aug. 5, 1836
- 2. Edward M. Simmons, born May 5, 1838
- 3. Nathan Garrett Simmons, born July 12, 1840
- 4. Andrew Simmons was born Aug. 30, 1842 and died Aug. 30, 1845.
- 5. Luther Simmons, born Feb. 1, 1846
- 6. Lewis Simmons, born June 15, 1850
- 7. James Simmons, born Aug. 10, 1852
- 8. Caleb A. Simmons, born Mar. 1, 1855
- 9. Peter Simmons, born Feb. 25, 1857
- 10. Mary Simmons, born Aug. 11, 1860
- 11. John T. Simmons was born Mar. 24, 1863 and died Oct. 24, 1863.

#### Jacob Jackson (Curtis, Samuel)

Jacob Jackson was born, Jan. 22, 1785 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC. He was the second son, and fifth child of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. Jacob lived on his fathers farm in Surry Co, and married Miss Susannah Gaines on June 8, 1809 in Patrick Co, VA. (This was just over the North Carolina line from where they lived). Susannah was born in Stokes Co, NC on Jan. 5, 1792, the daughter of

#### James Strother and Judith Easley Gaines.

James Strother Gaines was born in 1769 in Culpepper Co, VA and died Oct. 20, 1823 near Old Cahaba, in Dallas Co, AL. He married Judith Easley Dec. 7, 1790 in Stokes Co, NC. Judith was born ca 1774 in Charlotte Co, VA, and died 1823 in Old Cahaba. She was one the twelve children of Warham Easley and Ann Woodson.

James was the son of Thomas Gaines (a Revolutionary War soldier) and Susannah Strother.

Jacob and Susannah moved from North Carolina after 1811, and were living in Rhoan Co, TN when their second son Curtis Monroe Jackson was born. They were living in Dallas Co, AL in 1821. This was where Susannah's parents were living. Jacob's two brothers, Bowater and Nathan and his sister Phoebe were also living in Dallas Co. Jacob was in the War of 1812. He died in Dallas Co July 6, 1831

After Jacob died, Susannah moved her family to Sabine Co, TX. The 1850 Census show Susannah as a widow. Two of her grandchildren were living in her household then, they were Lewis and Amanda Jackson, the children of her son Curtis Monroe Jackson. Susannah died in Sabine, Orange Co, TX in Mar. 1859.

Jacob and Susannah were the parents of seven known children:

- 1. Thomas J. Jackson, born 1810 in North Carolina, married Rachel Rasco. See account...
- 2. Curtis Monroe Jackson, born in 1815 Rhoan Co, TN, married Martha Ledbetter. See account
- 3. John M. Jackson was born 1821 in Dallas Co, AL. He married Synthia A. Taylor Oct. 29, 1840.
- 4. William E. Jackson, born in 1824, Dallas Co, AL.
- 5. Benjamin L. Jackson, born in 1828.
- 6. Washington L. Jackson, born in 1831.
- 7. Mary Ann Jackson born in Georgia, married "Curry".

## Curtis Monroe Jackson (Jacob, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born in 1815 in Rhoan Co, TN. He moved with his parents to Dallas Co, AL, and in 1835 he was living the District of Sabine, TX. Curtis was married twice. The name of his first wife is unknown. They had two children: Lewis and Amanda, who were living in the home of Curtis' mother in 1850.

- Amanda Jackson, daughter of Curtis Monroe Jackson was born in 1847 in Sabine, TX. She married Samuel Rector in 1866.
- Lewis Livingston Jackson was the only son of Curtis Monroe Jackson by his first wife. Lewis
  was born Dec. 15, 1844 in Sabine Co, TX. He went to live with his grandmother, Susannah
  Gaines Jackson after his mother died.

Lewis married Mary (or Molley) Langston Jan. 2, 1866 in Cherokee Co, TX. Mary was the daughter of Honley V. Langston and Sarah Gordon. She was born Oct. 15, 1845 in Salem, Fulton Co, AR. She died in Rockwall, TX on May 10, 1933 at the age of 88. They lived in Rush and Dallas Counties, TX. Lewis died on Dec. 5, 1911 in Rockwall, TX. Lewis and Mary had ten children:

- a. John A. Jackson was born Sept. 18, 1868 and died Sept. 29, 1868, only 11 days old.
- b. Joseph Marion Jackson was born Sept. 18, 1863 and died Oct. 7, 1868, only three weeks old. He was a twin to John.
- c. Sarah Ophielia Jackson was born July 19, 1870 in Pleasant Valley, Dallas Co, TX. She married C. C. Fergerson Oct., 17, 1887. She died July 21, 1913 at the age of twenty-six and was buried in Rockwall, TX.
- d. Lillion Marion Jackson was born July 26, 1872. She married A. E. Love Dec. 19, 1889. She died Aug. 1922 and was buried in Rockwall, TX.
- e. Curtis Monroe Jackson was born Oct. 15, 1875. He married Lena Williams Aug. 21, 1902. He died Dec. 24, 1956 and was buried in Rockwall, TX.
- f. Infant born Oct. 29, 1877 and died unnamed.
- g. Charles F. Jackson, born Aug. 15, 1879, died June 10, 1931.
- h. Lewis Newton Jackson was born July 15, 1881. His first marriage was to Hannah Vanneim Aug. 10, 1914. His second marriage was to Elinor Buradox Dec. 18, 1928. He

died July 27, 1962 in Rockwall, TX.

- Hattie Estell Jackson was born Oct. 15, 1883. She married Clarence Wayne Atkins
  Nov. 28, 1908. She died Oct. 17, 1969 and was buried in Panhandle, Carson Co, TX. Their
  daughter, Hattie Fay Atkins married Harold C. Knapp. She compiled the information on
  the family of Jacob.
- j. Lula Amanda Jackson, born Jan. 16, 1885. No information is available.

#### Thomas J. Jackson (Jacob, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas was born in 1810 in North Carolina, the first of Jacob Jackson and Susannah Gaines. He moved with his parents to Dallas Co, AL, and in 1850 was living in the District of Sabine, TX. Thomas married Rachel Rasco. They were the parents of three known children:

- 1. William Jackson
- 2. Mary Ann Jackson
- Sarah Jane Jackson

His second marriage was to Martha Ledbetter May 30, 1859. They had two children whose names are unknown.

## Susannah Jackson (Curtis, Samuel)

Susannah was born Apr. 10, 1789 in Surry Co, NC, the daughter of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. She married Timothy H. Jessup Apr. 30, 1806 in Stokes Co, NC.

Timothy was born in Stokes Co ca1782/3 and was one of ten children. His family were Quakers. He died Feb. 23, 1844 in Hendricks Co, IN at the age of 62.

Timothy and Susannah remained in North Carolina, where five of their children were born, until 1817. Falls Creek MM in OH, records that they were received as members Nov. 8, 1817, from Westfield MM. Susannah and two of her daughters, Amy and Rhoda, were received by certificate to White Lick, MM in 1826. Timothy and sons Martin, Lewis, John, and Samuel were received at White Lick on Sept. 2.

Timothy owned land in Hamilton and Hendricks Counties, IN. He also owned a Tanyard. His will dated Jan. 31, 1844 was proven Feb. 23, 1844. **Susannah** died Apr. 10, 1873, and was buried at Fairfield.

They were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Rachel Jessup was born Feb. 11, 1807 in Stokes Co, NC
- 2. Martin Jessup was born Sept. 9, 1809 in Stokes Co, NC.
- 3. A. S. Jessup was born Sept. 29, 1812, died at birth.
- 4. Lewis Jessup was born Sept. 29, 1812, (a twin to A. S.)
- 5. John J. Jessup was born Feb. 1, 1814 in Stokes Co, NC.
- 6. Amy Jessup was born June 26, 1818 in Green Co, IN.
- 7. Samuel Jessup was born Dec. 24, 1820 in Green Co, IN.
- Rhoda Jessup was born July 7, 1823 in Green Co, IN.
- 9. Susanna Jessup was born- Apr. i6, 1827 in Hendricks Co, IN.
- 10. Timothy Jessup was born Apr. 16, 1827, a twin to Susannah.
- 11. Jessie Jessup was born Feb. 18, 1830 in Hendricks Co, IN.

Information on the family of Timothy H. Jessup and Susannah Jackson was taken from:

"The Jessup Family" by Rev. Jasper N. Jessup, page 54, written in 1908.

The census of Green, and Hendricks Counties IN.

Quaker records by Hinshaw

Information sent by Keith Parish, Washington, DC

Information sent by **Dora Mae Turner**, Chandler Heights, AZ. (She is a descendant of Curtis **Jackson** and **Ruth Beals**.)

## Will of Timothy H. Jessup:

"I Timothy H. Jessup of Hendricks Co, and State of Indiana, do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, hereby making void all former Wills made by me.

Item I

It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as early as practicable after my decease. Item II

It is my will that my beloved wife **Susannah Jessup** have the following described tract or parcel of land, lying and being in this County and State, above named, beginning at the south corner of section seventeen in township fourteen, north of two east, thence running with the meanders of the county road north, to the northeast corner of the orchard, thence south to the south corner line of the farm, thence west to the beginning, to have and to hold the same during her natural life for her comfortable support. Item III.

It is my will that my daughter **Rachel Ritter** have seventy acres of land, beginning at a spring near **James Ritter's** thence south to **Charles Reynold's** line, to have and to hold the same also including the forty acres I have already deeded to her.

Item IV.

It is my will that my son Lewis Jessup have one hundred acres of land off the north end, section eighteen. Also ten acres that I bought of James Tomlinson in the same section.

Item V

It is my will that my son John Jessup have one hundred and sixty acres, lying and being in the County of Hamilton, IN for which he holds a deed.

Item VI.

It is my will that my son **Samuel Jessup** have the tract or parcel of land that I purchased of the heirs of **Ezra Cox**, containing one hundred and fifteen acres (an agreement between myself and my son **Samuel** in an exchange of land requires him to pay according to the notes I hold against him, and I give bond to make him a deed to the above mentioned tract, when payment is made),

It is my will that my daughter **Amy Rich** have the east half of quarter section thirteen. It is also my will that she have one hundred and fifty dollars as an equivalent of what I gave my other daughters in land. The land is in Hamilton Co, IN.

Item VIII.

It is my will that my daughter **Rhoda Snow** have the east half of north quarter section thirteen in Hamilton Co. IN.

Item IX

It is my will that my daughter **Susannah Jessup** have east half of north quarter of section thirty-four in Hamilton Co, IN.

Item X

It is my will that my son **Timothy Jessup** have the land that I purchased of my brother **Samuel Jessup**, except the part disposed of in Item II, for the support of my wife, supposed to be one hundred acres besides the said reserve and further after the death of my wife, it is my will that my son **Timothy** have the whole tract or one hundred and twenty-five acres of land on condition that the said **Timothy** will pay to the rest of my heirs share and share the same of eight hundred dollars, to be paid within eight years and until said sum is paid the rest of my heirs shall have a right to the proceeds of said reserve alluded to in Item II.

Item XI

It is my will that my son Jesse Jessup have the farm on which I now live, two hundred and ten acres when he arrives at the age of twenty-one years, and until that time for my wife Susannah to have the control and profits of the proceeds of said farm for her support, and if she lives longer than the time of Jesse arrival at the age of twenty one years, she shall have an equal interest in the proceeds of the two last named farms, according to their value.

Item XII

It is my will that my sister Avis Jessup have a sufficient amount of food and raiments out of the proceeds of my two last mentioned farms during her natural life.

Item XII

It is my will that all my land in Hamilton Co, not disposed of by will shall be sold to the best advantage and the money to be applied to the payment of my just debts. And all of my personal property disposed of in the same manner except two horses, four cows, four head of young cattle, ten hogs, ten sheep, household and kitchen furniture and such of the farming untinsels as will be need for carrying on the farm

It is my will that my Tan Yard be disposed of to the best advantage for the interest of my heirs, to share and share alike, I hereby make and ordain my friend **Joseph Jessup** and my son **Samuel Jessup**, Executors of this my last will and Testament.

In witness where of I, **Timothy H. Jessup** have hereunto set my hand and seal this the thirty first day of the first month, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

Timothy H. Jessup (seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above said **Timothy H. Jessup** as his last will and testament in the presents of us witnesses, in the presence of the testator, and in the presence of each other.

Matthew Stanley Adin Pollard

## Rachel Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel Jessup was born Feb. 11, 1807, in Stokes Co, NC, the first born of Timothy Jessup and Susannah Jackson. Her mother, Susannah was the daughter of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. When Rachel was about ten years old, her parents left Stokes Co and moved to Indiana, first settling in Green Co. She married James Ritter in Indiana. The date of their marriage is unknown at this time. James and Rachel lived in Hendricks Co, IN. They were members of the Society of Friends. In Politics, James was a Republican. He died in 1859, and Rachel died in 1874. They were the parents of seven children, four boys and three girls:

- 1. John Ritter, married Rachel Sumner.
- 2. Martin Ritter
- 3. Levi Ritter
- 4. Lewis Ritter
- 5. Eli Ritter. See account.
- 6. Eliza Ritter, married William Cooper
- 7. Rhoda Ritter, married B. S. McLain
- 8. Malissa Ritter, married J. 0. Thompson

## Eli F. Ritter (Rachel, Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Information on Eli F. Ritter was taken from "The History Of Greater Indianapolis", page 775. Eli F. Ritter was born June 18 1838 on the parental homestead, in Guilford Township, Hendricks Co, IN. He was a son of one of the honored pioneer families of the state. His ancestors, members of the Society of Friends and from North Carolina, became the original representatives to Indiana, where settlement was made by them. To the common schools of his native county Colonel Ritter is indebted for his early educational discipline, which was supplemented by a course in DePauw University, then known as Asbury University, in which institution he graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts as a member of the class of 1866, but was dated back to class of 1863, as he was in the army.

After graduation, he took up the study of law, to which he devoted his attention until he felt the call of higher duty, when the integrity of the nation was thrown into jeopardy through armed rebellion. On Apr. 14, 1861, he enlisted as a private in Company K, Sixteenth Ind. Volunteer Infantry, and continued in active service until the close of the Civil War, having received honorable discharge on the 6th of June, 1865. From his original command, he was transferred to Seventy-ninth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, which was a part of the Army of the Cumberland, and with this regiment the major part of his service was given.

He was made adjutant in this regiment and with it participated in many of the important battles marking the progress of the great internecine conflict. Among these may be mentioned Stone's River Chickamanga, Missionary Ridge, Rocky Face Ridge, Resaca, New Hope Church, Kenesaw Mountain, the siege and battle of Atlanta, Lovejoy Station, and Franklin and Nashville, TN. Before the expiration of the Civil War he was advanced to the office of major of his regiment, and in the same his record was one of signal gallantry and able discipline. In 1883, upon the organization of the Indiana National

Guard, Governor Porter appointed him Colonel of the First sergeant, and he retained this incumbency for a period of three years, at the expiration of which he retired from active work in the organization.

After the close of the Civil War, Colonel Ritter resumed the study of law, and in the spring of 1866 he was duly admitted to the bar of his native state, whereupon he engaged in the general practice of his profession in Indianapolis, of whose bar he has been an honored member for more than forty-years-years marked by large and definite accomplishment in the work of his chosen vocation. He has retained a large and representative clientage and has been identified with much important litigation in both State and Federal courts. He is a strong trial lawyer, making a close study of every cause presented and marshaling his evidence with great skill.

It should be noted in this connection that Colonel Ritter has, almost from the initiation of his professional career, taken a strong stand in bringing about the proper regulation of the liquor traffic, of which he is an implacable adversary. He has secured many important court decisions in both the lower and higher courts as touching this important matter. Colonel Ritter is an author of a book that has attracted wide and favorable attention. It has to do with a consideration of the correlation of the moral and civil law, and in a masterly way carried forward the argument that social morality is the fundamental principle of the common law and all statute law, and that no law can be sustained that lacks this foundation. The title of the book is "Moral Law and Civil Law, Parts of the Same Thing".

His political view is Republican. He and his wife hold membership in the Methodist Episcopal Church, and he is a member of the George H. Thomas Post, Grand Army of the Republic. His vital interest in his old comrades in arms is further shown in the able service he has accorded as a member of the board of trustees of the Indiana Soldiers Home, with which he was identified in this capacity since 1903, his second term having expired in 1909.

Eli married Miss Narcie Lockwood on July 13th 1863. Narcie was born in Paris, KY, and was the daughter of Benjamin Lockwood and Rebecca Smith, who lived in Indianapolis.

Colonel Ritter and Narcie were the parents of six children:

- 1. Halsted L. Ritter, an attorney in South Denver, CO,
- 2. Herman B. Ritter, died at the age of twenty years
- 3. Roscoe H. Ritter, a physician in Indianapolis
- 4. Mary B. Ritter married Charles A. Beard, of New York City.
- 5. Dwight S. Ritter, a manufacturer in Columbus, OH
- 6. Ruth Ritter wife of Edgar V. McDaniel, of Parms, MO.

#### Lewis Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Lewis Jessup was born Sept. 29, 1812 in Stokes Co, NC. He was the second son born to Timothy H. Jessup and Susannah Jackson. He moved with his parents to Ohio, and in 1826 to Hendricks Co, IN. He married Lydia Jessup Nov. 25, 1833 at Fairfield.

Lydia Jessup was the daughter of Joel and Michelle Jessup. Lydia was born May 2, 1814 in Stokes Co, NC, died Oct. 13, 1835, and buried at Fairfield. Lewis's mother and Lydia's mother were first cousins. Lewis's mother Susannah was the daughter of Curtis and Ruth Jackson. Lydia's mother was Michel Jackson the daughter of Jehu Jackson and Hope Jessup.

Lewis and Lydia had one daughter, and Lydia died right after the birth. Lewis got a certificate from Fairfield MM on Feb. 18, 1836 to marry Eunice Pickett (Puckett). Eunice was received from Westfield MM on Oct. 14, 1836. Lewis' third marriage was to Lucy Pierce.

In all, Lewis Jessup had twelve children, one by his first wife Lydia Jessup, eight by his second wife Eunice Puckett, and four by his third wife Lucy Pierce.

Children by his first wife, Lydia:

 Lydia was born Sept. 24, 1834 and was named after her mother. She married Preston Chandler and had a son: Calvin Chandler. Children by his second wife, Eunice:

- 2. Phoebe Jessup, born Jan. 18, 1837.
- 3. Martin Jessup, born July 23, 1839.
- 4. Louisa Jessup, born Jan. 21, 1841
- 5. Joel Jessup (May have been the Joel who died Sept. 18, 1843.)
- 6. Clarkson Jessup, born Jan. 4, 1844
- 7. Elihu Jessup, born June 21, 1845
- 8. Timothy Hadley Jessup, born Dec. 30, 1846

Children by his third wife Lucy Pierce:

- 9. Samuel Jessup.
- 10. Elzema Jessup
- 11. Alice Jessup
- 12. Ellis Jessup

## Martin Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Martin Jessup was born Sept. 9, 1809 in Stokes Co, NC. He died Oct. 10, 1830 in Hendricks Co, IN at the age of 21 and buried at Fairfield, MM.

## Rhoda Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Rhoda Jessup was born July 7, 1823 in Green Co, IN and died Oct. 25 1907 at age 84 years. Her first marriage was to Noah Snow May 14, 1840 and was disowned from the church for marrying out of unity. They had four children. Rhoda's second marriage was to Amanuel Rariden, and they had six Children:

- 1. Jane Snow, married George Bales (Beals)
- 2. Frank Snow, married Emiline Bales, (Beals)
- 3. Fletcher Snow, (No information.)
- 4. Emiline Snow, married George Marley
- 5. William Rariden (No information)
- 6. Clay Rariden (No information)
- 7. Laura Rariden, married James McKey
- 8. Julia Rariden, married James Coplinger.
- 9. Charles Rariden (No Information)

#### Susannah Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah Jessup was born Apr. 16, 1827 in Hendricks Co, IN. She married Preston Allen Apr. 24, 1845. Preston Allen was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Allen of Marion Co. Susannah died Sept. 1, 1907 at age 80 years.

They were the parents of five known children:

- 1. Maria Allen, married Joel Jessup, the son of Joseph Jessup. They had one son: W. S. Jessup.
- 2. Hulda Allen, (No information on Hulda)
- 3. John Quincy Allen, MD. married Sarah M. Fredenburg. Their four children were: Mary, Agnes, Florence, and Alice Allen.
- 4. Charles F. Allen (No information)
- 5. Etta Allen married Luther M. Stanley. Their children were: Lowell A. and Dallas E. Stanley.

# Samuel Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

The only information on Samuel is that he was married to Phoebe Sanders.

### Timothy Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Timothy was born Apr. 16, 1827 and was a twin to Susannah. He married Jane Jessup, the daughter of Joseph Jessup. Their children were:

- 1. Columbus Jessup (No information)
- 2. Carrie Jessup, married Benjamin Chitty. They had one son, Ansel Chitty
- 3. Ella Jessup married Pen Spray.
- 4. Amos R. Jessup lived in Garden City, KS.

### Jesse Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse was born Feb. 14, 1830 in Hendricks Co, IN. He died in 1871 at age 41 years. He married Mary Bray and they were the parents of four children:

- 1. Rosa Jessup, married John H. Jessup. They had one daughter: Dora Jessup.
- 2. Lincoln R, Jessup, married Anna Furnas. Their children were: Ethel, Mabel, Mildred and Dorothy Jessup.
- 3. Flora Jessup, married William Starbuck. Their children were Flora and Raymond Starbuck.
- 4. Cora Jessup. Her first marriage was to William Vail. Their three children were:
  - a. Louisa
  - b. Cora
  - c. Mary Vail.

Cora's second marriage was to James W. Allen. Their children were Albert and Jesse Allen.

### John Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

John Jessup was born Feb. 1, 1814, in Stokes Co, NC. He was the son of **Timothy H. Jessup** and **Susannah Jackson**. He was about three years when his parents moved from North Carolina to Green Co, IN. He died Jan. 18, 1854, and was buried in the Old Westfield, IN Cemetery.

John married Marena Sawyer (called "Rena") Feb. 18, 1834. Marena Sawyer was born in SC on Feb. 3, 1816. She was the daughter of John Sawyer and Sarah Tanzy. John had inherited 160 acres of land from his father Timothy, in Adams Township, and farmed there all of his life.

After John's death, Rena, married Thomas Moore in 1856. Thomas died Mar. 6, 1900, in Hamilton Co, IN at age 84 years. Rena is buried at the Chester Friend's Cemetery, north of Westfield. John and Rena were the parents of eight children:

- Iredell Jessup, born Dec. 11, 1835 and died Sept. 21, 1901 in Washington Township, Hamilton Co, IN. He married Phebe Davis July 29, 1860. Phebe was the daughter of Triston and Rebecca Davis. Iredell was elected sheriff of Hamilton Co, on Nov. 7, 1874 for a two year term, He was the first sheriff to live in the new jail, now the property of the Hamilton Co Historical Society. They had two children:
  - a. Clarissa Jessup.
  - b. Ida Jessup. Her first marriage was to Brewer, and the second was to Duff.
- 2. Sarah (Sallie) Jessup, born June 9, 1837, married Mahlon Lee.
- Amy Jessup was born May 25, 1839. Her first marriage was to John Lovell Mar. 15, 1855, and her second was to Jacob Waller.
- 4. Samuel Jessup, born Nov. 25, 1841, died Nov. 25, 1897. See account.
- 5. Jackson Jessup was born Feb. 10, 1844 and died Apr. 18 1868. He was a member of Co. A, 101st Indiana Infantry in the Civil War. He was buried in the "Old Friend's Cemetery" Westfield, IN.
- 6. John Wesley Jessup was born Apr. 6, 1846. He married Julia Ann Carson Feb. 27, 1866. He was in Co. B, 39th Indiana Regiment during the Civil War.
- 7. Riley Jessup, born Dec. 11, 1847, died July 18, 1849.
- 8. Noah Jessup was born Dec. 10, 1849 and died in 1932. He married Emma Grindle July 4, 1871.

### Samuel Jessup (John Jessup, Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Samuel Jessup was the son of John J. Jessup and Marena Sawyer. He was born Nov. 25, 1841 in Hendricks Co, IN and died Nov. 25 1897, on his 56th birthday in Hamilton Co, IN and was buried at the Spicewood Cemetery.

His first marriage was to Cynthia Ann Moore on Apr. 23, 1862. Cynthia was the daughter of John Moore and Louisa Cockerham. They were divorced May 5, 1864. His second marriage was to Minerva Ann Gunn (Gann) on July 25, 1866. Minerva was born Mar. 15, 1845 in Chatham (or Orange) Co, NC.

Minerva was the daughter of John Gunn and Ruth Hinshaw. John was born in North Carolina

ca 1817, and died in Orange Co, NC on Sept. 18, 1839. Ruth Hinshaw was born June 5, 1826, the daughter of William Hinshaw. Minerva died Nov. 20, 1888 in Hamilton Co, IN, and was buried at Spicewood.

Samuel's third marriage was to Luverne Della Bragg. She was divorced from Thomas Rader, and was the daughter of Alfred Bragg.

In all, Samuel Jessup was the father of eleven children. He was a farmer, and at the age of 24, enlisted in Company H, 21st Regiment, Indiana Heavy artillery.

The child by first wife, Cynthia Ann Moore:

1. Fletcher Jessup, born Apr. 25, 1862, died June 24, 1953.

Children by second wife, Minerva Ann Gunn:

- 2. Claude Jessup was an old Bachelor when he married Mary Ann
- 3. Blanch Jessup. She moved to Oklahoma.
- 4. Zula Jessup, died when she was a young woman.
- 5. William Jessup No information available.
- 6. Charles Jessup, born Nov. 19, 1866. (see account on Charles)

Children by third wife Della (Bragg) Rader:

- 7. Jesse Jessup, born Jan. 9, 1891
- 8. Raleigh Jessup, born July 13, 1892
- 9. Jennie Jessup, born Dec. 18, 1893
- 10. John J, Jessup, born July 20, 1896
- 11. Samuel B. Jessup was born Nov. 25, 1897 just six hours after his father's death.

# Charles Jessup (Samuel, John, Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Charles Jessup was born Nov. 19, 1866 in Champaign, IL. and died July 17, 1944 in Fort Wayne, IN, at age 78. He married Nancy Luzetta Moore Aug. 6, 1888 in Hamilton Co, IN. Nancy was born Feb. 22, 1863 in Hamilton Co, IN, the daughter of Samuel Marion Moore and Martha Ann Kimberlain. Nancy died Sept. 5, 1935 in Allen Co, IN. Charles and Nancy are buried at Spicewood, Hamilton Co.

Samuel Moore was born Aug. 17, 1834 in Hamilton Co, IN and died Oct. 6, 1904. He was the son of John Moore and Louisa Cockerham. John was born Oct. 5, 1808 and died Sept. 4, 1828. Louisa was born Jan. 22, 1810 and died Mar. 23, 1876. Her mother was Martha Ann Kimberlain, born July 14, 1838 in Broad Ripple, IN and died Feb. 12, 1900 in Noblesville, IN. She was the daughter of John Kimberlain and Nancy Brooks. Samuel was a brother of Cynthia Ann Moore, the first wife of Samuel Jessup.

After Charles and Nancy's marriage, they moved to Parke Co, IN where they farmed for a short time on the Grey farm. They moved to Marshall, Parke Co, IN where there they ran a small Hotel; "The Y Moore House". Charles was a rural postman, a Township Trustee, and an active Mason.

Charles and Nancy were the parents of two children:

- Martha Irene Jessup was born July 11, 1890 in Parke Co, IN and died June 1, 1977 in Brookhaven, Miss. She married Allen Grinnell Clever in Marshall, IN on Sept. 2, 1914. Allen was the son of William Jefferson Clever and Martha Evalyn Grinnell. Allen was born Feb. 16, 1890 in Damascus, OH and died July 31, 1975 in Hamilton Co, IN. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. William Jessup, born Nov. 3, 1915, married Anne Katherine Hoffman May 20, 1950. Their children were:
    - 1) Martha Ann Clever, married James M. Broden
    - 2) Katherine Irene Clever, married Peter Crabtree.
  - b. Martha Lou Clever was born Mar. 5, 1917. Her first marriage was to Gilbert Johnson on July 29, 1942.
  - c. Charles Grinnell Clever was born Dec. 9, 1922 and married Sara Ellen Dever Aug. 25, 1948. Their children were:
    - 1) Richard Grinnell Clever
    - 2) Ann Jessup Clever, married John Bailey.

- Parke Moore Jessup was born Feb. 26, 1898 in Parke Co, IN, son of Charles and Nancy Jessup. He died Jan. 5, 1971 in Hamilton Co, IN. He married Pauline Norris June 12, 1924 in Elkart, IN. Parke Jessup was a physician and surgeon, practicing for the most part in Muscatine,
  - IA. Parke and Pauline had the following children:
  - a. John Norris Jessup, married Ruth Weber
  - b. Joan Jessup, married Don Cummings

### Amy Jessup (Susannah, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Amy was the daughter of Timothy H. Jessup and Susannah Jackson and was born June 25, 1818 in Highland Co, OH. She married Peter Rich Sept. 24, 1835. Peter was the son of Moses and Amy Rich of Randolph Co, IN. They were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Emily Rich, married Henry Keys. Their children were: Viola, Fletcher, Pasins, Ella, (who married Cy Davis), and Aura Keys.
- 2. Susan Rich married Henry Keys. They had two sons: Luther and Albert Keys.
- 3. Timothy Rich (No information)
- 4. Julia Rich married Stephen Cox. They had two children: Arthur and Myrtle Cox.
- 5. Nethia Rich, married Edward Foulk
- 6. Ervin Rich (No information)
- Elsie Rich married Charles Baldwin.

All information on the families of John, Samuel, and Charles Jessup was sent by Mr. William Jessup Clever, son of Martha Irene Jessup and Allen Grinnell Clever, and was from research that he had done on the Jessup family.

### NATHAN JACKSON (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Nathan Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC, around 1791. He was the third son of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. He grew up on his fathers farm in Surry Co, and was married in 1818 to Susan (last name not known). He was disowned from Westfield MM on Mar. 4, 1818, for marring out of unity.

Nathan moved to Dallas Co, AL, where two of his brothers and one sister (Phoebe, wife of Timothy Jessup) were living. He died shortly after his move to AL. He made out his will which was proven by John Tabb, Nov. 11, 1826. He did not give the names of his children in the will. No other information is known on Nathan.

#### WILL OF Nathan Jackson:

In the name of God Amen: I, Nathan Jackson of Dallas in the state of Alabama, do make an ordain this to be my last will and Testament.

First: I will that all my just debts be paid

Second: I will that after the payment of all my just debts that my property of every kind and nature be kept together and to go to my loving wife Susan during her natural life for her herself and the maintenance of my children, and after her death to be equally divided between all of my children or their heirs.

Third: I appoint my brother **Bowater Jackson** Executor of this my last will and testament. In witness, whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 14th day of Oct., 1825. Witnessed by **John Tabb**, **Jonathan T. Simms** and **William A. Jones**.

### Thomas Jackson (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC in 1793. He grew up in Surry and Guilford Counties, NC, and was living in Hamilton Co, IN in 1850. He married Cynthia Charles Sept. 22, 1818. Cynthia may have been a relative of Risdon Charles who married his sister Edith in 1810, in Guilford Co, NC.

The 1850 census of Hamilton Co, IN shows Thomas living in Washington Township, a farmer, with real estate valued at \$600. His wife Cynthia, age 54, was born North Carolina, with son's Robert E. and Martin. Oliver Jackson was living next to Thomas. The census shows Oliver Jackson age 31

and Harvey Jackson age 25, who were probably sons of Thomas. No other information has been found on this family.

- 1. Oliver P. Jackson was born in ca 1819. See account.
- 2. Harvey Jackson, was listed as age 25, born North Carolina. His wife is listed as Elizabeth, 23 years old, born in Ohio, with three children:
  - a. Lucretia J. Jackson age 5
  - b. Andrew C. Jackson age 2
  - c. Rebecca Jackson age five months.
- 3. Robert E. Jackson, born in 1830
- 4. Martin V. B. Jackson, age 12 years.

# Oliver P. Jackson (Thomas, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Oliver P. Jackson was born in 1819, the son of Thomas Jackson and Cynthia Charles. He was listed as a farmer on the 1850 census records of Hamilton Co, IN, with a farm with real estate value \$1,000, age 31, with wife Nancy, age 26, born in Indiana. A daughter is also listed, Martha Jackson age one year.

The following information was taken from "Widow's Declaration for Pension", dated May 1, 1888. The declaration states that **Oliver P. Jackson** enlisted on Aug. 22, 1862 in Company C, 12th Regiment, Kansas Volunteers, in the Civil War. While in the line of duty, he was exposed and contracted a disease of back and spine and chronic diarrhea, resulting in diseases of lungs. He constantly suffered from those disabilities which caused his death near Stautan, KS on Mar. 14, 1876.

Oliver was married three times. His first wife Mary or (Nancy) Lowe died around 1855. They had one daughter, Martha, who was born in Indiana in 1849 and died in 1868.

He married his second wife Margaret Whitson in 1858. They had a son, William Jackson who was born in KS in 1860. Margaret and both of the children, Martha and William all died in 1868.

He was married to his third wife, C. S. J. Carey on Nov. 24, 1868, in Miami, Co, KS, by Rev. N. J. Rascoe. She was the widow of William M. Carey. William had died in 1859. Oliver and C. S. Jackson had two children:

- 1. Clarence Jackson born Oct. 10, 1869.
- 2. Gettie F. Jackson born May 11, 1873.

#### Robert E. Jackson (Thomas, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Robert E. Jackson was born Apr. 14, 1830 in Washington, IN and moved with his parents to KS. He married Charity Butler in 1868 in Franklin Co, KS. They lived in KS and in 1890-95 they moved to Battle Creek, Michigan. They remained in Battle Creek for a few years before moving back to Miami Co, KS.

Robert enlisted as a private in Sept. 9, 1862 in Company C, 12th Regiment, Kansas Infantry Volunteers for the Civil War. He and was honorably discharged on June 15, 1865 at Little Rock, AR. He served for three years.

His description at the time of his enlistment was: height - five feet, 8 inches tall, complexion - dark, eyes- gray, hair - light, and his occupation was listed as a farmer.

He applied for a pension in Miami Co, KS when he was 76 years old. The pension, certificate No. 644-797, was granted. He was to receive payment, which was to be paid at the pension agency at Topeka, KS.

Robert E. Jackson died on Sept. 17, 1907. The names of any children that he and Charity may have had are not known.

Information on Robert E. Jackson was taken from an application for a widows pension.

### Martin Van Burin Jackson (Thomas, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Martin was the son of Thomas Jackson and Cynthia Charles. He was born July 21, 1837 in Hamilton Co, IN and died on Aug. 1, 1908 in Eureka, KS. He married Eliza Berthania Sawyer Dec. 18, 1864 in Paola, Miami Co, KS. An article written in "Illustriana KS" on their son Fred Schuyler Jackson, gave his mother's name as Eliza Berthania (Cure) and on his pension papers he gave her name as "Sawyer".

Eliza was born in NY on Sept. 21, 1837, of Welsh and French ancestry She died in Topeka, KS in 1913.

Martin enrolled Apr. 24, 1861 in Company C of the 2nd Regiment Kansas State Militia, commanded by Captain N. J. Rascoe and was honorably discharged at Miami Co, KS on Aug. 22, 1861, by means of being disabled. About Aug. 21, 1861, he received a gunshot wound above the knee in the left leg, which necessitated the amputation of the leg at the upper part of the thigh. He was treated at his house in Paola, KS by Dr. M. F. Holiday from Aug. 21, 1861 to Dec. 8, 1862.

After leaving the service, Martin lived in Miami Co, KS. His occupation was landlord, merchant, and farmer. At the time he enlisted in the service his description was, he was six feet tall, with light complexion, dark eyes and dark hair. The name of only one son is known:

1. Fred Schular Jackson born Apr. 19, 1868. See account.

Information on the family of Martin Van Burin Jackson was taken from an article that was written about his son Fred Schuyler Jackson in a book "Illustriana Kansas". Other information obtained from article written on Martin Van Buren Jackson in "Centennial Celebration at Pile's Pawnee Village" by the Kansas State Historical Society.

"Centennial Celebration at Pike's Pawnee Village" by the Kansas State Historical Society Mr. M. V. B. Jackson: (Martin Van Buren Jackson) has a statement on file with the Kansas State Historical Society, in which, he says:

"We arrived in Kansas, Nov. 20, 1855, and made settlement on a claim on Pattawatomie Creek, four miles west of Osawatomie, and about the same distance from what is known as Dutch Henry's Crossing. Early in the spring of 1856 the pro-slavery people became quite aggressive and annoying to the few free-state settlers in that vicinity. The **Shermans**, three of them **Dutch Henry**, **Bill** and **Pete** lived near this fort, or crossing, known as Dutch Henry's Crossing. This was the headquarters of all the pro-slavery men in that area, and the **Shermans** seemed to be the most aggressive, and took the most active part in ordering free-state settlers to leave the neighborhood. Ten days prior to the Pottawatomie massacre, the **Shermans** did insult and abuse **Mary Grant**, and at the same time they ordered **Benjamin** and **Bondi**, the parties who had charge of the little store at Misquito branch, to leave.

The day before the massacre, most of the free-state settlers had started for Lawrence to aid the people there to repel an invasion of the border ruffians who had congregated in considerable force, near the town. They had gotten as far as Ottawa Jones's and had gone into camp on Ottawa creek. Myself and a young man by the name of Glenn arrived at this camp about noon and word had just been received from Lawrence to disband, as the trouble there had been settled for the present time.

John Brown and his sons and Benjamin and Bondi, and a man by the name of Wiener, who was said to own the little store on the Mosquito branch, were at the camp. There appeared to be quite a lot of talk among the men in squads of two and three, and I made some inquiry as to what it was about, and if anything new had happened. I did not learn anything until I met Wiener, and he told me that they had just heard that since they had left home Bill Sherman, with two or three other parties had been to the store, and that Dutch Bill was drunk and very abusive, and that he had abused Mrs. Benjamin and told her that they must leave within the next few days or they would be killed and the store burned.

Mr. Wiener then stated that something had to be done, and that something was going to be done to stop this abuse of free-state men and their families. I went back home that afternoon and learned of the killing of five men about eight o'clock the next morning."

On May 23, 1856, John Brown, with a company of free-state men, were on their way to the defense of Lawrence when they learned of the outrages perpetrated the previous day on their families and neighbors by pro-slavery settlers on Pottawatomie creek. John Brown with his four sons Owen, Fred, Watson and Oliver, and his son-in-law Henry Thompson James Townsley and Theodore Wiener, returned, and on the night of the 24th they took from their homes James P. Doyle and his sons William and Drury, Allen Wilkinson, and William Sherman, and killed them. John Brown admitted his responsibility for the killing.

# Fred Schuyler Jackson (Martin, Thomas, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Fred was born near Osawatomie, KS, Apr. 19,1868. He was the son of Martin and Eliza Jackson. He was educated first in the public schools of Miami Co, KS, later attended school in Greenwood Co, and received the Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of KS in 1893.

He began to practice of law in Eureka in 1891, and with the exception of a few years, had an office there until his death. He also opened an office in Topeka. Fred was associated with Thomas C. Forbes from 1916 until his death, and from 1926 with James E. Smith.

His son Schuyler W. Jackson, and Carl C. Chase joined the firm in 1930. Fred Schuyler was senior member of the law firm at the time of his death.

Fred was county attorney of Greenwood Co from 1893 to 1897, assistant attorney general from 1904 until 1906, attorney general from 1907 until 1911, a member of the house of representatives from the 4th district 1911-13, and attorney for, and a member of the Public Service Commission of Kansas from 1915 until 1924.

He married Inez Sarah Wood Oct. 30, 1895 in Robinson, KS. She was born in Pawnee Co, NE Apr. 19, 1873, and was a teacher before her marriage.

Fred was a republican and was prominent in civil and cultural affairs for many years. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Topeka, the Chamber of Commerce, the sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, the Masons, and the Elks.

Schuyler W. Jackson, born Nov. 24, 1904. He married Esther B. Watson.

Information on Fred Schuyler Jackson, taken from an article written in the book: "The Illustriana Kansas"

### Edith Jackson (Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Edith tackson was born in Surry Co, NC, ca 1794. She was the daughter of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beds. She moved with her parents in 1808 to Guilford Co, NC, where she became a member of the Deap River MM.

Shermarsied Risdon Charles in Guilford Co, and was discovered from the church for marrying out of unity on July 2, 1810. Risdon was the son of Elijah Charles and Isabella Moore. Edith's brother, Thomas Jackson, married Ridson's sister Cynthia Charles.

An articlewritten about Elijah Charles, Ridson's father, states that Ridson and Edith moved to St. Louis, Mo and no other information was given on them. The 1850 census of Davidson Co, NC, lists a Risdon Charles, but no wife's name was given. The census listed him with six children, George age 27, Marsin age 25, Solomon age 22, Mary age 20, Robert age 18, and Anna age 16, with a Risdon

L. Charles, age 28, living near them. At this time it is not known if this would be the family of Ridson and Edith Charles, but the ages of the children would be about the right age for their children.

It is possible that the Risdon Charles on the 1850 census, was the son of Elisha Charles, brother of Elijah who married Elizabeth, a sister of Isabella, wife of Elijah. This is thought possible because of a will of Elizabeth Charles dated 1831 who named six sons in Guilford Co, NC and one of the sons was named Risdon

Elijah Charles was born in Maryland, on Dec. 17, 1751. He was the father of Ridson and Cynthia Charles. There is record of when the Charles family arrived in America, but it is thought they came from Wales and settled near Baltimore, Maryland in 1719. The first recorded Charles, born in America was Elijah Charles, who had a brother named Elish. These two brothers married sisters.

Elijah married Isabella "Ibby" Moore in 1777. Isabella was born in 1761 and died in 1845. Elish married Elizabeth Moore, a was a sister to Isabella. They were the daughters of Risdon Moore and Mary Smyth.

Elijah went to North Carolina in 1777 and soon after, enlisted as a soldier. He served as a guide to General Green's Army through the state. The book "A History of the Descendants of Shields Moore in America" gave an account on Elijah Charles.

Elijah Charles "Besides losing during contest (Revolutionary War), all of his property, went through a hair breadth escape that thus occurred: Taken unexpectedly in his own house by Tories, who, in their haste to dispatch him, quickly mounted him on a chair where, with his neck haltered to a joist, only a kick was needed to complete the job, when fortunately a posse of Whigs chanced along, and after a fierce conflict, rescued him and gave his captors a speedy, unceremonious exit to the "unknown home".

"Thus his earthly career was lengthened, and, after spending some years after the close of the war and the concession of American Independence in North Carolina, he went to Hancock Co, GA, and from there in 1818 to St. Clair Co, IL and settled near Belleville, where he died in 1830, aged 79. Ibby, his wife, died in 1845 aged 84 years. They are buried side by side in a private cemetery, five miles east of Belleville. Elijah and Isabella were the parents of nine children:

- Levin Charles was born in 1781 in MD. He married Ellen Wright in 1799, probably in Guilford Co, NC, as he was reared near the Guilford Co Courthouse. He was appointed a lieutenant in Captain Headley's Company of the militia for the County of Guilford on July 26, 1799
  - "Failing to recognize the institution of slavery as consistent with the Declaration of Independence or his own conscience" he moved to Ohio in 1821. They settled where Cairo now stands in Illinois, and there on Oct. 5, 1821 a daughter, **Delila A**. was born. She was the first white child to be born in that area. Levin did not live long after reaching Ohio, as his widow and children came to St. Clair Co, IL. in 1825 and located near Belleville."
- 2. Elizabeth Charles, born in 1783. (No information available.)
- 3. John Charles was born in 1785 and married Rebecca Hargroves.
- 4. Elish Charles was born in 1788, was never married, and lived in Galena, IL.
- 5. Risdon Charles was born in 1790 and married Edith Jackson. See account.
- 6. Cynthia Charles was born in 1792 and married Thomas Jackson. See account.
- 7. Mary "Polly" Charles was born Oct. 11, 1795. She married Elijah Hill in 1823 in Belleville, IL. They were the parents of eight children: Elizabeth (married Robert Wood), Isabella, (married George W. Wilderman). The names of the other children are unknown.
- 8. Phoebe Charles, born in 1797, married James Dunning, and lived in Indiana.
- Isabella Charles, born in 1799, married William Foulkes, of Vincennes. They had no children.

Ruth Jackson was born in Surry Co, NC, ca. 1796-97. She was the daughter of Curtis Jackson and Ruth Beals. She grew up in Surry Co, and she was with her parents when they moved to Guilford Co, where they became members of the Back Creek, MM.

Ruth married Jesse Berryman Farabee in Guilford Co. Jesse was born in 1796, the son of Benjamin Farabee. She was disowned from Deep Creek MM on Oct. 7, 1819 for marrying out of unity. They moved to Newton Co, GA after their marriage, where in 1820, their first son was born. They were still living in Newton Co when their youngest child was born in 1838. The year that they moved to Commerce, GA is not known. Ruth died Feb. 1, 1863 in Commerce, GA. Jesse died in 1877. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Jackson M. Farabee, born May 20, 1820 in Newton Co, GA See account...
- 2. George Cook Farabee, born June 15, 1822. See account...
- 3. Bernecie Farabee, born in 1824 See account...
- 4. Alfred Farabee, born in 1826.
- 5. Coleman Farabee, born in 1829 died in 1848.
- 6. Jesse Asbury Farabee, born in 1832.
- 7. Permelia Hill Farabee, born in 1835.
- Caroline Farabee, born in 1838.

### Jackson M. Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Jackson Farabee was born May 20, 1820 in Newton Co, GA, and died in Wauchula, FL on Apr. 17, 1892. His first marriage was to Martha Ann Smith. Martha was born Feb. 1830 in Athens, GA. She died May 21, 1871 in Hernando Co, FL, They were the parents of six children:

- 1. Alpha Theodore Farabee was born Jan. 28, 1850, in Athens, GA. See account...
- Mary Ann Farabee was born Sept. 14, 1854, in Athens, GA and died Nov. 19, 1898, in Manatee Co, FL. See account.
- J. P. William Farabee was born Dec. 7, 1856 in Athens, GA and died May 24, 1882 in Manatee Co. FL.
- 4. Delaney Jackson Farabee was born Dec. 1, 1859 in Athens, GA. See account...
- 5. Martha C. Farabee was born Dec. 20, 1862 in Athens, GA and died Dec. 8, 1874, in Manatee Co, FL at the age of 12.
- 6. Addie A. Farabee was born Dec. 14, 1864 in Athens, GA.

After the death of Martha Ann, Jackson married Julia M. Goss. Julia was born in GA. Jackson and Julia lived in Athens, GA. Some time before her death in 1871, they moved to Hernando Co, FL. Jackson was living in Manatee Co, FL when one of his sons was born in 1875, and in 1883 he was living in DeSoto Co, FL. He was living in Wauchula, FL at his death in 1892. Jackson and Julia had four children:

- 7. Leonidas F. Farabee, born July 27, 1873, Hernando Co, FL. See account.
- 8. Wesley A. Farabee, born Nov. 28, 1875 Manatee Co, FL.
- 9. Hamilton D. Farabee, born May 7, 1883 in DeSoto Co, FL.
- 10. Arizona B. Fnrabee, born Aug. 29, 1888 in DeSoto Co, FL.

### Alpha Theodore Farabee (Jackson M. Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Alpha was the son of Jackson M. Farabee and Martha Ann Smith. He was born Jan. 28, 1850 in Athens, GA, and died June 14, 1912 in Arcadia, FL. He married Mary Jane McDaniel, born Aug. 22, 1854. Alpha moved his family to several counties in FL. They lived in Palmetto, FL in 1877, in Wauchula in 1879, in Pinelevel in 1884, in Castalia in 1885 where they were living in 1895, when their last child was born. Alpha died in Arcadia, FL. Alpha and Mary Jane were the parents of eleven children.

- Millard I. Farabee, born Dec. 25, 1875 in Palmetto, FL. He married Sallie May Stawn, born Nov. 7, 1884, Marion Co, FL. They lived in Arcadia, FL, and were the parents of five children:
  - a. William Theodore Farabee was born Apr. 14, 1904 in Venus, FL and died Nov. 12, 1905 in Lebanon, FL.
  - b. Willie Leonidas Farabee, born Dec. 26, 1904, Lebanon, FL.

- c. Effie Lee Farabee, born June 2, 1907 in Lebanon, FL.
- d. Lela Farabee, born Dec. 26, 1912 in Arcadia, FL.
- e. Farabee (boy) born Apr. 1914.
- Martha Elizabeth Farabee was born Nov. 1, 1877 in Palmetto, FL. She married James I.
   Bryant. They lived in Riley, FL and were the parents of five children:
  - a. Mary Naomi Bryant, born Oct. 6, 1898 in Riley, FL.
  - b. Nancy Virginia Bryant, born June 20, 1901 in Venus, FL.
  - c. Homer Elton Bryant, born July 17, 1904 in Riley, FL.
  - d. Gertrude Bryant, born Apr. 10, 1907, died July 7, 1908.
  - e. Alfred Theodore Bryant, born Apr. 40, 1909 in Manatee Co, FL,
- John Henry Farabee was born Feb. 24, 1879, Wauchula, FL. He married Sallie Strawn. Sallie was born Dec. 29, 1889. They had two daughters:
  - a. Rosalia Farabee, born June 12, 1908, died Aug. 24, 1909.
  - b. Anna May Farabee was born Dec. 26, 1909 and died Dec. 26, 1909 in Venus, FL.
- William D. J. Farabee was born Apr. 15, 1881 in Wauchula, FL. He married Donella Randall, born Jan. 1, 1887 in Altman, FL.
  - a. Levita Louise Farabee, born Feb. 4, 1914 in Arcadia, FL.
- 5. Alva Levi Farabee was born Jan. 26, 1883 in Pinelevel, FL. He married Alma Whidden. Alma was born Nov. 23, 1892 in Arcadia, FL. They had three children:
  - a. Albert Lee Farabee, born May 11, 1910 in Venus, FL.
  - b. Larrie Lee Farabee, born Feb. 18, 1912 in Adrian, FL.
  - c. Lorena Farabee, born May 24, 1914 in DeSoto Co, FL.
- 6. Alice Julia Farabee was born June 30, 1885 in Castalia, FL. She married William Melvin Randall. William was born Nov. 27, 1877 in DeSoto, FL. They had five children:
  - a. William Henry Randall, born Oct. 20, 1903, died Aug. 4, 1906 in Manatee Co, FL.
  - b. Mary Ella Randall, born Oct. 27, 1905 in DeSoto, FL.
  - c. Lemmie Pasco Randall, born Oct. 21, 1907 in DeSoto, FL.
  - d. Robert Lee Randall, born Feb. 21, 1910 in DeSoto, FL.
  - e. Emma May Randall, born Sept. 29, 1912 in Arcadia, FL.
- 7. Mary Jane Farabee, born Sept. 2, 1887 in Castalia, FL.
- 8. Emerson Blaine Farabee, born Nov. 3, 1889 in Castalia, FL.
- 9. Edison Payne Farabee was born Nov. 3, 1889, a twin to Emerson.
- 10. Maxwell Theodore Farabee, born June 12, 1892 in Castalia, FL.
- 11. Samuel Lardner Farabee, born Jan. 12, 1895 in Castalia, FL.

### Mary Ann Farabee (Jackson M. Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Mary Ann Farabee was born Sept. 14, 1854, Athens, GA and died Oct. 16, 1898 in Manatee Co, FL. She married Charles Wesley Gillette and they lived in Manatee Co, FL. Charles died Oct. 16, 1897. They were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Robert Bascom Gillette was born Apr. 25, 1876 in Manatee Co, FL. He married Maggie Dee Sear. They had 3 children:
  - a. Robert Lee Gillette, born June 23, 1900,
  - b. Addie May Gillette, born Jan. 18, 1902, Tampa, FL.
  - c. Gillette born Apr. 24, 1906.
- 2. Enoch Marvin Gillette, born Nov. 23, 1877 died May 14, 1909 in Manatee Co, FL.
- Mary Etta Gillette was born Feb. 1, 1879. She married Travis F. James. They lived in Lemon City, FL.
- 4. Luther Glen Gillette was born Mar. 11, 1882, and lived Tampa, FL.
- William Harrison Gillette was born Aug. 25, 1885. He married Velma De Sear and they had one son:
  - a. William Joseph Gillette, born in Apr. 1909.
- 6. Sanford Jackson Gillette, born June 11, 1889 in Manatee Co, FL.
- Annie Boothe Gillette was born Sept. 16, 1891. She married Thomas Peters. They lived in Lemon City, FL.

Delaney Jackson Farabee (Jackson M. Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson )

Delaney Farabee was born Dec. 1, 1859, Athena GA. He married Florence F. Roberts. Florence was born May 18, 1866 in Marion Co, FL. They lived in Ona, FL and were the parents of 10 children:

- 1. V. Farabee, born May 18, 1886 and died young in Ona, FL.
- Dewitt C. Farabee, born Feb. 4, 1888.
- 3. D. Baskin Farabee, born Nov. 6, 1891.
- 4. Thomas N. Farabee, born May 30, 1893.
- 5. Doland A. Farabee, born Apr. 13, 1895.
- 6. Benjamin Franklin Farabee, born Oct. 17, 1899.
- 7. Mary E. Farabee, born Mar. 29, 1903
- 8. Marion G. Farabee, born Mar. 29, 1903
- 9. Ena C. Farabee, born Jan. 6, 1906.
- 10. Charles Henry Farabee, born Mar. 25, 1908.

### Addie A. Farabee (Jackson M. Farabee Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Addie was born Dec. 14, 1864 in Athens, GA and married William A. Bispham. William was born Sept. 25, 1850 in Warrenton, Va. They had five children:

- 1. Marian Bispham, born and died in 1887, Manatee Co, FL.
- 2. Mary Bispham, born Jan. 18, 1889, died Jan. 30, 1889
- 3. Jackson Farabee Bispham, born July 19, 1891.
- Minnie Adaline Bispham was born Jan. 24, 1895. She married Jackson A. Beville. Jackson was born in 1888.
- 5. William Asbrey Bispham, born Dec. 24, 1898.

# Leonidas P. Farabee (Jackson M. Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Leonidas was born July 27, 1873 Hernando Co, FL. He married Kizzie Wade who was born May 12, 1876 in Sumpter Co, FL. They had four children, all born in DeSoto, FL.

- 1. Aurora Farabee, born Jan. 15, 1900.
- 2. Vernie P. Farabee, born June 6, 1902.
- 3. Hubert Jackson Farabee, born Apr. 13, 1904.
- 4. Stephen Edward Farabee, born Nov. 9, 1905.

### Washington Cook Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Washington was born June 15, 1822 in Newton Co, GA, the son of Jesse Farabee and Ruth Jackson. He died Apr. 7, 1903 in Commerce, GA. Washington married Delaney Elizabeth Harris, who was born May 4, 1833 in Commerce, GA. They continued to live in Commerce, GA where all of their children were born. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Cecil Oliver Farabee, born Sept. 13, 1849. See account.
- 2. Derutha Ann Farabee, born Nov. 19, 1851. See account.
- 3. Roxie Drusilla Farabee was born Oct. 17, 1853 and lived in Atlanta, GA
- 4. Laura Estell Farabee, born Oct. 7, 1856. See account.
- 5. Caroline Permelia Farabee, born July 27, 1859. See account.
- Lee Jackson Farabee, born Apr. 6, 1862 in Commerce, GA. He married Eliza Emily Cobb, born Apr. 3, 1886 in Franklin Co, GA. Lee died Apr. 29, 1907, and Eliza died Apr. 24, 1911. They had one child:
  - a. Emily Lee Farabee, born Feb. 10, 1907.
- Lonnie Delaney Farabee, born Nov. 17, 1869 in Commerce, GA. She married William Bedford Adams who was born Jan. 12, 1862, Athens, GA. They had three children:
  - a. Pauline Marie Adams, born June 22, 1891 in Commerce, GA.
  - Alfred Rosco Adams, born June 4, 1894 in Decature, GA.
  - c. Margaret Laura Adams, born Feb. 22, 1901, married Horace Baker.
- 8. Luther B. Farabee was born Aug. 22, 1872 in Commerce, GA. He married Maud B. Martin who was born Apr. 12, 1879 in Bryant, AR. They had four children all born in Commerce, GA.
  - a. Hoyt Scott Farabee, born Apr. 7, 1901.
  - b. Josie Belle Farabee, born Aug. 2, 1904.
  - c. Mary Gladys Farabee, born Dec. 25, 1906.

d. Lee Jackson Farabee, born Jan. 20, 1911.

## Cecil Oliver Farabee (Washington Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Cecil was born Sept. 13, 1849 in Commerce, GA. He was the eldest son of Washington Farabee and Elizabeth Harris. He married Sarah Elizabeth McAdams, who was born Nov. 6, 1856, in Hall Co, GA. They lived in Bryant, AR, where all of their children were born. They were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Lee Jackson Farabee, born Feb. 11, 1876. He married Katie Rosetta Harden, who was born Nov. 5, 1879 in Clark Co, IN. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Mildred Estell Farabee born July 25, 1903.
  - b. Katie Lee Farabee, born Feb. 19, 1905.
  - c. Clara Etta Farabee, born Dec. 12, 1906.
- 2. Henry Edward Farabee was born June 21, 1879, and lived in Little Rock, AR.
- Claude Estes Farabee was born Apr. 5, 1882. He married Myrtus M. Ray who was born Jan. 6, 1884 in Benton, AR.
- 4. Ernest Cecil Farabee was born Feb. 22, 1885. He married Elizabeth M. Andrews who was born June 6, 1893 in Hope, AR.
- 5. Roxie Virginia Farabee was born Sept. 21, 1887. She married Luther C. Elliott who was born Feb. 12, 1884. They had one child:
  - a. Ella Virginia Elliott, born July 26, 1910 in Little Rock, AR.
- 6. Anna Delaney Farabee was born Oct. 28, 1891 and died Mar. 19, 1893, in Bryant, AR.
- 7. Quinn Farabee was born May 16, 1895 and lived in Little Rock, AR.

### Derutha Ann Farabee (Washington Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel, Jackson)

Derutha was born Nov. 19, 1851, in Commerce, GA. She married Franklin Allen Coleman, who was born Apr. 7, 1848 in Lawrence Districts, SC. They lived in Commerce, GA, where all of their children were born. They were the parents of four children:

- Cecil Oliver Coleman was born Jan. 16, 1870. He married Mary Loren Lovin, who was born Jan. 14, 1870 in Athens, GA. They lived in Athens, GA, where their children were born. They had three children:
  - a. Roy Oliver Coleman, born June 7, 1898.
  - b. Mary Kathleen Coleman, born Jan. 29, 1901.
  - c. Annie Ruth Coleman, born June 25, 1907.
- 2. Lillie Pearle Coleman was born June 21, 1876. She married Ben Hill Williams who was born May 12, 1875 in Athens, GA.
- 3. Henry Carlton Coleman was born Dec. 4, 1885, and died Aug. 29, 1894, in Commerce, GA.
- 4. Lady Maud Coleman, born Feb. 1, 1889.

### Laura Estell Farabee (Washington Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel, Jackson)

Laura was born Oct. 7, 1856 in Commerce, GA and died June 28, 1898 in Atlanta, GA. She married John Forrest Finch. John was born Nov. 26, 1842 in Jefferson, GA and died Nov. 17, 1907 in Atlanta GA. They had two children:

- 1. Walter Roy Finch was born Nov. 18, 1884 in Commerce, GA. He married Mary Fontaine Turner who was born July 1, 1892.
- 2. Laura Farabee Finch, born Nov. 26, 1916, in Cornelia, GA.

### Caroline Permelia Farabee (Washington Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Caroline was born July 27, 1859 in Commerce, GA. She married Jesse Strickland. Jesse was born Nov. 2, 1849 in Banks Co, GA and died May 10, 1905 in Nicholson, GA. They had four children:

- 1. Octavia Lucile Strickland was born July 12, 1877 in Jackson Co, GA. She married Ford Lamar Smith, born July 4, 1871. They had four children, all born in Nicholson, GA:
  - a. Thomas Ford Smith, born May 24, 1896.
  - b. Crosby Lamar Smith, born Aug. 10, 1898.
  - c. Mozelle Smith, born Jan. 30, 1902.
  - d. Ruth Smith, born Nov. 27, 1907.
- 2. Ina Estell Strickland was born Jan. 12, 1879 in Jackson Co, GA and married Eldridge Ellwood

Hawks. They had two children:,

- a. Ruby Hawks, born Oct. 1903 in Jackson Co, GA.
- b. Thelma Estell Hawks born Sept. 12, 1898.
- 3. Jessie Merl Strickland, born Feb. 22, 1889 in Jackson Co, GA.
- 4. Olive Marian Strickland, born Nov. 18, 1891.

### Pernecie Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Pernecie was born in 1824, in Newton, GA, the daughter of Jesse Farabee and Ruth Jackson. She died Mar. 2, 1884 in Hall Co, GA. Pernecie married Sanford Rhodes Street. Sanford was born in 1823, in Jackson Co, GA and died Apr. 6, 1862 in Shiloh, MS.

After their marriage, **Pernecie** and **Sanford** lived in Jackson Co, GA, where their first six children were born, and between 1854 and 1860 they moved to Hall Co, GA where their last two children were born. Their eight children were:

- 1. Mary Frances Street, born Nov. 1, 1844, died Mar. 1, 1912.
- 2. Milton Oliver Street, born Feb. 22, 1847, died Aug. 6, 1897.
- 3. Permelia Jane Street, born Nov. 17, 1848, died Apr. 3, 1906 in Hall Co, GA.
- 4. Alpha Joseph Street, born Jan. 26, 1851, lived Buford, GA.
- 5. George Louis Street, born Dec. 23, 1852, died Feb. 23, 1910. Hall Co, GA.
- 6. Alonzo Samuel Street, born Nov. 29, 1854.
- 7. Daniel Webster Street, born June 1860, died Aug. 1861 in Hall Co, GA.
- 8. Henry Clay Street, born June 1860 died Aug. 1861.

## Mary Frances Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born Nov. 1, 1844 and died Mar. 1, 1912 in Forsyth Co, GA. She married Thomas Cicero Burton, who was born Feb. 22, 1834 in Gwinnette Co, GA. They were the parents of eleven children, all born in Gwinnette Co, GA:

- 1. Floyd Oliver Burton was born Sept. 11, 1866 and died Dec. 26, 1901. He married Marinda Eliza Roberts, who born Gwinnette Co, GA. They were the parents of six children:
  - a. Albert Clifford Burton, born Sept. 26, 1888.
  - b. Sallie Bertha Burton, born Sept. 25, 1892.
  - c. Ella Mae Burton, born June 21, 1894, died Sept. 28, 1895, at the age of one year.
  - d. Guy William Burton, born May 15, 1896.
  - e. Howard Cicero Burton, born Apr. 7, 1898.
  - f. Minnie Lucile Burton, born Jan. 14, 1901.
- James Hill Burton was born Oct. 16, 1868. He married Ola Terry, who was born in Forsyth Co, GA. They lived in Forsyth Co were their of eight children were born:
  - a. Carl Burton, born Feb. 9, 1895.
  - b. Maud Burton, born May 19, 1896.
  - c. Islee Burton, born June 19, 1898, and died Apr. 23, 1901
  - d. Elma Burton, born Mar. 24, 1902.
  - e. Ester Burton, born July 31, 1905.
  - f. Ellis Burton, born May 6, 1909.
  - g. Grace Burton, born Nov. 27, 1912.
  - n. Gladys Burton, born Nov. 27, 1912.
- Ida Augusta Burton, born Dec. 28, 1870 in Gwennett Co, GA. She married Wiley W. Wilson, who was born Dec. 7, 1856. Their three children were born in Wilcox Co, GA:
  - a. James Burton Wilson born May 23, 1910.
  - b. Preston Oliver Wilson, born Dec. 12, 1911.
  - c. Ruth Frances Wilson, born Dec. 19, 1912.
- 4. Mary Ada Burton, born Aug. 9, 1872.
- Terrell Cicero Burton, born Dec. 22, 1873, died Aug. 7, 1875 in Gwinnette Co, GA.
- George Hillier Burton, born Oct. 27, 1875.
- Thomas Earl Burton was born July 28, 1877 and married Mina Jarie Smith. They had one child:
  - a. Nora E. Burton, born Dec. 27, 1912.

- 8. Henry Albert Burton, born Nov. 17, 1879, died Sept. 15, 1880.
- 9. Lester Kenley Burton was born Nov. 15, 1881. He married Elizabeth Sears, who was born Dec. 10, 1885 in Gainesville, GA. They lived in Strickland, AL. They had three children:
  - a. Robert Lee Burton, born Apr. 20, 1908, died Aug. 22, 1909.
  - b. Mary Burton, born Nov. 2, 1910.
  - c. Annie Laura Burton, born Dec. 16, 1912.
- Lizzie Emma Burton was born Aug. 3, 1883. She married William Benjamin Boggs, who was born Dec. 25, 1873 in Pickens, SC. They had four children:
  - a. Ernest Glenn Boggs, born July 13, 1904.
  - b. Annie Lee Boggs, born Jan. 30, 1907.
  - c. Mary Ivian Boggs born Nov. 6, 1908.
  - d. Benjamin Franklin Boggs, born Feb. 14, 1911.
- 11. Samuel Milton Burton, born Jan. 13, 1886. He married Anna Mae Ellis, who was born May 10, 1854. They had four children:
  - a. Ralph Early Burton, born Feb. 1, 1907.
  - b. Ada Elline Burton, born Apr. 6, 1909.
  - c. Frances Agnes Burton, born Apr. 18, 1911.
  - d. James Olin Burton, born Jan. 15, 1913.

## Oliver Milton Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Oliver was born Feb. 27, 1847 in Jackson Co, GA and died Aug. 6, 1897 Etowah Co, AL. He married Louise Garner who was born May 17, 1846 in Gwinnette Co, GA. They lived in Hall Co, GA and were the parents of twelve children.

- 1. Julia Delanie Street, born Mar. 15, 1868, died Apr. 9, 1891
- 2. Ellena Clementine Street, born Oct. 26, 1869.
- 3. Sarah Jane Street born Apr. 2, 1871, died July 16, 1872,
- 4. Alluna Elizabeth Street was born Sept. 29, 1875. She married Mell McKenny Hooks who was born June 8, 1875. They lived in Etowah Co, GA and were the parents of eleven children:
  - a. Nancy Louise Hooks, born July 28, 1896.
  - b. Ruth Augusta Hooks, born Sept. 11, 1897.
  - c. Eunice Elizabeth Hooks, born Nov. 17, 1898.
  - James Oliver Hooks, born Mar. 25, 1900.
  - e. Vera Mae Hooks, born Sept. 2, 1901.
  - f. Willie Mack Hooks, born Oct. 17, 1908.
  - g. Sybil Esther Hooks, born July 1, 1906.
  - h. Earl Hooks, born Nov. 40, 1907.
  - i. Walter Ferry Hooks, born June 24, 1909.
  - j. Forney Chester Hooks, born May 12, 1912.
  - k. Warren Thomas Hooks, born Feb. 15, 1914.
- 5. William Henry Street, born Mar. 4, 1874 in Hall Co, GA and died May 18, 1891.
- 6. John Harrison Street was born Oct. 22, 1875. He married Mary Wagnor, who born Feb. 2, 1878 in Murrycross, AL. They lived in Rock Springs, AL. They had five children:
  - a. Wamon Thomas Street, born June 18, 1902, died Oct. 18, 1902
  - b. Alva Street, born June 5, 1905,
  - c. Kenneth Durd Street, born Oct. 28, 1907
  - d. Lizzie Lula Street, born Feb. 7, .1910
  - e. Clayton Harrison Street was born July 28, 1912 and died Jan. 16, 1913 in Rock Springs, AL.
- Roxie Augusta Street was born Feb. 14, 1878. She married Robert Jesse Shew who was born Sept. 22, 1877 in Clair Co, AL. They had seven children:
  - a. Vona Viola Shew, born Nov. 8, 1898 in Etowah, AL.
  - b. Frederick Milton Shew, born Sept. 17, 1900 in Etowah, AL.
  - c. Melva Eva Belle Shew, born Oct. 29, 1902 in Calhoun Co, AL,
  - d. Jehn M. Shew, born Dec. 22, 1904.
  - e. Jesse Loo Shew, born May 11, 1907, Etowah Co, AL.
  - f. Charles B. Shew, born Aug. 24, 1909.
  - g. Robert Clifton Shew, born Sept. 15, 1911.

- 8. Rutha Anna Street, born Mar. 13, 1880.
- Daniel Arthur Street was born Mar. 18, 1882. He married Zella Wagnon, who was born 0ct. 8, 1884. They lived in Murrycross and Hoke's Bluff, AL. They had five children:
  - a. Annie Elizabeth Street, born Sept. 26, 1903.
  - b. Millie May Street, born Nov. 15, 1905.
  - c. Milton Thomas Street, born June 4, 1908.
  - d. Harland Daniel Street, born July 26, 1910.
  - e. Ellera Zella Street, born Jan. 16, 1913.
- 10. Mary Pernecie Street was born Mar. 18, 1884 and died Dec. 26, 1911 in Etowah Co, AL. She married Henry Walter Johnson who was born May 15, 1878 in Walton, GA. They had four children:
  - a. Clara Alta Johnson, born Aug. 19, 1907.
  - b. Oro Loo Ellen Johnson, born Dec. 21, 1909.
  - c. Lola Mary Johnson, born Nov. 1.7, 1911.
  - d. Willie Viola Johnson born, Nov. 5, 1905.
- 11. Clara Louise Street, born Nov. 5, 1886.
- 12. Sanford Milton Street was born Aug. 28, 1889 and died Feb. 28, 1893 in Etowah. Co, AL.

# Permelia Jane Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Permelia was born Nov. 17, 1848, Jackson Co, GA, and died Apr. 5, 1906 in Hall Co, GA. She married Andrew Jackson Lyle who was born May 3, 1849 in Hall Co, GA. They had eight children:

- 1. Sanford David Lyle, born Nov. 3, 1868, died Sept. 30, 1879 in Hall Co, GA.
- 2. Eliza Pernecie Lyle was born May 5, 1871. She married John Bela Mundy who was born July 15, 1870, Jonesboro, GA. They lived in Hall Co, GA, and were the parents of six children:
  - a. Montine Beatrice Mundy, born Dec. 11, 1892.
  - b. Andrew Jackson Mundy, born Sept. 8, 1895.
  - c. Claudine Inez Mundy, born Nov. 26, 1898.
  - d. Willie Belle Mundy, born July 5, 1905.
  - e. John Bela Mundy Jr. born Feb. 2, 1908.
  - f. Thelma Louise Mundy, born Feb. 25, 1911.
- 3. Martha Frances Lyle was born June 27, 1873. She married John Joseph Pass who was born Dec. 5, 1863. They had ten children:
  - a. John Pass, born Feb. 23, 1893, died Feb. 23, 1893.
  - b. Mozelle Lillion Pass, born Mar. 8, 1894.
  - Fred Hobert Pass, born July 6, 1897.
  - d. Gaynell Inez Pass, born Nov. 13, 1900.
  - e. Victor Montgomery Pass, born Dec. 20, 1902, died Feb. 22, 1903.
  - f. Gladys Franklin Pass, born Feb. 14, 1904
  - g. Dewitt Talmage Pass, born, Mar. 10, 1906
  - h. Mildred Marie Pass, born Apr. 9, 1908
  - i. Lucille Beatrice Pass, born July 12, 1909
  - i. Ruby Lorena Pass, born Oct. 12, 1911
- 4. Leona Estell Lyle was born Nov. 22, 1875. She married Harrison Albright Puckett who was born Dec. 14, 1875 in Winder, GA. They had four children:
  - a. Cleo Louise Puckett, born Aug. 21, 1901.
  - b. Ralph Harrison Puckett, born June 17, 1903.
  - c. Aline Mary Puckett, born July 22, 1905.
  - d. Ruth Jamie Puckett, born Feb. 22, 1908.
- Benjamin Franklin Lyle was born Jan. 15, 1878. He married Nancy Augustine Camp who was born Jan. 29, 1880 in Gainesville, GA. They had two children:
  - Willie Frances Lyle, born Aug. 24, 1899.
  - b. Charlotte Lyle, born Sept. 18, 1903.
- 6. Carrie Rosalie Lyle was born Oct. 27, 1881 and married John Cain. They had two children:
  - Nellie Corinne Cain, born May 6, 1901.
  - b. Agnes Amanda Cain, born Feb. 2, 1903.
- 7. Spencer Fallon Lyle was born Oct. 17, 1885 and married Fannie Gunter. They had two

#### children:

- a. Eula Woodall Lyle
- b. Frank Bernard Lyle, born Nov. 4, 1906.
- 8. Lena Belle Lyle was born July 12, 1889. She married Charles Max Holland, who was born Feb. 15, 1880.
  - a. Charles Holland Jr. born Dec. 20, 1909.

### Alpha Joseph Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Alpha was born Jan. 28, 1851 in Commerce, GA. He married Elizabeth Jane Powers who born Jan.

- 17, 1858 in Paoli, GA. They lived in Buford, GA and were the parents of seven children:
- 1. Rupert Bernard Street was born Nov. 4, 1881, and married Lillie Austin.
- 2. Alma Blanch Street was born Apr. 25, 1885. She married Thomas James Robinson and they had four children:
  - a. Thelma Louise Robinson, born Jan. 20, 1906.
  - b. Dion Emmett Robinson was born Mar. 19, 1908, and died Feb. 23, 1910.
  - c. Ralph Donald Robinson, born Feb. 1, 1911.
  - d. Fred Kermet Robinson, born Nov. 1, 1912.
- Maud Elizabeth Street was born Dec. 17, 1886. She married, Melvin Hannah who was born July 24, 1885.
- Lollie Belle Street was born Nov. 14, 1889. She married Joseph Shaburn who was born Dec. 15, 1881.
  - a. Frances Telete Shadburn, born Jan. 9, 1910.
  - b. Nyles Shadburn, born Apr. 14, 1912.
- 5. Frank Street born Mar. 27, 1894.
- 6. Samuel Brisco Street, born Oct. 6, 1901.
- 7. James Harold Street, born Nov. 1, 1896.

### George Louis Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

George was born Dec. 24, 1852 Jackson Co, GA and died Feb. 24, 1910 in Hall Co, GA. He married Clercy C. Burton, who was born July 6, 1861. They lived in Hall Co, GA and had four children.

- 1. Flora Jane Street, born Aug. 2, 1888, died Oct. 9, 1895.
- 2. Nora Ann Street, born Feb. 20, 1891.
- 3. Lovonia Mozell Street, born Aug. 2, 1894.
- 4. Ola Geneva Street, born Sept. 9, 1896.

### Alonzo Samuel Street (Pernecie Farabee, Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Alonzo was born Nov. 29, 1854, in Jackson Co, GA. He married Elmina Jane Garner who was born May 24, 1855, in Gwinnette Co, GA. They were the parents of ten children:

 Sanford Marion Street was born May 16, 1876, Hall Co, GA. He married Elmina Missouri Kanady who was born Mar. 19, 1880. Elmina died Nov. 26, 1901, shortly after the birth of a son. Nothing is known of the son.

Sanford's second marriage was to Mary Caroline Maupinn, who was born Nov. 19, 1882. They had five children:

- a. Jesse B. Street, born Oct. 4, 1901 and died Oct. 4, 1901.
- b. Wilma Lois Street, born Sept. 8, 1906.
- c. Biva Caroline Street, born Dec. 20, 1907.
- d. Floy Kathleen Street, born Oct. 22, 1909.
- e. Bernard Marion Street, born June 2, 1912.
- Emery Elkano Street was born July 10, 1878 and died Mar. 26, 1904. He married Josephine Emma Wood, who was born Apr. 6, 1874. They had three children:
  - a. Judge Millard Street, born Sept. 9, 1900.
  - b. Jasper J. Street, born Aug. 25, 1902.
  - c. Floyd Emery Street, born Nov. 26, 1904.
- Charles Patterson Street was born Nov. 40, 1880. He married Agnes Odessa Bottoms, who
  was born June 11, 1882. They had five children:

- a. Agnes Inez Street, born Jan. 16, 1904.
- b. Alfred Gordon Street, born Apr. 4, 1905.
- c. Josie Mae Street, born Oct. 21, 1906.
- d. Alma Montine Street, born Apr. 12, 1909.
- e. Thelma Irene Street, born May 5, 1911.
- Emma Palestine Street was born July 22, 1883. She married Owen Jackson Freeman, who was born Nov. 2, 1875. They had four children:
  - a. Alpha J. Freeman, born Jan. 15, 1902.
  - b. Evie Belle Freeman, born Jan. 15, 1902
  - c. Gladys Irene Freeman, born May 6, 1905
  - d. Hazel Esther Freeman, born Oct. 6, 1908
- 5. Ella Frances Street was born Nov. 3, 1885 in Hall Co, GA.
- 6. Shelton Street, born Sept. 29, 1887
- 7. Alonzo Cranford Street, born Feb. 13, 1890
- 8. Clara Elmina Street was born Apr. 9, 1892 and died Sept. 8, 1894.
- 9. Louise Allura Street, born Sept. 30, 1894
- 10. Rutha Maybell Street, born Apr. 7, 1899.

### Alfred Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Alfred was born in 1826 in Newton, GA and died in 1867 Gainesville, GA. He married Susan Jane Waters, who died Mar. 1, 1884. They were the parents of four children:

- Mary Frances Farabee was born May 17, 1857 in Gainesville, GA and died Feb. 20, 1902 in Gainesville. She married William Jefferson Keesee who was born Jan. 19, 1850 in Banks Co, GA. They had seven children:
  - a. Alpha Russell Keesee was born Nov. 27, 1875. He married Martha Jane Shoemaker. They had six children: Etta Mae, Levolia, Mary Lou, Claude, William Ernest, and Reby Winnell Keesee.
  - b. Annie Ola Keesee was born Mar. 1, 1877. She married Alonzo Hamilton Shields. They were the parents of four children: Annie Lovelia, Charles, Lottie Mae, and Viola Bell Shields.
  - c. Joseph Richard Keesee was born June 1, 1880. He married Lillie Hurd.
  - d. Jesse Montine Keesee, born Jan. 3, 1883 and died Jan. 21, 1885.
  - e. Mattie Crawley Keesee was born Jan. 7, 1886. She married Charles L. B. Sanders. They had three children: Willie Mae, Guy Garland, and Charles L. B. Jr.
  - f. William Edgar Keesee, born July 28, 1888.
  - g. Mae Bell Keesee, born July 14, 1891.
- Pernecie Farabee was born in 1859 and died in Sept. 1910 in Ocala, FL. She married Ben H. Seymour. They had three children: Susie, Mamie, and Ethel Seymour.
- 3. Cynthia Jane Farabee was born Oct. 23, 1861. She married Benjamin Washington Boling who was born Jan. 14, 1858. They had seven children:
  - a. Rosa Burdette Boling was born July 13, 1882. She married Sidney Calhoun Street. They had two children: Howard Ray, and Robert.
  - b. Elliott Russell Boling, born Feb. 4, 1884 and died Feb. 28, 1885 in Gainsville, GA.
  - c. Benjamin Franklin Boling was born Jan. 13, 1886. He married Charity Brownie Wallace, who was born Apr. 19, 1891. They had two children: Leona Marie, and Charles Wallace Boling.
  - d. Charles Ham Boling, born May 3, 1888e.
     1890. She married James Henderson and they lived in Atlanta, GA.

    Nellie Magdalien Boling was born May 29,
  - f. John Rufus Boling, born Nov. 29, 1892.
  - g. Ella Montien Boling, horn Dec. 25, 1894.
- 4. Lillion Alpha Farabee was born May 28, 1857. She married John Alfred Bottoms who was born Aug. 23, 1861 in Dawson Co, GA. They had ten children:
  - a. Agnes Odessa Bottoms, born June 13, 1882.
  - b. Susan Callie Bottoms was born Aug. 6, 1884 and died Oct. 26, 1900.
  - c. Willie Gale Bottoms was born Feb. 28, 1886. She married, Reeves J. Walker. They had

- two children: Laura Lillion, and Willie Cecil.
- d. Bessie Mae Bottoms was born Aug. 29, 1888. She married Robert Alton Ford. They had two sons: Robert Joe, and Tracy Lloyd.
- e. Joseph Benjamin Bottoms, born May 10, 1891.
- f. Tamps Alfred Bottoms, born Sept. 16, 1893.
- g. Nellie T. Bottoms, born Apr. 12, 1896.
- b. Mintie L. Bottoms, born Nov. 27, 1899.
- i. Tracy J. Bottoms, born May 5, 1904.
- j. Alpha Bottoms, born June 13, 1907 in Calhoun Co, AL.

# Coleman Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel Jackson)

Coleman was born in 1829 in Newton Co, GA. He married Jane Williams in Commerce, GA and died in 1848. Jane Williams remarried after Coleman's death to John McCarthy.

## Jesse Asberry Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel)

Jesse was born in 1832 in Newton Co, GA and died in 1890 in Gwinnette Co, GA. He married Jane A. C. Harmon who was born Dec. 12, 1834. They had nine children:

- 1. Legenia Esadora Farabee, born May 24, 1855, died Feb. 12, 1862 in Commerce, GA.
- Fauntleroy Anvern Farabee was born Aug. 29, 1859. He married Mary Emma Paul, born in 1873, Lincoln, AL. They had three children:
  - a. Claudia Pearl Farabee was born May 8, 1891 and died Nov. 26, 1892 in Lincoln, AL.
  - b. Felix Otis Farabee was born July 21, 1893 and married Mary Emma Graves.
  - c. Jessie Salena Farabee was born Sept. 22, 1899. She married Forest Edward Rush. They had one daughter: Mildred Salena Rush.
- 3. Gerard Dupont Farabee was born Feb. 26, 1862. He married Sarah Emma Hamilton who was born Aug. 9, 1871. They had three children:
  - a. Joseph Russell Farabee was born Apr. 14, 1891. He married Emma Crowell. They had three sons: Clarance Gordon, Clifton Curtis, and Clyde.
  - b. Flora May Farabee, born Oct. 18, 1892.
  - c. Sadie Ethel Farabee, born Aug. 11, 1894.
- 4. Tallula Susannah Farabee was born July 21, 1864. She married Marcus L. Jones, who was born July 22, 1848.
- 5. Isa Victoria Farabee was born Mar. 26, 1866 and died Aug. 31, 1885. She married Jasper Pain. They had two sons:
  - a. Artist Earl Pain, born 1883.
  - b. Aubanie Pain, born 1885.
- 6. Chester Lavenia Farabee was born July 26, 1868. She married Albert Andrew Clarke who was born Oct. 22, 1870. They had seven children:
  - a. William Frederick Clarke, born Feb. 1, 1891.
  - th. Alice America Clarke, born July 30, 1893.
  - c. Benjamin Marvin Clarke, born Dec. 17, 1896, and died in 1899.
  - d. Pearl Burrdette Clarke, born Sept. 5, 1899.
  - e. Lilly Eugenia Clarke, born Feb. 4, 1902.
  - f. Robert Melvin Clarke, born Jan. 16, 1906.
  - g Minnie Martha Clark, born Aug. 2, 1904.
- 7. Mussell Jordan Farabee was born Oct. 16, 1871, in Randolph, Co, GA. They had three sons:
  - Clarence Gordon Farabee, born Aug. 8, 1901.
  - b. Clifford Clyde Farabee, born July 9, 1903.
  - c. Clifton Curtis Farabee, born July 9, 1903.
- 8. Uluses Warner Farabee, born Nov. 16, 1874. He married Elizabeth C. Storms, born Feb. 29, 1876. They had four children:
  - Ray Littleton Farabee, born June 8, 1900
  - b. Clebert Griffin Farabee, born Aug. 15, 1901
  - c. Ralph Harrington Farabee, born Aug. 31, 1904
  - d. Celesta Vivion Farabee, born Mar. 28, 1910
- 99. Oks Martin Farabee was born July 10, 1877, and married Florence Bispus. They had one

#### known child:

a. Fletcher Burell Farabee

### Permelia Hill Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel)

Permelia, born in 1835 in Newton, GA, died Dec. 19, 1894 in Gainesville, GA. She married Jacob Waters, and died July, 1863. They lived in Gainesville, GA and had three children:

- 1. Laura Montera Waters, was born Aug. 8, 1857, and John Franklin Duncan. John was born Dec. 8, 1859 in Jackson Co, GA. They had four children:
  - a. William Dennis Duncan, born Dec. 16, 1881
  - b. Ruemma Permelia Duncan, born Jan. 31, 1883
  - c. Cornelia Dorothy Duncan; born Aug. 25, 1891
  - d. John Dewey Duncan, born June 1, 1898
- 2. Marion Lafayette Waters, born Nov. 2, 1858, and died Mar. 1862 in Gainesville, GA.
- 3. William Alpha Waters was born Sept. 7, 1860. He married Mary Elizabeth Jackson. Mary was born Apr. 11, 1866. They had six children:
  - a. Ruth Elizabeth Waters, born Aug. 9, 1890
  - b. Mae Belle Waters, born Sept. 5, 1893
  - c. Albert Lee Waters, born Oct. 6, 1895
  - d. Eva Waters, born Mar. 16, 1898
  - e. Clyde Franklin Waters, born Oct. 7, 1901
  - f. Mary Eunity Waters, born Apr. 2, 1904

### Caroline Farabee (Ruth, Curtis, Samuel)

Caroline was born in 1838 in Newton Co, GA and lived in Gainesville, GA. There is no information on her, she may have died young.

# Curtis Jackson Jr. (Curtis, Samuel)

Curtis was born on Tom's Creek, in Surry Co, NC in 1798. He grew up in Surry Co, and when he was a small boy his parents, Curtis and Ruth Beals Jackson, moved from Surry to Guilford Co, NC. They became members of the Deep River MM in Guilford Co. Curtis was married to Rebecca Smith on Apr. 7, 1820 in Guilford Co and was disowned from the Deep River MM for marring out of Unity. Rebecca was born in 1799.

Curtis was living in Washington Township, Hamilton Co, IN when the 1850 census was taken. They list him as a merchant, born North Carolina, real estate value 2,350, with two sons, **Andrew** and **Madison** both age 21 years, (born North Carolina 1829), so the boys may have been twins.

The date of the death of Curtis and Rebecca is not known, or where they are buried. It is possible that they may have moved to Kansas before their death.

- 1. Andrew Jackson, born North Carolina, 1829. No other Information is available.
- 2. Madison L. Jackson born in Guilford Co, NC in 1829. The year that he moved to KS is unknown. He enrolled as a private in May 1861 in Company E, 2nd Regiment, Voluntary Infantry, for the Civil War. He also served in Company C, 12th Regiment from 1862 to the close of the war when he was honorably discharged. His personal description at enlistment lists him as being fair complected, with blue eyes. His height was not given.

Madison moved to Miami Co, KS after leaving the service and lived there until 1890 when he moved to Stone Co, and lived there until August of 1908. He then moved to Sequoia Co, OK. He died on Nov. 28, 1916 in Sallisaw, OK.

Madison married Dicy Ann Vinyard on May 17, 1875, in Scott Co, KS.

Dicy was a widow who had first married Jonathan Vinyard. Jonathan died in Derry Co, TN in 1868. They had six children but four died. Their two children were:

- a. Jesse Vinyard, born in May 1855
- b. W. J. Vinyard, born in May 8861.

No children have been found for Madison and Dicy.

Information on Curtis Jackson Jr. taken from:
Quaker records of Deep Creek MM
Census records of Hamilton Co, IN,
Pension application on their son Madison L. Jackson.

### JOHN JACKSON (Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn)

John Jackson was born ca 1753 in Chester Co, PA, the son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn. He came with his parents when a small lad to Rowan Co, NC where they lived in Rowan Co, which was later changed to Davidson Co, on the Randolph Co line.

John Jackson joined the New Garden MM (which served Friends living in Rowan Co). On Apr. 26, 1777, New Garden was located in the City of Greensboro, Guilford Co, NC.

He married Phoebe Beals on Nov. 10, 1779 under the care of the same meeting. A marriage certificate was recorded for John Jackson and Phoebe Beals on Nov. 10, 1779. The certificate follows the standard form and the recorded entered twelve of the witnesses names in the record book as follows:

Ann Jackson, Margaret Carr, Susannah Hiatt, Ann Hiatt, Rebecca Sumner, Mary Carson, Isaac Jones, Bowater Sumner, Caleb Sumner, John Bryant, Joseph Jessop, and Moses Grigg.

Phoebe Beals was born Mar. 3, 1759, probably in PA, the daughter of Bowater Beals and Sarah Ann Cook. She was a sister of Ann Beals who married John's brother Jacob, also the sister of Ruth Beals who married John's brother Curtis.

After their marriage, **John** and **Phoebe** moved to Surry Co, NC. He had received a North Carolina land grant on Chinguepin Creek which was located near Tom's Creek, and the newly formed Quaker meeting house at Westfield. When Stokes Co was formed, this land was just over the line in the newly formed Stokes County. There are several deeds for **John** at Dobson, the county seat of Surry, where he bought and sold land and was a witnessed to many deeds and wills.

They became members of the Westfield Quaker Meeting on Mar. 3, 1792, where they were members for several years. This was two years before he moved to Greene Co, TN. It is recorded in the MM records that **John Jackson** was disowned from the Meeting for "going to law with a member of our society, also for not complying with his contracts, and for a breach of trust in that of taking a travelers horse in order to take care of him and trading the horse away without the leave of the said traveler, and when he (the traveler) returned have him no true information nor made him any satisfaction for said horse". John is not mentioned again in any Quaker records after his disownment except as the father of his children or as **Phoebe's** husband.

John and his family left Westfield in 1799 and move to Green Co, TN. Nine of their eleven children were born in North Carolina, and two children were born after the move to Greene Co. Phoebe Jackson and children Uriah, William, and Amer were granted certificates to transfer their membership from Westfield meeting to New Hope meeting in 1799. The Newhope Meeting recorded the births of two more children, Mary, born Feb. 15, 1799, and Jesse, born Jan. 11, 1801. In 1804 Phoebe Jackson and children were granted certificates to Miami MM, OH. The Miami Meeting received Phoebe Jackson and children Sarah, Charity, Uriah, Elizabeth, Keziah, William, Amer, Mary, and Jesse on Apr. 11, 1805. Final mention of this family is found in the records of Fairfield MM, Highland Co, OH, where many of the children of John and Phoebe were disowned for "marring out of unity" (to a non-Friend).

John and Phoebe became one of the first settlers in what is now Wayne Township, Clinton Co, OH, At the date of their settlement, the total number of families within the boundaries of what is now Clinton Co, did not exceed ten. Among the ten were Isaac Miller, and Joseph McKibben, and John Bowater Beals a brother of Phoebe's. Bowater Beals was known to the old settlers as Borter Bales, from the Old Bales Mill.

John Jackson was known as, or was called a "squatter" from 1803 until he bought his land in 1809, six years after he settled on it.

He died on Nov. 1, 1810 one year after he had bought his land. It is not known when **Phoebe** died. Both are buried at the old graveyard in the Hoskins neighborhood near a Friend's Meeting house (now gone).

The eleven children of John and Phoebe were: Hannah, Nathan, Sarah, Charity, Uriah, Keziah, (born in Surry Co, NC) William, Elizabeth, and Amer, (born in Stokes Co, NC) Mary and Jesse Jackson (born in Green Co, TN).

# "History of Clinton County, Wayne Township" By James H. Terrell

John Jackson came to Ohio in the year 1802, directly from TN. After his marriage, he had lived for some time in Surry Co, NC and afterward for some years in East Tennessee, Jefferson Co, not far from Knoxville. He came to the point of his location in the spring of 1803, with his wife **Phoebe** and ten children. They settled on the Middle Branch of Lose Creek, on one of the Ransdale's surveys, No, 1,027, about one mile a little north of west from where the counties of Highland and Fayette have a corner in the east line of Clinton OH.

His cabin stood west of where the Urbana road is now located, upon a high piece of rolling land covered with a heavy growth of large oak trees, and near a large spring, about two hundred and fifty yards nearly southwest of the present well-known residence of **James Morris**. His cabin disappeared long ago, but the indications of the ground plainly show the place where they at one time stood.

They were built in the wild green woods, remote from any road or path except the one which he opened for himself and family in coming to their location. with no human habitation near, if a deserted indian wigwam on the creek, half a mile away is not regarded as an exception.

The barn said to have been built by him was, until lately, and perhaps still is, in use for the purpose for which it was erected. The fields which he cleared and brought Into cultivation are now, with the exception of a few acres, cleared on the **Daily** farm, all merged in the home farm of Mr. **James Morris**.

This favored spot was, at this date, in the midst of a solitary wilderness of great extent, peopled by Indians and abounding in wild deer, bears and wolves.

At the date of Mr. Jackson's settlement, the whole number of families within the boundaries of what is now Clinton Co did not exceed ten, the true count being, it is believed, only eight, or at most nine. In our count, Isaac Miller and Joseph McKibben are excluded, though residing within the limits referred to as early as 1802, neither having a family at the time.

Mr. Jackson's nearest neighbor on the north of Clinton Co side of the line, which now divides the counties of Highland and Fayette from Clinton, was, not a doubt of it, Morgan van Meter, at the site of what was afterward Morgantown, now deserted, seven miles away.

Three miles below van Meter, on the east fork of the Little Maimi, near where Farmer's Station, on the Marietta Railroad, now is. Joseph McKibben and Isaac Miller, young men and single were keeping "bach" in a cabin, ten miles from Jackson's improvement. At about the same distance, in a course a little west of North, on the Hinkson Prairie. in what is now Wilson Township. Amos Wilson and James Mills lived in the same dooryard, yet each In his own dwelling. On the other or south side of the same line, a few settlers, not more than half a dozen in all, had settled here and there, with wide intervals between them, in the fall of 1802.

These settlers were Bowater Beals, James Haworth, John Walters, and Nathaniel Pope, and

the next year, Evan Evans and James Smith, the nearest of whom to Mr. Jackson was at least three miles distant. James Haworth, a native of PA, was a brother of George Haworth, who settled on Todd's Fork, near where the Meeting house is in 1803.

Mr. Jackson seems to have been a man of industry and economy. At the time of his death, he was, for that day, quiet well supplied with domestic animals, the tools and implements for farming, household and kitchen furniture and the machinery for carding, spinning, weaving, etc. The inventory of his personal estate, as estimated by Absalom Reed, Joseph Grice and Thomas Draper, the appraisers, amounted to \$423.

He made his will Aug. 2, 1810, during his last sickness. It was drawn by his brother Jacob, and was attested by Jacob Jackson and Enon Williams, father in-law of the late Robert Wray. The execution of it was committed to his wife Phoebe and to Curtis Beals, whom he called "my nephew". It was probated Oct. 16, 1810, being the first will admitted to probate in Clinton Co, OH.

Mr. Jackson had a large family; six daughters and four sons lived to mature age and were married. His family was not well suited for the rugged work of opening a farm in the wild woods. Of those who lived to come to Ohio, the first three in the order of their birth were girls, the fourth, a son fifteen years of age, next, two daughters, then a son eight years old, then an other daughter, and a son one year old. Of the daughters, four were married before Sept. 2, 1810. The names of the sons were Uriah, William, Amer, and Jesse. The names of the daughters were Hannah, Charity, Sarah, Elizabeth, Keziah, and Mary. Uriah married a daughter of Jacob Allen, of Springtown. Amer married Minerva Sinclair, and Jesse married Phoebe Sinclair, daughters of a neighbor. William married Rebecca Pearson. Hannah married David Branson. Charity married a Mr. Foster. Elizabeth married Joseph Rooke. Sarah married Edward Chaney. Keziah and Mary were unmarried at the time of their father's death, but afterward married, respectively, John Allen and Isham Gallamore.

Mr. Jackson's family seems to have been reasonably industrious, and economical, all engaged in the great business of making a living. A farm was opened in due time, the land prepared for cultivation by girdling the large trees and removing the smaller ones and bushes. Crops were planted and enclosed by a fence as a protection against the domestic animals. As soon as the grain was formed a fierce contest began between the family, assisted by the dogs, on one side, and on the other, the birds of many kinds, and beast quite as numerous, such as deer, in droves, by night and day, squirrels by dozens at a time by day, and raccoons by night.

After Mr. Jackson had settled on Lee's Creek, Phoebe his wife, was followed in the woods by a panther, which threatened to attack her. For safety, she was obliged to climb a tree and to remain there until the beast took it's departure.

Mr. Jackson was what is called a squatter, that is, one who enters upon land belonging to another, without any title. This is established in two ways, first, the owner of the land lived at a distance, and was not here to sell it, and had no agent in the country; and second, Jackson bought the land in 1809, six years after be settled on it of the agent of the owner. John and Phoebe Jackson were buried at the old graveyard in the Hoskin's Neighborhood, near a Friend's Meeting House, now gone.

#### Will of John Jackson

I, JOHN JACKSON of Clinton Co. and State of Ohio, being of a perfect mind and body, calling to mind the uncertainty of time, and knowing that all men are once to die, I do make, constitute, and ordain this to be my last will and testament, in manner and form as followth.

It is my desire, that my body be discretely buried at the discresions of my executors hereafter named, and touching my worldly estate, which kindly God hath been pleased to bless me with. I dispose of In the following manner, and finally, it is my desire, that my just debts and funeral expenses be first paid,

Item 1

I give and bequeath unto my daughter **HANNAH BRANSCOM**, the sum of five shillings if demanded, she having already had what I intended her to have.

Item II

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, **SARAH CHAINEY**, the sum of five shillings if demanded, she having had what I intended her to have.

Item III

I give and bequeath unto my daughter **CHARITY FOSTER**, the sum of five shillings if demanded, she having had what I intended her to have.

Item IV

I give and bequeath unto my daughter, **ELIZABETH ROOKS**, five shillings if demanded, she having had her part also,

Item V

I give and bequeath all the rest of my whole estate, real and personal, to my beloved wife, **PHOEBE JACKSON**, to be wholly at her disposal, during her Widowhood, for her support in raising and taking care of children. But in case she should marry again, it is my will that she have a third part of my personal estate, except the farming tools. Item VI

I give unto my sons URIAH JACKSON, WILLIAM JACKSON, AMER JACKSON, and JESSE JACKSON, all my farming tools, to be equally divided between them, and lastly, all the rest of my estate, I give and bequeath unto my above married daughters, and my two youngest daughters, KEZIAH, and MARY JACKSON, to be equally divided between them at the expiration of my wife's widowhood.

I do make, constitute and ordain my Beloved Wife and **NEPHEW CURTIS BALES** to be executors to this my last will and testament, I do also revoke and disallow of all other wills heretofore made by me. To satisfying and confirming this only, and alone, to 4 my last, will and testament, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this second day of the eight month, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred, and ten.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in the presents of JACOB JACKSON and EMMION WILLIAMS

JOHN JACKSON x mark

Recorded the 1st day of Nov. 1810, Jesse Hughes, Clinton, Co Oct. 16, 1810 the last will and testament of JOHN JACKSON was proved by the two subscribing witnesses thereto, and the court order letters testamentary issue ABSALOM REED, JOSEPH GRICE, and THOMAS DRAPER are appointed to appraise the personal estate of the said JOHN JACKSON deceased.

## Children of John and Phoebe Beals Jackson.

- Hannah Jackson, born in Surry Co, NC, married David Branson on Dec. 29, 1799
   See account...
- Nathan Jackson, born Sept. 8, 1782 in Surry Co, NC, the eldest son of John and Phoebe.
  He was about 17 years old when his parents moved to Green Co, TN. Nathan must have died shortly after their arrival in TN, so he was not living when his parents moved to OH in 1803.
- 3. Sarah Jackson, born Aug. 9, 1784 in Surry Co, NC, married Edward Chaney on Nov. 13, 1806, See account...
- Charity Jackson, born Oct. 31, 1788 in Surry Co, NC, died Aug. 19, 1860. She married Basil Foster, See account..
- Uriah Jackson, born in 1786 in Surry Co, NC, died Aug. 22, 1815 at 29 years of age. He married Anna Allen on May 12, 1812. Anna was the daughter of Jacob Allen.
   After Uriah's death, Anna married Silas Thrailkill on Apr. 11, 1822, Clinton Co, OH.
- 6. Elizabeth Jackson was born Mar. 8, 1790, in Surry Co, NC. She married Joseph Rooks on Apr. 19, 1807. See account.
- 7. Keziah Jackson, born Mar. 16, 1792 in Stokes Co, NC, married John Allen Jr. on Mar. 12, 1811 in Clinton Co, OH. Kaziah died Oct. 10, 1816 at the age of 20 years. The Allens were from

PA.

- 8. William Jackson, born Dec. 26, 1794, in Stokes Co, NC, and died Dec. 16, 1869. He married Rebecca Pearson May 4, 1820, See account..
- 9. Amer Jackson, born Apr. 16, 1796 in Stokes Co, NC and died Sept. 28, 1808, See account...
- Mary Jackson, born Feb. 15, 1799 in Greene Co, TN. She married Ishamm Gallimore on May 4, 1820.
- 11. **Jesse Jackson**, born Jan. 11, 1801 in Greene Co, TN. He married **Phoebe Sinclare** on Jan. 18, 1821. See account..

# Hannah Jackson (Daughter of John & Phoebe Jackson)

Hannah was born Aug. 14,1781 in Surry Co, NC. She was the fist child of John and Phoebe (Beals) Jackson. She was about 18 years old in 1799 when, her parents moved from Surry Co, NC to Green Co, TN.

She married **David Branson** on Dec. 29, 1799, shortly after their arrival in TN. **David** was born Jan. 40, 1776, and was the son of **Thomas Branson** and **Jane Pointer**.

They moved to Highland Co, OH in 1802, and in Dec. they moved to Grant Co, IN. The "Whitson History" states that they lived near the Mississippi River. The Branson burial ground was along the river bank near their home.

David was a farmer and had purchased over two hundred acres of land in Grant Co. He was the fist treasurer for Grant Co, being chosen in 1841. It is said that he was a moral and physical giant standing six feet, six inches tall, and had red hair. It is said that he had six toes.

He lived most of his later years in Center Township, Grant Co, IN. He died late in 1844 at the age of sixty-eight years. His will was probated Jan 4, 1844. He left his estate to his wife, his surviving children, and to many of his grandchildren. His son **Thomas** was the administrator of his estate. **Hannah** was living with her brother **Jesse Jackson** in the 1850 census of Grant Co. **Hannah** died in 1850 in Grant or Madison Co, IN.

David and Hannah were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Nathan Branson, born in 1800 in Green Co, TN.
- Thomas Branson, born in 1802 in Green Co, TN.
- 3. Jane Branson, born in 1804 in Highland Co, OH.
- 4. Abigail Branson, born in 1807 in Highland Co, OH.
- 5. Charity Branson, born in 1809 in Highland Co, OH.
- 6. Mary Branson, born in 1811 in Highland Co, OH.
- 7. Jesse Branson, born in 1814 In OH.
- 8. Lydia Branson, born in 1816 in OH.
- 9. Phoebe Branson, born in 1818 in OH.
- 10. Drusilla Branson born in 1820 in OH.
- 11. William Austin Branson, born in 1824 in OH.
- 12. Susannah Branson, born in 1829 in Indiana.

# "The Branson Cemetery" From "Whitsons History"

"The old Branson Cemetery was located on the west bank of the Mississippi River near the home where this pioneer family lived. By the time the county was organized, there were four Branson men living in it: David and his two sons, (Thomas and Nathan), and Jacob who settled on what was later known as the Joel Overman farm. Nathan built a cabin in the fall of 1827 on the present site of the Spencer house.

David's home was up the river and just beyond the McFeely Bridge. His daughter, Charity, is said to have been the first white person to die in the county. This was In the fall of 1826. We do not know where she was buried, but it may be a safe guess to say it was in, what has been called for so many years, the "Branson Graveyard".

The Branson Family burial ground was along the river bank near their home. Because the spot was unmarked and had become a commons, Nathan Coggshall, Lewis Foster, and David Overman asked the County Commissioners to protect the spot from the encroachments of the public by erecting a marker and enclosing the same with an iron fence. The sum of \$200 was expended in that way. The river channel has changed and some believe the Branson graves were washed away, but the marker is near the site."

### Grant Co, Indiana Bible Records.

Mrs. Melissa Downard, was born in Grant Co, IN, Dec. 1849, and lived at 401 South Boots Street, Marion, IN. She was the daughter of S. B. Campbell and Emily Jackson and is the author of the following statement in regard to the Branson Bible now to be found in the Marion Park Museum.

The, Branson Bible was sold at a sale when the Branson estate was settled. A neighbor who bought the Book gave it to Mr. Lewis Foster, knowing that he was of some relation to the Bransons. In the course of time the Book came to Mrs. Blair who thought it should be back home in Marion, IN. She sent it to Mrs. Downard, who placed it in the hands of the Curator of the Marion Park Museum.

It was concluded that the dates in the bible were written by Mr. Lewis Foster for his daughter before she came into possession of the Book. The signature found on the back of this Book must have been written by **David Branson**. "David Branson, his book".

This Bible is in the Octogenerian Cabin in Matter's Park, Marion, IN. It at one time belonged to **David Branson** who was one of the first settler in Grant Co. It is full leather binding and contains the Old & New testaments and the Apocrypha. It was printed and published by Matthew Garey, No. 122 market Street, Philadelphia, 1810. All the leaves are very soft and thin; those in the front are torn. The illustrations are numerous, some bear the names of "**Joe Seymour Sculp**", "**J. S. Seymour del Sculp**" and "**G. Love Sculp**". Each picture is enclosed by a fancy frome of flowers, angels, birds and many symbolic figures.

# Thomas Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas was born Mar. 4, 1802 in Green Co, TN, the son of Hannah Jackson and David Branson. Little is known about Thomas. His wife was named Ruthy and they lived near his parents and a brother, Nathan Branson, on the Mississippi River. They had five known children:

 Milton Branson was born in 1833. He enrolled in Company C, 42nd Regiment, Indiana Infantry, on Sept. 20, 1864 in Wabash, IN as a private and was honorably discharged on June 18, 1865.

He was married twice. His first wife was named **Elizabeth**. She died in Lyons Co, KS in Mar. 1869. They had one known son:

### a. William Branson.

Milton's second marriage was to Miss Susan Frances Blair Nov. 3, 1874 in Bugh Co, KS. Susan was 22 years old and he was 43.

Milton died in Overbrook, KS, Apr. 30, 1899. His widow, Susan, applied for a widow's pension on May 16, 1899 in Osage Co, KN. She stated that she was 45 years of age, and was a resident of Elk Township, (Overbrook) Osage Co, KS. She named one daughter **Pearl Branson** born July 26, 1890 as being her only child under the age of 16 years. She did not name other children.

- 2. Washington Faroute Branson, born in 1836, No information.
- 3. Napoleon B. Branson, was born in 1838. In 1858 he was living in Kingston Mines, Peoria Co, IL. was single and was engaged in farming. In 1860 he moved to Euphoria, Lyons Co, KS and enlisted for the Civil War in Feb. 9, 1864. He was injured in May of 1864 while in service. He was discharged in 1865, and in 1876 he moved Osage Co, KS. In 1880, he was working as a section man on the railroad about 1/4 of the time and the other times he was unable to work due to eye and lung trouble.

He married Cynthia Erway in 1872 to, they had a daughter Heneritta, born June 30, 1868. She was named in his application for pension on May 4, 1898. He was divorced in Burlington, KS and on Dec. 6, 1887 he married Vantora C. Townsend in Topeka, KS. He died Jan. 3, 1908, at Blackwell, Kay Co, OK where he had been taken for medical treatment.

In 1910, Vantora was living in Branon, Kay Co, OK she had been married to Beonia Blass and G. W. Karnes. She had applied for widows pension from all three men. It is not known if she had any children.

- 4. Hannah A. Branson, born in 1840. No information.
- 5. Ruth L. Branson, born in 1844. No information.

### Mary Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born Apr. 29, 1811 in Highland Co, OH. She married James Garrett on May 7, 1831. The names of only two of their children are known. They may have had more.

1. **David B. Garrett** was born June 9,1880 in Grant Co, IN. Most of the information known about **David** is taken from his pension papers.

Act of May 11, 1912

Declaration for Pension

State of California

County of Shasta.

On the 29th day of May 1912, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, **David B.** Garrett who, being sworn according to law, declares that he is 81 years of age and a resident of Whitmore, County of Shasta, State of California, and that he is the same person who enrolled at Fort Chenerworth, KS, under the name of **David B.** Garrett on the 10th day of Sept. 1861 as a private in Company B, 9th Regiment of Kansas Cavalry volunteers, in the service of the United States, in the Civil War, and was Honorably Discharged at Chenerworth City, KS on the 19th day of November, 1869.

His personal description at enlistment was as follows. Height, five feet and four inches, complexion dark, eyes dark, hair brown, that his occupation was laborer, that he was born in Grant Co, IN, June 9, 1830, that his several places of residence after leaving the service as follows, in Kansas for 9 years, moved to California, and has lived there ever since.

His pension certificate number was 1043029 and his mailing address was Whitmore, Shasta Co, CA. He said that he was married to **Miss Phorbah Stout** in the fall of 1860 at Peoria, Lyons Co, KS. They were married by a Methodist minister who's name he could not recall. He said that the marriage was recorded in the Lyons County records and that he had not been married before that.

David had earlier applied for a pension in the state of Oregon on Mar. 16, 1907. At that time, he gave his age as 76 years and that he was resident of Adel Co, OR. He gave his places of residences on this application as Kansas from 1864 to 1884, Lake Co, OR, in California from 1887 to 1890, then Lake Co, OR from 1890 to that present time. He moved back to Whitmore Co, CA sometime after between 1907 and 1912. It is not known if his marriage produced any children.

2. Harry F. Garrett. No information.

## Nathan Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Nathan was born Sept. 16, 1800 in Green Co, TN. He married Miss Mary Wilkins on Dec. 17, 1823 in Wayne Co, IN. They built a cabin in the fall on the present site of "Spencer House". He lived near his parents and his brother **Thomas**, on the Mississippi River. He was the County Agent for Grant Co, IN in 1836. The names of any children are unknown,

### Jane Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Jane was born Dec. 29, 1804 in Highland Co, OH, Died Jan. 6 1837 in Grant Co, IN. She was the daughter of **Hannah Jackson** and **David Branson**. Her first marriage was to **Mickey Harris** on Jan 19, 1825. Her second marriage was to **Johnathan Berry** on Apr. 25, 1830. They had three known children:

- 1. William J. Berry was born Sept. 29, 1832. His first marriage was to Polly Ann Martin on Nov. 20, 1831. His second marriage was to Caroline Cochran on Feb. 8, 1866.
- 2. Sarah Margaret Berry's birth date is unknown. She married George Smith Mar 30, 1851.
- 3. Martha Ann Berry's birth data is unknown. She married Alfred McNeal Jan 16, 1853.

### Abigail Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Abigail was born June 4, 1807, in Highland Co, OH. She was the daughter of Hannah Jackson, and David Branson. It is known that she married a "Mr. Woodworth" but no other information is available at this time.

### Charity Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Charity was born May 10, 1809, in Highland Co, OH, the daughter of Hannah Jackson and David Branson. She died unmarried in 1826 at the age of 17 years. She was the first white person to die in Grant Co, IN.

## Jesse Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse, a son of Hannah Jackson and David Branson, was born in Ohio on Jan 11, 1814, and died Jan 27, 1817 just three years and 16 days old.

# Lydia Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Lydia, a daughter of Hannah Jackson and David Branson, was born Feb. 27, 1816 in OH. She married James St. Clair, (Sinclar?) on Feb. 4, 1835 in Grant Co, IN. She died Mar 26, 1855. Their children were: Sarah, David, James H., Nathan,

and Jackson B St. Clair. There is no information on these children at this time.

# Phoebe Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

**Phoebe** was born Nov. 7, 1818 in OH. She married Rolley Hess May 17, 1836. She died on Feb. 3, 1837, ten months after her marriage.

# Drusilla Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

**Drusilla** was born Mar 13, 1820 in OH. She married **S. William Hamilton** on July 22, 1838 in Grant Co, IN. She died on May 3, 1856. They were the parents of five known children:

- 1. Oliver A. Hamilton, born Dec. 27, 1839
- 2. Elizabeth Hamilton, born Sept. 25, 1841
- 3. Mary Hamilton, born Aug. 16, 1843
- 4. Larkin Hamilton, born Feb. 1, 1845
- 5. Eliza Hamilton, born Feb. 15, 1849

# William Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

William was born Dec. 8, 1824, and died on July 29, 1828, at the age of four and a half years.

## Susannah Branson (Hannah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah was born Feb. 1, 1829, There is no information on Susannah at this time.

Information on Hannah Jackson and David Branson was taken from the Branson Bible and the Will of David Branson, sent by Mrs. Edith Jackson Hankins, and Mr. Keith Parrish.

### Sarah Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was the daughter of John and Phoebe Beals Jackson. She was born Aug. 9, 1784 near Westfield, NC. She was about 15 years old when her parents moved from North Carolina to Green Co, TN. Her parents moved to Highland Co, OH in 1803. She married Edward Chaney on Nov. 13, 1806, in Highland Co, OH.

Edward was born in 1782 in PA, and died between 1870-1880 in Green Co, OH. He was in the war of 1812. In 1813 they had moved from Highland Co, OH, to Green Co, OH, and in 1850 were living near their son Iredell. He was listed as 88 years old in the 1870 census. Edward's parents were Edward and Dorcas Chaney.

Edward and Sarah were the parents of six known children:

- 1. **Phoebe Chaney** was born Oct. 24, 1807 in Highland Co, OH. She married **Mark Pearson** Sept. 7, 1828. See account.
- 2. Iredell Chaney was born Nov. 10, 1810, in Highland Co, OH. He married Ann Horney Nov. 10, 1831. See account.
- 3. David Chaney was born in 1811 in Highland Co, OH. He married Mary Ann Greer on Dec. 15, 1831. He died at the age of 37 in 1868.
- 4. Nancy Chaney was born in 1812. She married John Horney Mar 10, 1831. No further information is available on Nancy at this time.
- 5. John Chaney was born in 1813. She married Eliza Green on Sept. 8, 1832. They were married by Christopher Hussey, Justice of Peace.
- 6. William Chaney was born in 1818, in Highland Co, OH.

Information on the Edward Chaney family was from by Keith Parrish, Washington, DC.

### Phoebe Chaney (Sarah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Phoebe was born Oct. 24, 1807 in Highland Co, OH, She was the first born child of Sarah Jackson and Edward Chaney. She married Mark Pearson on Sept. 7, 1828. Mark was a native of VA. He was born Feb. 24, 1807.

Mark and Phoebe moved to Fayette Co, OH in 1836, where they located on a two hundred acre farm. They were the parents of five children: William H., Charles S., and Chaney E., and two daughters whose names are unknown.

The Pearsons lived in Fayette Co, OH. Mark died Dec. 30, 1891 and is buried in Jamestown, OH. The date of Phoebe's death is unknown.

The following was taken from "The History of Fayette Co, Ohio", page 732

Mark Pearson, farmer, is a native of VA, and was born Feb. 24, 1807. His parents were on their way west when they stopped temporarily on the Blue Ridge, where our subject was born. They arrived in Highland Co, OH, and moved to Clinton Co in 1810, then to Greene Co, where his parents died.

Our subject came to Fayette Co in 1836, and located on the farm where he now lives, and has well improved, then an unbroken forest, wet, heavily timbered, and in many respects uninviting. The woods were then filled with wild game, turkeys, squirrels, deer, etc. The nearest church was about three miles away, a log building, used for religious and school purposes.

He now has a fine farm of two hundred acres, through which the Dayton and Southeastern Railroad passes, located on the west line of the county. He was married Sept. 7, 1828, to Miss Phoebe Chaney, of Greene Co, who has born him five children, two of whom survive. He and his wife are members of the Christian Church. This is a Democratic family, of good repute, and are well and favorably known.

# Iredell Chaney (Sarah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Iredell was born Nov. 10, 1810 in Green Co, OH. He died Oct. 10, 1884 in Green Co at the age of 74. He married Miss Ann Horney on Nov. 10, 1831 in Fayette Co, OH.

Mary was born Jan. 13, 1814 in OH, and died July 13, 1888 in OH. She was the daughter of Margaret Calloway and Daniel Horney.

Iredell and Mary were the parents of seven known children:

- 1. Hulda Chaney was born Sept. 12, 1834 in Green Co, OH. She married Hezekiah Mock Sept. 12, 1850 See account..
- 2. Enoch H. Chaney was born in 1836 in Green Co, OH. There is no more information on Enoch at this time. He was not named in his father's will.
- 3. Daniel Cyrus Chaney was born in 1839 in Green Co, OH. He married Christena Brown May

19, 1859.

- 4. Emily J. Chaney was born in 1842 in Green Co, OH. She married Daniel Earley. She died in 1921
- 5. Mary Jane Chaney was born Oct. 26, 1845 in Green Co, OH. She died Nov. 23, 1881. She married William H. Vanaman on Sept. 15, 1864.
- 6. David Henry Chaney was born in 1848. He married Lucy C. Jones Nov. 22, 1866,
- 7. Walter Chaney was born in 1853 and died Apr. 27, 1927, in Clinton Co, OH. He married "Ellen".

The Will of Iredell Chaney, made Oct. 12, 1884

In the name of the Benevolent Father of all. I, Iredell Chaney of the Co of Clinton and state of Ohio, do make public this my last will and Testament.

I give and device to my beloved wife all my real estate during her natural life and all the stock, household goods, furniture provisions, and other goods and chattels that may be thereon at the time of my decease, during her natural life aforesaid, (selling so much thereof as may be sufficient at the time to pay all of my just debts.).

At the death of my wife, I give and bequeath to my son Walter Chaney, the farm on which he now lives, situated in the Township of Jefferson, County of Greene, and state of Ohio, and containing about seventy five (75) acres of land and the balance of my estate both personal and real, I desire to be equally divided among my other children, Hulda Mock, Daniel C. Chaney, Emily J. Earley, Mary Jane Vaniman, and David Henry Chaney. If my said wife should not survive me, then I bequeath the property aforesaid to my children as above advised.

I do hereby nominate and appoint **Hezekiah Mock**, as the executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby authorizing and empowering him to a just release and discharge in such manner as he may decree proper the debts and claims due me.

I do also authorize him if it shall become necessary in order to pay my debts to sell by private sale as in such manner upon such terms of credit as otherwise as he may think roper all or any part of my real estate and dues to purchasers to execute acknowledge and deliver in fee simple.

In Testimony hereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Oct. 4, 1877.

**Iredell Chaney** 

Signed and acknowledged by **Iredell Chaney** as his last will and Testament in our presence and sired by us in his presence.

Elisha Ellis Eli Smithe

The State of Ohio, Clinton County, Nov. 17, 1884.

This day came into Court in person, Ann Chaney widow of Iredell Chaney late of this County, deceased, and made application to the under the Will of her deceased husband, and thereupon the Court explained to her the provisions of the will her rights under it, and by law in the event of her refusal to take under the will and she then made her election to take under the will and her said election is now here entered of Record

John Matthews

# Hulda Chaney (Iredell, Chaney, Sarah, John, Samuel Jackson)

Hulda was born Sept. 12, 1834 in Greene Co, OH and died in Payette Co, OH, Mar 20, 1900, at the age of 66 years. She married Hezekiah Mock on Sept. 12, 1850. Hezekiah was the son of John Mock and Mary Horney. Hulda and Hezekiah had only one child, Cassius Mock for which there is no information at this time.

The following was taken from an article that was written on Hezekiah Mock in the "History of Payette, Co, OH", page 696:

Hezekiah Mock

Hezekiah Mock, farmer, Jeffersonville, is a son of John and Mary (Horney) Mock whose history appears elsewhere. Our subject was married to Miss Hulda Chaney, Sept. 12, 1850. One child, Cassius, is the result of this union.

He and his wife are members of the Christian Church. He has a farm of two hundred and seventy eight acres, on which they live, situated four miles northwest of Jefferson, on South Charleston Pike, which is a part of the old home farm, where his father bought five hundred and nine acres for one thousand dollars, then almost an unbroken forest.

In 1822, the father planted an apple tree on this farm, and grafted it the next spring. This tree still bears a large crop of fine fall pippen apples every fruit year; it measures seven feet nine inches in circumference. Its branches measure forty-three feet, and is twenty-seven feet in height. This is a reputable, and one of this county's worthy families.

### Charity Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

Charity was the daughter of John and Phoebe Beals Jackson. She was born Oct. 31, 1744 in Surry Co, NC near Westfield. She died Aug. 19, 1860 in Grant Co, IN. She was about fourteen years old when her parents, John and Phoebe (Beals) Jackson moved from North Carolina to Green Co, TN, and in 1803 they moved to Highland Co, OH. Charity married Bazil Foster in Highland Co on Dec. 29, 1810.

Bazil was born June 4, 1788 in Bedford Co, PA. His mother's name was Mary but his father; s name is unknown. He had come to Highland Co as a lad of seventeen. He died on Feb. 19, 1861 in Grant Co, IN.

They were both buried in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery. They were both members of "The Society of Friends".

The Fosters lived in Highland Co, OH for a number of years and in 1820 moved to Greene Co, OH, residing there for around fifteen years. In 1836, they moved to Grant Co, IN where four of their children, John, Lewis, Pleasant and daughter, Sarah were already living. There he purchased a farm of three hundred and fifty acres on which he became a very successful farmer.

They were the parents of eight known children, who are listed below. The 1850 census lists **Elizabeth** Foster in their household also, and even though it isn't known if she was a daughter, she is included in the below list of children:

- 1. **Dr. John Foster** was born Aug. 13, 1813. He married **Ruth Powers** in 1837. **John** died Sept. 1, 1870. (see account on **John**).
- Pleasant Foster was born in 1819 in OH. His first marriage was to "Susannah" who died on Oct. 16, 1834. His second marriage was to Mary Ann Horten July 30, 1845 in Highland Co, OH. Mary died on Apr. 22, 1871. This family lived in Franklin Township in Grant Co, IN. They had three known children:
  - a. Alvira Foster
  - b. Emma Foster
  - c. Olive Foster (died young)
- 3. Lewis Foster was born July 31, 1814, in Highland Co, OH and died Jan. 9, 1902 in Marion Co. IN. See account.
- 4. Sarah Foster was born in 1818, in Highland Co, OH. She married John Dillon Apr. 9, 1840, in Grant Co, IN. Sarah died on Feb. 8, 1883 in Grant Co, IN. John died May 9, 1888. Their known children were:
  - a. Anna Dillon
  - b. William Dillon
  - c. Virginia Dillon
  - d. Ashberry Dillon
  - e. Benjamin Dillon

- f. Josephine Dillon
- g. Edna Dillon
- h. John Dillon
- i. Marybella Dillon
- 5. Stephen E. Foster was born in 1821, in Highland Co, OH. He married Mary Catherine Littler in Grant Co, IN Nov. 7, 1844. They had two known children:
  - a. Charles W. Foster, born in 1849.
  - b. Thomas L. Foster, born in 1852.
- 6. Valetta Foster was born in 1826, in Highland Co, OH. She married Thomas Blair.
- William Jackson Foster was born in 1828 in Highland Co, OH. He married "Elizabeth". They had two known children:
  - a. Franklin Foster
  - b. George N. Foster
- 8. Charity Foster was born in 1829 in Highland Co, OH and died Aug. 7, 1844.
- Elizabeth Foster was born in 1831 and was living in Basil and Charity Foster's household in the 1850 census.

# Dr. John Foster (Charity, John, Samuel Jackson)

John was born Aug. 13, 1813 in Highland Co, OH, the eldest son of Charity Jackson and Bazil Foster. He married Miss Ruth Powers in Highland Co, Sept. 14, 1837. When a young man, he moved to Marion, Grant Co, IN. He was one of the original organizers of the Grant County Medical Society. He served a term in the State Senate. He moved to Warsaw, IN after 1860, where he died on Sept. 1, 1870 at the age of 57.

They were the parents of four children:

- 1. William Foster, born in 1839.
- 2. Louisa H. Foster, born in 1840.
- 3. Mary Foster
- 4. George W. Foster

# "The History of The Grant County Medical" by William Lomax, MD

Dr. John Foster, a native of Highland Co, OH, came to the place in 1834. He had attended a course of lectures in the Ohio Medical College, and practiced a short time in Morgan Co, of this State, before locating in Marion. He identified himself with the county when it was a wilderness, there being probably less than two hundred voters in the county at the time.

**Dr. Foster** entered upon the active duties of the profession, with fair prospects of success and had he given his undivided attention to it, would have ranked among its brightest ornaments. Unfortunately he, yielding to the allurement held out by other's employments, giving himself at various times to the mercantile business, the sale of drugs, politics, the ministry, etc. but never entirely abandoned the medical profession.

He served a term in the State Senate devoted several years of his life to the work of the itinerant ministry of the M.B. Church and, at his death, was a local preacher.

Dr. Foster was one of the original organizers of the Grant County Medical Society, and always felt a lively interest in the welfare and success of the Society. He died in Warsaw of this State in the fall of 1871, respected by all who knew him.

# Lewis Foster (Charity, John, Samuel Jackson)

Lewis was born July 31, 1814 in Highland Co, OH, the third son of Charity Jackson and Bazil Foster. He died Jan. 9, 1902 in Marion, IN, at the age of 87 years, five months, and twenty-nine days. His first marriage was to Miss Susannah Chaney in Highland Co, OH. Susannah died on Oct. 16, 1838 in Grant Co, IN, twenty-two months after their marriage.

His second marriage was to Miss Mary Coppack on June 16, 1839 in Grant Co, IN. To this union six children were born:

- Samuel H. Foster was born ca 1840 in Marion, IN. He served in the Civil War for three years, was brought home by his father, and died shortly after.
- 2. John Foster's birth date is unknown. He served in the Civil War and his health was so shattered that he died at the age of 28, shortly after the war ended. He was married and had one son, but names of his wife and son are unknown.
- Caroline Foster's birth date is unknown. She married Daniel Mowner who died in New Iberia, LA, during the Civil War. Caroline took care of her parents in their old age. Her father, Lewis, died at her home in 1902.
- 4. Jane Foster's birth date is unknown. She married John Personette. There is no other information available on Jane at this time.
- 5. Foster, unknown.
- 6. Foster, unknown.

The following was taken from "Biographical Memoirs, Marion, Indiana" about Lewis Foster:

Of the many esteemed pioneers of Grant County still living, the name of Lewis Foster stands preeminent as one whose life has most frequently touched the lives of others. Standing today at his eighty-seventh year, sound in body and mind, and in the full exercise of all powers, he looks back upon the events that have filled his own life with a keen sense of pleasure and gratification that he has been allowed the privilege to take as large a part in the creation and growth of this section of the state as has been his fortune. He was born at Hillsboro, Highland County, Ohio, July 31, 1814, and is the son of Bazil and Charity (Jackson) Foster, he being of old Pennsylvania stock.

In 1792 when but a lad of seventeen, **Bazil Foster** came, with an ax on his shoulder, to Highland County, Ohio; he was married in Greene County, to her who ever after shared his trials and successes. She was born in North Carolina, though reared in Tennessee and was one of those remarkable women without whose assistance and consolation the fathers themselves would not have been the powerful and fearless men that they were. Both of the Friend's Society, they left a lasting impress upon the community in which they lived. She was one of the great **Beals** family, of North Carolina, who have taken so prominent a part in the history of that state. much of the strength and virility of the parents were transmitted in undiminished vigor to the children, all of whom became men and women of substantial character.

One of them was **Dr. John Foster**, who located at Marion in 1833, being in active practice until the time of the war, going to Warsaw, Indiana, where he died at the age of fifty-nine years. **Lewis** had served an apprenticeship of nearly three years, learning the carpenter trade having found his own clothing and washing; and when just past twenty, in February, 1834, started to visit those of the family who were already in Indiana. His uncle, **David Branson**, whose wife was the sister of **Lewis'** mother had become one of the founders of the town of Marion, and owned three or four hundred acres of land; of which nearly all is now comprised in the city. Together they erected a saw-mill and operated it for some years. He also did some building, saving in the meantime lumber with which to build a home for himself.

He had returned to Ohio, in company with an uncle, and was there married to Miss Susannah Chaney. In the spring of 1836 his father brought them back to Marion, being accompanied by his brother Pleasant and sister Sarah. The elder brother John had bought, at administrator's sale, a tract of land for his father; and upon this, Lewis and Pleasant began to make improvements, clearing several acres which they planted in due season realizing four hundred bushels of corn from eight acres.

Bazil Foster was then a man of wealth, but having so many of his children already in this vicinity he decided to make this his own future home with the entire family. This then remained his home, a new residence being built in 1843, by Lewis, in which he lived till his death, which occurred Feb. 19, 1861, having survived his wife two years.

He was one of the old-style Jacksonian Democrats, but held opinions in decided opposition to the institution of slavery. Reading the signs of the times, he could see the great struggle coming that

ended only with strife, often making use of some apt remark that showed the keenness of his penetration and the knowledge of the country's history. He preferred not to live to see the country disrupted, an event his own fears of the fiture had led him to expect, and but a few weeks before the opening gun was fired that was followed with those four memorable years of bloodshed, but while the very air was filled with the scent of approaching carnage his spirit took its flight, retaining a characteristic love of peace and good fellowship to all.

The demands for bedsteads and other cabinet work were such that Lewis decided to move into the village, which he did in the fall of 1836, going into a little cabin then standing in the woods. The present court house square was then covered with brush, which he assisted in clearing.

He had a nice trade with the Indians, who desired to secure the furniture he was skilled in making. In fact, the greater part of his income for the next few years came from them. To Illustrate the variation in the money used, he mentions one instance of getting one hundred dollars some thirty miles from his locality, which was worth but about sixty-two dollars at his home, the scrip depreciating that much when taken from its own neighborhood. In three months thereafter the same scrip brought eighty dollars.

Having received three hundred and fifty dollars from his father, Lewis Foster invested it in land in the rear of the present site of the Spencer House, but there being a small mortgage upon it he was not able to retain it, there being no way by which a man could possibly accumulate any means.

After he had been making furniture for about twenty years, with some progress during part of the time, he engaged in the selling of goods, but three years later, in 1853, sold to his partner, but the latter not meeting certain debts of the firm, as was agreed, Foster found it necessary to realize on all his property, paying off no less than thirty-one hundred dollars, which absorbed all his little accumulations, leaving him as badly off as he had been twenty years before. He then by being allowed ten years, with six per cent interest, went in debt some twelve hundred dollars for what has since remained his home.

He resumed his tools, becoming, however a contractor and builder, at which occupation he has continued to the present, becoming one of the beat known and reliable builders of the growing city.

Few men have done more to bring Marion up to its prosperous and highly improved condition, having a hand in all that has tended to make a city where but forests stoud in their natural pride and beauty when he first began to carve out a home for himself within their depths.

A Methodist since 1834, he has ever had an active part in the making and the sustaining of the church. The first class meeting was held in his shop, when steps were taken to erect a house of worship. It was completed and used but once when it was destroyed by fire, compelling the disheartened, but not subdued, little congregation to once more do that which they had just done. A Jacksonian Democrat in the days of the strength and vigor of that party with the enthusiasm of youth he worked for its success. In company with the first journeyman he ever had, he walked to the polls and cast his vote for Martin van Buren. In 1856 he cast his first Republican vote for John C. Fremont. Now that the opportunity to express his views by the right of franchise has passed for the last time in the nineteenth century, he still adheres to this party, even though the principles it advocates may differ materially from what aroused the fervor of earlier years, believing that the people of a great nation will ever possess the virility and determination to properly solve any question affecting their permanency and nationality. For the twelfth time he has cast a franchise to assist in the making of a Republican president, and is entitled to some latitude if the act affords the means of personal gratification.

Mr. Foster was made a Mason in Grant Lodge, No. 105, in 1852 having had honorable affiliations with that body ever since, and now being the oldest Mason of Marion. His worth and adaptability to the needs of the position have been constantly recongized by the fraternity in his having been placed on the committess of charity for years, and the interest he has ever taken in the securing of

homes for the orphans of deceased members, with a mind evenly balanced and the love of humanity ever prominent, he has never shrunk from the demands made upon him for the alleviation of the distressed, but has rather sought bodies or to minister the consolation of fraternal love and affection to their wounded spirits.

At the one hundred and eleventh anniversary of the nation's independence was being celebrated, he was called upon to surrender the companionship of her with whom he had trod life's pathway for more than half a century. The bonds of lasting effection being loosed by the passing of her immortal spirit to the land of the hereafter. Of six children born to them three survive, two being residents of Marion, Jane is the wife of John Personette and Caroline is the widow of Daniel Mowner, whose death, while in the service of his country, occurred at New Ilberia, Louisina. Her home is now a part of the original Foster homestead, in the south part of the city, and here in the companionship of this beloved daughter and in the feequent association with the many friends of an honored career.

Lewis Foster passes in the peaceful contemplation of a well spent life, the declining years, awaiting with tolerance and resingation that summons. The answer to which will reunite him to her with whom so many of the happiest years of life were passed.

While the spirit of the resistance to armed rebellion was strong in his own breast, the age limit compelled his assent to the taking of arms by two of his sons, **Samuel H**. and **John Lewis**. The former served the country faithfully, having answered to the first call and was in the first battle, that at Rich Mountain. He veteranized, serving through the greater part of the war, and being, after more than three years' service, brought home by his father only to finally respond to the last bugle call--another young life going out in sacrifice to the needs of his country. **John Lewis** served during the later year of the war, his health being so shattered that, though he married and had a son, the insidious disease claimed him at the age of twenty-eight years.

In reviewing the events of the century, in so much of which the impress of his own hand is seen, Mr. Foster feels that life has been cast in the most interesting period of the world's history, and that his own efforts, while he has not what the world calls greatness, have not been devoid of something to commend and which will be appreciated by some who follow. As the contemplation of life and its possibilities, viewed from the evening of years, takes hold upon his consciousness, the relation to the Master of All is depicted in more glowing coloring, and the summons that will place him in touch with the Infinite will be but a welcome call to reunite him to those who have gone before,

It can well be said of him, that life has been a day that has lasted till sunset. He is a man with no falsetto in a single fiber of his being---no shadow of affectation. He has kept like this through a complicated existence in this artificial world, absolutely unconscious of the hollowness, pretensions and shame that surrounded him.

The following eulogy was taken from "The Marion Chronicle", printed on Thursday, Jan. 30, 1902, Marion. Indiana:

Lewis Foster, a resident of Grant County since 1834, passed away quietly Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Caroline Mowner, 113 Webster Avenue. He was aged eighty-seven years, five months, and twenty-nine days.

He has been poorly for several days. The funeral will be held at the home of Mrs., Mowner, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by the Revs, A. Greenman and Madison Swadener.

Mr. Foster was born at Hillsboro, Highland County, Ohio, July 31, 1814, he was the son of Basil and Charity (Jackson) Foster.

Elizabeth Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was the daughter of John and Phoebe (Beals) Jackson. She was born Mar. 8, 1786 in the Westfield Community of Surry Co, NC. She was about 13 years old when her parents, John and Phoebe (Beals) Jackson, moved to Green Co, TN. She married Joseph Rooks on Apr. 19, 1807 in Highland Co, OH.

Joseph was born in KY in 1772, the name of his father is unknown. In 1822 the Rooks family moved to Randolph Co, IN. They settled in the Stony Creek Township, and in 1839 they moved from Randolph Co to MO. They settled first in Livingston Co, and in 1850 they were living in Grundy Co, MO. Joseph Rooks is said to have been a tall stout, and very strong man. He died at the age of 97 years on May 24, 1868 in Grundy Co.

Elizabeth died Aug. 17, 1880 at the age of 94 years in Grundy Co, They are both buried in the Joab Cemetery. They were the parents of 14 children:

- 1. John Rooks was born in 1808 in Highland Co, OH and died Mar. 15, 1862. He married Miss Temperance Jackson on May 5, 1831 in Delaware Co Ind. The date of Temperance's birth and the name of her parents are unknown at this time.
- 2. Hannah Rooks was born May 11, 1809, in Highland Co, OH. She married Ezekeal McAllister on Nov. 22, 1827. (see account on Hannah)
- 3. Uriah Rooks was born in 1810 in Highland Co, OH. He married Rhuehanna B. Pfaff Nov. 17, 1829. (see account on Uriah).
- Sarah Dorcus Rooks was born 1812 in Highland Co, OH and died Jan. 13, 1847. She married Isaac Beals Sept. 29, 1830. (see account on Sarah).
- Thomas Rooks was born May 11; 1814 in Highland Co, OH and died Apr. 19, 1903. His first marriage was to Rachel St Clair (Sinclair). His second marriage was to Adaline or (Clarissa) Miller on Feb. 14, 1833. The names of any children are unknown.
- 6. William Rooks was born in 1816 in Highland Co, OH. He married Mahalia Smitson on June 18, 1847 in Randolph Co, IN. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. Louisa Rooks, born in 1838
  - b. Isaac Rooks, born in 1839
  - c. Smith Rooks, born in 1832
  - d. Harrison Rooks born in 1835
  - e. Allen Rooks, born in 1837.
- 7. Samuel Rooks, born in 1818 in Highland Co, OH. His first marriage was to Elizabeth Holloway on June 4, 1835, she died in 1846. His second marriage was to Miss Ann Tinney on Nov. 4, 1847. Samuel died Dec. 14, 1874. He had served in the Civil War. Samuel and Elizabeth had five children:
  - a. Thomas
  - b. Rebecca
  - c. Francis H.
  - d. Sarah
  - e. William L.

Samuel and Ann (Tinney) had four children:

- f. Henry F.
- g. Samuel
- f. Clara
- h. Elizabeth.

There is no information on any of these children at this time.

- Mary Rooks was born Aug. 20, 1819 in Highland Co, OH. She married Rev. Joab Holloway
  Feb. 13, 1839 in Randolph Co, IN. Joab died Mar. 31, 1901 at the age of 82 years, 11 months.
  Mary died Apr. 15, 1873. They were the parents of eight children:
  - a. Betsy Ann Holloway, born in 1849
  - b. William Holloway, born in 1840
  - c. Mary Holloway, born in 1842
  - d. Sarah Holloway, born in 1847
  - e. Joseph Holloway, born in 1847
  - f. Levi Holloway, born in 1854
  - g. Lydia Holloway, born in 1856

- h. Rebecca Holloway, born in 1860
- 9. Phoebe Rooks was born in 1820 in Highland Co. OH. No further information.
- 10. Sibyl Rooks was born in 1825, in Randolph Co, IN, and died young.
- Lydia Rooks was born Nov. 14, 1822 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Michael Chrisman Mar. 17, 1844 in Grundy Co, MO. Lydia died June 30, 1876. Michael had served in the Civil War. Their children were:
  - a. Hamilton, born in 1845
  - b. Samuel, born in 1847
  - c. Elizabeth, born in 1849
  - d. William, born in 1850
  - e. Lewis, born in 1853
  - f. Robert, born in 1856
  - g. Mahala, born in 1859
- Rebecca Rooks was born July 22, 1826 in Randolph Co, IN She married Abram Snodgrass July
   1840. See account.
- 13. Charity Rooks was born Mar. of 1826 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Frederick Waltz Jan. 11, 1845 in Grundy Co, MO. He served in the Missouri Volunteer Infantry during the Civil War. Their children were:
  - a. Susan, born in 1846
  - b. **John**, born in 1850
  - c. Joseph, born in 1855
  - d. Elizabeth, born in 1856,
- 14. Elizabeth "Betsy" Rooks was born in 1828, in Randolph Co, IN. She married Robert Ishmael Mar. 10, 1849 in Grundy Co, MO. He was a soldier in the Civil War. They had seven children.
  - a. Aaron, born in 1850
  - b. **John**, born in 1852
  - c. Emily, born in 1853
  - d. Lvdia, born in 1858
  - e. William, born in 1860
  - f. Joseph, born in 1862
  - g. Henry, born in 1868.

### Hannah Rooks (Elizabeth, John, Samuel Jackson)

Hannah was born May 11, 1809, in Highland Co, OH. She was a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Jackson Rooks. She died July 11, 1877 in Deleware Co, IN. She married Ezekial McAllister Nov. 22, 1827 in Randolph Co, IN. Ezekial was born Sept. 3, 1804 in PA and died Mar. 28, 1874 in Deleware Co, IN. The name of his parents are unknown. They were the parents of 14 children:

- 1. Emily McAllister was born in 1828. She married Andrew H. Kennedy Feb. 11, 1847.
- John McAllister was born in 1829 and married Martha Ann Frame May 31, 1849.
- 3. Alexander McAllister was born Mar. 3, 1831 in Indiana and died Sept. 15, 1903. He married Sarah M. Holloway Mar. 16, 1853.
- Martha McAllister was born Oct. 15, 1832 in Indiana and died Feb. 5, 1877. She married Thomas Worl Dec. 5, 1854.
- 5. Joseph McAllister was born Aug. 9, 1836 in Indiana and died Nov. 23, 1890. He married Sarah Ann Hiatt Dec. 20, 1855.
- 6. Thomas McAllister was born in 1837 in Indiana and died unmarried June 1, 1858.
- Catherine McAllister was born in 1838. She married George P. Collins Nov. 6, 1856.
- 8. Elizabeth McAllister was born Oct. 13, 1839 and died July 31, 1906. She married Soloman Hiatt Nov. 12, 1856.
- 9. Lydia McAllister was born in Aug. 1841 She married Thomas Clevenger Aug. 20, 1863.
- 10. Isaac McAllister was born in 1844 in Delaware Co, IN. On Feb. 3, 1865, at the age of 22 years, he enrolled at Muncie, IN, as a private in Company E, 147 Regiment of Indiana, Infantry Volunteers. He was mustered into the service on Feb. 7, 1865, at Richmond, IN to serve for one year. At the time of his enlistment, he was described as age 22 years, born Delaware Co, IN, a farmer by trade, being five feet and ten inches tall, with black hair, hazel eyes, and a dark

complexion. Isaac served in the army for a period of only four months when he died on June 17, 1865 in the Hospital at Berryville, VA with Typhoid fever.

- 11. William McAllister was born in 1845 and married Elizabeth Sutton Jan. 28, 1864.
- 12. Mary McAllister was born in 1848 and married James Sutton Feb. 25, 1864.
- 13. Lewis McAllister was born Aug. 20, 1849 and died unmarried Feb. 14, 1864
- 14. George McAllister was born in 1852. No further information.

#### Uriah Rooks (Elizabeth, John, Samuel Jackson)

Uriah was born in 1810 in OH, the son of Joseph Rooks and Elizabeth Jackson. He married Rhuhanna Pfaff Nov. 17, 1829 in Delaware Co, IN. Rhuhanna was born in 1809 in Indiana. The names of her parents are unknown. In 1870 Uriah and Rhuhanna were living in Linn Co, MO. They were the parents of nine children:

- Joseph W. Rooks was born in 1830 in Indiana and died Jan. 17, 1875. His first marriage was to Mary Jane Scott. His second marriage was to Parthenia Howell on Sept. 2, 1851.
- 2. Mary June Rooks was born Dec. 3, 1831 in Indiana and died Sept. 8, 1906. She married James
- H.

Brasier Mar. 25, 1854.

- 3. Zeadock Rooks was born June 8, 1833 and died unmarried on Mar. 9, 1855.
- 4. Susannah Rooks was born Nov. 15, 1835 and died June 16, 1922. She married John P. Fleshman May 12, 1853. See account.
- 5. John Rooks was born in 1838. No further information.
- Samuel E. Rooks was born in 1840 and died May 4, 1903. He married Sarah A. Cobles Dec. 1, 1864.
- 7. William H. Rooks was born in 1842 and died Mar. 21, 1898. His first marriage was to Elizabeth Worthy and his second marriage was to Susan Cox. See account..
- 8. Ludia Catherine Rooks was born Aug. 26, 1845 in MO and died July 29, 1892. She married Charles W. Chowning Nov. 6, 1873.
- 9. Judy C. Rook was born in 1852 in MO. There is no further information on Judy.

## Susannah Rooks (Uriah Rooks, Elizabeth, John, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah was born Nov. 15, 1835 and died June 16, 1922. She was the daughter of Uriah Rooks and Rhuhanna Pfaff. She married John S. Fleshman on May20, 1885 in Grundy, MO. John was a soldier in the Civil War and died Apr. 29, 1885. Information on this family was taken from pension papers.

## "Widow's Declaration For Pension, State of Missouri, County of Grundy."

On this 20th day of May, 1885, personally appeared before me, a Clerk of the County Court, Susannah Fleshman aged 50 years, who, being duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration in order to obtain the Pension provided by Acts of Congress granting pension to widows:

That she is the widow of John S. Fleshman, who enlisted under the name of John S. Fleshman in Aug. of 1861, in Company "B" of the 23rd Regt, Missouri Infantry Volunteers in the war of 1861, who incurred disease in the service aforesaid from which he died at his home at Gault, County of Gundy, and State of Missouri on the 29th day of April, 1885.

That she was married under the name of Susannah Rooks to said John S. Fleshman on the 12th day of May, 1853 by Rev. John Holloway, at Grundy County, Missouri, there being no legal barriers to their marriage, that neither she nor her husband had been previously married.

That her husband, the soldier, was a pensioner of the United States at the time of his death, pension certificate No. 278 000, and that no prior application has been filed by herself.

She gave the names of five children all under the age of 16 years, at the death of their father.

- a. William M. Fleshman was born Feb. 21, 1854 and died Sept. 20, 1879.
- b. Thomas Fleshman, born Feb. 10, 1861.

- c. Armindo Fleshman was born Dec. 28, 1858 and died July 5, 1862, at age of 3 years and seven months.
- d. Samuel H. Fleshman, born Aug. 10, 1864.
- e. Tillie J. Fleshman, born Mar. 3, 1867.

#### William H. Rooks

William was the son of Uriah Rooks and Rhuhannah Pfaff. He was born in 1842 and died Mar. 21, 1898, age of 56 years. His first marriage was to Elizabeth A. Nasworthy who died Apr. 19, 1880 near Gault, Gundy Co, MO.

His second marriage was to Susan J. Cox on Aug. 12, 1882, in Gundy County, MO by Rev. James Brassfield.

Susan Cox Rooks applied for a widows pension on Mar. 28, 1898. She gave her age as 40 years, and a resident of Gault, Gundy County, MO. She stated that her husband William H. Rooks had joined in Company B, 23rd, Regiment of MO, Infantry Volunteers Aug. of 1861, that he had served at least 90 days, and was honorably discharged in Atlanta, GA, and that he died Mar. 21, 1898.

William was receiving a pension at the time of his death, certificate no. 195278. She named nine children as all being under the age of sixteen years:

- a. Seth M. Rooks, born Dec. 3, 1883
- b. Floyd W. Rooks, born Feb. 10, 1885
- c. Blanch Rooks, born July 22, 1887
- d. John E. Rooks, born Mar. 13, 1889
- e. Samuel A. Rooks, born Sept. 2, 1890
- f. Alice E. Rooks, born Feb. 16, 1892
- g. Henry E. Rooks, born Aug. 12, 1893
- h. Elmer H. Rooks, born June 4, 1894
- Pearl C. Rooks, born Aug. 25, 1897

#### Sarah Dorcus Rooks (Elizabeth, John, Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was born in OH in 1812, the daughter of Elizabeth Jackson and Joseph Rooks. She died Jan. 13, 1847 in Henry Co, IA, at the age of 35 years. She married Isaac Beals, a cousin on Sept. 29, 1830 in Randolph Co, IN. Isaac was born June 27, 1804 in Ohio, the son of Jacob Beals and Mary Thornburg.

Isaac and Sarah's first five children were born in Indiana. They moved to Henry Co, IA in 1839, where four more children were born. A list of their children follows:

- 1. William Beals was born in 1831 and married Mary Doan Aug. 22, 1851.
- 2. Mary Beals, born in 1833.
- 3. Joseph Beals, born in 1834.
- 4. Elizabeth Beals was born in 1836 and married Orbison Elliott Nov. 15, 1855.
- Lucinda Beals, born in 1838.
- 6. Melissa Beals, born in 1840 in Henry Co, IA.
- 7. Jesse Beals, born in 1842 in Henry Co, IA.
- 8. John Beals, born in 1844 in Henry Co, IA.
- 9. Isaac M. Beals, born in 1846, married Hannah M. Haskins Dec. 20, 1869.

#### Rebecca Rooks (Elizabeth, John, Samuel Jackson)

Rebecca was born July 22, 1826, the daughter of Elizabeth Jackson and Joseph Rooks. She died in Grundy Co, MO, Mar. 10, 1885. She married Abram Snodgrass July 9, 1840.

Abram was born in 1809 in Livingston Co, MO. He was the son of Charles and Elizabeth Snodgrass.

They moved to Polk Co, IA in 1849 and Rebecca was living in Grundy Co, MO in 1870.

They were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Charles Snodgrass, born in 1841 in MO.
- 2. Joseph Snodgrass, born in 1843 in MO.
- 3. John Snodgrass, born in 1845 in MO.
- Sarah Snodgrass was born in 1848 in MO and married Nathan Schoonover Oct. 24, 1865.
- 5. William Snodgrass, born in 1849 in MO.
- 6. Thomas Snodgrass was born in 1852 in Iowa, married Sarah Wilson Apr. 6, 1879
- 7. Rhoda M. Snodgrass was born in 1854 in Iowa, married Sept. 27, 1871 William W. Hays.
- 8. George Snodgrass was born Mar. 17 and 1856 died unmarried July 9, 1897. His brother Thomas was the executor of George's will, other heirs mentioned were his sisters Rhoda, Emma, Harriet, and a nephew George L. Snodgrass.
- 9. Emily Snodgrass was born in 1861 in Iowa. She married Wilson.
- 10. Harriet Angelina Snodgrass was born in Iowa in 1863 and married Ridgeway.

#### William Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

William was the son of John and Phoebe Jackson. He was born Dec. 26, 1794, in Stokes Co, NC near the Westfield Community. He was the 8th child born to John Jackson and Phoebe Beals. He was five years old when his parents moved to Green Co, TN, and they moved to Highland Co, OH in 1803. He was a devoted member of the Society of Friends in his youth, where he and his brothers and sisters attended the Lees Creek MM,

He married **Rebecca Pearson** on May 4, 1820 in Greene Co, OH and was disowned from the Quaker Church for Marrying out of unity (MOU). **William** was a farmer he worked hard on his farm near Wilson township in Clinton Co, OH.

He died on Dec. 16, 1869 in Clinton Co, and is buried in the Bloomington Cemetery. No will or estate papers have been found on William.

Rebecca Pearson, wife of William was born in 1802 in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia, and died in Aug. of 1889, in Clinton Co, OH. She was the daughter of Mark Pearson and Elizabeth Chance, and was a descendant of Peter Pearson, the immigrant. The names of only three of their children are known:

- 1. Cynthia Jackson was born in 1821 at Silver Creek, Greene Co, OH and died on Apr. 4, 1852. She married David M. Osborn Feb. 22, 1838. See account.
- Elihu Jackson was born Oct. 28, 1823 at Silver Creek, Greene Co, OH and died July 5, 1913 in Clinton, IL. He married Eliza Ann Straley Aug. 27, 1846. See account.
- 3. Mark P. Jackson was born Aug. 15, 1831 at Silver Creek, Greene Co, OH and died Apr. 3, 1862 in Bloomington, Clinton Co, OH. He married Lavina Rogers July 29, 1855. Lavina was born in 1835 in OH. Their two known children were:
  - a. William Jackson, born in 1856 in Green Co, OH
  - b. Margaret Ellen Jackson, born in 1858 in Green Co, OH, married James Lothian.

#### Cynthia Jackson (William, John, Samuel)

Cynthia was born in 1821 at Silver Creek, Greene Co, OH, the daughter of William Jackson and Rebecca Pearson. She died Apr. 4, 1852 in Greene Co. She married David M. Osborn Feb. 22, 1838 in Green Co.

David was born May 2, 1819 in Clarmont Co, OH, the son of David Osborn and Prisocia Gatch. He died in 1895in Fayette Co, OH. (See account on David)

David and Cynthia were the parentsof six children:

- 1. Rebecca Ann Osborn was born Aug. 28, 1840 in Greene Co OH. She married Cargel Chitty Feb. 10, 1859. (See account on Cynthia).
- Elihu Burgon Osborn was born in 1842 in Greene Co, OH and died in KS on Aug. 25, 1873. He
  was in Company I of the Ohio Infantry, and served all through the conflict, and was killed by an
  indian at Fort Sill.
- 3. Nathaniel C. Osborn was born in Greene Co, OH in 1842 and died in MO on July 31, 1902. He was a member of the 12th Ohio Battery, and fought in defense of his country in the Civil War for more than four years. He married Susannah Griffin Jan. 28, 1866. They lived in Missouri, and

had four children:

- a. Ulysses Loren Osborn, born June 19, 1868
- John McKindry Osborn, born Aug. 10, 1871
- c. Orville Maywood Osborn, born Feb. 10, 1877
- d. Lelia May Osborn, born May 8, 1880
- 4. Charity P. Osborn was born in 1844, in Green Co, OH. She married Harrison Williamson. They lived in Montgomery Co, and were the parents of six children.
- 5. Nancy J. Osborn was born in 1847 in Greene Co, OH. Her first marriage was to Jacob Simmons, and they were the parents of five children. Her second marriage was to William Ogburn and she was William's second wife.

William Ogburn's first marriage was to Annie Ray. William and Annie had six children: Calvin, Willie, Walter, Mary, Arthur, and Jenny:

Nancy and William had two children:

- a. Alvin R. Ogburn, born Sept. 18, 1887 in Iowa.
- b. Harland Ogburn, born Oct. 2, 1889 in Iowa.
- 6. William J. Osborn was born in Dec. of 1849 in Greene Co, OH and died in 1928. He married "Mae V." They lived in Fayette Co, OH.

## Rev. David M. Osburn, A Portrait And Biographical Record

Rev. David M. Osburn This honored resident of Fayette Co, who is residing on a beautiful farm in Jasper Township, has been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for a period of thirty-three years. He is the son of David Osburn, who was born in 1787, a native of KY. His father, David Osburn, hailed from VA and removed to the Blue Grass State in an early day. He was one of those who were besieged in the fort there, and was released by Gen. Anthony Wayne. He later removed to this State and, locating on a farm in Claremont Co, improved his tract and there passed his last days.

The mother of our subject was known in her maiden days as Miss **Precosia Gatch**, a native of VA and the daughter of the **Rev. Philip Gatch**, who was a member of the first Methodist Episcopal Church held at Baltimore, MD. After his marriage, the father of **Mrs. Osburn** located in VA on the James River, whence he removed to Buckingham Co. In 1800, he came west to Clarmont Co, of this state, where he died.

The parents of Mr. Osburn of this sketch were married in the above named county, and in 1833 removed to Green Co, where they made their permanent home, the father dying in 1842, and the mother in 1884, at the age of eighty-five years. To them were born four children, two of whom are living. The original of this sketch was born May 2, 1819, in Clarmont Co, where he was reared on his father's farm, being trained to all the duties pertaining to a farmer's boy.

Our subject began life on his own responsibility when twenty years of age, at which time he was married to Miss Cynthia Jackson, who was born in Clinton Co, OH, in 1821. Our subject then settled in Greene Co, in what is now Jefferson Township, on a wild tract of land, which his energy and perseverance brought to a good state of cultivation. Mrs. Osburn died in 1852, having become the mother of six children, one of whom is deceased. Rebecca Ann is the widow of Cargell Chitty and has nine children: Nathaniel C. married Susannah Griffith, is the father of four children and makes his home in MO; Charity P. became the wife of Harrison Williamson, lives in Montgomery Co, this State, and is the mother of six children; Nancy J. is the wife of J. C. Ogburn, has two children by her present marriage and five by a former marriage and resides in Iowa; William J. is single.

Our subject was again married, in 1853, this time to Narcissa Carpenter, who was born in Greene Co in 1830. She departed this life the year following her marriage, after having borne her husband one child.

Miss Charlotte Ferguson was married to Mr. Osburn in 1855. She was born in VA in 1831, and by her union with our subject became the mother of one child. She died in 1859.

The present partner of our subject was, before her marriage, Miss Susannah Christy, by whom he was united in 1861. She is the daughter of Samuel and Rosanna (Creamer) Christy, natives of Berkeley Co, VA, the father born in-1780, the mother in 1790. Mr. Christy was a soldier during the war of 1812, coming three years later to Washington Co, where he opened a blacksmith shop. The Creamer family came to Ohio in 1807, and resided for three years in Ross Co. Later, they removed to Jefferson Township, Fayette Co, locating on a wild tract of land, and there lived the remainder of their lives, the father dying in 1826 and the mother in 1810. This was the family to which Mrs. Osborn's mother belonged.

Mr. and Mrs. Christy located in Jasper Township in 1833, where the father, at the date of his death, was the owner of five hundred acres of valuable land. To them were born five children of whom Mrs. Osborn is the only survivor, her birth occurring Dec. 14, 1825,

To Mr. and Mrs. Osborn has been born one son, David E. Our subject is the possessor of one hundred and fifty-two acres of land, which he has brought to a good state of cultivation, having placed thereon numerous and substantial out buildings. Socially, he is a member of the Independent Order of odd Fellows, in which body he is Chaplain. Politically, he votes with the Republican party and has served his fellow-townsmen in the capacity of Justice of the Peace.

Two sons of Mr. Osborn, by his first wife, served in the late war. Elihu B. being a member of Company 1, Thirty-first Ohio Infantry, served all through the conflict and was killed in 1875 by Indians at Ft. Sill. Nathaniel C. was a member of the Twelfth Ohio Battery, and fought in defense of his country for more than four years. Our subject is an ordained minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and has done active work in that body since twenty-three years of age. Grandfather Philip Gatch was Justice of the Peace and also Associate Judge in Clarmont County for twenty-one years. Grandfather Creamer was also Justice of the Peace and very prominent in local affairs.

## Rebecca Ann Osborn,

Rebecca was the daughter of Cynthia Jackson and David M. Osborn. She was born Aug. 24, 1840 in Greene Co, OH. She married Cargel Chitty Feb. 10, 1859.

Cargel Chitty, born June 15, 1831 in Virginia. His parents moved to Green Co when he was twelve years old, where he spent the greater part of his life. For a long period he was a representative of agriculture interest. He followed farming with excellent success, and his labor brought to him a good financial return. He helped his father in operating a sawmill being connected with that line of business for a long period. He afterward turned his attention to farming which he followed throughout, his remaining days, and in the Cultivation of the soil he was very successful, the well tilled fields returning to him golden.

Mr. Chitty gave his political support to the Democracy and kept well informed on the issues of the day, so that he was able to support his political position by intelligent argument. He held membership with the Methodist Episcopal Church, to which his wife also belongs, and it's teachings permeated his entire career and made him an upright, honorable citizen whose worth was widely recognized.

Rebecca and Cargel were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Mary Elizabeth Chitty, born in 1862, married Alvin Zimmerman.
- 2. Andrew S. Chitty, born in 1864, lived in Indiana.
- 3. Leander M. Chitty, lived in Washington state
- 4. Rosetta (Rose) Chitty, married "Merchant" of Fayette Co, OH.
- 5. John H. Chitty lived in Fayette Co, OH.
- 6. William Frank Chitty lived in Chicago, IL.
- Luther Dean Chitty lived in Bowerville, OH.
- 8. Ollie Violet Chitty
- 9. Claude Monroe Chitty
- 10. Henry D. Chitty was born in Dec of 1860, and died Jan. 7, 1861, 8 months and 22 days old.

He was buried in Bowersville Cemetary in Greene Co, OH.

#### Information from:

The article on Cargel Chitty, taken from "Robinson's History of Greene Co, OH". From Bowersville Cemetery records. (Greene Co, OH):

Rebecca Ann Chitty, 1840-1926

Cargel H, Chitty, Apr. 18, 1881, 49 yrs, 8 m, 22 d.

Henry D. son of C. & S. Chitty, d. Jan, 7, 1861,

# Elihu Jackson (William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Elihu was born Oct. 30, 1823, in Clinton Co, OH, the eldest son of William Jackson, and Rebecca Pearson. He grew up in Clinton, and Greene Counties of OH. He married Miss Eliza Ann Straley Aug. 27, 1846 in Fayette Co, OH.

Eliza Ann Straley was born Dec. 27, 1827 in Fayette Co, OH, the daughter of Joseph Straley and Elizabeth Hamilton. Joseph Straley was the grandson of Christian Straley, a Revolutionary War soldier. The Straley family were from Lewis Co, WV.

Very little is known about Elihu's early life. He taught school for several years, and lived in the Jeffersonville, Jasper area. Elihu enlisted as a private on Aug. 14, 1862, in Company E, 117th Regiment of the Illinois Infantry in Springfield, IL. He served in Eastport, Mississippi, and was hospitalized as a result of exposure and hard marching. He was honorably discharged on May 31, 1865 in Memphis, TN.

Elihu moved his family to southern Illinois around 1857, and settled in Clinton Co. Elizabeth Jackson died Feb. 14, 1876 in Clinton Co. She is buried in Trenton City Cemetery, in Clinton Co.

Elihu was short in stature being only five feet, five inches in height, with blue eyes and brown hair. After Eliza's death he continued to live in IL for a number of years. After all of his children were grown, he with some of his relatives, moved to OR. They traveled by train. Most of these Jacksons settled in Portland, OR. Elihu, being 78 years of age, lived with one of his daughters. He died in OR July 5, 1913 at age 89 years, 8 months and 7 days. His body was shipped back to Illinois to be buried by his wife. A government marker was placed on his grave for his service in the Civil War.

Elihu and Elizabeth were the parents of 13 children, seven born in Fayette Co, OH, the others born in Clinton Co, IL. Twelve of the children were living when he died in 1913, and one child had died in infancy.

The following is the bituary of Elihu Jackson from the Caryle Illinois Constitution, printed July 25, 1913:

Elihu Jackson was born in Clinton Co, OH. Oct. 24, 1832, and died July 6, 1913 in Portland, OR. He had reached the ripe old age of 80 years, 6 months, and 7 days.

His father was William Jackson and his mother Rebecca Pearson, Quakers, who came from Virginia. He was the second of three children. His father was a farmer and gave his children a good education. The subject of this sketch taught school for a number of years. His wife, who was Eliza Ann Straley, died thirty-seven years ago. To them were born thirteen children, all of whom are living except one who died in infancy. They came to Illinois from Ohio in 1857 and settled in Trenton, this county. He joined Co. K, 117 Regiment, Illinois Volunteers, and served his country for over three years.

He became seriously ill near the close of the war from exposure of weather and disease and was taken to a hospital from which place he was discharged at the close of the war.

He never recovered his health, nor did he give up to be an invalid having lived an active life and taking great interest in all affairs that took place about him. His one great disappointment was his inability to attend the reunion of the Blue and the Gray in Gettysburg, to meet old comrades and

visit friends and relatives back in Illinois. He insisted to the last that he was able to go, although he had been confined to his bed the greater part of the time for the past year. He had his children bring his clothing and he tried to dress for the journey, but found that he was too weak and sick to undertake such a trip.

He was a bible student and historian, and for a great number of years he has been blessed with his "second eye sight", He could read the finest print without the aid of glasses, and one was the reading of the Union Banner to which he had been a subscriber for many years. He retained all of his senses up to within a few hours of his death. He was ready and anxious to go, and his only request was that they bring him back to Illinois and lay him beside his wife in Trenton.

He was cared for during his last illness by the loving hands of his children, who lived in and near Portland, OR. He leaves five daughters and two sons in Portland, two sons in Arkansas, two daughters and one son in Illinois. The funeral services were conducted in the Trenton M. K. Church, July 11, at two PM, after which he was tenderly laid to rest beside his wife in the Trenton Cemetery. His grandsons were pallbearers. He leaves twenty-one grand children and three great grandchildren.

#### The following is a list of the children of Elihu and Eliza Jackson:

- 1. Ellison Jackson was born June 6, 1847, died Oct. 9, 1936 in Portland, OR and buried Lincoln Memorial Park, in Portland, OR. He married "Susie". they had no children.
- 2. Francisco Jackson was born Nov. 8, 1848 in Fayette Co, OH and died Feb. 28, 1919 in Arkansas.
- 3. Marietta Jackson was born Dec. 18, 1849 in Fayette Co. OH. She married Albert Phillips Nov. 26, 1891. See account.
- 4. Lucretia Jackson was born Oct. 30, 1851, in Fayette Co, OH and died Mar. 5, 1944, in Portland, OR. She married Thomas Smith.
- 5. Cynthia Madora Jackson was born Apr. 19, 1853 in Fayette Co, OH and died Feb. 21, 1942 in Portland, OR. She never married. She cared for her father, Elihu until his death.
- Rebecca Jane Jackson was born Mar. 17, 1855 in Fayette Co, OH. She married David Dulaney Oct. 19, 1880. See account.
- 7. Grafton Jackson was born June 12, 1856 in OH and died Aug. 3, 1858 at the age of two. He was a twin to Gilbert.
- 8. Gilbert Jackson was born June 12, 1856 and died Sept. 9, 1924 in Randolph Co, AR.
- 9. William Joseph Jackson was born Aug. 5, 1858, in Texas and died July 8, 1920 in Marion Co, IL. He married Eliza Alice Williams in May of 1886. See account.
- Emma Jackson was born Mar. 5, 1861, in Clinton Co, IL and died Mar. 27, 1949 in Portland, OR. She married Walter Higgins.
- 11. Eliza Anna Mae Jackson was born May 22, 1866 in Clinton Co, IL and died Oct. 6, 1936. She married William Benson Fairfowl Mar. 27, 1889. See account.
- 12. Cora Ellen Jackson, born Aug. 20, 1867 in Clinton Co, IL and died Mar. 9, 1939 in Portland, OR. She married Luther Lee Cheeley. Their two children were Alpha and Lee Cheeley.
- 13. Pinkney Elihu Jackson was born Aug. 20, 1869 in Clinton Co, IL. He married Myrtle Deweese Aug. 21, 1899. See account.

# Marietta Elizabeth Jackson (Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Marietta was born Dec. 18, 1849 in Fayette Co, OH and died on Apr. 11, 1927 in Aviston, IL. She was the third child born to Elihu and Eliza Jackson. She married in Albert Phillips 1891.

Albert Phillips was born Oct. 17, 1839 in Belleville, IL and died Oct. 4, 1918 in Trenton, IL. He was the son of David Phillips and Belinda Gooding.

Albert and Marietta were the parents of four children:

- 1. Iva May Phillips was born Oct. 16, 1872 in Clinton Co, IL and died Jan 16, 1944. She married James C. Twiss of Aviston, IL on Nov. 25, 1887
- 2. Alonzo Phillips was married Carrie Russum and they lived in Mt. Vernon.
- 3. Edward Phillips was born Feb. 22, 1883 and married Selma Beutler.
- Roy N. Phillips was born Aug. 28, 1884. He married Mattie Hetzel Feb. 14, 1900 and they lived in Trenton, IL.

The following is the obituary of Marietta Jackson, printed in the "Carlyle Union Banner" on Apr. ?, 1927:

#### Aged Mother Enters Eternal Rest.

Marietta Elizabeth Phillips, daughter of Elihu and Eliza Jackson, was born in Clinton Co, OH Dec. 18, 1849. She was the third of a family of thirteen children, four of whom preceded her in death. Her childhood was spent in Ohio. From there her parents moved to Texas, where they resided one year. The family then came up the Mississippi River and located in east St. Louis, where the father was engaged in the milling business.

Later they moved to Clinton Co, locating on a farm near Carlyle in 1859. After a short time the family moved to Trenton, in which vicinity the deceased spent the rest of her life. In Nov. 1871 she was united in marriage with Albert H. Philips. To that union were born one daughter, and three sons, who are left to morn the loss of a kind and loving mother. During her early married life, she lived in the vicinity of Lake Branch, where she remained for some time, and united with the church and ever since was a joyful and loyal supporter of the cause of right.

Iin 1916, she, with her husband, came to Trenton, and here she experienced the great loss when her faithful husband died Oct. 5, 1918. Since that time she made her home with her children until Aug. 1925, when she was taken to the Sacred Heart Hospital in Aviston, where the kind and loving sisters cared for her the way that they could.

All that human hands could do, and all that the skillful doctors could do, was done, but all was in vain. She gradually grew weaker and despite the fact that she suffered untold agony due to her ailment, she never complained about her condition, and had great faith in her Creator, who would some day as she knew would call her to him in Heaven. The final summons came at 11:15 AM, Monday, Apr. 11, 1927, she having reached the age of 77 years, 3 months, and 24 days.

The deceased was always a cheerful, happy person, and at all times saw the good traits in others. A eulogy is unnecessary, the life that she led is the best monument that can be erected as a remembrance of her as she was at all times thoughtful of others while among us, let us remember her by an occasional prayer.

She leaves to mourn her loss, four children, Mrs. J. C. Twiss, of Aviston, Alonzo Phillips of Mt. Vernon, Edward Phillips, near Aviston, and Roy Phillips of Trenton. Six sisters, Mrs. R. Dulaney, Mrs. Lucretia Smith, Medora Jackson, Mrs. Emma Higgins, Mrs. May Fairfoul, and Mrs. Ella Cheely all of Portland, Oregon, and four grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain for the former things are passed away, and behold all things have become new.

The funeral service took place in Aviston at the residence of J. C. Twiss at 2 PM, Thursday, Apr. 14. Rev. Wills of the M. E. Church of this city, having charge of the service. He spoke consolingly. The remains were later conveyed to this city, and tenderly laid to rest in the City Cemetery, east of town. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved.

#### Rebecca Jane Jackson (Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Rebecca was the sixth child born to Elihu and Eliza Jackson. She was born Mar. 17, 1855 in Fayette Co, OH and died Dec. 28, 1943 in St. Louis, MO at age 88 years, 9 months, and 11 days. She married David F. Dulaney Oct. 19, 1880. David F. Dulaney died in 1915. They lived in Greenville, IL and were the parents of four children, two died in Infancy:

1. Maude Dulaney lived in St. Louis, MO.

2. Ellis R. Dulaney lived in St., Louis, MO. He married and had three children: Myles, Betty, and Bobby Dulaney.

The following was the obituary of Rebecca Jane Jackson Dulaney:

Funeral of Mrs. D. P. Dulaney Held Thursday; internment at Montrose.

Committal services for Mrs. Rebecca Jane Dulaney, a former resident of Greenville, who passed away at her home, 4471 Olive Street in St. Louis, at 6:40 AM, Tuesday, Dec. 28, as noted in "The Advocate" Thursday, were conducted at Montrose Cemetery in this city at 3 PM., that day. Services were conducted at the grave by the Rev. Oscar Campbell, assistant pastor of the Third Baptist Church in St. Louis, following the funeral service at the Albert H. Hoppe Funeral Home in St. Louis, at noon that day, conducted by the Rev. C. Oscar Johnson, pastor of the Third Baptist Chruch. Mrs. Dulaney's death was due to pneumonia, although she had been an invalid for a year. Mrs. Dulaney's maiden name was Jackson and she was born in Greene Co, OH Mar. 17, 1855, and was aged 88 years, nine months and 11 days. She moved to Trenton. IL with her parents when a small child. She was married to David P. Dulaney Oct. 19, 1880, and they lived in Greenville until the death of Mr. Dulaney in 1915. Two years later she moved to St. Louis.

To this union four children were born, two dying in infancy. Surviving are Miss Maude Dulaney and Ellis R. Dulaney both of St. Louis. She is also survived by three grandchildren, Myles, Betty and Bobby Dulaney. Two sisters, Mrs. Lucetia Smith, and Mrs. Emma Higgins, and one brother Pinckney Jackson, of Portland, OR. Mrs. Dulaney was loved by her many friends and had been a Christian woman all her Life.

## William Joseph Jackson (Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

William, the son of Elihu and Eliza Jackson, was born Aug. 5, 1858-59 in Texas and died July 8, 1920 in Marion Co, IL. He married Eliza Alice Williams in Marion Co, May of 1886.

Eliza as born in Sandoval Township, Marion Co, IL on June 21, 1870, and died Nov. 12, 1964. She was the daughter of John Williams and Margaret Bodine.

William and Eliza were the parents of five children:

- Fannie Jackson was born Aug. 10, 1889 in Marion Co, IL. She married Myron Griffith Star. Fannie died in Aug. of 1944 in Springfield, IL.
- Clyde Jackson was born Oct. 11, 1891 and died Sept. 29, 1898 at the age of seven years.
- Margaret Jackson was born Jan. 31, 1897 in Odin Township, Marion Co, IL. She died Jan. 23, 1973 in Centralia, IL and was buried Jefferson Co, IL. She married J. P. Summerville June 14, 1917.
- 4. Earl Jackson was born Jan. 23, 1901 in Marion Co, IL. He married Grace Jackson Feb. 5, 1903 in Marion Co, IL.
- 5. **Velma Jackson** There is some question here. She either died in, or was married in Jan. 1979. No other information is abailable at this time.

## Pinkney Elihu Jackson (Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Pinkney was born Aug. 20, 1869 in Clinton Co, IL, the youngest child of Elihu and Eliza Jackson. He died Jan. 10, 1952 in Fairview, Multnoma Co, OR and was buried Forest Lawn Cemetery in Gresham, OR. He married Myrtle E. Deweese Aug. 21, 1899.

Myrtle E. Deweese was born Dec. 9, 1877 in IL, died Feb. 8, 1963 in a nursing home located between Portland and Gresham, OR and was buried Forest Lawn Cemetery. In Gresham, OR. She was the daughter of Louis Deweese and Martha Ann Duley.

Pinkney and Martha were the parents of eight children:

- W. Roland Jackson was born Apr. 29, 1901 in IL. He married A. M. Nasmyth Mar. 8, 1930
- 2. G. Harold Jackson, born Aug. 25, 1903 in Illinois.
- 3. Thomas A. Jackson was born Dec. 26, 1905 in Onley, IL and died June 28, 1975. He was married and had children, but their names are unknown.
- 4. Allen Jackson was born Nov. 7, 1907, in Noble, IL and died Nov. 8, 1907.
- 5. A. Benard Jackson was born Mar. 24, 1909 in Flora, IL. He married "Pearle" Oct. 22.

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- 6. Sylvester W. Jackson was born Dec. 2 1912 in Mist, Washington Co, OR and married "June" Dec. 27, 1937.
- 7. Anna B. Jackson was born Apr. 20, 1915 in Portland, OR.
- 8. Lyla C. Jackson was born Dec. 1 1917 in Portland, OR. She married Paul Olp Mar. 5, 1938.

## Eliza Anna May Jackson (Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Eliza Jackson was the eleventh child of Elihu and Eliza Jackson. She grew up in Illinois. Her mother died when she was 10 years old, and she was raised by her elder sister. She attended schools in Trenton, IL where she met and married William Benson Fairfoul.

William Fairfoul was the son of Hector W. and Catherine (Blessing) Fairfoul. The Fairfoul family were from Philadelphia. Hector had served in the Civil War.

Their marriage took place in Salem, IL on Mar. 27, 1889. They lived in Salem until the early 1900's, when they moved to Highland, OR. William died on Oct. 27, 1935 in Portland, OR at the age of 87 years. Eliza followed him the next year, succumbing to cancer at the age of 70. Both are buried in the Lincoln Memorial Cemetery in Portland, OR. They were the parents of five children:

- Dwight Frank Fairfoul was born Sept. 12, 1891, in Salem, IL and died July 24, 1964 in San Francisco, CA. His death was caused by being struck by a car. He married Edna Dulaney on July 4, 1921. Edna died in 1948, and Dwight married Lydia Carl in 1952. No Children.
- Dora May Fairfoul was born Feb. 28, 1896 in Salem, IL, died Feb. 2, 1980 in Portland, OR, and was buried in the Lincoln Memorial Park Cemetery in Portland, OR. She married Edward Marineau on Nov. 10, 1915 Edward Marineau. Edward died in 1925, and in 1935 Dora married Lloyd Goodwin.

Dora May and Edward had three children:

- a. Edward Joseph Marineau, born Dec. 6, 1916
- b. Frederick Joseph Marineau, born Feb. 4, 1920
- c. Richard Kenneth Marineau, born June 17, 1925
- 3. Ruby Fairfoul was born June 17, 1898 in Salem, IL. She married William Suter Baldwin May 19, 1918 in Clark Co, WA. See account.
- 4. Laura Fairfoul was born Apr. 29, 1909 in Clackamas, Co, OR. She married Thomas Fetherston in 1934 in OR. They had no children. Her second marriage was to Harold Victor Simmons in 1941 in OR. They had three sons:
  - a. Darkly Richard Simmons, born Mar. 21, 1945
  - b. David Harold Simmons, born Sept. 22, 1947
  - c. Donald Dean Simmons, born Sept. 27, 1949
- William Benson Fairfoul, Jr. Was born Aug. 21, 1911 in Clackamas Co, OR. His first marriage was to Eunice Fetherston. His second marriage was to Mary Knight. (No children)

#### Ruby Fairfowl (Eliza, Elihu, William, John, Samuel Jackson)

Ruby was born June 17, 1898 in Salem, IL, the third child of William and May Fairfowl. Her parents moved the family west when she was a small child. They settled in the town of Highland, Clackamas Co, OR. She married William Suter Baldwin on May 19, 1918, in Vancouver, WA. The marriage was performed by Bill's uncle, William A. Waldo of the White Temple church in Portland, OR.

William was the son of Henry and Helen (Waldo) Baldwin. The Baldwin family came from England and lived in Canada before coming to North Dakota in 1879. The Waldos were a very prominent family in New England. Cornelius Waldo immigrated to the New world in the mid 1600s.

William Baldwin was born on June 15, 1892, in Crystal, ND. He served as a sergeant in the army, during the first world war, and was a machinist. His death occurred on Jan. 22, 1965, in the Veterans Hospital in Vancouver, WA. He was buried in the Willamette National Cemetery, in Portland. Ruby died July 10, 1983. They had two daughters:

1. Helen Ruby Baldwin, born Feb. 5, 1922 in Vancouver, WA. She married Robert L.

Ruecker Aug. 18, 1951, in Portland, OR. They had three sons:

- a. Larry Robert Ruecker, born June 5, 1952, Portland, OR
- b. William Martin Ruecker born Sept. 30, 1956
- c. Richard Kenneth Ruecker born Nov. 5, 1959
- Laurel Marie Baldwin, born Sept. 31, 1926 in Vancouver WA, married Joe Keith Parrish July 29, 1950 in Portland, OR.

Joe Keith Parrish was born Apr. 5, 1927 in Fort Mead, FL, the son of Horace O. and Susanna (Chance) Parrish.

Joe and Laurel were the parents of three children:

- a. Keith William Parrish was born Nov. 24, 1951 in Portland, OR. He attended the University of Oregon in 1970-1974. He worked in Saudi Arabia for 21/2 years. He now lives in Washington, DC.
- b. Michael Gordon Parrish was born Dec. 23, 1955 in Portland, OR. He married Becky Smith Apr. 14, 1984. They have one son, Jonathan, born June 8, 1986.
- c. Janet Marie Parrish was born May 3, 1959. She married Donald Hall Sept. 7, 1979, and was divorced in 1982.

## Amer Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

Amer was born Apr. 16, 1786 the Westfield Community, in Stokes Co, NC, the 9th child born to John and Phoebe Beals Jackson. He was just a lad of three years old when his parents moved from Stokes Co, to Greene Co, TN, and they moved to Highland Co, OH in 1803. Amer died Sept. 28, 1848 in Greene Co and is buried in the Bloomington Cemetery.

Amer was married three times. His first marriage was to Miss Asenath Sinclair on Dec. 19, 1816 in Clinton Co, Ohio.

Asenath was born in 1798 and died in Clinton Co, Ohio in 1823 at the age of 25 years. She was the daughter of James and Rachel Sinclair, to this union three children were born.

Amer's second marriage was to Jane Greer on Oct. 30, 1823 in Clinton Co, OH. The name of one son is known. His third marriage was Dec. 29, 1843 to Elizabeth Hampton and they had two children. The Stewart Cemetery, Greene Co, OH records show Elizabeth Jackson, died Feb. 10, 1879, age 74 years, 9 months and 28 days. This Elizabeth was Amer's third wife.

Children of Amer and Asenath Sinclair:

- 1. John Jackson born Nov. 1818 in Greene Co, OH
- Uriah Jackson was born Oct. 22, 1820, in Greene Co, OH and died Jan. 5, 1875. His first
  marriage was to Elizabeth Story. The Stewart Cemetary records shows Elizabeth Jackson, wife
  of Uriah Jackson, died Oct. 2, 1858, 35 years, 8 months, and 21 days. Uriah's second marriage
  was to Mrs. Clara Allen.
- 3. Elizabeth Jackson was born in 1821 in Greene Co, OH and married Mark Pearson Sept. 8, 1842. Children of Amer and Jane Greer:
- Harvey Jackson was born in 1823 in OH and died in 1891. He married Asenath Lynch July 29, 1852.

Children of Amer and Elizabeth Hampton:

- 5. Allen B. Jackson was born in 1844 in Ohio and married "Lycinda".
- 6. Mary Jackson, born in 1846 in Ohio, no information on Mary.

## Jesse Jackson (John, Samuel Jackson)

Jesse Jackson, the son of John and Phoebe Jackson was born Jan. 11, 1801 in Greene Co, TN. He married Phoebe Sinclair Jan. 18, 1821 in Clinton Co, OH. Phoebe was born Mar. 4, 1800 in Virginia, the daughter of James and Rachel Sinclair, and died May 6, 1853 in Grant Co, IN.

Jesse was a farmer, a miller, and a birthright Quaker, He moved to Grant Co, IN on Sept. 22, 1832. The date of his death is unknown.

Phoebe Jackson died in May of 1852. (A discrepancy here. In the above paragraph, her death date was 1853.) Their daughter Mary died three days after her death. They lost two of their children the year before, Jehu died on July 12, 1852, and Charity on Jan. 27, 1852, and in Jan. of 1847 they lost

their youngest daughter **Rebecca** at the age of six years. With so many of the family dying in 1852 and 1853 they may have died of tuberculosis, or some kind of epidemic. Of their nine children, only four lived to marry and have families of their own.

#### Their children were:

- Emily Jackson, born Jan. 18, died May 18, 1868 and married Sheshbazzar Campbell. See account.
- Rachel Jackson was born in 1825 and died Apr. 28, 1912. She married Henry Whistler Nov. 9, 1845. See account.
- Iredell Jackson was born in 1828 in Clinton Co. He married Cynthia Maynard Oct. 16, 1853.
   Cynthia was born Sept. 13, 1835, died Aug. 12, 1854 in Marion, IN, and was buried in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Marion, IN. Iredell died Feb. 16, 1856.
- 4. Jehu Jackson was born Jan. 5, 1830 and died July 12, 1852
- 5. Anna J. Jackson was born May 31, 1832 and died Apr. 1, 1853.
- 6. Charity Jackson was born May 22, 1834 and died Jan. 27, 1852.
- 7. Curtis Jackson was born in 1836. He married Jane (Jennie) Griffin Aug. 14, 1856. Jane was born Dec. 12, 1837, the daughter of Robert and Eleanor Hines Griffin. See account.
- 8. Mary Jackson was born Jan. 3, 1839 in Indiana and died May 8, 1853 at the age of 14 years.
- 9. Rebecca Jackson was born Sept. 6, 1841 in Indiana and died Jan. 1, 1847 at the age of six years.

## Emily Jackson (Jesse, John, Samuel Jackson)

Emily was born, Jan. 18, 1822 in Clinton Co, OH, the oldest child of Jesse Jackson and Phoebe Sinclair. She died May 18, 1868 in Grant Co, IN. She married Sheshbazzar Benton Campbell Oct. 31, 1841.

Sheshbazzar was born in Ohio in 1818. The names of his parents are unknown. He died in 1867 and his will was probated Nov. 18, 1867. (Will record "B", pages 19B-9-190, in Huntington Co, IN.) He names his wife Emily, his daughters Mary, Melissa, Rosanna, and Laura Campbell, and sons William R., Iredell, and John Campbell. He named his brother Samuel A. Campbell and his wife's brother Curtis Jackson as executors. The will was witnessed by George G. Favorite and James C. Favorite.

Sheshbazzar and Emily lived in Huntington Co, IN and were the parents of seven known children:

- 1. Mary M. Campbell, born 1845 in Indiana
- 2. Melissa Campbell, born 1850, married Downard
- 3. William Campbell, born 1852
- 4. Iredell Campbell, born 1856
- 5. Rosanna Campbell, born 185B
- 6. Laura Campbell
- 7. John Campbell

## Rachel Jackson (Jesse, John, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel was born in 1825 in Clinton Co, OH, the second daughter of Jesse and Phoebe Jackson. She died on Apr. 28, 1918. She married Henry Whisler Nov. 9, 1845 in Grant Co, IN. He was born in 1845 in PA, and served in the Civil War. They were the parents of six children:

- 1. Wealthy A. Whisler was born in 1847 in Indiana and married White in 1880.
- 2. Emily Whisler, born in 1851 in Indiana.
- 3. Mary E. Whisler (Mollie), born in 1855 in Indiana
- 4. Jehu Whisler, born in 1857 in Indiana
- 5. Melissa Whisler, born in 1860 in Indiana
- 6. Margaret Whisler, (Maggie) born in 1862 in Indiana.

# Curtis Jackson (Jesse, John, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born in 1836-37, in Marion Co, IN. He married Jane (Jennie) Griffin Aug. 14, 1836 in Marion, IN.

Jane was born Dec. 12, 1837 in Marion Co, and died Feb. 16, 1910. She was the daughter of Robert Griffin and Eleanor Hines.

Curtis was a butcher by trade and a birthright Quaker. He must have died before 1889 as his widow

took the children to Logan Co, OK. Their the parents of three known children:

- 1. Iredell Jackson, died before 1889
- Phoebe Eleanor Jackson was born Oct. 7, 1859 in Marion Co, IN and died Feb. 22, 1905.
   She married "Mr. Hinton".
- Curtis Jackson born Apr. 20, 1857 in Marion Co, IN, died Mar. 11, 1929 in Guthrie, OK, and was buried in the Summit View Cemetery.

Jesse was married three times. His first wife was Elizabeth Bright. His second marriage was to Bertie Slack on Nov. 18, 1883. His third marriage was to Lydia Jane Massey in OK in 1905 or 1906.

Lydia Jane Massey was born in 1873-75 at Carthage, MO and died May 13, 1953. Curtis and Lydia were the parents of two children:

- a. Robert Griffin Jackson, born in 1907. See account.
- b. Jane Massey Jackson, born in 1910.

## Robert Griffin Jackson (Curtis, Jessie, John, Samuel Jackson)

Robert was born Mar. 24, 1907 in Guthrie, OK, the son of Curtis and Lydia Jane Massey. He died July 24, 1977 in Birmingham, AL, while on a visit, and was buried at Harmony Cemetery, in Logan Co, OK. Robert was a member of the Southern Baptist Church. He married Peggy Lyza Bradley Apr. 20, 1929 in Guthrie.

Peggy Lyza Bradley, was born Mar. 14, 1913 in Old Kemp, OK, the daughter of William Joshua Bradley and Edan Earle Burpo. She died May 18, 1973 in the Hospital at Oklahoma City. Robert and Peggy were the parents of six children:

- 1. Edith Edna Jackson was born June 9, 1930. She married Robert Lee Hankins Aug. 7, 1952. Robert was born Mar. 6, 1932. They had two children:
  - a. Roberts Loa Hankins, born June 11, 1953, married Michael Cowart Aug. 30, 1971.
  - b. Barbara Athena Hankins, born Aug. 23, 1955, married Daniel Clay Martin July 27, 1975.
- Frederick Delbert Jackson was born Mar. 27, 1932 and married Betty Marie Jeter Nov. 12, 1953.
- 3. Cleda Faye Jackson was born Oct. 23, 1934 and married James Earl McCullah Oct. 8, 1955.
- 4. William Jesse Jackson was born Oct. 14, 1937. His first marriage was to Barbara Hawkins, and his second was to Linda K. Staples.
- 5. Frances Jean Jackson was born Jan. 12, 1944 and married Wayne Hilbern.
- Marvin Romain Jackson was born .Jan. 8, 1952 in Logan Co, OK and married Donna Dawes Apr. 7, 1972.

Information used on the Curtis and Jesse Jackson family was furnished by Edith, the daughter of Robert Griffin and and Lydia Massey.

CHAPTER V

## SUSANNAH JACKSON

Eldest daughter of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn

Born (ca.) 1756 in Chester Co, PA, Died Aug. 19, 1840 in Randolph Co, IN

# Married Aug. 5, 1775 to DANIEL BEALS

# Susannah Jackson (Samuel Jackson)

Susannah Jackson was the fourth child and the first daughter of Samuel and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson. She was born ca. 1751(54?), probably in Chester Co, PA. She would have been around the age of ten when her parents moved to North Carolina, settling in Rowan County. Her marriage is recorded in the New Garden MM in Guilford Co, NC as being married to Daniel Beals at Westfield MM on Apr. 5, 1775. Daniel Beals was born Feb. 15, 1753 in Rowan Co, (now Guilford) NC. He was the son of Thomas Beals and Sarah Antrim.

There is no record of **Daniel** purchasing land in Surry Co. There is a deed recorded in Stokes Co, NC, Page 1, vol. 1, dated July 11, 1744, which was a Grant No. 1967 to **Andon Hartness** for 310 acres on the waters of Muddy Creek, and states that it was part of a 500 acre grant to **Daniel Beals**. The land was located on the Moravian Road and joined the land of **John S. Walton** (This land would be in south west Stokes Co, where the Muddy Creek runs into the little Yadkin river, and would be only a few miles south east of Westfield.

Susannah and Daniel were the parents of ten children, all of them were born in North Carolina.

After their long stay in Stokes Co, they moved with their children to Ohio in 1799, settling in Clinton and Highland Counties and from then on they moved about every year. The **Beal's** family history records that they were living on Salt Creek near Adelphus, OH in 1801, and they moved to Lee's Creek in Highland Co, OH in the fall of 1802. In 1803 they were in Mt. Peasants MM, in Virginia, and in 1804 they were Miami MM in Ohio. They were back in Mt. Pleasants, VA in 1808, and from there to Fairfield MM in 1809.

In Nov. 1812, **Daniel** was dismissed from Fairfield for disunity. **Susannah** was a charter member of Clark Creek MM in Highland Co, OH on Dec. 24, 1812. She was a charter member of Newberry MM in Clinton Co, OH on Dec. 2, 1816. She was received at Cherry Grove MM, Randolph Co, IN on Oct. 12, 1826, and she was received at White River MM in Jan. of 1834. **Daniel** had requested membership at Cherry Grove MM but was denied.

Susannah died on Aug. 9, 1840 at the age of 89. Daniel died in Randolph Co, IN, year unknown. After the death of their daughter Sarah, (wife of Jesse Hiatt) they took her three weeks old son, Eli Hiatt into their home and raised him. They also raised Matilda Beals a niece or daughter of Jacob and Beulah (Hiatt) Beals. Matilda married John Hockett Aug. 18, 1827 at Cherry Grove, IN.

Daniel and Susannah were the parents of 10 children:

- 1. Phoebe Beals was born Apr. 11, 1776 in North Carolina and died at ten days later.
- Sarah Beals was born May 15, 1777 and died in 1802. She married Jesse Hiatt Aug. 4, 1800. See account.
- Curtis Beals was born Apr. 28, 1779 in North Carolina and died in 1840. He married Hannah Evans. See account.
- 4. **Bowater Beals** was born June 17, 1781 and married May 25, 1827. There is no further information on **Bowater**.
- 5. Jacob Beals was born July 5, 1783 and married Mary Thornburg Sept. 16 1807. See account.
- 6. Elizabeth Beals, born July 27, 1785, married John Thornburg June 29, 1808. See account.
- 7. Ann Beals was born Dec. 1, 1787, married Jacob Beals in 1810. See account.
- 8. Katherine Beals was born Feb. 28, 1790 and married Daniel Beals in 1808. See account.
- 9. Rachel Beals, born Apr. 24, 1794, married Joseph Thornburg in 1811. See account.
- Susannah Beals was born Dec. 12, 1796. Her first marriage was to John Thornburg in 1815.
   Her second marriage was to Thomas Clevenger in 1850. See account.

Thomas Beals, father of Daniel was born in 1719, and married Sarah Antrim Sept. 12, 1741 at Hopewell, VA. He was the famous Quaker minister believed to be the first in Ohio. He died Aug. 29, 1801 and was buried in a coffin made of a hollow log. Sarah Antrim died July 7, 1813, and is buried at Fairfax. They were the parents of 13 or 15 children. Daniel was their sixth child, and the third son.

Thomas was a brother of Bowater Beals, who married Sarah Ann Cook. They were the parents of Ann Beals who married Jacob Jackson, Ruth Beals who married Curtis Jackson, and Phoebe Beals who married John Jackson. All these Jackson boys were the sons of Samuel and Catherine Jackson.

Sarah was the second daughter of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beals) She was born May 15, 1777 in Surry Co, NC. Her parents moved to Ohio when Sarah was around 20 years old. She married Jesse Hiatt Aug. 4, 1800 in Washington Co, OH.

Jesse was born July 19, 1779 in Guilford Co, NC and died Oct. 11, 1864 in Westfield, Hamilton Co, IN. He was the son of Christopher Hiatt and Elizabeth Mills.

Sarah died at the age of 24 in Oct. or Nov. of 1801, three weeks after having giveng birth to a son, Eli Hiatt. Her parents Susannah and Daniel took and reared the child. After Sarah's death, Jesse Hiatt married Levica Williams in 1809.

 Eli Hiatt was born Oct. 11, 1801, the son of Sarah and Jesse Hiatt. He was born near Chillicothe, Ross Co, OH and died Oct. 26, 1880 in Randolph Co, IN. Eli married Mary Conner of Cincinnati on June 13, 1827 at Cherry Grove MM, Randolph Co, OH. Mary was born May 7, 1805, and died Feb. 18, 1848 in Randolph Co. Eli and Mary are both buried at Cedar F.B.C, Randolph Co. Mary was the daughter of John and Rachel Conner.

Eli was only three weeks old when his mother Sarah Beals Hiatt died. He was raised by his grandparents Daniel and Susannah (Jackson) Beals. They lived in Highland and Clinton Counties, OH. They moved two miles west of Lynn, Randolph Co, in 1825, and he was living in Farmland, Randolph Co in 1837. They were both disowned from Sparrow Creek, MM, in 1863. The Poplar Run MM shows him as a son of John Hiatt and Lydia Stanfield, but should read John Hiatt and Sarah Beals.

## Eli and Mary Conner Hiatt had eight children:

- 1. Sarah Hiatt, born Apr. 8, 1828, married John B, McNeese Aug. 5, 1847
- 2. Annie Hiatt, born Jan. 22, 1831 and died July 13, 1898. She married Eli H. Hiatt July 11, 1853. She was his second wife, and his first cousin. Eli was born in 1821, and died in 1869. He was the son of Jethro and Hannah Cox (Hodgson).
- Jesse Hiatt, born Dec. 29, 1832, married Louisa Stanley Aug. 10, 1856. Louisa died Mar. 8, 1874. Jesse's second marriage was to Martha J. Engle Feb. 4, 1880. Martha, daughter of Samuel and Elisabeth Engle.
- 4. Nancy Hiatt, born Feb. 1, 1835, married Stanley
- 5. Rebecca Hiatt, born Aug. 15, 1837, married Stanley.
- 6. Sabina Hiatt, born Mar. 16, 1811
- 7. Nathan Hiatt, born Sept. 18, 1843, died in 1863
- 8. Eli Hiatt, born Mar. 15, 1845, died in 1863.

## Curtis Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis Beals was born Apr. 28, 1779 in Surry or Guilford Co, NC, the third child of Daniel Beals and Susannah Jackson. He was a young man when his parents moved to Ohio. He married Hannah Evans on Aug. 30, 1801 in Ohio. Hannah was born Apr. 12, 1786, the daughter of Evan and Mary Evans. Curtis died Aug. 9, 1840. He was a farmer, and they had remained in Ohio for several years before moving to Randolph Co, IN. Curtis and Hannah were the parents of fourteen children:

- John Beals was born Oct. 28, 1802 and married Martha Nov. 20, 1824 at Lee's Creek MM in Highland Co, OH.
- Sarah Beals, born Dec. 19, 1804
- Jacob Beals was born Jan. 26, 1807 in OH. He married Rebecca Thornburg July 24, 1827 at Cherry Grove Meeting House in Highland Co, OH. Rebecca was born June 30, 1807 in Oohio, the daughter of Edward and Keziah (Wright) Thornburg.

Jacob and Rebecca were the parents of six children, all born in Indiana:

- a. Jesse Beals, born in 1828
- b. **Joel L. Beals**, born Dec. 11, 1832 in Randolph Co, IN and died May 21, 1913. His first marriage was to **Lucinda Bates**.
- c. Jonathan Beals, born in 1836
- d. Elijah Beals, born in 1840
- e. Jacob Beals Jr., born in 1844
- f. Keziah Beals, married "Marlsby"
- 4. Phoebe Beals was born Oct. 13, 1808 in OH and married Nathan Thornburg Jr. Sept. 18, 1826

at Cherry Grove Meeting House. Nathan was born Apr. 11, 1810. Phoebe died Mar. 14, 1870. Nathan died Aug. 18, 1875, both are buried at Cedar, IN. After Phoebe's death Nathan married Emma Williams Haisley Sept. 5, 1871.

Nathan and Phoebe were the parents of eight children, all born in Indiana:

- a. Rachel Thornburg
- b. Hannah J. Thornburg was born June 15, 1830. She married George W. Wright Feb. 22, 1849
- c. John A. Thornburg was born Dec. 8, 1837. He married Hannah S. who was born Jan. 5, 1846.
- d. Joel Thornburg married Rebecca Ogle Nov, 22, 1853.
- e. Mary E. Thornburg
- f. Martha Tornburg was born May 1, 1845 and died May 13, 1922. She married George W. Thornburg.
- g. Lydia Thornburg
- h. Janetta A. Thornburg born Mar. 13, 1857. No more information.
- 5. Pleasant Beals was born Sept. 21, 1810 and died Feb. 8, 1865. He married Mary Abshier Apr. 1, 1830 at Cherry Grove MM.
- Elizabeth Beals was born Apr. 22, 1812 and married Obediah Harris Mar. 18, 1828 at Cherry Grove MM. Obediah was born Nov. 21, 1810, the son of Obediah and Mary Mooreman Harris

Obadiah Harris and Elizabeth Beals were the parents of seven children, all born in Randolph Co, IN

- a. William Harvey Harris, born in 1830
- b. Sarah Ann Harris, born in 1832
- c. Hannah Harris, born in 1836
- d. Martha Harris, born July 18, 1838
- e. Lucinda Harris, born in 1842
- f. John L. Harris, born in 1844
- g. James R. Harris, born in 1848
- 7. Daniel Beals was born July 22, 1814 in OH. He married Elizabeth St. Clair Dec. 19, 1834.
- Ester Beals was born June 20, 1817, married Francis Wilkins Nov. 12, 1834 at Cherry Grove MM. Francis was born in 1806, the son of Joseph and Sarah Wilkins. He was dismissed for being in disunity with the Society of Friends and embracing water baptism.

Francis Wilkins and Ester Beals were the parents of four choldren, all born in Indiana:

- a. Elena Wilkins, born in 1836
- b. Joseph C. Wilkins, born in 1838
- c. Rebecca Wilkins, born in 1840
- d. Mary C. Wilkins, born in 1846
- Atlantick Ocean Beals was born Feb. 6, 1819 in OH. He married Cary Bradfield Jan. 8, 1836.
   Cary was the son of Joseph and Cynthia Cary Bradfield.

Atlantick Ocean and Carey Bradfield were the parents of seven children, all born in Indiana:

- Cynthia Bradfield, born in 1837
- b. William R. Bradfield, born in 1839
- c. **John Bradfield**, born in 1841
- d. Mary Bradfield born in 1843
- e. Andrew Bradfield, born in 1845
- f. Phoebe A. Bradfield, born in 1847
- g. Hannah Bradfield, born in 1850
- 10. Mary Beals, born May 25, 1821, married?
- 11. Susannah Beals, born Nov. 25, 1823.
- 12. Jesse Beals, born Aug. 24, 1825.
- 13. Evan Beals was born Nov. 25, 1 827. He married Louisa Hester Dec. 5, 1847. Evan and Louisa were the parents of seven children:
  - Malinda J. Beals, born Nov. 29, 1847 and died July 7, 1859.
  - b. Melissa Ann Beals, born June 12, 1849, married "Keever".

- c. Arthur S. Beals was born, June 1, 1851 and died July 30, 1902. He married Alta Beidar Dec. 18, 1871.
- d. Harry Alexander Beals was born Mar. 19, 1853 and died Mar. 1, 1862.
- e. John Charles Fremont Beals was born Dec. 20, 1855 and died Dec. 6, 1944. He married Mary Lee French Apr. 10, 1876. Mary French was born Dec. 26, 1841, in Chesterfield, IN, the daughter of George M. French and Bridget Sumpton.
- f. William 0. Beals, born Dec. 31, 1858
- g. Lenices Benton Beals was born in 1861 and died Mar. 1, 1862
- 14. Curtis Beals was born Jan. 22, 1830 and died Oct. 10, 1863. He married Mary Ann Smith Nov. 11, 1849.

## Pleasant Beals (Curtis, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Pleasant was born Sept. 21, 1810 in Clinton Co, OH, the son of Curtis Beals and Hannah Evans. He married Mary Abshire Apr. 1, 1830 in Randolph Co, IN. Mary was born Sept. 27, 1809 in VA. Pleasant entered eighty acres of land in Washington Township, Randolph Co, IN in 1838. They remained on this farm, enduring all the toils, hardships, and deprivations of pioneer life until the year 1864 when they temporally moved to Merom, Sullivan Co. They did not remain there very long due to the failing health of his wife Mary. They returned to their home in Randolph Co, where she died Dec. 31, 1864, After Mary's death, Pleasant returned to Merom where he died Feb. 8, 1865. His remains were brought back to Randolph Co, IN and he was buried beside his wife in the New Liberty Cemetery. They were both members of the Christian Church, and were among the first organizers of that Church in Randolph Co.

Pleasant and Mary were the parents of eight children:

- James A. Beals was born Jan. 23, 1831 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Ann Thornburg. See account.
- 2. Hannah Beals
- 3. Beals, unnamed
- Curtis E. Beals was born Apr. 6, 1835 in Indiana. His first marriage was to Mary Thornburg on Oct. 3, 1857. His second marriage was to Sarah A. Mills Dec. 29, 1882.
- 5. Isaac N. Beals was born Mar. 5, 1837 and died Feb. 29, 1892. He married Martha J. Pratt Aug. 16, 1856. See account...
- 6. Abner Beals, no information
- 7. Pleasant W. Beals was born May 21, 1843 and died Nov. 11, 1921. He married Teresa Hinshaw Jan. 25, 1862. Pleasant was in business with his brother Isaac.
- 8. John B. Beals was born in Indiana.

#### Isaac N. Bales (Beals)

The following is from "The History of Randolph County, Indiana":

This gentleman, one of Randolph County's honored and respected citizens, is the son of **Pleasant** and **Mary Bales**, and was born in this county Mar. 5, 1837. He is the fifth of a family of eight children, of whom six are now living. His father was born in OH, his mother in VA. His grandfather, **Curtis Bales**, was one of the pioneers of this county, having become a resident in 1824.

The object of this sketch spent his boyhood on his father's farm, assisting him in clearing a homestead from the forest; his experience was severe, having to toil very hard in his earlier life. His educational advantages were very poor, having no free schools, he attended from six weeks to two months in the spring and winter for a few years only. He was married to **Martha J. Pratt** Aug. 16, 1856. After marriage, he and his wife settled on the farm where they now reside. At that time, there were but forty acres, which he rented for two years, and then bought, going in debt \$800. The farm he lives on now consists of 100 acres of well improved land, with seventy-five acres cleared. He also owns a farm of eighty acres in Jay Co. His farm is under a high state of cultivation, with convenient and commodious buildings, is comfortably situated. In addition to the cultivating grain, he gives mention to the raising of hogs and cattle.

Isaac enlisted in the army Aug. 5, 1862, in Company E, Sixty-ninth Regiment, Indiana Infantry. He was a brave soldier and did gallant service for his country. He was actively engaged with his regiment in

many severe battles. He was never wounded, but he was confined in the hospital at Indianapolis and Natchez from two attacks of the lung fever. He took an active part in the battles of Richmond (KY), Chickasaw Bluffs, Arkansas Post, the siege of Vicksburg, etc. After the siege of Vicksburg, he was transferred, with his regiment to New Orleans, where they engaged in several skirmishes. They were then transferred to the disastrous and fatal Red River expedition, in which the Sixty-ninth suffered greatly, marching for thirteen days and-nights without rest. They then arrived at Blakely, Alabama, the defense of Mobile. This place was besieged for six or seven days, and then carried by storm, which they captured with a large number of prisoners. They then took possession of Mobile without further resistance. After the capture of Blakely and Mobile, the Sixty-ninth was deployed to convey the prisoners to Ship Island; after which Mr. Bales' Company accompanied Major General C. C. Andrews as bodyguard to Salem, Alabama. They then returned to Mobile, where they were placed on provost duty, where they remained until mustered out of service, July 5, 1865.

After his return home, Isaac opened a stock of goods at his home in Washington Township in the spring of 1874. In the fall of the same year, he moved his stock to Wood's Station, taking as a partner in a general mercantile business his brother, Pleasant W. Bales. They kept a large and well selected stock of goods and did a thriving business. While at Wood's Station, Mr. Bales acted as Postmaster and ticket agent. He remained here until the fall of 1876, when he sold out to Lewis Norton and returned to his farm.

As a business man, Mr. Bales was industrious, economical, and successful. He and his family are acceptable members of the Christian Church at New Liberty, both being charter members. He has been Treasurer of this church ever since its organization. He is a stanch Republican, and is an industrious worker in the party. His father was a Free Soiler.

Isaac strictly temperate in his habits, an honest, moral, upright citizen, a kind husband, an affectionate father and a true friend. Mr. and Mrs. Bales are the parents of three children, of whom two are living, William H. Bales, born Sept. 11, 1857; Mary E. Bales, born Jan. 19, 1861, deceased Nov. 7, 1861, Magnolia M. Bales born Jan. 29, 1868.

- William H. Bales was born Sept. 11, 1857 and married Mary A. Fisher. Mary is the daughter of Amos and Ann Fisher. William and Mary have one child, Newton A. Bales.
- Mary A. Bales, born Jan. 19, 1861, died Nov. 7, 1861
- 3. Magnolia M. Bales, born Jan. 29, 1868.

Martha Jane (Platt) Bales was the wife of Isaac N. Bales and the daughter of Abram C. and Eliza (Homer) Platt. She was born in Wayne County, IN Mar. 16, 1838. She is the eldest of a family of three children, two of whom are living. Her father was born in New Jersey and her mother in Ohio. Her parents came to this state in early times, and settled in Wayne Co. Her father died when she was but three years of age, and her mother followed in the year 1862. She lived with her grandfather until she was eight years old, then she found a home with David and Martha Taylor, who were members of the Society of Friends. She lived with them until she was eighteen years old, when she married Isaac Bales.

Mrs. Bales is a most estimable woman, and has been of great assistance to her husband in his business. During the time Isaac was in the army, she took upon herself the entire management of the farm and did it well. She is a consistent member of the church a devoted wife, an affectionate mother and a valuable member of society.

James A. Bales was born in OH, Sept. 21, 1810, the son of Pleasant and Mary Bales. He married Ann Thornburg Nov. 20, 1853. Ann was born May 11, 1817. They were the parents of two children, Marion S. and Edward W. Bales. Ann and the children died, and James married Mary J. Lamm on Apr. 14, 1865.

Mary was born Apr. 11, 1841, the daughter of Josiah and Elizabeth (York) Lamm and were natives of North Carolina.

They are members of the Christian Church, and James owns a farm of 100 acres. There was one known daughter: Rebecca A. Bales, born Sept. 30, 1866.

#### Jacob Beals (Curtis, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Beals was the son of Daniel and Susannah Jackson Beals. He was born July 5, 1783 in North Carolina and moved with his parents to Ohio. He married Mary Margaret Thornburg Sept. 16, 1807 at Miami MM, Fairfield Township, Highland Co, OH. Mary was born June 27, 1785 in North Carolina, died Aug. 20, 1858 in Henry Co, IA, and was buried at Cedar Creek. She was the daughter of Edward Thornburg and Phoebe Sumner. She was a sister of Joseph Thornburg who married his sister Rachel Beals.

Jacob and Mary lived in Clinton Co, OH where all of their children were born. After 1822 they moved to Henry Co, IA. Jacob died in Henry Co, on Oct. 19, 1855. The "Beals Family History" by Roger Boone gives the date of his death as Aug. 24, 1867, at the age of 84 years, 1 month, and 19 days. They were the parents of five children:

1. Isaac Beals was born June 29, 1808 and married Sarah Dorcus Rooks Sept. 29, 1830. Isaac was the one who changed the spelling of the Beals name to "Bales. He and his wife Sarah were the parents of ten children:

Isaac Beals and Sarah Rooks were the parents of 10 children:

- a. William Beals was dismissed from Salem MM, Henry Co, IN on Mar. 3, 1852 for marrying out of unity.
- b. Margaret "Mary" A. Beals
- c. Joseph Beals
- d. Elizabeth "Betsy" Beals
- e. Lucinda Beals
- f. Malinda Beals
- g Jesse Beals, born Aug. 16, 18. He was in the Civil War
- h. John Beals was born Dec. 12, 1844. He was in the Civil War
- i. Isaac M. Beals, born Dec. 1, 1847, married Hannah Haskin Dec. 3, 1869. See account.
- j. Patience Beals (Bales)
- Curtis Beals was born Oct. 17, 1812 in Clinton Co, OH and died Aug. 8, 1893. He married Mary Johnson at Lynn MM, Randolph Co, IN on Sept. 21, 1836. Mary was born Apr. 20, 1819 in Butler Co, OH. She was the daughter of Jonathan and Hannah Johnson. Curtis and Mary were the parents of five children:
  - a. Jonathan Beals, was born Aug. 2, 1837 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Rachel M. Trueblood. Rachel was born Apr. 30, 1837 the daughter of Jonathan N. Trueblood and Christiana Hoggatt.
  - b. Hannah Beals, born Sept. 11, 1840 in Henry Co, 1A
  - c. Lucinda Beals, born Mar. 23, 1843 in Henry Co, IA
  - d. Emily Beals, born Apr. 2, 1845 in Henry Co, IA
  - e. William Henry Beals, born July 21, 1854, in Henry Co, IA.
- 3. Edward Beals was born Oct. 3, 1814 in OH. He married Lydia Johnson June 23, 1836 in Randolph Co, IN at Lynn MM. Lydia was born June 11, 1821 and died Apr. 19, 1847. She was the daughter of Jonathan and Hannah Johnson, and a sister to Mary Johnson, wife of his brother Curtis Beals.
- Jesse Beals was born May 29, 1820 in Clinton Co, OH. He married Mary Amburn
  Mar. 9, 1839 at White River MM, in Indiana. Mary was born Mar. 6, 1820. This family was
  living in Crawford Co, KS in 1867.
- Lucinda Beals was born June 17, 1822 in Clinton Co, OH. She married William Cook
  Mar. 3, 1841 at Salem MM, in the Iowa Territory. William was born Dec. 6, 1820, son of
  Nathan and Sarah Denny Cook.

#### Isaac M. Beals (Isaac, Jacob Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Isaac was the son of Isaac and Sarah (Rooks) Beals. He was born Dec. 1, 1847 near Salem, Henry Co, IN. He was next to the youngest of ten children. When he was eighteen years old, he enlisted in the military at Mt. Pleasant, IA and took his training at Camp McClellan, Davenport, IA. He fought in several skirmishes in the Civil War as a private in Company K, 19th Regiment lowa Infantry.

He married Hannah Hoskin Dec. 3, 1869. Hannah was born Dec. 7, 1850 in Salem, Henry Co, IA.

Isaac and Hannah moved to Rooks Co, KS around 1900. Hannah's parents Joel and Marjorie (Pearson) Hoskin had emigrated there in 1878. Her brother and sister, Jonathan and Lydia Ann, followed in 1879. John and William Hoskin and Isaac Beals and family were the last of the Hoskins family to leave Iowa.

There were more Beals families who settled in Rooks Co. They were all farmers and took up land adjoining homesteads. They settled near a small town called "Motor" which was later called "Codell". The school that the children attended had about thirty-two students, and at one time thirty of them were cousins. Isaac died in Plainville, KS Mar. 18, 1924. Hannah died near Cordell, KS on Jan. 8, 1902. Burial was in Shiloh Cemetery. They were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Billie May Beals was born Oct. 2, 1879 and died of pneumonia at twenty years of age.
- 2. Arlando Beals, born May 16, 1872, died in infancy.
- 3. Elvira Beals was born Dec. 26, 1874 and died in infancy.
- 4. Elmira Beals, born Dec 26, 1874 and was a twin to Elvira
- Clark Beals was born Apr. 18, 1876. He married Bertha Alice Moore Oct. 6, 1902. They moved to the state of Washington where he died Jan. 23, 1958. They had one known daughter, Pearl Beals of the state of Washington.
- Lydia Bell Beals, born Aug. 8, 1885, married James Albert Foster Nov. 9, 1904 in Stockton, KS. James was the son of Henry and Sarah (Steadman) Foster. They lived in Plainville, KS, for awhile and in 1912, moved to Neosho Rapids, KS where they lived and reared their family. Lydia died in Neosho Rapids, on July 24, 1958.
- 7. Malinda Elizabeth Beals was born Sept. 22, 1886. She married Solomon Nordgde
  Pearson Nov. 5, 1906 in Stockton, KS. Solomon was the son of David and Ruth (Hodson)
  Pierson. They lived most of their lives in Rooke Co, KS, near Plainsville. They had no children.

#### Elizabeth Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was the sixth child of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beats. She was born July 27, 1785 in North Carolina. She married John Thornburg June 29, 1808 at Fairfield MM in Ohio. John Thornburg was born Mar. 14, 1784 in North Carolina, the son of Joseph and Rachel (Brown) Thornburg. Elizabeth died Mar. 9, 1845, and John died Sept. 12, 1874 in Ohio. They are buried at Fairfield MM Cemetery. They were the parents of three known children:

- 1. Rachel B. Thornburg was born Feb. 27, 1809 in Ohio.
- Louisa J. Thornburg was born Jan. 14, 1812. She married July 21, 1831 Silas Woodmansee
- 3. Isaac Norton Thornburg was born Mar. 24, 1817 in Ohio. He married Celia Eastiack Dec. 20, 1842.

#### Ann Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson

Ann Beals was the seventh child of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beals. She was born Dec. 1, 1787 in North Carolina. She married Jacob Beals Mar. 8, 1810 in Highland Co, OH. Jacob Beals born June 8, 1788. They were the parents of five known children, all born in Ohio:

- 1. Joel Beals was born Jan. 2, 1817 and married Sofia Rhonemus Dec. 3, 1840.
- 2. Curtis Beals was born Sept. 1, 1820. He married Mary Ann John May 7, 1840.
- 3. Lydia Beals married William Moon Sept. 10, 1829.
- 4. Jesse Beals, married Mary Routh Oct. 28, 1830.
- 5. Rachel Beals was born in 1813 and died in 1813.

## Katherine Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Katherine was the daughter of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beals. She was born Feb. 28, 1790 in Surry Co, NC. She was about seven or eight years old when her parents moved to Ohio. She married Daniel Beals on Jan. 24, 1807.

Daniel, a cousin was born Aug. 7, 1784 in Lancaster Co, Menaflin Township, PA. He was the son of Jacob Beals and Elizabeth Blackburn, who had moved to Green Co, TN, and then to Warren Co, OH. He died Apr. 20, 1856 in Randolph Co, IN.

They were members of the Newberry MM in Ohio in 1828. They moved to White River, IN, and Katherine was received by certificate to Chester MM, Wayne Co, IN on Apr. 19,1866. She died at the

age of 84 on Dec. 8, 1874. Katherine and Daniel were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Jacob Beals was born Dec. 19, 1807 and married Charity Hockett Feb. 1, 1827. See account.
- Susannah Beals was born Dec. 10, 1809 and married Richard Puckett Oct. 14, 1829. See account.
- 3. Hannah Beals was born Jan. 31, 1811 and died at the age of 34 on May 2, 1845. She married Amos Hiatt Sept. 14, 1834.
- Elizabeth Beals was born Feb. 7, 1812 in OH. She married Tyre Puckett Nov. 20, 1830. See account
- 5. Samuel Beals was born Mar. 2, 1816. He married Rachel Jessup Jan. 13, 1838 at White River MM. Rachel was born Aug. 27, 1814, the daughter of Isaac and Ann (Hawkins) Jessup.
- Amer Jackson Beals was born Mar. 6, 1818 and died Apr. 16, 1862. His first marriage was to Harriet Higginbotham Oct. 16, 1842. His second marriage was to Matilda H. Quick Aug. 11, 1857. See account.
- Rachel Beals was born in 1820 and died before July 4, 1846. She married Jefferson Jackson Apr. 14, 1841.
- Mahala Beals was born May 18, 1821 in Randolph Co, IN and died Nov. 10, 1910. Her first marriage was to Andrew Jackson Oct. 17, 1838. Her second marriage was to Nathan Hodgin (Hodson)Aug. 27, 1860,
- 9. Daniel Beals was born Nov. 18, 1827 and died July 10, 1905. His first marriage was to Lavina Hiatt Dec 24, 1848. Lavina was born Feb. 4, 1819, the daughter of John and Rachel Glandon, and a sister of Amos Hiatt, husband of Daniel's sister Hannah.
- 10. Phoebe Beals was born Sept. 13, 1831 and died Feb. 22, 1921. She married Jesse F. Baldwin Aug. 16, 1852. The were the parents of at least one child:
  - a. Nereus B. Baldwin (Phoebe, Katherine, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)
    The following was taken from the "History of Randolph Co, Indiana":

Nereus was born in Wayne Co, IN, Apr. 6, 1854, the son of Jesse F. Baldwin and Phoebe Bales, (Beals). Mr. Baldwin was a teacher educated in the district schools and at Lynn. Since 1872, he has spent the larger part of his time in teaching. Mr. Baldwin married Martha E. Gorden Apr. 17, 1875, who was born July 8, 1828, in Randolph Co, IN. Her father, James Gordon, was born in Ohio Apr. 30, 1828, Her mother, Sidney (Slaughter) Gordon, was born in North Carolina.

Mr. Baldwin is a member of and on earnest worker in the Christian Church. He owns a neat little farm of thirty-five acres, in section 81, on which he resides. Mr. Baldwin is a sterling gentleman. They had one son, Gilbert A. Baldwin, born Mar. 2, 1879 in Randolph Co.

For accounts on daughters Rachel and Mahala Beals, see account of William Jackson, son of Samuel and Catherine Jackson.

#### Jacob Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob was born Dec. 19, 1807 in Ohio, the son of Daniel and Katherine Beals. He married Charity Hockett Feb. 1, 1827 in Clinton Co, OH, at Newberry Meeting House.

Charity Hockett was born Dec. 10, 1807, daughter of Benjamin, and Charity (Beck) Hockett. After the death of Jacob, Charity married Joseph Jessup. In 1834 they were living in Grant Co, IN and were members of the Beck MM.

Jacob and Charity were the parents of five known children, all born in Indiana:

- 1. Lucinda Beals, born Dec. 12, 1827
- 2. Eli Beals, born Jan. 1, 1829
- 3. Charity Beals, born Mar. 3, 1831
- Katherine Beals, born Mar. 3, 1831. Katherine and Charity were twins.
- Mary Beals, born Apr. 2, 1832

## Susannah Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah Beals was born Dec. 10, 1809 in Ohio, the daughter of Katherine and Daniel Beals. She married Richard Puckett Oct. 14, 1829 at White River MM, Randolph Co, IN. Richard was born June 6, 1808 and died before 1850. He was the son of Thomas and Mary Puckett. Susannah was a

member of the Sparrow Creek MM in 1841, and she was disowned in 1844 for joining the Dunkirk A.S.F. They were the parents of eight known children:

- 1. Thomas Puckett, born June 30, 1830, in Indiana
- 2. Daniel Puckett, born July 7, 1832
- Enos Nathan Puckett, born Jan. 13, 1834, died in 1809 in Elk City, Montgomery Co, KS. He married Mary Ann Marshall July 16, 1851.

Mary was born Sept. 20, 1833 in Indiana and died Jan. 31, 1900, the daughter of Stephen Marshall and Gulana Elliott.

Enos' second wife's name is unknown. He was living in Indiana, and moved to Iowa in 1880. He was living in MO, moved back to Iowa, and in 1888, was living in Montgomery Co, KS.

- 4. Tamar Puckett was born Dec. 2, 1835 in Clinton Co, OH and married S. Roberts.
- 5. Mary Catherine Puckett, born Nov. 3, 1837
- 6 Hannah Puckett, born June 5, 1839
- 7. Richard Puckett was born Feb. 2, 1841 in Indiana and died Aug. 31, 1920. He married Phoebe Frazier Mar. 8, 1862. Phoebe was born June 17, 1842 and died Apr. 13, 1914. She was the daughter of Thomas Frazier, and Orpha (Pidgeon)? and was living in Dixon Co, NE in 1883.
- 8. Henry Puckett, born Feb. 2, 1841 in Indiana.

## Hannah Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Hannah was born Jan. 31, 1811 in Ohio, the third child and second daughter of Daniel and Katherine Beals. She died in Randolph Co, IN on May 2, 1845 at the age of 34 years. She married Amos Hiatt Sept. 14, 1834. Amos was born Apr. 20, 1811 in Guilford Co, NC, the son of John and Rachel (Glander) Hiatt. He died in Randolph Co, Nov. 24, 1873.

After the death of Hannah, Amos married Martha A. Roberts Dec. 27, 1848.

Amos and Hannah were the parents of five children, all born in Randolph Co, IN:

- 1. Louisa Jane Hiatt was born Sept. 29, 1835. She married Jonathan S. Hiatt Sept. 8, 1866. Jonathan was born Mar. 1, 1840 in Henry Co, IN, the son of Silas and Mary (Davis) Hiatt.
- 2. Lucinda Evaline Hiatt was born Aug. 16, 1837. She married William Diggs.
- 3. Samuel Martin Hiatt was born June 9, 1839 and died in Randolph Co, in 1908. He married Majorie Hickman.
- 4. Malissa Ann Hiatt, born Jan. 7, 1841 and died young.
- John Wesley Hiatt was born Oct. 7, 1842 and died in the Civil War. He never married.

## Elizabeth Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was born Feb. 7, 1812 in Indiana, the daughter of Daniel and Katherine Beals. She married Tyre Taylor Puckett in Randolph Co, Nov. 20, 1830. They settled on a farm near Cerro Gords in Randolph Co after their marriage. Elizabeth died in Randolph Co. July 17, 1838.

Tyre Taylor Puckett was born Jan. 15, 1810 in Surry Co, NC, the eldest child of Joseph and Mary (Garrett) Puckett. He moved to Clinton Co, OH with his parents, in 1814 and from there to Randolph Co, IN in 1819. Tyre's second marriage was to Mrs. Eliza Hill Johnson Nov. 10, 1845. Eliza was daughter of John Johnson and Esther Davis. They had one daughter named Viretta. Tyre died Sept. 12, 1890. Eliza died July 28, 1904.

A Certificate was received on June 19, 1819 for Joseph Puckett and sons Tyre, Welcome, Benjamin and Micajah.

Elizabeth and Tyre Puckett were parents of five children:

- Caleb Garrett Puckett was born Feb. 5, 1831, in Indiana. He married Anna Worth July 1, 1865.
   Anna died Apr. 8, 1872. They had one son:
  - a. Elva Puckett born June 9, 1869 and died July 27, 1880. Caleb's second marriage was to Hannah J. Mansfield Mar. 23, 1874. She died Nov. 9, 1890 in Randolph Co, IN.
- Elma Puckett was born June 23, 1832. She married Allan H. Jackson Feb. 10, 1856. Allan was
  the son of Elijah and Ann Puckett Jackson of Randolph Co, IN. Elijah Jackson was the son of
  William and Mary Jessup Jackson, and a brother to Susannah Beals. For account on Elma
  Beals, see chapter on William Jackson.
- 3. Ira Puckett was born Apr. 22, 1834. He married Miriam (Polly Ann) Johnson Feb. 10,

1857. Miriam was born May 28, 1834, the daughter of Jacob and Susan (Jackson) Johnson. Ira died Sept. 1868. The name of only one daughter, Clara, is known.

- a. Clara Puckett was born Nov. 17, 1857. She married George Gillum Sept. 18, 1875. George was the son of John and Lucy (Green) Gillum. They were the parents of two children:
  - 1) Dora Bell, born May 18, 1876, died in 1877
  - 2) Cora May Gillum born Feb. 8, 1878.
- 4. Luna Puckett was born Aug. 16, 1835 and died July 27, 1836
- 5. Viretta Puckett was born Oct. 23, 1849. She married William R. Green Oct. 24, 1869.

#### Amer Jackson Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Amer J. Beals was born Mar. 6, 1818 in OH, the son of Katherine and Daniel Beals. His first marriage Harriet Higginbotham Oct. 16, 1842 in Randolph Co, IN. Harriet was born in 1819 in OH. His second marriage was to Matilda H. (Nolin) Quick Aug. 11, 1857.

Amer and Harriet were the parents of five children:

- 1. Thomas C. Beals, born Oct. 20, 1845
- 2. William S. Beals, born in 1843
- 3. Daniel Beals was born Oct. 28, 1847 at Cerrogorda, Randolph Co, IN. He served in Company E of the 57th Infantry Volunteers Regiment of Indiana. His first marriage was to Nancy Jane Davis Aug. 17, 1867. She died Feb. 11,1873 at Hickman Co, NE, after giving birth to a baby girl. His second marriage was to Frances Elizabeth Maize Dec. 1, 1875 at Oak Grove, Seward Co, NE by Lewis Moler, Justice of the Peace. The marriage is recorded in Seward Co, NE. Daniel died June 21, 1920 in Longdale, OK.

Daniel Beals, and Nancy Jane Davis were the parents of four children:

- a. Leroy Hamilton Beals, born June 6, 1868
- b. Eunice V. Beals, born July 11, 1869
- c. Rosalie A. Beals, born Feb. 1871
- d. Mary Jane Beals was born Feb. 7, 1873. Her mother died four days after her birth. Daniel Beals, and Frances Elizabeth Maize were the parents of eleven children:
- e. William T. Beals, born Nov. 11, 1876
- f. Sarah A. Beals, born Nov. 1, 1878
- g. Minnie 0. Beals
- h. Myrtle M. Beals, born July 20, 1884
- i. Elizabeth M. Beals, born Oct. 29 1886
- i. Martha M. Beals, born Sept. 8, 1888
- k. Susan A. Beals, born Sept. 13, 1890
- 1. ha A. Beals, born Nov. 23, 1892
- m. Charles A. Beals, born Nov. 18, 1894, enlisted for the service May 27, 1918 at Alva, AL.
- n.. Hiram F. Beals, born Sept. 3, 1896
- o. Ernest B. Beals, born Jan. 8, 1899, enlisted as a private Sept. 2, 1917 at Enid, OK.
- 4. Joel Franklin Beals was born Dec. 15, 1849 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Mary C. Abbott Mar. 21, 1871. Joel died Aug. 26, 1921.
- 5. Sarah C. Beals was born Nov. 2, 1853 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Morris, Mapes.

## Amer and Matilda were the parents of one child:

6. Cassius C. Beals was born Nov. 7, 1860. This child must have died, as she was not listed on the War records being under the age of 16 years.

Amer enlisted in Nov. 1861 at Richmond, IN in Company C, Indiana Volunteers Infantry. He died in Nashville, TN in 1862 of pneumonia contracted in service, and was a private at the time of death.

#### Phoebe Ann Beals (Katherine Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Phoebe was born Sept. 13, 1831 in Randolph Co, IN, the daughter of Katherine and Daniel Beals. She married Jesse Franklin Baldwin on Aug. 14, 1852 at Springfield MM in Wayne Co, IN.

Jesse was born Feb. 25, 1827, the son of Jesse Baldwin and Margaret Beeson.

Phoebe died on Feb. 22, 1921 and Jesse died June 2, 1887. They are both buried in the Cherry Grove

MM Cemetery in Randolph Co, IN.

Jesse and Phoebe were the parents of eight known children:

- Nereus B. Baldwin was born Apr. 6, 1854 in Wayne Co, IN and married Martha E. Gordon Apr. 17, 1875.
- 2. Lindley M. Baldwin, born Dec. 12, 1855 in Wayne Co, IN, married "Mary Ann" Apr. 12, 1890 at Cherry Grove MM.
- 3. Daniel Sylvester Baldwin, born Dec. 26, 1857, married May 11, 1892 at Cherry Grove Monthly meeting. The name of his wife is unknown.
- 4. Benjamin F. Baldwin, born Aug. 7, 1860 in Indiana married "Bessie" Mar. 11, 1893.
- 5. Lorinda C. Baldwin was born Mar. 4, 1863, in Indiana and married James Dervage.
- Alvin A. Baldwin, born Jan. 4, 1866 in Indiana, married Carrie Dickson May 11, 1897. He died May 16, 1897, at age 31 years, 4 months, and seven days. He is buried at Cherry Grove, F.B.G., IN.
- 7. Lucinda M, Baldwin, born Sept. 14, 1869, in Indiana, married Ora Harris.
- 8. Luther A. Baldwin was born May 11, 1872 and married "Malinda" June 8, 1895 at Cherry Grove MM

#### Rachel Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel Beals was born Apr. 24, 1794 in North Carolina, the daughter of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beals. She married Joseph Thornburg in Highland Co, OH, at Fairfield MM Dec. 12, 1811. Joseph Thornburg was born June 13, 1783 in North Carolina, the son of Edward Thornburg and Phoebe Sumner (Haworth) Thornburg. Edward and Rachel lived in Highland Co, OH, and after 1831 they moved to Randolph Co, IN. Edward died in 1872. They were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Susannah Thornburg was born Dec. 16, 1812 in Highland Co, OH. She married Edward Thornburg July 30, 1831 in Randolph Co. She died Nov. 4, 1872. See account.
- 2. Phoebe Thornburg was born May 15, 1814 in Highland Co, OH. She married John Johnson Nov. 17, 1830 at Cherry Grove, Randolph Co. She died Mar. 10, 1851. See account.
- 3. Nathan Thornburg was born May 6, 1816 in Ohio. His first marriage was to Hannah Johnson Nov. 4, 1833 at Lynn MM in Randolph Co. She was the daughter of Jesse Johnson and Elizabeth Chamness, and a sister of John Johnson who married Nathan's sister Phoebe Beals. The name of his second wife is unknown. They had two children:
  - a. Jesse Thornburg, born May 12, 1838
  - b Lei Thornburg was born May 12, 1838, a twin to Jesse.
- Mary Thornburg was born Apr. 30, 1818 and died Oct. 3, 1857. She married Morris Reese July 4, 1844.
- 5. Elizabeth Thornburg was born Apr. 22, 1820. She married Jesse Mills Oct. 19, 1836. See account.
- 6. Daniel Thornburg, born July 30, 1824
- 7. Edward Thornburg was born May 12, 1827. He married Mary Jane Cook Feb. 6, 1845.
- 8. Rachel Thornburg was born Aug. 20, 1829. She married James Mann May 4, 1851.
- Sarah Thornburg was born June 19, 1831 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Maranda Jackson Jan. 4, 1849.
- 10. Joseph Thornburg, born in 1834 in Randolph Co, IN.
- 11. Hannah Thornburg, born in 1835 in Randolph Co, IN.
- 12. Levi Thornburg was born Nov. 1, 1837 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Sarah Vanderburg Nov. 1, 1856 in Randolph Co. Levi died Mar. 17, 1924 in Dallas Co, IA. They were the parents of five known children:
  - a. Luella Thornburg, born 1858 in Randolph Co, IN
  - b. Alonzo S. Thornburg was born July 25, 1860 in Randolph Co, IN.
  - c. Rachel A. Thornburg was born in Indiana and never married.
  - d. George W. Thornburg, born Sept. 12, 1863
  - e. Joseph A. C. Thornburg, born in 1865

# Susannah Thornburg (Rachel Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah was born Dec. 16, 1812 in Highland Co, IN. She married Edward Thornburg in Randolph

Co, July 30, 1831. Edward was born in 1807 in Guilford Co, NC. He was the son of Isaac and Rebecca (Hudson) Thornburg and the brother of John Thornburg who married her aunt Susannah, a sister of her mother Rachel.

Susannah died May 4, 1872 in Randolph Co. Edward married Mrs. Lydia A. Petro after Susannah's death. He died in 1895 in Randolph Co. Susannah and Edward were the parents of thirteen children, all born in Randolph Co, IN.

- 1. Elizabeth Thornburg was born Mar. 30, 1832 and died unmarried Nov. 7, 1862 at age 30.
- 2. Rachel Thornburg, born Jan. 18, 1834
- 3. Margaret Thornburg was born Dec. 27, 1835 and married Samuel Smithson Sept. 30, 1852.
- 4. Mary Ann Thornburg, born Dec. 12, 1837, married William Terrell Mar. 27, 1856.
- 5. Martha Thornburg, born Apr. 11, 1840, married Arron Oren Nov. 30, 1865.
- 6. Rebecca Thornburg was born July 11, 1842 and married Thomas Gilmore June 30, 1859.
- 7. Elizabeth Thornburg was born July 5, 1844 and married Isaac Gibson Mar. 24, 1869
- 8. Caroline Thornburg was born Dec. 24, 1846 and married Silas Dudley May 24, 1866.
- 9. Isaac D. Thornburg was born May 20, 1848 and married Susan Sutton Aug. 27, 1865.
- 10. Joseph M. Thornburg, born Oct. 21, 1850
- 11. John W. Thornburg, born Jan. 3, 1853
- 12. Sarah E. Thornburg, born Nov. 4, 1855
- 13. George H. Thornburg was born Apr. 13, 1859 and married Celia A. Brewer.

# Phoebe Thornburg (Rachel Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Phoebe was born May 15, 1814 in Highland Co, OH, the second daughter of Rachel Beals and Joseph Thornburg. She married John Johnson Nov. 17, 1830 at Cherry Grove, MM. John was born Aug. 9, 1812 in North Carolina the son of Jesse and Elizabeth Chamness Johnson. They resided in Randolph Co, IN where all of their children were born. Phoebe died Mar. 10, 1851 at age 37 years. John's second marriage was to Rebecca Rockhill. He died in Randolph Co, Nov. 17, 1830. Phoebe and John were the parents of eight children:

- 1. **Joshua M. Johnson** was born Sept. 13, 1831. He married **Amanda Pegg**. He was disowned from Cherry Grove MM on Aug. 10, 1854, for unbecoming language.
- Elihu Johnson was born May 19, 1834 in Randolph Co, IN. He was dismissed from Cherry Grove MM, Aug. 10, 1854 for unbecoming language,
- 3. Susannah Johnson
- 4. Jonathan C. Johnson, born in 1840
- 5. Daniel B. Johnson
- Isaac V. D. R. Johnson's first marriage was to Martha Vandergriff Oct. 28, 1865. His second marriage was to Abigail Osborn Sept. 12, 1885.
- 7. William H. Johnson, born in 1844
- 8. George W. Johnson, born in 1848

#### Elizabeth Thornburg (Rachel Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was born Apr. 22, 1820, the fifth daughter of Rachel Beals, and Joseph Thornburg. She married Jesse Mills Oct. 19, 1836 at Cherry Grove MM in Randolph Co, IN. Jesse Mills was born 1809 in North Carolina, the son of Solomon Hiatt Mills and Rachel Hodgson.

Joseph and Elizabeth lived in Washington Township, Randolph Co, IN. The names of their children were taken from the Randolph Co 1860 census. They may have had other children that were older and not listed on the census records. They were the parents of seven known children, all born in Randolph Co, IN:

- 1. Joseph A. Mills, born Nov. 14, 1841, married Jane Thornburg Jan. 26, 1861.
- 2. Isaac Mills, born in 1845.
- 3. Rachel Mills, born in 1846
- 4. Solomon B. Mills, born in 1848.
- 5. Elisha Mills, born 1850.
- Sarah J. Mills, born 1852.
- Hannah A. Mills, born 1858.

## Susannah Beals (Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Susannah was born Dec. 12, 1796 in Co, the youngest child of Susannah Jackson and Daniel Beals. She was just a small child when her parents moved to Highland Co, OH, where she grew up. She married John Thornburg at the Newberry MM on Sept. 21, 1815. John was born July 19, 1793 in Guilford Co, NC, the son of Isaac and Rebecca (Hodges) Thornburg. John died June 16, 1845 at the age of 53 in Randolph Co, IN.

They lived in Highland Co, OH where their first three children were born, after 1818 they moved to Randolph Co, IN where six more children were born. Susannah died Apr. 1, 1882, both she and John are buried at Union Cemetery Randolph Co, IN.

After the death of John, Susannah married Thomas Clevenger Dec. 26, 1850.

# From "The History of Randolph Co, Indiana" by Tucker, page 149:

The White River MM, Randolph Co, IN, Sept. 6, 1828. John and sons William Armfield, Isaac and Curtis were received on certificate from Springfield MM, IN. Also, Susannah and daughters Rebecca, Rachel and Elizabeth.

May 14, 1836, John of Cabin Creek Meeting complained of for "withdrawing from the society and siding in, setting up, and holding meetings contrary to disciplines" for which he was disowned July 9, 1836. Susannah was also disowned.

About 1834 there was a defection in the Hardshaw Preparative under the White River MM. "Rev. John Smith, a U.B. preacher, came into the neighborhood where John Thornburg lived. Upon his preaching, the people liked his doctrine, and a Union Church was formed by Methodists and Friends. Some of the chief members were John Thornburg, George F. Smithson, G. Wesley Terrell, William Moore and John N. Terrell. The log church near the cemetery was built in 1838. The church was thriving while John Thornburg (who was a minister) lived among them. After his death, divisions arose, the meeting house was sold and another erected further south, and gradually the Friends-Methodist Church became a thing of the past."

## John and Susannah were the parents of nine children:

- William Armfleld Thornburg was born July 13, 1816, married Maria Clevenger July 1835. See account.
- Rebecca Thornburg was born in 1817, married Benjamin Puckett Dec. 23, 1833. See account...
- Isaac Thornburg was born Nov. 11, 1818 and married Mary A. Smithson Mar. 30, 1837. See account.
- Rachel Thornburg was born Jan. 16, 1823, in Randolph Co, IN. She married Samuel Clevenger Jan. 11, 1833. See account..
- 5. Curtis Thornburg was born in 1824 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Mahala Clevenger Mar. 11, 1843. See account.
- Elizabeth Thornburg was born in 1826, in Randolph Co, IN. She married John A. Clevenger Aug. 1, 1844.
- 7. John T. Thornburg was born in 1828 and married Lucinda Thornburg Dec. 7,1849.
- 8. Lindley M. Thornburg was born Sept. 10, 1836 in Randolph Co, IN and married Elizabeth Clevenger Sept. 6, 1855. See account.
- Margaret Thornburg born Mar. 31, 1840 in Randolph Co, IN and married Francis Morion Hewitt Apr. 15, 1858. See account.

# William Armfield Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

William, the son of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg, was born July 13, 1816 in Highland Co, OH. He married Maria Clevenger July 13 or 30, 1835 in Cedar Creek MM, Randolph Co, IN. Maria was born Jan. 29, 1819 in Highland Co. They were the parents of seven children, all born in Randolph Co, IN:

- 1. Thomas W. Thornburg was born Nov. 17, 1836. He married Rachel Chalfant Aug. 10, 1855. He died Apr. 21, 1912.
- 2. John A. Thornburg was born Nov. 8, 1837. His first marriage was to Ann O'Donald on June 7,

- 1859. His second marriage was to **Hannah S. Adams** on Oct. 10 1865. He died Jan. 19, 1928 in Henry Creek, Randolph Co, IN.
- 3. Barthenia Thornburg, born in 1839. no other information on.
- William S. Thornburg, born in 1841, married Susannah McKinney Aug. 24, 1865. He died Feb. 15, 1879.
- 5. Isaac H. Thornburg, born Oct. 12, 1844, was married three times. His first marriage was to Mary A. Clevenger Apr. 27, 1865. His second marriage was to Rebecca Neely June 16, 1870, and his third marriage was to Sarah A. Jones June 22, 1871. He died Apr. 22, 1908 and was buried at White River, Randolph Co, IN.
- 6. Eli H. Thornburg, born in 1845. No information on Eli.
- 7. Matilda J. Thornburg was born in 1848 and married her first cousin, John Morris Thornburg. John was born May 14, 1846, and died Jan. 15, 1885, the son of Jonathan Thornburg and Elizabeth Arburn.

## Rebecca Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Rebecca was born in 1817 in Highland County, OH, the second child and the oldest daughter of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. She married Benjamin Puckett Mar. 14, 1812 in North Carolina. Benjamin was born Dec. 23, 1833, the son of Benjamin Puckett and Catherine Dunnigan. He died in 1897 in Powersville, Putman Co, MO. Benjamin and Rebecca lived in Stony Creek, Randolph Co, IN. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Thomas Clarkson Puckett was born Sept. 9, 1837 in Indiana. He died Apr. 3, 1900 and was buried at Plat River, San Francisco Co, MO. He married Sarah Lodema Howrey after the Civil War at Waterloo, Black Hawk Co, IA. Sarah was born Mar. 25, 1846 in Indiana, died Apr. 4, 1927, and was buried at Columbia Falls, Flathead Co, MT. He prospected in Colorado, freighted between West Port, (now Kansas City) and the Big Bend of Arkansas River in Kansas. He enlisted in Company E, 5th Iowa, Infantry, in June 1861, and was captured at the battle of Lookout Mt., GA. He was a prisoner at Ball Isle and Andersonville.
- 2. Alva Curtis Puckett, was born in 1841 in Indiana. He married Mary J. Jordan Sept. 3, 1863. He was in the Civil War. Alva died Apr. 28, 1877.
- Lydia Puckett, born in 1843 in Randolph Co, IN.
- 4. Susannah Puckett, born in 1847 in Randolph Co, IN.
- 5. Louisa Puckett, born Nov. 12, 1849, married William Pike
- 6. Calvin Puckett, lived in Coffeeville, Montgomery Co, KS. No other information.
- 7. Reece Puckett, no information
- 8. George Puckett. no information

#### Isaac Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Isaac was the son of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. He was born in Highland Co, OH, on Nov. 11, 1818. He was a small lad when his parents moved to Randolph Co, IN, where he remained all of his life. He married Mary A. Smithson Mar. 40, 1847 in Randolph Co. Mary was born in 1818 in Ohio. The name of her parents are unknown. She died May 17, 1891. Isaac died Mar. 7, 1900. They were the parents of six known children, all born in Randolph Co, IN:

- 1. Judith A, Thornburg, born in 1849, married Joshua Swingley
- 2. Angeline Thornburg, born in 1841, married William A. Dilley,
- 3. John William Thornburg was born Sept. 15, 1894 and died Dec. 7, 1914. He married Sarah Thompson
- 4. Charles Lindley Thornburg died in Infancy.
- 5. Thomas Wesley Thornburg, born in 1855, died in Infancy,
- 6. Thomas Wesley, no information

## Rachel Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel was born Jan. 16, 1823 in Randolph Co, IN, the 4th child of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg, and the first of their children to be born in Indiana after their move from Highland Co, OH. She married Mahlon Clevenger May 3, 1838. Mahlon was born Jan. 11, 1817 in Highland Co, OH. Mahlon was the son of Samuel Clevenger They lived all of their lives in Randalph Co. They were the parents of seven children, all born in Windson, Randolph Co, IN:

- William H. Clevenger was born Mar. 4, 1841 and died Jan. 11, 1924. He was married three times:
  - a. Elizabeth A. Clevenger
  - b. Martha D. Thacker and
  - c. Catherine Thompson on Sept. 23, 1907.
- 2. Susannah Clevenger was born in 1842. She married Isaac Sowerwine June 12, 1866.
- 3. John Morgan Clevenger, born Oct. 31, 1843. His first marriage was to Ellen J. Thompson and his second was to Mary E. Gable Sept. 16, 1892. (Apr. 17, 1918 is a possible death date for John.)
- 4. Isaac J. Clevenger was born Sept. 27, 1845 and died Mar. 15, 1923. He married Louisa C. A. Reece Nov. 1, 1866.
- 5. Mary E. Clevenger, born in 1848
- 6. Margaret J. Clevenger, born in 1851
- 7. George W. Clevenger, born in 1857

## Curtis Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Curtis was born in 1824 in Randolph Co, IN, the son of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. He married Mahala Clevenger Mar. 11, 1843 in Randolph Co. Mahala was born Jan. 11, 1824 in Highland Co, OH. She died Mar. 5, 1885 in Delaware Co, IN. After Mahala's death, Curtis married Rachel Ray Nov. 21, 1885. He died in Delaware Co, Aug. 24, 1895. Curtis and Mahalia were the parents of eight children, all born in Randolph Co. IN:

- 1. John W. Thornburg was born Apr, 3, 1843 and married Sarah Odle.
- 2. Rachel Thornburg
- 3. William R. Thornburg
- 4. Nancy E. Thornburg
- 5. Susannah C. Thornburg
- 6. Harvey S. Thornburg
- 7. Lucinda Jane Thornburg
- 8. Mary S. Thornburg

## Elizabeth Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was born in 1826 in Randolph Co, IN, the daughter of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. She married John A. Clevenger on Aug. 1, 1844 in Randolph Co. John was born Feb. 13, 1826 and died May 25, 1869 in Randolph Co. Elizabeth's second marriage was to Jacob Dick Sept. 27, 1872. She had seven children by her first husband John A. Clevenger, all born in Randolph Co:

- 1. Thomas L. Clevenger, born in 1848
- 2. Benjamin P. Clevenger, born Jan. 8, 1855
- 3. Margaret J. Clevenger, born May 3, 1858
- 4. George U. Clevenger, born Jan. 22, 1862
- 5. Josephine Clevenger, born Oct. 4, 1863
- 6. William S. Clevenger, born Nov. 2, 1866
- 7. John L. Clevenger, born in 1869

## John T. Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

John was born in 1828 Randolph Co, IN, the son of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. He married Lucinda Thornburg Dec. 7, 1849. He died Feb.3, 1892. No other information.

#### Lindley M. Thornburg (Susannah Beals, Susannah, Samuel Jackson)

The following was taken from from "The History of Randolph County, Indiana":

Lindley was born Sept. 10, 1836 in Stony Creek Township the son of Susannah Beals, and John Thornburg. When he was seven years old his father John Thornburg died and he was reared by his mother. John's mother remarried Thomas Clevenger in 1850. Lindley married Elizabeth Clevenger in 1855, at the age of nineteen. They farmed until 1858, and for two years he was engaged in general merchandising in Windsor. He resumed farming until his enlistment, Aug. 21, 1861 in Company B, Thirty-sixth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, under Col. A. Kilgore. He took part in the fight at Pittsburgh

Landing and in a number of skirmishes. He was discharged Feb. 24, 1863, on account of disability. On his return home, he re-engaged in merchandising and in 1875, he sold out and went to Earlham, Madison Co, IA. in 1878, he went to Clebourne, Johnson Co, TX. In 1880 he was back in Indiana, and for two years was employed in bridge building for the "Big Four" railroad company, until 1888 followed carpentering when he took charge of the Post Office at Farmland. He retained this position until July 22, 1893.

Lindley was married Sept. 6, 1854 to Elizabeth J. Clevenger. Elizabeth was the daughter of F. M. and Rebecca (Smithson) Clevenger. They are both members of the Christian Church. Mr. Thornburg was a member of the Republican party, and under the auspices of the party, served as Justice of the Peace both in this county, and in Iowa, and as constable, marshal, assessor, collector at various times. He was made a Mason in 1855; is a member of the Black Hawk tribe, I.O.R.M of the G.A.R. and once was an Odd Fellow, but has withdrawn from this fraternity. Mrs. Thornburg is a member of the Eastern Star degree in Masonry, and the family are of the highest respectability Lindley and Elizabeth were the parents of two children:

- 1. John H. Thornburg lived in Farmland, IN
- 2. Josephine Thornburg was deceased at the time the article was written about her father.

## **Margaret Thornburg**

Margaret was born Mar. 31, 1840 in Randolph Co, IN, the daughter of Susannah Beals and John Thornburg. She married Francis Marion Hewitt Apr. 15, 1858. Francis was born in 1836 in Ross Co, OH, the son of Joseph and Sarah (Putnam) Hewitt. They were the parents of seven children. The following is from an article written on Randolph Co and Francis Hewitt:

Frances M. Hewitt was born in Ross Co, OH in 1836, the eldest son of Joseph and Sarah (Putnam) Hewitt, natives of PA, born in 1802 and of Irish descent.

Joseph and Sarah were the parents of ten children: Catherine deceased wife of Joseph Glimmer; Lucinda, widow of John T. Thornburg; Sophia, married to William Adkins of Kansas; Sarah, widow of John Oakerson of Muncie; Francis M., named at the head of this sketch; Philip of MO; William, deceased; Joseph of Delaware Co, IN, Peter of Farmland, and Mary, the deceased wife of Elza McIntire.

Soon after marriage, Joseph and Sarah Hewitt settled in Ross Co, Ohio, on 130 acres of land, but twelve years later, in 1840, sold the farm and came to Randolph Co, IN, where he bought 160 acres of land, then in it's primitive condition. This farm they cultivated until 1867, when they retired to Farmland, where Mrs. Hewitt died in 1887. Mr. Hewitt died in 1891, and both having long been faithful and active members of the Methodist church.

Francis M. Hewitt was but four years of age when brought by his parents to Randolph Co. Here he was reared on the home farm, and between his coming and the present he has beheld some wonderful changes. He secured a fair education and assisted his father until his marriage, Apr. 15, 1858, to Margaret, the eldest daughter of John and Susannah Thornburg, natives of North Carolina. For the first four years of their married life, they lived on a rented farm, and then purchased ninety-three acres at Windsor, on which they lived seven years, at which time they purchased the home farm of 160 acres, to which they later added 100 acres, thus making a compact and extensive farm of 280 acres. In 1882, he erected a fine dwelling at a cost of \$4,000. In religion Mrs. Hewitt is a Methodist. In politics Mr. Hewitt is a stanch Republican.

Joseph and Sarah were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Joseph L. Hewitt
- 2. Susannah H. Hewitt
- 3. Sarah Hewitt
- Orilla Hewitt, married Edward Linsey
- 5. Norman 0. Hewitt, born 1872,
- 6. Jane Hewitt, married S. V. Fletcher
- 7. Prentice P. Hewitt

**CHAPTER 6** 

# JOSEPH JACKSON

Born, Dec. 27, 1761 in Rowan Co. NC, and Died Sept. 1850 in Surry Co, NC

# Married Sarah Jessup, Apr. 21, 1787

Joseph Jackson (Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn)

Joseph was born Dec. 27, 1761 in Rowan Co, NC, the son of Samuel and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson.

Samuel and Catherine were natives of Chester Co, PA, and "Old" New Castle, Delaware. When they first came to North Carolina, they lived on the Davidson-Randolph County line, were there was a Jackson settlement named Jackson Creek, and a Church.

Joseph was the first born to them in North Carolina, their five older children being born in Chester Co, on the Delaware River. When Joseph was around eight or nine years old, his parents moved to Surry Co, NC, settling on Tom's Creek, which is now Westfield, NC. There he grew up, married, and lived the remainder of his life.

Joseph married Miss Sarah Jessop Apr. 21, 1787 in the Westfield Friend's Church. Sarah was born Aug. 20, 1764, the daughter of Joseph and Priscilla (Jackson) Jessop, (Priscilla was the daughter of Aaron Jackson from Perquimas, Co, NC). The marriage of Joseph and Sarah, and the marriage of his brother to Sarah's sister Mary Jessop, became the first marriages between the Jackson's and the Jessop's of Westfield, with brothers marring sisters. (Mary married William Jackson.)

Joseph was a very prosperous farmer and at his death he owned several hundred acres of land in Surry, Stokes and counties in North Carolina. He also owned land in Grayson Co, VA.

Deeds recorded in Surry Co show that he bought his first land in 1792 from Edward Lovell, 400 acres on both sides of Tom's Creek for 600 pounds, the deed was witness by John Jackson and Bowater Sumners. In Jan. of 1794 he sold 55 acres of this land to his brother Jehu Jackson. Other deeds show 150 acres bought in 1796 from John Burris on the Branch of Tom's Creek, Yadkin River adjoining Bryans Branch. This was witnessed by John Jackson and William Tanzey. He bought 53 acres from Joseph Haiti on the waters of Tom's Creek in 1799. He received two North Carolina grants, one in 1791 for 150 acres, and one in 1802 for 100 acres, both on the banks of Tom's Creek. There is a possibility that Joseph may have lived for a short time in Grayson Co, VA, as he owned two tracts of land there, and a Joseph Jackson lived in Grayson Co.

The first census taken in 1790 shows Joseph living in Surry Co, with two males sixteen and older, and four females in his house hold. He made his will, dated Sept. 22, 1815, which was probated Oct. 22, 1815. It is his wish that his three daughters, Abigail, Rachel, and Betsy, should have one hundred dollars worth of property that would be equal to their married sisters, but he does not name the married girls.

The Last Will and Testament of Joseph Jackson, Surry Co, NC, 1815

Whereas I, Joseph Jackson of the County of Surry and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory do therefore leave this as my last will and testament.

First: that I be decently buried and all my just debts paid.

Secondly: I will and bequeath to my beloved wife during her widowhood the plantation on which she now lives with all the household furniture: also the plantation on the big Creek of Dan River; also I leave to her eight cows and two horses and at the end of her widowhood I will the land on

the big creek to be equally divided between my two sons Zadock and Joel; and the land whereon I live to be long to my son Caleb and Zadock and Joel to make it equal in value to theirs at the time when he is of age. I also leave to my son Eli the land I bought of Jonathan Harold in Grayson Co, VA; also the tract of land lying on Davises Creek in Stokes County.

I also leave to my son Amer the tract of land I bought of Purnal Blizzard in Grayson Co, VA; also the tract of land lying on the west fork of Tom's creek where I formerly lived.

It is also my will that the rest of my sons provide for and decently clothe and victual my son John and each one to be an equal part as they come of age.

It is also my will that my three daughters, Abigail, Rachel, and Betsy have each a hundred dollars worth of property or equal to their sisters that are married.

I also appoint and empower my trusty brother William Jackson and my trusty son Eli Jackson my true and lawful Executors.

22 Sept. 1815

Joseph and Sarah were the parents of eleven known children:

- 1. Mary Jackson was born ca 1788 in Surry Co, NC. She married Abner Jessup Aug. 16, 1809. Abner Jessup was the son of Jacob Jessup.
  - 2. Priscilla Jackson was born ca 1790. She married Absalom Sumner and moved to Highland Co. OH. See account.
- 3. Eli Jackson was born ca 1792. He married Cornelia Cook Feb. 17, 1824. See account.
- 4. Abigail Jackson was born ca 1794 and married Jacob Carson in 1811. See account.
- Rachel Jackson was born ca 1796, married in Joseph Jessup 1816, and moved to Hendricks Co, IN. See account.
- Amor (Amer?) Jackson was born 1797-98 and married Sally Hill. He remained in Surry Co. See account.
- 7. Joel Jackson was born ca 1800 and remained in North Carolina.
- 8. Zadock Jackson was born in 1802. He married Isabell Hugley and moved to Morgan Co, IN.
- 9. Caleb Jackson was born ca 1805. There is no more information on Caleb.
- 10. Elizabeth Jackson, born ca 1807. (No information)
- 11. John Jackson, born ca 1809. (No information)

#### Mary Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born in Surry Co, NC around 1788, the first child born to Joseph and Sarah (Jessup) Jackson. She grew up in the Westfield Community and married Abner Jessup Aug. 16, 1809 in Stokes Co. Abner was the son of Jacob Jessup, and the grandson of Joseph and Priscilla (Jackson) Jessup. William Pierce was Bondsman.

They moved to Ohio sometime after their marriage, settling in Paint Township, Highland Co. Just a few years before their arrival, the place they chose to make their home was an unbroken wilderness, devoid of roads or trails, and through the broken and hilly country, the new comers were obliged to cut a way for their teams and cattle. Their neighbors within a five mile area were: Caleb Summers, Seman Acers, George Housman, John Davis, Jesse George, Philip Spargus, Peter Weaver and Valentine Rhodes.

They moved to New Petersburg Township in 1825, where Abner opened a tavern northeast of town, near the Hulitt farm, in a building no longer standing. "The History of Ross and Highland Counties, Ohio" records: "Many a gray-headed man of today smacks his lips at the recollection of Mrs. Jessup's pumpkin pies, which youthful appetite enabled him so fully to appreciate".

Abner died in 1838. His wife Mary and his brother-in-law Absolom Summers were made Executors of his will. He willed all of his property to go to his brothers, and sisters and their heirs. There was no mention of any children.

On Aug. 28, 1840, "Robert and Sarah (Jessup) Cooper, Thomas and Polly (Jessup) Lockhart, John Jessup, Jonathan and Edith (Chandler) Bales, Franklin and Lucy (Chandler) Barker, Levi, Jacob, Willie, and John Chandler, the children of Joseph Chandler and Ann late Jessup, Martin and Edith (Cook) Jackson, daughter of John and Priscilla Cook late Jessup, all of Hendricks Co, IN appointed Levi Jessup of the County and State aforesaid, their attorney to receive monies from the estate of Abner Jessup, late of Highland Co, deceased, and the brothers and sisters and children of sisters to said descendent."

Aug. 15, 1840, the "State of North Carolina, Surry County" John Cook and Edith, Andrew Armstrong and Priscilla, James Cook, heirs of Abner Jessup of Highland Co, deceased, appoint Levi Jessup of Hendricks Co, IN their attorney to sell their interest in all real and personal property of descendent in Highland Co.

Mary Jackson Jessup married Joseph Wiley Dec. 26, 1839. Mary only lived three months after her marriage. She died on Mar. 21, 1840. Joseph Wiley and Isaac Simpson were appointed administrators of her estate.

## Priscilla Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Priscilla was born in 1790 in Surry Co, NC, the daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Jessup) Jackson. She was named after Priscilla Jackson Jessup.

Priscilla grew up in the Westfield Friend's community where she married Absalom Sumner Aug. 9, 1811 in a double ceremony with her sister Abigail marring Jacob Carson. Absalom was the Bondsman for Abigail and Jacob Carson, and Jacob was the Bondsman for Priscilla and Absalom. Priscilla died Nov. 27, 1833 at age 43. She was buried in Fall Creek Friend's Lower Quaker Cemetery, near Rainsboro, Paint Township, Highland Co, OH.

Absalom Sumner was born Mar. 15, 1786 in Stokes Co, NC near Westfield Friend's Meeting which was across the line in Surry Co. He was the son of **Thomas** and **Hannah** (**Hiatt**) Sumner. He died Jan. 17, 1865, at age 79 years, 10 months and 2 days. He was also buried in Fall Creek Friend's Lower Quaker Cemetery.

After Priscilla's death, Absalom married Olive Tomlinson July 12, 1837. They were married by David Reece, Justice of the Peace. Olive was born in 1792, the daughter of Joseph Tomlinson, and died Sept. 31, 1859, at the age of 67. She is buried in the Lower Quaker Cemetery.

Absalom took Abigail Ballard for his third wife. They were married Sept. 22, 1863 and they had been married for only one and a half years when he died. Abigail Ballard was born ca. 1794 and died Aug. 4, 1872 at age 77 years, nine months and two days. She is buried at Greenfield Village Cemetery in Greenfield, Madison Township, Highland Co, Ohio. A guardian was appointed for her on Nov. 11, 1871, nine months before her death, by reason of her great age.

Absalom was granted a Certificate of Removal from Westfield MM on Sept. 8, 1809, the same time his parents and family were granted certificates to Fairfield Friend's Meeting, in Leesburg, Fairfield Township, Highland Co. OH. He began to purchase land in Penn Township Highland Co. He received a deed on Mar. 16, 1815 from his parents. He added more land on Aug. 13, 1816 from Josiah and Elizabeth Moore. Another tract was purchased from Henry Beeson on Apr. 11, 1818, and on Aug. 2, 1828, he purchased land from his brother Bowater and Lettice Sumner. It was indicated that he owned two thousand acres of land in Highland Co. He was on the Poll Book of Paint Township Nov. 23, 1812, and in the 1820 census of Paint Township, Absalom and Priscilla were listed as ages 26-45 with two sons and a daughter under age ten. Ten years later, two more sons and two daughters had been added to their family.

Absalom made out his will on Christmas day 1864 in which he lists his wife and son Robert. He added a codicil on the same day naming his daughters Hannah, and Lucy Reed.

Some of his land was still in the possession of his descendants in 1962, and the beautiful old nine room mansion still stood on a private road leading from the Anderson Road in the area of Rainsboro, Paint Township, Highland Co, OH.

Absalom and Priscilla were the parents of six children:

- 1. Eli J. Sumner was born May 28, 1812 and married Anna E. Boxley June 13, 1833 See account.
- Joseph Sumner was born June 15, 1817 and married Susan Karnes (Marnes?) Sept. 21, 1837.
   See account.
- 3. Lucy Sumner was born ca 1819 and married Josiah Reed Jan. 16, 1840 See account.
- 4. Sylvania Sumner was born ca 1822, married William Conway Jan. 4, 1844 (Conoway?)
- Tobiatha Hannah Sumner was born July 14, 1827 and married Washington Dollarhide Sept. 23, 1852. See account.
- 6. Robert Sumner was born July 4, 1827 and married Ann Tomlinson Oct. 6, 1890. See account.

# Eli J. Sumner (Pricilla, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Eli J. Sumner was born May 28, 1812 in Highland Co, OH, the eldest son of Absalom and Priscilla Jackson Sumner. They were natives of Surry Co, NC. Eli received a respectable common school and academic education and subsequently became a teacher in Union Seminary in his native county. He married Anna E. Boxley June 13, 1833 in Highland Co, OH.

Anna was born in 1812, the daughter of George Boxley of Spottsylvania Co, VA, who later settled at Boxley, Adams Township, Hamilton Co, IN. Anna died May 5, 1834 at the age of 22 years, and 5 months just eleven months after her marriage.

In the fall of the same year, he road on horseback to Mooresville, and the following winter he taught in the Moon Schoolhouse.

He married Jane E. Carter Jan. 21,1836 in Morgan Co, Jane was born Oct. 5, 1818, the daughter of Joshua and Elizabeth Maxwell Carter. After marriage, he settled on a tract of land about six miles west of Mooresville which was presented to him by his father. He purchased a large flour mill near the village in the fall of 1849, and operated it until the spring of 1853 when he moved to Sharpsville, Tipton Co, and engaged in the manufacturing and shipping of lumber for a few months. He then returned to his farm near Mooresville, where he carried on a lumber trade in the Wabash Valley until 1865. In the spring of 1868 he moved to Indianapolis, and in the fall of 1869 returned to Mooresville.

He was a member of the Methodist Church at the time of his death. At one time he and his family had been members of the White Lick, MM. He was a Republican, and was an active worker in the cause of Temperance.

Eli died Mar. 25, 1894 and is buried in Washington Co, IN. Jane Carter Sumner died Feb. 25, 1888.

Eli and Jane were the parents of seven children:

- Thomas C. Sumner, born Febr. 16, 1837
- 2. William E. Sumner, born Feb. 1, 1839
- 3. Caswell B. Sumner was born Nov. 23, 1841, died Jan. 3, 1867 and buried at White Lick Cemetery.
- 4. James 0. Sumner was born Mar. 4, 1844, died Jan. 4, 1849 and buried at West Union, IN.
- 5. Anna E. Sumner was born Oct., 17, 1847, died Sept. 28, 1853, and buried at White Lick Cemetery.
- Hannah C. Sumner was born Nov. 20, 1850, died June 23, 1867, and buried at White Lick cemetery
- Nancy Evangeline Sumner was born May 10, 1856, died Feb. 14, 1863, and was buried at West Union, IN.

#### Joseph Sumner (Pricilla, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Joseph Sumner was born June 15, 1817 in Highland Co, OH, the second son of Absalom and Pricilla (Jackson) Sumner. He was married to Miss Susan Kames (Mames) Sept. 21, 1837 by Justice of the Peace Joel T. Thurman in Highland Co. Susan was born in 1813, and died Feb. 19, 1897 at the age of 84. Joseph died in Apr. of 1891 at age 73 years and was buried in the Sumner Cemetery located on his

land north of Atlanta, Jackson Township, Highland Co, IN.

Joseph and Susan moved from Paint Township, Highland Co, to Elwood, Madison Co, IN in 1834. His father had given him land North of Atlanta, in Hamilton Co, IN. At that time it was a divided village, called Shieldsville and Buena Vista, later divided by a railroad track. The land was in Tipton Co, after that county was taken from Hamilton Co in 1844.

The Sumner Cemetery was three acres and is located west of State Road through Atlanta, on the Hamilton Co-Tipton Co line. This leads to a dead end road. Turn north a half mile to a lane which is about a mile to the cemetery, which joins the woods on the farm (1967). This land is owned by Lucy (Sumner) Pickett (Puckett), granddaughter of Joseph and Susan.

Joseph and Susan were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Elizabeth Sumner
- 2. Absalom Sumner
- 3. Mary Sumner
- 4. Twin that died in infancy
- 5. Twin that died in infancy
- Son, unnamed.

## Lucy Sumner (Pricilla, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Lucy Sumner was born ca 1819, the daughter of Absalom and

Priscilla (Jackson) Sumner. She was married to Josiah Reed Jan. 16, 1840 by Justice of the Peace John Stevenson. When Lucy was first married, her father Absalom took them to Morgan Co, IN and gave them a farm. Lucy and Josiah had ten children, their names are unknown.

After the death of Josiah, Lucy married a Mr. King, and later she took T. Pickett for her third husband.

## Sylvania Sumner (Pricilla, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Sylvania Sumner was born ca 1825. She was married to William Conway (Conoway) by Justice of the Peace John Stevenson, Jan. 4, 1844 in Highland Co, OH.

The story is told that **Sylvania's** father **Absalom** took her and two of her sisters to Indiana in a prairie schooner wagon equipped with a three legged stool for them to use to get in and out of the wagon. After presenting them with seperate tracks of pioneer land, it is said that he told them to "Scratch or die".

William and Sylvania were the parents of five children:

- 1. Eli Conway
- 2. E. M. Conway
- 3. Absalom Conway
- 4. Hannah Conway
- 5. Robert Conway

#### Tobiatha Hannah Sumner (Priscilla, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Tobiatha Hannah Sumner was born July 14, 1827, the youngest daughter of Absalom and Priscilla (Jackson) Sumner. She was married to Washington Dollarhide Oct. 23, 1852 by Rev. G. W. Robinson, a Methodist minister. Washington was born ca 1825, and died Oct. 4, 1861 at the age of 36 years. He is buried in Lower Fall Creek Friend's Meeting Cemetery on Spargur Road near Rainsboro, Paint Township, Highland Co, OH.

Tobiatha had cancer when she was a young girl and had an operation. A walnut drop leaf dinning room table, brought from North Carolina by her parents, was used for the operating table. The successful operation was credited to their practicing family physician and the prayers of the Society of Friend's of the Fall Creek Friends.

Tobiatha had a cousin, Mary Hannah Spargur, daughter of Philip W. and Rachel (Sumner) Spargur. They both married a Washington Dollarhide and their relationship to each other is unknown. Mary's husband died, and after his death she married Dempsey St. Clear (Sinclair). Mary died June 9, 1857, aged 46, having had seven children. (Note: Was one of the children Washington Dollarhide Jr.?)

Washington Dollarhide, Tobiatha's husband, died Oct. 4 1861 at the age of 36. Tobiatha was married to a Dempsey B. Sinclair Aug. 13, 1863. He died Jan. 3, 1871 and Hannah Sinclair, widow of Dempsey Sinclair, declined administration of the estate on Jan. 10, 1871. The court then appointed Nathan Trot to be the administrator.

On Feb. 14, 1873, Hannah Sinclair was appointed guardian of Priscilla Olive Sinclair, aged 4 years, child of Dempsey (deceased); Surety: Robert Sumner, youngest brother of Tobiatha. Tobiatha Hannah had three children:

- 1. Daughter, died young. Washington Dollarhide was the father.
- 2. Miranda G. Sinclair, born ca 1864
- 3. Priscilla Olive Sinclair, born 1869

#### Robert Sumner

Robert Sumner was born July 4, 1827, and died Oct. 6, 1890, and was buried at Fall Creek Friend's Meeting Cemetery, Stringtown, Paint Township, Highland Co, Ohio. His first marriage was to Barbara Ann Tomlinson on Nov. 19, 1848, and married by James G. Thurman, Justice of the Peace. Barbara was born 1831. He married second on Feb. 3, 1865 Tobiatha Fettro. They were married by Thomas Majors, who was an Elder and minister of the German Baptist (Dunkard) church. Tobiatha was the daughter of Jacob and Amy Fettro.

When Robert and Tobiatha were married, they were members of what became the Hopewell MM, composed of the Walnut Creek, Harding Creek, and the Fall Creek Friend's Meeting. They were received into the Fairfield Friend's Meeting, Leesburg, Highland Co, OH on Apr. 19, 1869, by their own request. Since they married outside the discipline of the Friends Meeting they were not members at this time. They were prosperous farmers on land left him by his parents. The Sumner family continued to own parts of the Sumner lands in 1979.

Robert and Tobiatha were the parents of four children:

- 1. Tobiatha Sumner
- 2. Daughter, unknown
- 3. William Sumner
- 4. Sarah Ellen Sumner

## Eli Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Eli was born ca. 1792 in Surry Co, NC and is believed to be the eldest son of Joseph and Sarah (Jessop) Jackson. Little is known about Eli. He is given two tracts of land in his fathers will; one tract was bought from Jonathan Harrold in Grayson Co, VA, and the other tract that was lying on Davies Creek in Stokes Co, NC.

Joseph refers to Eli as "my trusty son", and makes him lawful executor of his will. There are several deeds found in Stokes Co for Eli Jackson. The 1820 census of Stokes Co lists three Eli Jackson's living there at that time. One Eli was an unmarried man between the age of 16 to 26. This must be the son of Joseph as the other two were married and had families. He must have moved to the farm on Davies Creek in Stokes Co that his father had given to him.

#### Deeds that may refer to this Eli Jackson:

- a. A deed in 1822 from Elihue Jackson,
- b. A North Carolina grant for **Eli Jackson** in 1827 for land on the waters of the big creek of Dan River.
- c. Eli and his brothers Joel and Zadock sold land to Samuel Flipping in 1830. This was the land that they had inherited from their father.

d. He bought two tracts of land from **John Jackson** in 1830. This was possibly his brother **John**.

Eli married Cornelia Cook Feb. 17, 1824. The names of her parents are unknown. There is no other information at this time on Eli and Cornelia. He may have remained in North Carolina or may have gone with his brother and sisters to Ohio or Indiana. If they had any children their names are not known.

## Abigail Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Abigail was born in Surry Co, NC, Ca 1794. She grew up in the Westfield Community, and married Jacob Carson in Surry Co Aug. 9, 1811. Jacob was born in 1788 in the area of Westfield Friends Meeting, the son of John and Abigail Sumner Carson.

Abigail and Jacob's wedding was a double ceremony with her sister Priscilla Jackson, marring Absalom Sumner. They moved to Howard Co, IN, and later to MO. They were the parents of 12 children:

- 1. Eli William Carson, See account.
- 2. James Verlin Carson, married Christine Owens
- 3. John Hardin Carson, married Nancy Hastings Dec. 27, 1841 in Stokes Co, NC.
- 4. Jesse Blumer Carson, born Sept. 24, 1826, married Sarah Jane Grove
- Albert Jackson Carson was born Jan. 13, 1829, Stokes Co, and died Sept. 14, 1916 in Iowa. He married Eliza McClure Aug. 2, 1852.
- 6. William Carson, born in NC, married Laura
- 7. Henry Carson, married Lizzie Markley
- 8. Abner Carson, married Margaret Duffinbaugh
- 9. Polly Carson, married Peter Milver
- 10. Sallie Carson, married Mr. Harding,
- 11. Hannah Carson, born in NC
- 12. Marion Francis Carson was born Aug. 13, 1837 and died Apr. 21, 1922. His first marriagewas to Elizabeth Sheets and his marriage was to Della (Long) Hiatt. Marion enjoyed gathering his children around him and telling them the story of how President Andrew Jackson once visited his parents, and that he drove his horses into their yard, accompanied by his dogs and slaves.

Information on the family of Abigail, was taken from "The Sumner Family History". The History states that Abigail was a first cousin of Andrew Jackson (President). In all of my research I have found no evidence that this set of Jackson's were related to the family of Andrew Jackson. He was a neighbor when he took his Bar examination in Surry Co.

#### Eli William Carson (Abigail, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Eli was born July 15, 1812 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC, died Nov. 20, 1904, and was buried in Lebanon, Smith Co, KS. He married Ellen Hastings in Stokes Co, NC Dec. 16, 1840. Their marriage bondsman was James Hastens. Ellen was born Dec. 17, (Year unknown). They were the parents of seven known children:

- 1. Victoria Jane Carson
- 2. Columbus Lafayette Carson
- 3. Eli Hillary Carson
- 4. Joseph Peters Carson
- 5. Malissa Elsbury Carson
- 6. Peter Kossuth Carson
- 7. Mary Alice Carson
- 8. Charles Henry Carson
- 9. Estella Azara Carson

#### Rachel Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Rachel was born in 1796 in Westfield, Surry Co, NC, and died Mar. 18, 1875 in Hendricks Co, IN at the age of 78 years, 8 months and 27 days. She was the daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Jessup)

Jackson. Joseph was the son of Samuel and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson, and Sarah was the daughter of Joseph and Priscilla (Jackson) Jessup.

Rachel married Joseph Jessup in 1817. Joseph was born in 1794, the son of William and Polly (Mary) Lee Jessup, and a second cousin. Rachel and Joseph were both reared in Westfield, and after their marriage around 1822-1824 they moved to Hendricks Co, IN.

Joseph's parents William and Polly Jessup moved to Indiana at the same time. Joseph entered one hundred and sixty acres of land in Hendricks Co, IN. The deed for the land, signed by President John Quincy Adams, is still in the family, and is a treasured relic, which is very much cherished.

Joseph died in Hendricks Co, June 28, 1864, age 70 years, 10 months, and 5 days. Both Joseph and Rachel are buried in the Friends church cemetery at Fairfield. The names of only five of their children are known:

- Polly (Mary) Jessup was born Nov. 4, 1817 in Stokes Co, NC. She was disowned from Fairfield MM on June 15, 1845 for marring Noah Reagan out of unity. Polly and Noah had seven known children:
  - a. Robert Reagan
  - b. Sarah Ann Reagan, married Cy Ward
  - c. Rachel Reagan, married James Ellis
  - d. George Reagan, married Ester Hoffman
  - e. Joseph Reagan
  - f. Samuel Reagan, married Miss Robinson
  - g. Mary Reagan, married Anthony Conroe
- Jackson L. Jessup was born Oct. 21, 1821 in Stokes Co, NC. He married Malinda Kellam. See account.
- 3. Leatha Jessup was born Aug. 14, 1825 in Hendricks Co, IN. She married Elijah Pfaff, and was disowned from Fairfield MM on July 15, 1847 for marring out of unity. They were the parents of three known children:
  - a. Wesley Pfaff, married Eliza Jessup. Eliza was the daughter of Basil and Louisa Jackson Jessup, and his was cousin.
  - b. Joel Pfaff
  - c. Peyton Pfaff
- 4. Mahalia Jane Jessup was born Feb. 17, 1830 in Hendricks Co, In. She married her cousin, Timothy Jessup in 1854. Timothy the son of Timothy H. Jessup and Susannah Jackson Jessup. They were the parents of four known children:
  - a. Amos R. Jessup, born Mar. 18, 1855
  - b. Columbus Jessup
  - c. Ella Jessup, married Penn Spray
  - d. Carrie Jessup, married Benjamin Chitty
- Joel Jessup was born Apr. 6, 1832 in Hendricks Co, IN. He married Louisa Moon Aug. 12, 1852. See account..

Joseph and Rachel may have had other children that we do not know of, as there is eight years difference between the ages of Mary born in 1813 and Jackson born In 1821.

## Jackson L. Jessup (Rachel, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Jackson was born Oct. 21, 1821, in Stokes Co, NC, the eldest son of Joseph and Rachel Jackson Jessup, both natives of Stokes Co, NC. His parents moved to Hendricks Co, IN when Jackson was three years old, where his father Joseph Jessup became one of the early settlers of Hendricks Co. They located near the Marion and Morgan Co lines. There Jackson was reared to maturity and his active career was one of close identification with agricultural pursuits.

Jackson began farming at an early age, and in1881, he moved to a farm of 200 acres, mostly cultivated and improved.

He married Miss Malinda Kellam in 1845. Malinda was a native of IN, the daughter of Jesse Kellum a pioneer settler, having come from North Carolina, and a member of the Society of Friends. Jackson was the Township Trustee in Indiana for seven years, and was Supervisor of Fox Township. He was a minister of the Society of Friends and was a birthright Quaker. In politics Jackson was a Republican. Jackson died in 1800 at the age of 78. Malinda died in 1905 at the age of 78. Their known children were:

- Amanda Jessup was born Oct. 26, 1846, and married John Clauner. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Mary Clawner
  - b. Winifred Clauner
  - c. Alberta Clawner
- 2. Oswald Jessup married Bell Almond, He worked in the creamery business in Indianapolis.
- 3. Sarah Jessup died in infancy.
- 4. Orlando Jessup died young.
- 5. W. Kellum Jessup lived in West Liberty, IL.
- 6. Roscoe C. Jessup was born Apr. 12, 1862. His first marriage was to Ella Haines in 1894 and his second was to Mrs. Wilma Spray. See account.
- Cora Clifton Jessup married John Hitch. They lived in Champaign, IL and were the parents of one known son:
  - a. Clarence Hitch.

### Roscoe C. Jessup (Jackson L, Rachel, Joseph, Samuel)

Roscoe was born Apr. 12, 1862 in Decatur Township, Marion Co, IN, the son of Jackson L. Jessup and Malinda (Kellum) Jessup. He married Miss Ella Haines in 1894 to Miss Ella Haines. Ella died in 1901. They had one daughter, Dorothy C. Jessup. Roscoe married Mrs. Wilma J. (Wilson) Spray in 1907. They had no children.

The following was taken from a article in the "History of Greater Indianapolis":

### Roscoe C. Jessup.

The son of Jackson L. and Malinda Jessup was born Apr. 12, 1862 in Marion Co, IN. He was reared with the sturdy discipline of the home farm and was afforded the advantages of the public schools of his native county. He continued to be associated in the work and management of the home farm until he was twenty-five years of age when he went to the state of Illinois where he gained his initial experience with the creamery business. In 1889 Mr. Jessup came to Indianapolis where he was employed in connection with the creamery business of R. W. Furnas for a period of about eight years. In 1897 he associated himself with A. W. Antrim and formed the present partnership, under the title of Jessup and Antrim. The firm purchased a small creamery plant business and with the passing of years the enterprise has grown into one of much scope and importance. In 1904 the firm erected its present modern and substantial brick building at 713-15 North Illinois street, Indianapolis.

Mr. Jessup is numbered among the aggressive and enterprising businessmen and loyal and public-spirited citizens of the capital city and he is a native son of the county in which he now maintains his home.

In politics Mr. Jessup gives his allegiance to the Republican party and both he and his wife hold membership in the Society of Friends,

### Joel Jessup (Rachel, Joseph, Samuel Jackson

Joel was born Apr. 6, 1832, in Guilford Township, Hendricks Co, IN and died Oct. 4, 1908 on the old homestead farm. He was the son of Joseph and Rachel Jackson Jessup from Surry Co, NC.

Joel was given a very meager education, since the schools of his day were open only two or three months in the winter time, and then offered very limited advantages. He was in the school but a very short time, yet he laid the foundation for a desire for knowledge and, being a great reader all his life, he was well informed on most subjects of the day for a man of his age. He lived on the farm all his life and

as a farmer, was sufficiently progressive in keeping abreast of the times. He had to labor as a boy without any of the modern inventions, and as the modern agricultural implements came into use, he added them one by one to his equipment list. At the end of his life, he was as well equipped for agriculture as any farmer in the county.

Mr. Jessup had added to the home stead until it contained over three hundred acres of fine land. He carried on an extensive dairy business, shipping his milk to Indianapolis. He had fifty head of fine graded milk cows and owned and operated a flowering and custom mill at Friendwood on his farm.

Mr. Jessup married Miss Louisa Moon Aug. 12, 1852. Louisa was the daughter of Joseph and Mary Moon who settled in Morgan Co, IN in 1822. To this marriage, was born four children. Louisa Jessup died Aug. 20, 1885. Joel married to Dr. Maria Allen June 22, 1887 two years after Louisa died. Maria was the daughter of Preston and Susannah (Jessup) Allen. Her father came from Ohio and she was one of four children.

Maria Allen Jessup was educated in the local schools and at Spiceland Academy. She taught school for many years and it was not until she was thirty-eight years of age that she entered the woman's medical College of Chicago, IL (now a part of the Northwestern University) from which she graduated. Three years later she was married to Mr. Jessup just two month later after she graduated. She was a woman of great strength of character and with a tender and sympathetic feeling which was necessary for a successful physician.

Maria's mother, Susannah Jackson, was the daughter of Susannah and Timothy H. Jessup. Her parents being Curtis and Ruth Beals Jessup. Joel's mother was Rachel Jackson the daughter of Joseph Jackson who was a brother of Curtis Jackson.

Joel was a birthright Quaker, and throughout his life was a firm believer in the doctrines as set forth by that church. Being naturally of a quiet and reserved disposition, one had to know him intimately to appreciate his real depth of Christian spirit. His was a deeply religious nature and a careful student of the Bible, and his great faith in Christ was built on it's teachings.

The following personal history of Joel Jessup was taken from "History of Hendricks County, Indiana"

"To attain a worth citizenship by a life that is always honored and respected even from childhood deserves more than mere mention. One may take his place in public life through some vigorous stroke of public policy and even remain in the hearts of friends and neighbors, but to take the same position by dint of the practice of an upright life, and without a craving for exaltation and popularity, is worthy of the highest praise and commendation.

The late Joel Jessup, one of the successful farmers and public spirited citizens of Hendricks Co, who was well known throughout this community was a man respected and honored, not because of his special talents, but because of his daily life, each day having been one that was above criticism and passed upon in the light of real, true mankind. Strong and forceful in his relations with his fellow men, he not only made his presence felt, but also gained the good will and commendation of both his associates and the general public, ever retaining his reputation among them for integrity and character, no matter how trying the circumstances, and never loosing that dignity which is the birthright of a gentlemen. Consequently his influence for good in the general life of his community was most, and he will long be sadly missed from the various circles in which he served and over which his influence was like sunshine in a field of ripened wheat.

His politics were in keeping with his faith and he was a Prohibitionist of the most radical kind all his life. Such men as Joel Jessup, were a blessing to the Community, because of his advocacy of wholesome living, pure politics, and honesty in everyday life. Such men raise the standard of civil morality in every community, and their example is such as to help those who are starting in life, He Is remembered not so much for his success or the farm, as for his work in the community at large, work which was directed along moral and civic lines."

Joel and Louisa Moon Jessup were the parents of four children:

- 1. Harrison B. Jessup was born Aug. 20, 1853, and died Dec. 30, 1905 at the age of 52. He was a farmer. He married Millie O'Day and they had two sons at his death: Walter and Carlos Jessup.
- 2. Theodore W. Jessup was born Jan. 19, 1855, and died Nov. 26, 1878. Theodore was married to Bell Snodgrass who he left as a widow and two children:
  - a. Nellie Jessup, married William Edwards
  - b. Wallace Jessup married Nettie Hollingsworth. They lived on part of the old home farm.
- 3. Jesse Jessup was born Sept. 10, 1854. He married Jesse Allen of West Newton, Marion Co, IN and this family lived in Pasadena, CA. They were the parents of four known children: Mary, Dora, Harry, and Edward.
- William S. Jessup was born Apr. 11, 1858 and married Emma Card. They were the parents of four children:
  - a. Louisa Jessup, born Mar. 4, 1889
  - b. Halstead Jessup, born July 16, 1890
  - c. Donald Jessup, born May 5, 1892
  - d. Mary Ellen Jessup.

Other references were from:

"Personal Histories of Hendricks County"
Quaker records from the Fairfield MM

# Amor Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Amor was born in 1797 in Surry Co, NC, the third child born to Joseph and Sarah Jackson. Amor grew up in Surry, and when his father died in 1815, was left a tract of land lying on the west aide of the west fork of Tom's Creek, also a tract of land in Grayson Co, VA. After his marriage, he settled down on the tract of land on Tom's Creek which was the old home place where he was raised. He continued to live on this land until his death in 1870.

Amor married Sallie (Sarah) Hill ca 1737 to, born in 1809, the daughter of Robert Hill Jr. and Betsy Vest, of German descent. He was around the age of forty years when he and Sallie were married, and there is a possibility that he may have had an earlier marriage.

Amor was a member of the old Whig Party, and upon its abandonment, identified himself with the Republicans. He was a member of the Society of Friends at Westfield, and Sarah was a member of the Baptist church.

Amor was a very successful farmer. The 1860 Census of Stokes Co shows him as owning 1,200 acres of land in the Northern District of Westfield, NC. He died in 1869 at the age of 73. The 1870 Census show Sarah owning 1,500 acres, living at her home with her son Robert Franklin age 21, and Emily age 10 living in her household. Her neighbors were Ace Nunn and John Love.

Sarah died in 1878 at the age of 71. They are both buried in the Friends Cemetery at Westfield. In his will Amor had left land to increase the cemetery which joins the old part. There are no stones left in the old part of the graveyard where so many of the Jackson and Jessup families are buried. Amor and Sallie were the parents of five children:

- 1. William Jackson was born in 1838 and married Sarah Shelton. See account.
- 2. Joseph M. Jackson, born Mar. 1, 1840. See account.
- 3. Martha Ellen Jackson married Elijah Pell. See account.
- 4. Emily Jackson, died young
- 5. Robert Franklin Jackson married Laura Hill. See account.

Sarah "Sally" Hill (Wife of Amor Jackson)

Sarah Hill was the daughter of Robert Hill Jr. and Elizabeth Vest. Robert Hill Jr. was born in 1786 and died in 1844. They were married May 9, 1807in Stokes Co, NC. Elizabeth Vest was born in 1787 and died in 1869. Both Robert Jr. and Elizabeth are buried in marked graves at

Hill's Chapel Presbyterian Church, just off the Westfield-Pilot Mt., highway.

Robert Hill Jr. was a Primitive Baptist minister, and they had eight children, two of which there is no available information:

- a. Sarah Hill married Amor Jackson.
- b. Frances married Oates Matthews.
- c. Caleb D. Hill served as Clerk of Court of Surry Co. for a number of years
- d. Charles Hill married a Briggs
- e. Robert Hill born in 1822 married Mary Elizabeth Jones. He inherited the Old Hill Cabin and ran a grist mill on Chinquapin Creek.
- f. Joel Hill, an older son was born Apr. 29, 1812 in Pilot Mt. He married Emily Davis and had a large farm which bordered Tom's Creek in Pilot Mt., near the water plant.
- g Unknown
- h. Unknown

The Cabin in which Robert Jr. and Elizabeth Vest Hill built and raised their family is still intact, and is located off the Westfield Pilot Mt. highway on Chinquapin Creek. The old cabin has been an object of much research by Laura Phillips, director of the Surry County Historical Society.

## William "Buck" Jackson (Amor, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

William, called "Buck", was the eldest son of Amor and Sallie Hill Jackson. He was born and married in Surry Co in 1838. He married Miss Sarah Shelton Jan. 25, 1867 by G. Grim, Justice of the Peace. The name Sarah's parents are unknown. They lived all of their lives in the Westfield Community, where he owned over a thousand acres of land. They were the parents of six known children:

- 1. Caleb Jackson, married Alice East. See account.
- 2. James Jackson, married Edith East, a sister of Alice East who married his brother Caleb.
- 3. William Lee Jackson married Mary Delia Owen. See account.
- 4. Ida Jackson was first married to Maylon Cook. They were the parents of two children:
  - a. Irene Cook
  - b. Aldie Cook

Her second marriage was to Timothy Arrington.

- 5. Susan Jackson, married Sidney Cook
- 6. Mary Jackson, married Yancy Cook.

## Caleb Jackson (William, Amor, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Caleb was born in Surry Co, but the of his birth, death, and marriage dates are unknown. He was the son of William Jackson and Sarah Shelton. One day when he was a young man and before he was married, while rabbit hunting the gun accidentally went off and his arm was so severely damaged that it had to be removed.

He was married to Alice East, the daughter of Joseph and Rebecca East, and a sister to the Edith East who married Caleb's brother, James Jackson. He received a nice sum of money when his uncle Joseph Jackson's estate was settled. Caleb and Alice died within ten weeks of the other. They are both buried at Westfield, in the Inmon Cemetery. They were the parents of thirteen children:

- Bertie Mae Jackson was born in 1905 and married Clive Taylor. They live in the Flatrock Community.
- 2. Joseph D. Jackson was born Aug. 25, 1907, in Surry Co, NC. His first marriage was to Della Inman. Della was born May 16, 1908 in Surry Co and died July 7, 1956. She is buried at the Brown Mountain Baptist Church Cemetery, in Westfield, NC. Joseph's second marriage was to Minnie Woods and his third was to Nannie Deatherage. Joeseph had two children by his first marriage to Della Inman:
  - a. Mary Jo Jackson married Paul R. Martin and they had two children:
    - 1) Teri Lynn Martin, born Jan. 2, 1955
    - 2) Gordon B. Martin, born Feb. 5, 1959
  - b. Doris Ann Jackson married Edgar Burrow. They had three children:

- 1) Danny Burrow born May 1, 1955
- 2) Laudon Burrow born Oct. 16, 1963
- 3) Lisa Burrow, born Oct. 16, 1963 (a twin to Laudon)
- 3. Vergie Jackson was born in Surry Co in 1909. She married Paul Martin, the son of William Martin and Gussie Durham. He was a farmer and hauled apples and peaches to Moore's Spring and Piedmont Springs on a two horse cart. Vergie and Paul were the parents of seven children:
  - a. Caleb Martin, married Josephine Hill
  - b. Glenda Martin, married Charles Johnson
  - c. Ethel Martin, married John Riddle
  - d. Wade Martin, married Shirley Taylor
  - e. Euginia Martin, married Clarence Jessup
  - f. Samuel Martin, married Linda Hunter
  - g. Lannie Martin, married Shirley Niten.
- 4. Myrtle Jackson was born in 1910 and died at the age of three.
- 5. Moir Jackson was born in 1912 and married Ida Dell.
- 6. Viola Jackson was never married.
- Woodrow Jackson was born ca 1915 and married Gradie Nunn. They are the parents of four children
  - a. R. C. Jackson
  - b. Betty Joyce Jackson
  - c. Janice Ashburn Jackson
  - d. Cathy Wall Jackson
- 8. Lavice Jackson was born July 3, 1917. Her first marriage was to **Bud Allred** and her second was to **Curtis Beamer.** Her children were:
  - a. Willa Dean Allred
  - b. Hatcher
  - c. Mary
  - d. Jerry
- Quentin Jackson was born ca 1917 and married Lolene George. They were the parents of two children:
  - a. Ten Jackson
  - b. Stanley Jackson
- 10. Magalene Jackson married Wayne Jessup of Arrat, VA. They were the parents of one known daughter:
  - a. Linda Gray Jessup
- 11. Dallas Jackson was born in 1927, died in 1981, and was never married.
- 12. Nellie Jackson married Henry Gardner. They had three children:
  - a. David Gardner
  - b. Carol Gardner
  - c. Pamelia Gardner
- 13. June Jackson married Glenn Smith, son of Arthur and Jesse Forrest Smith of Westfield. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Robert "Bobby" Glenn Smith. He had a son, Robert Jr. by his first wife. He married second Frances Malinda Shaw. Both Bobby and Frances died Apr. 21, 1983 in a shooting accident. He is buried in the Francisce Presbyterian Church Cemetery.
  - b. Sarah Smith married Jeff Simmons
  - c. Philip Smith

# William Lee Jackson (William, Amor, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

William was born in Surry Co, NC, the third son of William and Sarah (Shelton) Jackson. He married Mary Delia Owen. William was a stone cutter and worked at the Mount Airy Rock Quarry.. He is buried at Westfield, but the date of his death is not known. William and Sarah were the parents of five children:

- 1. Mae Gallia Jackson, died when an infant.
- Joel Thomas Jackson's first marriage was to Lillion Moore, and second was to Adene.
   He had a son called "Buddy" Jackson. Joel worked in Vermont, and died there of "Black Lung"

Disease".

- Arabella Jackson was born May 30, 1899. She married Edward Booker and they had five children:
  - a. Ossie Booker
  - b. Eugene Booker
  - c. William Booker
  - d. Virginia Booker
  - e. Jack Booker
- William "Buck" Jackson, Was killed an automobile accident in Vermont, while riding in a rumble seat. He was unmarried.
- Mallie Lee Jackson was born Nov. 17, 1910 and married Harry Porter Childress May 29, 1926.
   Harry was the son of Charles Robert and Sarah Lee Harrell Childress. They live in Mt. Airy, NC. They had three children:
  - a. Robert Harold Childress, born Nov. 21, 1927, He was drowned on the Rhyne River on July 29, 1944, during World War II.
  - b. Mary Ann Childress was born in 1929 and married James Thomas. They had five sons:
    - 1) Harry James Thomas
    - 2) Billy Martin Thomas
    - 3) Timothy Paul Thomas
    - 4) Michael Ray Thomas
    - 5) Charles Dale Thomas.
  - c. Bonnie Dare Childress was born Mar. 4, 1935 and married Lewis Paul Edwards. Lewis was a retired army man and was killed in a wreck. They had four children:
    - 1) Robert Edwards
    - 2) Tina Edwards
    - 3) Neta Edwards
    - 4) Philip Edwards.

(Information on the family of William Lee Jackson was from his daughter, Mallie Lee Jackson Childress, of Mt Airy, NC.)

### Joseph M. Jackson (Amer, Joseph, Samuel Jackson)

Joseph M. Jackson was born Mar. 1, 1840 in Surry Co, NC. He was the second son born to Amor and Sallie Hill Jackson. He spent his youth on his father's farm in Westfield, and left home as a young man. Relatives still living in the area say that when Joseph left home, he had only a clean shirt and no money. They say he moved to Colorado, and accumulated a large fortune there.

Joseph states in his will that he wanted all of his estate left to his wife as long as she lived, and at her death all of his property, stocks, bonds, etc. were to be sold and the money to be divided up equally between his two brothers, William (Buck) and Robert Franklin Jackson and his sister Mrs. Martha Pell, and their children.

Joseph had only one child, Andrew Jackson, by his first wife Susan Von Cannon. He did not have children by his second wife Anna Henderson. From the way that Joseph made out his will, it seemed that he had become very displeased with his son Andrew and did not want him to inherit his fortune. He said that he had given Andrew a good share of his property and that he had deeded it away contrary to his expressed wishes. He left his wife all income, rents, interest of all real or personal property that he had in trust, except ten dollars per month that was to be given to his son Andrew Jackson, during his natural lifetime.

He appointed his nephew Andrew Jackson of Mt. Airy, NC and Joseph A. Pell, his nephew of Pilot Mountain, NC to act as the executor of his will, which was written Jan. 16, 1923, in Denver, CO.

His wishes were carried out after the death of his wife Anna, and many relatives living in North Carolina received a share of his estate.

Winchester, IN, the daughter of William and Maris Howell.

"The History of Quaker Divide" by Darius B. Cook, published in 1914 by the Dexter Sentinel, Dexter, IA says that "Hiram Jackson was not brought up a Friend, but was for twenty years an itinerating Weslyan preacher previous to uniting with the Friends". This is in error, as Hiram was brought up as a Friend. His parents, Job and Lydia were dismissed in Apr. 1844 and Hiram was dismissed from the Back Creek MM in May of 1844, all dismissed for joining another Society which was "The Anti-Slavery Friends in Deer Creek. It is not known just how long Hiram was a member of this Society, but probably for about four years because he was an itinerating Weslyan preacher for around twenty years. He was pastor of a small congregation in what was known as "The Hollinqsworth Neighborhood" which was on the north side of Middle "Coon River". He, along with his family and most of his congregation joined the Bear Creek, MM in July of 1867.

"Bear Creek Monthly Meeting, Dallas Co., Iowa" (LDS Microfilm #0924027) shows:

July 27, 1867, Hiram and Hannah Jackson were received

Apr. 25, 1868, Hiram was recorded a minister

Jan. 29, 1870, Hiram and family get certificate North Branch MM, Madison Co, IA.

"North Branch monthly meeting, Madison Co, Iowa". (same microfilm)

Feb. 3, 1870, Hiram Jackson, a minister, and wife, at Roof Bear Creek.

Mar. 3, 1870, Mason, Gincey in the Roof Bear Creek MM Iowa, (Gincey is Hiram's sister).

From the 1850 census, Pennsylvania Township, Madison Co, IA, page 8

Jackson, Hiram, age 47, Farmer, Real Estate: 600, born in Indiana.

Hannah, age 62 (should be age 47), wife of Hiram

Mary, age 4, (this Mary may be the daughter of his brother, as William's wife had died and left a child named Mary.

Lydia age 70, born North Carolina (Hiram's mother, Lydia Puckett Jackson.)

Mason, Gincie, age 50, (Hiram's sister.)

Hollingsworth, Eliza age 25, (Possibly a the daughter of Gincey Mason.)

Angeline 12, born in Indiana. (Possibly a daughter of Eliza Hollingsworth.)

Elsworth age 10, (Possibly a son of Eliza Hollingsworth.)

Hiram, died suddenly Mar. 13th 1889 in Des Moines, IA while on a business trip. No children have been found for Hiram and Hannah in any of the Quaker records. The Hollingsworth family, so closely connected to Hiram, were probably his relatives, as several of the Jackson's and the Hollingsworth family married before in Stokes and Surry Counties NC.

### William Jackson (Job, William, Samuel)

William was born Oct. 30, 1829 in Randolph Co, IN, the son of Job Jackson and Lydia Puckett. William married Laura J. Lewell (Levall) Apr. 18, 1850 in Grant Co, IN, and is recorded in "The Marriages of Grant Co" Book C. William was dismissed from the Back MM on July 18, 1850 for marring contrary to discipline. William and his brother Isom did not join the "Anti Slavery Friends" in 1844 when his parents and brother Hiram did, and were dismissed from the church.

William and Laura were living next to his parents Job and Lydia in the 1850 census of Grant Co. William was aged 20 and Laura was 17. The names of only three of their children are known, all were born in Indiana:

- 1. Julia E. Jackson, born in 1853
- 2. Mary E. Jackson, born in 1864
- 3. Arthur Jackson, born in 1866

There is to a large difference in the ages of their known children, so it is quite likely that had other children. The Arthur was born in 1866 may have been a twin to "Martha", because a Martha Jackson is shown born in 1866 in his household in the 1870 Census. Hannah Jackson probably died at the birth of Martha because William remarried in Nov. of 1866.

"The Dallas Co, Iowa, Marriages" Book 1, page 198, shows that William Jackson married Luzena

(Lucinda) Shafer Nov. 24, 1866.

The following was taken from the 1870 census of Cass Township, Guthrie Co, IA, page 17 taken July 13, 1870:

Jackson, William, age 35 (should be 39) farmer, real estate & personal property \$1300, born in Indiana.

Lucinda, age 22, born in Indiana.

Martha A. age 6 born in Indiana. (may be child by Hannah)

Mary A. age 3, born in Iowa (may be child living with Hiram Jackson)

Margaret, age 1, born in Iowa

Lucinda Jackson died after 1870 and before 1879. They may have had other children not accounted for, and it is possible that she may have died soon after the 1870 Census was taken.

William Jackson married Hannah Ellen Couch Aug. 31, 1879 in Penn Township, Guthrie, IA. She was the widow of M. J. Couch. The 1880 Census of Guthrie Co. shows that William's daughter Martha was 15 years old, and living with him. Four of Hannah's children were living in William's household: Sarah Couch age 17, William age 13, Frank age 12, and Jefferson age 8.

Information on the family of William Jackson was sent by Mrs. Lorraine Hall Keith. She also states:

"I am not sure that the William Jackson of Grant Co, IN is the same person as the William Jackson of Guthrie Co, IA. Ages given on the census do not correspond with his date of birth, but are likely in error."

### Isom Jackson (Job, William, Samuel Jackson)

Isom was born June 18, 1833 in Randolph Co, IN, the son of Job and Lydia Puckett Jackson. He died Feb. 24, 1862 in Hew Haven, KY.

Isom married Matilda Hackett on July 26, 1855 in Grant Co, IN by Henry Shugart, JP. He was discounsed by the Back Creek MM for marrying contrary to discipline and his membership ceased.

Isom enrolled in Company C, 47th Regiment of the Indiana Volunteers on Oct. 15, 1861. He enlisted to serve for three years. He was mustered out as a private in Indianapolis, IN Dec. 9, 1861. The muster rolls of the 47th Regiment show him absent for Jan. and Feb. of 1862. He was sick at the Nelson Barracks, Kentucky. He died at New Haven, KY in a hospital, cause unknown.

Isom and Matilda were the parents of two known children:

- 1. Andrew Jackson, born in 1860
- 2. Mary Ellen Jackson, born June 15, 1862. She was placed in the home of Jonathan Hall, who was named as her guardian.

After Isom's death, Matilda married William Adkins in 1863. She died Aug. 30, 1876.

## Elliott Jackson (Job, William, Samuel)

Elliott was born Mar. 2, 1838 in Grant Co, IN, the son of Job and Lydia Puckett Jackson. He married Catherine Herrold Nov. 25, 1859. He was drafted for war Sept. 21, 1864, and was sent home, sick in Oct. of 1864. He died June 22, 1865.

Catherine Herrold Williams applied for a pension on Mar. 13, 1894 in Red Oaks, Montgomery Co, IA, as the widow of Elliott M. Jackson. She gave her age as 52 years, and her residence as Red Oak, IA. She stated in her claim that Elliott was drafted man from the 14th, Indiana Congressional District, but was never assigned to any Company or Regiment. He did guard duty at Indianapolis, IN. He was drafted in Sept. of 1864 and continued on duty until some time during the following winter when he was taken sick. He was sent home on sick furlough where he remained all that winter.

In the following spring, some officers in Indianapolis sent for him, and he was discharged upon his arrival on May 26, 1865. He died June 22, 1865 from chronic diarrhea that he contracted in

Indianapolis, while serving in the military.

A question was asked her: "Did Elliott M. Jackson, have an injury of either foot when he enlisted?" Her answer: "Yes, he had a cut on one of his feet long before his enlistment. He was not lame but if he was tired or walked all day you cold notice a little limp. No sir, I did not know it was because of this injury to his foot that he was discharged. He was sent home sick with the diarrhea, and as it continued, I supposed it was because of the diarrhea. I remember it was cold weather when he came home sick. I cannot give the date but think it was just before Christmas of 1864. No, he was not discharged then. I am quite sure they held him and it was not until May 26, 1865 that he was discharged."

Question: "The records of the War Department show that he, Elliott M. Jackson, was discharged Dec. 23, 1864, because of injury to the left foot, nothing being said of his being sick."

Answer: "Well I know he did not receive his discharge then, that he was home on sick furlough and went back to Indianapolis May 26, 1865, and then received his discharge and if it shows date as you say it must have been dated back."

Further information taken from the pension application:

"I was married to the said Elliott M. Jackson, Nov. 25, 1858 under my maiden name Catherine Herrold. Neither the soldier or I had never married prior to our intermarriage. We were married in Grant Co, IN. There is a public record of said marriage, a copy of which has been furnished the Pension Board.

I was the legal widow of Elliott M. Jackson, until Mar. 19, 1870 when I married Thomas J. Williams, my present husband, near Eagleville, Harrison Co, MO, and was married by a Justice of the Peace. There is a public record of said marriage at Bethany, MO."

"During the period between death of Elliott M. Jackson and my marriage to said Thomas J. Williams, I did not live or cohabit with any man. Mrs. Celia Harrold of Blythdale, MO, and Cassie Hicklin, Logan Co, OK, can prove my widowhood during the period first referred to.

By the said Elliott M. Jackson I had four children who were all under 16 years of age at the date of his death. These children are all alive today, I had the care and custody of each and all until they reached the age of 16 years.

I make this statement as to dates of birth from memory, I did have the names and dates of birth in my old family Bible, but that was destroyed, though I have their names:

- Mary M. Jackson born Dec. 25, 1859. She married Mr. Taylor and they live in Oak, IA.
- 2. William H. Jackson born July 29, 1861 and lives in Blythdale, Harrison Co, MO.
- 3. Lydia R. Jackson, born Aug. 1, 1863 in Iowa City, IA.
- 4. Nancy A. Jackson, born Dec. 22, 1865 married "Seekins". They live in Johnson Co, IA.

#### Elijah Jackson (William, Samuel Jackson)

Elijah was born in Westfield, Surry Co, NC, ca 1795. The 1850 census of Randolph Co, IN gave his age as 54. He was the third child, and the second son of William and Mary Jessup Jackson, and the grandson of Samuel and Catherine Jackson. He spent his youth in Surry Co, and married Miss Ann (Anna) Puckett there Nov 13, 1816. Ann (Anna) was born in 1796 in Guilford Co, NC, the daughter of Isom and Betsy Cain (Kane) Puckett. Elijah was condemned from Westfield MM for marring out of unity.

Elijah moved his family from Westfield, NC to Randolph Co, IN in Dec of 1820. He was named in the book "Past and Present of Randolph County" by John L. Smith and Lee L Denner, as being one who helped build churches and organized meetings at Dunkirk, 31/2 miles southwest of Winchester on the "Paul Way Farm" in 1822.

Elijah and family requested Certificate to Birch Lake MM in Michigan on Oct. 10, 1843 (for Anna to

be treated?). Birch Lake reported that they treated her May 13, 1844 without any satisfaction, and she was dismissed. Anna was given permission to visit Westfield MM in 1846, and Catherine Beals was to accompany her. Elijah died around 1863. He was a farmer, and a member of the Society of Friends.

Ann Puckett, wife of Elijah, was a sister of Lydia Puckett who married Elijah's brother Job. The following is from an article was written in the "History of Randolph Co" p170 by Tucker: "Anna Puckett, daughter of Isom Puckett, born in 1796, and married Elijah Jackson about 1816. They had eight children. She was an excellent and motherly woman, an anti-slavery Friend, in the days of the movement, a recorded minister among Friends, and of a loving Christian spirit. She was noted in her day for being one of those "doctor-nurses" to whom human kind owes so much and render so little, and was greatly skilled in the use of water and herbs for curative purposes."

Anna died about 1876 at the age of eighty.

# Elijah and Anna were the parents of eight known children:

- 1. Andrew Jackson, born Oct. 7, 1817. See account.
- 2. Jefferson Jackson, born Feb. 10, 1820. See account.
- 3. Anna Jackson went from Surry Co, NC to Randolph Co, IN with her parents when they moved. (From Westfield MM records.) Nothing more is known on Anna. Since they later named another child Oliva Ann, she may have died young.
- 4. Rebecca Jackson was born in 1832 in Randolph Co, IN. She Married Amos Charles. Amos was a brother of Dr. Henry Charles who married her sister Olive.
- 5. Allan Jackson, born Oct. 12, 1834. See account.
- 6. Mary Jackson
- 7. Olive Ann Jackson was born June 5, 1829 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Henry Charles. Henry was born Aug. 9, 1822 in Wayne Co, IN, the brother of Amos Charles, who married her sister Rebecca. They were the parents of ten children:
  - a. Sarah Ann Charles, born Nov. 14, 1850
  - b. Samuel R. Charles, born Nov. 7, 1852
  - c. John H. Charles, born Jan. 12, 1854
  - d. William H. Charles, born Feb. 20, 1855
  - e. Nina Jane Charles, born Nov. 23, 1856
  - f. Mary Alice Charles, born Apr. 24, 1859
  - g. Henrietta Charles, born May 17, 1860. Henrietta and Olive were twins
  - h. Olive Ann Charles, born May, 17, 1860
  - i. Laura Ellen Charles, born Feb. 5, 1866
    - Gulia Elma Charles, born May, 21, 1867

("The History of Randolph County" said that they had eight children, so one is not accounted for.)
Information on the family of Elijah came from:

- \* Mrs. Alice Ross a descendant of Elijah and Ann.
- \* census records.
- \* Quaker records of Westfield, Sparrow Creek, and Poplar Run

## Andrew Jackson (Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Andrew was born in Surry Co, NC Oct. 31, 1817, the eldest son of Elijah and Ann Puckett Jackson. His parents moved to Indiana in 1820 when he was three years old. He married Miss Mahala Beals Oct. 17, 1838. Mahala was born May 18, 1821, the daughter of Daniel and Catherine Beals. She was a sister to Rachel Beals who married Andrew's brother Jefferson Jackson.

Andrew died Mar. 26, 1850 in Hamilton Co, IN, and after his death, Mahala married Nathan Hodgin Nov. 10, 1910. She died Nov. 10, 1910, and is buried at Willow Grove Cemetery, Wayne Co, IN. Mahala was the second wife of Nathan, whose first wife had died in 1859. Andrew and Mahala were the parents of six children:

- Joseph C. Jackson was born in 1840. He married Abigail Diggs Sept 29, 1864 at Poplar Run, MM. Abigail was the daughter of Pleasant and Anna Diggs.
- 2. Isom Jackson was born Sept. 23, 1842, died in 1926, and was buried at Poplar Run, MM

cemetery. He married Susan J. Moore, the daughter of Henry and Mary Moore. Susan was born Dec. 8, 1844 and died in 1915. They were the parents of seven known children:

- a. Rosella Jackson was born Sept. 4, 1865 and died May 13, 1872.
- b. Henry E. Jackson was born Jan. 6, 1867 and died Oct. 11,1877.
- c. Andrew M. Jackson was born Jan. 27, 1869 and died Jan. 27 1897.
- d. Jesse W. Jackson was born Oct. 14, 1871. See account.
- e. Marietta Jackson was born Nov. 2, 1873 and died in 1946.
- f. Joseph C. Jackson born Jan. 10, 1876, married Mattie E. Pursley, the daughter of James M. and Mary E. Pursley. She was a sister to Mellie, wife of Jesse W. Jackson. They were the parents of four children:
  - 1) Idris Ola, born June 14, 1900
  - 2) Mary Opal Jackson, born Nov. 5, 1904
  - 3) Homer C. Jackson, born Oct. 5, 1906
  - 4) Doris Jane Jackson, born Feb. 17, 1914
- g. Delmima Jackson, born Jan. 1, 1880
- 3. Lindley M. Jackson was born May 14, 1844. He married Malvina Hunt who was a teacher and a minister. They had two known children:
  - a. Cora Jackson
  - b. Frederick Jackson.
- 4. Lydia Ann Jackson. See account.
- 5. Themas Jackson's birth date is unknown. He died as a small boy of "The Croup".
- 6. Lavina Jackson The date of her birth is not known. She died when small with scarlet fever.

# Jesse W. Jackson (Isom, Andrew, Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Lucille Vernon, the researcher of this work lists two different birthdates for Jesse partwo different pages. These dates are: Oct. 14 1871, and the other is Oct. 27, 1870. More research will have to be done to determine which is correct.

The following was taken from "The History of Randolph Co, IN" page 1190:

Jesse was on a farm in Stony Creek Township, Randolph Co, IN, the son of Isom and Susan J. (Moore) Jackson. He grew to manhood on his father's farm, and attended the county district schools. He helped on the farm with the general farm work, and remained with his parents until his marriage. He married Miss Millie B. Pursley Sept. 5, 1891. Millie was a daughter of James M. and Mary E. (Addington) Pursley, a well known family in Randolph Co.

After their marriage they first settled on a farm two and one half miles southeast of Farmland, where he carried on general farming for twenty years with ever increasing success. In the spring of 1932 he moved to his present place three miles west of the county seat, where he met with his usual states. As a general agriculturist and stock raiser, he ranks with the best in White River Township. This move was made because he wanted a larger farm, as his boys had grown into young men, and he wanted to give them an opportunity at home to teach them farming by his own mathods. He devoted much attention to stock raising and feeding, being regarded as one of the thest hog raisers in Randolph Co.

Mr. Jackson has always been a republican in politics, and he has long been active and deeply interested in Public affairs, however he never was elected to an office, He and his family are members of the Friends Church and are active supporters of the Church and Sunday school.

Jesse V. Jackson and Millie Pursley Jackson were the parents of four children:

- a. Newal W. Jackson born Feb. 9, 1894
- b. Reland W. Jackson born Apr. 22, 1898
- cc. Mitton (Miltie) O. Jackson, born May 6, 1900
- id. Edith Olive Jackson born Aug. 10, 1903

### Lydia Ann Inckson (Andrew, Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Lydia was born Sept. 28, 1847. She married Jonathan D. Wright Dec. 20, 1865 in Farmland,

Randolph Co, IN. Jonathan was born Mar. 6, 1837, the son of Solomon and Margery (Diggs) Wright. Lydia died July 12, 1936. She was living at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Wright, near Modac, IN at her death. Jonathan died Feb. 11, 1926. They are both buried in Cedar Cemetery. They were the parents of seven children:

- a. Eva Wright was born Oct. 15 1866 and married George W. Holloway ca 1888
- b. Everett Emerson Wright was born ca 1869 and died in 1963. He married Minnie Bell Miller.
- c. John Stewart Wright was born Sept. 17, 1871 and died Oct. 19, 1876.
- d. Maude E. Wright, born Feb. 27 1873. She married Leotties A. Oren Mar. 14, 1891. She died Dec. 14, 1962, in Randolph Co, IN and was buried in the Cedar Cemetery.
- e. Lydia Ann Wright "Nan" born Jan. 26, 1875 and married Frank Wright
- f. Gail Lasell Wright was born May 22, 1883 and died in 1980 in Santa Rosa, CA. He married Muriel Orpha Thornburg.
- g. Raymond Wright was born Apr. 4, 1887 and died Mar. 18, 1948. He married Halley Kelly.

## Jefferson Jackson (Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Jefferson was born in Surry Co, NC, Feb. 10, 1820, the second son of Elijah and Ann Puckett Jackson. He was less than a year old when his parents moved from Surry Co, NC to RandolphCo, IN. Jefferson grew up in Randolph Co, and was married Miss Rachel Beals Apr. 14, 1841 at the Sparrow Creek MM.

Rachel was the daughter of Daniel and Catherine Beals. Daniel was the son of Daniel and Susannah Jackson.

Jefferson and Rachel moved to Michigan in 1843 where they lived for three years. Rachel died in Michigan before 1847. They had one son, Thomas C. Jackson.

Jefferson's second marriage was to Rebecca Mann Aug. 9, 1847. They moved to Union Township in Howard Co. He cleared sixty acres of land and built a log cabin, and lived there until 1882. Rebecca died in 1855 in Howard Co. They one daughter, Rachel.

Jefferson's third marriage was to Mrs. Mary (Johns) Toll in 1858. They had four children. He was Captain of the Home Guard from 1861 to 1864 and was a member of the Republican party, and a liberal supporter of the Society of Friends. In 1882 here moved from Howard Co, and located in Grant Co, IN

His children by his three wives were:

- 1. Thomas C. Jackson. See account.
- Rachel Jackson, born July 15, 1848 in Indiana, and married Enos Presnall May 17, 1871.
- 3. Martha A. Jackson born in 1864 in Indiana.
- 4. Laura Jane Jackson (Jennie) born May 13, 1870, in Indiana
- 5. John Jackson, born in 1861
- 6. Andrew Jackson, born in 1866.

Information of Jefferson Jackson, was taken from "Biographical Sketches of Howard Co, IN, Liberty Township".

### Thomas C. Jackson (Jefferson, Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Thomas was born Feb. 23, 1842 in Randolph Co. IN, the son of Jefferson and Rachel Beals Jackson. He died Nov. 9, 1937 in Greentown, Howard Co, IN.

His father moved the family to Howard Co, IN when Thomas was a small boy. He worked on his father's farm until 1859 when he moved to Wisconsin and worked on a farm for \$10 per month.

He enrolled at Prairie Du Sac, at the age of nineteen on Sept. 20, 1861 as a private in the sixth Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery for the Civil War. His certificate number was 1045 320. He saw battle at New Madrid, Island No. 10, Shiloh, Vicksburg, Chattanooga, and was with Sherman through to Atlanta. He then returned to Nashville, and participated in the battles at Rome, Franklin, and Atlanta. He received one slight scalp wound by a piece of shell at Missionary Ridge. He re-enlisted, Jan. 19, 1863 at Larkinsville, AL, and was honorably discharged a Corporal as a at Madison, Wisconsin, July 3,

1865.

After his discharge he returned to Howard Co, where he rented land and began farming. He started in life a poor boy, but through economy and labor made a good home of 160 acres, of well improved land with good buildings.

Thomas married Mary Jane Ware Nov. 25, 1865 in Howard Co, IN. They were married by Charles P. Baldwin, JP. Mary Jane was born on Aug. 2, 1847, the daughter of Jesse Ware. They were members of the Christian Church and he was a member of the Republican Party. He applied for a pension Feb. 23, 1917 at the age of 75, and gave his address as Greentown, Howard Co, IN. It is not known if they had any children.

## Information on Thomas C. Jackson from:

- \* "Biographical Sketches, Liberty Township. Howard Co, Indiana"
- \* His application for Pension

#### Allan H. Jackson (Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Allan was born Oct. 12, 1834 in Randolph Co, IN, the son of Elijah and Anna Puckett Jackson. He married Elma Puckett Feb. 10, 1856. Elma was born June 23, 1833, the daughter of Tyre T. Puckett and Elizabeth Beals. Allen and Elma were the parents of four children, all born in Randolph Co, IN:

- 1. Floretta Jackson was born Dec. 22, 1856. She married Charles F. Woodard Mar. 27, 1878. Charles was born Apr. 14, 1851, the son of Cornelious and Sarah (Burgess) Woodard of Wayne Co. They had six children:
  - a. Mariana Woodward was born May 3, 1879 and married Charles E. Kelly Sept. 2, 1896. Charles was born Nov. 11, 1874, the son of Samuel and Mary M. Kelley. Their children were:
    - 1) Russell Charles Kelley, born Sept. 23, 1897
    - 2) Lawrence Edward Kelley, born Sept. 20, 1899.
  - b. Lillion Woodward was born July 7, 1881. She married Edward E. Knieple Jan. 26, 1897. Edward was born Apr. 5, 1873. Their children were:
    - 1) Mabel Knieple born Sept. 9, 1897
    - 2) B. Woodward Knieple, born May 18, 1900
    - 3) Mary Louise Knieple, born Aug. 8, 1902
    - 4) Stewart Allen Knieple, born Oct. 20, 1904
  - c. Emery Cornelious Woodward was born Aug. 9, 1884 and died Mar. 9, 1885.
  - d. Harry Woodward, born June 27, 1888
  - e. Willard Woodward was born Mar. 9, 1898 and died July 20, 1898.
  - f. Ethel Woodward was born July 3, 1904 and died Nov. 13, 1904.
- 2. Estella Jackson, born Apr. 15, 1858 in Randolph Co, IN. She married Lewis B. Spray Oct. 27, 1877. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. Charles Allen Spray, born June 12, 1872
  - b. Elsie Leora Spray, born Apr. 13, 1881, married Charles B. Fisher Oct. 22 1905. Charles waS born in Alexandria, IN Mar. 6, 1880.
  - c. James Ermon Spray, born Sept. 20, 1882
  - d. Fannie Elma Spray was born Sept. 13, 1885 and died Apr. 5, 1887.
  - e. Wilbur Spray, born May 5, 1895
- Ella Jackson was born Dec. 27, 1862. She married Clarkson Shawley Oct. 26, 1882. They had
  two children:
  - a. Delmar Shawley, born Feb. 18, 1885
  - b. Harold Shawley, born Feb. 16, 1893
- 4. Ira Jackson born Mar. 4, 1871, never married.

### Mary E. Jackson (Elijah, William, Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born July 31, 1838 in Randolph Co, IN, the daughter of Elilah and Ann Puckett Jackson. She married Hiram Benajah Jones Aug. 25, 1860 Hiram was born May 5, 1838, in Randolph Co, IN. Hiram was a farmer and owned 40 acres of valuable land. He was the first to inaugurate the

erection of the Dunkirk Pike, in which he held stock, and was the secretary of the company. He was the son of Endsley Jones who born June 4, 1810 in North Carolina and came to Wayne Co IN in 1816, and to Winchester in 1831. He married Lydia Wright, by whom he had four children: Hiram B., Alexander, Daniel, and Angeline Jones.

Hiram and Mary E. Jackson Jones were the parents of four children:

- 1. Rosa Jones was born Mar. 11, 1863 and married John Jackson.
- 2. Lillie E. Jones
- 3. Bertie A. Jones, married Alfred Lomax
- 4. Ora E. Jones.

Information on Elijah and Ann Puckett Jackson was taken from:

- \* Quaker records of Westfield, NC and Sparrow Creek-Poplar Run MM
- \* Wills, Census records, and information from Mrs. Alice Ross

### Edith Jackson (William, Samuel Jackson)

Edith was born around 1799 in Surry Co, NC, the daughter of William and Mary Jackson. She was the only girl in a family with five boys. She grew up on Rutledge Creek in Surry Co, and married Zachariah Puckett July 26, 1817 in Surry Co, NC. She was his second wife. Zachariah Puckett was an uncle to Anne and Lydia Puckett who had married Edith's brothers, Job and Elijah Jackson.

In her father William's will, in 1851, he left Edith a tract of land containing 92 acres in the Holly Springs area, land on which Henry Marsh lived. Edith and Zachariah moved from Surry Co, NC to Randolph Co, IN sometime before 1825, because their three children were all there:

- 1. Nathaniel Puckett was born Feb. 28, 1825 in Randolph Co, IN and married Nancy Hurst Nov. 29, 1845.
- 2. Anna Puckett was born in 1828in Randolph Co, IN and married Elihu Knight Apr. 7, 1845.
- 3. Martin Puckett was born in 1823 in Randolph Co, IN and married Mary Abbott Nov. 6, 1842.

#### Jason Jackson (William, Samuel Jackson)

Jason was born in Surry Co, NC, ca 1800, the son of William and Mary Jessup Jackson, and died in Jan. of 1835. He spent his life in Surry Co, and was married and was deceased at the time his father made out his will. William's will gives to the two children of Jason \$1.00 each, he said that was all that he would have given their father Jason if he had been living.

The name of Jason's wife is not known. Mrs. Lois Gardner Hays of Beech Grove, IN has been searching for the parents of her grandfather William R. Jackson, and information she has received indicates that he could be the John, son of Jason Jackson. Her grandfather John William Jackson stated that he was born in Surry Co, NC in 1831, and his family moved to Highland Co, OH when he was eight years old. It is believed that Jason's wife was Sarah Sparger, the daughter of John Sparger from Surry Co. This John Sparger had two daughters that married men named Jackson. One daughter, Nancy married John Jackson, a brother of Jason's. His other daughter, named Sarah, married a Jackson.

John Sparger and his son Henry moved from Surry Co to Hamilton Co, OH in 1833. The 1840 census shows a widow, Sarah Jackson, that would fit as the mother of Jason and Mary. It was listed on the same page as the Spargers. It is believed that Sarah and her two children joined her father in Ohio in 1839. The 1850 census lists John William Jackson as living with a family by the name of Beeson. It is believed that Sarah Jackson married Benjamin Beeson around 1845, and that it was his mother's home where he was living, he was nineteen years old.

Beeson is an old Quaker family from Guilford and Surry Counties NC. Mrs. Hays would welcome any information from any one who has any information on these two families.

# John William Jackson (William, Samuel Jackson)

John was born Aug. 24, 1831 in Surry Co, NC and died Jan. 2, 1916 in Freemont Co, near Sidney, IA. It is believed that John is the son of Jason Jackson who died in Surry Co in 1835.

The family moved to Highland Co, OH in 1839 when John was eight years old. It was here that he grew to manhood. He married in Sallie Horton May 27, 1854 in Leesburg, OH. Sallie was born Oct. 30, 1827 in Leesburg and died Apr. 1, 1922. She was the daughter of Ira Horton and Nancy Collins.

They moved to Hamilton Co, IN the year following their marriage in 1855, where they lived for eight years. They moved to Freemont Co, IA in 1863, where they lived on a farm in Lacy Grove for many years. They then moved to a farm just west of Sidney, IA where they lived until John's death. Sallie's father, Ira Horton, moved with them to IN, and on to Iowa. John died Jan 2, 1916 at the age of 85.

The following is a copy of John William Jackson obituary that was printed in the "Freemont County Herald".

"ANOTHER PIONEER, Death of J. W. Jackson, An Old Settler, at his home in Sidney. Mr. Jackson passed away a few minutes past 11 o'clock Sunday night, Jan 2, after a long illness. He had a stroke of paralysis four years ago and has been failing ever since. The immediate cause of his death was hardening of the arteries of the heart. He was a man highly respected, a good neighbor, an industrious, honest man, a good citizen. Two daughters, Mrs. Hattie Proctor, and Mrs. Bertha Turpy, preceded the father to the great unknown. The other nine children were all present to attend the funeral and to console the mother in her great bereavement. There are also 43 grand children and 21 great grandchildren living, The Funeral took place from the home Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The service was conducted by Rev. C. M. Ward of the Methodist church assisted by Rev. J. P. Thomas of the Baptist church. Six grandsons of Mr. Jackson acted as pallbearers. Interment in the Sidney Cemetery.

The only information known on any of his children are those named in his obituary, except that on his son Alonzo Lee Jackson.

Information on this family was sent by his granddaughter Mrs. Lois Hays.

Assuming that this is the John William that married Sallie, they were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Louella "Ella" Jackson, born in 1855, married McCluskey. They lived in Sidney, IA.
- 2. Ira Edgar Jackson was born ca 1857. He married Frances Pearson Dec. 29, 1878. They lived for a while in Pleasonton, KS, and moved to Amsterdam, MO. He died Oct. 3, 1922.
- Mary Flora Jackson, born ca 1859 married Anthony G. McCluskey Feb. 5, 1880. They lived in Nelson, NE.
- 4. Alonzo Lee Jackson, born in 1861. See account.
- 5. Martha Emma Jackson, born ca 1863, married Collins Seavey. They lived in Salina, KS.
- 6. Verissa "Elizabeth" Jackson was born ca 1865 and married Cadwell. They lived in Calome, SD.
- 7. Maggie "Josephine" Jackson, born ca 1867, married Brackney. They lived in Dexter, IA.
- 8. Hester "Hattie" Jackson was born ca 1869 and married Proctor.
- 9. Oscar Jackson was born ca 1871 and lived in Pleasanton, KS.
- 10. Eva Jackson was born ca 1873 and married Vanness.
- 11. Berth Jackson, born ca 1877, married Torpey.

## Alonzo Lee Jackson (John, William, Samuel Jackson)

Alonzo was born in 1861 near Strawtown, Hamilton Co, IN, the son of John William and Sally Horton Jackson. There is no information on his early life. Immediately after his father's death, the family began to split up. A few had already left Sidney, IA for other states. Lee moved to Kansas, and eventually bought a farm near Lakin, KS, in the far southwest corner of the state. It was ranching country and the advent of 1930 dust bowl broke the farmers. Mrs. Lois Hays remembers seeing farm houses covered almost to the roof tops with fine dust. It sifted through the tightly taped windows of her Grandmother Phinney's house in Grade City.

Lee was married three times. He had one son born in 1888 by his first wife. His wife must have died at child birth or shortly after because he married **Hester Rachel Husbands** about 1890. Lee died in 1929 and is buried beside his second wife **Hester** in Lakin, KS. They were the parents of six known children:

1. Oakley Jackson was born ca 1888, the only child by Lee and his first wife. Oakley married about

- 1912, and made his home in White Sulpher Springs, MT.
- 2. Chester Wells Jackson was born ca 1892 in Iowa. See account.
- 3. Walter Jackson was born Sept. 25, 1894 in Sidney, IA and died in Sidney Nov. 18, 1973. He married Hazel Thatcher Dec. 26, 1916. She died in 1924, they had three children:
  - a. Leeman Jackson
  - b. Layton Jackson
  - c. Delores Jackson married Driever of Seattle WA.
- 4. Louva Jackson was born in 1900. She married Ernest Kroenig in Lakin, KS. She died with cardiac problems in Kansas in 1949. They had no children.
- Mayme Jackson, married William Orf, from Pierceville, KS. They had three children last known to be living in Miami, AZ.
- 6. Minnie Jackson, married Madison and they were living in Corvallis, OR in 1973.
- Geraldine Jackson, nothing is known on Geraldine except that she was mentioned in the will of Walter as being a sister. She may have died young.

### Chester Wells Jackson (Alonzo, John, William, Samuel Jackson)

Chester was born ca 1892 in Sidney, Freemont Co, IA, the son of Alonzo Lee and Hester Rachel Husbands Jackson. He went with his parents when they moved to Kansas. He married Grace Ireae Phinney in Garden City, KS. Grace was born Dec. 25, 1898, the daughter of Fred Philander Phinney. They lived in Lakin, KS until 1928. They moved to Topeka, KS in 1928 where Chester worked as a mechanic, and took flying lessons. His dream was to become a pilot, but the following year they moved to Wichita, KS, where he remained until 1946, then moved to Denver, CO. He bought a house in Arvada, CO, a suburb of Denver, and after the war he and his son Robert began to build and remodel houses. There was nothing mechanically that he could not do. He continued in this field until he became ill with heart and circulatory problems. He died in 1964 after several years of heart problems. They were the parents of three children:

- 1. Robert Jackson was born in Jan. 1920. He is living with his wife Mary, and children in Wheatridge, CO.
  - a. Katheryn Jackson
  - b. Fred Jackson
- 2. Lois Jackson was born May 24 1923. She married Garner Duke Hays Mar. 22, 1944. Garner was born Jan. 2, 1918 in Indiana. They have two children:
  - a. Jeffrey Garner Hays was born Nov. 25, 1945. His first marriage was to Charlotte Runke and they had one son, Jeffrey Jr. born in 1966. His second marriage was to Maureen Sexton July 20, 1985.
  - b. Martin Todd Hays was born July 11, 1952. He married Angelin Cabace Sept. 20, 1976.
- 3. Beth Jackson, born in 1928, married Herbert Crary, a Doctor of Chemistry, and at one time he worked in the space program. They make their home in Boulder, CO. They were the parents of three daughters:
  - a. Susan Crary, born ca 1950
  - b. Nancy Crary, born ca 1955
  - c. Anne Crary, born ca 1959

#### Newel Jackson (William, Samuel Jackson)

Newel was born and raised in Surry Co, NC, around 1802-03, the son of William and Mary Jeasup Jackson. He married Miss Sarah Martin Aug. 23, 1832. He was married for only fourteen months when ledied on Oct. 28, 1833. He left a four month old daughter, Martha Jackson.

(Elitgor's note: Newel was the marriage bondsman of Ruel Jackson and Susannah Whitlock's marriage in 1820 in North Carolina.)

Newel field in 1833 and his brother Jason died in 1835. Little information has been found on these two iboys. The caused of their death is unknown but they died relateively young so may have had an accident or maybe tuberculosis. In Newel's father William's will, he left "to Martha Jackson Mathows, daughter of my son Newel Jackson, a Bed and furniture."

'Sarah Sally) Martin, wife of Newel was born Feb. 11, 1810 in Guilford Co, NC .the second child of

Alexander Martin and Abigail Garrett. The "Garrett Family History" states that after Newel's death. Sarah married Wilson Deatherage July 23, 1839. Wilson died in Buchanan Co, MO Oct. 11, 1857, where they had settled the previous year. They were the parents of seven children.

A list of Sarah (Sally) Martin's children by both husbands:

- 1. Martha Jackson
- 2. Alfred M. Deatherage, married Martha Base Abbott
- 3. Elizabeth Deatherage, married William Belton
- 4. Achilles Deatherage, married Missouri A. Baker
- 5. Abigail H. Deatherage, married Isaac R. Farris
- Joseph R. Deatherage, married, Martha J. Baker
- 7. William A. Deatherage, married Mary E. Coghill
- 8. Mary E. Deatherage, born in 1851, died in 1857

Sarah Martin's mother was Abigail Garrett, the daughter of Welcome Garrett and Phoebe Ann Sumner. Phoebe was the daughter of Robert and Phoebe Beals. Sarah's father was Alexander Martin. He moved in with Sarah in Buchanan, MO in his old age and died Feb. 27, 1872 at the age of 90.

## Martha Jackson (Newel, William, Samuel Jackson)

Martha was born June 23, 1833 in Surry Co, NC, the daughter of Newel and Sarah Martin Jackson. She was only four months old when her father died. Martha married Jackson Mathews (Mathess?) Oct. 26, 1850. Jackson Mathews was born Aug. 15, 1810. (Since his name was Jackson, he could have been Martha's cousin.) They were the parents of seven children:

- Mary Jane Mathews was born Oct. 23, 1852, and married Robert S. Turpin Oct. 30, 1872.
   Robert was born Dec. 4, 1848. They lived in Spray, Rockingham Co, NC. They were the parents of seven children:
  - a. Martha E. Turpin, born Aug. 17, 1873
  - b. Sarah E. Turpin, born May 2, 1874-75
  - c. Susan E. Turpin, born Mar. 22, 1876
  - d. Charles D. Turpin, born Jan. 14, 1878, died Nov. 6,1880
  - e. Lucy B. Turpin, born Feb. 20 1880
  - f. John R. Turpin, born Feb. 10, 1882
  - Oliver H. Turpin, born Dec. 28, 1883
- Newel Jackson Mathews was born Nov. 18, 1853. He was a Missionary Baptist preacher. He
  married Ruth A. Nunn Apr. 30, 1876. They lived in Stokes Co, NC and were the parents of eight
  children:
  - a. Sarah A. Mathews, born Feb. 20, 1877
  - b. Rose Emma Mathews, born July 20, 1879
  - c. Ida Alice Mathews, born May 1, 1882
  - d. Mary J. Mathews, born Sept. 23, 1884
  - e. William C Mathews
  - f. May Mathews
  - g. Royal J. Mathews
  - h. Alvah Mathews
- 3. William Columbus Mathews was born Feb. 11, 1855. He married Sarah Lucinda Vernum and lived in Round Peak, Surry Co, NC. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. John J. Mathews was born Aug. 10, 1878, married Dora Snow June 30, 1901. Dora was born July 30, 1884 in Surry Co, NC, the daughter of Abner and Rose E. Snow. They were the parents of six children:
    - 1) Roxie Alice Mathews, born Sept. 20, 1902
    - 2) Aloys Mathews, born Apr. 13, 1906
  - b. Lillie Mathews was born Mar. 8, 1881 and died Feb. 19, 1904. She married Newel Lowe Dec. 13, 1900.
  - c. Millie M. Mathews was born Jan. 8, 1884. She married Sanford Mays Sept. 3, 1905. Their known child was:

- 1) Tressie Mays, born June 10, 1906
- d. Bertha M. Mathews was born Nov. 9, 1886 and died Jan. 18, 1887.
- e. Susan M. Mathews was born Nov. 4, 1887 and married Lloyd Lowe Dec. 3, 1904. They were the parents of three children:
  - 1) Lillie Lowe, born July 6, 1905
  - 2) William Lowe, born Nov. 26, 1906
  - 3) Eddie S. Lowe, born Apr. 30, 1908
- f. Pearl M. Mathews, born Feb. 7, 1908 and died May 24, (1912?).
- 4. Sarah M. Mathews, born Jan. 27, 1858
- 5. Laura A. Mathews, born Feb. 18, 1862
- 6. Ruth P. Mathews, born Mar. 5, 1865, died July 10, 1882
- 7. Ulysses G. Mathews, born July 5, 1869

Note: There is some question as to the true spelling of the name as it is spelled many ways: Mathess Mathews, Mathes and Matthews. Newel Jackson Mathews wrote his name "Mathews".

# CHAPTER 10

# **AMER JACKSON**

Youngest son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankenhorn Born, June 9, 1769 in Rowan Co. NC

Died Apr. 1843 in Stokes Co, NC

First Marriage was to Violette Forkner, date unknown Second marriage to Elizabeth Shippley, date unknown

Amer Jackson (Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn)

Amer Jackson was born June 9, 1769 in Rowan Co, NC. He was the youngest child of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson, natives of PA. His parents moved to Surry Co, NC when he was a small boy, settling on Tom's Creek. Amer grew up on his father's farm in the Westfield area. He married, and lived in this area the remainder of his life.

When Surry Co. was divided into Stokes and Surry Counties, Amer's land was in Stokes Co. He died in Stokes Co. in 1843 and his will was probated in Sept. of 1843. It is listed in the Stokes' Co. Will Book 7, page 259.

Amer was married at least twice. It is thought that he may have had a third marriage because the ages of his children are quite far apart. His first marriage was to Violette (Violet) Forkner. He was married to Elizabeth Shippley when he died in 1843. His first eight children were born between 1798 and 1810, then there was a span of ten years before three more children were born. His last six were by his wife Elizabeth Shipply. In all, Amer named fifteen children in his will. The 1850 Census shows Elizabeth with five children at home, the youngest son had died soon after the death of Amer. If the three children born 1820-28 were the children of Elizabeth, they had left home before 1850 and all of the descendants of Amer that I have contacted say that Elizabeth had only the Six children. So there may have been a marriage between Violet and Elizabeth.

Violette Forkner Jackson, wife of Amer, was the daughter of William Forkner. The dates of her birth, death, and her marriage to Amer Jackson are not known. See the account on William Forkner.

Elizabeth Shipply, the last wife of Amer, was living with her three unmarried daughters in 1860, and had moved in with her daughter Leathy Ann Pearce in 1870. They were living in the home of Presley

Pearce. Presley may have been a son of Leathy's. Elizabeth must have died after 1870 and before 1880 as she was not mentioned in the 1880 census.

An article was written on Hickory Co, MO, about Amer Jackson, the son of Iredell Jackson. (Iredell was the second son of Amer.) This states that the son was named after his grandfather Amer Jackson. This article states that Amer's grandfather was named Thomas Jackson. We know that his grandfather's name was Amer, (unless he was named Amer Thomas Jackson) because we know names of all of Samuel and Catherine Jackson's children.

The following is a list of the children of Amer Jackson, taken from his Will.

- Susannah (Susan) Jackson was born in 1798, in Surry Co, NC and married James Gordon Sept. 16, 1824. See account.
- 2. Ruel (Rial) Jackson born in 1800 in Surry Co, NC and married Susannah Whitlock Jan. 31, 1826. See account.
- Iredell Jackson was born in 1802 in Surry Co, NC and married Elizabeth Whitlock May 30, 1831. See account.
- William Jackson was born in 1804 in Surry Co, NC, and married Celia Gordon Dec. 13, 1834.
   See account.
- Armstead Jackson was born in 1805 in Stokes Co, NC, and married Phoebe Poke May 10, 1829.
   See account.
- Louisa (Eliza) Jackson was born in 1807 in Stokes Co. NC, and married Allen Hickland June 23, 1835. See account.
- Lockey Jackson was born in 1809 in Stokes Co, NC, and married Aaron B. Tilley Aug. 29, 1829.
   See account.
- John Jackson was born ca 1820, and married Elizabeth Hollingsworth Oct. 30, 1849. See account.
- Alison Jackson was born ca 1825 in Stokes Co, NC, and married Sarah Thrower Dec. 26, 1853.
   See account.
- 10. Samuel Jackson was born Co 1829, in Stokes Co, NC. There is no information on this Samuel.
- 11. Leathy Ann Jackson was born ca 1831, and married George Pearce.
- 12. Catherine "Kitty" Jackson was born ca 1833. She never married.
- 13. Mary Jackson was born ca 1835 and never married.
- 14. Camellia Jackson was born ca 1840 and never married.
- Jackson was born in 1842, and married Emily Newman Rotenberry Dec. 25, 1861. See account.

## "The Last Will and Testament of Amer Jackson":

In the name of God Amen:

I Amer Jackson of the County of Stokes and State of North Carolina being of sound mind and memory but considering the uncertainty of earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and restament in manner and form following.

First. That my executor hereinafter named shall provide for my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives: pay all my funeral expenses together with my just debts howsoever and whomsoever owing out of the moneys that may first come into his hands as a part of parcel of my estate.

I give and devise to my beloved wife Elizabeth all the tract of land on which I now live during her natural life or widowhood also six head of cattle of her choice, two head of horses, one named "Nagk" now seven years old, the other a colt now one year old, which colt I devise to my son Allian after he becomes full twenty-one years old.

I also bequeath to my beloved wife one yoke of steer, ten head of hogs of her choice, all my household furniture to have and to hold said property and dispose of the name as she thinks proper (the above named colt excepted).

Ruel

I bequeath to my son Reid one tract of land lying in the County of Surry called the Burch tract containing one hundred and sixty acres be the same more or less, joining the lands that he now lives on together with the sum of ten dollars.

I bequeath to my non Iredell one dollar.

I bequeath to my son John one tract of land lying in the county of Surry on which he now lives to be laid out by meters and bounds on the west end of said tract of land beginning at a spring near the race tract running north and south as far as said tract of land extends and containing the number of acres west of said line.

I Bequeath to my son William one dollar.

I bequeath to my son Armstead five dollars.

I bequeath to my daughter Luckey (Susan), wife of James Gordon one hundred dollars.

I bequeath to my daughter Lockey, wife of Aaron Tilley fifty dollars.

I bequeath to my daughter Louisa, wife of Allen Hicklin fifty dollars.

I bequeath to my son Allison my Beasley tract of land lying in this county on the Meadow Branch together with the lot I bought of Whitlock, joining thereto my Vought tract of fifty acres not joining thereto. Also the sum of one hundred dollars.

I bequeath to my son Samuel the tract of land on which I now live, after the death of my wife or at the expiration of her widowhood, consisting of some three or four different tracts of land all joining.

I bequeath to my son **Jacob** my mill tract of land lying in the county of Surry together with the mill and improvements belonging thereto, to be kept in repair by my executor out of any money, that may come into his hands belonging to my estate and the profits thereof to go to use of my wife and youngest children untill my said son **Jacob** arrives to the age of twenty-one years.

I bequeath to my youngest son **Jacob** the east end of the tract of land lying in the county of Surry off of which my son **John** is to have his land containing all the tract of the line to be run laying of my son **John's** tract.

I bequeath to my loving wife all the grain and provisions that may be on the tract of land on which I now live at my death. Also the profits of all the land bequeathed to my children yet under the age of twenty-one until they arrive at the age of twenty-one years to have and dispose of as she may think proper.

My will and desire is, that all the residue of my estate shall be sold and the debts owing to me all collected and if there should be any surplus over and above the payment of debts, expenses and legacies, that said surplus shall be equally divided between my four daughters, Lethy Ann, City, Mary and Cammilly, share and share alike. (Catherine's nickname was "City" or "Kitty").

And Lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my trusty friend and son in law James Gordon my lawful executor to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testament by me heretofore made.

In witness hereof I the said Amer Jackson do hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of April AD. 1843.

Amer Jackson
Signed, sealed, published and declared in the presents of us, E. W. Carson and Reuben Vaughn,

### Samuel Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Samuel was born ca, 1830 in Stokes Co, NC, the son of Amer Jackson. His father Amer willed Samuel "the tract of land on which I now live, after the death of my wife, or at the expiration of her widowhood, consisting of some three or four different tracts all joining". It is not known if Samuel was the son of Amer by his first wife Violette Forkner, or his second wife Elizabeth Shippley, as the date of Violette's death is not known. His first known child by his second wife Elizabeth was born ca 1831. So if Violette was Samuel's mother, she could have died at his birth and Amer left with a house full of children and could have married soon after her death. No further information is known on Samuel.

### Amer Jackson and Elizabeth Shippley

Amer Jackson married Elizabeth Shippley prior to 1831. The 1850 census shows that Elizabeth was a widow and gives her age as 40, so she was born ca 1810. Amer Jackson was born in 1769, that would make him some 40 years older than Elizabeth. One of his great grand sons told me that after the death of Amer's first wife, he went to Virginia and married a young girl and raised another family.

The five known children of Amer and Elizabeth were:

- Leathy Ann Jackson was born ca 1831 and married George Pearce. They may not have had any children. In her will, probated Dec. 29, 1914, Leathy Ann, (book 7, page 40) she gave to her beloved friend Bob Dick Jackson all of her property, all of her money, and all of her personal property. She also appoints her trusty friend Bob Dick Jackson her lawful Executor. This Bob Dick was probably one of her nephews.
- 2. Katherine Jackson was called "City" or "Kitty". She was born in 1833 and was never married. She, with her two sisters, Mary and Camillia maintained a home and all three lived together. In 1900, Thompson Jackson, their nephew and son of their brother Jacob, was living with them.
- 3. Mary Jackson was born in 1835 and never married. She lived with her sisters.
- 4. Camellia Jackson was born 1840 and never married. She lived with her sisters.
- Jacob Jackson was born 1842. See account.

### Violet Forkner (Wife of Amer Jackson)

Violet was the daughter of William Forkner Jr. and his wife Susannah Wells. The date of her birth or marriage is not known. Their first child was born in 1798. They could have married, 1796-97. An article written in the "Surry County Heritage Book on the Forkner Family", by Roberta Issac.

"William Forkner lived in England prior to 1630, he was a draper (merchant) by trade. He married Elizabeth Filmer, a young lady from a wealthy and titled family. Her father was Sir Edward Filmer.

Their son John Forkner brought his wife, and their sons, Thomas, Francis, and John Jr. to America. They came on the ship "Agreement". They brought two servants with them. He paid for the passage with three hundred pounds of tobacco, from his family estate. The year of their arrival was 1665, in 1667, John's mother Elizabeth Filmer Forkner came to reside with her son John and his family in Kent Co, MD. John's wife was named Elizabeth.

We trace our family through John Jr. who married Sarah Ford. He died in 1730 leaving two young sons, William and Emmanuel. Emmanuel Forkner moved his family to Warren Co, NC, where he owned a large amount of land."

William Forkner seems to have been quite a traveler, from evidence found he seems to have been a trader as well as an Indian fighter. His name is on Capt. Lockridge's muster roll. His company left Fort Lewis and went through the mountains to Point Pleasance, the great Indian defeat.

William is also listed in several county court records of Augusta Co, VA. He lived for some time at Fort Lewis. He also owned land on the Slate River in Virginia. In the late 1760's, William Sr. and William Jr. are listed in Rowan Co, NC. They are both found on the Surry Co Tax Roll of 1771.

The last known information on William Sr. is that he lived in Patrick Co, VA, on Fall Creek near

Crater's Mill. He furnished supplies to the Patriot Army during the Revolutionary War. In 1794 he deeded his land to a son with the notation "due to moving", where he moved to is unknown. He left behind several children that remained in Patrick Co, VA, and Surry Co, NC. The children were, William Jr. Lewis, Joseph, Henry, Jonas, John, Thomas, and Winnie Hawks.

Only a limited amount of information is known on four of his sons. Lewis Forkner was a Baptist minister, he helped establish the First Baptist Church in the "Hollows" before moving to Ky.

Joseph Forkner moved his family to Tennessee. He was the forefather of the writer, William Faulkner.

William Forkner Jr. settled on Forkners Creek, in Surry Co, NC. He married Susannah Wells. He, like his father, was a trader. He built his house on a circular hill, the chimney was made from stone with the date 1786-1796, cut into it. William owned a very large amount of land. He and Susannah were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Pleasant Forkner, moved to Alabama.
- 2. Lewis Forkner, moved to Indiana. He was in the War of 1812.
- 3. Isase Forkner, moved to Indiana. He was in the War of 1812.
- 4. Martin Forkner, fought in the War of 1812. It is believed he may have died during the war.
- 5. Samuel Forkner, moved to Missouri, and then to California
- 6. Micajah Forkner, moved to Missouri
- 7. Mary Forkner, moved to Tennessee
- 8. Luxy Forkner married Burrell Badget and they moved to Knox Co, TN.
- 9. William Forkner Jr. died young and was unmarried.
- James Forkner stayed and cared for his mother who lived until 1848. He married Millie Harris. He died in 1858.
- 11. Vielette (Violet) Forkner, married Amer Jackson. They remained in the area.

### Susannah (Susan) Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Susanush was born in 1798 in Stokes Co, NC, the daughter of Amer and Violet Forkner Jackson. She grew up in Stokes Co. and married James Gordon there on Sept. 16, 1824.

James was the son of John Gordon and Barzilla Martin Gordon. John Gordon was born in 17%2 in Albermarle Co, VA. He was the son of Thomas and Sarah Flynn Gordon. James was born Mar. 27, 1809 and died Feb. 7, 1868. He was a Justice of the Peace in Stokes Co, and he was a school Committeeman in 1842.

If the dates of the births and marriage of Susannah and James are correct, he would have been only 15 years and six months old when he and Susannah were married, and she was twenty-six years old, making the eleven years older than James. Susannah and James were the parents of seven sons:

- 1. Jenn Allen, born ca 1827. See account
- Jellerson Madison Gordon married Martha Ebert, a sister to his brothers wife Sarah.
   They were the daughters of Christian and Anna Tuttle Exert. The names of any children are unknown.
- 3. William Martin Gordon married Jane Hill, the daughter of Charlie Hill.
- 4. James Dalton Gordon married Martha Eaton.
- 5. Sexuel Preston Gordon See account
- 6. Grawille Craford Gordon married Mary Eaton.
- 7. IDr. Fancey Gordon married Alice Cook.

### Jessie Alen Gordon (Susannah, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Jesie was born in Stokes Co, ca 1827, the oldest son of James and Susannah Jackson Gordon. Hemarried Sarah Ebbert (Ebert) on Dec. 12, 1848. Sarah Ebbert was the daughter of

Christian and Anna Tuttle Ebbert. Anna was the daughter of John and Anna Barbara Frye Tuttle

Jessieand Sarah chose their home site on a small stream that runs behind the Primitive Baptist Churh called "Gleddens Creek". They are buried about a mile from their home in the Old Gordon Graevard, that is now owned by Lester and Woodrow Owen.

Jessie and Sarah Gordon were the parents of five children:

- William Yancey Gordon was married twice, first to Mary "Maggie" Elizabeth Gibson, the daughter of Martin and Elizabeth Gentry Gibson. Maggie died June 5, 1914. William's second marriage was to Mrs. Rosa Allen Tuttle Ferguson. His children by Maggie Gibson were:
  - Salathiel Fountain Gordon was born Sept. 30, 1885 and died Mar. 23, 1960. He married Bertha Linville Mar. 10, 1917.
  - b. Sarah Elizabeth Gordon was born June 22, 1887 and died Aug. 29, 1973. She married Charles Hampton Boyles Dec. 27, 1908. They were the parents of six children:
    - 1) Wilma Agnes Boyles, married Hunter Eugene Setliff
    - 2) Ellah Hampton Boyles, died young
    - 3) Charles Hampton Boyles Jr., married Catherine Bowman.
    - Ottis Alston Boyles was first married to Hontus Belton and second to Dorothy Morris.
    - 5) Mattie Ruknell Boyles, married John Dalton.
    - 6) Clara Opelia Boyles, married Glenn Watson.
  - c. Ivy William Gordon was born June 21, 1888, and died Oct. 20, 1965. He married Carrie Elizabeth Johnson on Apr. 16, 1913.
  - d. Mary Edna Gordon, married William Walter (Bud) Boyles.
  - e. Lilly Sylverster Gordon, married Silas Augburn Hicks.
  - f. Minnie Ella Gordon was born Aug. 13, 1893 and died Dec. 8, 1954. She married John Wesley Petree.
  - g. Harriet Gertrude Gordon, married George Willis Nance.
  - h. Eliza Emma Gordon, married Robah N. Browder
  - i. Blannie Olivea Gordon, married William Fred Johnson.
- Laura Isabell Gordon, known as "Aunt Dump", was born in 1859 in Stokes Co, NC and died in 1944. She married John Ellis Smith and was his second wife.
   John was born in 1856, and died in 1926, the son of Amos Ellis and Tabitha Pulliam Smith.

Amos was school committeeman from 1877 until 1885. John's first wife was Harriet Jane Tillotson who died Aug. 12, 1885. Ther were the parents of two children:

- a. Bonnie Smith, married Hester Bennett
- b. Ella Smith, married James Southern.

John and Laura lived and farmed on the southeast side of Saura Mountains near King. Both are buried at Mount Olive Baptist Church. They were the parents of six children:

- c. Vick Smith, married John Gibson
- d. Ace Smith, married Mary Gibson (sister of John Gibson).
- e. James Marshall Smith was born Apr. 20, 1887 and died Feb, 1969. He married Effie Florence Boyles on Nov. 18, 1908. Effic was born Feb. 17, 1889 and died June 1974. She was the daughter of Dr. Franklin and Felitia Annette Wall Boyles. James and Effic were the parents of six children:
  - Herman Hampton Smith was born Sept. 16, 1909. He married Mary Lucille Meadows on Oct. 31, 1931.
  - 2) Opal Gertrude Smith was born May 13, 1911. She married Holt Hunter Stone Dec. 8, 1934
  - 3) Ellis Franklin Smith was born May 13, 1913 and died Oct. 13, 1959. He married Mary Mozelle Boyles Dec. 21, 1935.
  - 4) Bernice Rhemull Smith was born Feb. 14, 1915 and married Basil Fred Boyles Mar. 19, 1938.
  - Effie Maureen Smith, born Nov. 11, 1922, married Millard Earlie Boyles Sept. 15, 1946.
  - 6) Estell Smith, died young.
- 3. Eliza Ann Gordon, daughter of Jesse and Sarah Gordon, married Ivy B. Gentry Dec. 31,1869. Ivy was born Feb. 13, 1848, the son of Ira E. and Elizabeth Vaughn Gentry. Ivy and Eliza lived on the Little Yadkin Creek, near Mount Olive Church. Ivy bought part of his father's farm, where he and Eliza remained the rest of their lives.

The county was desperate from a lack of salt in the spring of 1864 and Ivy volunteered to drive a team and wagon to the western part of Virginia, and brought back a load. This was an extremely dangerous mission and a great adventure, as it was mostly through enemy territory. On another occasion, he was plowing when a group of soldiers from Stoneman's Raiders came upon him. They took his horse, but were kind enough to leave the plow and harness behind. The horse happened to be "a hard rider" so they left him at an nearby neighbor. Eliza and Ivy were the parents of seven children:

- Ella Gentry was born Feb. 9, 1871 and married Gaston A Carroll. She lived to be 104 years old.
- b. Lilly Gentry was born Feb., 9, 1874 and never married.
- c. Oscar T. Gentry was born Dec. 20, 1877. He married Carrie Bennett, the daughter of Pinkney O. and Malvin King Bennett. They were the parents of four children:
  - 1) Robah Gentry married Emma Warner.
  - 2) Irene Gentry, married Kenneth Smith.
  - 3) Maude Gentry, never married.
  - 4) Mae Gentry married Zelma Mabe and died in 1926.
- d. Daisy G. Gentry was born Aug. 10, 1880 and never married. She lived to celebrate her 100th birthday.
- e. Effie O. Gentry was born Mar. 4, 1889. She married B. C. Smith, the son of Joel and Elizabeth Gordon Smith. He died in 1931 and his wife died in 1940. They had two children a boy and a girl that died in infancy.
- 4. Elizabeth Oliva Gordon, called "Bet", married Joseph Smith. They were the parents of five children:
  - a. Mandy Smith, married Ellis Hooker
  - b. Vironie Smith, married Ola Fulk,
  - c. John Gid Smith, married Mary Edwards
  - d. William Anderson Smith, married Annie Venable
  - e. Bird Smith married Effie Gentry.
- 5. John Wesley Gordon, married Alma Scott. No further information.
- 6. Gid Gordon never married, no further information
- 7. Midry Gordon died young.
- 8. Mamie Gordon never married
- 9. Lilly Gordon, married Liv Boyles
- 10. Clemie Gordon, married Rufus Smith.

### Samuel Freston Gordon (Susannah, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Samuel was the fifth son of James and Susannah Jackson Gordon. He married Barbara Elizabeth Tuttle. They were the parents of ten children, but the name of only one son is known:

31. Silas Martin Gordon was born July 11, 1863, near Pinnacle, NC. He married Nancy Elizabeth "Bettie" Stone Apr. 8, 1888. They were married in the morning and ate their wedding dinner in their own log cabin, after she cooked it over on open fire.

Silas doctored cows, far and wide for over 40 years, until around the age of 77 years. He was County Commissioner for four years, and postmaster at the Delk Post Office for eight years. We was instrumental in helping to establish the Bank at Pilot Mountain in 1914, and served on its board of directors until his death.

Bettie died Feb. 25, 1947 at the age of 85. Silas lived alone with his unmarried son Herbert and died Oct. 3, 1965, at the age of 102. They had 3 children:

- a. Dallas Everett Gordon, married Ada Mae Mitchell Dec. 25, 1910. Their were the parents of three children:
  - 1) Ruth Etts Gordon
  - 2) Loman Alonza Gordon
  - 3) Kenneth Mitchell Gordon,
- b Herbert Floyd Gordon, never married
- Robert E. Gordon was in World War 1. He married Minnie Orela Boyles May 11,

1921. She was a teacher, they had seven children:

- 1) Rester Gordon, married June Prather
- 2) Vance Wall Gordon, married Mickey Ann Johnson
- 3) Bonnie Belle Gordon, married Moses Cain
- 4) Jacqueline Gordon, married Elijah R. Sams Jr.
- 5) Robert Eugene Gordon, married Betty Lou Boyles
- 6) Helen Sue Gordon, married Dr. John Avery Kirst
- 7) Nancy Annette Gordon, married Robert Leverne Poore

Information on the family of James and Susannah Gordon, was from:

- \* "The Stokes County Heritage", and
- \* research done on the family of Amer Jackson, father of Susannah.

#### Ruel Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson

Ruel was born in 1800 in Surry Co, NC, the eldest son of Amer and Violette (Violet) Forkner Jackson. He grew up on his father's farm in Surry and Stokes Counties, and remained in the area for over fifty years. His father had willed one hundred and sixty acres, known as the "Burch Tract", and land that joined the land that he was living on, together with ten dollars.

Ruel married Susannah Whitlock Jan. 31, 1826 in Surry Co, NC. Susannah was born in 1804 in Virginia. The names of her parents are unknown, but it is likely that she was a sister to Elizabeth Whitlock who married Ruel's brother Iredell. Elisabeth's father was Thomas Whitlock. Ruel's first cousin, Newel Jackson was a witness to the wedding, and co-signed their marriage bond.

Ruel moved his family to Hickory Co, Missouri when he was in his early fifties. He died there in 1863. Very little information is known on the family of Ruel's.

(Editor's note: Little was known by Lucille Vernon at this time, but a great deal of information has been gathered by the editor [Robert Jackson], and will be made available as soon as organized into a reasonably readable manuscript.) — Not available of 198.

Of the other men named Jackson living in Hickory Co, MO at the time were William and Newel. (Editor's note: The following sentence is to be deleted! (Lucille) have been unable to place these men to the line of Samuel Jackson. Newel Jackson may be connected to the family, but he would not be the same Newel who had been a witness to Ruel's wedding, because that Newel died in 1833.

The 1850 census of Surry Co, NC gave Ruel's his age as fifty years, and names eleven children, all born in Surry Co, NC.

- 1. Nancy Jackson, born In 1827
- 2. Amer Jackson, born in 1830
- 3. Margaret Jackson, born in 1830, may have been a twin.
- 4. John Jackson, born in 1832
- 5. Louisa Jackson, born in 1835
- 6. James Jackson, born In 1837
- 7. Martin Jackson, born In 1838
- 8. William Jackson, born in 1840
- 9. Charles Jackson, born In 1841
- 10. Mary Ann Jackson, born in 1846
- 11. Susannah Jackson, born in 1848

John W. Tilley age 4 months was living in their household in 1850. Their neighbors were Thomas Dick and Winston Fulton.

### Iredell Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Iredell the second son of Amer and Violet Forkner Jackson, was born in Surry Co, NC. The 1850 Census of Surry Co gave his age as 45 which would put his birth date in 1805. The 1860 census of Buchanan Co. MO gave his age as 49 which puts his birthdate in 1801. To add to the confusion, an article on him in Buchanan said that he died in 1861 at the age of 63, which puts his birthdate in 1798.

Since his brother Ruel was born in 1800 we can assume that Iredell was born in 1802-03. He was left \$1 00 in his father's will. It appears that Amer had already given Iredell his share of his property. Iredell was living in the Mt. Airy District of Surry Co in 1850 with seven children.

From an article on the "The History of Buchanan Co, Missouri"

"Iredell Jackson moved his family to Buchanan Co, City of St. Louis, MO, in 1856. (He would have been around 58 years old at the time of the move.) While living in the Mt. Airy District of Surry Co, NC, he cultivated a large tract of land, owning many slaves, and raised immense crops of tobacco, corn, and cotton. He moved to St. Louis, MO buying a quaiter section of land near Agency. There he devoted to stock raising in which industry he continued until his death in 1861, at the age of 63 years.

Iredell lived only about five years after his move to Missouri, and Elizabeth was not named on the 1860 census of Buchanan Co, so she also must have died right after the move.

Iredell was married on May 30, 1831 in Surry Co, NC to Miss Elizabeth Whitlock, the daughter of Thomas Whitlock. She may have been a sister to Susannah Whitlock who married Iredell's brother Ruel Jackson.

The only information known on any of their seven children was from an article written about Buchanan Co, about his son Amer Jackson. (Account is given of this Amer).

- 1. Violette Jackson, born in 1832, married Hardin Granville Gordon the eon of Thomas Gordon, a twin brother to William Gordon who was the father of the Celia Gordon who married William Jackson a bother of Iredell's. See account on Hardin Granville.
- 2. Charles Jackson born Surry Co, in 1835
- 3. Jacob Jackson 1836
- 4. Alexander Jackson 1838
- 5. Amor Jackson 1840 See account.
- 6. Thomas Jackson 1842
- 7. Lucy Jackson 1844

# Hardin Granville Gordon (Husband of Violet Jackson)

Hardin was born Aug. 10, 1820 in Surry Co, NC, the son of Thomas Gordon Jr. and Sarah Creed. He emigrated to Buchanan Co, MO in 1842. He was a stock raiser, farmer, and contractor. He died in Buchanan Co, MO in 1860. Hardin married Miss Violet Jackson in Buchanan, MO. She was born in Surry Co. NC in 1833 and came to Missouri with her parents, Iredell Jackson and Elizabeth Whitlock in 1856. She was a cousin of "Stonewall Jackson" (This has not been proven). She died Aug. 9, 1904 in St. Joseph, MO and is buried in Buchanan County, MO.

An article taken from "The Gordon Family History" states that Hardin Granville came to Missouri with his parents, Thomas Jr. and Sarah Creed Gordon. He learned the carpenter's trade and worked on the first Buchanan County Courthouse in Sparts, Center Township, which was then the County Seat. He later moved to St. Joseph, MO.

Hardin became quite well off, owning a large tract of land and raising fine horses, which he shipped to distant parts of the country. Hardin married Miss Violet Jackson in 1860. She was a lovely girl and very capable. Her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Gordon Howard has a bedspread which her mother made before she left North Carolina. It is a lovely woven spread beautifully made.

Hardin and Violet Jackson Gordon had four children, one daughter and three sons. All three of their sons were road construction contractors, and raisers of fine horses:

 Lucy Gordon was born Oct. 27, 1861 in Buchanan Co, MO and died in St. Joseph, MO in 1944. She married Isaac Henderson Howard in 1902. Isaac was born in 1854, and died in St. Joseph, MO in 1934. They had no children. Lucy was known as the family historian. It was through Lucy that the history of Thomas Gordon Sr., a Revolutionary Soldier, was handed down. When Lucy was a child going to school at Saxton, she sat at her father's knee and listened to him tell her over and over about his grandfather being a soldier and how he was captured by the British. His hands tied together with green swithes. As the swithes dried they cut into his wrists and left scars that he carried to his grave. This made such an impression on her that she never forgot the things her father told her.

William Lee Gordon remembered the story that tells of one morning as the British soldiers were feeding their horses. Thomas begged them for a ear of corn. At last one of the young officers felt sorry and hid an ear of corn on Thomas' tied hands. Thomas went over to a log and laid the ear on it. Then holding it the best he could began to gnaw at it. About this time one of the prisoners heard the sound of horse hoofs and began hollering "the Americans are coming, the Americans are coming!" The British tried to get on their horses but were surrounded before they could get away. They asked the American prisoners what they thought should be done with the now British prisoners. The Americans said to send them home to their families.

- 2. Andrew Lee Gordon was born Sept. 3, 1864 and died May 27, 1932. He was born, lived and died in St, Joseph, MO. He married Jennie Baldridge, a widow. They had no children.
- 3. Hardin Granville Gordon Jr. was born May 27, 1867 and died Feb. 15, 1905. He lived in St. Joseph, MO. He married Nellie Hollied. They had two children:
  - a. Hardin Granville Gordon III, married Lena Alden. He was a Musician, an Actor, and lived at Excelsior Springs, MO.
  - b. Mary Josephine Gordon, married Robert Kidwell. They had one son: 1) Robert Kidnell.
- 4. Murry Gordon was born July 7,1869 in Buchanan Co, MO, and died Feb. 16, 1906 in Roswell, NM. He never married.

### Alexander Jackson (Iredell, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Alexander was born in Stokes Co, NC. The 1850 census gives his age as 12 years, which would make his birthdate in 1838, but the Buchanan, MO census of 1880 gives his age as 38, which puts his birthdate in 1842. He was the son of Iredell Jackson and Elizabeth Whitlock. His father, Iredell left Stokes Co, NC and moved to Buchanan Co, MO when Alexander was around 18 years old. The only information on Alexander was taken from the 1880 census of Washington Township, Buchanan Co, which names his wife as Sarah, age 28 years, born in Virginia, that her father was born in Virginia and her mother in North Carolina. Their names are unknown. Iredell was living near his brother Amer Jackson in 1880. Five children were listed, all born in Missouri:

- 1. Iredell Jackson, age 8, in school, (born ca 1872)
- 2. Anna Jackson, age 6, in school, (ca 1874)
- 3. Effie Jackson, age 4 (born ca 1876)
- 4. Wary Jackson, age 2 (born ca 1878)
- 5. Waster? (Male), age 1 (born ca 1879)

### Amer Jackson (Iredell, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

The following was taken from "The History of Buchanan County and St. Joseph, Missouri and Representative Citizens", an article on Amer Jackson, (son of Iredell, and Elizabeth Whitlock Jackson, and the grandson of Amer and Violette Forkner Jackson):

"Amer was born Aug. 28, 1843 in the Mt. Airy district of Surry Co, NC, where he spent his early life. His father, Iredell moved his family to St. Joseph, Buchanan Co, MO, when he was around the age of 12. He lived on his father's farm until the death of his father in 1863. He then enlisted in Campany I, 81st Regiment Enrolled Militia of Missouri as orderly sergeant and saw considerable service during the Civil War.

This war and it's issues brought heavy financial loss on him, as the slaves he had brought from North Carolina became free. He then went into the freighting business between St. Joseph and Pike's Peak and continued in this profitable business for some three years. Upon his return to St. Joseph, he introduced an improved threshing machine in this section and operated it for some time

through the county and then embarked in a grocery business at Saxton.

He was made postmaster and railroad agent, and continued there for 13 years. In 1890 Mr. Jackson sold his property at Saxton, including his store and farm, the latter comprising 165 acres, and bought 200 acres near Easton. There he continued to raise grain and stock for some three years, then began the milling business. He operated a large flouring mill until 1896 and then retired from active labor. He then took residence in St. Joseph, where he had owned some 24 valuable city lots since 1895. His time was mainly occupied in looking after his various investments and in an enjoyment of the ease which years of business precluded.

In 1867, Mr. Jackson was married to Mary E. Jackson, a daughter of Alfred Jackson, of similar name but not known kindred. He has been one of the trustees and is a class leader in Ebenezer Church. Wherever he lived, he has filed township offices, serving faithfully on the School Board, and for 10 years was road overseer. Eight of their nine children grew to maturity."

They were the parents of nine Children:

- 1. Laura Elizabeth Jackson lived in St. Louis, MO
- 2. Jacob Jackson was born in 1868 and died in 1931. He married Margaret A. and they lived in St. Louis, MO. Margaret was born in 1870 and died in 1954.
- Robert L. Jackson was born in 1870 and died in 1951. (Name of wife not given) They lived in St. Louis, MO.
  - a. Everett L. Jackson was born in 1900 and died Sept. 28, 1935, 35 years, 4 months, and 14 days old.
- 4. Alexander H. Jackson was born in 1874, died in 1920, and lived in St. Louis.
- 5. Susan V. Jackson married Walter L. Lynch. They lived in Kansas City, MO.
- 6. Nellie M. Jackson married Harry Knowl and lived in St. Joseph, Mo.
- 7. Alfred Jackson was born in 1880, died in 1905, and lived in St. Joseph, Mo.
- 8. Arthur B. Jackson, lived in Buffalo, NY.
- 9. Died young, name unknown.

#### Alfred Jackson

The name of Alfred Jackson's parents of are unknown. Alfred was the father of Mary E. Jackson who married Amer Jackson, the son of Iredell and Elizabeth Whitlock Jackson.

The following article was written about Alfred in "The History of Buchanan County, Missouri and Representative Citizens", and does not name his parents.

"Alfred Jackson, the father of Mrs. Amer Jackson, was born in Kentucky. When but 11 years of age his father died and he made his way to Richmond, Ray Co, MO, where he entered the employ of a farmer, working one year at Manling Falls, and later in a tanyard. As soon as he was old enough, he worked as a farmhand, and at manhood first rented land and then bought a farm in Jackson County. Two years later he sold that property to advantage and moved to Rock House Prairie, in Agency Township, and bought a farm of 160 acres. In 1865 he moved to Nebraska City, NE, but six months later returned to Buchanan County and bought a farm in Center Township, on which he resided until his death in 1875, at the age of 63. In political faith he was a Democrat.

Alfred married Jemima Tarwater, of Richmond, Ray Co, MO, formerly of Tennessee. They were both of the Baptist Faith, and for many years he was a deacon in the church. The name of Jackson is thus a very familiar one in this part of Missouri and wherever found will be associated with men of proberty, integrity and good citizenship."

Alfred and Jemima were the parents of thirteen children, twelve of which grew to maturity:

- 1. Samuel Jackson, lived Trenmont Township
- 2. William Jackson
- 3. Andrew Jackson
- 4. Joseph Jackson lived Amity, MO.
- 5. Thomas Jackson lived Nebraska City, NE.

- 6. George W. Jackson lived Atchison Co.
- 7. Levi Jackson lived Durbin, MO.
- 8. Chesley Jackson lived Whitesville, Andrew Co, MO.
- 9. Chesterfield Jackson
- 10. Tabor Jackson lived Amity, MO.
- 11. Charles Jackson lived In Clinton Co.
- 12. Unknown
- 13. Unknown

### William Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

William was born ca 1804 in Surry Co, NC. He grew up in Surry Co, and when Stokes Co was formed, their land was in the newly formed Stokes Co. He remained here the rest of his life, living in the Quaker Gap area. Amer gave him only \$1.00 in his will, so we can assume that he had already received his share of his fathers estate.

William married Elizabeth Herrin Gordon Dec. 13, 1834 in Surry Co. Elizabeth was the daughter of William and Elizabeth Herrin Gordon. The 1850 Census shows they were living in the Quaker Gap area near Mt. Airy, NC. Eight children were named in the 1850 census and the 1860 Census lists four more, making a total of twelve children.

William died in 1874, and his will was probated June of 1874 and is shown in "Stokes County Wills", Book 6, page 64. Celia died Dec. 11, 1876 at the age of 65.

The following article taken from "The Stokes Co Heritage" by Jean Stone Hall and Jessie J. Stone: "Celia Gordon, wife of William, was born in Surry Co, the daughter of William Gordon, he was born Nov. 16, 1779, the son of Thomas and Sarah Flynn Gordon, was known as "Uncle Billy Gordon". They resided about 2 1/2 miles west of Mt. Airy, on Steward's Creek.

One summer evening after dark, **Thomas** and **Sarah** were in the main house, and the children were in the kitchen bathing their feet before retiring. As the custom in those days the kitchen and dinning rooms were separate from the other part of house, sometimes called the "Big House". That evening, "**Father Thomas**" was resting on a "Tunnel Bed", that had been pulled from a larger bed, and "mother Sarah", was spooling a piece of cloth, as it was necessary in those days when the women spun and wove about all the cloth used to clothe the family, when a lightning bolt struck the "Big House", tearing a hole through the roof and instantly killing both.

When the storm was over and the children came to the "Big House", they found their parents lying dead. Sarah still had the thread clutched in her fingers and holding a pair of scissors around the handles of which she had been allowing the thread to pass to save her hand from its friction. They were buried in seperate coffins, but in the same grave on their farm. This farm later became the property of "Eng and Chang Bunker". The world famous "Siamese Twins".

#### William and Celia were the parents of the following children:

- Lucy J. Jackson was born in 1835, married Martin Hill. She was left \$1.00 in her father's will.
   William had probably already given her, her share of his estate.
- 2. Madison Jackson. Born in 1838, The 1850 Census gives his name as Madison. In William's will he names his eldest son an James A. The Madison on the Census could have been Addison, as I find a Addison Jackson living in the area. He may be the James A. Jackson living in Indiana near his brother George Jackson.
- 3. George Andrew Jackson, born in 1840, moved in 1866 to Indiana. (see account on George).
- 4. General A. Jackson was born in 1841 and moved to Indiana.
- 5. Violette Jackson was born in ca 1842 and named after her grandmother Violette Forkner. She 1850 Census lists her age as 8. She must have died young because she was not mentioned in her father's will
- 6. Susan Laura Jackson was born in 1845 and married Hugh Herring Sept. 20, 1865. William left her \$1.00 in his will.

- Eliza Emmasette Jackson was born in 1847 and married Tip Johnson May 5, 1868. See account.
- 8. Ellen Jackson was born in 1848-49 and married Joseph Carson. No further information.
- 9. Jacob Sidney Jackson, born in 1846. See account.
- 10. Mildred Jackson was called "Millie" and was born in 1850-51. She married James Michael Spainhour, the son of Charles and Pauline Aldridge Spainhour. They were the parents of one known daughter:
  - a. Pauline Aldridge Spainhour married her cousin Carl Spainhour.
- 11. Lillion Jackson was born in 1850. She was not mentioned in her fathers will. It is believed that she was killed somewhere out west.
- 12. Josephine Jackson was born in 1852. She was listed on the 1860 census as being 10 years old.
- 13. Flavious Jackson, youngest son of William and Celia, was given the home place in William's will, provide that he stay at hone and take care of his mother. He died in 1893.

(Editor's Note: Children number 3 and 4 George Andrew, and General A. Jackson might be the same person.)

## "Will of William Jackson, Stokes Co, NC" book 6 page 64 probated June 1874.

My loving wife, (not named but was Ceila Gordon), 300 acres of land where I now live including dwelling house and all out buildings.

Eldest Son J. A. Jackson, \$25.00

Second daughter, wife of Hugh Herring \$1.00, (Laura Jackson)

Second Son, Jacob S. Jackson, \$1.00

Third daughter, Eliza Jackson, wife of Tip Johnson, \$1.00

Fourth daughter, Ellen Corum, wife of Joseph Corum, \$1.00

Fifth daughter, Mildred F. (Millie) wife of Michael Spainhour, \$1.00

Youngest Son: The residue of the personal property left to my wife at her death, will and desire that he stay at home and take care of his mother.

Youngest son: Flavious J. Jackson, all that tract of land where on I now live except the life estate of my wife.

I give and bequeath to my oldest daughter, Lucy Jackson, wifeof Martin Hill, \$1.00.

Witnessed by Martin Veneable and Samuel Flipping.

#### George Andrew Jackson (William, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

George was born June 1, 1842 in Stokes Co, NC. He was the sixth of twelve children born to William and Celia Jackson. He was reared on his father's farm in Stokes Co. He left Stokes Co, and moved to Indiana in 1866, at the age of 22. He settled In Mooresville, Brown Township, Morgan Co, IN. He purchased a farm of 100 acres, which he well stocked and made many improvements. He married Lucy J. Perkey May 21, 1871. Lucy J. Perkey was the daughter of George and Lucy (Landers) Perkey. They both became members of the Christian Church, and he was a member of the Mooresville Lodge No. 78, F. & A. M.

They were the parents of six known children:

- 1. Vidette Jackson (named after her grandmother, Violette Forkner)
- 2. Launetta Jackson
- 3. William Sidney Jackson
- 4. George Amer Jackson
- 5. Louin Jane Jackson
- 6. Aller Hicklin Jackson

George named all of his children after his relatives.

### Eliza Emmuette Jackson (William, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Eliza was born Dec. 22, 1847, in Stokes Co, NC and died May 20, 1928. She was the daughter of William and Celia Gordon Jackson of Surry Co. She married Tippeconae "Tip" Johnson May 5, 1868 at the home of her father, by Rev. H. R. Carroll.

Tip Johnson, was born Nov. 8, 1845 in Stokes Co, NC, the son of William and Temperance Kiser

Johnson. He was a soldier in Company G, 21st Regiment in the Civil War. The Guilford Chapter of the U.D.C. placed the Southern Cross of Honor on his grave. Tip attended the "Old Soldiers Reunion" for as long as he lived, and whenever he heard "Dixie" tears filled his eyes.

Tip was a very handsome young man, dark hair and brown eyes. Eliza was a beautiful young woman, being tall, blond, and with beautiful blue eyes. It was said over the area that when they were married, they were the most handsome couple in the countryside. To this union eight children were born. They were God fearing parents, hard working and strict with their children. They lived at the old home place, and took care of Tips parents William and Temperance for as long as they lived, and inherited the farm when his parents died.

Tip was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church. He was baptised in the Brushy Fork Creek Branch which ran across the farm, and ice had to be broken so he could be immersed. He died June 21, 1922 and is buried in the family graveyard. His grandchildren remember him as a kind and loving man.

Eliza is remembered as beautiful even in her old age, a very refined person, always interested in her grandchildren. She survived her husband by several years, and died May 20, 1928. She is buried by her beloved husband in the family graveyard, which is located just below the house where **Tip** was born and reared.

Eliza Jackson and Tip Johnson were the parents of eight children:

 Sidney Lee Johnson, born Sept. 17, 1869. He was a blue-eyed, brown-haired man with the aristocratic features and bearing of the traditional Southern gentleman. He married Rosa Lee Caudle Dec. 5, 1888.

Sidney became a successful tobacco farmer in the Meadows Township. Though he suffered through hard times, the word of Sid and Rosa Johnson was known to be good as gold. When the banks folded and Sid lost his money, Jasper Slate offered him a loan and refused a note for it. saying "Just tell Rosa". He always stressed to his children: "Be honest, always tell the truth and you'll always have friends. Friends are worth more than money."

Of their thirteen children, four boys died in infancy. The other children were, Lonnie, Carrie, Roy, Carlie, Vernon, Norman, Arnold, Treva, and Marvin.

Rosa died Feb. 17, 1942 and was buried at Mt. Olive Baptist Church. Sid had their mutual tombstone engraved with this message.

'Tis hard to break the tender cord,

When love has bound the heart

'Tis hard, so hard to speak the words,

We must forever part."

Sid died Oct. 9, 1957 at the age of eighty-eight and was buried by Rosa,

(The above information was taken from "The Stokes County Heritage Book" by his son Martin Johnson, and Marvin's daughter Brenda.)

- 2. Lillie Belle Johnson was born June 23, 1871. She married Martin Luther Hill.
- 3. Joseph Edwin Johnson was born May 25, 1873 in Stokes Co. He married Ida Frances Kiser June 2, 1897 at the home of the bride, by the Rev. Solomon Helsabeck. Ida was the daughter of Samuel and Martha Sprinkle Kiser. Ida and Joseph lived together for over 70 years, celebrating their 70th anniversary in 1967. Joe died Sept. 25, 1967 at the age of 94. Ida died June 12, 1970 age of 90. They are both buried at Quaker Gap Baptist Church. They were the parents of ten children:
  - a. Herman Moscoe Johnson, born May 2, 1898, and married Edna Stryon Aug. 1, 1923. They had two daughters:
    - 1) Dorothy Louise was Miss North Carolina in 1946 and was a semi-finalist in the Miss America Contest. She married Dr. John Peddicord Jr.
    - 2) Shirty Ann, married Roger Hendrix.
  - b. Ila Mabel Johnson, born May 25, 1900, never married.
  - c. Percy Holbin Johnson was born Sept. 29, 1902 and married Inez Wall, the daughter of J. C.

- Wall who was the sheriff of Stokes Co. They had two children, Keith and Dianne Carol Johnson.
- d. Bernice Leon Johnson was born Mar. 22, 1905 and married Margaret Newsom. They had five children: Peggy Louise, Hoyt Leon, Benny Ray, Judy La Trelle, and Joseph Lucian.
- e. Norris Pauline Johnson was born Sept. 29, 1907. She married Ralph Tedder and they were the parents of eight children: Nelma, Lois, Richard, Harold, Norris, Gayle, Brenda, and Barry Johnson.
- f. Iris Estell Johnson was born Aug. 4, 1910 and married James Underwood Nov. 23, 1951.
- g. Jessie Oleita Johnson was born June 30, 1913 and married Joe E. Stone Dec. 12, 1936. Joe was the son of Joe and Lennis Pulliam Stone.
- h. Evelyn Oberia Johnson was born Mar. 22, 1915 and married Francis Ludwig Reudelhuber. They had one son: David Reudelhuber.
- i. Rachel Lee Johnson was born May 27, 1920 and married Homer O'Neal wood They had three children: Christopher O'Neal, Jeffrey Lee, and Samuel Tip Johnson.
- j. Mary Frances Johnson was born June 27, 1925 and married Clay Vance. They had two sons: Philip Clay and Douglas Lowell Vance.
- 4. General Elmer Johnson was born Apr. 25, 1876. Elmer never married. In his father's will, he was to have the home place as long as he lived, and then it was to revert back to the other children.
- 5. Zephra Oliver Johnson was born Nov. 25, 1878 in Stokes Co, NC, where he lived his entire life. He married Minnie Lee Meadows June 23, 1901. Minnie was the daughter of William G. and Mary Jane Boles Meadows. Zephara was a farmer. He died suddenly at the age of 66 on Dec. 14, 1944 while preparing to kill his hogs. Minnie died May 21, 1977 at the age of 94 after a long illness. They were the parents of seven children:
  - a. Dowell Johnson, married Grace Ramsey
  - b. Denson Johnson, married Thelma Johnson
  - c. Carlis Johnson, married Trudie Baker
  - d. Maxie Johnson, married Homer Ferguson
  - e. Moir Johnson's first marriage was to Elizabeth Carroll, and his second to Joan Batts.
  - f. Cleo Johnson's first marriage was to Bradford Nancy and her second to Elmore Redding
  - g. Clyde Johnson took care of his mother until she died in 1977, and still lives on the home place.
- 6. Bessie (or Jessie?) Lenora Johnson was born July 9, 1880 and married Dr. Ben T. Bitting.
- 7. Samuel Early Johnson was born Nov. 17, 1882 and married Maggie A. Moore.
- 8. Charles Cicero Johnson born Jan. 31, 1887, married Sallie Beatrice Webster,

### Jacob Sidney Jackson (William, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Sidney Jackson born Feb. 2, 1847 in Stokes Co, NC. He lived all of his life in the Pilot Mountain area of Stokes Co. His first marriage was to Letitia Tucker Aug. 7, 1870. Letitia was the daughter of Benjamin C. and Elizabeth Hill Tucker. His second marriage was to Nancy Todd on Dec. 18, 1899. Nancy was born in Virginia. He had nine children by his first wife and two daughters by the second.

Sidney died Feb. 13, 1908 in Pilot Mt. He wrote his will on Feb. 7, 1908. He willed his two sons, William Guy, and David Andrew Jackson two hundred dollars each for there kindness in waiting and caring for him in his last days. His children were all born in Surry Co, NC, their names were:

- 1. Lillian Johnson, born in 1871, died after 1908 in St. Louis, MO.
- 2. Celie Etta Jackson was born July 9, 1873. She died Jan. 12, 1948 in Indianapolis, IN and was buried Crown Hill Cemetery, in Indiana. She was married three times; first to Richard Whittle, second to Mr. Bennett, and third to Joseph Edward Lineberry. Joseph Lineberry was born May 23, 1873 and died Aug. 13, 1955. The two children by her second marriage to Bennett were:
  - a. Vivion Bennett was born Sept. 9, 1897 and died Dec. 18, 1973. She married Fred Abernathy. Fred was born ca 1916 and died Oct. 16, 1961. They had no children.
  - b. Amos Bennett was born Aug. 8, 1899 and died Oct. 3, 1974. He was never married.
- 3. William Guy Jackson, born Apr. 20, 1875, died in El Paso, TX. He married Nancy Pernina Jane Barnard. Nancy was born Apr. 24, 1887 in Patrick Co, VA and died May 14, 1964 in El Paso, TX. She was the daughter of James William Barnard and Susan Ruth Wood. They were

the parents of eight children:

- a. Lealyer V. Jackson, born Sept. 2, 1902, married Gerald Wells.
- b. Virgie C. Jackson, born Nov. 13, 1905, married Joseph T. Gunter
- c. Frederick W. Jackson, born July 15, 1909, married Helen Bolander
- d. Inez Nina Jackson, born July 7, 1915, married Robert Schwear
- e. James Sidney Jackson, born June 1, 1919, married Beverly Martin
- f. William Guy Jackson, born Nov. 3, 1921, married Betty Whitman
- g. Helen Jackson, born Nov. 12, 1923, married Jack Chauvet
- h. Joan Jackson, born June 10, 1932, married Richard Tanner
- 4. Lucy Ada Jackson, born in 1878, married Millard Ashburn.
- 5. Sidney Benjamin Jackson was born Dec. 1882. He married Edith May Bowlby June 25, 1913 in Warren Co, IL. Edith was the daughter of John Balby. Sidney was a Jukebox dealer and was known as the "Jukebox King" in Illinois. They had three children, all were born in Warren Co. IL: Eunice, Eugene, and Lloyd B. Jackson.
- Rachel Jackson, born Apr. 1884, married Elmer Beck. She was a registered nurse. They had no children.
- 7. Joseph Sidney Jackson, born Sept. 2, 1890, died Aug. 24, 1970 married Lucy May McCorkhill, born Oct. 16, 1890 near Jerome in Howard Co, IN. He died Oct. 3, 1979 in Indianapolis. She was the daughter of James Lawrence McCorkhill and Mary Elizabeth Flick, they were the parents of four children:
  - a. Joseph Seborn Jackson Jr. was born June 3, 1913 and married Iona Rose Boyer Aug.
     21, 1936 in Beech Grove, IN. Iona was born Feb. 28, 1917, the daughter of James Otto Boyer and Rita May Conway. Joseph and Iona were the parents of three children:
    - 1) Jerry Lee Jackson, married Lanone Burton
    - 2) James Earl Jackson, married Carol Judith Shrum
    - 3) Karen Darlene Jackson, married Dana Lee Forslund
  - b. Ralph Jackson was born June 29, 1915 and died Dec. 26, 1915
  - c. Claude Webster Jackson was born Mar. 25, 1917 and died Oct. 1919. He married Alta Lee Freeman Aug. 22, 1944. Alta was born Dec. 24, 1918 in Troy, NC, the daughter of Robert Lee Freeman and Jeanie Edna Blake. They were the parents of two children:
    - 1) Jeanie Lucille Jackson
    - 2) Robert Andrew Jackson.
- 8. Rhilla Effie Jackson was born Jan. 14, 1883-5. She died Nov. 2, 1977, and buried in Pamona, CA Cemetery. Her first marriage was to Herbert L. Hank Dec. 22, 1915. Herbert was born Nov. 3, 1884 and died Feb. 1916. Rhilla's marriage second marriage was to Charles Bruna Johnson. Charles was born Aug. 27, 1885 in De Kalb, IL and died Nov. 24, 1952 in Indianapolis, IN, the son of Albin John Johnson and Bernadina Anderson. They had one daughter:
  - a. Vivion Louise Johnson was born Sept. 10, 1923 in Indianapolis, IN. She married Richard Nathan Speir Nov. 3, 1951. Richard was born July 26, 1918 in Madison Co, IN, the son of Nathan Speir and Margarita Rose Alpern. They live in Pamona, CA with their two children:
    - 1) Richard Nathan Speir Jr. was born Dec. 18, 1952 in Indianapolis, IN. He married Vicki C, Sturdivant June 30, 1979, they had two children when last contacted:
      - a) Brian David Speir
      - b) Kristin Alicia Speir,
    - 2) David Alan Speir, born June 7, 1955.
- David Andrew Jackson was born Aug. 1888 and died Sept. 17, 1962, in Gary, IN. He married Anna Morgan, she died June 26, 1966. Both are buried in the Calumet Park Cemetery, in Gary, IN
- Mallie Lee Jackson, daughter of Jacob Sidney by his second wife Melvina Todd, born July 1, 1904 in Surry Co, NC. She married Sept., 27, 1938, Irving Raleigh Smith. They lived in Melbourne, FL and had no children.

### Armstead Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Armstead was born in 1805 in Stokes Co, NC. He grew up in the Westfield community and he left Stokes Co, as a young man, and moved to Hendricks Co, IN. He married Phoebe Pope in Hendricks

Co, May 10, 1829. Phoebe was born Sept. 26, 1808 in KY. The name of her parents are unknown.

They lived in Morgan Co, IN where their first three children were born. He moved to Hendricks Co around 1836-37, where he died Sept. 1, 1869. **Phoebe** died Dec. 25, 1860 in Hendricks Co. Information on Armstead was taken from census records of Hendricks, and Morgan Counties. They were the parents of eight known children:

- Allen Jackson, born Feb. 30, 1830 in Mooresville, Morgan Co, IN. He married Sept. 9, 1856, to Sarah Jane Biddle, born Jan. 12, 1840. Allen and Jane were living in Guilford Township, Hendricks Co, in 1900. He was age 70, with wife Jane, and their son Elmer age 35, and his wife living in their household. They were the parents of four children:
  - a. Horace F. Jackson, born Aug. 20, 1857
  - b. John N. Jackson, born Sept. 17, 1859
  - c. Elmer H. Jackson, born Apr. 21, 1864, married Elizabeth born Dec. 1877 in Indiana, her parents were also born in Indiana. They lived with his father and mother in Hendricks Co.
  - d. Herbert A. Jackson born Feb. 7, 1873, died Jan. 25, 1870.
- 2. Hardin Jackson, born Apr. 10, 1832 in Morgan Co. He married twice but the name of his first wife is not known. His second marriage was to Martha Ferguson Oct. 29, 1865. The 1900 census of Liberty Township, Hendricks Co, IN gives his age as 68 years, wife Martha 58 years, born IN, and shows they were the parents of four children, with two of the children living. (The census did not give the names of the children.)
  - a. Mary Jackson, born Apr. 1882 in Indiana.
- 3. Hamilton Jackson, born in Aug. 1834, in Morgan Co, IN. The name of his first wife is unknown. The 1900 census of Hendricks Co, gives his second wife's name as Henrietta, age 49, born in July 1850, that they had been married for 18 years, and no children. Living between Hamilton and his brother Hicklin Jackson was a Ralph H. Jackson age 26, born Oct. 1873 with wife Orlanne (Green) age 26, born IN, and living with them was her mother Belle M. Green age 52. This Ralph may be a son of Hamilton by his first marriage.
- 4. William Jackson, born in 1838, Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.
- 5. Nancy Jane Jackson, born in 1840, Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.
- 6. John Jackson was born Apr. 12, 1843, in Clayton, Hendricks Co, IN. He married CamillaAmelia Hamlet, Feb. 28, 1869. They were living in Liberty Township in 1900, he was 57 years old, a finance, married for 32 years, and the parents of two children, one child living. The names of the two children are unknown. Amelia was born Nov. 1844 in Indiana, as were her parents.
  - a. Frank C. Jackson born Aug. 20,1872.
- 7. Hicklin Jackson was born Sept. 1846, in Hendricks Co, IN. He married Susie. Susie was born Aug 1848, in KY. Her parents were also born in KY. Hicklin and Susie had been married for 34 years, and had three children, two of them were living. His occupation was given as a "Liveryman".
  - a Edwin C. Jackson, born Dec. 1879, (He was a Stableman)
  - b. Hattie May Jackson born Jan. 1886.
- 8. Louisa Ann Jackson, born in 1848 in Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.

There was a very close connection between Armstead and his ister Louisa. They were about two years mart in age, and after their mother died, Eliza and Armstead both left Stokes Co and moved to Morgan Co, IN where Eliza married Allen Hicklin. Notice that Armstead named a son Allen, another son Hicklin, a daughter Louisa, and a son William for his father.

### Eliza. Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Eliza was born in Stokes Co, NC ca 1807. The year that she moved from Stokes Co, NC to Morgan Co, IN a not known. She may have gone the same time her brother Armstead made the move. They probably left after the death of their mother, and went with some of the other relatives that were moving to Ohioand Indiana.

Eliza married Allen Hicklin in Morgan Co, June 23, 1835. Allen was born in 1803 in Kentucky and this parests are unknown. The only information found on Eliza was on the 1850 and 1860 census records of Morgan Co, IN. The census records are so dim that they were very difficult to read. No

children were listed for them on either census, however there were several children living in their household.

The 1850 census shows a Sarah Jackson, age 19, Polly Jackson age 17 or 27, and Allen Jackson age 20, living with them. Allen may have been the son of her brother Armstead. There were also two younger children listed, John age 13, and Lucy age 6. Their last name could not be made out (looked like Pukapile). These two children may have been Allen and Eliza's grandchildren.

The 1860 shows they were still living in their household, showing that Eliza and Allen had reared them.

## Lockey Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Lockey was born ca 1809 in Stokes Co, NC, the daughter of Amer and Violette Forkner Jackson. She married Aaron Burr Tilley Aug. 29, 1829, in Stokes Co. They lived in Stokes Co. The year that Lockey died is not known.

Aaron Tilley was born June 2, 1805 in Stokes Co, where he died Nov. 8, 1880. Aaron was the son of Joel and Eliza Harris Tilley. Joel Tilley was born in 1775, the son of Edmund Tilley, a farmer. He owned 1,100 acres of land in Stokes Co, and died there in 1847.

Aaron and Lockey were the parents of eleven children, but only five were living when Aaron's will was probated in 1880.

- I. Joel A. J. Tilley, born Feb. 28, 1831. See account...
- 2. William M. Tilley, born in 1833, See account...
- 3. John H. Tilley, born May 20, 1835. See account...
- Lucy E. Tilley was born in Apr. 8 1837 in Stokes Co, NC. She married Albert R. King Dec. 2, 1851.
- 5. Amer Jackson Tilley, born July 7, 1839. See account...
- 6. Susan L. Tilley, born 1841, married Apr. 27, 1854 Frederick F. Hill.
- 7. Buck Tilley, born 1845 (No information)
- 8. James R. Tilley, born 1848, married Charlotte Simmons Sept. 8, 1865.
- 9. Sarah M. Tilley, born 1850. (No information on Sarah)
- Aaron Tilley Jr. was born 1851 and married Delily Manuel Sept. 20, 1860. He served in the Confederate Army during the Civil War.
- 11. Powell H. Tilley was born in 1859 and served in the Civil War. No other information.

### Joel A. J. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Joel was born Feb. 28, 1831 in Stokes Co, NC. He married Martha Simmons Feb. 24, 1853. Martha was born in 1832. After Martha's death Joel married Lettitia Simmons Oct. 19, 1862. Lettitia was Martha's sister. Lettitia died in 1919. Joel and Martha had two sons:

- 1. Reid Tilley
- 2. William A. Tilley. See account.

Joel and Lettitia had one daughter:

3. Laura Tilley married Jackson.

## William Aaron Tilley (Joel Tilley, Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

William was born Oct. 22, 1855 in Stokes Co, NC, the son of Joel and Martha Simmons and died June 29, 1931in Stokes Co. He married Sarah Frances Jessup. Sarah was born Sept. 21, 1854, and died Dec. 24, 1932. They were the parents of thirteen children:

- Laura Ellen Tilley was born Sept. 11, 1877 and died in Aug. 1953. She married Fletcher Hall.
  They had eight children: Lola, Clifford, Nonnie, Marshall, Houston, Sarah, Albert, and
  Rachel Hall.
- 2. Mary Bettie Tilley was born Jan. 26, 1879, and died July 1852. She married Reid Hall, a brother of Fletcher. They had six children: Ruby, Carlyle, Carol, Geneva, Mary, and L. T. Hall.
- 3. Joel William Tilley was born June 3, 1880 and died Sept. 1948, never married.
- 4. Lockey B. Tilley was born July 22, 1882. She married A. C. Hill. They did not have any children of their own, but adopted a daughter Elizabeth.

- 5. Martha Phoebe Tilley was born Feb. 2, 1884 and married Elijah Simmons. They had two children: Martha Sue, and J. E. Simmons.
- Roxie Ann Tilley was born Apr. 1, 1885 and died Dec. 12, 1975. She married Lindo Pell. They
  had five children: Frances, Weldon, Paul, Joe Bill, and Carl Ray Pell.
- Samuel Jacob Tilley was born Mar. 18, 1887 and died July 27, 1940. He married Nina Hunter.
  They had one son: Aaron Tilley who married Ellen Pepper, and they had one son: William
  Tilley.
- 8. Andrew Jackson Tilley was born Sept. 18, 1888 and married Mallie Payne.
- 9. Elam Powell Tilley was born May 31, 1890 and died June 1891.
- 10. Minnie Alice Tilley was born Sept. 20, 1891 and died July 16, 1977. She married Oscar McDaniels. They had one daughter:
  - a. Ruth McDaniels married Max Allen.
- Rufus Edgar Tilley was born July 26, 1893. He married Mary Sawyer and had two children: J. W. Tilley and Ed Tilley.
- Marshall Martin Tilley was born July 15, 1895 and married Dora. They had two children: Betty and Matt Tilley.
- Irona Florence Tilley was born Sept. 22, 1898. She married Arthur G. Smith and had no children.

Information on the William A. Tilley family was taken from the "Stokes County Heritage".

# William M. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

William was born in 1833 in Stokes Co, NC, the second son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley. He married Mary Ann Simmons Sept. 28, 1854. William enlisted in the Civil War, was shot at Gettysburg, and died Aug. 31, 1862 in a Hospital near Lovington, VA. Mary Ann raised her five children and survived William by 54 years. She lived with her son John E. Tilley in her later years. William Mary Ann were the parents of five Children:

- 1. Martha Tilley was born ca 1855. No information.
- 2. Cornelius Tilley was born in 1857 and married Nancy Lawson, the daughter of John and Sarah Shelton Lawson. Her first marriage was to John Frye.
- 3. John E. Tilley was born in 1861 and married Joanna Harriet Nunn. He was a farmer and the Post Master in Tulip, NC. The Post Office was kept in his home. They had nine children:
  - a. William Samuel Tilley married Roxie Slawter.
  - b. Joseph Thomas Tilley born in 1885 married Ila Smith in 1907. Ila was from the Rock House community. He attended school at Flint Knoll, and while still a youngster drove oxen at a local sawmill. Later in life he was an appraiser with the Federal Land Bank, and was treasurer of the Pinnacle Schools for some time. His children remember his ease at grafting trees and rooting shrubs. Joseph and Ila were the parents of ten children.
  - c. Minnie Lee Tilley, married Edd Smith
  - d. Robert Sandy Tilley's first marriage was to Verie King, and the second was to Beatrice Harrison.
  - e. Jessie Taylor Tilley married Myrtle Nunn
  - f. Fannie Elizabeth Tilley married Roy Nelson
  - g. Hester Ann Tilley married J. T. Cox
  - h. Mazie Ethel Tilley married Ernest Boles
  - Child died shortly after birth.
- 4. Ephraim Tilley no information.
- Jane Tilley no information.

### John H. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

John was born May, 20, 1835 in Stokes Co, NC, the third son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson)
Tilley. He married Mary Jane Martin Feb. 7, 1856 in Stokes Co, NC. Mary Jane was born Dec. 8,
1838 in Patrick Co, VA, the daughter of Joseph G. Martin and Martha S. Gray. John died in Stokes
Co, in 1888, Mary Jane died Feb. 21, 1918 in Stokes Co.

Their known children from census records were:

1. John M. Tilley was born 1859 and married Eliza.

- Adocia Tilley was born 1860 and died in 1944 in VA. She married Leander Nelson who was born Dec. 9 1859.
- 3. Oscar Tilley, born 1865 in VA.
- 4. William A. Tilley was born in 1867 in North Carolina.
- 5. Flora A. Tilley, was born in 1868 and married N. H. Nelson.
- 6. Joseph L. Tilley, born in 1869 North Carolina.
- 7. Everett Tilley, born in 1871.
- 8. Aaron Tilley, born 1873
- 9. Lenora S. Tilley born in 1874 and died June 17, 1951. She married McHone.
- Mary Ann Tilley was born July 6, 1876 in Francisco, NC, and died Nov. 14, 1951. She married Robert McKinley Fagg Jan. 25, 1891.
- 11. Daniel Tilley, born in 1879.

John H. Tilley named other children in his will as, Frank T., Alonzie, Dewitt, Ralph, Early, and Y. J. Tilley.

Information on the family of John Tilley obtained from:

Ms. Darlene Bettencourt, Merlin, OR, a descendant,

Census of Stokes Co, NC.

Marriage bonds,

Jehn's Will written on Mar. 20, 1888.

### Amer Jackson Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Amer was born July 7, 1839 in Stokes Co, and died Mar. 3, 1932. He was the son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley. Amer married Harriet A. Hall Apr. 12, 1866. He enlisted in the army in 1861, as a young man. He joined Company H, 22nd Regiment, of the North Carolina Troops in Captain Scale's Company. He was in a severe battle near Manassa Junction and was wounded on Aug. 29 by a screw out of a bomb shell, which cut the end off the hip bone. The screw weighed four ounces, and is now still in the family's possession. He was one of the most widely known Confederate Veterans in this section of Stokes Co. The name of only one child is known at this this time:

1. Thomas Walter Tilley was born Feb. 23, 1867, the son of Amer and Harriet Tilley. He was one of Stokes Counties great stable citizens. He married Annette Frances Lackey Jan. 29, 1888.

Annette was the daughter of Henry and Mary Ann Sheppard Lakey.

The following was taken from "The Stokes County Heritage" written by Ms. Alice Tucker:
"He was a great horse trader, a true and loyal democrat. If Mr. Tom Tilley is your friend,
then you truly depend on him, always interested in anything that would help mankind. He
never let a friend down, his good wife and companion for sixty-nine years and four months was
the same kind of friend. They left a great heritage to all the people whose lives touched
theirs."

Trey were the parents of eight children:

- Frank Lakey Tilley was born Nov. 6, 1888. He married Bethania (Hettie) Gaines Moore Dec. 20, 1922 and had two children.
- The Elijah Lee Tilley married Ella Grogan. They had one son:
  - 1) Dr. Carlous Tilley, an Optometrist of Mt. Airy, NC.
- E. Hassell David Tilley married Leila Barnard. They had four children: Iris, Mabel, James and Joe Tilley.
- d. Thomas Isaac Tilley married Rosa Pool. They had two children: Marie and Samuel Tilley.
- e. Lottie Era Tilley married Charles Guilbert. They had four children: Frank, Billy, Margaret and Jimmy Guilbert.
- if. Laura Japle Tilley married Martin Van Burin Simmons. They had three children: Thurman Walter, Jack David, Margaret Ann Simmons.
- g. May Marjorie Tilley married Guy Glass. They had one son: Bob Glass.
- h. Harriet Ruth Tilley married Arthur Young and hadthree children: Charles Guy, Mary Ann, and Henry Thomas Young.

Infernation on the Tilleys, taken from:

- \* Book "The Stokes County Heritage"
- \* From Ms. Darlene Bettencourt from Marlin, OR, a descendants of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley.

# John H. Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

John was born in Surry Co, NC, date unknown. He grew up in the Westfield Community, of Surry Co, where he married Eliza Hollingsworth Oct. 30, 1849. Eliza was born in 1826 and died before 1870 as she was not named on the 1870 Census.

His father Amer willed John the tract of land that he (John) lived on, near the Westfield Community. The 1850 census shows that John and Eliza were living in the northern section of Surry Co, near his brother Iredell. The middle initial H. was probably Henry.

When I (Lucille Vernon) was researching this family of Jackson's they all told me that they were connected to the R. J. Reynolds family, but none of them seemed to know the connection between the two families. I found that John H. Jackson and Eliza had a daughter named Mary Susan Jackson who married Zacariah T. Smith, and they had a daughter Mary Katherine who married Richard Joshua Reynolds.

John died in 1886 and his will was probated Sept. 3, 1886, in "Surry County Wills", Book 6, page 247. He named four children in his will:

- James A. Jackson was born in 1850 and was given \$100 in his father's will. It is believed that he
  moved to Indiana.
- 2. Louisa V. Jackson was born in 1852 and married Scales. She was left one colt in her father's will. Her middle initial V. was probably Violette, after her grandmother Violette Forkner.
- Sarah Eliza Jackson was born in 1856 and married C. F. Coffee. She was left \$100 in her father's will
- 4. Mary Susan Jackson was born in 1854 and married Zacariah T. Smith. She was left \$300 in her father's will. (See the following account on Katherine, daughter of Mary Susan.)

# Katherine Smith Reynolds (Mary Susan, John, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

The following was taken from an article that appeared in "The Winston-Salem Journal", Aug. 7, 1983, By Lil Thompson:

"Katherine Smith Reynolds, was born in Surry Co, NC, at Mount Airy, in 1881, the daughter of Mary Susan Jackson, and Zachary Smith. She married Richard Joshua Reynolds at her home in Mt. Airy Feb. 27, 1905. Richard Reynolds was her first cousin, once removed. At the time of their marriage, Reynolds was 55 years of age, and the founder of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Katherine was 25. The Mount Airy News wrote that the couple "was the recipients of a number of gifts. Mr. Reynolds is probably the most wealthy man in North Carolina. He is supposed to be worth three million dollars".

"Mr. Reynolds visited the home of her parents in Mt. Airy, where she was born, the eldest of six children. Her father, Zachary Taylor Smith was Reynold's cousin. The two men had grown up together in Patrick Co, VA where Reynolds learned about tobacco from his father. When Katherine was a small child, Reynolds would tease her and tell her that when she grew up that he was going to marry her. When she was ten years old he gave her a gold bracelet, at that time he was 40 years old. Neither could have known that his teasing would turn into truth.

In her teens, Katherine entered the State Normal and Industrial College, which was the beginning of the University of North Carolina, at Greensboro. Later she went to Sullins College in VA where she graduated with a Masters of English Literature degree. She also took art courses, a helpful background for the time she would be Mrs. R. J. Reynolds.

Reynolds once took her and a chaperone to New York. Then he offered her a job as a stenographer in his tobacco company. She accepted, and as part of her work wrote advertising slogans, including a caption for an early Camel Cigarette package. "I'd walk a mile for a Camel".

Katherine Reynolds had many irons in the fire before and after the death of her husband. She was interested in improving working conditions in industry, she was a YWCA organizer in the early 1900s'. She gave \$50,000 for the site of the R. J. Reynolds High School. She also had a large auditorium built to go with it. The school was dedicated in 1924, the dedication was a big thing. The Philadelphia Orchestra played, a Met soprano sang, and Gov. Cameron Morrison attended.

Exceedingly interested in education, she saw to it that her Reynolds School - the quality was high and the fees low - included: art, foreign languages, self reliance, and initiative, and she gave a valuable scholarship to Woman's College, now the University of North Carolina in Greensboro.

Reynolds Village was the biggest iron in her fire. The village had everything to sustain life, fresh vegetables year around, Orchards, Vineyards, pasture land, cattle, sheep, pigs, stables and a dairy. There was also a church, a school a post office and homes for the more than 100 people who lived there. **Katherine** supervised everything each day. It was said that she could read a blueprint like an engineer.

Richard J. Reynolds had been ill for some time before the family of six moved from the 5th home (located on 5th street where the Library now stands), to Reynolds Village, the week before Christmas in 1917. He only lived for six months, dying in the summer of 1918 at age 68 of cancer, in the study at Reynolds. He is buried in Salem Cemetery. He was one of 16 children including two sets of twins, all born in the same four poster bed, all the offspring of one mother.

Reynolds stood 6 feet 2 inches, came here in 1875 ten years after the Civil War ended, when Winston was a village of about 400, not yet joined to Salem, with dirt streets. He made his first major product "Plug Tobacco" in a red factory on Depot Street. He came from a well to do family, there is a slave graveyard at his home in Patrick Co, VA. As he began to gradually turn his tobacco factory into what would become one of the country's major companies, he also began to nurture his relationship with Katherine Smith. He had also come to town with \$10,000 in his pockets.

In 1921 Katherine Smith Reynolds, still a young woman at age 40 married John Edward Johnson, a young Davidson graduate who had come to Reynolds Village as school superintendent. The marriage was short. They had two children, a daughter stillborn, and a son, John Edward Johnson Jr. A few days after his birth in 1924, Katherine Smith Reynolds Johnson died in a New York hospital from a blood clot, which went to her brain and killed her. She was 44. Her second husband Johnson had a monument built in her memory at Reynolds. It is now in the courtyard of the Reynolds Presbyterian Church.

Nancy Reynolds, youngest daughter of R. J. and Katherine, described her mother as being about 5 feet 5, or 6, and as having "very black hair" a blue black, with very blue eyes.

One of the most interesting women to have ever lived here and who did more than most in her short life, Katherine Smith Reynolds lies in the same plot as her husband in Salem Cemetery.

## Katherine and R. J. Reynolds had four children:

- a. Mary Reynolds, married Babcock
- b. Richard J. Reynolds, Jr.
- c. Nancy Reynolds Bagley
- d. Smith Reynolds, married Libby Holeman the torch singer. He was killed at Reynolds in 1932

The paragraph following was the caption printed under a picture of the Reynonds House:
"Reynolds House, home of the late Richard Joshua Reynolds, founder of the R. J. Reynolds
Tobacco Co., was occupied in 1917. It was the heart of a self-sustaining village and farm. In
1965, it was opened to the public and dedicated to the advancement of education and the arts.
The house offers the visitor the unique experience of enjoying American paintings touching on
the whole American art tradition. Visiting hours are:

Sundays, 1:30 to 4:30;

Tuesday through Saturday, including holidays (except Christmas Day), 9:30 to 4:30. Closed Mondays and from Jan. 2 until Feb. 1.

Nominal admission charges."

# Zachary Taylor Smith (Husband of Mary Susan Jackson, father of Katherine Smith)

The following was taken from an article on Surry Co, NC (Name of atricle is not given):

"Zachary Taylor Smith, whose family connections included three presidents; Madison,
Taylor, and Tyler, was born in Patrick Co, VA. He joined the army at the age of fourteen as a
drummer boy. Three years later, a captain, he was captured at Fort Fisher and carried to Point
Lookout, MD. where he was kept prisoner until the end of the war. He often said, in
recounting his adventures, that the prisoners owed their survival to the plentiful supply of
oysters around the Point.

Some years after the war he bought a plantation north of Mt. Airy, NC, married Miss Susan Jackson and reared a family of six children, one of whom became Mrs. R. J. Reynolds of Winston-Salem. It was she who visioned, planned and brought to reality, the beautiful Reynolds Estate, a part of which is now Wake Forest University, the land being a gift of the Reynolds family. "Mr. Zack", as he was affectionately known, lived to be 91, an unreconstructed rebel to the end, who never missed a Confederate veteran's reunion."

### Allison Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Allison Jackson, was born in Stokes Co in 1826. He may have been the youngest child of Amer and his first wife Violet Forkner. There is some uncertainty becuase the date of the death of Violet is unknown. Amer's will gives Allison "The Beasley Tract lying in Stokes Co, on the Meadow Branch, together with the lot I bought of Whitlock, joining thereto my Vaught tract of fifty acres, not joining thereto, also the sum of one hundred dollars."

Allison married Sarah Thrower Dec. 26, 1853 in Stokes Co, NC. Sarah was born in 1834 in North Carolina. They remained in Stokes Co, and the 1860 census of Stokes names three children as John born ca 1856, James born ca 1858, and Frances born in 1860.

The 1870 census show three more children had been born to them, but the names of the first children were different from the 1860 census. James was named as Amer and Frances was named as Elizabeth, so we can assume that the correct full names would be James Amer, and Frances Elizabeth.

- 1. John S. Jackson born ca 1854/56
- 2. James Amer Jackson born ca 1857/58
- 3. Frances Elizabeth Jackson born ca 1859/60
- 4. William Jackson Jackson born ca 1861
- 5. Eliza E. Jackson born ca 1865
- 6. Mary Jackson Jackson born ca 1867

### Jacob Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob was born in ca 1841-42 in Stokes Co, the son of Amer Jackson and Elizabeth Shippley. His father, Amer, passed away when Jacob was about 15 months old. Jacob grew up in Stokes and married Emily Newman Rotenberry Dec. 25, 1861. Emily was born in 1840, the daughter of Seth and Georgia Rotenberry.

From the will of his father Amer (made in 1843):

"I bequeath to my son Jacob my mill tract of land lying in the County of Surry, together with the mill and improvements thereto, to be kept in repair by my executor out of any money, that may come into his hands, belonging to my estate and the profits thereof to go to use of my wife, and youngest children 'till my said son, Jacob arrives to the age of twenty-one."

The year of the death of **Jacob and Emily** and where they are buried is not known. They were the parents of eight children:

1. Jacob Andrew Jackson was born ca 1862-63. He married Isabell Fulk, born in 1870. A

letter (Lucille Jackson Vernon) received from one of Jacob's great granddaughters (Mrs. Lena Jackson Turney) states that Jacob loved music. He was called the best fiddler in Stokes Co, and all of his children could play banjo, and guitar. They would all get together at people's houses, make music, move out the beds, and have a square dance.

They were all Quakers and Jacob A. was a devout reader of the Bible. They were members of the Westfield Quaker Church, where all of the earlier Jackson's helped build and gave land to the Church and graveyard. The year he died is not known, but it was sometime after 1894, and before 1900. Jacob and Emily were the parents of six children, of which very little information is available at this time:

- Maggie Lee Jackson, born in Mar. 1887, never married.
- b. Robert Richard Jackson, born in Apr. 1890, married Dora Frye, the daughter of Columbus and Jeannette Fulk Frye.
- c. Elmer Jackson was born in 1892 and married Maud McKinney, the daughter of Tucker and Rozella McKinney. They had two children:
  - 1) Odell Jackson married Geneva Miner. They had no children.
  - Lena Jackson, married Paul Turney. They had three children: James, Roger, and Joanne Turney.
- d. Emmitt Jackson, born Jan. 1894, died in 1911 at the age of 17.
- e. Ella Jackson, born Mar. 1896, married Luther Bowman. They had two children, Herbert and Beatrice Moran Bowman.
- f. Etta Jackson born July 1897, married Will Wilkes. They had a daughter Geneva Wilkes who married Mr. Stewart.
- 2. John Jackson married Jeannice Caudle
- 3. Susan Virginia Jackson married Shelby Atwood. No other information.
- 4. Mary Ann Jackson married William Hooker. No more information.
- 5. Lucy Jackson marred Frank Dezern. No more information.
- 6. Charles Jackson left home when a young man. It is believed that he went to San Francisco, and was killed in the earthquake.
- 7. Thompson Jackson was living with his three unmarried aunts (Camilla, Mary, and Katherine) in the 1900 Census. It is believed that he may have joined his brother Charles, as he was never heard from again.
- 8. Thomas J. Jackson was born July 18, 1877 and died May 21, 1949. He married Safronie (Sophie) Nunn. Safronie was born Aug. 8, 1869, and died Aug. 17, 1953. She was the daughter of Joseph Nunn. Thomas and Safronie are buried in the Quaker graveyard at Westfield. They had nine children:
  - a. Grover Jackson, married Della Jackson, daughter of John Henry Jackson. They had three children: Odell, Mary Faye, and Veta May Jackson.
  - b. James J. Jackson was born Nov. 1888 and married Ada Collins. They had four children: Alex, Margaret, Robert, and John Jackson.
  - c. Sarah (Susan) Jackson was born Oct. 1892 and married Frank Mabe. They had three children: J. D., Ethel, Inez, and Virginia Mabe.
  - d. Millard J. Jackson was born in 1890 and never married.
  - e. Verda Jackson married Charles Hill.
  - f. Hester Jackson was born Sept. 1, 1906, died May 10, 1954, and was buried in the Westfield Quaker graveyard. She married Frank Jones. Number of children is unknown but they had at least one son:
    - 1) John Thomas Jones, born Apr. 10, 1937 and died Apr. 13, 1972 is also buriedat Westfield.
  - g. Mary Ann Jackson married Alvie Collins. They had six children: Gaston, Novella, Fronnie, Leon, Homer, and Richard Collins
  - h. Nellie Jackson married Thomas Joyce, their children were: Etta, Della, Frances, and Robert Joyce.
  - i. Myrtle Jackson was born May 1898 and never married.

census gives Thompson as being 23 years old and that would give his birth as 1877. Thomas Jackson was born in July of 1877.

# CHAPTER 11

# SAMUEL JACKSON Jr.

Son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankenhorn Born, ca 1758 in Chester Co. PA

Died June 6, 1834 in Stokes Co, NC

Married Hannah Gibson, Jan. 23, 1782

NOTE: It has not been proven that Samuel Jackson Jr. was the son of Samuel and Catherine,
However most researchers believe he was. If so, he would have been their fourth child.
Samuel Jackson, of Stokes Co, NC

Samuel was born in 1758 on the Delaware River, in Pennsylvania, a few miles from Philadelphia. When he was a lad around three or four years of age, his parents moved from PA and settled in Rowan Co, NC. That part became Davidson Co. The name of Samuel's parents have not been established. He is believed to be the son of Samuel and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson, who came to Rowan Co, ca 1761-62 with several small children. Their three eldest sons Jacob, John, and Curtis were members of the New Garden MM. Jacob was a minister, and was received into membership at his request on May 31 1777. He had not previously been a member of the Society of Friends. He was 19 years old. All of the children became members after their arrival in North Carolina, but there is no record of their parents Samuel and Catherine ever joining any Monthly Meeting in North Carolina.

Samuel Jackson appeared on Aug. 31, 1782 and "condemned his taking affirmation of present powers". In 1777 the North Carolina General Assembly had provided for an oath of allegiance to the new government. The penalty for refusing the oath was expulsion from the province. Friends and a few others were allowed to affirm, rather than swear to, their loyalty but Friends were not comfortable with any statement which compromised their neutral stand and their opposition to military activity of any kind. Thus the Yearly Meeting instructed the Membership to refrain from taking the oath, or affirming loyalty on pain of disownment. A few Friends did so affirm and were disowned. (Apparently the law requiring the oath was not strictly enforced.) Many of the Friends who were disowned came back into the meeting later after acknowledging their error. Samuel Jackson acknowledged or "condemned" his error at the time that the matter was first brought up in the meeting and so was not disowned.

Samuel and Catherine Jackson came to Surry Co, NC ca 1770-72 settling on Tom's Creek, later called Westfield. The Westfield MM was established in 1772 and Jacob, John, Curtis, and Samuel Jackson Jr. were all charter members.

The early census records uses the names Samuel Jackson Sr. and Samuel Jackson Jr. but we have been unable to find any written proof that shows Samuel as the son of Samuel Sr. He gave almost the same information in his request for pension that Jacob gave on his "Testimony". He stated that he was born in Chester Co, PA, and his parents moved to Rowan Co, NC when he around twelve years old.

When Samuel and Catherine moved to Tom's Creek, their land was in Surry Co. When Stokes Co. was formed in 1789, the line was drawn at Westfield and Samuel found that his property was now in the newly formed Stokes Co, with boundary lines that touched Surry Co. Samuel Jr. was living near Samuel Sr. and his property was also in the newly formed Stokes Co.

While a resident of Surry Co, NC on the Dan River, he enlisted and served at various times in 1780 and early 1781, in all, three months as a private in Captain Joseph Cloud's Company in the regiment of Col. William Sheppard. While living in Rowan Co, he enlisted and served at various times for four months as a private under Captain William David in Col. Smith's Regiment. He was captured by Tories during this time but soon released and later assisted in scattering the Tories at Raft Swamp. He was discharged after the surrender of Cornwallis.

He was granted a pension of \$20.00 per annum on his application which was executed in Stokes Co, Mar. 15, 1833. His wife **Hannah Jackson** was granted a widow's pension after filing application on Mar. 9, 1839 in Stokes Co. (File No. w-5004)

Samuel married Miss Hannah Gibson Jan. 23, 1782 in Surry Co, NC. Hannah was born Oct. 9, 1764. The names of her parents are unknown. They were married at the home of Elisha Pierce, a friend, on a cold winter day by a Justice of the Peace, Micajah Clark. Rev. William Stephen's, a preacher from the Baptist Church, was suppose to perform the ceremony but was taken ill and gave the certificate to Micajah Clark, JP to perform the ceremony.

A wedding supper was held for them at her father's home after their return home from Elisha Pierce's house. Samuel was disowned from the Westfield MM for marrying out of unity, that is marrying a non-Friend. Samuel and his family are not mentioned in any of the Westfield MM records.

The names of the ten children of **Samuel** and **Hannah** were taken from her application for pension. She gives the names and the date of the birth of the two first born and stated that the other children were born around two years apart, that she knew in her mind that she was correct but since **Samuel** could not read or write that he did not bother to have a record made on the date of the birth of the children.

Samuel died June 6, 1834 in Stokes Co, Hannah died in Stokes Co, in 1841 her will was probated, Dec. 1841.

#### Hannah Gibson (wife of Samuel Jackson Jr.)

Hannah was born Oct. 9, 1764, her birth is recorded in the Revolutionary War Pension records of Samuel Jackson, Claim #5004, filed in the Archives in Raleigh, NC.

The name of Hannah's parents are unknown. The only family by the name of Gibson living in Surry Co, in 1782, the year Hannah married Samuel Jackson was Valentine Gibson and his wife Frances or Nancy Garrett Gibson. So it is assumed that she was a daughter of Valentine Gibson.

The names of all of Valentine's children are not known. Valentine Gibson paid 63 pounds of Virginia money to Matt Moore on Oct. 2, 1794 (said Gibson was indebted to Moore as security to his son James Gibson) for 200 acres of land bought on the little Yadkin River. So we know that one of his sons was named James Gibson.

Another son is believed to have been Garrett Gibson who married Prudence Sumner in 1778 in Surry Co. Prudence was the daughter of Robert Sumner and Phoebe Canady Beals Sumner, and could have been named for his mother's maiden name.

Hannah mentioned having a brother named William Gibson in her will. She may have also had a sister who was the wife of James Bennett. A query found in "The Ridge Runner" stated that James Gibson had known brothers, Archeleus and Garrett Gibson. By the above names, we can assume that Hannah's brothers were Garrett, James, William, and Archeleus, and maybe a sister who married James Bennett. There could have been other children for which we have no information.

Hannah married Samuel Jackson Jan. 23,1782 and they lived in Stokes Co, where their ten children were born. After Samuel's death, Hannah made an application for a widows pension. Her brother

William Gibson and two life long friends Martha Pierce and Mary Pierce Roark testified that she had remained unmarried since Samuel's death, that she was named as a respectable resident of Stokes Co, and known for her honesty and truth throughout the neighborhood.

She further declared that they had ten children, the first was Jehu born Feb. 1, 1783, and the second was James, born Mar. 1, 1785, and the balance in rotation about two years apart, Isaac, Samuel, Sarah, John, William, Amer Joseph and Hiram, the youngest being born Oct. 28, 1801.

Hannah died in December of 1841. She names William Gibson as her brother in her will, and a granddaughter, the wife of Elisha Bennett. It is not known where Hannah was buried.

Samuel and Hannah were the parents of ten children all born in Stokes Co, NC:

- Jehu Jackson was born Feb. 1, 1783 and died in 1847 in Cass Co, MO. He married Lucy Wright in Ohio.
- James Jackson was born and died Dec. 8, 1853 in Wells Co, IN. He married Elizabeth Hooker in Ohio.
- Isaac Jackson was born ca 1787 and died in 1854 in Deleware Co, IN. He married Nancy Sizemore Dec. 10, 1808.
- 4. Samuel Jackson was born ca 1789 and died Mar. 30, 1848 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Jemima Cox.
- 5. Sarah Jackson was born ca 1791. The only daughter of Samuel and Hannah. She married Waggoner Jenkins. (No further information.)
- John Jackson was born ca 1793. He married Nancy King July 2, 1819. This family may have moved to Indiana, and later to Missouri.
- 7. William Jackson was born ca 1795. There is no other information on William, but it is believed that he may have moved to Indiana.
- 8. Amer Jackson was born ca 17970-98. He married Elizabeth Watson Nov. 6, 1823. He may have had a second marriage to Nancy Hooker and moved to Indiana.
- 9. Hisram Jackson was born Oct. 28, 1801 and died Nov. 9, 1875. He married Nancy Malcolm in 1826.
- 10. Jeseph Jackson was born Aug. 23, 1804 and died Mar. 25, 1858 in Louisa Co, IA. He married Phoebe Gox Sept. 6, 1827.

See the following accounts on the above listed children.

Declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the act of Congress, Passed June 7, 1832 State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

On the 15th day of Marrch and AD, 1832, personally appeared in open Court before the Justice of the court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, for the County of Stokes.

Sanuel Jackson, a resident of North Carolina and the county of Stokes, aged about seventy four years, who being first duly sworn in according to Law, doth on his oath make the following dedaration in order to obtain the benefit of an act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served at known stations. He states first that he was born in the year 1758 in the state of Pennsylvania a few mikes from the City of Philadelphia, on the river Delaware. That he has no record of his age, that when quiet young he moved with his parents to that part of County Rowan in the state of North Carolina now called Davidson.

Herates that when he was first called into service he lived in the county of Surry, and that satisfies aid was on Dan River now Stokes county. At other times in County of Rowan, that since the Revolution he has lived in the county of Stokes, and lives there now. That he first served in a Conpany commanded by Captain Joseph Cloud of the county of Stokes, then Surry, in the year of 1780 for a term of four months. Then he Voluntered and was put in service and appointed to guard Toryprisoners, at Old Town of Bathaboro. That afterwards in the year of 1780, and the second uplacehe served under Captain Gaines, father of General Gains, and he said that he was

employed in guarding British soldiers taken prisoners at the Battle of King Mountain, and served for one month.

Afterwards in the same and succeeding years he was engaged and sent on several scouting parties. In all for a term of one month under different officers, who's names he now cannot remember. That when engaged in the service mentioned the assignment to which his company was attached was commanded part of the time by Colonel William Sheppard and Major Joseph Winston. He recollects while on duty at Old Town a private soldier shot a Sergeant Smith for which offense he was merely whipped.

Afterwards I think, in the year 1782 in the county of Rowan, about the time the British marched south toward the Battleground of Guilford, he volunteered his services in a company of militia commanded by Captain William Davis. In which company was chiefly called out to hunt Tories and obtain them. He was taken prisoner by the Tories and after being confined a while he was released, that the service and complacement lasted about one month.

Shortly after this, in the same year 1782 he entred service again in a company commanded by Captain Lapp and Lieutenant Bodenhammer, and marched toward Wilmington, NC, and while on the march they helped to scatter Tories at "Rafts Swamp", and from there he marched to the mouth of the Neuse River where they made an attack, which was occupied by a British Garrison, and then marched toward Georgetown, SC and back. They lay in the backwoods until the news assured them that Cornwallace had been taken. He was then marched home and discharged.

He now recollects in which his company marched to Wilmington was Commanded by Colonel Smith. He now recollects that there was a company along from Moors the Company of Guilford with 20 or 30 men under the Command of Captain Gillespie. He recollects that one Captain Kennedy was along with his company which numbered about 500 men. He recollects the affair at Rafts Swamp there were 200 men of Guilford that was shot. He doesn't recollect whits any part of his named was under the command of any regular officer or in any Company with regular Troops.

He states that he has no documentary evidence of his service, and knows no person who can testify to his service except the testimony of **Jacob Idol**. He states that in his neighborhood he is known to **Charles Banner** and **Jacob Carson** who can testify of his transactions for various of his service as a soldier of the Revolution.

Sworn and submitted this day and year aforesaid.

Samuel Jackson

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Declaration of Hannah Jackson, State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

"On this ninth day of Mar. 1839, Hannah Jackson a respectable resident of Stokes County aforesaid, aged seventy four, the 9th Oct. last appeared before the preparing Court of Law and Equity now sitting for Stokes County aforesaid and she first being duly sworn according to law, do then her oath make the following declarations in order to obtain the benefit of the provision make by the Act of Congress, July 7, 1838, instituted an act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows.

Shestates that she is the widow of Samuel Jackson who was a private militia Soldier of North Camina in time of the Revolutionary War, and served she has just reason to believe he specified in his acclaration file in the Pension Department of the United States by virtue of which he has placed on the Pension Roll received a pension as per his Pension Certificate dated may 7th 1833 at the rate of twenty dollars per annum. Reference being had to said documents will show plainly appear to which papers she begs leave to refer the department for satisfactory proof of her husband's services from which she expects to obtain a pension.

Shestates, further declares that she was married to said Samuel Jackson the twenty-third day of

January, seventeen hundred and eighty-two by Micajah Clark a justice of the peace of Surry County, NC. That her husband, the aforesaid Samuel Jackson died on the 18th day of June 1834. That she has not married to him prior to his leaving the service, but the marriage took place previous to the first day of January, seventeen hundred and ninety-four, at the time above stated and that she had remained a widow ever since his death

She further declares that they had ten children born of her body the first born was Jehu Jackson on the first day of February 1783, the second child James Jackson was born the first day of March 1785, and the balance of her said children in rotation about two years between their birth, Isaac, Samuel, Sarah, John, William, Amer, Joseph, and the last Hiram was born the 28th day of October 1801. But she has no family record. Her husband the said Samuel Jackson could not read or write, and that he had neglected to have a record made that from her memory she knows of her own recollection that the foregoing statement of her children's ages is exactly correct.

#### Hannah Jackson

Sworn to and subscribed to in Open Court, Isaac Golding, Clerk, By Thomas Hill, D. C.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes:

WILLIAM GIBSON, a person of honesty and truth, being duly sworn according to law, he being a resident of said county, saith that his sister, **Hannah** was married to **Samuel Jackson** in January 1782. He believes, as he remembers of the wedding dinner when he was about nine years of age. Which was given them at his father's home when they returned home from **Elijah Pierces**, at which place they married, by **Micajah Clark** a Justice of the Peace for Surry County, North Carolina.

He remembers that their eldest child was 10 years and four months younger than he was, it was always understood, but was never heard of any family records being kept. As none of the **Jackson** family could write. But they had ten children as named in his sister **Hannah's** declaration, and kept their ages by memory.

Samuel Jackson was a pensioner of the United States, and died the 18th day June 1834, and his sister had remained a widow ever since his death.

Sworn and subscribed the 15th day of February 1839, before me

Charles Banner

North Carolina County of Stokes.

I, Reuben D. Golding, Clerk of the county of Please and Quarter Sessions, for stated county aforesaid, do hereby certify that Charles Banner is a Magistrate of said county as above, and that the foregoing signatures to be his to these disposition is genuine.

In testament where of I have hereunto offered the seal of my office and my name this 10th day of March 1829

Reuben D. Golding

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

On this 14th day of February 1840 before me Charles Banner a Justice of the Peace in and for the county of aforesaid personally appeared Hannah Jackson widow of the late Samuel Jackson deceased, and she being duly sworn according to law declares on her oath that she intermarried to the said Samuel Jackson on the 23rd January 1782-83 she don't remember which year (as she has no record) at the house of Mr. Eliaha Pierce in Surry County, NC, by a certain Micajah Clark a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, that the bonds of marriage was first published according to the custom in that time by a preacher of the Baptist Church by the name of William Stephens, who was taken ill and gave his certificates of the publication of the bond to said Justice of the Peace, as she was informed, and has just reason to believe was the case.

She states that Mary Roark wife of Timothy Roark and Martha Pierce who are now living were present at her marriage.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year first above mentioned before me,

Hannah Jackson Charles Banner, J.P.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes.

On this 14th day of February 1840, at the house of **Timothy Roark** of Stokes County aforesaid, **Mary Roark**, (formerly **Mary Pierce**), being duly sworn according to law declared on her oath that she well remembers to see **Micajah Clark** who was a Justice of the Peace marry the above named **Samuel Jackson** and **Hannah Gibson** together as man and wife at her father's (**Elisha Pierce**) house in Surry County, NC, on a cold winter day she thinks in January or February of 1783 as she counts from her own age, that she was fifteen and they told her she was old enough to marry which made her ashamed at that time,

She father states that she frequently heard Rev. William Stevens a Baptist preacher sermons at a meeting house, and that she heard him public that on such a day he than named that the above Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson (both of whom she was well acquainted neighbors) would be married and joined together as man and wife which was done in her presents on the same day he than publish it would be done which believing was the same time as mentioned in the foregoing declaration of the widow Hannah Jackson who is the identical same person that was then and their married to aid Samuel Jackson.

Sworn to and subscribed this day and year first above entioned before me.

Mary Roark Charles Banner J. P. Hannah Jackson

North Carolina, Stokes County.

I, Charles Banner an acting Justice of the Peace for said county, certify that the above named Hannah Jackson, and Mary Roark, are both persons of good character for probating truth, in the county and neighborhood where they live, and I concur with the neighbors, in their opinion. Given under my hand the 4th day of February 1840.

Charles Benner J.P.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

Be it known that on the 14th day of February 1839, personally appeared before me the subscribing Justice of the Peace for said county. Martha Pierce a woman of respectability and honesty and truth in the neighborhood and county of Stokes, where she resides and she being duly sworn according to law to declare what she remembers of the marriage of Samuel Jackson and his wife Hannah Gibson who's maiden name was Gibson.

Saith, on her oath that she was present at the time when the said Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson aforesaid was married and joined together as man and wife, at her fathers Elisha Pierce's home in the year 1782. She does not recollect the day of the month, but that it was January, she believes and a Justice of the Peace Micajah Clark of the then Surry County married them together on the same day with Captain John Martin and Nancy Ship, at which time she was 18 years of age.

She further declares that she was well aquatinted with the aforesaid Samuel Jackson and his wife Hannah since and before their marriage, and until the day of his death, which happened in June 1834, and that the said Hannah Jackson who is about petitioning for a pension is the identical

person who was married as aforesaid to Samuel Jackson, and that the said Hannah has remained unmarried since his death.

Sworn to and subscribed the day 4 year first above written before me.

Charles Banner, JP Martha P. Pierce

# Jehu Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

Jehu was born Feb. 1, 1783 in Stokes Co, near the Westfield Community. He was the first born child of Revolutionary War soldier Samuel Jackson, and his wife Hannah Gibson.

Jehu grew up on his father's farm in Stokes Co, and when he was a young man he left Stokes Co and moved to Ohio. He married Miss Lucy Wright Nov. 10, 1811 in Montgomery Co, Ohio. They were living in Montgomery Co, OH in 1812 when their first daughter Hannah was born in 1814. They were living in Marion Co, OH, where their second child was born. They moved to White River, Randolph Co, IN before 1819.

Lucy was born Feb 19, 1796 in Green Co, NC, now TN, the daughter of Elizabeth and Joseph Wright. She was disowned from the Quaker MM for marring out of unity. Lucy kinsman were General Morgan and Rebecca Boone, wife of Daniel Boone. Rebecca was the daughter of Morgan Bryant, one of the first settlers on the Yadkin River area, in what is now Yadkin Co, NC. The 1820 Census of Randolph Co, IN shows that Jehu was living near two of his brothers, James and Isaac, and two cousins, Job and Elijah Jackson, the sons of his uncle William Jackson. There was also a William Jackson living near him, who has not been identified.

They remained in Randolph Co, where nine more children were born and around 1838 the family removed to Van Burin Co, (now Cass Co) MO. Most of the children went with their parents to Missouri. Jehu died in 1847 in Dayton, Cass Co, MO and Lucy died Feb. 14, 1876 also in Dayton. They are both buried in the Dayton Cemetery.

**Jehu** and **Hannah** were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Hannah Jackson was born in 1812 in Montgomery Co, OH. She married William Cox Oct. 16, 1828 in Randolph Co, IN. Hannah and William remained in Indiana when her parents and her brothers and sisters moved to Missouri. William died before 1850. The 1850 census shows that she was living in the home of George and Elizabeth Ballinger. In 1910 Hannah's sister Lavina died, leaving her estate to her brothers and sisters. At that time, they could not find Hannah or any members of her family, so her share of the estate went to the State of Kansas. The known children of Hannah and William were:
  - a. Lucy Cox, born in 1829
  - b. John B. Cox, born in 1834, married Harriet Landers
  - c. William Cox, born in 1842
  - d. Elizabeth Cox, born in 1843, married David C. Wilson Dec. 22, 1864.
  - e. Henrietta Cox born in 1843, (a twin to Elizabeth)
- Wright Jackson was born Nov. 21, 1814 in Marion, OH. He married Minerva Wright Nov. 24, 1837 in Wayne Co, IN. He died Apr. 4, 1882 in Longinsport, Cass Co, IN and was buried in the Shideler Cemetery, Cass Co, IN.
- 3. William Jackson was born Dec. 15, 1816 in Ohio and married "Margaret". He died Apr. 30, 1883 in Clymers, IN and was buried in the St. John's Cemetery in Clymers, IN.
- 4. Elizabeth Jackson was born in 1819 White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married Michael C. Hiser in 1840. She died in Bates Co, MO after 1876. They were the parents of seven children but only the names of four are known:
  - a. William J. Hiser, born in 1842
  - b. Martha S. Hiser, born in 1844
  - c. Reuben H. Hiser, born in 1847
  - d. Lucy A. Hiser, born in 1849-50
- 5. Tryal Jackson was born in 1820 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. He married Mar. 21, 1838 in Polk Co, MO, Margaret Boiles. He died Apr. 8, 1891 in Jester, Greer Co, TX, (now OK) See

account.

- Matilda Jackson was born Aug. 31, 1823 in White River Randolph Co, IN. She married James B. Rider Mar. 23, 1845 in Cass Co, MO. She died Sept. 23, 1882 in Cass Co, MO and was buried Dayton Cemetery, Dayton, MO. See account.
- Allen Jackson was born Oct. 16, 1825 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. He married Tabitha McCraw Jan. 28, 1847 in Cass Co, MO. See account.
- Rebecca Jackson was born Mar. 27, 1828 White River, Randolph Co, IN. Her first marriage was to John Best Apr. 30, 1845 in Cass Co, MO. Her second marriage was to A. Defrisco Mar. 28, 1858. She died Jan. 30, 1911 in Climax, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Jan. 31 1911 Twin Falls Cemetery, Climax, KS. She had five children by her first husband John Best.
  - a. Mary Best, returned to Indiana
  - b. Lou Best returned to Indiana
  - c. Mattie Best
  - d. John Wesley Best, died in infancy.
  - e. Francis Marion Best, died in infancy.
- 9. Mahala Ann Jackson was born 1830 White River Randolph Co, IN. She married Rev. Anthony Owsley Nov. 25, 1849 in Cass Co, MO. Anthony was born in 1820. She died in 1860 in Johnson Co, MO. They had four children but only the names of two are known:
  - a. Robert Jackson Owsley
  - b. Allen Owsley, married and had five children: Charles, Allen, Laura, Lorene, and Jesse Lee Owsley.
- Delilah Jackson was born Mar. 23, 1833 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married Hugh Woods Jan. 26, 1853 in Cass Co, IN. She died Feb. 6, 1908 in Severy, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. See account.
- Lucinda Jackson was born 1835 white River Randolph Co, IN and died in 1837 at the age of two
  when struck by a falling tree.
- 12. Lavina Jackson was born Feb. 29, 1836 White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married Nicholas Ozenbaugh Oct. 28, 1880 Cass Co, MO. She died Sept. 15, 1904 Fall River, Greenwood Co, KS, and was buried in the Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. Lavina's husband must have died before 1904 because when she died, she left a large estate in Greenwood Co, KS, to be divided between her brothers and sisters and their heirs. Her nephew James S. Woods was administrator of her estate.

### Tryal Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Tryal was born ca 1820 in White River Township, Randolph Co, IN. He married Margaret Boiles Mar. 21, 1838 in Polk Co, MO. Margaret was born in 1820-21 in MO. In 1844 Tryal, his wife, and two children were living in a cabin on White Rock Creek, Nacogdoches Township, Dallas Co, MO. Around 1855-6 he moved to the far western frontier where he was listed as a stock raiser, and in 1880 he was listed as a farmer in Shackelford Co.

On the frontier **Tryal** settled on the Clear Fork of the Brazos, in unorganized territory. In 1863 they were living about four or five miles south east of present Woodson and about fifteen miles north west of present Breckenridge. They were among those who "forted-up" at old Fort Davis on the Clear Fork during the Civil War. It was at this place that his son **William Henry** was scalped by Indians and died a year later. It is said that Tryal set out to kill twenty Indians and that he would not return until his mission was accomplished. It is not known if he really carried out his mission.

He built the first store structure in the town of Albany, Shackelford Co, in 1875. His next move was to Green Co, TX near Jester, which became Oklahoma Territory in 1896. He died Apr. 8, 1891 in Jester, Green Co. Margaret died Feb. 23, 1899 in Roger Mills, Oklahoma Territory.

## Tryal and Margaret were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Mary Jackson was born ca. 1839 in Missouri, married ca 1856 John Musgraves born in 1833 in Illinois. In the 1860 Census of Buchanan, Stephens Co, TX he was listed as a stock raiser. No other information is know on Mary other than the names of two sons:
  - a. Crel Musgraves born ca. 1857 in Texas

- b. Nathan Musgraves, born in 1858 in Texas
- 2. John W. Jackson was born ca 1842 in Iowa. He married "Camille" in ca 1871. Camille was born ca 1850 in Utah. In the 1880 census they were living in Shackelford Co, TX. He was listed as a cattle herder. He later farmed in Oklahoma and in 1912 he was living in Good Night, TX. John must have gone to Utah after 1873, as their daughter Ada was born in Texas, and son Nervie was born in Utah. They returned back to Texas in 1889-80. They had three known children:
  - a. child name unknown
  - b. Ada Jackson born ca 1873 in Texas
  - c. Nevie Jackson, born ca 1878 in Utah. He homesteaded land in Roger Mills Co, OK in 1899-1900. He was declared incompetent by the courts there, and his father John was made his legal guardian.
- 3. Jasper N. Jackson was born ca. 1844 White Rock Creek, Nacogdoches Co, TX. He married Eliza ca 1870. Eliza was born ca 1855 in Arkansas. He was a farmer, and in 1880 they were living in Shackelford Co, TX, and in 1912 they were in Roger Mills Co, OK. Only two children are known, probably born in Shackelford Co:
  - a. Julia D. Jackson, born ca 1872
  - b. Newton Jackson, born ca 1877.
- 4. Elizabeth Jackson was born ca 1846. Her first marriage was to G. Riley Carter July 29, 1866 in Palo Pinto Co, TX. He was a farmer and in 1880 they were living in Shackelford Co, TX. They were the parents of seven children. Elizabeth's second marriage was to Franklin M. Green in 1912. It is not known if they had any children. They lived in La Cross, WA. She died Sept. 5, 1921 in Walla Walla, WA and was buried in the Dixie Cemetery. Her children were all born in Texas:
  - a. Mary M. Carter, born ca 1867
  - b. William Carter, born ca 1869
  - c. Eliza Carter, born ca 1871
  - d. George R Carter, born ca 1873
  - e. Amanda Carter, born ca 1875
  - f. David Carter, born ca 1877
  - g. Ruth Carter, born ca 1879
- 5. Sarah Ann Jackson was born in 1849 Navarro Co, TX. She married C. N. Henry July 29, 1866 in Palo Pinto Co, TX. She was married the same day that her sister Elizabeth married Riley Carter in 1912 an affidavit made by her sister Amanda in order to settle her father's estate, stated that Sarah died, and that she was never married.
- William Henry Jackson was born ca 1852 in Navarro Co, TX and died in 1863. He was scalped by Indians. See account.
- 7. Amanda Jackson was born Aug. 27, 1854 in Navarro Co, TX. See account.
- 8. Lucy Jackson was born ca 1856 in Navarro Co, TX. She married John C. Simpson ca 1872. John was born ca 1891 in PA. They were living in Shackelford Co, TX in 1880. Both Lucy and John died around 1912. They had two known children, both born in Texas:
  - a. James Edward Simpson was born in 1879 and married Joanna.
  - b. Eugene Simpson was born ca 1878. He was single in 1912, and living in Umatilla Co, OR.
- Daniel J. Jackson was born on the Clear Fork of the Brazos River near Woodson, TX. His death certificate states:
  - \* He was born Oct. 12, 1859 at Fort Gibson, Shackelford Co, TX,
  - \* He died at his residence in Bessie, OK, on May 18, 1945 at the age of 65 years, 7 months and 6 days.
  - \* He had lived in Oklahoma since 1926.
  - Dr. A. A. Webber was the doctor that signed the death certificate.

The order for the funeral was made by Mrs. Agnes Krouse, his occupation was given as a retired farmer. The funeral Mass was held on May 22, 1945 at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Elk City. The burial was in the Catholic Cemetery Calgary which is next to the Elk City Community owned cemetery known as East Fairlawn.

Daniel married Marie Mussier, born Oct. 3, 1862 in Savannah, MO, the daughter of Adolph

Mussier born in Kentucky, her mother was born in Kansas City, MO. She died Oct. 5, 1839 at age 77 years, and 9 days. They had no children.

- 10. Thomas H. Jackson was born ca 1861 near Woodson, TX. He married Ella R. He was a farmer and lived in Roger Mills Co, in southern Oklahoma. They had four children but their names are unknown.
- 11. James Jackson was born ca 1869. He died unmarried in 1889.

### William Henry Jackson (Tryal, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

William was born ca 1852 in Navarro Co, TX and died in 1863. He was scalped by Indians when he was returning home from a cow lot. The little boy lived for almost a year afterwards, then died. He is buried on the Jackson Ranch on the Clear Fork.

Two articles were found on the scalping of little Henry:

"Interwoven: A Pioneer Chronicle" p. 140, by Sallie Reynolds Matthews 1958, 3rd edition. The first edition was published in 1936.

"There are, however, other incidents that occurred among our friends and neighbors. One of the most atrocious cruelties was the scalping alive of a little twelve year old boy, son of **T. E. Jackson**. The little fellow had walked out a short distance from the house to drive the calves in at the evening milking time. A band of Indians ran onto him, knocking him down with their horses; then one dismounted and quickly tore the scalp from the crown of his head, at which they ran away, doubtless thinking the child dead. The little boy got up, picked up his hat and calf whip, and walked home. His mother, probably paralyzed by fright, heard every cry but was powerless to help. I am persuaded that there were mothers in the country who would have grabbed a weapon of some kind and have gone to the rescue of their children. He lived only a few months more, dying as a result of the wound."

From "The West Texas Frontier", Vol, 2, pp. 86, #426 by Joseph Carroll McConnell, 1939.

"426 Henry Jackson During 1863, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jackson lived about four or five miles southeast of Woodson, and about fifteen miles northwest of Breckenridge. To be sure, neither of those towns were then in existence. Mr. Jackson was away, Mrs. Jackson and her children remained at home. Little Henry, their son, who had been a short distance below the cow lot, was returning toward the house. Henry had a whip in his hand but the pioneers slightly differ concerning his mission. Some reported he had been after the calves, and was driving them home. Others stated he was out playing, and simply had the whip in his hand. Nevertheless, several savages dashed out of the thick timber back of the barn, and after making their steeds knock this innocent little fellow flat on the ground, the red men jumped from their horses, placed their feet on his neck, and hurriedly scalped this frontier boy. Perhaps, he would have been killed, but just at this moment, the savages were frightened away by Mr. Jackson and his cowhands, then returning home.

Poor little Henry, who had been maimed of his scalp, arose from the ground, picked up his whip, and started toward the house. He lived almost a year, but his scalp never healed, and finally became inflamed. Henry was buried by his family and friends near the Jackson ranch.

Note: Before writing this section, the author personally interviewed Joe Schoolcraft and his brother, James Clark, Mrs. Pete Harris, Mrs. Lucy Lindsey, Mrs. J. C. Lynch, John Erwin, Lish Christeson, J. B. Matthews, and others who lived in Stephens and adjoining counties at the time

### Amanda Jackson (Tryal, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Amanda was born Aug. 27, 1854 in Navarro Co, TX. Her first marriage was to Mr. Wallach ca. 1871. Mr. Wallach was born in Prussia. They were the parents of two children. Her second marriage was to William Karney Frans in 1889. William was the son of James M. Frans. To this union four children were born. Mr. Frans was a stockman and they were members of the methodist Church. Amanda died Jan. 17, 1923 in Mangum, OK at the age of 68 years, 4 months and 20 days. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK. Mr. Frans died Nov. 17, 1909 and was also burried in Jester. Amanda's children were:

- Henrietta Wallach was born ca. 1872 in Texas. She married Mr. Harrison, an Oklahoma attorney and they had six children:
  - a. Ona Harrison
  - b. Lou B. Harrison
  - c. V. Ray Harrison
  - d. Bland Harrison, died young
  - e. John Buford Harrison
  - f. L. D. Harrison
- Prince William Wallach was born ca 1878 in Texas. He married Gertie Cowan. He purchased
  his grandfather's farm when his estate was settled in 1912. They had two sons and two daughters:
  - Ona Wallach, married Thompson
  - b. Child Wallach, name unknown
  - c. Child Wallach, name unknown
  - d. Child Wallach, name unknown.
- Charles Frans was the first born child of Amanda and her second husband Mr. Frans. No other information.
- 4. Audie Juanita Frans was born Jan. 1, 1891, in Mobetee, TX. She was a secretary and was never married. She died of cancer May 27, 1941, at the age of 50 years, 4 months, and 26 days at Mangum, OK. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK.
- 5. Susan Nettie Frans was born Aug. 28, 1894, in Jester, Greer Co, TX, (became Oklahoma Territory in 1896). She married Charles Monroe Heatly Apr. 21, 1912. Charles was the son of Robert Henry and Sarah A. Elsbridge Heatly of Magnum, OK. Susan died of a heart attack Sept. 23, 1958, at the age of 64 years and 15 days, at Magnum, OK. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK. They had two children:
  - a. Elmo Joe Heatly was born Apr. 5, 1914 near Jester. He was a farmer and a Baptist. He married Daisy Mae Post Sept. 24, 1932. Daisy was the daughter of Ida B. Burnett Post and Ira Y. K. Post of Magnum. They had two children:
    - Charles K. Heatly was born Mar. 14, 1934. He married Marcia Sheneesta Baker Apr. 22, 1955. He was a teacher and basketball coach.
    - 2) Patty Jo Heatly was born Feb. 2, 1929. She married Merlin Lee Nippert Jan. 18, 1957. They have five children: Randy Lynn, Leesa Susan, Jane Michelle, Lori Ann, and Jeffrey Charles Nippert.
  - b. Mary Margaret Heatly was born Sept. 8, 1917 in Jester, Greer Co, OK6. Josephine Ella Frans was born Nov. 9, 1896 in Greer, Co, OK. She married Robert

Ruben Overton Mar. 6, 1918 at her home in Magnum, OK. Robert was the son of Nancy Isabelle (Montgomery) and Adolphus Overton. They had four children:

- a. Juanita Sue Overton was born Jan. 1, 1919 in Magnum, Greer Co, OK. She married Leslie Thompson Sept. 23, 1943. Leslie was the son of Oma Lassiter and Joseph Thompson at the Methodist Church in Magnum, OK. He was a retired Lt. Cdr. from submarine service of the US. Navy. They were the parents of two children:
  - 1) Leslie Sue Thompson, born Nov. 10, 1945
  - Katherine Jo Thompson was born June 1, 1947. She married Paul Butterworth Aug. 28, 1977 in Garden Grove, CA.
- b. Child, boy, born June 15, 1920, lived only a few hours.
- c. Katherine Isabelle Overton was born Feb. 13, 1922. She married Gordon F. Gilbert Mar. 23, 1948. Gordon was the son of Gus Guy and Elise French Gilbert. They have two children.
  - 1) Patricia Kay Gilbert, born Oct. 10, 1951, in Oil City, PA.
  - Gail Frances Gilbert was born Feb. 10, 1956. She married David Paul Franc Apr. 15, 1978, son of Mae and Andrew J. Franc of Pittsburgh, PA.
- d. Robert Lee Overton was born June 16, 1926, in Greer Co, Ok. He married LaVita Jean Norman Feb. 27, 1949. They had two children:
  - 1) Jeanann Overton, born Aug. 21, 1946, Married Joe Camp
  - 2) Terry Lee Overton, born July 27, 1952, Married Lora Papi, of San Antonio, TX.

Mr. John Allen Rider, Johnson City, TN has researched the family of Jehu and Lucy Wright

Jackson for several years. He is a descendant of Matilda Jackson, daughter of Jehu and Lucy. I would like to thank Mr. Rider for sharing with me the information that he had compiled on this family.

Mrs. Pat Kunkel, Springfield, MO, furnished the information on the family of John Jackson, son of Jehu and Lucy.

### Matilda Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Matilda was born Aug. 31, 1823, in Iowa, died Sept. 23, 1882, in

Dayton, Cass Co, MO and is buried in the Dayton Cemetery in Dayton. She married James B. Rider Mar. 23, 1845. They were the parents of six children:

- 1. William Jehu Rider was born in 1847. The names of his wife and children are unknown except for one son:
  - a. **James Strauther Rider**, the only information on him that he was married and had seven children, but only three are known, all lived in Uvalde, TX:
    - 1) Bess Rider married Mr. Hancock
    - 2) Buford Rider
    - 3) Bertha Rider married Mr. Swift
- 2. Lucy Ann Rider was born in 1848 and died in infancy.
- 3. Sarah Louise Rider was born in 1853 and died in infancy.
- 4. Rebecca Catherine Rider was born in 1855. She married G. W. Furs. They were the parents of five known children:
  - a. Child, a son, died in infancy
  - b. Rider, a son lived near Shattuck, OK.
  - c. Dwight Furae lived in Miami, FL.
  - d. Josephine Furae married Mr. Davis and lived in Honnewald, TN.
  - e. Vera Furae married Peery of Barker, TX.
- 5. Elizabeth Jane Rider was born in 1857. She married Roland Gooch and was his second wife. His first wife was Sarah Rider the daughter of Matilda and James Rider, and would have been her cousin. Elizabeth and Ronald had seven children, but the names of only three are known:
  - a. Gertie Gooch, of Eugene, OR
  - b. James Gooch, of Caldwell, ID
  - c. Maud Gooch, of Venita, OR
- 6. John Allen Rider was born 1860. He married Luvenia Bellairs of Cherryvale, KS. They were the parents of five children, but the names of only two are known.
  - a. George Rider of Gage, OK, the father of Mr. John Allen Rider.
  - b. Grace Rider married Ashpaugh, of Waynoka, OK.

# Allen Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Allen was born Oct. 16, 1825 in the White River Township, Randolph Co, IN, the son of Jehu and Lucy Wright Jackson. He went with his parents when they removed to Van Buren Co, MO, later Cass Co. He married Miss Tabatha McCraw on Jan. 28, 1842 in Cass Co, when he was 26 years old. They were married by Reuben E. Saunders, a Minister. James C. Jackson was a witness to the ceremony.

It is not known at this time if **Tabitha Jackson** died or if she and Allen were divorced, or if they had any children. It is known that he married Miss Charity Owsly on Jan. 26, 1851 in Cass Co. They were married by her father William Owsly, a Minister, and a brother to Rev. Anthony Owsly who married Mahalia Jackson, Allen's sister. Charity was born Dec. 5, 1827 and died May 24, 1876. Allen died Dec. 16, 1910 in Hallister, Taney Co, MO. They were the parents of nine known children:

- 1. Lucy Evaline Jackson was born Aug. 11, 1854 and died Aug. 20 1921.
- 2. Lucinda Margaret Jackson was born Feb. 14, 1857 and died in 1943 at the age of 86. She married Witliff Rider. The names of their children are unknoun.
- 3. Sarah Jane Jackson was born Feb. 14, 1857, a twin to Lucinda, and died Sept. 4, 188?. She married Roland Gooch.

After her death, Roland married Elizabeth Jane Rider the daughter of Matilda Jackson and

- James B. Rider. Sarah and Elizabeth were first cousins. The names of their children are unknoun, though they may have had sons named of Ches and Dean Gooch.
- 4. William Wright Jackson was born Nov. 4, 1859 and died Nov. 24, 1931 at the age of 72.
- 5. Unresstine (Ernestinel?) Jackson born Feb. 1, 1860 in Cass Co, MO and died Mar. 22, 1934. She married Elliott V. Pleake. See account.
- 6. Francina Jackson was born Mar. 17, 1864, and died Mar. 14, 1920.
- 7. Infant Jackson, born Jan 25, 1867 and died at five months.
- 8. Lairna Ann Jackson was born Jan. 25, 1867 and died Mar. 15, 1867.
- 9. Elmer Dean Jackson was born June 20, 1869 and died June 22, 1921. He was a farmer, merchant, and stockman. He married Ophra Hall (date unknown). After Elmer died, Ophra married Gus Callen and lived in Green Forest, AR. They were the parents of one known child:
  - a. Dean Hall Jackson See account.

Information on the family of Allen Jackson was obtained from Mrs. Pat Kunkle of Springfield MO, his great granddaughter.

### Urnestine Jackson (Allen, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Urnestine was born Feb. 1, 1862 in Cass Co, MO, the daughter of Allen Jackson and Charity Owsly. She married Elliott Van Ranckler Pleake Aug. 21, 1892 in Kirbyville, Taney Co, MO. Elliott was born Apr. 15, 1862, died Jan. 31, 1933, and was buried near Salina, OK. Urnestine died in Taney Co, on Mar. 22, 1934 at the age of 72 years, 1 month and 21 days. She is buried Gobblers Knob Cemetery. The name Pleake was a German name and the original name was Pleakenstolver. Urnestine and Elliott were the parents of six children:

- 1. Allen E. Pleake was born Oct. 31, 1893 and married Dinnie Savage. She died Mar. 24, 1973 and Allen died Dec. 22, 1981. They had two children:
  - a. Allen E. Pleake Jr., died Sept. 6, 1932
  - b. Ruth Pleake was born Feb. 4, 1921 and died Nov. 3, 1985.
- Verner C. Pleake was born Jan. 13, 1895 in Hollister MO. He married Ethel Mae Savage Dec. 28, 1919. He died Mar. 19, 1969 in Branson, MO and was buried in Ozark Memorial Cemetery. Ethel was a sister of Dinnie Savage who married Verner's brother Allen F. Pleake They had four children:
  - a. Clarence Pleake was born Oct. 29, 1920 and married Virginia Nevin in 1940. They had two children: Larry and Linda Pleake.
  - b. Virginia Mae Pleake was born June 11, 1922 and married Harry V. Gabriel Apr. 9, 1945. They had three children, but only one is named here:
    - 1) Patricia Gabriel was born Aug. 31, 1946 and married Kunkle Feb. 28, 1975 in Green Co, Springfield Mo.
  - c. Clifford Clifton Pleake was born Oct. 3, 1923. He was married three times but the names of his wives and children are unknown.
  - d. Kenneth Ford Pleake was born Dec. 17, 1924, married a Korean named Yang Jan. 21, 1957. They had one son.
- 3. Gold F. Pleake was born Jan. 2, 1897 and married Sullenger. She died Apr. 2, 1980 in Sacramento, CA. They had no children.
- 4. Chesley L. Pleake was born Oct. 30, 1899. His first marriage was to Wretha Gloyd but she died Mar. 17, 1942. They had two children names unknown. Chesley's second marriage was to Cholora, and they had a daughter:
  - Lanna Jean Pleake died in her early twenties.
- 5. Edward A. Pleake was born Mar. 9, 1902 and married Laura Daniels.
- 6. Ernest Pleake was born May 21, 1904 and died Oct. 14, 1941. He married Davis George and they had three sons.
- Lester Van Ranckler Pleake was born Jan. 22, 1906, died Aug. 2, 1953, and was buried in Sacramento, CA. He and his wife Velda Jackson Pleake were divorced, they had no children.
- 8. Joseph Stewban Pleake was born Feb. 4, 1864 and married Mary Haggard. Mary was born Jan. 17, 1875 and died Apr. 12, 1951. Joseph died Oct. 28, 1934 and was buried in Gobbler's Knob Cemetery. They were the parents of five children.

# Virginia Mac Pleake (Urnestine, Allen, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Virginia was born June 11, 1922 in Hollister, MO, the daughter of Verner C. Pleak, and the grand daughter of Elliott and Ernestine Pleake. She married Harry Vincent Gabriel Apr. 9, 1945 in Harrison, AR. Harry was born July 19, 1918 in Springfield, MO, the son of Haralamus George and Mary Agnes (Newton) Gavreleo. They must have "Americanized" the name. Haralamus was born in Ageargetica Greece. They were the parents of three children:

- Patricia Ann Gabriel was born Aug. 31, 1946, in Springfield, MO. She married Edward
  Jacob Kunkel in Springfield Feb. 28, 1975. Edward was born June 23, 1945 in Verona, MO,
  the son of Albert Adrian Kunkel and Juliana Balbana Oldelehr. They have one daughter:
  - a. Julie Dawn Kunkel, born Dec. 23, 1977 in Springfield, MO. Pat furnished all the information on the family of Allen Jackson.
- Mary Agnes Gabriel was born Dec. 6, 1949 in .Springfield, MO and married Terry Leon Pearman July 11, 1970.
- 3. Harry Vincent Gabriel Jr. was born Feb. 1, 1958 in Springfield, MO and married Susan Denise Harp Aug. 29, 1981.

### Dean Hall Jackson (Elmer, Allen, Jehu, Samuel)

Dean was born in 1910 in Hollister, MO, the son of Elmer Dean Jackson, and Orpha (Hall) Jackson. Dean wrote many interesting stories about early life in and around "The Old Ox Trail" which were published in the "White River Leader", in Branson, MO. One was the story of "Murder Rocks" and another was the story of "Alf Balden" who became one of the most notorious bushwhackers in that part of the country.

From his own Biographical Sketch which also appeared in the White River Leader, in Branson, MO. He was nine years old when his parents moved from Hollster to Pine Hall in 1919. He attended school at Hollister and Hickory grade school, and graduated from the School of Ozarks in 1930. He was ordained a minister in the White River Association of General Baptist in 1931. He taught school at Mincy, in 1930, 1931, 1934, and 1935, and at Kirbyville in 1932.

He was a bachelor in 1936. He worked as a cook and called himself a "would be poet". He was president of the young Republican Club, and Republican Committeeman in Oliver Township. He was living with his mother and had a brother that was nine years his senior named "Willie".

# Delilah Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

**Delilah** was born Mar. 23, 1833 in White River, Randolph Co, IN, died Feb. 6, 1908 in Severy, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. She married **Hugh Woods** Jan. 26, 1853 in Cass Co, IN. They were the parents of four sons:

- John Woods The only information known on John that he was married and had three children and only one lived:
  - a. Louisa Jane Woods, married a Mr. Jones and had a son Leonard M. Jones who lived in Wichita, KS.
- 2. Robert Woods, was married twice. His first wife's name and the names of their three children are unknown. He and his second wife had eight children, but only the names of five are known:
  - a. James Byrd Woods, lived in Fresno, CA
  - b. Pate Woods lived Ft. Worth, TX
  - c. Brice Woods lived Paradise, CA
  - d. Mary Woods, married Welsh, lived in Electra, TX
  - e. Silas Woods lived in Skellytown, TX.
- William Woods was a Baptist Minister. He was married and had nine children, the name of his wife is unknown.
  - a. Cora Woods, married White and lived Garnet, KS
  - b. Delilah Woods, married Miller and lived Shamrock, OK
  - c. James H. Woods, lived in Bronson, MI
  - d. Odessa Woods married Robinson and lived Shawnee, OK
  - e. Hugh Woods lived in Goshen, IN
  - f. John Woods lived in Wichita, KS

- g. Frances Woods married Johnson lived West Plains, MO.
- 4. James Woods was married and had thirteen children, but only the names of seven are known.
  - a. William Robert Woods lived Grenila, KS
  - b. Sadie Woods Married Hinecker of WA
  - c. Delilah Woods married Ballin, of Cambridge, KS
  - d. Harold Woods of Burdett, KS
  - e. Cary Woods married "Frost" lived Eldorado, KS
  - f. Charles Woods lived Elk Falls, KS
  - g. Wilma Woods lived Wichita, KS

# James Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

James was born Mar. 1, 1785 near Westfield, in Stokes Co, NC, the second son of Revolutionary War soldier Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson. He moved from Stokes Co, to Ohio when he was around thirty-one years old. He married Miss Elizabeth Hooker Oct. 6, 1816, near Dayton, OH. She was born in 1797 in SC. The name of her parents are unknown.

After their marriage, they moved into Delaware Co, IN and in Jan. of 1837 they arrived in Wells Co, IN, locating near Liberty Township, and becoming the first white settlers of Liberty Township. Here in the wilderness, he entered a half section of land, built a log cabin, and undertook all the work and the experiences which were part of pioneer life in this county. Here they remained the rest of their lives, where there nine children were born, six sons and three daughters. James died in Wells Co, Dec 8, 1853. Elizabeth died in 1865.

James may have been married in Stokes Co, before he made the move to Ohio. There is a marriage recorded in Stokes Co for a James Jackson and Rosy Hargrove, on Jan. 1, 1810, the bondsman was a Thomas Bennett. This same Thomas Bennett was the marriage bondsman for Jame's brother Isaac when he married Nancy Sizemore in 1808. The 1810 Census of Stokes Co. shows a young female age 0-10 in his household, and the 1820 Census of Randolph Co shows a young female in his household. Researchers of the family say that James and Elizabeth's eldest child was Hiram. There is a possibility that this is the same James that married Rosy Hargrove and had a daughter, and she may have died before he moved to Ohio. If it is the same James, he was 25 years old when he married Rosy, and 31 when he married Elizabeth Hooker.

James served in the War of 1812, and was taken prisoner at the time of Hull's surrender at Detroit. The ten children of James and Elizabeth were:

- 1. Hiram Jackson See account
- 2. John Jackson See account
- 3. Susannah Jackson See account
- 4. Levi Jackson was born ca 1824 in Wells Co, IN, died ca 1895-1896. He grew up in Wells Co, IN, and married Lucy Ann Fairchild Dunn Jan. 15, 1854. Lucy was born in 1825 in Ohio. In 1895 Levi and Lucy moved from Clay Co, NB, where they had lived, to Rooks Co, KS, with two of their sons, Richard Samuel and his family, Frank Jackson, two of his daughters, Mary Hannah Annon, and Eva Jackson Rardin. It is not know just how long they remained Kansas. Researchers say that they are buried at Spring Ranch, Clay Co, NB. Levi died Oct. 20, 1899, and Lucy Ann died Sept. 30, 1897. Lucy was a widow with two children before marrying Levi:
  - a. Sheppard F. Dunn born in 1849
  - b. Sylvester N. Dunn born in 1850.

Levi and Lucy were the parents of six children:

- c. James Edward Jackson was born Sept. 15, 1854. See account.
- d. Amelia "Eva" Evelyn Jackson was born 1857. See account.
- e. Mary Hannah Jackson was born May 3, 1859. See account.
- f. George L. Jackson was born in 1863. See account.
- g. Richard Samuel Jackson was born Jan. 29, 1866. See account.
- h. Benjamin Franklin Jackson was born ca 1868. There is very little information available on Benjamin. He was with his parents and brothers and sisters when they left Clay Co, NB and moved to Rooks Co, KS. The names of his wife and children are not known. They lived in

- Wall who was the sheriff of Stokes Co. They had two children, Keith and Dianne Carol Johnson.
- d. Bernice Leon Johnson was born Mar. 22, 1905 and married Margaret Newsom. They had five children: Peggy Louise, Hoyt Leon, Benny Ray, Judy La Trelle, and Joseph Lucian.
- e. Norris Pauline Johnson was born Sept. 29, 1907. She married Ralph Tedder and they were the parents of eight children: Nelma, Lois, Richard, Harold, Norris, Gayle, Brenda, and Barry Johnson.
- f. Iris Estell Johnson was born Aug. 4, 1910 and married James Underwood Nov. 23, 1951.
- g. Jessie Oleita Johnson was born June 30, 1913 and married Joe E. Stone Dec. 12, 1936. Joe was the son of Joe and Lennis Pulliam Stone.
- h. Evelyn Oberia Johnson was born Mar. 22, 1915 and married Francis Ludwig Reudelhuber. They had one son: David Reudelhuber.
- i. Rachel Lee Johnson was born May 27, 1920 and married Homer O'Neal wood They had three children: Christopher O'Neal, Jeffrey Lee, and Samuel Tip Johnson.
- Mary Frances Johnson was born June 27, 1925 and married Clay Vance. They had two sons: Philip Clay and Douglas Lowell Vance.
- 4. General Elmer Johnson was born Apr. 25, 1876. Elmer never married. In his father's will, he was to have the home place as long as he lived, and then it was to revert back to the other children.
- 5. Zephra Oliver Johnson was born Nov. 25, 1878 in Stokes Co, NC, where he lived his entire life. He married Minnie Lee Meadows June 23, 1901. Minnie was the daughter of William G. and Mary Jane Boles Meadows. Zephara was a farmer. He died suddenly at the age of 66 on Dec. 14, 1944 while preparing to kill his hogs. Minnie died May 21, 1977 at the age of 94 after a long illness. They were the parents of seven children:
  - a. Dowell Johnson, married Grace Ramsey
  - b. Denson Johnson, married Thelma Johnson
  - c. Carlis Johnson, married Trudie Baker
  - d. Maxie Johnson, married Homer Ferguson
  - e. Moir Johnson's first marriage was to Elizabeth Carroll, and his second to Joan Batts.
  - f. Cleo Johnson's first marriage was to Bradford Nancy and her second to Elmore Redding
  - g. Clyde Johnson took care of his mother until she died in 1977, and still lives on the home place.
- 6. Bessie (or Jessie?) Lenora Johnson was born July 9, 1880 and married Dr. Ben T. Bitting.
- 7. Samuel Early Johnson was born Nov. 17, 1882 and married Maggie A. Moore.
- 8. Charles Cicero Johnson born Jan. 31, 1887, married Sallie Beatrice Webster,

# Jacob Sidney Jackson (William, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob Sidney Jackson born Feb. 2, 1847 in Stokes Co, NC. He lived all of his life in the Pilot Mountain area of Stokes Co. His first marriage was to Letitia Tucker Aug. 7, 1870. Letitia was the daughter of Benjamin C. and Elizabeth Hill Tucker. His second marriage was to Nancy Todd on Dec. 18, 1899. Nancy was born in Virginia. He had nine children by his first wife and two daughters by the second.

Sidney died Feb. 13, 1908 in Pilot Mt. He wrote his will on Feb. 7, 1908. He willed his two sons, William Guy, and David Andrew Jackson two hundred dollars each for there kindness in waiting and caring for him in his last days. His children were all born in Surry Co, NC, their names were:

- 1. Lillian Johnson, born in 1871, died after 1908 in St. Louis, MO.
- 2. Celie Etta Jackson was born July 9, 1873. She died Jan. 12, 1948 in Indianapolis, IN and was buried Crown Hill Cemetery, in Indiana. She was married three times; first to Richard Whittle, second to Mr. Bennett, and third to Joseph Edward Lineberry. Joseph Lineberry was born May 23, 1873 and died Aug. 13, 1955. The two children by her second marriage to Bennett were:
  - a. Vivion Bennett was born Sept. 9, 1897 and died Dec. 18, 1973. She married Fred Abernathy. Fred was born ca 1916 and died Oct. 16, 1961. They had no children.
  - b. Amos Bennett was born Aug. 8, 1899 and died Oct. 3, 1974. He was never married.
- William Guy Jackson, born Apr. 20, 1875, died in El Paso, TX. He married Nancy Pernina Jane Barnard. Nancy was born Apr. 24, 1887 in Patrick Co, VA and died May 14, 1964 in El Paso, TX. She was the daughter of James William Barnard and Susan Ruth Wood. They were

the parents of eight children:

- a. Lealyer V. Jackson, born Sept. 2, 1902, married Gerald Wells.
- b. Virgie C. Jackson, born Nov. 13, 1905, married Joseph T. Gunter
- c. Frederick W. Jackson, born July 15, 1909, married Helen Bolander
- d. Inez Nina Jackson, born July 7, 1915, married Robert Schwear
- e. James Sidney Jackson, born June 1, 1919, married Beverly Martin
- f. William Guy Jackson, born Nov. 3, 1921, married Betty Whitman
- g. Helen Jackson, born Nov. 12, 1923, married Jack Chauvet
- h. Joan Jackson, born June 10, 1932, married Richard Tanner
- 4. Lucy Ada Jackson, born in 1878, married Millard Ashburn.
- 5. Sidney Benjamin Jackson was born Dec. 1882. He married Edith May Bowlby June 25, 1913 in Warren Co, IL. Edith was the daughter of John Balby. Sidney was a Jukebox dealer and was known as the "Jukebox King" in Illinois. They had three children, all were born in Warren Co. IL: Eunice, Eugene, and Lloyd B. Jackson.
- Rachel Jackson, born Apr. 1884, married Elmer Beck. She was a registered nurse. They had no children.
- 7. Joseph Sidney Jackson, born Sept. 2, 1890, died Aug. 24, 1970 married Lucy May McCorkhill, born Oct. 16, 1890 near Jerome in Howard Co, IN. He died Oct. 3, 1979 in Indianapolis. She was the daughter of James Lawrence McCorkhill and Mary Elizabeth Flick, they were the parents of four children:
  - a. Joseph Seborn Jackson Jr. was born June 3, 1913 and married Iona Rose Boyer Aug.
     21, 1936 in Beech Grove, IN. Iona was born Feb. 28, 1917, the daughter of James Otto Boyer and Rita May Conway. Joseph and Iona were the parents of three children:
    - 1) Jerry Lee Jackson, married Lanone Burton
    - 2) James Earl Jackson, married Carol Judith Shrum
    - 3) Karen Darlene Jackson, married Dana Lee Forslund
  - b. Ralph Jackson was born June 29, 1915 and died Dec. 26, 1915
  - c. Claude Webster Jackson was born Mar. 25, 1917 and died Oct. 1919. He married Alta Lee Freeman Aug. 22, 1944. Alta was born Dec. 24, 1918 in Troy, NC, the daughter of Robert Lee Freeman and Jeanie Edna Blake. They were the parents of two children:
    - 1) Jeanie Lucille Jackson
    - 2) Robert Andrew Jackson.
- 8. Rhilla Effie Jackson was born Jan. 14, 1883-5. She died Nov. 2, 1977, and buried in Pamona, CA Cemetery. Her first marriage was to Herbert L. Hank Dec. 22, 1915. Herbert was born Nov. 3, 1884 and died Feb. 1916. Rhilla's marriage second marriage was to Charles Bruna Johnson. Charles was born Aug. 27, 1885 in De Kalb, IL and died Nov. 24, 1952 in Indianapolis, IN, the son of Albin John Johnson and Bernadina Anderson. They had one daughter:
  - a. Vivion Louise Johnson was born Sept. 10, 1923 in Indianapolis, IN. She married Richard Nathan Speir Nov. 3, 1951. Richard was born July 26, 1918 in Madison Co, IN, the son of Nathan Speir and Margarita Rose Alpern. They live in Pamona, CA with their two children:
    - 1) Richard Nathan Speir Jr. was born Dec. 18, 1952 in Indianapolis, IN. He married Vicki C, Sturdivant June 30, 1979, they had two children when last contacted:
      - a) Brian David Speir
      - b) Kristin Alicia Speir,
    - 2) David Alan Speir, born June 7, 1955.
- David Andrew Jackson was born Aug. 1888 and died Sept. 17, 1962, in Gary, IN. He married Anna Morgan, she died June 26, 1966. Both are buried in the Calumet Park Cemetery, in Gary, IN.
- Mallie Lee Jackson, daughter of Jacob Sidney by his second wife Melvina Todd, born July 1, 1904 in Surry Co, NC. She married Sept., 27, 1938, Irving Raleigh Smith. They lived in Melbourne, FL and had no children.

### Armstead Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Armstead was born in 1805 in Stokes Co, NC. He grew up in the Westfield community and he left Stokes Co, as a young man, and moved to Hendricks Co, IN. He married **Phoebe Pope** in Hendricks

Co, May 10, 1829. Phoebe was born Sept. 26, 1808 in KY. The name of her parents are unknown.

They lived in Morgan Co, IN where their first three children were born. He moved to Hendricks Co around 1836-37, where he died Sept. 1, 1869. **Phoebe** died Dec. 25, 1860 in Hendricks Co. Information on **Armstead** was taken from census records of Hendricks, and Morgan Counties. They were the parents of eight known children:

- 1. Allen Jackson, born Feb. 30, 1830 in Mooresville, Morgan Co, IN. He married Sept. 9, 1856, to Sarah Jane Biddle, born Jan. 12, 1840. Allen and Jane were living in Guilford Township, Hendricks Co, in 1900. He was age 70, with wife Jane, and their son Elmer age 35, and his wife living in their household. They were the parents of four children:
  - a. Horace F. Jackson, born Aug. 20, 1857
  - b. John N. Jackson, born Sept. 17, 1859
  - c. Elmer H. Jackson, born Apr. 21, 1864, married Elizabeth born Dec. 1877 in Indiana, her parents were also born in Indiana. They lived with his father and mother in Hendricks Co.
  - d. Herbert A. Jackson born Feb. 7, 1873, died Jan. 25, 1870.
- 2. Hardin Jackson, born Apr. 10, 1832 in Morgan Co. He married twice but the name of his first wife is not known. His second marriage was to Martha Ferguson Oct. 29, 1865. The 1900 census of Liberty Township, Hendricks Co, IN gives his age as 68 years, wife Martha 58 years, born IN, and shows they were the parents of four children, with two of the children living. (The census did not give the names of the children.)
  - a. Mary Jackson, born Apr. 1882 in Indiana.
- 3. Hamilton Jackson, born in Aug. 1834, in Morgan Co, IN. The name of his first wife is unknown. The 1900 census of Hendricks Co, gives his second wife's name as Henrietta, age 49, born in July 1850, that they had been married for 18 years, and no children. Living between Hamilton and his brother Hicklin Jackson was a Ralph H. Jackson age 26, born Oct. 1873 with wife Orlanne (Green) age 26, born IN, and living with them was her mother Belle M. Green age 52. This Ralph may be a son of Hamilton by his first marriage.
- 4. William Jackson, born in 1838, Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.
- Nancy Jane Jackson, born in 1840, Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.
- 6. John Jackson was born Apr. 12, 1843, in Clayton, Hendricks Co, IN. He married CamillaAmelia Hamlet, Feb. 28, 1869. They were living in Liberty Township in 1900, he was 57 years old, a farmer, married for 32 years, and the parents of two children, one child living. The names of the two children are unknown. Amelia was born Nov. 1844 in Indiana, as were her parents.
  - a. Frank C. Jackson born Aug. 20,1872.
- 7. Hicklin Jackson was born Sept. 1846, in Hendricks Co, IN. He married Susie. Susie was born Aug 1848, in KY. Her parents were also born in KY. Hicklin and Susie had been married for 34 years, and had three children, two of them were living. His occupation was given as a "Liveryman".
  - a. Edwin C. Jackson, born Dec. 1879, (He was a Stableman)
  - b. Hattie May Jackson born Jan. 1886.
- 8. Louisa Ann Jackson, born in 1848 in Hendricks Co, IN. No further information.

There was a very close connection between Armstead and his ister Louisa. They were about two years apart in age, and after their mother died, Eliza and Armstead both left Stokes Co and moved to Morgan Co, IN where Eliza married Allen Hicklin. Notice that Armstead named a son Allen, another son Hicklin, a daughter Louisa, and a son William for his father.

#### Eliza Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Eliza was born in Stokes Co, NC ca 1807. The year that she moved from Stokes Co, NC to Morgan Co, IN is not known. She may have gone the same time her brother Armstead made the move. They probably left after the death of their mother, and went with some of the other relatives that were moving to Ohio and Indiana.

Eliza married Allen Hicklin in Morgan Co, June 23, 1835. Allen was born in 1803 in Kentucky and his parents are unknown. The only information found on Eliza was on the 1850 and 1860 census records of Morgan Co, IN. The census records are so dim that they were very difficult to read. No

children were listed for them on either census, however there were several children living in their household.

The 1850 census shows a Sarah Jackson, age 19, Polly Jackson age 17 or 27, and Allen Jackson age 20, living with them. Allen may have been the son of her brother Armstead. There were also two younger children listed, John age 13, and Lucy age 6. Their last name could not be made out (looked like Pukapile). These two children may have been Allen and Eliza's grandchildren.

The 1860 shows they were still living in their household, showing that Eliza and Allen had reared them.

### Lockey Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Lockey was born ca 1809 in Stokes Co, NC, the daughter of Amer and Violette Forkner Jackson. She married Aaron Burr Tilley Aug. 29, 1829, in Stokes Co. They lived in Stokes Co. The year that Lockey died is not known.

Aaron Tilley was born June 2, 1805 in Stokes Co, where he died Nov. 8, 1880. Aaron was the son of Joel and Eliza Harris Tilley. Joel Tilley was born in 1775, the son of Edmund Tilley, a farmer. He owned 1,100 acres of land in Stokes Co, and died there in 1847.

Aaron and Lockey were the parents of eleven children, but only five were living when Aaron's will was probated in 1880.

- 1. Joel A. J. Tilley, born Feb. 28, 1831. See account...
- 2. William M. Tilley, born in 1833, See account...
- 3. John H. Tilley, born May 20, 1835. See account...
- Lucy E. Tilley was born in Apr. 8 1837 in Stokes Co, NC. She married Albert R. King Dec. 2, 1851.
- 5. Amer Jackson Tilley, born July 7, 1839. See account...
- 6. Susan L. Tilley, born 1841, married Apr. 27, 1854 Frederick F. Hill.
- 7. Buck Tilley, born 1845 (No information)
- 8. James R. Tilley, born 1848, married Charlotte Simmons Sept. 8, 1865.
- 9. Sarah M. Tilley, born 1850. (No information on Sarah)
- Aaron Tilley Jr. was born 1851 and married Delily Manuel Sept. 20, 1860. He served in the Confederate Army during the Civil War.
- 11. Powell H. Tilley was born in 1859 and served in the Civil War. No other information.

#### Joel A. J. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Joel was born Feb. 28, 1831 in Stokes Co, NC. He married Martha Simmons Feb. 24, 1853. Martha was born in 1832. After Martha's death Joel married Lettitia Simmons Oct. 19, 1862. Lettitia was Martha's sister. Lettitia died in 1919. Joel and Martha had two sons:

- 1. Reid Tilley
- 2. William A. Tilley. See account.

Joel and Lettitia had one daughter:

3. Laura Tilley married Jackson.

### William Aaron Tilley (Joel Tilley, Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

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William was born Oct. 22, 1855 in Stokes Co, NC, the son of Joel and Martha Simmons and died June 29, 1931 in Stokes Co. He married Sarah Frances Jessup. Sarah was born Sept. 21, 1854, and died Dec. 24, 1932. They were the parents of thirteen children:

- Laura Ellen Tilley was born Sept. 11, 1877 and died in Aug. 1953. She married Fletcher Hall.
  They had eight children: Lola, Clifford, Nonnie, Marshall, Houston, Sarah, Albert, and
  Rachel Hall.
- 2. Mary Bettie Tilley was born Jan. 26, 1879, and died July 1852. She married Reid Hall, a brother of Fletcher. They had six children Ruby, Carlyle, Carol, Geneva, Mary, and L. T. Hall.

- 3. Joel William Tilley was born June 3, 1880 and died Sept. 1948, never married.
- 4. Lockey B. Tilley was born July 22, 1882. She married A. C. Hill. They did not have any children of their own, but adopted a daughter Elizabeth.
- 5. Martha Phoebe Tilley was born Feb. 2, 1884 and married Elijah Simmons. They had two children: Martha Sue, and J. E. Simmons.
- 6. Roxie Ann Tilley was born Apr. 1, 1885 and died Dec. 12, 1975. She married Lindo Pell. They had five children: Frances, Weldon, Paul, Joe Bill, and Carl Ray Pell.
- Samuel Jacob Tilley was born Mar. 18, 1887 and died July 27, 1940. He married Nina Hunter.
  They had one son: Aaron Tilley who married Ellen Pepper, and they had one son: William
  Tilley
- 8. Andrew Jackson Tilley was born Sept. 18, 1888 and married Mallie Payne.
- 9. Elam Powell Tilley was born May 31, 1890 and died June 1891.
- 10. Minnie Alice Tilley was born Sept. 20, 1891 and died July 16, 1977. She married Oscar McDaniels. They had one daughter:
  - a. Ruth McDaniels married Max Allen.
- 11. Rufus Edgar Tilley was born July 26, 1893. He married Mary Sawyer and had two children: J. W. Tilley and Ed Tilley.
- 12. Marshall Martin Tilley was born July 15, 1895 and married Dora. They had two children: Betty and Matt Tilley.
- Irona Florence Tilley was born Sept. 22, 1898. She married Arthur G. Smith and had no children.

Information on the William A. Tilley family was taken from the "Stokes County Heritage".

### William M. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

William was born in 1833 in Stokes Co, NC, the second son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley. He married Mary Ann Simmons Sept. 28, 1854. William enlisted in the Civil War, was shot at Gettysburg, and died Aug. 31, 1862 in a Hospital near Lovington, VA. Mary Ann raised her five children and survived William by 54 years. She lived with her son John E. Tilley in her later years. William Mary Ann were the parents of five Children:

- 1. Martha Tilley was born ca 1855. No information.
- 2. Cornelius Tilley was born in 1857 and married Nancy Lawson, the daughter of John and Sarah Shelton Lawson. Her first marriage was to John Frye.
- 3. John E. Tilley was born in 1861 and married Joanna Harriet Nunn. He was a farmer and the Post Master in Tulip, NC. The Post Office was kept in his home. They had nine children:
  - a. William Samuel Tilley married Roxie Slawter.
  - b. Joseph Thomas Tilley born in 1885 married Ila Smith in 1907. Ila was from the Rock House community. He attended school at Flint Knoll, and while still a youngster drove oxen at a local sawmill. Later in life he was an appraiser with the Federal Land Bank, and was treasurer of the Pinnacle Schools for some time. His children remember his ease at grafting trees and rooting shrubs. Joseph and Ila were the parents of ten children.
  - c. Minnie Lee Tilley, married Edd Smith
  - d. Robert Sandy Tilley's first marriage was to Verie King, and the second was to Beatrice Harrison.
  - e. Jessie Taylor Tilley married Myrtle Nunn
  - f. Fannie Elizabeth Tilley married Roy Nelson
  - g. Hester Ann Tilley married J. T. Cox
  - h. Mazie Ethel Tilley married Ernest Boles
  - i. Child died shortly after birth.
- 4. Ephraim Tilley no information.
- 5. Jane Tilley no information.

# John H. Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

John was born May, 20, 1835 in Stokes Co, NC, the third son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson)
Tilley. He married Mary Jane Martin Feb. 7, 1856 in Stokes Co, NC. Mary Jane was born Dec. 8,
1838 in Patrick Co, VA, the daughter of Joseph G. Martin and Martha S. Gray. John died in Stokes
Co, in 1888, Mary Jane died Feb. 21, 1918 in Stokes Co.

Their known children from census records were:

- 1. John M. Tilley was born 1859 and married Eliza.
- Adocia Tilley was born 1860 and died in 1944 in VA. She married Leander Nelson who was born Dec. 9 1859.
- 3. Oscar Tilley, born 1865 in VA.
- 4. William A. Tilley was born in 1867 in North Carolina.
- 5. Flora A. Tilley, was born in 1868 and married N. H. Nelson.
- 6. Joseph L. Tilley, born in 1869 North Carolina.
- 7. Everett Tilley, born in 1871.
- 8. Aaron Tilley, born 1873
- 9. Lenora S. Tilley born in 1874 and died June 17, 1951. She married McHone.
- 10. Mary Ann Tilley was born July 6, 1876 in Francisco, NC, and died Nov. 14, 1951. She married Robert McKinley Fagg Jan. 25, 1891.
- 11. Daniel Tilley, born in 1879.

John H. Tilley named other children in his will as, Frank T., Alonzie, Dewitt, Ralph, Early, and Y. J. Tilley

Information on the family of John Tilley obtained from:

Ms. Darlene Bettencourt, Merlin, OR, a descendant,

Census of Stokes Co, NC.

Marriage bonds,

John's Will written on Mar. 20, 1888.

### Amer Jackson Tilley (Lockey, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Amer was born July 7, 1839 in Stokes Co, and died Mar. 3, 1932. He was the son of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley. Amer married Harriet A. Hall Apr. 12, 1866. He enlisted in the army in 1861, as a young man. He joined Company H, 22nd Regiment, of the North Carolina Troops in Captain Scale's Company. He was in a severe battle near Manassa Junction and was wounded on Aug. 29 by a screw out of a bomb shell, which cut the end off the hip bone. The screw weighed four ounces, and is now still in the family's possession. He was one of the most widely known Confederate Veterans in this section of Stokes Co. The name of only one child is known at this this time:

Thomas Walter Tilley was born Feb. 23, 1867, the son of Amer and Harriet Tilley. He was one
of Stokes Counties great stable citizens. He married Annette Frances Lackey Jan. 29, 1888.
Annette was the daughter of Henry and Mary Ann Sheppard Lakey.

The following was taken from "The Stokes County Heritage" written by Ms. Alice Tucker:

"He was a great horse trader, a true and loyal democrat. If Mr. Tom Tilley is your friend, then you truly depend on him, always interested in anything that would help mankind. He never let a friend down, his good wife and companion for sixty-nine years and four months was the same kind of friend. They left a great heritage to all the people whose lives touched theirs."

They were the parents of eight children:

- a. Frank Lakey Tilley was born Nov. 6, 1888. He married Bethania (Hettie) Gaines Moore Dec. 20, 1922 and had two children.
- b. Elijah Lee Tilley married Ella Grogan. They had one son:
  - 1) Dr. Carlous Tilley, an Optometrist of Mt. Airy, NC.
- c. Hassell David Tilley married Leila Barnard. They had four children: Iris, Mabel, James and Joe Tilley.
- d. Thomas Isaac Tilley married Rosa Pool. They had two children: Marie and Samuel Tilley.
- e. Lottie Era Tilley married Charles Guilbert. They had four children: Frank, Billy, Margaret and Jimmy Guilbert.
- f. Laura Japle Tilley married Martin Van Burin Simmons. They had three children: Thurman Walter, Jack David, Margaret Ann Simmons.
- g. May Marjorie Tilley married Guy Glass. They had one son: Bob Glass.
- h. Harriet Ruth Tilley married Arthur Young and hadthree children: Charles Guy, Mary

### Ann, and Henry Thomas Young.

Information on the Tilleys, taken from:

- \* Book "The Stokes County Heritage"
- \* From Ms. Darlene Bettencourt from Marlin, OR, a descendants of Aaron and Lockey (Jackson) Tilley.

### John H. Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

John was born in Surry Co, NC, date unknown. He grew up in the Westfield Community, of Surry Co, where he married Eliza Hollingsworth Oct. 30, 1849. Eliza was born in 1826 and died before 1870 as she was not named on the 1870 Census.

His father Amer willed John the tract of land that he (John) lived on, near the Westfield Community. The 1850 census shows that John and Eliza were living in the northern section of Surry Co, near his brother Iredell. The middle initial H. was probably Henry.

When I (Lucille Vernon) was researching this family of Jackson's they all told me that they were connected to the R. J. Reynolds family, but none of them seemed to know the connection between the two families. I found that John H. Jackson and Eliza had a daughter named Mary Susan Jackson who married Zacariah T. Smith, and they had a daughter Mary Katherine who married Richard Joshua Reynolds.

John died in 1886 and his will was probated Sept. 3, 1886, in "Surry County Wills", Book 6, page 247. He named four children in his will:

- James A. Jackson was born in 1850 and was given \$100 in his father's will. It is believed that he
  moved to Indiana.
- 2. Louisa V. Jackson was born in 1852 and married Scales. She was left one colt in her father's will. Her middle initial V. was probably Violette, after her grandmother Violette Forkner.
- 3. Sarah Eliza Jackson was born in 1856 and married C. F. Coffee. She was left \$100 in her father's will
- 4. Mary Susan Jackson was born in 1854 and married Zacariah T. Smith. She was left S300 in her father's will. (See the following account on Katherine, daughter of Mary Susan.)

# Katherine Smith Reynolds (Mary Susan, John, Amer, Samuel Jackson)

The following was taken from an article that appeared in "The Winston-Salem Journal", Aug. 7, 1983, By Lil Thompson:

"Katherine Smith Reynolds, was born in Surry Co, NC, at Mount Airy, in 1881, the daughter of Mary Susan Jackson, and Zachary Smith. She married Richard Joshua Reynolds at her home in Mt. Airy Feb. 27, 1905. Richard Reynolds was her first cousin, once removed. At the time of their marriage, Reynolds was 55 years of age, and the founder of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Katherine was 25. The Mount Airy News wrote that the couple "was the recipients of a number of gifts. Mr. Reynolds is probably the most wealthy man in North Carolina. He is supposed to be worth three million dollars".

"Mr. Reynolds visited the home of her parents in Mt. Airy, where she was born, the eldest of six children. Her father, Zachary Taylor Smith was Reynold's cousin. The two men had grown up together in Patrick Co, VA where Reynolds learned about tobacco from his father. When Katherine was a small child, Reynolds would tease her and tell her that when she grew up that he was going to marry her. When she was ten years old he gave her a gold bracelet, at that time he was 40 years old. Neither could have known that his teasing would turn into truth.

In her teens, Katherine entered the State Normal and Industrial College, which was the beginning of the University of North Carolina, at Greensboro. Later she went to Sullins College in VA where she graduated with a Masters of English Literature degree. She also took art courses, a helpful background for the time she would be Mrs. R. J. Reynolds.

Reynolds once took her and a chaperone to New York. Then he offered her a job as a

stenographer in his tobacco company. She accepted, and as part of her work wrote advertising slogans, including a caption for an early Camel Cigarette package. "I'd walk a mile for a Camel".

Katherine Reynolds had many irons in the fire before and after the death of her husband. She was interested in improving working conditions in industry, she was a YWCA organizer in the early 1900s'. She gave \$50,000 for the site of the R. J. Reynolds High School. She also had a large auditorium built to go with it. The school was dedicated in 1924, the dedication was a big thing. The Philadelphia Orchestra played, a Met soprano sang, and Gov. Cameron Morrison attended.

Exceedingly interested in education, she saw to it that her Reynolds School - the quality was high and the fees low - included: art, foreign languages, self reliance, and initiative, and she gave a valuable scholarship to Woman's College, now the University of North Carolina in Greensboro.

Reynolds Village was the biggest iron in her fire. The village had everything to sustain life, fresh vegetables year around, Orchards, Vineyards, pasture land, cattle, sheep, pigs, stables and a dairy. There was also a church, a school a post office and homes for the more than 100 people who lived there. Katherine supervised everything each day. It was said that she could read a blueprint like an engineer.

Richard J. Reynolds had been ill for some time before the family of six moved from the 5th home (located on 5th street where the Library now stands), to Reynolds Village, the week before Christmas in 1917. He only lived for six months, dying in the summer of 1918 at age 68 of cancer, in the study at Reynolds. He is buried in Salem Cemetery. He was one of 16 children including two sets of twins, all born in the same four poster bed, all the offspring of one mother.

Reynolds stood 6 feet 2 inches, came here in 1875 ten years after the Civil War ended, when Winston was a village of about 400, not yet joined to Salem, with dirt streets. He made his first major product "Plug Tobacco" in a red factory on Depot Street. He came from a well to do family, there is a slave graveyard at his home in Patrick Co, VA. As he began to gradually turn his tobacco factory into what would become one of the country's major companies, he also began to nurture his relationship with Katherine Smith. He had also come to town with \$10,000 in his pockets.

In 1921 Katherine Smith Reynolds, still a young woman at age 40 married John Edward Johnson, a young Davidson graduate who had come to Reynolds Village as school superintendent. The marriage was short. They had two children, a daughter stillborn, and a son, John Edward Johnson Jr. A few days after his birth in 1924, Katherine Smith Reynolds Johnson died in a New York hospital from a blood clot, which went to her brain and killed her. She was 44. Her second husband Johnson had a monument built in her memory at Reynolds. It is now in the courtyard of the Reynolds Presbyterian Church.

Nancy Reynolds, youngest daughter of R. J. and Katherine, described her mother as being about 5 feet 5, or 6, and as having "very black hair" a blue black, with very blue eyes.

One of the most interesting women to have ever lived here and who did more than most in her short life, **Katherine Smith Reynolds** lies in the same plot as her husband in Salem Cemetery.

Katherine and R. J. Reynolds had four children:

- a. Mary Reynolds, married Babcock
- b. Richard J. Reynolds, Jr.
- c. Nancy Reynolds Bagley
- d. Smith Reynolds, married Libby Holeman the torch singer. He was killed at Reynolds in 1932

The paragraph following was the caption printed under a picture of the Reynonds House:

"Reynolds House, home of the late **Richard Joshua Reynolds**, founder of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., was occupied in 1917. It was the heart of a self-sustaining village and farm. In 1965, it was opened to the public and dedicated to the advancement of education and the arts.

The house offers the visitor the unique experience of enjoying American paintings touching on the whole American art tradition. Visiting hours are:

Sundays, 1:30 to 4:30;

Tuesday through Saturday, including holidays (except Christmas Day), 9:30 to 4:30.

Closed Mondays and from Jan. 2 until Feb. 1.

Nominal admission charges."

# Zachary Taylor Smith (Husband of Mary Susan Jackson, father of Katherine Smith)

The following was taken from an article on Surry Co, NC (Name of atricle is not given):

"Zachary Taylor Smith, whose family connections included three presidents; Madison,
Taylor, and Tyler, was born in Patrick Co, VA. He joined the army at the age of fourteen as a
drummer boy. Three years later, a captain, he was captured at Fort Fisher and carried to Point
Lookout, MD. where he was kept prisoner until the end of the war. He often said, in
recounting his adventures, that the prisoners owed their survival to the plentiful supply of
oysters around the Point.

Some years after the war he bought a plantation north of Mt. Airy, NC, married Miss Susan Jackson and reared a family of six children, one of whom became Mrs. R. J. Reynolds of Winston-Salem. It was she who visioned, planned and brought to reality, the beautiful Reynolds Estate, a part of which is now Wake Forest University, the land being a gift of the Reynolds family. "Mr. Zack", as he was affectionately known, lived to be 91, an unreconstructed rebel to the end, who never missed a Confederate veteran's reunion."

### Allison Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Allison Jackson, was born in Stokes Co in 1826. He may have been the youngest child of Amer and his first wife Violet Forkner. There is some uncertainty because the date of the death of Violet is unknown. Amer's will gives Allison "The Beasley Tract lying in Stokes Co, on the Meadow Branch, together with the lot I bought of Whitlock, joining thereto my Vaught tract of fifty acres, not joining thereto, also the sum of one hundred dollars."

Allison married Sarah Thrower Dec. 26, 1853 in Stokes Co, NC. Sarah was born in 1834 in North Carolina. They remained in Stokes Co, and the 1860 census of Stokes names three children as John born ca 1856, James born ca 1858, and Frances born in 1860.

The 1870 census show three more children had been born to them, but the names of the first children were different from the 1860 census. **James** was named as **Amer** and **Frances** was named as **Elizabeth**, so we can assume that the correct full names would be **James Amer**, and **Frances Elizabeth**.

- 1. John S. Jackson born ca 1854/56
- 2. James Amer Jackson born ca 1857/58
- 3. Frances Elizabeth Jackson born ca 1859/60
- 4. William Jackson Jackson born ca 1861
- 5. Eliza E. Jackson born ca 1865
- 6. Mary Jackson Jackson born ca 1867

### Jacob Jackson (Amer, Samuel Jackson)

Jacob was born in ca 1841-42 in Stokes Co, the son of Amer Jackson and Elizabeth Shippley. His father, Amer, passed away when Jacob was about 15 months old. Jacob grew up in Stokes and married Emily Newman Rotenberry Dec. 25, 1861. Emily was born in 1840, the daughter of Seth and Georgia Rotenberry.

From the will of his father Amer (made in 1843):

"I bequeath to my son **Jacob** my mill tract of land lying in the County of Surry, together with the mill and improvements thereto, to be kept in repair by my executor out of any money, that may come into his hands, belonging to my estate and the profits thereof to go to use of my wife, and youngest children 'till my said son, **Jacob** arrives to the age of twenty-one."

The year of the death of **Jacob** and **Emily** and where they are buried is not known. They were the parents of eight children:

Jacob Andrew Jackson was born ca 1862-63. He married Isabell Fulk, born in 1870. A
letter (Lucille Jackson Vernon) received from one of Jacob's great granddaughters (Mrs. Lena
Jackson Turney) states that Jacob loved music. He was called the best fiddler in Stokes Co, and
all of his children could play banjo, and guitar. They would all get together at people's houses,
make music, move out the beds, and have a square dance.

They were all Quakers and Jacob A. was a devout reader of the Bible. They were members of the Westfield Quaker Church, where all of the earlier Jackson's helped build and gave land to the Church and graveyard. The year he died is not known, but it was sometime after 1894, and before 1900. Jacob and Emily were the parents of six children, of which very little information is available at this time:

- a. Maggie Lee Jackson, born in Mar. 1887, never married.
- b. Robert Richard Jackson, born in Apr. 1890, married Dora Frye, the daughter of Columbus and Jeannette Fulk Frye.
- c. Elmer Jackson was born in 1892 and married Maud McKinney, the daughter of Tucker and Rozella McKinney. They had two children:
  - 1) Odell Jackson married Geneva Miner. They had no children.
  - Lena Jackson, married Paul Turney. They had three children: James, Roger, and Joanne Turney.
- d. Emmitt Jackson, born Jan. 1894, died in 1911 at the age of 17.
- e. Ella Jackson, born Mar. 1896, married Luther Bowman. They had two children, Herbert and Beatrice Moran Bowman.
- f. Etta Jackson born July 1897, married Will Wilkes. They had a daughter Geneva Wilkes who married Mr. Stewart.
- 2. John Jackson married Jeannice Caudle
- 3. Susan Virginia Jackson married Shelby Atwood. No other information.
- 4. Mary Ann Jackson married William Hooker. No more information.
- 5. Lucy Jackson marred Frank Dezern. No more information.
- 6. Charles Jackson left home when a young man. It is believed that he went to San Francisco, and was killed in the earthquake.
- 7. Thompson Jackson was living with his three unmarried aunts (Camilla, Mary, and Katherine) in the 1900 Census. It is believed that he may have joined his brother Charles, as he was never heard from again.
- 8. Thomas J. Jackson was born July 18, 1877 and died May 21, 1949. He married Safronie (Sophie) Nunn. Safronie was born Aug. 8, 1869, and died Aug. 17, 1953. She was the daughter of Joseph Nunn. Thomas and Safronie are buried in the Quaker graveyard at Westfield. They had nine children:
  - a. Grover Jackson, married Della Jackson, daughter of John Henry Jackson. They had three children: Odell, Mary Faye, and Veta May Jackson.
  - b. James J. Jackson was born Nov. 1888 and married Ada Collins. They had four children: Alex, Margaret, Robert, and John Jackson.
  - c. Sarah (Susan) Jackson was born Oct. 1892 and married Frank Mabe. They had three children: J. D., Ethel, Inez, and Virginia Mabe.
  - d. Millard J. Jackson was born in 1890 and never married.
  - e. Verda Jackson married Charles Hill.
  - f. Hester Jackson was born Sept. 1, 1906, died May 10, 1954, and was buried in the Westfield Quaker graveyard. She married Frank Jones. Number of children is unknown but they had at least one son:
    - 1) John Thomas Jones, born Apr. 10, 1937 and died Apr. 13, 1972 is also buriedat Westfield.
  - g. Mary Ann Jackson married Alvie Collins. They had six children: Gaston, Novella, Fronnie, Leon, Homer, and Richard Collins
  - h. Nellie Jackson married Thomas Joyce, their children were: Etta, Della, Frances, and Robert Joyce.

Myrtle Jackson was born May 1898 and never married.

There is a possibility that **Thompson** and **Thomas Jackson**, may be the same person, as the 1900 census gives **Thompson** as being 23 years old and that would give his birth as 1877. **Thomas Jackson** was born in July of 1877.

# **CHAPTER 11**

# SAMUEL JACKSON Jr.

# Son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankenhorn Born, ca 1758 in Chester Co. PA

Died June 6, 1834 in Stokes Co, NC

Married Hannah Gibson, Jan. 23, 1782

NOTE: It has not been proven that Samuel Jackson Jr. was the son of Samuel and Catherine, However most researchers believe he was. If so, he would have been their fourth child. Samuel Jackson, of Stokes Co, NC

Samuel was born in 1758 on the Delaware River, in Pennsylvania, a few miles from Philadelphia. When he was a lad around three or four years of age, his parents moved from PA and settled in Rowan Co, NC. That part became Davidson Co. The name of Samuel's parents have not been established. He is believed to be the son of Samuel and Catherine Plankinhorn Jackson, who came to Rowan Co, ca 1761-62 with several small children. Their three eldest sons Jacob, John, and Curtis were members of the New Garden MM. Jacob was a minister, and was received into membership at his request on May 31 1777. He had not previously been a member of the Society of Friends. He was 19 years old. All of the children became members after their arrival in North Carolina, but there is no record of their parents Samuel and Catherine ever joining any Monthly Meeting in North Carolina.

Samuel Jackson appeared on Aug. 31, 1782 and "condemned his taking affirmation of present powers". In 1777 the North Carolina General Assembly had provided for an oath of allegiance to the new government. The penalty for refusing the oath was expulsion from the province. Friends and a few others were allowed to affirm, rather than swear to, their loyalty but Friends were not comfortable with any statement which compromised their neutral stand and their opposition to military activity of any kind. Thus the Yearly Meeting instructed the Membership to refrain from taking the oath, or affirming loyalty on pain of disownment. A few Friends did so affirm and were disowned. (Apparently the law requiring the oath was not strictly enforced.) Many of the Friends who were disowned came back into the meeting later after acknowledging their error. Samuel Jackson acknowledged or "condemned" his error at the time that the matter was first brought up in the meeting and so was not disowned.

Samuel and Catherine Jackson came to Surry Co, NC ca 1770-72 settling on Tom's Creek, later called Westfield. The Westfield MM was established in 1772 and Jacob, John, Curtis, and Samuel Jackson & were all charter members.

The early tensus records uses the names Samuel Jackson Sr. and Samuel Jackson Jr. but we have been unableto find any written proof that shows Samuel as the son of Samuel Sr. He gave almost the same information in his request for pension that Jacob gave on his "Testimony". He stated that he was born in Chester Co, PA, and his parents moved to Rowan Co, NC when he around twelve years old.

When Samrel and Catherine moved to Tom's Creek, their land was in Surry Co. When Stokes Co.

was formed in 1789, the line was drawn at Westfield and Samuel found that his property was now in the newly formed Stokes Co, with boundary lines that touched Surry Co. Samuel Jr. was living near Samuel Sr. and his property was also in the newly formed Stokes Co.

While a resident of Surry Co, NC on the Dan River, he enlisted and served at various times in 1780 and early 1781, in all, three months as a private in Captain Joseph Cloud's Company in the regiment of Col. William Sheppard. While living in Rowan Co, he enlisted and served at various times for four months as a private under Captain William David in Col. Smith's Regiment. He was captured by Tories during this time but soon released and later assisted in scattering the Tories at Raft Swamp. He was discharged after the surrender of Cornwallis.

He was granted a pension of \$20.00 per annum on his application which was executed in Stokes Co, Mar. 15, 1833. His wife **Hannah Jackson** was granted a widow's pension after filing application on Mar. 9, 1839 in Stokes Co. (File No. w-5004)

Samuel married Miss Hannah Gibson Jan. 23, 1782 in Surry Co, NC. Hannah was born Oct. 9, 1764. The names of her parents are unknown. They were married at the home of Elisha Pierce, a friend, on a cold winter day by a Justice of the Peace, Micajah Clark. Rev. William Stephen's, a preacher from the Baptist Church, was suppose to perform the ceremony but was taken ill and gave the certificate to Micajah Clark, JP to perform the ceremony.

A wedding supper was held for them at her father's home after their return home from Elisha Pierce's house. Samuel was disowned from the Westfield MM for marrying out of unity, that is marrying a non-Friend. Samuel and his family are not mentioned in any of the Westfield MM records.

The names of the ten children of **Samuel** and **Hannah** were taken from her application for pension. She gives the names and the date of the birth of the two first born and stated that the other children were born around two years apart, that she knew in her mind that she was correct but since **Samuel** could not read or write that he did not bother to have a record made on the date of the birth of the children.

Samuel died June 6, 1834 in Stokes Co, Hannah died in Stokes Co, in 1841 her will was probated, Dec. 1841.

### Hannah Gibson (wife of Samuel Jackson Jr.)

Hannah was born Oct. 9, 1764, her birth is recorded in the Revolutionary War Pension records of Samuel Jackson, Claim #5004, filed in the Archives in Raleigh, NC.

The name of Hannah's parents are unknown. The only family by the name of Gibson living in Surry Co, in 1782, the year Hannah married Samuel Jackson was Valentine Gibson and his wife Frances or Nancy Garrett Gibson. So it is assumed that she was a daughter of Valentine Gibson.

The names of all of Valentine's children are not known. Valentine Gibson paid 63 pounds of Virginia money to Matt Moore on Oct. 2, 1794 (said Gibson was indebted to Moore as security to his son James Gibson) for 200 acres of land bought on the little Yadkin River. So we know that one of his sons was named James Gibson.

Another son is believed to have been Garrett Gibson who married Prudence Sumner in 1778 in Surry Co. Prudence was the daughter of Robert Sumner and Phoebe Canady Beals Sumner, and could have been named for his mother's maiden name.

Hannah mentioned having a brother named William Gibson in her will. She may have also had a sister who was the wife of James Bennett. A query found in "The Ridge Runner" stated that James Gibson had known brothers, Archeleus and Garrett Gibson. By the above names, we can assume that Hannah's brothers were Garrett, James, William, and Archeleus, and maybe a sister who married James Bennett. There could have been other children for which we have no information.

Hannah married Samuel Jackson Jan. 23,1782 and they lived in Stokes Co, where their ten children were born. After Samuel's death, Hannah made an application for a widows pension. Her brother William Gibson and two life long friends Martha Pierce and Mary Pierce Roark testified that she had remained unmarried since Samuel's death, that she was named as a respectable resident of Stokes Co, and known for her honesty and truth throughout the neighborhood.

She further declared that they had ten children, the first was Jehu born Feb. 1, 1783, and the second was James, born Mar. 1, 1785, and the balance in rotation about two years apart, Isaac, Samuel, Sarah, John, William, Amer Joseph and Hiram, the youngest being born Oct. 28, 1801.

Hannah died in December of 1841. She names William Gibson as her brother in her will, and a granddaughter, the wife of Elisha Bennett. It is not known where Hannah was buried.

Samuel and Hannah were the parents of ten children all born in Stokes Co, NC:

- Jehu Jackson was born Feb. 1, 1783 and died in 1847 in Cass Co, MO. He married Lucy Wright in Ohio.
- James Jackson was born and died Dec. 8, 1853 in Wells Co., IN. He married Elizabeth Hooker in Ohio
- Isaac Jackson was born ca 1787 and died in 1854 in Deleware Co, IN. He married Nancy Sizemore Dec. 10, 1808.
- Samuel Jackson was born ca 1789 and died Mar. 30, 1848 in Randolph Co, IN. He married Jemima Cox.
- 5. Sarah Jackson was born ca 1791. The only daughter of Samuel and Hannah. She married Waggoner Jenkins. (No further information.)
- John Jackson was born ca 1793. He married Nancy King July 2, 1819. This family may have moved to Indiana, and later to Missouri.
- 7. William Jackson was born ca 1795. There is no other information on William, but it is believed that he may have moved to Indiana.
- 8. Amer Jackson was born ca 17970-98. He married Elizabeth Watson Nov. 6, 1823. He may have had a second marriage to Nancy Hooker and moved to Indiana.
- 9. Hiram Jackson was born Oct. 28, 1801 and died Nov. 9, 1875. He married Nancy Malcolm in 1826
- 10. Joseph Jackson was born Aug. 23, 1804 and died Mar. 25, 1858 in Louisa Co, IA. He married Phoebe Gox Sept. 6, 1827.

See the following accounts on the above listed children.

Declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the act of Congress, Passed June 7, 1832 State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

On the 15th day of Marrch and AD, 1832, personally appeared in open Court before the Justice of the court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, for the County of Stokes.

Samuel Jackson, a resident of North Carolina and the county of Stokes, aged about seventy four years, who being first duly sworn in according to Law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of an act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served at known stations. He states first that he was born in the year 1758 in the state of Pennsylvania a few miles from the City of Philadelphia, on the river Delaware. That he has no record of his age, that when quiet young he moved with his parents to that part of County Rowan in the state of North Carolina now called Davidson.

He states that when he was first called into service he lived in the county of Surry, and that aforesaid was on Dan River now Stokes county. At other times in County of Rowan, that since the Revolution he has lived in the county of Stokes, and lives there now. That he first served in a Company commanded by Captain Joseph Cloud of the county of Stokes, then Surry, in the year of

1780 for a term of four months. Then he Voluntered and was put in service and appointed to guard Tory prisoners, at Old Town of Bathaboro. That afterwards in the year of 1780, and the second place he served under Captain Gaines, father of General Gains, and he said that he was employed in guarding British soldiers taken prisoners at the Battle of King Mountain, and served for one month.

Afterwards in the same and succeeding years he was engaged and sent on several scouting parties. In all for a term of one month under different officers, who's names he now cannot remember. That when engaged in the service mentioned the assignment to which his company was attached was commanded part of the time by Colonel William Sheppard and Major Joseph Winston. He recollects while on duty at Old Town a private soldier shot a Sergeant Smith for which offense he was merely whipped.

Afterwards I think, in the year 1782 in the county of Rowan, about the time the British marched south toward the Battleground of Guilford, he volunteered his services in a company of militia commanded by Captain William Davis. In which company was chiefly called out to hunt Tories and obtain them. He was taken prisoner by the Tories and after being confined a while he was released, that the service and complacement lasted about one month.

Shortly after this, in the same year 1782 he entred service again in a company commanded by Captain Lapp and Lieutenant Bodenhammer, and marched toward Wilmington, NC, and while on the march they helped to scatter Tories at "Rafts Swamp", and from there he marched to the mouth of the Neuse River where they made an attack, which was occupied by a British Garrison, and then marched toward Georgetown, SC and back. They lay in the backwoods until the news assured them that Cornwallace had been taken. He was then marched home and discharged.

He now recollects in which his company marched to Wilmington was Commanded by Colonel Smith. He now recollects that there was a company along from Moors the Company of Guilford with 20 or 30 men under the Command of Captain Gillespie. He recollects that one Captain Kennedy was along with his company which numbered about 500 men. He recollects the affair at Rafts Swamp there were 200 men of Guilford that was shot. He doesn't recollect whits any part of his named was under the command of any regular officer or in any Company with regular Troops.

He states that he has no documentary evidence of his service, and knows no person who can testify to his service except the testimony of **Jacob Idol**. He states that in his neighborhood he is known to **Charles Banner** and **Jacob Carson** who can testify of his transactions for various of his service as a soldier of the Revolution.

Sworn and submitted this day and year aforesaid.

# Samuel Jackson

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Declaration of Hannah Jackson, State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

"On this ninth day of Mar. 1839, Hannah Jackson a respectable resident of Stokes County aforesaid, aged seventy four, the 9th Oct. last appeared before the preparing Court of Law and Equity now sitting for Stokes County aforesaid and she first being duly sworn according to law, doth on her oath make the following declarations in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the Act of Congress, July 7, 1838, instituted an act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows.

She states that she is the widow of **Samuel Jackson** who was a private militia Soldier of North Carolina in time of the Revolutionary War, and served she has just reason to believe he specified in his declaration file in the Pension Department of the United States by virtue of which he has placed on the Pension Roll received a pension as per his Pension Certificate dated may 7th 1833 at the rate of twenty dollars per annum. Reference being had to said documents will show plainly appear to which papers she begs leave to refer the department for satisfactory proof of her husband's services

from which she expects to obtain a pension.

She states, further declares that she was married to said **Samuel Jackson** the twenty-third day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-two by **Micajah Clark** a justice of the peace of Surry County, NC. That her husband, the aforesaid **Samuel Jackson** died on the 18th day of June 1834. That she has not married to him prior to his leaving the service, but the marriage took place previous to the first day of January, seventeen hundred and ninety-four, at the time above stated and that she had remained a widow ever since his death

She further declares that they had ten children born of her body the first born was Jehu Jackson on the first day of February 1783, the second child James Jackson was born the first day of March 1785, and the balance of her said children in rotation about two years between their birth, Isaac, Samuel, Sarah, John, William, Amer, Joseph, and the last Hiram was born the 28th day of October 1801. But she has no family record. Her husband the said Samuel Jackson could not read or write, and that he had neglected to have a record made that from her memory she knows of her own recollection that the foregoing statement of her children's ages is exactly correct.

#### Hannah Jackson

Sworn to and subscribed to in Open Court, Isaac Golding, Clerk, By Thomas Hill, D. C.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes:

WILLIAM GIBSON, a person of honesty and truth, being duly sworn according to law, he being a resident of said county, saith that his sister, **Hannah** was married to **Samuel Jackson** in January 1782. He believes, as he remembers of the wedding dinner when he was about nine years of age. Which was given them at his father's home when they returned home from **Elijah Pierces**, at which place they married, by **Micajah Clark** a Justice of the Peace for Surry County, North Carolina.

He remembers that their eldest child was 10 years and four months younger than he was, it was always understood, but was never heard of any family records being kept. As none of the **Jackson** family could write. But they had ten children as named in his sister **Hannah's** declaration, and kept their ages by memory.

Samuel Jackson was a pensioner of the United States, and died the 18th day June 1834, and his sister had remained a widow ever since his death.

Sworn and subscribed the 15th day of February 1839, before me

Charles Banner

North Carolina County of Stokes.

I, Reuben D. Golding, Clerk of the county of Please and Quarter Sessions, for stated county aforesaid, do hereby certify that Charles Banner is a Magistrate of said county as above, and that the foregoing signatures to be his to these disposition is genuine.

In testament where of I have hereunto offered the seal of my office and my name this 10th day of March 1829

Reuben D. Golding

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

On this 14th day of February 1840 before me Charles Banner a Justice of the Peace in and for the county of aforesaid personally appeared Hannah Jackson widow of the late Samuel Jackson deceased, and she being duly sworn according to law declares on her oath that she intermarried to the said Samuel Jackson on the 23rd January 1782-83 she don't remember which year (as she has no record) at the house of Mr. Eliaha Pierce in Surry County, NC, by a certain Micajah Clark a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, that the bonds of marriage was first published according

to the custom in that time by a preacher of the Baptist Church by the name of William Stephens, who was taken ill and gave his certificates of the publication of the bond to said Justice of the Peace, as she was informed, and has just reason to believe was the case.

She states that Mary Roark wife of Timothy Roark and Martha Pierce who are now living were present at her marriage.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year first above mentioned before me,

Hannah Jackson Charles Banner, J.P.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes.

On this 14th day of February 1840, at the house of **Timothy Roark** of Stokes County aforesaid, **Mary Roark**, (formerly **Mary Pierce**), being duly sworn according to law declared on her oath that she well remembers to see **Micajah Clark** who was a Justice of the Peace marry the above named **Samuel Jackson** and **Hannah Gibson** together as man and wife at her father's (**Elisha Pierce**) house in Surry County, NC, on a cold winter day she thinks in January or February of 1783 as she counts from her own age, that she was fifteen and they told her she was old enough to marry which made her ashamed at that time,

She father states that she frequently heard Rev. William Stevens a Baptist preacher sermons at a meeting house, and that she heard him public that on such a day he than named that the above Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson (both of whom she was well acquainted neighbors) would be married and joined together as man and wife which was done in her presents on the same day he than publish it would be done which believing was the same time as mentioned in the foregoing declaration of the widow Hannah Jackson who is the identical same person that was then and their married to aid Samuel Jackson.

Sworn to and subscribed this day and year first above entioned before me.

Mary Roark Charles Banner J. P. Hannah Jackson

North Carolina, Stokes County.

I, Charles Banner an acting Justice of the Peace for said county, certify that the above named Hannah Jackson, and Mary Roark, are both persons of good character for probating truth, in the county and neighborhood where they live, and I concur with the neighbors, in their opinion. Given under my hand the 4th day of February 1840.

Charles Benner J.P.

State of North Carolina, County of Stokes

Be it known that on the 14th day of February 1839, personally appeared before me the subscribing Justice of the Peace for said county. Martha Pierce a woman of respectability and honesty and truth in the neighborhood and county of Stokes, where she resides and she being duly sworn according to law to declare what she remembers of the marriage of Samuel Jackson and his wife Hannah Gibson who's maiden name was Gibson.

Saith, on her oath that she was present at the time when the said Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson aforesaid was married and joined together as man and wife, at her fathers Elisha Pierce's home in the year 1782. She does not recollect the day of the month, but that it was January, she believes and a Justice of the Peace Micajah Clark of the then Surry County married them together on the same day with Captain John Martin and Nancy Ship, at which time she was 18 years of age.

She further declares that she was well aquatinted with the aforesaid Samuel Jackson and his wife Hannah since and before their marriage, and until the day of his death, which happened in June 1834, and that the said Hannah Jackson who is about petitioning for a pension is the identical person who was married as aforesaid to Samuel Jackson, and that the said Hannah has remained unmarried since his death.

Sworn to and subscribed the day 4 year first above written before me.

Charles Banner, JP Martha P. Pierce

#### Jehu Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

Jehu was born Feb. 1, 1783 in Stokes Co, near the Westfield Community. He was the first born child of Revolutionary War soldier Samuel Jackson, and his wife Hannah Gibson.

Jehu grew up on his father's farm in Stokes Co, and when he was a young man he left Stokes Co and moved to Ohio. He married Miss Lucy Wright Nov. 10, 1811 in Montgomery Co, Ohio. They were living in Montgomery Co, OH in 1812 when their first daughter Hannah was born in 1814. They were living in Marion Co, OH, where their second child was born. They moved to White River, Randolph Co, IN before 1819.

Lucy was born Feb 19, 1796 in Green Co, NC, now TN, the daughter of Elizabeth and Joseph Wright. She was disowned from the Quaker MM for marring out of unity. Lucy kinsman were General Morgan and Rebecca Boone, wife of Daniel Boone. Rebecca was the daughter of Morgan Bryant, one of the first settlers on the Yadkin River area, in what is now Yadkin Co, NC. The 1820 Census of Randolph Co, IN shows that Jehu was living near two of his brothers, James and Isaac, and two cousins, Job and Elijah Jackson, the sons of his uncle William Jackson. There was also a William Jackson living near him, who has not been identified.

They remained in Randolph Co, where nine more children were born and around 1838 the family removed to Van Burin Co, (now Cass Co) MO. Most of the children went with their parents to Missouri. Jehu died in 1847 in Dayton, Cass Co, MO and Lucy died Feb. 14, 1876 also in Dayton. They are both buried in the Dayton Cemetery.

Jehu and Hannah were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Hannah Jackson was born in 1812 in Montgomery Co, OH. She married William Cox Oct. 16, 1828 in Randolph Co, IN. Hannah and William remained in Indiana when her parents and her brothers and sisters moved to Missouri. William died before 1850. The 1850 census shows that she was living in the home of George and Elizabeth Ballinger. In 1910 Hannah's sister Lavina died, leaving her estate to her brothers and sisters. At that time, they could not find Hannah or any members of her family, so her share of the estate went to the State of Kansas. The known children of Hannah and William were:
  - a. Lucy Cox, born in 1829
  - b. John B. Cox, born in 1834, married Harriet Landers
  - c. William Cox, born in 1842
  - d. Elizabeth Cox, born in 1843, married David C. Wilson Dec. 22, 1864.
  - e. Henrietta Cox born in 1843, (a twin to Elizabeth)
- Wright Jackson was born Nov. 21, 1814 in Marion, OH. He married Minerva Wright Nov. 24, 1837 in Wayne Co, IN. He died Apr. 4, 1882 in Longinsport, Cass Co, IN and was buried in the Shideler Cemetery, Cass Co, IN.
- William Jackson was born Dec. 15, 1816 in Ohio and married "Margaret". He died Apr. 30, 1883 in Clymers, IN and was buried in the St. John's Cemetery in Clymers, IN.
- 4. Elizabeth Jackson was born in 1819 White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married Michael C. Hiser in 1840. She died in Bates Co, MO after 1876. They were the parents of seven children but only the names of four are known:
  - a. William J. Hiser, born in 1842
  - b. Martha S. Hiser, born in 1844
  - c. Reuben H. Hiser, born in 1847

- d. Lucy A. Hiser, born in 1849-50
- Tryal Jackson was born in 1820 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. He married Mar. 21, 1838 in Polk Co, MO, Margaret Boiles. He died Apr. 8, 1891 in Jester, Greer Co, TX, (now OK) See account.
- Matilda Jackson was born Aug. 31, 1823 in White River Randolph Co, IN. She married James B. Rider Mar. 23, 1845 in Cass Co, MO. She died Sept. 23, 1882 in Cass Co, MO and was buried Dayton Cemetery, Dayton, MO. See account.
- 7. Allen Jackson was born Oct. 16, 1825 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. He married Tabitha McCraw Jan. 28, 1847 in Cass Co, MO. See account.
- Rebecca Jackson was born Mar. 27, 1828 White River, Randolph Co, IN. Her first marriage was to John Best Apr. 30, 1845 in Cass Co, MO. Her second marriage was to A. Defrisco Mar. 28, 1858. She died Jan. 30, 1911 in Climax, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Jan. 31 1911 Twin Falls Cemetery, Climax, KS. She had five children by her first husband John Best.
  - a. Mary Best, returned to Indiana
  - b. Lou Best returned to Indiana
  - c. Mattie Best
  - d. John Wesley Best, died in infancy.
  - e. Francis Marion Best, died in infancy.
- 9. Mahala Ann Jackson was born 1830 White River Randolph Co, IN. She married Rev. Anthony Owsley Nov. 25, 1849 in Cass Co, MO. Anthony was born in 1820. She died in 1860 in Johnson Co, MO. They had four children but only the names of two are known:
  - a. Robert Jackson Owsley
  - Allen Owsley, married and had five children: Charles, Allen, Laura, Lorene, and Jesse Lee
    Owsley.
- 10. **Delilah Jackson** was born Mar. 23, 1833 in White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married **Hugh** Woods Jan. 26, 1853 in Cass Co, IN. She died Feb. 6, 1908 in Severy, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. See account.
- 11. Lucinda Jackson was born 1835 white River Randolph Co, IN and died in 1837 at the age of two when struck by a falling tree.
- 12. Lavina Jackson was born Feb. 29, 1836 White River, Randolph Co, IN. She married Nicholas Ozenbaugh Oct. 28, 1880 Cass Co, MO. She died Sept. 15, 1904 Fall River, Greenwood Co, KS, and was buried in the Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. Lavina's husband must have died before 1904 because when she died, she left a large estate in Greenwood Co, KS, to be divided between her brothers and sisters and their heirs. Her nephew James S. Woods was administrator of her estate.

#### Tryal Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Tryal was born ca 1820 in White River Township, Randolph Co, IN. He married Margaret Boiles Mar. 21, 1838 in Polk Co, MO. Margaret was born in 1820-21 in MO. In 1844 Tryal, his wife, and two children were living in a cabin on White Rock Creek, Nacogdoches Township, Dallas Co, MO. Around 1855-6 he moved to the far western frontier where he was listed as a stock raiser, and in 1880 he was listed as a farmer in Shackelford Co.

On the frontier **Tryal** settled on the Clear Fork of the Brazos, in unorganized territory. In 1863 they were living about four or five miles south east of present Woodson and about fifteen miles north west of present Breckenridge. They were among those who "forted-up" at old Fort Davis on the Clear Fork during the Civil War. It was at this place that his son **William Henry** was scalped by Indians and died a year later. It is said that Tryal set out to kill twenty Indians and that he would not return until his mission was accomplished. It is not known if he really carried out his mission.

He built the first store structure in the town of Albany, Shackelford Co, in 1875. His next move was to Green Co, TX near Jester, which became Oklahoma Territory in 1896. He died Apr. 8, 1891 in Jester, Green Co. Margaret died Feb. 23, 1899 in Roger Mills, Oklahoma Territory.

# Tryal and Margaret were the parents of eleven children:

1. Mary Jackson was born ca. 1839 in Missouri, married ca 1856 John Musgraves born in 1833 in

Illinois. In the 1860 Census of Buchanan, Stephens Co, TX he was listed as a stock raiser. No other information is know on Mary other than the names of two sons:

- a. Crel Musgraves born ca. 1857 in Texas
- b. Nathan Musgraves, born in 1858 in Texas
- 2. John W. Jackson was born ca 1842 in Iowa. He married "Camille" in ca 1871. Camille was born ca 1850 in Utah. In the 1880 census they were living in Shackelford Co, TX. He was listed as a cattle herder. He later farmed in Oklahoma and in 1912 he was living in Good Night, TX. John must have gone to Utah after 1873, as their daughter Ada was born in Texas, and son Nervie was born in Utah. They returned back to Texas in 1889-80. They had three known children:
  - a. child name unknown
  - b. Ada Jackson born ca 1873 in Texas
  - c. Nevie Jackson, born ca 1878 in Utah. He homesteaded land in Roger Mills Co, OK in 1899-1900. He was declared incompetent by the courts there, and his father John was made his legal guardian.
- 3. Jasper N. Jackson was born ca. 1844 White Rock Creek, Nacogdoches Co, TX. He married Eliza ca 1870. Eliza was born ca 1855 in Arkansas. He was a farmer, and in 1880 they were living in Shackelford Co, TX, and in 1912 they were in Roger Mills Co, OK. Only two children are known, probably born in Shackelford Co:
  - a. Julia D. Jackson, born ca 1872
  - b. Newton Jackson, born ca 1877.
- 4. Elizabeth Jackson was born ca 1846. Her first marriage was to G. Riley Carter July 29, 1866 in Palo Pinto Co, TX. He was a farmer and in 1880 they were living in Shackelford Co, TX. They were the parents of seven children. Elizabeth's second marriage was to Franklin M. Green in 1912. It is not known if they had any children. They lived in La Cross, WA. She died Sept. 5, 1921 in Walla Walla, WA and was buried in the Dixie Cemetery. Her children were all born in Texas:
  - a. Mary M. Carter, born ca 1867
  - b. William Carter, born ca 1869
  - c. Eliza Carter, born ca 1871
  - d. George R Carter, born ca 1873
  - e. Amanda Carter, born ca 1875
  - f. David Carter, born ca 1877
  - g. Ruth Carter, born ca 1879
- 5. Sarah Ann Jackson was born in 1849 Navarro Co, TX. She married C. N. Henry July 29, 1866 in Palo Pinto Co, TX. She was married the same day that her sister Elizabeth married Riley Carter in 1912 an affidavit made by her sister Amanda in order to settle her father's estate, stated that Sarah died, and that she was never married.
- 6. William Henry Jackson was born ca 1852 in Navarro Co, TX and died in 1863. He was scalped by Indians. See account.
- 7. Amanda Jackson was born Aug. 27, 1854 in Navarro Co, TX. See account.
- 8. Lucy Jackson was born ca 1856 in Navarro Co, TX. She married John C. Simpson ca 1872. John was born ca 1891 in PA. They were living in Shackelford Co, TX in 1880. Both Lucy and John died around 1912. They had two known children, both born in Texas:
  - a. James Edward Simpson was born in 1879 and married Joanna.
  - b. Eugene Simpson was born ca 1878. He was single in 1912, and living in Umatilla Co, OR.
- 9. Daniel J. Jackson was born on the Clear Fork of the Brazos River near Woodson, TX. His death certificate states:
  - \* He was born Oct. 12, 1859 at Fort Gibson, Shackelford Co, TX,
  - \* He died at his residence in Bessie, OK, on May 18, 1945 at the age of 65 years, 7 months and 6 days.
  - \* He had lived in Oklahoma since 1926.
  - Dr. A. A. Webber was the doctor that signed the death certificate.

The order for the funeral was made by Mrs. Agnes Krouse, his occupation was given as a retired farmer. The funeral Mass was held on May 22, 1945 at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Elk City. The burial was in the Catholic Cemetery Calgary which is next to the Elk City Community

owned cemetery known as East Fairlawn.

Daniel married Marie Mussier, born Oct. 3, 1862 in Savannah, MO, the daughter of Adolph Mussier born in Kentucky, her mother was born in Kansas City, MO. She died Oct. 5, 1839 at age 77 years, and 9 days. They had no children.

- 10. Thomas H. Jackson was born ca 1861 near Woodson, TX. He married Ella R. He was a farmer and lived in Roger Mills Co, in southern Oklahoma. They had four children but their names are unknown.
- 11. James Jackson was born ca 1869. He died unmarried in 1889.

# William Henry Jackson (Tryal, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

William was born ca 1852 in Navarro Co, TX and died in 1863. He was scalped by Indians when he was returning home from a cow lot. The little boy lived for almost a year afterwards, then died. He is buried on the Jackson Ranch on the Clear Fork.

Two articles were found on the scalping of little Henry:

"Interwoven: A Pioneer Chronicle" p. 140, by Sallie Reynolds Matthews 1958, 3rd edition. The first edition was published in 1936.

"There are, however, other incidents that occurred among our friends and neighbors. One of the most atrocious cruelties was the scalping alive of a little twelve year old boy, son of **T. E. Jackson**. The little fellow had walked out a short distance from the house to drive the calves in at the evening milking time. A band of Indians ran onto him, knocking him down with their horses; then one dismounted and quickly tore the scalp from the crown of his head, at which they ran away, doubtless thinking the child dead. The little boy got up, picked up his hat and calf whip, and walked home. His mother, probably paralyzed by fright, heard every cry but was powerless to help. I am persuaded that there were mothers in the country who would have grabbed a weapon of some kind and have gone to the rescue of their children. He lived only a few months more, dying as a result of the wound."

From "The West Texas Frontier", Vol, 2, pp. 86, #426 by Joseph Carroll McConnell, 1939.

"426 Henry Jackson During 1863, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jackson lived about four or five miles southeast of Woodson, and about fifteen miles northwest of Breckenridge. To be sure, neither of those towns were then in existence. Mr. Jackson was away, Mrs. Jackson and her children remained at home. Little Henry, their son, who had been a short distance below the cow lot, was returning toward the house. Henry had a whip in his hand but the pioneers slightly differ concerning his mission. Some reported he had been after the calves, and was driving them home. Others stated he was out playing, and simply had the whip in his hand. Nevertheless, several savages dashed out of the thick timber back of the barn, and after making their steeds knock this innocent little fellow flat on the ground, the red men jumped from their horses, placed their feet on his neck, and hurriedly scalped this frontier boy. Perhaps, he would have been killed, but just at this moment, the savages were frightened away by Mr. Jackson and his cowhands, then returning home.

Poor little Henry, who had been maimed of his scalp, arose from the ground, picked up his whip, and started toward the house. He lived almost a year, but his scalp never healed, and finally became inflamed. Henry was buried by his family and friends near the Jackson ranch.

Note: Before writing this section, the author personally interviewed Joe Schoolcraft and his brother, James Clark, Mrs. Pete Harris, Mrs. Lucy Lindsey, Mrs. J. C. Lynch, John Erwin, Lish Christeson, J. B. Matthews, and others who lived in Stephens and adjoining counties at the time.

#### Amanda Jackson (Tryal, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Amanda was born Aug. 27, 1854 in Navarro Co, TX. Her first marriage was to Mr. Wallach ca.
1871. Mr. Wallach was born in Prussia. They were the parents of two children. Her second marriage was to William Karney Frans in 1889. William was the son of James M. Frans. To this union four children were born. Mr. Frans was a stockman and they were members of the methodist Church.

Amanda died Jan. 17, 1923 in Mangum, OK at the age of 68 years, 4 months and 20 days. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK. Mr. Frans died Nov. 17, 1909 and was also burried in Jester. Amanda's children were:

- 1. Henrietta Wallach was born ca. 1872 in Texas. She married Mr. Harrison, an Oklahoma attorney and they had six children:
  - a. Ona Harrison
  - b. Lou B. Harrison
  - c. V. Ray Harrison
  - d. Bland Harrison, died young
  - e. John Buford Harrison
  - f. L. D. Harrison
- 2. Prince William Wallach was born ca 1878 in Texas. He married Gertie Cowan. He purchased his grandfather's farm when his estate was settled in 1912. They had two sons and two daughters:
  - a. Ona Wallach, married Thompson
  - b. Child Wallach, name unknown
  - c. Child Wallach, name unknown
  - d. Child Wallach, name unknown.
- Charles Frans was the first born child of Amanda and her second husband Mr. Frans. No other information.
- 4. Audie Juanita Frans was born Jan. 1, 1891, in Mobetee, TX. She was a secretary and was never married. She died of cancer May 27, 1941, at the age of 50 years, 4 months, and 26 days at Mangum, OK. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK.
- 5. Susan Nettie Frans was born Aug. 28, 1894, in Jester, Greer Co, TX, (became Oklahoma Territory in 1896). She married Charles Monroe Heatly Apr. 21, 1912. Charles was the son of Robert Henry and Sarah A. Elsbridge Heatly of Magnum, OK. Susan died of a heart attack Sept. 23, 1958, at the age of 64 years and 15 days, at Magnum, OK. Interment was in the Jester Cemetery near Jester, OK. They had two children:
  - a. Elmo Joe Heatly was born Apr. 5, 1914 near Jester. He was a farmer and a Baptist. He married Daisy Mae Post Sept. 24, 1932. Daisy was the daughter of Ida B. Burnett Post and Ira Y. K. Post of Magnum. They had two children:
    - Charles K. Heatly was born Mar. 14, 1934. He married Marcia Sheneesta Baker Apr. 22, 1955. He was a teacher and basketball coach.
    - Patty Jo Heatly was born Feb. 2, 1929. She married Merlin Lee Nippert Jan. 18, 1957.
       They have five children: Randy Lynn, Leesa Susan, Jane Michelle, Lori Ann, and Jeffrey Charles Nippert.
  - b. Mary Margaret Heatly was born Sept. 8, 1917 in Jester, Greer Co, OK6. Josephine Ella Frans was born Nov. 9, 1896 in Greer, Co, OK. She married Robert
    - Ruben Overton Mar. 6, 1918 at her home in Magnum, OK. Robert was the son of Nancy Isabelle (Montgomery) and Adolphus Overton. They had four children:
  - a. Juanita Sue Overton was born Jan. 1, 1919 in Magnum, Greer Co, OK. She married Leslie Thompson Sept. 23, 1943. Leslie was the son of Oma Lassiter and Joseph Thompson at the Methodist Church in Magnum, OK. He was a retired Lt. Cdr. from submarine service of the US. Navy. They were the parents of two children:
    - 1) Leslie Sue Thompson, born Nov. 10, 1945
    - 2) Katherine Jo Thompson was born June 1, 1947. She married Paul Butterworth Aug. 28, 1977 in Garden Grove, CA.
  - b. Child, boy, born June 15, 1920, lived only a few hours.
  - c. Katherine Isabelle Overton was born Feb. 13, 1922. She married Gordon F. Gilbert Mar. 23, 1948. Gordon was the son of Gus Guy and Elise French Gilbert. They have two children:
    - 1) Patricia Kay Gilbert, born Oct. 10, 1951, in Oil City, PA.
    - 2) Gail Frances Gilbert was born Feb. 10, 1956. She married David Paul Franc Apr. 15, 1978, son of Mae and Andrew J. Franc of Pittsburgh, PA.
  - d. Robert Lee Overton was born June 16, 1926, in Greer Co, Ok. He married LaVita Jean Norman Feb. 27, 1949. They had two children:
    - 1) Jeanann Overton, born Aug. 21, 1946, Married Joe Camp

2) Terry Lee Overton, born July 27, 1952, Married Lora Papi, of San Antonio, TX.

Mr. John Allen Rider, Johnson City, TN has researched the family of Jehu and Lucy Wright Jackson for several years. He is a descendant of Matilda Jackson, daughter of Jehu and Lucy. I would like to thank Mr. Rider for sharing with me the information that he had compiled on this family.

Mrs. Pat Kunkel, Springfield, MO, furnished the information on the family of John Jackson, son of Jehu and Lucy.

#### Matilda Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Matilda was born Aug. 31, 1823, in Iowa, died Sept. 23, 1882, in

Dayton, Cass Co, MO and is buried in the Dayton Cemetery in Dayton. She married **James B. Rider** Mar. 23, 1845. They were the parents of six children:

- William Jehu Rider was born in 1847. The names of his wife and children are unknown except for one son:
  - a. **James Strauther Rider**, the only information on him that he was married and had seven children, but only three are known, all lived in Uvalde, TX:
    - 1) Bess Rider married Mr. Hancock
    - 2) Buford Rider
    - 3) Bertha Rider married Mr. Swift
- Lucy Ann Rider was born in 1848 and died in infancy.
- 3. Sarah Louise Rider was born in 1853 and died in infancy.
- 4. **Rebecca Catherine Rider** was born in 1855. She married **G. W. Furs**. They were the parents of five known children:
  - a. Child, a son, died in infancy
  - b. Rider, a son lived near Shattuck, OK.
  - c. Dwight Furae lived in Miami, FL.
  - d. Josephine Furae married Mr. Davis and lived in Honnewald, TN.
  - e. Vera Furae married Peery of Barker, TX.
- 5. Elizabeth Jane Rider was born in 1857. She married Roland Gooch and was his second wife. His first wife was Sarah Rider the daughter of Matilda and James Rider, and would have been her cousin. Elizabeth and Ronald had seven children, but the names of only three are known:
  - a. Gertie Gooch, of Eugene, OR
  - b. James Gooch, of Caldwell, ID
  - c. Maud Gooch, of Venita, OR
- 6. John Allen Rider was born 1860. He married Luvenia Bellairs of Cherryvale, KS. They were the parents of five children, but the names of only two are known.
  - a. George Rider of Gage, OK, the father of Mr. John Allen Rider.
  - b. Grace Rider married Ashpaugh, of Waynoka, OK.

#### Allen Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Allen was born Oct. 16, 1825 in the White River Township, Randolph Co, IN, the son of Jehu and Lucy Wright Jackson. He went with his parents when they removed to Van Buren Co, MO, later Cass Co. He married Miss Tabatha McCraw on Jan. 28, 1842 in Cass Co, when he was 26 years old. They were married by Reuben E. Saunders, a Minister. James C. Jackson was a witness to the ceremony.

It is notknown at this time if **Tabitha Jackson** died or if she and **Allen** were divorced, or if they had any chiliren. It is known that he married **Miss Charity Owsly** on Jan. 26, 1851 in Cass Co. They were married by her father **William Owsly**, a Minister, and a brother to **Rev. Anthony Owsly** who married **Tahalia Jackson**, **Allen's** sister. **Charity** was born Dec. 5, 1827 and died May 24, 1876. **Allen** died Dec. 16, 1910 in Hallister, Taney Co, MO. They were the parents of nine known children:

- 1. LucyEvaline Jackson was born Aug. 11, 1854 and died Aug. 20 1921.
- 2 Lucida Margaret Jackson was born Feb. 14, 1857 and died in 1943 at the age of 86. She maried Withiff Rider. The names of their children are unknoun.
- 3 Sard Jane Jackson was born Feb. 14, 1857, a twin to Lucinda, and died Sept. 4, 188?. She

#### married Roland Gooch.

After her death, Roland married Elizabeth Jane Rider the daughter of Matilda Jackson and James B. Rider. Sarah and Elizabeth were first cousins. The names of their children are unknoun, though they may have had sons named of Ches and Dean Gooch.

- 4. William Wright Jackson was born Nov. 4, 1859 and died Nov. 24, 1931 at the age of 72.
- 5. Unresstine (Ernestinel?) Jackson born Feb. 1, 1860 in Cass Co, MO and died Mar. 22, 1934. She married Elliott V. Pleake. See account.
- 6. Francina Jackson was born Mar. 17, 1864, and died Mar. 14, 1920.
- 7. Infant Jackson, born Jan 25, 1867 and died at five months.
- 8. Lairna Ann Jackson was born Jan. 25, 1867 and died Mar. 15, 1867.
- Elmer Dean Jackson was born June 20, 1869 and died June 22, 1921. He was a farmer, merchant, and stockman. He married Ophra Hall (date unknown). After Elmer died, Ophra married Gus Callen and lived in Green Forest, AR. They were the parents of one known child:
  - a. Dean Hall Jackson See account.

Information on the family of Allen Jackson was obtained from Mrs. Pat Kunkle of Springfield MO, his great granddaughter.

#### Urnestine Jackson (Allen, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Urnestine was born Feb. 1, 1862 in Cass Co, MO, the daughter of Allen Jackson and Charity Owsly. She married Elliott Van Ranckler Pleake Aug. 21, 1892 in Kirbyville, Taney Co, MO. Elliott was born Apr. 15, 1862, died Jan. 31, 1933, and was buried near Salina, OK. Urnestine died in Taney Co, on Mar. 22, 1934 at the age of 72 years, 1 month and 21 days. She is buried Gobblers Knob Cemetery. The name Pleake was a German name and the original name was Pleakenstolver. Urnestine and Elliott were the parents of six children:

- 1. Allen E. Pleake was born Oct. 31, 1893 and married Dinnie Savage. She died Mar. 24, 1973 and Allen died Dec. 22, 1981. They had two children:
  - a. Allen E. Pleake Jr., died Sept. 6, 1932
  - b. Ruth Pleake was born Feb. 4, 1921 and died Nov. 3, 1985.
- Verner C. Pleake was born Jan. 13, 1895 in Hollister MO. He married Ethel Mae Savage Dec. 28, 1919. He died Mar. 19, 1969 in Branson, MO and was buried in Ozark Memorial Cemetery. Ethel was a sister of Dinnie Savage who married Verner's brother Allen F. Pleake They had four children:
  - a. Clarence Pleake was born Oct. 29, 1920 and married Virginia Nevin in 1940. They had two children: Larry and Linda Pleake.
  - b. Virginia Mae Pleake was born June 11, 1922 and married Harry V. Gabriel Apr. 9, 1945. They had three children, but only one is named here:
    - Patricia Gabriel was born Aug. 31, 1946 and married Kunkle Feb. 28, 1975 in Green Co. Springfield Mo.
  - c. Clifford Clifton Pleake was born Oct. 3, 1923. He was married three times but the names of his wives and children are unknown.
  - d. Kenneth Ford Pleake was born Dec. 17, 1924, married a Korean named Yang Jan. 21, 1957. They had one son.
- 3. Gold F. Pleake was born Jan. 2, 1897 and married Sullenger. She died Apr. 2, 1980 in Sacramento, CA. They had no children.
- 4. Chesley L. Pleake was born Oct. 30, 1899. His first marriage was to Wretha Gloyd but she died Mar. 17, 1942. They had two children names unknown. Chesley's second marriage was to Cholora, and they had a daughter:
  - a. Lanna Jean Pleake died in her early twenties.
- 5. Edward A. Pleake was born Mar. 9, 1902 and married Laura Daniels.
- 6. Ernest Pleake was born May 21, 1904 and died Oct. 14, 1941. He married Davis George and they had three sons.
- 7. Lester Van Ranckler Pleake was born Jan. 22, 1906, died Aug. 2, 1953, and was buried in Sacramento, CA. He and his wife Velda Jackson Pleake were divorced, they had no children.
- 8. Joseph Stewban Pleake was born Feb. 4, 1864 and married Mary Haggard. Mary was born Jan.

17, 1875 and died Apr. 12, 1951. **Joseph** died Oct. 28, 1934 and was buried in Gobbler's Knob Cemetery. They were the parents of five children.

## Virginia Mae Pleake (Urnestine, Allen, Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

Virginia was born June 11, 1922 in Hollister, MO, the daughter of Verner C. Pleak, and the grand daughter of Elliott and Ernestine Pleake. She married Harry Vincent Gabriel Apr. 9, 1945 in Harrison, AR. Harry was born July 19, 1918 in Springfield, MO, the son of Haralamus George and Mary Agnes (Newton) Gavreleo. They must have "Americanized" the name. Haralamus was born in Ageargetica Greece. They were the parents of three children:

- 1. Patricia Ann Gabriel was born Aug. 31, 1946, in Springfield, MO. She married Edward Jacob Kunkel in Springfield Feb. 28, 1975. Edward was born June 23, 1945 in Verona, MO, the son of Albert Adrian Kunkel and Juliana Balbana Oldelehr. They have one daughter:
  - a. Julie Dawn Kunkel, born Dec. 23, 1977 in Springfield, MO. Pat furnished all the information on the family of Allen Jackson.
- 2. Mary Agnes Gabriel was born Dec. 6, 1949 in .Springfield, MO and married Terry Leon Pearman July 11, 1970.
- Harry Vincent Gabriel Jr. was born Feb. 1, 1958 in Springfield, MO and married Susan Denise Harp Aug. 29, 1981.

# Dean Hall Jackson (Elmer, Allen, Jehu, Samuel)

Dean was born in 1910 in Hollister, MO, the son of Elmer Dean Jackson, and Orpha (Hall) Jackson. Dean wrote many interesting stories about early life in and around "The Old Ox Trail" which were published in the "White River Leader", in Branson, MO. One was the story of "Murder Rocks" and another was the story of "Alf Balden" who became one of the most notorious bushwhackers in that part of the country.

From his own Biographical Sketch which also appeared in the White River Leader, in Branson, MO. He was nine years old when his parents moved from Hollster to Pine Hall in 1919. He attended school at Hollister and Hickory grade school, and graduated from the School of Ozarks in 1930. He was ordained a minister in the White River Association of General Baptist in 1931. He taught school at Mincy, in 1930, 1931, 1934, and 1935, and at Kirbyville in 1932.

He was a bachelor in 1936. He worked as a cook and called himself a "would be poet". He was president of the young Republican Club, and Republican Committeeman in Oliver Township. He was living with his mother and had a brother that was nine years his senior named "Willie".

#### Delilah Jackson (Jehu, Samuel Jackson)

**Delilah** was born Mar. 23, 1833 in White River, Randolph Co, IN, died Feb. 6, 1908 in Severy, Greenwood Co, KS and was buried Twin Grove Cemetery, Severy, KS. She married **Hugh Woods** Jan. 26, 1853 in Cass Co, IN. They were the parents of four sons:

- John Woods The only information known on John that he was married and had three children and only one lived:
  - a. Louisa Jane Woods, married a Mr. Jones and had a son Leonard M. Jones who lived in Wichita, KS.
- 2. Robert Woods, was married twice. His first wife's name and the names of their three children are unknown. He and his second wife had eight children, but only the names of five are known:
  - a. James Byrd Woods, lived in Fresno, CA
  - b. Pate Woods lived Ft. Worth, TX
  - Brice Woods lived Paradise, CA
  - d. Mary Woods, married Welsh, lived in Electra, TX
  - e. Silas Woods lived in Skellytown, TX.
- William Woods was a Baptist Minister. He was married and had nine children, the name of his wife is unknown.
  - a. Cora Woods, married White and lived Garnet, KS
  - b. Delilah Woods, married Miller and lived Shamrock, OK
  - c. James H. Woods, lived in Bronson, MI

- d. Odessa Woods married Robinson and lived Shawnee, OK
- e. Hugh Woods lived in Goshen, IN
- f. John Woods lived in Wichita, KS
- g. Frances Woods married Johnson lived West Plains, MO.
- 4. James Woods was married and had thirteen children, but only the names of seven are known.
  - a. William Robert Woods lived Grenila, KS
  - b. Sadie Woods Married Hinecker of WA
  - c. Delilah Woods married Ballin, of Cambridge, KS
  - d. Harold Woods of Burdett, KS
  - e. Cary Woods married "Frost" lived Eldorado, KS
  - f. Charles Woods lived Elk Falls, KS
  - g. Wilma Woods lived Wichita, KS

# James Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

James was born Mar. 1, 1785 near Westfield, in Stokes Co, NC, the second son of Revolutionary War soldier Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson. He moved from Stokes Co, to Ohio when he was around thirty-one years old. He married Miss Elizabeth Hooker Oct. 6, 1816, near Dayton, OH. She was born in 1797 in SC. The name of her parents are unknown.

After their marriage, they moved into Delaware Co, IN and in Jan. of 1837 they arrived in Wells Co, IN, locating near Liberty Township, and becoming the first white settlers of Liberty Township. Here in the wilderness, he entered a half section of land, built a log cabin, and undertook all the work and the experiences which were part of pioneer life in this county. Here they remained the rest of their lives, where there nine children were born, six sons and three daughters. James died in Wells Co, Dec 8, 1853, Elizabeth died in 1865.

James may have been married in Stokes Co, before he made the move to Ohio. There is a marriage recorded in Stokes Co for a James Jackson and Rosy Hargrove, on Jan. 1, 1810, the bondsman was a Thomas Bennett. This same Thomas Bennett was the marriage bondsman for Jame's brother Isaac when he married Nancy Sizemore in 1808. The 1810 Census of Stokes Co. shows a young female age 0-10 in his household, and the 1820 Census of Randolph Co shows a young female in his household. Researchers of the family say that James and Elizabeth's eldest child was Hiram. There is a possibility that this is the same James that married Rosy Hargrove and had a daughter, and she may have died before he moved to Ohio. If it is the same James, he was 25 years old when he married Rosy, and 31 when he married Elizabeth Hooker.

James served in the War of 1812, and was taken prisoner at the time of Hull's surrender at Detroit. The ten children of James and Elizabeth were:

- 1. Hiram Jackson See account
- 2. John Jackson See account
- 3. Susannah Jackson See account
- 4. Levi Jackson was born ca 1824 in Wells Co, IN, died ca 1895-1896. He grew up in Wells Co, IN, and married Lucy Ann Fairchild Dunn Jan. 15, 1854. Lucy was born in 1825 in Ohio. In 1895 Levi and Lucy moved from Clay Co, NB, where they had lived, to Rooks Co, KS, with two of their sons, Richard Samuel and his family, Frank Jackson, two of his daughters, Mary Hannah Annon, and Eva Jackson Rardin. It is not know just how long they remained Kansas. Researchers say that they are buried at Spring Ranch, Clay Co, NB. Levi died Oct. 20, 1899, and Lucy Ann died Sept. 30, 1897. Lucy was a widow with two children before marrying Levi:
  - a. Sheppard F. Dunn born in 1849
  - b. Sylvester N. Dunn born in 1850.

Levi and Lucy were the parents of six children:

- c. James Edward Jackson was born Sept. 15, 1854. See account.
- d. Amelia "Eva" Evelyn Jackson was born 1857. See account.
- e. Mary Hannah Jackson was born May 3, 1859. See account.
- f. George L. Jackson was born in 1863. See account.
- g. Richard Samuel Jackson was born Jan. 29, 1866. See account.

- h. Benjamin Franklin Jackson was born ca 1868. There is very little information available on Benjamin. He was with his parents and brothers and sisters when they left Clay Co, NB and moved to Rooks Co, KS. The names of his wife and children are not known. They lived in Blue Rapids, KS.
- 5. William Jackson was born in 1827 in Wells Co, IN. He married Juila A. Morrison Nov. 6, 1850 in Wells Co. The 1850 census of Wells Co shows that he was still at home at that time. It is believed that he moved west after his marriage.
- 6. Moses Jackson was born Feb. 12, 1830 in Delaware Co, IN. Moses had left home before the 1850 census was taken. He enlisted in Company K, 55th Illinois Regiment on Oct. 22, 1861 and was mustered out Oct. 31, 1864 at Chattanooga, TN. He was 6 feet 2 inches tall, had brown eyes, and dark hair. Moses' first marriage was to Rosiana H. but she died in 1872, in Canton, Fulton Co, IL. His second marriage was to Ann A. Shoop Bowman on Feb. 10, 1874 in Canton, IL. Moses was a blacksmith by trade. He died Nov. 6, 1850 in Dallas, TX. His five children were by his first wife Rosiana:
  - a. Mary H. Jackson, born May 20, 1853
  - b. Elizabeth Jackson, born in 1857
  - c. George F. Jackson, born June 17, 1860
  - d. Anna Jackson, born in 1865
  - e. Charles Jackson, born. Oct. 9, 1869
    (Mrs. Brumbaugh states that she would not have known that Moses was the son of James, had she not found her grandfather Hiram's obituary which stated that he was survived by two brothers, Samuel J. Jackson of Liberty Center, and Moses Jackson of Dallas TX.)
- 7. Samuel J. Jackson
- Hannah Jackson was born Jan. 4. 1834 in Delaware Co, IN, a twin to Samuel. She married Silas H. Parker June 10, 1855 in Wells Co. She died in 1857, shortly after giving birth to a daughter Mary.
- 9. Mary Jackson was born in 1829 in Delaware Co, IN and died in 1832 at the age of three.

#### Benjamin Jackson was born in 1849.

- \* (R Jackson's note: It is not evident where this person comes from, because he is not listed as anyone's child. The placement in the text suggests that he is the son of James and Elizabeth Jackson, but is not listed as one the the "nine children" credited to them.)
- \* (Note from Lucille Vernon: No other information on Benjamin. The date of his birth does not seem to be correct.)

#### Hiram Jackson (James, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

Hiram was born Sept. 28, 1817 in Montgomery Co, OH and died Aug. 4, 1908 in Liberty Township, Wells Co, IN. He was the eldest son of James and Elizabeth (Hooker) Jackson. He married Mary Ann Logan Aug. 16, 1838 in Wells Co. Mary was born Aug. 3, 1818 in Ohio, and died Apr. 27, 1872.

After the death of Mary, Hiram married Mary J. Osborne Aug. 29, 1872, in Wells Co. He had nine children by his first wife and one daughter by his second:

- Samuel Jackson was born June 5, 1842, in Wells County, IN and died Mar. 16, 1905 in Wells Co, and is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery. He married Martha J. Neff Mar. 3, 1861 in Wells Co.
- Mary Ann Jackson was born in 1844 in Wells Co and married John McFarren in Wells, Nov. 23, 1860.
- 3. Margaret Jackson was born 1847 in Wells Co, died Nov. 30, 1887 and was buried in McFarren Cemetery. She married Thomas Hirst Dec. 17, 1872.
- 4. Joseph Logan Jackson was born Apr. 12, 1849, in Wells Co, died Aug. 9, 1914 in Wells Co, and was buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery. He married Mary Ann Thompson Aug. 25, 1872.
- 5. Nancy J. Jackson was born in 1852 in Wells Co, died in 1922 in Wells Co, and is buried in the McFarren Cemetery. She married Andrew J. Ramsey Aug. 1, 1868.
- 6. Hiram Jackson Jr. was born in 1855 in Wells Co, died in 1922, and is buried in the McFarren Cemetery. He married Eliza E. Williams Apr. 24, 1879.
- 7. Martha Jackson was born Sept. 15, 1853 in Wells Co, died Apr. 20, 1928, and was buried in the

Woodlawn Cemetery. She married Taylor Gooling Apr. 4, 1880.

- 8. George Washington Jackson was born Oct. 31, 1861. He married Sarah Catherine Hutsell Feb. 3, 1885. See account.
- 9. Rachel Elizabeth Jackson died young and was buried McFarren Cemetery.
- 10. John Jackson, infant, died young and was buried McFarren Cemetery.
- 11. James Jackson infant, died young and was buried McFarren Cemetery.
- Cora Bell Jackson was born in 1877, in Wells Co and died Jan. 15, 1960. She married Henry Frank Gerwig July 14 1894.

# George Washington Jackson (Hiram, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

George was born Oct. 31, 1861, Wells Co, Liberty Township, IN, died Feb. 16, 1913 in Union Township. Wells Co, and was buried in the Sparks Cemetery. He was the son of Hiram and Mary Logan Jackson. He married Sarah Catherine Hutsell Feb. 3, 1885, in Wells Co. He attended the Methodist Church.

Sarah Catherine Hutsell was born Oct. 4, 1860 in Warren, IN and died Dec. 1, 1938 in Union Township, Wells Co, and was buried in the Sparks Cemetery. She was the daughter of Thomas Jefferson, and Sarah Edgar Hutsell.

George and Sarah were the parents of six children:

- 1. Blanch Hutsell Jackson was born Oct. 4, 1885 in Wells Co and died Mar. 30, 1948 Azusa, CA. She married Guy G. Ewart Aug. 27, 1904.
- 2. Arthur Earl Jackson was born Apr. 22, 1887 in Wells Co and died Jan. 12, 1891.
- 3. Sarah Gayly Edith Jackson was born Dec. 21, 1889 and died Feb. 11, 1898.
- Louis Edgar Jackson was born Apr. 18, 1892 and died July 22, 1968 in CA. He married Oviedo White
- 5. Mark George Jackson was born Oct. 2, 1900 and died Mar. 27, 1969 in Ossian, IN. He married Celia M. Davidson June 24, 1922, in Oasian, IN. Cecelia was born July 30, 1903 in Wells Co, the daughter of Braton Davidson and Zula Zoe Shorts. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Madalyn Lavon Jackson was born Feb. 12, 1926 in Fort Wayne, IN. She married Paul E. Gephart Sept. 22, 1945. Paul was born July 2, 1921 and Oct. 28, 1963. Her second marriage was to Paul Martin Brumbaugh on Aug. 26, 1966 at the Markle Church of the Brethren, in Markle, IN. She had one son by her first husband:
    - 1) Paul E. Gephart Jr. was born June 7, 1947 in Huntington, IN and married Barbara Christman Aug. 25, 1969.
  - b. Margaret Elizabeth Jackson was born May 12, 1928, and was stillborn.
  - c. Gaylord Mark Jackson was born May 19 1929, Fort Wayne IN. He married Joanne Wray Aug. 13, 1952 in Osaian, Wells Co, IN.
- Hilda Irene Jackson was born Mar. 29, 1902 and died Feb. 3, 1985 in California. She married Dale Brickley July 12, 1922 in Ossian.

#### John Jackson (James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

John was born Oct. 6, 1821 in Randolph Co, IN and died May 25, 1864 at his home in Highland Co, IN. He was the son of James and Elizabeth Hooker Jackson. He married Mary Rose Brown Mar. 6, 1845 in Wells Co. Mary was born in 1823, in NC and died May 12, 1873 in Highland Co, IN. After the death of John, Mary married Abraham McClancy. John is buried in the Markle Cemetery, and Sarah is buried in the Mossburg Cemetery.

John was mustered into the Army, Mar. 3, 1864 at the age of 43, in Company G, 101 Indiana, Infantry. He contracted typhoid fever at Indianapolis and died Mar. 28, 1864, at his home in Rock Creek Township, Highland Co, IN. He was 5 feet 11 inches tall, with brown hair and eyes, and was dark completed. John and Mary were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Elizabeth Jackson was born 1846 in Wells Co, IN.
- 2. Melissa Jackson was born 1848 and married William H. Smith in Wells Co, Nov. 1, 1871.
- 3. Rebecca Jackson was born Feb. 24, 1851 in Wells Co and married John Carpenter Dec. 20, 1876, in Wells Co.
- 4. Charles A. Jackson was born Oct. 11, 1853 in Wells Co.

- 5. Jonas H. Jackson was born Jan. 4, 1856 in Wells Co.
- 6. John W. Jackson was born May 13, 1858 in Wells Co.
- 7. James W. Jackson was born Aug. 20, 1860 in Wells Co.
- 8. Mary Jackson was buried in the Mossburg Cemetery (record unreadable)

#### Information from:

- \* 1850 and 1860 Census records of Wells Co, IN
- \* Widows application for pension
- \* Mrs. Madalyn Brumbough

## Susannah Jackson (James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

Susannah was born July 29, 1823, in Wells Co, IN, the eldest daughter of James and Elizabeth (Hooker) Jackson. She died on May 29, 1863 in Rock Creek Township, Wells Co and was buried in the Friends Cemetery. She married Samuel Wallace May 17, 1840, in Wells Co. Samuel was born Aug. 19, 1805 in Ireland and died Feb. 5, 1881. There is a small stone in the Rock Creek Friends Cemetery which reads "Jennie, daughter of S & S Wallace died 1863". That is the year Susannah died, so she probably died from complications from child birth. Susannah and Samuel were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Fanny Wallace was born ca 1841 in Wells Co and married John Gregg Oct. 19, 1858,.
- 2. Rachel Wallace, born ca 1842 in Wells Co, IN
- 3. Ann Wallace was born 1845 and married Apr. 26, 1866 William Doyle
- 4. James Wallace was born 1847, died 1867, and was buried in the Friend's Cemetery.
- 5. David Wallace was born 1849 and married Julia McCall Aug. 29 1869.
- 6. Elizabeth Wallace was born 1849 and married Jeremiah Williams Mar. 5, 1874.
- 7. Catherine Wallace was born 1851, Wells Co, IN
- 8. Martha Wallace was born 1856 and died in 1915. She married Jacob Markley Apr. 24, 1873. Thomas Wallace was born 1856, died 1915, and was buried the Six Mile Cemetery. He married Macindey Spaulding Apr. 24, 1873.
- 10. Matthew Wallace, born 1858
- 11. Jennie Wallace was born and died in 1863.

# Information on Susannah Jackson's family is from:

- \* Wells Co marriage records
- \* Tombstones in Friends Cemetery, Wells Co.
- \* 1850-60 Census, wells Co, ND.
- \* Mrs. Madalyn Brumbaugh

## James Edward Jackson (Levi, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

James was born Sept. 15 1854 in Indiana, the eldest son of Levi Jackson and Lucy Ann Fairchild Dunn. He married Mary Matilda Cargill June 6, 1874. Mary was born Sept. 4, 1860 in Anderson, Madison Co, IN, died Sept. 1915 in Palco, KS, and was buried in the Pleasant View Cemetery. They were the first couple to be married at Spring Ranch, NE. They moved to Kansas on Jan. 3, 1894 by wagon. James died Dec. 19, 1938. They were the parents of ten children:

- 1. Eva Jackson was born in 1875 in NE and died in 1935. She married Frank Rardin who was born in 1872 and died in 1931. They had four children:
  - a. Roy Rardin
  - b. Chloy Rardin, born Nov. 1899, died Feb. 15, 1978.
  - c. Clarence Rardin
  - d. Nola Rardin, born in Aug. (?) and died Aug. 19, 1963.
- 2. Cora Jackson, died at age eight months, date unknown.
- 3. Robert Levi Jackson was born July 29, 1878 and died Nov. 24, 1932. He married Kate M. Allen Sept. 1, 1901. Kate was born in 1869 and died in 1950. They had no children.
- 4. Susan Jackson was born Apr. 16, 1880 in Spring Ranch, NE and died Sept. 8, 1931 in Bogue, KS. She married Leroy English. Leroy was born Dec. 2, 1881, died Sept. 26, 1964 in Hill City, KS, and was buried in the Pleasant View Cemetery in Palco, KS. They were the parents of seven children:

- a. Harold English
- b. Alberta English
- c. Richard English
- d. Zella English, born in 1910, died in 1911
- e. Raymond English, born Feb. 7, 1912, died Dec. 6, 1932
- f. Elda May English, born Nov. 25, 1915
- g. Howard English, born in 1918, died in 1918
- George Lewis Jackson See account.
- 6. Myrtle Jackson was born in 1886 and died in 1889 of measles.
- 7. David Edward Jackson See account.
- 8. Richard Benjamin Jackson See account.
- 9. Thomas Henry Jackson See account.
- James Lloyd Jackson was born in 1898 in KS and died June 29, 1977 in CA. He married Mattie Rakestraw July 6, 1917. Mattie was born in 1897, died Aug. 7, 1978. They had no children.

### George Lewis Jackson (James E., Levi, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson Sr.)

George was born Jan. 17, 1882, Fairbury, NE and died Sept. 1, 1966. He married Clara Myrtle Gish Nov. 26, 1907. Clara was born Nov. 11, 1886, died Feb. 5, 1982, and was buried Pleasant View Cemetery in Palco, KS.

They were the parents of five children: Milo, Loretta, Melvin, George, and Dennis (or Donald).

- Milo Orval Jackson was born Sept. 4, 1908, died Feb. 1973. He married Leila Wilma Rodman Jan. 27, 1934. Leila was born Feb. 10, 1909. They had no children.
- Loretta Claudine Jackson was born Dec. 15, 1909 and died Feb. 25 1966. She married Ray A. Kallenbach Dec. 18, 1927. Ray was born May 24, 1902 and died June 28 1977. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Maxine Kallenbach was born May 26, 1929 and married Alfred Edlman May 18, 1948.
    Alfred was born Jan. 19, 1908. They were the parents of three children: Raymond, Randy, and Alfreda.
  - b. Carrol Gene Kallenbach, was born Aug. 2, 1930. He married Barbara Long Aug. 2 1953. They were the parents of four children:
    - 1) Tresa Kallenbach born July 8, 1954 and married Fred Friess May 11, 1974.
    - 2) Ray Lee Kallenbach was born Mar. 1956, married Dana Feb. 8, 1981.
    - 3) Darel Gene Kallenbach was born Dec. 20, 1957 and married Debra Jolene Sullivan Nov. 5, 1977. They had two children: Timothy Ray and Brandon Cody Kallenbach.
    - 4) Barbara Ann Kallenbach was born Jan. 25, 1959, M. Jessie Blaine Lewis
  - Delores Kallenbach was born Feb. 23, 1933. She married Harold Morgan Feb. 22, 1951. Harold was born June 6, 1930. They had three children:
    - Connie Sue Morgan was born Apr. 2, 1952 and married Charles McPherson Dec. 27, 1978,
    - 2) Ronald Harold Morgan was born July 1950 and married Rose Marie Arriabarrena Aug. 10, 1975.
    - 3) Mike Morgan, born in Dec. ?. He married Emily Ann Brown Oct. 8, 1976.
- 3. Melvin Casey Jackson was born Mar. 20, 1912, in Graham Co, KS and married Opal Ellen Rodman June 20, 1936. Opal was born Oct. 3, 1915. They had five children:
  - a. Janette Yuvonne Jackson was born Nov. 1, 1937 and married Stephen Wayne Bump Aug. 5, 1954. They had three children:
    - a) Stephen Lee Bump, born May 30, 1955
    - b) Gail Diana Bump, born Oct. 21, 1956
    - c) Lance Melvin Bump, born July 27, 1959
  - o. Anna Lea Jackson was born Sept. 17, 1939 and married Myrlen L. Bell Nov. 30, 1956.
    - 1) Rickey Lee Bell was born July 11, 1957 and married Sherry Balding Nov. 5, 1977.
    - 2) Terry Lynn Bell was born Dec. 23, 1958 and married Sadonia Yant May 5, 1980. He was killed in car accident.
  - c. Clara Day Jackson was born Feb. 17, 1942 and married May 30, 1959, Jasper Doyle Pinion who was born Nov. 9, 1934. They had five children:
    - 1) Debra Kay Pinion, born July 21, 1960.

- 2) Connie Gaye Pinion born Sept. 11 1961
- 3) J. Doyle Pinion born Jan. 8, 1963
- 4) Dawn Ellen Pinion born June 10, 1964
- 5) Brenda Ann Pinion, born Aug. 8, 1968
- d. Zora Gaye Jackson was born Nov. 17, 1950. Her first marriage was to Stephen Davidson Dec. 6, 1968. She was divorced and her second marriage was to Dale Eugene Owens May 11, 1972. They had two children:
  - a) Paulette Owens born July 18, 1969 (adopted)
  - b) Monica Eugenia Owens born Sept. 27, 1972
- e) Zana Faye Jackson, Born Nov. 17, 1950, a twin to Zora Gaye, died Nov. 18, 1950.
- 4. George Ormand Jackson, born Mar. 16, 1915, died July 3, 1977 married Mildred Gertrude Frances June 21, 1942, born Aug. 30, 1914. They had one son:
  - 1) Jerry Lane Jackson, born June 24, 1943
- 5. Dennis (Donald) Dale Jackson was born May 29, 1917 and died May 29, 1917. (Editor's Note: There is a discrepancy with him because Lucille lists him first as Dennis, then later as Donald, so I have included both names. He is listed only once in this account because there is no additional information given when listed a second time.)

## David Edward Jackson (J. Edward, Levi, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

David was born June 18, 1888 in Sheridan Co, KS, the seventh child of James E. Jackson. He married Viola Mae Bass Mar. 30, 1908. Viola was born Mar. 2, 1888, in Graham Co, KS, died Dec. 11, 1969, and was buried in the Pleasant View Cemetery in Palco, KS. They were the parents of five children:

- 1. Arlie Virgil Jackson was born Aug. 2, 1908, North Star Ranch, Graham Co, KS. He married Helen Dreier Apr. 4, 1941. Helen Dreier was born May 12, 1914. They had two children:
  - a. Judy Grace Jackson, born Aug. 2, 1947
  - b. Donna Mae Jackson was born June 8, 1952 and married William McAfee May 31, 1975. William was born Dec. 26, 1951.
- Oliver Neil Jackson was born Feb. 11, 1911 in Rooks Co, KS. He married Vera Myrtle Gibson Mar. 30, 1933. Vera was born Nov. 9, 1912, Lenora, KS. They had three children:
  - a. Edward Neil Jackson, born July 15, 1935
  - b. Twila Glee Jackson born Sept. 19, 1936
  - c. Carlene Beth Jackson, born Nov. 6, 1938
- 3. Veda May Jackson was born Sept. 12, 1913 in North Star Ranch Graham Co, KS. She married Wilfred Eugene Griffith May 8, 1932, in Phillipsbury, KS. They had two children:
  - Carl David Griffith was born Mar. 1, 1937 in Graham Co. KS. He married Tillie Luna Aug. 17, 1967 and was divorced in 1978.
  - b. Doris Marie Griffith was born Apr. 4, 1938 in Spokane, WA. Her first marriage was to Philip Rhea Mar. 30, 1957, and they later divorced. Her second marriage was to J. W. Caul Feb. 2, 1979.
- 4. Forest Lane Jackson was born and died June 13, 1919.
- 5. David Elden Jackson was born Aug. 5, 1922, in Graham Co, KS. He married Doris Fountain Nov. 9, 1944. Doris was born Jan. 31, 1926, Hill City, KS. They had four children:
  - a. Ruth Elaine Jackson, born July 29, 1947
  - b. Kathleen May Jackson, born Aug. 12, 1948
  - c. Bruce David Jackson, born Mar. 17, 1952
  - d. Craig Jackson, born Feb. 26, 1957.

Richard Benjamin Jackson (J. Edward, Levi, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)
Richard was born Feb. 28, 1890 in NE, died July 19, 1945 in Sunnyside, WA. He married Rena Ann
Rakestraw Oct. 4, 1910. Rena was born Feb. 7, 1894. They were the parents of four Children:

- Ila Mary Jackson, born July 25, 1911. Her first marriage was to Everett Ellsworth Van Auker in Flagstaff, AZ. Everett was born Nov. 24, died in 1961. Her second marriage was in Oct. 28, 1927 and ended in divorce. Her third marriage was to Walter Russell Aug. 4, 1962. Everett and Ila were ther parents of four children:
  - a. Wanda Van Auker was born July 10, 1929. Her first marriage was to Paul C. Hughes

- d. David Dean Roslund was born Dec. 4, 1940 and married Judith Ann Briggs Feb. 3, 1962. They had two children:
  - 1) Scott David Roslund, born July 28, 1963
  - 2) Patrica Marie Roslund, born Sept. 30, 1964
- e. Kathleen Kay Roslund was born Jan. 12, 1944, and married Reed Richard Johnston Apr.
  - 21, 1967. Reed was born Jan. 9, 1942 and died in 1980. They had three children:
  - 1) Kay Wilmeta Jonhnton, born Mar. 30, 1969
  - 2) Andrew Reed Johnston, born Dec. 6, 1970
  - 3) Bridget Edith Johnston born Jan. 21, 1973.
- f. James Thomas Roslund was born July 23, 1946. His first marriage was to Ronnlee Johnston Apr. 23, 1966. Ronnlee was born Jan. 8, 1946 and died May 23, 1964. His second marriage was to Lori Hanson Feb. 14, 1981.
- Daisy Annon was born July 8, 1881 and died in Aug. 1964. She married William Belisle in Palco, KS.
- Francis Newton Annon was born Jan. 26, 1884 and died Oct. 7, 1950. He married Myrtle Rowland in Palco KS.
- 4. Opal M. Annon was born Sept. 30, 1887 and died Nov. 25, 1959. She married Gordon Beach in Detroit, MI.
- 5. Jessie L. Annon was born June 14, 1892. She married Albert Grant in Palco KS, and they lived in Grants Pass, OR.
- 6. Dora L. Annon, a twin to Dewey, was born Aug. 4, 1898 and died June 6, 1970. She married Walter A. Muchow who was born Dec. 31, 1895. They had three children:
  - a. Thula Mae Muchow
  - b. Robert Muchow
  - c. Mary K. Muchow.
- 7. Dewey L. Annon, a twin to Dora, was born Aug. 4, 1898 and married Margaret Louise Arnold June 28, 1927. Margaret was born Aug. 25. They lived in Caldwell, ID and had one daughter:
  - a. Dewetta Louise Annon was born Apr. 26, 1930 and married James Dean Coon Nov. 29, 1948. They had two children:
    - 1) Larry Dean Coon, born May 16, 1950
    - 2) Susan Louise Coon, born June 26, 1951.
- 8. George E. Annon was born June 18, 1900 and died Aug. 20, 1982. He married Opal Ragsdale July 3, 1923. Opal was born May 5, 1907.

#### George Levi Jackson (Levi, James, Samuel Jr. Samuel Jackson)

George was born in May of 1863 in Wells Co, IN and died in 1942 in Fairfield, NE. He married Hettia Hespri Brown Aug. 1, 1885. Hettia died in 1942, the same year as George and they are both buried in Fairfield, NE. They were the parents of six children:

- Lucy Adelaide (Addie) Jackson was born in Nov. of 1887 and married Jonas David Goding. They had 7 children: Georgia, Esther, William, John, Melvin, Warren, and Paul Goding.
- 2. Mary Jackson was born Oct. 1889 and married Warren Robb.
- 3. Mabel Jackson was born Nov. 1891 and married Knisely (Knicely)
- 4. William Jackson, no information
- 5. Name unknown, probably died in infancy.
- 6. Name unknown, probably died in infancy

George and Hettie raised a foster daughter, Betty Jean Kendall, born in 1921, married Vernon R. Brehm, and lives in Harvard, NE.

# Richard "Dick" Samuel Jackson (Levi, James, Samuel Jr. Samuel Jackson)

Richard was born Jan. 29, 1866 in Bluffton, Wells Co, IN and died Apr. 5, 1945 in Moreland, KS. His first marriage was to Martha Ellen Rardin Jan. 1, 1890. Martha was born Jan. 29, 1866, died Apr. 26, 1901, and was buried in the Pioneer Cemetery, between Milwaukee and Portland. She was the daughter of William Wesley Rardin, and Amanda Ellen Congrove,

Richard moved from Clay Co, NE to Rooks Co, KS in 1895. Several members of his family and some of Martha's relatives made the move at the same time. After Martha's death, Richard married

Oct. 18, 1943 and later divorced. Paul was born Apr. 6, 1922. Her second marriage was to Albert Thornell Feb. 6, 1974. Albert was born June 1924. Wanda and Paul had three children.

- 1) Gary Dean Hughes was born June 6, 1945 and joined Air Force 1965.
- 2) Paula A. Hughes was born Dec. 1946 and married LeRoy Kallia.
- 3) Beckey Ann Hughes married Mark Pasley Mar. 23, 1974.
- b. Darrel Richard Van Auker was born Mar. 7, 1931. His first marriage was to Leoda Plummer Aug. 8, 1958, and his second was to Alice Hardman.
  - 1) Kelly Rae Van Auker was born Apr. 2, 1961 and married 1980 Ricky Baker.
- c. Elwin Everett Van Auker, born Aug. 13, 1935, married Patsey C. Townsend May 25, 1957.
  - 1) Kimberly Van Auker was born Dec. 8, 1957 and married Michael Sarkis.
  - 2) Ricky Don Van Auker, born Aug. 4, 1959
  - 3) Wendy Rae Van Auker, born Feb. 11, 1962
- d. Carolee Mae Van Auker was born Dec. 28, 1937. Her first marriage was to Jerry Halsen, and her second to Larry Richard.
  - 1) Michael Halsen was born Oct. 28, 1953 and married Joyce Stone.
  - 2) Pamela Halsen was born Feb. 13, 1956 and married Mel Miller
  - Shelley Jean Halsen was born Feb. 17, 1958 and married Scott Sandlin. They had no children
  - 4) Darcy Rae Richard, born Nov. 17, 1963
  - 5) Charlena Richard, born July 14, 1965
- Rena Marie Jackson was born May 6, 1913. She married Norman Ralph Fisher Nov. 21, 1932.
   Norman was born Mar. 28, 1909. They had three children:
  - a. Norman Benjamin Fisher, born May 8, 1936, married Betty Lou Wheeler.1)
     Debora Marie, born Dec. 13, 1958
    - 2) Tammy Louann, born Dec. 1960, married George Booth
    - 3) Michael Norman, born June 19, 1962
    - 4) Janet Ruth, born May 10, 1964
  - b. Dorothy Ann Fisher was born Apr. 17, 1939. Her first marriage was to Lowell Wendt and her second to Glen Upton. Her children were:
    - 1) Jamie Glen Upton, born May 11, 1962
    - 2) Lori Ann Upton, born July 3, 1964
  - c. Ronald Dean Fisher was born Mar. 13, 1947. His first marriage was to Luene Selby, and his second to Sue. He had four children:
    - 1) Steven Dean Fisher, born Dec. 25, 1966
    - 2) Timothy Scott Fisher, born Mar. 10, 1968
    - 3) Gary Fisher born Jan. 7, 1970, a twin
    - 4) Cary Fisher born Jan. 7, 1970, a twin
- 3. Richard Gerald Jackson was born July 10, 1916 and died Dec. 2, 1942. He married Bernadine Green. Bernadine was born May 1920. They had two children:
  - a. Richard Eugene Jackson was born Sept. 1, 1939 and married Sheila Shaffer.
    - 1) Gerald Eugene Jackson, born Sept. 20, 1963.
    - 2) Tod Jackson, born Sept. 28, 1964
  - b. Robert Dean Jackson, born Sept. 10, 1942, married Marion Lang. They had two children:
    - 1) Jeffery Jackson, born 1971
    - 2) Joline Jackson, born 1974
- 4. Robert Elwin Jackson was born Jan. 21, 1919 and married Betty Neil, who was born Aug. 8, 1926. They had four children:
  - a. Sherry Jackson was born Aug. 18, 1947 and married Sam Mathews.
  - b. Kathy Lee Jackson was born Feb. 28, 1952 and married Leonard Otto.
  - c. Richard Eugene Jackson was born Mar. 28, 1957 and married Janet.
  - d. Mary Ellen Jackson, born Nov. 22, 1962.

## Thomas Henry Jackson (J. Edward, Levi, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Thomas was born Sept. 6, 1893 in NE and died Oct. 4, 1978 in Limon, CO. He was the ninth child of James Edward Jackson. He married Henrietta Lena Van Dyke June 26, 1912. Henrietta was born

June 3, 1894. They had four children:

- 1. Lela Marie Jackson, born Apr. 27, 1913, died Mar. 20, 1934
- 2. David Edward Jackson, born Mar. 26, 1915, died Apr. 15, 1931
- 3. James Everett Jackson was born Sept. 23, 1917. He married Louise Elaine Cole Sept. 10, 1938. Louise was born May 21, 1921. They had four children:
  - a. Larry Lane Jackson as born Oct. 15, 1940. He married Polly Anna Reeves Dec. 26, 1964. Polly was born Feb. 15, 1945. They had two children:
    - 1) Gregory Shane Jackson, born July 8, 1970
    - 2) Kathryn Denise Jackson, born Sept. 1973.
  - b. Thomas Herbert Jackson was born Jan. 17, 1942. His first marriage was to Linda Lytle, and they later divorced. His second marriage was to Gerry Lee Heid Jan. 19, 1963, and his third to Christy Maher. He had one daughter by first wife:
    - 1) Jodie Lynn Jackson was born Jan. 22, 1962.

He had two children by second wife:

- 2) Mark David, born Sept. 2, 1963
- 3) Amy Jonell Jackson, born Sept. 27, 1965.
- c. Linda Lee Jackson was born Apr. 24, 1943. Her first marriage was to Wayne Elliott Sept. 22 1960, and later divorced. Her second married was to Gerald Vaughn Gappa Mar. 17, 1983. They had two children:
  - 1) Steven Wayne Elliott, born Oct. 24, 1962
  - 2) Suzannah Lynn Elliott, born Nov. 3, 1964.
- d. David Leroy Jackson was born Aug. 5, 1944 and married Helen Button Dec. 28, 1965. Wayne and Helen had two children:
  - 1) David Leroy Jackson Jr. born Nov. 14, 1966
  - 2) Jeffery Quinn Jackson, born may 10, 1969.
- 4. Robert Leroy Jackson was born Aug. 19, 1923 and married Jean Elizabeth Reed Oct. 23, 1945. Jean was born Sept. 22, 1926. They had five children:
  - a. Katherine Elaine Jackson was born July 13, 1946 and married James Katamura Aug. 17, 1968. James was born Jan. 24, 1941. They had three children:
    - 1) Jamie Tatsue Kitamura, born July 30, 1972
    - 2) Kara Emiko Kitamura, born Mar. 11, 1975
    - 3) Jana Jean Kitamura, born Nov. 2, 1978
  - b. Karon Rose Jackson was born Nov. 5, 1947 and married May 27, 1968, Joe Seither. They had one daughter:
    - 1) Ranee Jean Seither, born Oct. 29, 1971.
  - c. Helen Marie Jackson was born Apr. 22, 1951 and married John Schuyler Nov. 15, 1981. They had one son:
    - 1) Philip Jackson Schuyler, born Apr. 14, 1983.
  - d. Donald Robert Jackson was born Aug. 30, 1949. He married Moira Jean June 14, 1969. Moira was born Oct. 15, 1949. Their children were:
    - 1) Ryan Christopher Jackson, born Nov. 4, 1971
    - 2) Kevin Patrick Jackson, born Jan. 20, 1973
    - 3) Kelli Nicole Jackson, born Nov. 19, 1976
    - 4) Tiffany Leigh Jackson, born July 16, 1981
  - e. Ronald Leroy Jackson was born Aug. 11, 1954 and married Debra Jean Aug. 11, 1974.
    Debra was born July 15, 1956. They had two children:
    - 1) Derek James Jackson, born June 22, 1978
    - 2) Christopher Matthew Jackson, born Nov. 16, 1982.

#### Amelia "Eva" Evelyn Jackson (Levi, James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Amelia was born Jan. 13, 1857 in Bluffton, IN, and died Oct. 26, 1946, at the age of 89 years, 10 months, and 13 days. She was 13 years old when her parents, Levi and Lucy Jackson moved in 1870 to Nebraska, settling near Spring Ranch.

At one time, Eva worked for some people by the name of Bainster in Clay Co, NE. The Bainster's had a trading post, and Spring Valley was the rest stop as it was the last good watering place before the

wagon trains crossed over to the Platte Valley. The Indians used it when on their way to the fall hunt.

Eva married William Harrison Meredith Sept. 4, 1873 in a dugout at Spring Ranch. They celebrated their sixtieth wedding Anniversary in 1933 with a family reunion. They moved from Spring Ranch for a short period of time, and took the family to Oklahoma when the Indian Territory was opened for homesteading. They were unsuccessful, so returned to Lawrence, NE where they had moved to in 1886. They they lived the remainder of their lives in Lawrence.

William Meredith was born Feb. 29, 1848 in KY, the son of Jonathan and Martha Sarah (Allen) Meredith. He died Mar. 30, 1935 in Lawrence, KS at the age of 87. William was a farmer and had a farm produce business. He built up a large poultry, cream, and egg business. He also bought and sold scrap iron and dug wells.

Eva was confined to a wheel chair for about fifteen years before her death due to a stroke. In her later years, she lived with her twin daughters Leila Zalman, and Letha McCord, who took care of her. At the time of her death she was survived by three sons, two daughters, twelve grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

Eva and William were the parents of nine children, two sets of twins, one set died in infancy:

- Lucy E. Meredith was born Aug. 27, 1874 in Spring Ranch, Clay Co, NE and died Sept. 18, 1911 in Lawrence, NE. She married Daniel King. When Lucy died she left a family of small children which her parents Eva and William Meredith reared. The names of the children are unknown.
- 2. Letha Meredith was born Nov. 1878 in Spring Ranch and died Nov. 21, 1957. Her first marriage was to Fox, and her second was to William McCord.
- 3. Lelia Meredith was born Nov. 17, 1878 (a twin to Letha) and died Sept. 15, 1966. Her first marriage was to Rudolph Tucker Sept. 5, 1896 at Seward, NE. He was drowned on June 16, 1901 while on a fishing trip on the Blue River at Milford, NE. Lelia's second marriage was to August Henry Zelman Aug. 24, 1902. They had one known son:
  - a. William Robert Zalman was born Jan. 29, 1909 in Lincoln, NE. He married Eunice Theone Frey June 2, 1946. Eunice was born Dec. 12, 1913 in Elwood, NE, the daughter of Omer Ray Frey and Ida Elizabeth Hatcher. They were the parents of two children, both born in Lincoln, NE:
    - Jean Marie Zalman was born Mar. 31, 1947 and married Stephen J. Benson Oct. 25, 1969.
    - 2) William Reeves Zalman was born Oct. 2, 1952.
- 4. George Meredith was a railroad agent at Wolbach, and was living in Harrison, AR in 1946.
- 5. Edward Meredith, a twin to Mary, died in infancy.
- 6. Mary Meredith a twin to Edward, died in infancy
- 7. Ethel Meredith
- 8. Ray Harrison Meredith was born Feb. 19, 1889 in Lawrence, NE and died Mar. 16, 1957. He married Viola C. Daniels Aug. 30, 1928. He worked for several years at Burlington Railroad, where he was an operator at York and Hastings.
- 9. Leonard J. Meredith married Edith. He was a Burlington railroad operator at Oxford.

The following is from caption printed a photo-copy of a newspaper clipping, (name and date of paper unknown):

"MR. and MRS. W. H. MEREDITH, Minden NE - Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meredith celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Lawrence, NE last Tuesday. A large number of relatives and friends spent the day with them in memory of the event. Mr. and Mrs. Meredith both came to Nebraska while quite young and were married at Spring Ranch, NE, and have lived in this state continuously ever since with the exception of a few months in Oklahoma. The day was spent in recalling old times and renewing old acquaintances and a celebration befitting the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Meredith have seen many improvements and developments made as the country was very young when they first came here. They can also recall many troublesome times with the Indians in this state.

The following is from a photo-copy of a newspaper clipping from "The Omaha Bee-News" Friday,

Sept. 8, 1933;

The caption below the photo:

"With their five children around them, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Meredith of Lawrence, NE, Monday celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. The children are Mrs. Leitha McCord and Mrs. Lela Zalman, twins, and George, Ray and Leonard Meredith."

The associated article reads:

"FIVE CHILDREN AT CELEBRATION Lawrence, Sept. 7. - Mr. and Mrs. William H. Meredith, who were married Sept. 4, 1873, in a dugout at Spring Ranch NE, Monday celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary here in company with their five children.

For three years after their marriage they farmed near Deweese, grasshoppers taking their first crop in 1874.

From this farm they moved to Lawrence where Mr. Meredith dug wells and then built up a large poultry, cream, and egg business.

They became the parents of nine children, including two sets of twins. One set of twins, Ed and Mary, died in infancy; a daughter, Ethel, also died in infancy.

Their other children are Mrs. Leitha McCord in Bladen and Mrs. Lela Zalman of Lincoln, who are twins, and George, Ray and Leonard Meredith.

All the sons took up railroading. George is Burlington agent at Wolbach, Leonard is Burlington operator at Oxford, while Ray after several years as Burlington operator at York and Hastings, returned to Lawrence to operate the produce station."

The following was taken from a report written by the **Spring Ranch Home-Makers Club**. **Spring Ranch** 

Spring Ranch was a stopping place for stage coaches as early as 1850. The first town site of Spring Ranch was established in the early 1870's by James Bainter, Robert Cargill, Lewis Thayer, and D. W. Evans. James Bainter came to Clay County in 1857 settling on Section 16-5-8, now know as "the Pawnee Ranch".

The Spring Ranch post office was established in 1870, with Lewis Taylor as postmaster. This was the second post office established in Nebraska. The first child born in Spring Ranch was Sheridan Bainter on May 11, 1871. The first death among the settlers was Edward Harper in August of 1864. E. J. Jackson and Mary Cargill were married in 1874, this being the first marriage ceremony performed in Spring Ranch.

The first school in the Spring Ranch territory was opened in 1872 and was taught by Annie Foster. This school was held in the James Bainter home. Elder Warwich held the first religious service in 1871.

Spring Ranch was on the south side of the Little Blue River when it was established in the 1870's. It was located where the Spring Ranch Cemetery is today. The first church was also on this plot of ground.

The railroad came through Spring Ranch in 1886. History tells us of a terrible snowstorm which came very suddenly out of a clear blue sky. The temperature dropped below freezing in only a few minutes. Twenty men who worked for the railroad were frozen to death. At the time the railroad came, Spring Ranch was moved from the south side of the river to the north side. In order to obtain a depot in town, it was necessary for the town's people to subscribe money to the railroad.

In 1873 an election was held in Little Blue Precinct to vote on helping **Peck** and **Meston** build a mill. There were 59 votes for the mill and 54 against. The vote was a favor to aid them in ten percent bonds for \$7,000. People came from fifty to one hundred miles by team-drawn wagons to

have their ground into meal.

Business places in town in past years were: T. J. Kemp, post office and hotel; D. Burnett, general store; Mrs. C. A. Brown, millenary store; J. Hutchinson, wagon shop; A. Meston operated the flour mill, broom factory, lumber yard, implement store and elevator. In it's flourishing years, Spring Ranch had a population of 113. Today there are five people living on the town site.

The following men were the first to homestead in the Spring Ranch area. Lewis Whitcomb, father of Levi Whitcomb, staked out his claim in 1873. Mortimer N. Kress of "Wild Bill Kress" as he was better known came to Spring Ranch in 1869. When he went to take out his claim, he found that only two entries had been made. In the winter of 1869-1870, Mr. Kress build a log cabin to live in.

M. J. Jouts was the third man and Bill Jouts the fourth to settle in this area. Daniel N. Nettleton came to Clay County and homesteaded 160 acres in March of 1872. Later he purchased 320 acres adjoining his homestead. Mr. Nettleton represented Clay County in the State Legislature in 1883 and again in 1907. In 1907, he became the Speaker of the House. He was elected again in 1909. Mr. Nettleton was a veteran of the Civil War and he cast his first vote for Abraham Lincoln before reaching the age of 21.

Mr. Nettleton's homestead and adjoining land was purchased by Remmer and Hilke Johnson in 1904. They made it their home until 1926, when they moved to Gienvil. At the present time, their daughter, Mrs. Lucy Valentine lives there and owns it. It has been in the Johnson family for 62 years. Mrs. Valentine was born at the place and has lived there all of her life.

#### Mary Hannah Jackson (Levi, James, Samuel Jr. Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born May 3, 1859, died Feb. 24, 1943, married Francis Marion Annon Dec. 31, 1877. Mary and her family moved from Clay Co, NE with her brothers Richard, Frank and her parents, along with other relatives and friends to Rooks Co, KS. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Lucy Antoinette Annon was born Nov. 30, 1878 and died Jan. 3, 1953. Her first marriage was to John William Seidell and her second to Richard Clotfelter. Her Children were:
  - a. Wilmetta Seidell was born May 6, 1909 and married Oscar Herman Roslund Oct. 2 1928. Oscar was born Nov. 17, 1905 and died in Jan. of 1979. They had one child:
    - 1) Delores Marie Roslund was born Nov. 13, 1930 and married Howard Ira Comstock Nov. 1, 1947. Howard was born Sept. 5, 1924. They had four children:
      - a) Drew Howard Comstock was born June 28, 1948. Her first marriage was to Dale Cline and her second to Tonilee Rundiki Sept. 29, 1979.
      - b) Robert Stanley Comstock was born Apr. 20, 1950 and married Paula Rockerfeller Dec. 5, 1970.
      - c) Jane Marie Comstock born 29 Dec. 1955.
      - d) Diane Dolores Comstock, born Sept. 1, 1957.
  - b. Martin Herman Roslund was born Sept. 18, 1932 and married Barbara Bigelow Mar. 16, 1952. Barbara was born Oct. 17, 1933. Their children were:
    - 1) Debra Jean Roslund was born Mar. 13, 1954 and married Simon Young.
    - 2) Melinda Roslund, born Oct. 4, 1956
    - Mark Steven Roslund was born May 19, 1959 and married Karen Nixon June 30, 1979
  - c. Richard N. Roslund was born Dec. 18, 1934 and married Shirley Grace Easlick June 12, 1955. Shirley was born Apr. 18, 1937. They had four children:
    - 1) Lourie Ann Roslund was born Feb. 14, 1956 and died Aug. 16, 1956.
    - 2) Richard N. Roslund Jr. was born Jan. 19, 1958, and married Roxanna Waldron June 3, 1978. Roxanna was born Dec. 20, 1958.
    - 3) Kimberly Lynn Roslund was born Sept. 19, 1959 and married William Rohrbacher Jan 19, 1980.
    - 4) Michael Lee Roslund born Apr. 29, 1963

Estella Alice Cooper Coffey in 1917. She was born in 1872 and died in 1959 in Moreland, KS.

Richard had six children by his first wife Martha, and one son by Alice. His children were:

- Herbert Wesley Jackson was born Oct. 7, 1890, died in 1945 in CA. He married Nellie Baird, daughter of David and Ellie Baird. They had one known son:
  - a. Layton Wesley Jackson, married Eileen Winter.
- 2. Feral Lois Jackson was born Mar. 18, 1892, in Spring Ranch, Clay Co, NE and died in 1981 in cottage Grove. She married Otto Lucherhand and they had no children.
- 3. Effie Ellen Jackson was born Aug. 10, 1894, Spring Ranch, NE and died May 14, 1980 in Los Angeles, CA. Her ashes were strewn in the Ocean, by the Neptune Society. She was in the Military Service of the Women's Army Corps in WW II. She married Wallace Howell Martyn Dec. 19, 1917. Wallace was born June 18, 1894 in Roseburg, OR and died Dec. 16, 1982 in Santa Crey, CA. He was the son of Charles W. Martyn and Myrtle Howell. Wallace was in WW I. He was an attorney. They were the parents of three children:
  - a. Phylis Martyn was born Aug. 3, 1921 in Chicago, IL. Her first marriage was to Benjamin F. Brandon Jr May 16, 1941. Benjamin was the son of Benjamin and Ethel (Singer)
     Brandon. Phylis' second marriage was to Miles L Nall, and her third to Walter G. Koch. She had three children by her first husband Benjamin:
    - Michael Ben Brandon was born Feb. 19,1943 and married Mary Kouenski July 2, 1969. Mary was the daughter of Henry Anthony Kouenski.
    - Barbara Joy Brandon was born May 25, 1945 and married John Thorp III Aug. 18, 1961.
    - 3) Beverly R. May Brandon was born May 3, 1953 in Salem, OR.
  - b. Nancy Martyn was born Nov. 30, 1922 in Chicago, IL. Her first marriage was to Gerald W. Ravencroft in 1944, her second was to John Baranger, and her third was to John Wardlow
  - c. James Martyn was born June 14, 1926. He was a bachelor and lived in CA.
- 4. Bryan Jackson was born July 11, 1896 in Palco, KS and died Jan 13, 1936 in Woodbridge, NJ. He marmried Hannah Kley who was born June 14, 1897, the daughter of Charles F. and Amelia (Bentle) Kley. The had one one son:
  - a. Richard Kley Jackson,
- 5. Faith Jackson was born Aug. 8, 1898, Milwaukee, OR and died Dec. 27,1908.
- 6. Fern Jackson was born Mar. 22, 1901 and died Sept. 5, 1901.
- Robert Levi Jackson was born Sept. 1921 and married Mary Eunice Dickerson in 1942. They
  were the parents of four children:
  - a. Bryan Jackson, born Sept. 7, 1946
  - b. Robert Jackson, born May 22, 1949
  - c. Richard Jackson, born Jan. 4, 1953
  - d. Laurie Ann Jackson, born Aug. 30, 1955.

The following is from a newspaper clipping, (name and date unknown). A photo-copy of a picture of **President Reagan** with a woman is poorly reproduced and one can recognize the President, but can only see that the woman is elderly. The picture has the following caption:

"President Reagan shakes hands with retired teacher Hannah Jackson of Wood-Ridge following a speech at a Republican Party fund-raiser in Parsippany.

The following is the accompanying article:

An 88-year old retired school teacher from Wood-Ridge got a big surprise from her granddaughter yesterday when she was ushered into a private room at the Parsippany Hilton to say hello to **President Reagan**.

Hannah Jackson, she also has a home in Hopatcong, said she is a stalwart Republican supporter and contributor who was thrilled to shake hands with the President.

"I told him who I was, that I supported the Republican Party all my life, and I extended my blessings to him. He said, 'Blessings to you."

The brief meeting was set up by Mrs. Jackson's granddaughter, Susan Jackson of Hopatcong, with the help of Morris County Republicans and White House staff.

Susan Jackson, knowing that her grandmother is a devout Republican and a big fan of Reagan's, bought two tickets to the GOP luncheon and then got on the telephone to Morris

County Republican headquarters asking if it were possible for **Hannah Jackson** to meet **Reagan**. She then called the White House directly and succeeded in reaching the executive staff, which sent work to the advance team in Parsippany to make arrangement for the meeting.

Susan Jackson celebrated her 36th birthday yesterday and used the occasion to get her grandmother to Parsippany on a ruse: "I told her I was taking her to the Hilton for her birthday, and then she finds out she gets to see the President."

As soon as Reagan's speech was concluded, the younger Jackson quickly shepherded her grandmother out of the ballroom. "I told her we had to leave to meet somebody. She said, "Who, the President?"".

The following is a letter written by Martha Ellen (Rardin) Jackson, wife of Richard S. Jackson

8:39 PM Palco KS, Oct. 12, 1895

Dear Cousin.

After so long a time I'll try and take up a few moments of your time. Firstly, we are all well, only I've got lame eyes. Secondly, I'll try and give a record of our goings on for the last two months. You know I wrote you I was coming down here on a visit. Intended to start about Sept. 1st, but we had it so hot and dry from June 2 (no rain to amount to anything after that deluge) and all our crops were a failure, so as Pa and everyone from here wrote that there was lots of work and good crop prospects, and as Dick would be obliged to go away to work; and as we've had three almost complete failures (and are away back on taxes and interest on our farm) (but out of debt otherwise) so we were so discouraged with Clay County, we made up our minds to try it in Kansas for a little while. So we arranged matters to start Aug. 27. Well, as the day broke hot and clear as usual and we were hustling betimes finally got started about 12:30.

First was a covered spring wagon with two bay ponies attached (Nell and Biddie). Ed Congrove, I, and the three kids, a quantity of coats, shawls, quilts etc. Secondly, a covered buggy and old gray mare (Doll), Aunt Bets and Laura. Thirdly, covered wagon and sorrel team with Uncle Corlo driving. Fourth, a loaded wagon (Dick on top, a gray and sorrel hitched before). Fifth, a loaded wagon Charlie Hoit on top driving a gray team. Sixth, a cart in which was Dick's father and mother. Then three cows, three loose horses and ponies. Lastly, Frank Jackson on a pony as marshal. All started gaily.

It didn't look as if it would rain this fall. **Dick** had a little money to leave at Lawrence, so sent the three light vehicles on ahead (the spring wagon, cart, and buggy). We got to Lawrence (ten miles).

About 4 o'clock a big rain was coming. It struck immediately (we were at **Dick's** sisters), and how it did rain and blow for an hour. When it ceased, **Frank** rode into town and **Dick** sent some money and paid for us to stay all night. (They could only get within three miles of town, the roads were so slippery), but we didn't stay, we drove back to camp. It rained all night.

We traveled about 10 miles next day - rained a good share of the time. Of course, we had to stop in houses. We were having lively times though and lots of fun.

The third day, **Dick's** father, mother, **Frank**, **Herb**, **Ferol**, **Ellen** and I went on ahead to hunt a place to water and graze at noon, while the rest were doubling up every hill and there were lots of them. Well, we passed a good place because we thought there wasn't grass enough (it was a nice day over head but so muddy on the hills) and went on a couple of miles over forty-leven hills and stopped and unhitched.

Well, when they got to the place we had passed, their teams were five out and it was noon, so they stopped and thought we would drive back because we had no loads, but we didn't, we went to a house and bought our dinners (they had the grub boxes) so fooled them. Though of course they came to the conclusion that was what we had done so the rest didn't get to laugh very hard at us.

That night we camped out. Had a nice place (and we were a jolly lot). Next day traveled good and camped on a hillside. A rain was coming up so we women and kids slept in a house. The men got wet of course. Next day it cleared off early, but the roads were horrid. We made very poor time. We camped out on a high divide between the N. and S. Solomons that night, three miles north of Osborne.

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But we had an adventure that day, **Dick** and **Charlie** hitched up and went on ahead of us after dinner with the loads (we were north of the North Solomon) and when we went to go down off the bluff it was a steep - sidling - rocky road, and **Ed**, **Ferol**, **Dick's** mother and I were in the spring wagon. **Aunt Bess** had the baby. **Herb** was in the cart with his grandpa.

Well, we'uns in the spring wagon upset completely were all scart a little (or a good deal) my face was beet red. I was pretty generally shaken up. Ed said he wasn't hurt, but I <u>fell</u> on him. **Dick's** mother, she is 70 years old, was badly bruised and frightened, but there was no bones broken, and our horses didn't act bad, so we escaped miraculously.

Well, the next morning old folks, I and the kids, Uncle Orio, Aunt Bess, and Laura left the rest (in the covered buggy and spring wagon) intending to drive to Pa's that night (some 60 miles), but we got within 18 miles and stayed all night. It was so late and a lonely road. Then came on next morning, got there before 10 o'clock. The boys got there at ten that night, but they had to leave the cows back 12 miles for a couple of days.

Uncle Orlo and Aunt Bess and Laura only stayed until Thursday morning, and started back. They got home safe and sound Sunday eve. Charlie and Ed came to work and have been busy ever since are going to start home tomorrow. We rented a house and moved to ourselves in two weeks. Dick's father, Mother, and Sis live together. Frank is working out. Dick has put up hay to do him and has been busy all the time.

I have worked out of doors lots this fall. I've helped **Dick** rake hay and haul hay - cut cane - dig potatoes and c. Now we have rented a farm 9 miles west of where we are living and **Dick** and I are batching it out here and running two sulky plows. We plowed 20 A last week and just came back this eve. (We went home Thurs. eve) will plow tomorrow, then go to **Dick's** sisters tomorrow eve so **Dick** can help them thresh Tues.

I'll help Mary to cook (and eat). The kids are with their Grandpa and Grandma Jackson. I'm just weaning Effie Ellen and she does raise cane when I'm with her, but is good when I'm away. She has not nursed since a week ago, but today she would yell "Mammy - Mammy - tittie".

I suppose the boy has arrived (or is it time). Everyone is well here. Only, Will R. has a boil. I saw Frank and Eva R. this eve, also Roy R. He is a fine boy I tell you. Well, supper is cooked, so lets set up and eat. Come have an egg and a tater.

List of people in the letter:

Trip from Clay Co, NE to Roots Co, KS.

Dick. Richard S. Jackson

Spouse Martha (Rardin) Jackson

Kids. Herbert, Ferol, Effie Ellen

Pa William Wesley Rardin - Martha's father

Ma Amamda (Congrove) Rardin - Martha's mother

Ed Congrove Amanda's relative

Dick's father Levi Jackson

Dick's mother Lucy Ann Jackson

Frank Jackson Dick's brother

Mary Jackson Annon Dick's sister

Charles Hoit

Uncle Orlo Aunt Bess Laura

WTill R. Will Rardin
Frank R. Frank Rardin
Eva R. Eva Jackson Rardin
Roy R. Roy Rardin, son of Frank
Bob Jackson Nephew of Dick's

#### SAMUEL J. JACKSON (James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

SAMUEL was born Jan. 4, 1834 in Delaware Co, IN. His parents James and Elizabeth moved to Liberty Township when he was three years old. The following was taken from "A History of Adams and Wells Counties of Indiana" by John W. Tyndall, and 0. E. Lesh in 1918. The book gives a

biography of both Samuel J. and his father James Jackson.

"Samuel J. Jackson. This is the name of one of the oldest residents of Liberty Township, Wells County. The Jackson family have been here fully eighty years. It would be a difficult matter to estimate and appreciate all the substantial work accomplished by a single family of such industrious people as the Jacksons in four-score years.

Many acres of land were cleared of timber and brush. Lowlands were drained, the soil was made to produce the crops which sustained mankind, homes have been built, and innumerable other services have gone into the composite activities which make Wells County what it is today.

The old home of Samuel J. Jackson is a mile north of Liberty Center. He was born three miles east of Muncie, in Delaware Co, IN, Jan. 4, 1834, a son of James and Elizabeth (Hooker) Jackson. James was the son of Samuel and Hannah (Gibson) Jackson born in Stokes Co. That interesting section of western North Carolina furnished a large migration to the northwest in the early part of the last century particularly to Indiana.

He was just three years of age when the family moved to Wells County, and his first recollections of this region are when few people were living here and when it was strictly a pioneer county. Doubtless his recollections extend back over a longer period than any other living resident. There was no transportation except by road through the woods for years after he came, and he was a mature man when the first railroad was built through this county.

As a boy his advantages were only those of the subscription schools. In 1856 he made an interesting trip to what was then the far west, to the territory of Nebraska, which then occupied a large place in the public mind because of the struggle over the Kansas-Nebraska Bill, which was soon to precipitate Civil War. He remained in the west only about nine months, and then returned to Wells County, and on Oct. 29, 1857, married Miss Sarah Foust. She is a sister of Adam Foust of Warren, IN. Mrs. Jackson was born Apr. 9, 1834 in Highland Co, OH, the daughter of Jonathan and Anna Foust.

In November, 1857, after his marriage, **Mr. Jackson** settled on a farm in Liberty Township, and then followed many industrious years of toil and enterprise as a farmer and also as a merchant and man of affairs in and around Liberty Center. In 1862 he responded to the needs of his country and enlisted in Company E of the Seventy-fifth Indiana Infantry.

He remained in service practically three years until the close of the war, and was mustered out at Washington in June, 1865. He and his good wife became the parents of nine children, and five are still living, James N., Amos L., Charles W., Rachel R., and Ida. The family are all members of the Christian Church at Warren, and Samuel J. Jackson has steadily supported Republican candidate and principles since the formation of the party back in 1856.

Sarah Foust Jackson applied on Apr. 7, 1915, in Huntington Co, IN for a widows pension. Mr. John J. Prible age 86 testified that he was personally acquainted with the claimant, and was well acquainted with the soldier Samuel J. Jackson, during his lifetime.

The affiant further says that he knows claimant Sarah A. Jackson was never married until she married said soldier and he said her husband Samuel J. Jackson were never divorced from each other at any time or place, and the said claimant Sarah A. Jackson has not remarried since the death of said husband.

The affiant says that he knows the above facts to be true from his own personal knowledge as he lived in the same vicinity as claimant and said soldier, and that he knew each one of them before they obtained marriageable age.

Wittnessed by Mrs. Prible and Mary Smith."

Samuel and Sarah Jackson were the parents of nine children:

- 1. James U. Jackson, born Oct. 13, 1858. See account.
- Jonathan L. Jackson was born Aug. 23, 1860 and died Oct. 1, 1860.
- Anna E. Jackson was born Aug. 29, 1861 in Wells Co. IN.
- 4. Adam L. Jackson was born Mar. 16, 1866 and died Feb. 17, 1867.
- Rachel Rose Jackson born Apr. 4, 1868 in Wells Co, IN. She married Cara F. Vore Jan. 19, 1887 in Wells Co.
- 6. Ida E, Jackson was born Apr. 1, 1870 in Wells Co and married Lorenzo Grove Sept. 19, 1888. They were living in Casper WY in 1919.
- 7. Amos L. Jackson was born Feb. 6, 1872, in Wells Co where he married Jennie Jones Oct. 24,

1895. He died Apr. 8, 1960, and was buried in the Mossbury Cemetery.

- 8. Samuel Alfred Jackson was called by his middle name and was born Oct. 24, 1874. He died Oct. 22, 1894 at the age of 19 years, 11 months, and 22 days and was buried Mossbury, Cemetery.
- 9. Chareles W. Jackson was born Mar. 7, 1877, in Wells Co, IN and married Navde Neil Sept. 30, 1899. They were living in Oklahoma in 1919.

# James U. Jackson (Samuel J., James, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

James, the eldest son of Samuel and Sarah Foust Jackson, was born Oct. 13, 1858 in Liberty Township, and died Mar. 27, 1947 in Wells Co, IN.

The following information on James U. Jackson is taken from "The History of Adams and Wells Counties" by John W. Tyndall:

"James U. Jackson, is a prominent business man of Liberty Center and for many years has been the leading lumberman of that locality. He was born in Liberty Township Oct. 13, 1858 and grew up on a farm until he was past fourteen years of age, at which date his father bought a store at Liberty Center. Mr. Jackson worked in the store while attending school. He finished his education in the Bluffton Normal School and for two terms was a teacher in Liberty Township.

For a long period of years he has been a lumber dealer at Liberty Center, but has many other interests. He has a farm of eighty acres, and is one of the directors of the Liberty Center Deposit Bank.

Mr. Jackson married Miss Sabina W. Smith Jan. 16, 1892. They have five children. The family are members of the Baptist Church and Mr. Jackson is one of it's trustees. Politically he has always supported the principles and policies of the Republican party."

They were the parents of five children, whose names were taken from the article:

- 1. Cecil W., Jackson, is married and lived in Liberty Township in 1919.
- 2. Paul C. Jackson unmarried, and "now attending an aviation school at Austin, TX".
- 3. Ettel Jackson was living at home in 1919.
- 4. Charles W. Jackson was in the United States Army at Camp Grant, IL.
- 5. Ruth Jackson was living at home in 1919.

In the petition to determine value of estate of Samuel J. Jackson, dated Nov. 12, 1919. James U. Jackson was named as the Executor and names his children. It also names grandchildren as Sadie of Ft. Wayne, IN, Zilora Decker of Robinson, IL, Mabel Pierce of Pontiac, MI, and Ruth L. Vore of Blufflox, IN.

Information also from the Pension application, Dept. of the Interior on Samuel Jackson sent to Lucille in by Karth Parrish

Article "Personal Histories" sent to Lucille by Mrs. James Jackson Bluffton, IN.

# Isaac Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Isaac wasborn in Stokes Co, NC ca 1887-88, the third son of Revolutionary War soldier Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson. He was reared in Stokes Co, near the Westfield Community. He married Namy Sizemore Dec. 12, 1808 in Stokes Co. The marriage bondsman was Thomas Bennett and T. Armstrong. The name of her parents are unknown.

The onlyinformation found on Isaac, he was living in Randolph Co, IN with a wife and five children, four som and one daughter when the 1820 census was taken. He could have left North Carolina at the same that his two older brothers Jehu and James made the move. Both went first to Ohio, and then conto Indiana, settling in Randolph Co. Or he could have joined them later in Randolph.

He was laring near his brothers in Deleware Co in 1830. He purchased land in section 33, Liberty Township Deleware Co in 1835. It may be possible that he never moved but the county lines were changed Isaac lived the remainder of his life in this county, dying in 1854.

Nancy Science Jackson died before 1833 we do not know how many children they had, their names, or what happened to these children.

Mr. James E. (Gene) Jackson, in Dallas, TX has been researching Isaac's family as he believes that he is Isaac's ancestor. Gene's ancestor was a Jehu Jackson born in Indiana in 1824, he would be the right age to be a son of Isaac, and he had always been told that his Jehu was an orphan boy who came to Missouri and married Eleanor Simmons. Eleanor was a descendant of Elizabeth Jackson who married Charles Simmons. They named one of their sons Isaac Jehu, and may have been after his father Isaac, and his uncle Jehu with whom he could have made the trip to Missouri. He also named one of his two daughters Nancy, could be after his mother Nancy Sizemore.

The 1850 census of Randolph Co shows Isaac married to a lady by the name of Jemima, 42 years of age, born in PA. He was living in #139, Perry Township, Deleware Co, IN. The 1860 census lists Jemimia as head of the household with seven children.

Isaac made his will Feb. 3, 1854 and it was probated July 21, 1854. He names six daughters, but did not name son Aaron. He left to daughter Rebecca, a cow, bed and bedding, and all remaining real and personal property to his wife for rearing the minor children and after her death, it was to be equally divided. The executor was John Jones, and witnesses were John F. Stiffler, and Peter Lennon.

Jemimia Jackson appeared before the Circuit Court in Delaware Co, IN May 8, 1856 and asked that she be "named the legal guardian to Margaret Buckles formerly Margaret Jackson, Aaron Jackson, and Miriam Jackson, all minors under the age of 21 years. That they had property in said County of Belton, and that the minors have selected the undersigned to be appointed by the Court as their guardian, that Caroline, Harriett, and Elizabeth Jackson, were minors under the age of 14 years, residence and having property in said county. That name of said minors have a guardian. They are all her children. Their father being deceased that the property of all the said heirs is of about the value of eleven hundred dollars, personal property about 200 dollars, Would therefore ask to be appointed guardian of said heirs."

Jemimia Jackson May 8, 1856.

Morristown, Indiana, 1857,

This certificate that I have this day chosen **Jemimia Jackson** as my guardian, myself being under the age of 21 years.

Margaret Jackson. Witnessed by John Jones.

(Note: In this, she names her daughter Margaret as Margaret Buckles. Isaac's will names his daughter as being Margaret M. Herriman. There is some question as to how this came to be.)

This certified that I have chosen **Jemimia Jackson** of Randolph County, Indiana to be my guardian, myself being under the age of 21 years, this the 7th day of August 1857.

Miriam Jackson Witnessed by Thomas Lewis.

The following list of the children of **Isaac** and **Jemimia Jackson** as shown on the 1850 census of Delaware Co, IN:

- i. Rebecca Jackson, born ca. 1835
- Margaret A. Jackson, born ca. 1837 (Married a man with last name Buckles or Herriman ??)
- 3. Aaron Jackson, born ca. 1839
- 4. Mary Ann Jackson, born ca. 1841
- Caroline Jackson, born ca. 1843
- 6. Harriett Jackson, born ca. 1846
- 7. Elizabeth Jane Jackson, born ca. 1849.

The following was taken from "Delaware County Indiana Wills, 1850-1860"

Name:

Jackson, Isaac

Residence:

Delaware County

Death:

Over 21

Age:

Spouse: Jemima

Sons:

Daughters: Rebecca, Margaret, Ann, Caroline, Harriett, Elizabeth Jones

Bequests: Cow, bed and bedding to Rebecca. All remaining real and personal property

to wife for rearing the minor children. After her death, equally divided.

Executor: John Jones

Witnesses: John F. Stiffler, Peter Lennon

Dated: 2-3-1854 Probated: 7-21-1854

# Samuel Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Samuel was born Mar. 14, 1792 in Stokes Co, NC near the Westfield Community. He was the 4th son born to Revolutionary War Soldier Samuel Jackson and his wife Hannah Gibson. He grew up in Stokes Co, and while a young man left his home and moved to the state of Indiana. He is found in the 1830 census of Randolph Co, IN living near his three brothers, Jehu, James, and Isaac.

He married Jemima Cox in Ohio. Jemima was born Aug. 16, 1795, the daughter of William Cox and Elizabeth Thomas. They lived in the West River Township, Randolph Co, IN.

Mr. Wilbur C. Jackson a descendant of Samuel's writes that Samuel owned 360 acres of land and that he had located the land that he had left to his widow Jemima and his sons, John, William, and Jacob on a West River Township Map. His son John still held his original 80 acres and had added 40 acres which was part of the 120 acres Samuel had left to Jemima, and 80 more acres in Section #10. The remaining bequests had passed to non-family persons.

Samuel died Mar. 30, 1849, aged 57 years and 16 days. His will was recorded May 7, 1849. "The History of Randolph County, Indiana" by E. Tucker gives the birth of Samuel as 1796, and that he died at age 52. But according to the information that his mother, Hannah Jackson gave at the time that she applied for a pension, she stated that her eldest son Jehu was born in 1783 and that the other children were born two years apart. If Samuel was the 4th son, that would give his birth as near 1789, which would make him 60 years of age at his death. Jemima Jackson died Sept. 6, 1861 at age 66 years, 20 days. They are both buried at Economy, Wayne Co, IN.

Samuel and Jemima were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. William Jackson was born in 1816 and married Rachel. See account.
- 2. Hannah Jackson was born May 19, 1817 in Ohio and died Aug. 9, 1898. She was the daughter of Samuel Jackson and Jemima Cox. She married David Hutchins in Apr. of 1833 in Randolph Co, IN. David was the son of Joseph Hutchins, and a descendant of Strangman Hutchins of Yadkin Co, NC. David was a brother to Lewis Hutchins who married Hannah's sister Sarah. David was born in 1813 in Surry Co, NC. This family was living in West River Township, IN in 1850. After the death of David, Hannah married William Chamness July 17, 1853. William was a neighbor. It is not known if they had any children. She had seven children by her first husband David Hutchins, all born in Indiana:
  - a. Louis Hutchins, July 30, 1833
  - b. Ira Hutchins, born Oct. 22, 1836.
  - c. Jemima Hutchins, born Jan. 1, 1840.
  - d. Charlotte Hutchins, born Dec. 7, 1842.
  - e. David Hutchins Jr. was born Apr. 8, 1845 and married Amy Rity Hardwick.
  - f. William J. Hutchins was born Oct. 7, 1847 and died 1847,
  - g. Elizabeth Hutchins, no information available.
- 3. Elizabeth Jackson was born 1820 and married James Ballinger. See account.

- 4. Sarah Jackson was born Aug. 17, 1821. See account.
- 5. John Jackson was born in 1824 See account.
- 6. Anna Jackson was born in 1825 See account.
- Jemima Jackson was born in 1827 and married John Cox Apr. 16, 1846. John may have been a cousin as her mother Jemima Cox had a brother named John Cox. They lived in Randolph Co, IN.
- 8. Rebecca Jackson was born ca 1840, married A. M. Owens, and lived in Kansas.
- 9. Mary Jackson was born Nov. 7, 1841. See account.
- 10. Jacob A. Jackson was born in 1844. He was a Captain in 1861 in the Sixty-ninth Regiment, Indiana Volunteers, in the Civil War, and was wounded while in service. The name of his wife and children are unknown.
- 11. Malinda Jackson was born in 1848, married Couch and lived in Iowa.

Four of his daughters married men by the name of Hutchens, two sets of brothers and cousins, all the descendants of "Strangeman" Hutchens of Surry Co, NC.

The names of the children were taken from:

- \* His will listed in Book 1, page 36, Randolph Co.
- \* Two of his descendants, Mr. Wilbur Jackson, and Mrs. Annabella Ballinger.
- \* "The History of Randolph County" by E. Tucker.

## Jemima Cox (wife of Samuel Jackson)

Jemima was born in 1794 in SC, the daughter of William Cox and his first wife Elizabeth Thomas. She was a sister to Phoebe Cox who married Samuel's brother Joseph Jackson. She married Samuel Jackson in Ohio. Jemima died in Randolph Co, IN in 1861 at the age of sixty-seven. She was a member of the Society of Friends.

Cholera was epidemic in 1849-50, and at this time **Jemima** lost her mother, her husband **Samuel**, her eldest son **William**, and his wife within a six month time span. This must have been rough times for her.

William Cox, the father of Jemima was born in 1773 in SC and came to Stillwater, OH earlier, then to Randolph Co, IN in 1823. He settled in West River west of where William Chamness lived. (William Chamness was the second husband of Samuel and Jemmia's daughter Hannah Jackson.)

An entry in Hinshaw, Bush River MM shows that William Cox and children were received Dec. 26, 1795. The second entry in Mar. 29, 1806 shows that William Cox and family granted a certificate to Miami, MM, Ohio. They were received at Miami on Apr. 9, 1807. The names the children of William and Elizabeth Cox were given as Jemima, John, Elizabeth, Sarah, Phoebe born after their arrival in Ohio.

William Cox died in 1857 at age eighty-four years. He was married three times. His first wife was Elizabeth Thomas who died at age 76 years in Oct. 1849 of typhoid, after an illness of two weeks. His second wife was Nancy Mills. She died in 1855.

His third wife was Laura Owen. She was still living in 1882, aged seventy-five years. They had been married for only two weeks at the time of his death. She was a maiden of fifty when she married, then a wife for two weeks, and a widow for twenty-four years.

Information on the family of William Cox, was taken from "The History of Randolph County, Indiana" by E. Tucker. The names of his children were taken from Quaker records.

## William Jackson (Samuel, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

William was born in 1815 and died June 28, 1845, age 29 years, 8 months and 29 days. He was the eldest child of Samuel and Jemima (Cox) Jackson. He married Rachel who was born in 1816 and died Mar. 24, 1848 aged 31 years, 10 months and 3 days.

James Ballenger petitioned the courts in 1849 to be appointed the guardian of the children of William and Rachel. (Tucker says there were seven children but only the names of six were named in the guardianship papers.) James Ballenger was the husband of William's sister Elizabeth Jackson. Cholera was epidemic in Indiana in 1849 and 1850, the year in which they both died. They could have succumbed to that disease. Their children were:

- 1. Eli Jackson, born in 1835. See account.
- 2. Elizabeth Jackson
- 3. Hannah Jackson
- 4. Haron (or Harlan) Jackson
- 5. Richard I. Jackson
- 6. Jemima Jackson
- 7. Unknown child?

Except for Eli, there is no additional information known on any of the above children.

Information on the family of William Jackson was obtained from Mr. Wilbur Charles Jackson, Wheaton, IL. They were his great great grandparents. A letter received from Mr. Jackson states that he knew very little about the Jackson family, as he was only 12 years old when his father died, and that he had only seen his grandfather John William Jackson once, and that he never saw his grandmother Susan. He stated that he was acquainted with the section of North Carolina where his ancestors Samuel and Hannah Jackson lived. When he was working for Sunbeam, he often came through this section on his way to Elkin, NC, where Sunbeam had a factory, never suspecting that this was the place that his ancestors were raised, and that he still had some cousins living in the area.

## Eli Jackson (William, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Eli was born in Indiana in 1835, the eldest son of William and Rachel Jackson. He married Cynthiana Carr in 1854. Cynthiana was born in 1833. Eli died Feb. 15, 1862 two months before his youngest son was born. They were the parents of four children:

- Mary Melissa Jackson was born Aug. 13, 1855 in Newton, IN and married Jacob H. Rileman Dec. 24, 1874.
- John William Jackson, born Jan. 23, 1859, and died in 1929. He married Susan Ellen Neville Feb. 10 1831 in Tippecanoe, IN. Susan Ellen Neville was born Mar. 25, 1861 in Decatur, Macon Co, IL, the daughter of Charles Edward, and Olivia (Simms) Neville. William and Susan are both buried in Hannibal, Marion Co, MO.

William and Susan were the parents of seven children:

- a. Minnie Jackson was born Dec. 13, 1881 and died Mar. 30, 1903.
- b. Lorinda Jackson was born July 7, 1884 and died Aug. 17, 1887.
- c. Orlando Thomas Jackson was born May 30, 1886 and died in 1887.
- d. Charles William Jackson was born Oct. 22, 1887 in Marion, MO and died Dec. 2, 1927 in Trinidad. He married Ella Mulroy July 20, 1908 in Orlando, Cook Co, IL. Ella was born July 19, 1885 in DeKalb, IL and died Jan. 8, 1969 in Wheaton, IL. Both are buried in the Hinckley Cemetary in Dekalb, IL. They had one son:
  - Wilbur Charles Jackson was born Apr. 10, 1915 in Moberly, MO. He married Virginia Sept. 11, 1943 in Oak Park, Cook Co, IL. They had three sons:
    - a) Thomas Jackson was born in 1949 and was killed at age 20 in 1968 in a car accident.
      - b) Peter Jackson was born in 1950 and married Mary. They had one son, Colin.
      - c) William Jackson was born in 1957 and works for the western division of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad.
- e. Nancy Frances Jackson was born Feb. 6, 1889 and died Oct. 22, 1889.
- f. Oliva Ann Jackson was born Feb. 18, 1892 and died Nov. 20, 1839. She married William Stewart.
- g. Alice Hattie Ellen Jackson was born Nov. 19, 1902. Her second marriage was to Glenn Johnson.
- 3. Olive Lorinda Jackson born Aug. 30, 1860, Newton, IN and married David T. Smith Apr. 17,

1879.

4. Eli Andrew Jackson was born Apr. 15, 1862 and died in Aug. 2, 1862.

## Elizabeth Jackson (Samuel, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth, called "Betsy" was born in 1820 in Randolph Co, IN, the daughter of Samuel and Jemima Cox Jackson. She married James Ballinger Dec. 6,1836 in Randolph. It is assumed that she died in Randolph before 1877, because she was not named in James' estate papers.

James was the son of Jesse and Rebecca Wright Ballinger. In 1849 he had petitioned to the courts to become the guardian of the six children of Elizabeth's brother William who, along with his wife, had died in 1849. He is buried at Economy, Wayne Co, IN. William and Elizabeth were the parents of nine children, all but Joshua were born in Randolph Co, IN:

- Ain Ballinger was born Mar. 2, 1838 and married Mineva Baley Apr. 27, 1861 in Randolph Co.
  They were of the Quaker faith. They moved to Fairfield, Walton Co, WI in 1863. He died Dec.
  31, 1918 in Fairfield and was buried the Baraboo Cemetery, Baraboo, WI. They were the parents of six children.
- Jesse Ballinger was born in 1845 and married Lorena Hoggott Dec. 11, 1869. He died in Randolph Co. Dec. 27, 1870, and is buried the Union Chapel Cemetery in West River Township.
- 3. Mahlon Ballinger was born in 1847 and married Emily Marshall.
- 4. Lydia Ballinger, born 1851
- 5. James Ballinger, born 1852
- 6. Samuel Ballinger, born 1853
- 7. Eliza Ballinger, born 1855
- 8. Elizabeth Ballinger, born 1858
- Joshua E. Ballinger was born in 1861. He married Jennie Swaim June 5, 1880 in Wayne Co, IN. He died Feb. 22, 1937.

Information Elizabeth and James Ballinger is from his estate papers, sent by Mrs. Annabella Ballinger.

#### Sarah Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was born Aug. 17, 1821, the daughter of Samuel and Jemima Cox Jackson. She died May 12, 1907 in Peterson, Clay Co, IA. She married Lewis Hutchins Mar. 28, 1839 in Randolph Co, IN. Lewis was descendant of Strangeman Hutchins, one of the first settlers in the Yadkin Valley, in Rowan Co, NC, which is now Yadkin Co. Lewis was born in Surry Co, NC in 1816 and died in 1890 in Spencer, Clay Co, IA.

The 1830 census shows this family in West River Township, Randolph Co, IN. They moved to Woodland Township, Sauk Co, WI in 1855, and were still there in the 1870 census. Sarah is buried at Peterson, Clay Co, IA. (Info from Clay Co. Iowa Death Records, Book 2, page 8.)
They were the parents of twelve children:

- 1. Samuel Jackson Hutchins was born ca 1840 in Indiana and died 1908. He married Elizabeth (Betsy) Hall in 1865. Elizabeth was born ca 1845 in Indiana. They were in Woodland Township, Sauk Co, WI in 1870.
- Hannah Malinda Hutchins was born ca 1842 in Indiana and died in 1932. She married Nathan Davis in 1858. Nathan was born Aug. 17, 1837, the son of Mark Davis and Rebecca Osborn.
- 3. John Hutchins was born ca 1844 in Indiana and died in the Civil War, in 1863. He was unmarried.
- 4. William Lewis Hutchins was born ca 1846 in Indiana. He married Malinda Beeson.
- Rebecca Ann Hutchins was born ca 1848 in Indiana and died in 1919. She married David Miller in 1867.
- 6. James Clayton Hutchins was born ca 1851 in Indiana. His first marriage was to Cassie (Catherine) Tunks in 1872. His second was to Sarah Green 1891.
- 7. Jonathan Elzy Hutchins was born ca 1854 in Indiana. He married Julia Satterly in 1872. They lived at Athelstone, WI.
- 8. Jemima Jane Hutchins was born ca 1857 in Indiana and died 1928. She married John Williams in 1891.

- 9. Mary Elizabeth Hutchins was born ca Feb. 1860 WI and died in 1881, unmarried.
- 10. Sarah Ellen Hutchins was born ca 1863 in WI and married Roy Carpenter in 1883.
- 11. Clara Hutchins was born ca 1865 in WI and died in 1867 at the age of two.
- 12. Martha Alice Hutchins was born ca 1868 in WI and died in 1903. She married Edgar J Cole.

# John Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

John was born in 1824 the second son and fifth child of Samuel Jackson Jr. and Jemima Cox. John grew up in Randolph Co, IN, and married July 14, 1842 Miss Susannah Peacock, the daughter of William Peacock who was an associate judge for a number of years. John was a merchant and a farmer

The names of their children are unknown, other than a daughter Rebecca. See the account of their son, Judge Alonzo L. Bales.

Rebecca Jackson was born Aug. 23, 1846 in Randolph Co, IN. She married William Bales who was born in 1843 in Wayne Co, IN. "William was engaged in farming in West River Township, Randolph Co, IN for many years. They belonged to that splendid type of Americans now passing. Work to them was a duty cheerfully performed without thought of distinction rewards, to attend church, and to work for their living, and did not ask of life more than the satisfaction that comes of faithful performance of what was laid upon them."

#### Rebecca died in 1913 and William in 1918.

The name of their children are unknown except for one son, Alonzo L. Bales.

William Bales was the son of John Bales and Nancy McMullon who married Jan. 1, 1832 in Henry Co, IN. John was born in Jefferson Co. TN in the spring of 1816, the son of Jacob Bales and Sarah Melvaney. His father came to Indiana and settled in Wayne Co, locating between Economy and Hagerstown his wife. Jacob's parents were natives of North Carolina and were of the Quaker faith. They were charter members of the Quaker Church in Randolph Co, in 1820.

The following article on Alonzo Bales was taken from "The History of Indiana": Hon. Alonzo L. Bales.

"One of the most honored and dignified of the jurists of Indiana, Hon. Alonzo L. Bales, has proven his ability, his sense of justice and his knowledge of men and the motives which govern him, for a number of years, and is still the incumbent of the circuit, and one of the leading citizens of Winchester. He was born in Randolph Co, IN, on Sept. 25, 1864, a son of William D. and Rebecca (Jackson) Bales.

Judge Bales attended the common schools, and had a short period in the Winchester High School, which preparation enabled him to secure a license to teach at the age of twenty years, and for the following ten consecutive winters he was engaged in teaching. During this decade he employed his leisure time in studying law, and in 1891 was admitted to the Indiana bar. In 1895 he established his residence at Winchester, and began the practice of his profession.

On Sept. 1, 1892 Judge Bales married Miss Martha Fouts, born in Wayne Co, IN, a daughter of Henry and Mary (Boyd) Fouts, also a native of Wayne Co. Judge and Mrs. Bales became the parents of four children.

Mary Jackson died in April of 1901, and in June of 1905, Judge Bales married Miss Emma Engle who was born at Winchester, IN, a daughter of Edmund and Gertrude (Bishop) Engle. Her father Edmund Engle was born near Chester Co, PA, and she at Cincinnati, Ohio. During the war between the states, Edward Engle served with the rank of Captain in Company H, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

Judge Bales is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Winchester, and one of it's trustees, since 1904 he has been the teacher of the Men's Bible Class, and is otherwise active in church work.

Very active in politics, Judge Bales was early called upon to accept public office, and from 1898 to 1900 was Prosecuting Attorney of Randolph Co. When he completed his term in office, he formed a partnership with John W. Mary and James P. Goodrich, but two years later Mr. Macy became circuit judge, and Alonzo Nichols took his place in the firm, which became Nichols, Goodrich and Bales, and this association continued until 1918. Judge Bales had one son by his second wife Emma Engle."

Judge Bales the father of five children, four by his first wife and one by his second:

- 1. Ralph W. Bales lived in Indianapolis, IN. He was the secretary and manager of the Indiana Dairy Products Association,
- 2. William H. Bales, who was an attorney at Muncie, Indiana,
- 3. Mary Bales, No information on Mary.
- 4. Ruth A. Bales married Max H. Fisch of Cleveland, Ohio. She was a graduate of Butler University and was a professor of Philosophy in the Western Reserve University.
- 5. **John Engle Bales** was the son of Judge Bales and his second wife. He attended the DePauw University.

## Anna Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Anna was born Jan. 6, 1826 in Indiana, the 6th child of Samuel and Jemima Cox Jackson. She married Thomas Hutchens Sept. 25, 1844. Thomas was born Feb. 13, 1825 in Indiana, the son of Hezekiah Hutchens. Thomas was a brother to James Hutchens who married Anna's sister, Mary Jackson. Anna and Thomas lived in Perry Township, Wayne Co, IN where their seven children were born. They moved to Woodland Township, Sauk Co, WI after 1865 and before 1870. Thomas died in 1888 and Anna died in 1913. They were the parents of seven children:

- 1. Ann M. Hutchens was born ca 1847 in Indiana and married Asa B. Stuck.
- 2. Ira Hutchens was born Oct. 4, 1848 in Indiana and married Margaret Ann Bolden.
- 3. Jacob Hutchens was born ca 1852 in Indiana and died unmarried in 1871 in Valton, Sauk Co, WI.
- 4. Macy C. Hutchens was born Mar. 17, 1856, Randolph Co, IN. His first marriage was to Sarah M. Sterlung.
- 5. Moses E. Hutchens was born in Dec. 1860 in Indiana. His first marriage was to Jane Gibbons. the name of his second wife is unknown.
- Clara B. Hutchens was born Oct. 5, 1865, died Oct. 26, 1865, and was buried in Economy, Wayne Co, IN.
- 7. (Child) Hutchens, died in infancy.

## Mary Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Mary was born Nov. 7, 1831 in Indiana, the 7th child of Samuel and Jemima (Cox) Jackson. She married James Hutchens June 3, 1848. James was born May 16, 1829 in Indiana, the son of Hezekiah Hutchens born in Surry Co, NC, a descendant of Strangman Hutchens. James was a brother of Thomas Hutchens who married Mary's sister Anna Jackson.

The Springfield MM in Wayne Co, IN, reported James marring contrary to discipline, and condemned his misconduct on Apr. 20, 1850. Mary was received into the Springfield MM on June 13, 1850, and they both were disowned Aug. 19, 1854 for non attendance and for joining two secret organizations. Mary's organizations were called "Daughters of Temperance" and "Good Tempers".

Mary died in 1902, James died Mar. 10, 1905. They are both buried at Economy, Wayne Co, IN. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Child **Hutchens** was born July 26, 1849 and died in infancy. (An infant died Aug. 7 18-- is buried by the parents and perhaps is this child. The date is not readable because of a broken headstone.
- 2. Eunice Hutchens was born Aug. 23, 1850 in Indiana and married Thomas Munbower.
- Sarah Alice Hutchens, "Alice" was born Sept. 19, 1852 in Indiana, married George W. B. Hardwick
- 4. Fremont Hutchens was born Aug. 10, 1856 in Indiana and married Nancy J. Gwin.
- 5. Mary Ellen Hutchens was born June 3, 1858 in Indiana and died Dec. 3, 1870 at the age of 12 years, 6 months. She is buried Economy, IN.

- 6. Alonza Hutchens was born May 5, 1867 and died June 13, 1867.
- 7. Clara Hutchens, born Sept. 7, 1869 and married John F. Pierce Sept. 21, ?. John was born Aug. 4, 1868 and died June 29, 1932. They lived in Economy, Wayne Co, IN. They had no children.
- 8. **Ida Hutchens** was born Oct. 26, 1872. She died Nov. 9, 1926 and is buried in the Economy Cemetery next to her parents.

Information on Mary taken from "The Descendants of Strangman Hutchens".

## John Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

John was born ca 1793 in Stokes Co, NC, the son of Samuel and Hannah Gibson Jackson. He grew up in Stokes County where he married Miss Nancy King on July 2, 1819. Nancy was the daughter of Johnston King Jr., and his wife Margaret Stanley.

John and Nancy moved to Delaware Co, IN, before 1830, because he is found in Delaware Co in the 1830 census, along with his brothers, Amer, Hiram, Isaac, and James, and Nancy's father Johnston King.

"The History of Wells County, Indiana" states that the first two settlers of Liberty Township in 1836 were James Jackson, a brother of John's, and a Henry Mossbury. The following year, 1837, they were joined by Grabiel H. King and Johnson King. These men were Nancy's brothers. Her brother Johnson had married Matilda Mossbury. She may have been the daughter of the Henry Mossbury who, along with James Jackson, was the first two settlers of Liberty Township.

Liberty Township was organized in 1842, and the first election was held at **Johnson King's** house, **Nancy's** brother.

Nancy's father Johnston King Sr. died in Delaware Co, in Nov. or Dec. of 1831. The sale of his estate was held Dec. 8, 1831. His son-in-law John Jackson was administrator. Some names that bought during the sale were: John Jackson, James Jackson, Johnson King, Garrett Gibson, and Lemuel G. Jackson. This Lemuel G. Jackson is connected in some way to this set of Jacksons, but have not been able to find the name of his parents. The Garrett Gibson listed was probably the nephew of Hannah's because it is believed that she had two brothers, James and Garrett Gibson and both of them had a son named Garrett who moved to Indiana.

The last information on **John** and **Nancy** was when he was named administrator of her father **Johnston King's** will in 1831. Where this family moved, or the names of their children are unknown. There is a family living in LeClede, MO in 1850 that is believed to be this **John**, the son of **Samuel Jr**.

The following is taken from the 1850 census of LeClede Co, MO:

John Jackson, born North Carolina, age 53 (This would have been the right age.)

Wife: Nancy Jackson age 53, born North Carolina Daughter: Louisa age 25, born in North Carolina

Three children born in Iowa.

A 3 year old child named Samuel was living in their household.

(If this is **John** was the son of **Samuel**, he would have moved from Delaware Co, IN to Iowa before moving to LeClede Co, MO in 1839, where his son **Jehu** was born in 1839.)

The following children were listed with John and Nancy in MO:

- 1. Louisa Jackson, age 25, born in North Carolina
- 2. Armstead Jackson, age 21, born in Iowa
- 3. Andrew Jackson, age 15, born in Iowa
- 4. Nancy Ann Jackson, age 13 born Iowa
- 5. Jehu G. Jackson, age 12, born in MO
- Samuel H. Jackson, age three born in MO. (This is probably a grand child living in their household.)

Since John and Nancy were married in 1819, and the 1850 census show Louisa's age as 25, they probably had at least two more children that were older that was not listed on the census records.

The names of Samuel, Jehu and Armstead are names found in almost every Jackson family connected with the families of Samuel Jr. and Samuel Sr. They named a son Amstead. One of Samuel Sr.'s sons Amer named a son Armstead. If this John is not the son of Samuel Jr., then the questions remain:

- 1. Who are his parents?
- 2. What happened to John after 1831 in Deleware Co, IN?

# Amer Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Amer was born in Stokes Co, NC in 1797-98, the son of Samuel Jackson Jr. and Hannah Gibson. He grew up on his father's farm in the Westfield Community, and according to a book on "Early Families of the North Carolina Counties of Rockingham And Stokes with Revolutionary Service" his wife's name was Elizabeth Watson. A marriage is recorded in Stokes Co, NC of Amer Jackson and Elizabeth Watson on Nov. 6, 1823. There is also a marriage recorded for Amer Jackson and Nancy Hooker on Oct. 10, 1827 in Stokes Co. It is believed that this is the same Amer because his uncle Amer, son of Samuel Jackson and Catherine Plankinhorn, was the only other Amer living in the area at that time.

The 1830 census of Delaware Co, IN shows that he had left Stokes Co, NC and joined his brothers in Delaware Co, IN. His brothers living in the area at that time were Isaac, James, and Hiram Jackson. He was living in Randolph Co, IN in 1840, and he was in Harrison Township, Wayne Co, IN in 1850.

On the 1850 census of Wayne Co, IN lists his age as fifty years, and that his wife was named Nancy, age forty-seven and both born in North Carolina. His first wife Elizabeth Watson must have died soon after their marriage, and he then married Nancy Hooker. The oldest child listed on the census was twelve years old, born ca 1838. Since they were married in 1827, it is likely that they had children that had married and left home. There were two other children living in their house hold during the census, Celia A. Ray age two years, and Nancy Ray age one year.

These may have been their grandchildren. The names of their children listed were:

- 1. Jemima Jackson, age 12
- Elizabeth Jackson, age 11
- 3. Henry L. Jackson, age 10
- 4. Martha L. Jackson, age 7
- Rachel Jackson, age 4
- William Jackson, age 19 months.

#### Hiram Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Hiriam was born Oct. 28, 1801, in Stokes Co, NC, the son of Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson. He moved to Putnam Co, IN where he married Miss Nancy Malcolm in 1826. Nancy was born in 1797 and died in Putnam Co. on Sept. 20, 1864 at the age of 64.

Hiram moved overland to Missouri in about 1835, crossing at Alton. While in the act of boarding the flatboat, the cable broke, tossing the team and wagon into the river, and little George Jackson narrowly escaped drowning. Having gained the shore, they continued their journey, settling in Barry Co, MO. They entered some government land, built a log cabin and made some improvements. They then sold out and moved to Illinois, crossed at St. Louis, MO, and settled in St. Clair Co, MO. This was in 1838. They lived there five years, then pulled up stakes and moved to Washington Co, where he entered a claim on 160 acres of land, erected a neat frame dwelling, the first of the kind in the neighborhood.

Hiram improved the whole tract in Washington Co, and in 1849 he sold out and moved to Texas. There he bought a farm of 900 acres of land, lived there but two years, and again cast his fortunes with the people of Illinois, settling in Scott Co. There he purchased a small farm of 40 acres, sold this, and again moved to Macoupin Co. There he farmed until by the affliction of sore eyes and had to give up work altogether. He then lived with his children until his death.

Hiram died Nov. 9, 1875 at the age of 71. Hiram and Nancy were the parents of eleven children:

- 1. Samuel A. Jackson was born ca 1827. He left his family in 1854 and moved to St. Louis, MO, where all records are lost.
- 2. Mary A. Jackson was born ca. 1828 and died in 1840.
- 3. Silas Jackson was born ca 1829. (A twin?)
- 4. George W. Jackson was born ca 1829. See account.
- 5. Nancy Jackson
- 6. Diana Jackson
- 7. Phoebe Jackson
- 8. Matilda Jackson died in 1842 with measles and whooping cough.
- 9. Hiram Jackson Jr. died in 1842 with measles and whooping cough.
- 10. William H. Jackson died Ma. 9, 1875.
- 11. **Jehu Jackson** enlisted in Jacksonville, IL Mar. 9, 1865. He was in the in the Voluntary Army 20 days when he died of Pneumonia at Camp Butler, on Mar. 29, 1865.

Taken from "The History of Morgan County", 1878.

# George W. Jackson (Hiram, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

George was born Oct. 19, 1831 in Indiana, and followed the changes of his father's life as recorded under Hiram Jackson in "The Morgan County Directory". He was listed as a farmer, and stock raiser, his address as Sec. 25, P. 0. Manchester. George W. Jackson was married twice, first to Miss Matilda J. Davis on Aug. 22, 1849 by Rev. Mr. Collins, in Washington Co. They had seven children. Matilda died Sept. 19, 1863, and George married Sarah Jane Radford Aug. 3, 1865, at the home of Dr. Gillette, in the city of Jacksonville. There were the parents of eight children. George served as constable of Morgan Co, in 1860. Both were members of the United Baptist Church. The children of George and Matilda were:

- 1. Martha Ellen Jackson
- 2. William R. Jackson
- 3. James H. Jackson
- 4. Silas Jackson
- 5. Sarah J. Jackson
- 6. Mary Alender Jackson
- 7. Nancy Isabell Jackson.

The children of George and Sarah were:

- 8. Charles W. Jackson
- 9. Mary M. Jackson
- 10. Claressa Jackson
- 11. Odella Jackson
- 12. George L. Jackson
- 13. Samuel K. Jackson
- 14. Minnie Jackson
- 15. Otis Jackson

## Joseph Jackson (Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Joseph was born Aug. 23, 1804 in Stokes Co, NC, the youngest son of Samuel Jackson Jr. and Hannah Gibson. He left the farm in Stokes Co when he was around twenty-one years old, and went to Randolph Co, IN to join seven of his brothers who had previously had made the move. Some of them settling in Randolph Co, and some in Delaware and Wells Counties. They were Jehu, James, Isaac, John, William, Samuel Jr. and Hiram. Joseph married Phoebe Cox Sept. 6, 1827 in Randolph Co.

Samuel and Phoebe were living in Randolph Co when their first four children were born, in Wayne Co when the next daughter was born in 1836, in Delaware Co in 1838 where two more children were born, then moved to Tippecanoe Co, where their last two children were born. They made their last move to Louisa Co, IA in 1856, where he died Mar. 25, 1858.

Phoebe Cox was a sister of his brother Samuel's wife, Jemimia Cox. They were the daughters of William Cox and Elizabeth Thomas. William Cox was born in SC in 1773 and moved to Ohio, then from there to Randolph Co, IN in 1823. Phoebe was born before their move to Indiana. The Cox family were members of The Society of Friends, Quakers. Phoebe was born Apr. 4, 1807 in Montgomery Co, OH.

A story that has been passed down through the generations was that **Phoebe** went to a funeral where she saw **Joseph Jackson** for the first time, but did not know him. She went back home and told her sisters that she had seen the man that she was going to marry. They laughed, as she was a birthright Quaker and **Joseph** was a Methodist. Their marriage is recorded at the Court House in Randolph Co, IN. A few weeks after the wedding, a group of Quaker ladies called on **Phoebe** and told her if she would get up in church and admit that she was sorry, they would not take her name off the register. She told them that she was not sorry, and that she would not do it. So that ended her membership as a Quaker. **Phoebe** smoked a corn cob pipe and would always keep her tobacco in a bag looped on the back of her chair. She always ate her supper at 4:00 o'clock. **Phoebe** died October 10, 1899 at age of 92, outliving her husband by forty-one years.

They were still members of the Methodist Church when they died. They are both buried in the Ashbury, Cemetery in Olds, IA.

# Joseph and Phoebe were the parents of nine children:

- 1. Elias Gibson Jackson was born May 25, 1828 in Randolph Co, IN. See account.
- 2. John Henry Jackson was born Dec. 8, 1829 in Randolph Co, IN. See account.
- 3. Rubes J. Jackson was born ca 1831 in Randolph Co, IN. See account.
- 4. Jesse S. Jackson was born Nov. 20, 1833 in Randolph Co, IN. See account.
- 5. Elizabeth Anne Jackson was born Jan. 11, 1836 in Wayne Co, IN. See account.
- 6. Sarah Jane Jackson was born in 1838 in Delaware Co, IN. See account.
- 7. Henrietta Jackson was born Oct. 19, 1840 in Delaware Co, IN. See account.
- 8. Joseph Jay Jackson was born Feb. 11, 1842 in Tippecanoe Co, IN. See account.
- Abnex Jackson, called "Todd" was born ca 1846 in Tippecanoe Co, IN. He married
   Lydix Leeper. He was a blacksmith by trade, and lived in Idaho. There is no more information
   available at this time.

#### Information on the family of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox was obtained from:

- \* Ms. Sherry Hucks, a descendant of his daughter Elizabeth Ann
- \* Mrs. <(Sue) Schafer a descendant of his daughter Sarah Jane
- \* Wir. Joe Barthel, a descendant of his daughter Elizabeth Ann
- \* Mr. Keith Parrish furnished the war records of Joseph's four sons who fought in the Civil War.

#### Elias Gibson Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Elias was born May 25, 1828 in Randolph Co, IN and died Feb. 26, 1916 in Olds, IA. Elias was the first borschild of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox. He was married to Margaret Beauchamp on Nov. 13, 1853 in Washington Co, IA, by Rev. A. J. Kirkpatrick. Margaret was the daughter of John Beauchamp and Nancy Wilson, who were of French descent.

Elias effected in Company F. 11th Iowa Infantry Volunteers, and served for three years. He applied for a pension of Jan. 2, 1915. At that time, he was living in Olds, IA. The pension papers show that he was marked three times. After the death of Margaret Beauchamp, he married Katherine Slucks Nov. 26, 1897. She died Jan. 30, 1901 in Hendricks, IA. His third marriage was to Sarah Simmons Jan. 14, 1906. Sarah died May 13, 1912 in Marshalltown, IA. He stated that he had no knowledge of these lastwive's first husbands, and that his six children were by his first wife Margaret Beauchamp. His paper were dated Mar. 12, 1915, and on Jan. 4, 1916 his pension of \$27.00 was dropped from the roll, because of Elias' death Feb. 26, 1916. Elias and Margaret Jackson were the parents of six children:

Marialene Jackson was born June 21, 1855 and died Nov. 23, 1878. She married

William Hewitt and they lived in Louisa Co. Iowa.

- 2. Margaret Frances Jackson was born Oct. 17, 1857 and married William L. Huston. He was a farmer and they lived in Elm Grove, Louisa Co, IA.
- 3. Albert Jackson was born Aug. 10, 1860 in Louisa Co, IA.
- Oletha Jackson was born June 18, 1862 in Louisa Co, IA and married John Sickafoose. She died June 26, 1914.
- 5. Martha Jackson was born Nov. 19, 1865 in Louisa Co, IA and married George Spangler from Henry Co, IA.
- 6. Fred Jackson was born Feb. 25, 1867 in Louisa Co, IA.

The following is taken from "Louisa County, Iowa" written 1889:

Lieut. Elias G. Jackson:

A general farmer and stock-raiser, residing on section 32, Elm Grove Township, was born May 25, 1828, in Randolph Co, IN and is a son of **Joseph Jackson** and **Phoebe Cox**, the former a native of Stokes Co, NC born Aug. 23, 1804, and the latter of Montgomery Co, OH, born Apr. 19, 1807. They were united in marriage in 1827, in Randolph Co, IN where **Joseph Jackson** followed the occupation of farming. The paternal grandfather of our subject, **Samuel Jackson**, served during the Revolutionary war, while **James Jackson**, an uncle, fought in the War of 1812, and was under the command of Gen. **Hull** when he surrendered to the British at Detroit. In every war of our country the **Jackson** family has been represented, in all of which, as soldiers, they proved efficient and faithful.

Our subject received his education in a subscription school in his native county, which was taught in a log house, and there resided until 1852, since which time he has made his home in Louisa Co. He was compelled to leave his native state on account of ill-health, but his family resided there until 1856, when, having determined to make this his future home, he returned and brought them to Louisa Co. He was united in marriage, Nov. 13, 1853, with Miss Margaret Beauchamp, who was born in Pickaway Co, OH, May 20, 1827 and is a daughter of John and Nancy (Wilson) Beauchamp, who were of French descent. By their union six children have been born.

In 1854 Mr. Jackson purchased 120 acres of land on section 32, Elm Grove Township, and upon that farm all his children were born and grew to maturity. Beginning life in Louisa Co, in very limited circumstances, he, by hard labor, with good management and economy, gained a comfortable competency, gave each of his children good education, and as they left the parental roof aided them in establishing in business for themselves. When the Rebellion broke out Mr. Jackson responded to his country's call for volunteers, enlisting in the 11th Iowa Infantry for three years service, as a member of company F.

Upon the organization of the company he was elected Sergeant, filling the office creditably and well. In 1863 he was unanimously elected Second Lieutenant, holding that office at the time of discharge. He participated in many of the hard fought battles of the war, including those of Shiloh, Corinth and Luka, and was with Grant when he started to meet General Sherman at Vicksburg. On the way the regiment was under fire for several days, and finally had to retreat, but at length reached Vicksburg, where he participated in the siege of Jackson, Mississippi, and was with the gallant regiment from 1861 until Aug. 1863, when, on account of failing eyesight, he was obliged to resign and return to his home. Brave and faithful, he fought earnestly to preserve the Union, suffering the trials and hardships of war uncomplainingly, and was honorably discharged after two years service.

Returning to his home, Lt. Jackson there remained until 1864, when he made a trip to the West, reaching home again in 1865, after which he once more turned his attention to farming. He makes a specialty of raising fine horses, and to him is due much credit for the fine grade of stock to be found in this part of the State,

For the past few years he has retired from active life, and is now living upon the fruits of his former labors. In his political sentiments he is a Republican, and is deeply interested in the success and

welfare of that party, being an earnest advocate of its principles. Socially, he is a member of the Masonic fraternity, and the G.A.R. belonging to the post at Winfield, while religiously, he is a member of the Christian Church. He is numbered among Louisa County's most honored citizens, who have aided in her growth and prosperity, and his sketch deserves a prominent place in her history.

Mrs. Leola Tobin, great granddaughter of Elias and Margaret Beauchamp Jackson. Now (1987) 81 years of age, born May 5, 1906 in Walnut, KS, was ten years of age when Elias died, in 1916, she say's that she remembered him well, and all the stores he would tell her about his experiences when he was a soldier in the war.

Leola married Everett Tobin in 1932. She became interested in researching her family history in the 1960's and has a tremendous amount of information that she has collected over the years. She lives in Washington, IA and is still active in volunteer jobs, does a lot of church work in the St. James Catholic Church where she has been a member ever since her marriage in 1932. Her grandmother was Martha Jackson daughter of Elias. Leola had no children.

# John Henry Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

John was born Dec. 8, 1829 in Randolph Co, IN. Married Dec. 8, 1852-53, in Tippecanoe Co, IN. Nancy Snider born in Tippeccanoe, IN on Oct. 31, 1837, In 1850 they were living near Fiemont, IA in Keokuk Co. In 1874 they moved to Ottawa, KS, where he was a farmer. Henry died Dec. 8, 1929 in Randolph Co, IA. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Luther Jackson, born ca 1857
- 2. Janette "Nettie" Jackson, born ca 1859
- 3. Jane Waide "Jennie" Jackson
- 4. Meniver W. Jackson born in 1867 in Keokuk, IA
- 5. John Snyder Jackson, born in 1878
- 6. Ruben Proter "Teni" Jackson, born 1878, lived in Ottawa, KS
- 7. Nancy K. Jackson, born In 1875, married Albert Hodge

## Ruben C. Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Ruben was born ca 1831, in Randolph Co, IN, the second son of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox. He married Miss Emeline Martin Nov. 11, 1852, at the home of J. Beecham, in Wapello, Louisa Co, IA, by Reverend Michael See. The marriage is recorded in Book A, page 234, Wapello, Louisa Co, IA.

Ruben enlisted as a private in Company F, Eleventh Iowa Infantry and was discharged Feb. 9, 1863. Two of his brothers, Jesse and Joseph were in the same infantry company.

Dessie Jackson appeared before a Notary Public in McLean Co, IL on July 2, 1897, saying that she was the daughter of Ruben C. Jackson and Eveline Jackson, his widow. She said that Ruben was a private in Company F, 11th, Iowa Infantry, and was discharged Feb. 9, 1863, and died in insane asylum in Jacksonville, IL on Jan. 5, 1893, and at the time of is death that he was an applicant for pension, the number being 473,938.

She said that her mother Eveline Jackson widow made application for pension on or about June 20, 1893, and that the application contained the name of Dessie, a minor daughter, who was born Nov. 26, 1878, and that her mother Eveline Jackson had died June 13, 1895 in McLean Co, IL, leaving this petitioner sole only applicant for pension, that neither the soldier or his widow Eveline had been previously married. Petitioner, Dessie Jackson makes this declaration in order that she may be paid.

In the State of Kansas, Cherokee Co, on July 20, 1898, one Mary Jackson appeared before a Notary Public, age 49, a resident of Galina, Cherokee Co, KS, and declared that she was the widow of Ruben C. Jackson who enlisted in Company F, 11th Regiment Iowa Infantry, and that he died Mar. 8, 1894. That she married under the name of Mary Pitman to Ruben C. Jackson on Mar. 19, 1868, by a Justice of Peace, near Spring Hill, Johnson Co, KS, and that she or her husband had not been previously

#### married.

She stated that they were the parents of six children and that no application for pension had been filed by the soldier. That she had not remarried since the death of said soldier, and that she was without other means of support than her daily labor.

Is it possible that there could have been two men by the name of Ruben C. Jackson who served in the F. Company, 11Th Regiment Iowa Infantry. Family researchers give the name of Ruben C., son of Joseph wife as Eveline Martin. An article written about Ruben's brother Elias Jackson stated that he lived in Kansas and was a railroad man and a contractor. Did Ruben C. Jackson desert his wife Eveline and daughter Dessie and move to Kansas and marry Mary Pitman without getting a divorce? This question is asked because both women stated that he had never been married before.

## Ruben C. Jackson and Emeline Martin were the parents of one daughter:

1. Dessie Jackson, born Nov. 26, 1878.

Ruben C. Jackson and Mary Pittman were the parents of six children: (as given on her application for pension and were under the age of sixteen)

- 1. Thomas Edward Jackson, born Sept. 30, 1882
- 2. Lee Andrew Jackson, born Dec. 14, 1885
- 3. Ida Bell Jackson, born Oct. 27, 1886
- 4. Charles Jackson, born Mar. 4, 1888
- 5. Francis Jackson, born June 8, 1890
- 6. Henry Jackson, born Jan. 25 1892.

Ruben married Mary Pittman in 1868 so there could have been four or five more children that were older than 16 when he died.

Information from Mrs. Sherry Huck gives the wife of Ruben. Jackson as Eliza Martin and niece of Henry C. Martin, who was the husband of his sister Elizabeth. On his daughter Dessie's application for pension gave her mother's name as Evaline Martin, and stated that she was an only child.

There are three children buried in the Beauchamp Cemetery that are said to be children of Ruben C. Jackson, son of Joseph and Phoebe:

- 1. a girl, born 1847 and died July 19, 1858, 11 years old
- Jack Jackson born 1845 and died Mar. 5, 1855, 10 years old.
- 3. Nellie died Apr. 26, 1870, age 1 year and 6 months.

If the birthday is correct for **Ruben Jackson**, son of **Joseph** (1831) these 10 and 11 year old children could not be his sons, as he would have been only 13 and 15 years old when they were born. So maybe there were two men by the name of **Ruben C. Jackson**. If so, then this raises the question of who is the parents of the other one?

# Jesse Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Jesse was born Nov. 20, 1833 in Randolph Co, IN, the third son of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox. He enlisted Sept 22, 1861 in Crawfordsville, Washington, Co, IA as a private in Company P, Eleventh Iowa Infantry for the Civil War, and was honorably discharged at Galesville, AL, Oct. 17, 1864, after serving three years and one month.

His description at the time of enlistment was: Height, six feet and no inches, Complexion, dark, color of eyes, Hazel, color of hair brown. His occupation was listed as a farmer.

He applied for a pension in Polk Co, IA, on Dec. 10, 1908, stating that he was 75 years old and was a resident of Polk Co, IA. His address was 314 Raccoon Street, Des, Moines, IA. He stated that he was married to Margaret Elizabeth Mickey in Henry Co, IA, by Rev. Prather Windfield, (he did not give the date) and that there was an official church record of the marriage in Mount Pleasant, IA. He stated that he never had been married before, and that his wife Margaret had no previous marriage.

He gave places that he had lived in after leaving the service, as being one year in 1865 in was Boone, IA, four years in Fredonia, IA, nine years in Kansas City, MO, twelve years in Columbus Junction, and three years in Des Moines. Jesse died in April or May of 1922 in Des Moines, IA.

His last pension check was dated July 4, 1922 and was returned to the Department of the Interior. He had received \$50 per month. He was buried in the Indian Creek Cemetary in Fredonia, IA. Margaret, wife of Jesse, died in 1921 in Columbia Junction, IA.

The names that he gave on his pension papers for his children were:

- 1. Joseph T. Jackson, born Oct. 1868
- 2. Edgar M. Jackson, born July 24, 1870
- 3. Charles C. Jackson was born Feb. 29, 1872. He was Chief of Police in Des Moines, IA, here he was killed by a Bandit. He is buried in Des Moines.
- 4. Maud M. Jackson, born Sept. 23, 1873
- 5. Jesse H. Jackson, born Feb. 9, 1875

Jesse and two of his brothers, Elias and Ruben were together at the battle of Vicksburg and Gettysburg. Elias was wounded. Someone told Jesse they saw Elias fall, so Jesse walked all night at the battlefield turning over the dead and dying looking for him. At day break he was sent on an errand, and found Elias on the way. He carried and placed him in a ditch at the foot of a tree until he could return. When he returned Elias' clothes were full of splinters that bullets had knocked off the tree. Jesse returned and Elias was taken to safety and medication.

#### Elizabeth Ann Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Elizabeth was born Jan. 11, 1836 in Delaware Co, IN. She married Henry Curtis Martin Sept. 1, 1853. Henry was born Aug. 17, 1824 in Pickaway, OH, and died Oct. 21, 1900 in Keokuk Co, IA. He was the son of Jehu/John Martin and Letitia Irvin/Irwin. Elizabeth died Oct. 6, 1912 at the age of 76 years, 8 months and 25 days. They are both buried the Old Cedar Township Cemetery, near Fremont, Mahaska Co, IA. They were the parents of eight children.

- 1. William T. Martin was born Feb. 22, 1857 in Louisa Co, IA and died in 1935. He married Elvira Triplett Aug. 21, 1887.
- 2. Josephine Martin was born Sept. 22, 1859 and died in 1907. She married Samuel Rankin.
- 3. Jessie Martin was born Dec. 6, 1861 and married L. F. Tidball.
- 4. James Jackson was born Sept. 4, 1864 and died in 1942.
- 5. Nelly Martin was born June 6, 1878 and died in Illinois. She married Bartel.
- Jennie Martin was born Sept. 22, 1866 in Louisa Co, IA. She married Carey Judson Triplett
  Apr. 11, 1888 in Keokuk Co, IA. Carey was born Apr. 12, 1857, in Warren Co, IL, the son of
  Mortimer and Nancy (Montgomery) Triplett. He died Apr. 17, 1941 in Keokuk Co, IA. Jennie
  died Mar. 11, 1942 in Mahaska Co, IA.

One of their daughters, Mary "Rena" Triplett, was born Dec. 9, 1894 in Cedar, Macaska Co, IA. She married Harley Albertson Sept. 15, 1915. Harley was born Feb. 15, 1894 and died Oct. 8, 1968 in Oskaloosa, IA.

Their son Kenneth Laverne Albertson was born Dec. 18, 1918, in Cedar Town, Ohio and married Verna Arlene Fax Mar. 9, 1947. Verna was born Nov. 17, 1921 in Harrison, IA. They had a daughter:

Sherry Ann Albertson born Apr. 2, 1955 in Muscatine, IA. Her first marriage was to Leslie Paul Franklin June 23, 1973. Leslie was born Mar. 4, 1952. Sherry's second marriage was to Hucks.

- 7. John Martin died young
- 8. WalterMartin died young.

Information on Elizabeth Ann Jackson was obtained from.

Sherry Albertson Hucks,

Elizabeth's birth and death certificates from Louisa Co, IA Henry's death certificate and Will

Marriage and other records.

# Sarah Jane Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Sarah was born Mar. 22, 1838 in Delaware Co, IN, the second daughter, and the sixth child of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox. She died May 24, 1889 in Lebo, Coffee Co, KS at age of 51. She was married at the age of 16 to Evan Crawford on Dec. 28, 1854 in white Co, IN.

Evan Crawford was born July 19, 1828 in White Co, IN and died Sept. 23, 1897 in Lebo, KS. His first marriage was to Rachel Jane Sterns (or Storm). The Crawford family lived in Kansas, and the story goes that during Quantrell's raid on Lawrence, KS, the family hid in the barn during the fire.

Evan and his first wife Rachel were the parents of one child:

 Jacob Crawford was born Nov. 17, 1850 and died in 1946 in Sacramento, CA. He married Matilda Smith Dec. 17, 1869 in Ottaway, KS.

Evan and Sarah were the parents of seven children.

- 1. Edward J. Crawford was born Nov. 7, 1857. See account.
- Henrietta Crawford was born Dec. 1, 1861 and died June 14, 1934 in Rantoul, KS. She married George Merrill Sept. 30, 1891 in Coffee Co, KS.
- Rachel Crawford was born in 1864 and died ca 1940. She married Benjamin Lillard July 5, 1880, in Ottawa, Franklin Co, KS.
- 4. Eva Crawford was born in 1867, Franklin Co, KS and died May 17, 1947 in Osage Co, KS.She married G. W. Hutchins.
- William Crawford was born Sept. 30, 1869 in Franklin Co, KS and died Dec. 27, 1944 in Emporia, KS. He married Etta Wilson July 3, 1889. They are buried Chicago Mound Cemetery, Lyons Co, KS.
- 6. Tilla Crawford was born Feb. 15, 1874. She died Mar. 18, 1957 in Emporia, KS, and was buried in Osage, KS. She married Burt B. Craig Jan. 3, 1894 in Coffee Co, KS.
- Reed Crawford was born in 1878, Franklin Co, KS and died ca, 1946 in Sacramento, CA. He
  married Fenton Dawson Dec. 17, 1899 in Coffee Co, KS. Their daughter Louise married Gibson.

#### Edward J. Crawford (Sarah, Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Edward was born Nov. 7, 1857, the son of Evan Crawford and Sarah Jane Jackson. He married Mary Baker Oct. 6, 1881. They were the parents of six children:

- 1. Maud Crawford was born in 1883 and died in 1966. She married Mort Simpson. They lived in Greenwood Co, KS and had ten children.
- 2. Claude Crawford was born in 1885 and married Pearl Bodine
- 3. Ethel Crawford born in 1887 and died in 1944. She married Howard Brown. They lived in Emporia, KS and had six children:
  - a. Marie Brown was born in 1911 and died in 1977.
  - b. Baby Boy Brown was born and died in 1912.
  - c. Helen Brown was born in 1917. Her first marriage was to Jack Morris and her second was to Robert Shuck. She had three children and lived in Long Beach, CA.
  - d. Howard Brown was born in 1921 and married Elizabeth Thompson. When last contacted, they lived in CA with their two children.
  - e. Edward Brown was born in 1923, married Esther Mason, later divorced.
  - Ethel Sue Brown, born in 1924, married Clarence J. Schafer their four children were:
    - 1) Janet Schafer was born in 1950 and married Roy Gregus. They had one son, Eric and live in Emporia, KS.
    - Joyce Schafer was born in 1956. Her first marriage was to Russell Barnes, and her second to Ronald Morgan. They live in KS.
    - 3) Joe Schafer was born in 1956 and lives in Oklahoma City, OK.
    - 4) Jill Schafer was born in 1958. Her first marriage was to Mahmond Zamani, and her second to Essy Panahi. She has one son Evan, born Apr. 21, 1945. They live in Wichita, KS.
- 4. Amy Crawford, born in 1889 and died in 1912. She married Charles Foster.

- 5. Neil Crawford was born in 1892 and died in 1919 of flu, in the Army Hospital in New York during an epidemic.
- 6. Ray Crawford was born in 1894 and married Nora Fees. They had two children and lived in CA.

Information on the family of Sarah Jane Jackson and Evan Crawford was furnished by

- \* Mrs. C. J. (Sue) Schafer of Center Street, Emporia, KS. She is the great grand daughter of Sarah Jane and Evan.
- \* Ms. Sherry Hucks, Baltimore, MD

# Henrietta Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Henrietta was born Oct. 19, 1840 in Delaware Co, IN, died Jan 6, (or 14), 1933, and was buried at Ashbury Cemetery, near Olds, IA. She married Henry W. Snyder who was a Civil War Veteran. They lived in Jasper Co, IN for awhile and moved to Hutchinson, KS, then to Chicago, and afterwards moving to Winfield, IA where Henrietta died. They were the parents of eight children:

- 1. Nestal Snyder, no information
- 2. Wallace Snyder, no information
- 3. Lou Snyder, no information
- 4. Kelia Snyder, no information
- 5. William Snyder, no information
- 6. Joseph Snyder, no information
  - 7. Della Snyder, called "Dell", married a Mr. Richey, and they had one son:
  - a. Keith Richey became an actor and changed his name to Robert Keith for the legitimate stage. He appeared on the stage in the 1930's and 1940's in the Broadway production of Lillian Hellman's "Little Foxes". He also appeared on TV and was on the Dick Powell Show in 1962. Keith was married five times. He had a son Robert Keith Jr. by one of his wives who became the actor "Brian Keith". He also had a daughter named Corrine who would be a half sister to Brian Keith.
    - Della later married Robert Robertson, they had no children. She is buried in the Ashbury Cemetery beside of her mother Henrietta, and her grand parents, Joseph and Phoebe Jackson.with no head stones.
- 8. Caroline Snyder, called "Carrie" first married a Mr. Howard and they had one son, Dean Howard who lived in Chicago. She later married again and they moved to Winfield, IA. Her mother Henrietta came to her home and spent her golden years near her relatives, and died at Winfield. Carrie died at the age of 95 and is buried beside her mother and sister Dell in the Ashbury Cemetery. She has no head stone.

Information on the family of Henrietta was furnished by:

- \* Mr. Joe Barthel
- \* Ms. Sherry Hucks
- \* Mrs. Leola Tobins, his great granddaughter (Elias)

# Joseph Jay Jackson (Joseph, Samuel Jr., Samuel Jackson)

Joseph was born Feb. 11, 1842 in Tippecanoe Co, IN, the fifth son of Joseph Jackson and Phoebe Cox. He enlisted in Company F. 11th Regiment, Iowa Infantry in Crawfordsville, Washington Co, IA and served for three years during the Civil War.

His first marriage was to Lena R. Chase in 1870 in Freemont, IA. She died Jan. 22, 1872 near Franklin, KS. His second marriage was to Louisa Jane Porter on Jan. 22, 1877 in Reno, Washoe Co, NV.

Louisa was born July 5, 1851 near the town of Marion, IN. Her parents moved to Virginia City, NV when she was nine years old, but they stayed there only three months before moving to Placerville, CA. In 1862 they moved back to Washoe Co, NV.

The marriage of Joseph J. and Louisa is recorded in Book A, Page 147 Washoe Co, NV.

Joseph and Louisa moved to Rose Creek, NV after their marriage. A short time later, they returned to Washoe City and lived there until 1899 when they moved to Wadsworth. They lived there until June

15, 1904 when they moved to Sparks, Washoe Co, NV where they remained until their death. While living in Reno, Joseph Jay Jackson, worked in a print shop and published the paper there. His second wife Louisa was editor of Daily News Paper and their son Joseph was also in newspaper business.

Joseph was granted a pension by the US Government of \$3.00 per month. The full and complete records concerning the military service of Joseph J. Jackson, together with proof of his honorable discharge are on file in the office of the US Bureau of Pensioners in Washington, DC, I.C. 97516. Joseph died at 3.30 pm, Nov. 9, 1926 of septicemia, contributory to an infected hand. He was buried in the Mt. View Cemetery in Reno, NV. His occupation was listed as a retired miner on his death certificate.

Joseph and his first wife Lena had one son:

1. Jesse C. Jackson who died in 1912.

Joseph and his second wife were the parents of nine children whose names were listed on pension files:

- Lula L. Jackson was born Apr. 2, 1872, and married Joseph G. Galvin. They lived in Sparks, NV.
- 3. Joseph J. Jackson Jr. was born Nov. 22, 1879 and lived in Sparks, NV.
- 4. Phoebe Jackson was born Sept. 20, 1881 and died Dec. 29, 1899.
- 5. Abner Jackson was born July 24, 1883 and died Dec. 15, 1902.
- 6. Ruby Jackson was born June 29, 1885 and died Nov. 4, 1885.
- Agnes Juanita Jackson was born Aug. 1886. She married William Schroder and lived in Sparks, NV.
- 8. Eugene Gibson Jackson was born Dec. 6, 1888 and lived in Imlay, Pershing Co, NV.
- 9. Ernest Warren Jackson was born Feb. 25, 1891 and lived in Imlay, Pershing Co, NV.
- 10. Helen Grace Jackson was born Apr. 18, 1895 and lived in Sparks, NV.

Information of Joseph J. Jackson was obtained from:

- \* His application for Pension
- \* His death certificate
- \* Alication for widows pension
- \* Mr. Keith Parrish of Washington, DC

## Jehu Jackson (Isaac, Samuel Jr. Samuel Jackson?)

Jehu was born ca 1820-25 in Indiana and is believed to be the son of Isaac Jackson and his first wife Nancy Sizemore of Delaware Co, IN. Isaac Jackson was the son of Samuel Jackson and Hannah Gibson of Stokes Co, NC. Isaac was living in Randolph Co, IN in 1820 and 1830, next to his brothers, Jehu and James and two of his cousins Job and Elijah Jackson, sons of his uncle William Jackson and Mary Jeasup of Stokes Co, NC.

Very little information is found on the family of Isaac. He was living in Delaware Co, IN in 1850, with a wife named Jamima and several small children

Tradition states that Jehu was an orphan boy when he came to MO. If he is the son of Isaac and Nancy, his mother Nancy may have died, leaving children that were put into other homes. He may have made the trip to Missouri with two of his uncles, Jehu and John when they left Indiana for Missouri. Jehu settled in Cass Co, and John in Le Cede Co.

Jehu was living in Polk Co, MO when the 1850 census was taken, aged 25, born in Indiana with a wife Eleanor age 35, and two children, Mary E. age 2 and Isaac age 1 year. He was living in Cedar Co in 1860, his age was listed as 40, wife Eleanor, Mary E. was 12, Isaac 11, and they had added two more children to their family, Elsie age 9, and Nancy age 6 years. In 1900 he was living in Collins, TX with his son Isaac Jehu. His age was given as 84 years. Since all three census had given different dates of his age, if the 1900 census is correct, he would have been born in 1816, which would put him more in line with the date of the birth of his wife Eleanor who was born in 1815 making him just one year younger than her.

The 1820 census of Randolph Co, Indiana lists Isaac with 3 sons under the age of 10, one son 10-15, and one daughter under 10, his wife Nancy was still living at this time. If Jehu is one of the sons listed under 10 years of age, that would put his birth between 1810 and 1820 no other information had been found on any of the children of Isaac. These children may have also gone to Missouri with their uncles, and may be the set of Jacksons that were living in Tanny Co.

Jehu married Eleanor Simmons Jan. 29, 1846 in Bolivao, Polk Co, MO. Eleanor was born in 1815 in Granger Co. TN. She died in 1866/67 in Cedar Co, MO and is buried in Linley Prairie, Cedar Co, MO. They had four children:

- a. Mary
- b. Isaac
- c. Alice
- d. Nancy

It was tradition in those days to name the children after parents are other members of the family. Jehu named one son Isaac, and one of his daughters Nancy. Those could have been for his parents Isaac Jackson and Nancy Sizemore.

After the death of Eleanor, Jehu married Nancy Simmons Smith Oct. 30, 1867 in Cedar Co, MO. Nancy was born ca 1846 in TN. She was about 25 years younger than Jehu, and was a widow with a one year old daughter, Louanne Smith. Nancy may have been a relative of his first wife Eleanor Simmons, as the had the same last name and both were born in TN. The marriage of Jehu and Nancy broke up around 1890 when Jehu moved to Collins TX with his son Isaac Jehu, where he died in the spring of 1901/2. He is buried in an unmarked grave at the Good Hope (Parrin) Cemetery, in Denton Co, TX.

Nancy Simmons Jackson moved to San Francisco around 1890, and was living there during the earthquake in 1905. She died July 18, 1914 and is buried in San Francisco, CA.

Jehu and Eleanor were the parents of four children:

- 1. Mary E. Jackson was born in 1848 in Polk Co, MO and married John H. Akard Jan. 21, 1864.
- 2. Isaac Jehu Jackson was born in 1849 and married Eliza Minnix in 1874. See account.
- 3. Alice Jackson was born in 1851 and lived in Cedar Co, MO.
- 4. Nancy A. Jackson was born in 1854 in Cedar Co, MO. She married William D. Farris Oct. 5, 1869 in La Cede Co, MO. He was a dry good merchant in La Cede.

Jehu and Nancy were the parents of five children:

- Claud Milo Jackson was born May 5, 1870 in Greenfield, Dade Co, MO and married Rosa Lee Egbert in Springfield. He died Mar. 15, 1928 in Wichita, KS and was buried in Carthage, MO.
- 6. Mattie Jackson was born in 1873 and married James Mayfield May 18, 1889 in Springfield, MO.
- Charles E. Jackson was born 1877 and married Ada Mayfield Apr. 29, 1896. He died in 1932 or 1934 in Mica Peak, WA and was buried in Spokane, WA.
- 8. Ada Jackson was born after 1880 and married Christanson. They lived at Point Reyes Station, CA in 1926. Her husband was a donkey operator on the waterfront in San Francisco.
- 9. Louanne Smith was the daughter of Nancy by her first marriage and was born in 1866 in MO and died in San Francisco. Her first marriage was to Jim Hayes and her second to Filastis or Phelaris. She had six children by Jim Hayes:
  - a. Mary Hays
  - b. Bess Hays
  - c. Becky Hays
  - d. Myrtle Hays
  - e. Grace Hays
  - f. Peter Lind Hays married Mary Healy. They were actors.

Isaac Jehu Jackson (Jehu, Isaac, Samuel Jr. Samuel Jackson?)

Son of Jehu Jackson and Eleanor Simmons was born in Feb. of 1849 in Polk Co, MO, died Mar. 13, 1929 in Durant, Bryan Co, OK. He married Eliza Minnix Oct. 15, 1874 in Polk Co. Eliza was born