

15 September, 1986

Mr. F. Phillip Kirwan
1000 United Missouri Bank Building
928 Grand Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri 64106-2051

Dear Mr. Kirwan

Thank you for the check - also your ~~arithmatic~~ - I would have been a bit embarrassed.

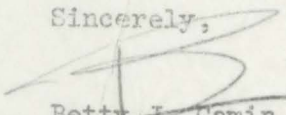
I did not make myself clear about what I wanted out of Tenn. or Ind. Because there is no Estate Record or Will for James Dunning in Guilford Co, N.C., I am enclined to believe that he went to Tenn. with his family and died there. If there are probate records in Tenn. they will show his living heirs etc. I really do believe that James is the parent of William Dunning, but, a nice probate record could make it a fact.

William Dunning died in 1879. It might be helpful to know where James Jr. was born. If he lived until 1850, we would have the state. Would also be interested in the placed of birth of any of the other ~~three~~ brothers, Paris, Edmas & John Dunning. Am thinking that James Jr. is a brother.

Pittsylvania Co. Va. is not that far from Guilford Co. and might be the home of James. At least there is a Dunning there (William).

Would you like to call and discuss this sometime? Whatever your decision, best of luck with the search.

Sincerely,



Betty J. Camin
3423 Childers St.
Raleigh, N.C. 27612

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September 10, 1986

Ms. Betty J. Camin
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Dear Ms. Camin:

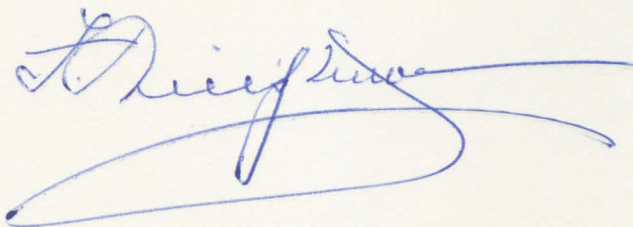
Enclosed is check to your order for \$75.00.

Also enclosed is copy of some information compiled by a member of the family. I may have misinterpreted some of the information and misled you.

I can have the Tennessee and Indiana records checked, but I think the early information I am after has to be in North Carolina.

Please let me know if you think the additional information supplies the information you need.

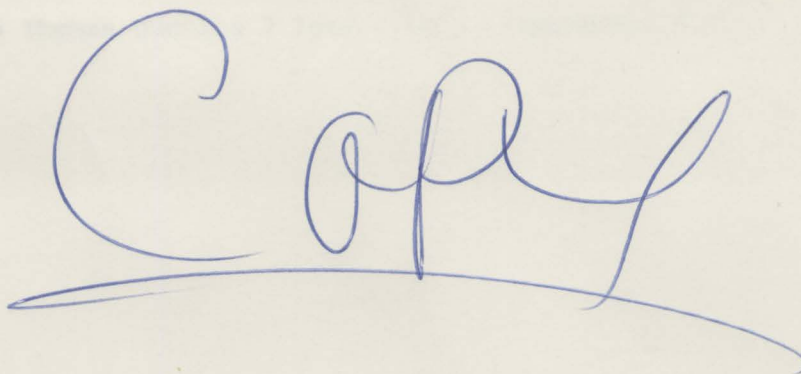
Very truly yours,



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15 Aug 86

Mr. F. Philip Kirwin
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1000 United Missouri Bank Bldg.
928 Grand Ave.
Kansas City, Missouri
60406-2051



Dear Mr. Kirwin,

I have found enough to know that your family comes from Guilford County, N. C., but really nothing that proves the line for you.

In Guilford County there are no wills, estate records or deeds in the Dunning name. However, I do find a will for a Paris Chipman and since one of the brothers is named Paris Chipman, I believe that you are in the correct place. Copied the Paris Chipman will - nothing in it about the Dunnings, but, you might be interested in reading.

The one Dunning family listed in Guilford Co. appears to have the correct number of boys. This is James Dunning.

I have done everything I can think of to do looking for information about James without success. The only item that I have not gotten into is the Pleas & Quarter Sessions Ct. Mts., and I am reluctant to do that without your permission. These records can be estimated to take about an hour per year.

As you can see later in this report, James is in Greensboro and also apparently has land (186 acres, 2 negroes and 2 lots). This is interesting as there is nothing in the Grantor or Grantee deed indices for Dunning. Either he inherited the land or it was purchased before Guilford was formed i.e. 1770. If he inherited it from a Dunning family member or his mother's family, there should still be something in the deed index. Perhaps the P. & Q. S. Ct. Mts. would answer this for you.

If there is nothing within the county about the demise of someone, we begin to think that they have moved west. Has anyone checked into Granger Co., Tn. for Dunning probate records (wills)? Did the brothers go to Indiana alone?

Has anyone read the census records for this family? Specifically the 1880. Did Alexander Hamilton Dunning or any of his brothers or sisters live into the 1870s? That census asks where the parents were born. I suppose that it is too much to hope that his father lived into 1880.

Jr. did not always mean son, but, in this case I am inclined to think that there was another son in that family named James Jr.

Also note the marriage bonds. Thomas in 1815, Polly 1815, Betsy 1813, & Polly in 1812. If I could see anyone else in that county by the name of Dunning, it would wipe out my theory. I believe that these were all children of the James Dunning of Guilford Co., N.C.

Time = \$100

Sincerely,

Betty J. Camin
3123 Childers St.
Raleigh, N.C. 27612

DUNNING

Guilford Co. N.C.

1790 Census:

Dunning, Charles 12
Dunning, Ezekiel 147
Jeremiah 12
Jeremiah 12
Jesse 147
John 12
Nicholas, 96
Sam'l 12

Page 12 is Bertie Co., N.C.

Page 96 is Orange Co., N.C.

Page 147 is Pitt Co., N.C.

1790 Va. Census. Pittsylvania Co. William Dunning 4 white souls, 1 Dwelling & 7 other bldgs.
Charlotte Co., Va. Thomas Dunning 1 w. soul.

1800 Census N.C.

Dunning: pg. 21. James Dunning 31010 20111 00 (3 males under 10, 1 10/16 and 1 26/45 years)

1810 Census N.C.

Dunning: James Jr. 00100 00100 00 (both 16-26 years) next to Porter & McFatridge.

Guilford Co. N.C. Will Absts., 1771-1841 by Webster.

James Dunning, pg 34. Wit. to George Jamison 21 Mar. 1794 will.

James Dunning, pg. 67. Exor. of Jonathan Wilson 13 May 1805 will.

Absts. of Marriage Bonds & Additional Data Guilford County, N.C. 1771-1840 by Thompson & Hartgrove.

Vol. I,

James Dunning, pg. 33. Bondsman on 1815 D. Coble - Eliza Clapp bond.

William Dunning pg. 125. Bondsman on 6 Aug. 1816 M.B. of M. Mendenhall - Chipman marriage.

Pg. 49 Thomas Dunning - Polley Adams 20 Dec. 1815 M.B.

Pg. 7 Betsey Dunning m. b. Jonathan Armfield 12 Sept. 1813.

Pg. 187 Polley Dunning m.b. John A. Trull 4 Aug 1812.

Guilford Co. Index to Wills - Devisor 1771-1968, Vols. A-L, M-Z. Reel C.046.80025

Dunning: -0-

Guilford Co. Index to Wills - Devisee 1771-1968, Vols. A-G, H-R, S-Z. Reel C.046.80026

Dunning: -0-

Guilford Co. Index to Real Estate Conveyances: Grantors. Vols: D-G, 1771-1921. Reel: C.046.41076

Dunning: -0-

Guilford Co. Index to Real Estate Conveyances: Grantees. Vols: D-E-F, G, H Reel C.046,41119

Dunning: -0-

N.C. State Library:

1815 Tax List Abst. by Johnson

Dunning: Pg 12 William Armfield's List. James Dunning 186. 3 /4a. 500L 2 bp - 1 Lot (\$650). Next to W.C.Chapman & Spring.

64 James Dunning Jr. 92a.-286L 1 wp. Isaac

Odells List.

84 Greensboro Town, S.E. Square, #3. James

Dunning \$650.

85 Thomas Dunning 2 lots - \$70. Jamestown, N.C.

Quakers by Henshaw - N.C. -0-

Rowan Co. Wills - N.C. -0-

Orange Co. Wills - N. C. -0-

PEDIGREE CHART

CHART NO. _____

NAME Betty J. Comin
3123 Chiklers St.
Raleigh, NC 27612
 STREET ADDRESS OR P.O.
 CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART
 IS THE SAME AS NO. _____

ON CHART NO. _____

1
 BORN
 WHERE
 WHEN MARRIED
 DIED
 WHERE
 NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

NAME OF RECORD OR BOOK WHERE THIS
 INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED. REFER TO
 NAMES ON CHART BY NUMBER.

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2 JOHN W. KIRWAN

BORN
 WHERE
 WHEN MARRIED
 DIED
 WHERE

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 BORN
 WHERE
 DIED
 WHERE

4 PATRICK KIRWAN

BORN
 WHERE WEXFORD Co. - IRELAND
 WHEN MARRIED
 DIED
 WHERE

5 MARTHA ANN DUNNING
14 DEC 1845

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10 ALEX. HAMILTON DUNNING
26 APR. 1819
TN. ?

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20 JUDGE WILLIAM DUNNING
25 NOV 1794
GUILFORD Co NC

21 ANNA HAMILTON
 CONTINUED ON CHART

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BAND

Born _____ Place _____
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Marr. _____ Place _____
 Died _____ Place _____
 Bur. _____ Place _____

HUSBAND'S
FATHER
HUSBAND'S
OTHER WIVES

HUSBAND'S
MOTHER

WIFE

Born _____ Place _____
 Chr. _____ Place _____
 Died _____ Place _____
 Bur. _____ Place _____

WIFE'S
FATHER

WIFE'S
MOTHER

WIFE'S
OTHER
HUSBANDS

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
 PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Va

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
 DATES: 14 Apr 1794

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

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
	List Each Child (Whether Living or Dead) in Order of Birth		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	
SURNAME (CAPITALIZED)		GIVEN NAMES											
1	DUNNING	WILLIAM	25	NOV	1794		GUILE CO	N.C.	TN. 1818				
2		JOHN							ANNA HAMILTON				
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

OTHER MARRIAGES

FAMILY
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RECORD

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FAMILY
GROUP
RECORD

HUSBAND WILLIAM DUNNING
Born 25 NOV 1794 Place GUILFORD CO. NC.

Chr. _____ Place _____
Marr. 1818 Place _____
Died _____ Place _____
Bur. _____ Place _____

HUSBAND'S
FATHER

HUSBAND'S
MOTHER

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES 1816 TO GRANGER G. TIL - BROS. WORK - SEC #1
1822 TO BLOOMINGD 1834 TO MISTON

WIFE FENNA HAMILTON

Born _____ Place _____
Chr. _____ Place _____
Died _____ Place _____
Bur. _____ Place _____

WIFE'S
FATHER

WIFE'S
MOTHER

WIFE'S
OTHER
HUSBANDS

SEX M F	CHILDREN List Each Child (Whether Living or Dead) in Order of Birth SURNAME (CAPITALIZED) GIVEN NAMES	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE TO WHOM	WHEN DIED		
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

OTHER MARRIAGES

Judge William Dunning

B Nov. 25. 1794 Guilford, N. C.

D. Dec. 25, 1879 Buchanan Co. Mo.

Children of William Dunning

*	Alexander Hamilton Dunning	B: Apr. 23, 1814; d. Apr. 19, 1865
	James Madison Dunning	B — d —
	Paris Chipman Dunning	B. Apr. 9, 1856; d. Mar. 21, 1928
	Rachel Dunning	B — d —
	Minerva Dunning	B — d —

Children of Alexander H. Dunning

	Louisa	B. July 15, 1841; d. Feb. 21, 1927.	m. J. Henders 2 Brock
	William Taylor	B. Jan 23, 1843 d. Jan 8, 1851.	
*	Martha Ann	B. Dec 14, 1845 d. Mar. 13, 18 ⁶⁶ 77	m. Pat Kierwan
	James Alfred A	B. Feb. 11, 1847 d. July 29, 1925	
	Thomas Jefferson	B. July 14, 1849 d. Sep. 15, 1932	
	Annie Abigail	B Jan. 8, 1854 d. Mar 27, 1928	
	Paris Chipman	B Apr 19 1856 d Mar 29, 1928	

Children of Pat Kierwan & Martha Dunning

*	Louisa	B. June 10, 1864; d. Oct 22, 1929	m. John Foley.
	John	B. Mar. 12, 1866; d. July 17, 1947	m. Mary Foley. Mar 7, 1888
	Frank H.	B Sept. 17, 1889; d. Jan 7, 1917 Feb. 22, 1948	Louise Sawyer M. Jan 7, 1914
	J. William	B Feb. 25, 1891; d. Jan 16, 1942	Rose Lee m. Sept 5, 1923
	Lawrence	B Feb 22, 1893; d. Feb. 22, 1983	
	Mary Ellen	B Sept 7, 1894; d. Sept. 9, 1971	Henry Falk m. May 24, 1923
	Leonard	B. Dec. 13, 1897; d. June 25, 1958	Eva Bellcit m. Nov. 20, 1920
	Patrick	B June 4, 1900 d. May 31, 1962	
	Paul	B. June 21, 1902 d. March 12, 1955	
	Margaret	B June 24, 1904	m. Homer Morris Jan. 6, 1938
	Louise	B Oct. 12, 1907	

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Historical

Southern Dunning Family: In the summer of 1730, a William Dunning was Speaker of the South Carolina Legislature. In 1780, "James Dunning of Charleston, S.C. was an Addressor of Sir Henry Clinton". Clinton captured Charleston, S.C. early in 1780, and it was for the most part "loyal", and these "addressors" were doubtless loyalists, tho' Clinton paroled them. During the Revolution, among some Loyalists who were captured in North Carolina, was one, insign John Dunning. The Colonial and State records of North Carolina, Vol. xi. p.436, say that he was captured at Moore's Creek, Feb. 27, 1776, with a great many others, nearly all Scotch Highlanders, who had been settled in North Carolina after the defeat of the Young Pretender at Culloden, and were still coming to North Carolina as late as 1775.

William Dunning, b. Nov. 25, 1794 in Guilford, N.C., d. Dec. 25, 1879, Buchanan Co., Mo., in 1816 he moved to Granger Co., Tenn., and in 1818 was married to Anna Hamilton; in 1822, in company with three of his brothers, viz., John Dunning, Thomas Dunning and Paris Chipman Dunning., he removed to Bloomington, Indiana, and in 1839 he again removed to what was known as the Platte Purchase, in Buchanan Co., Mo., where he died. In 1843, he was appointed Judge of Buchanan Co., Mo., by the Governor of Missouri, and in 1844 was elected Judge by the people, and also at each successive general election thereafter until 1860, - resigned Office in 1862. of his brothers, - John Dunning settled in Iowa, Thomas Dunning settled in Illinois, and Paris Chipman Dunning in Bloomington, Ind., where he entered politics and was elected Lieut. Gov. of Indiana with Gov. Whitcomb in 1846, and on Whitcomb's election to the U.S. Senate in 1848, Paris Chipman Dunning became Gov. of Indiana, - 1848 to 1853. Paris Chipman Dunning took a course in Medicine at the old Transylvania Univ., Bloomington, Ind., and is mentioned by Gen. Lew Wallace as having been a Sutler in the Mexican War. Descendants of Judge William Dunning say that his grandfather and two of his Uncles were killed in the Battle of Guilford Court House, Guilford, N.C., in 1781. Judge William Dunning and Anna Hamilton Dunning had five children.

Children:

Alexander Hamilton Dunning	b. April 28, 1819	d. April 19, 1865
James Madison Dunning	b.	d.
Paris Chipman Dunning	b. April 19, 1856	d. March 21, 1928 in Perry, Okla.
Rachel Dunning	b.	d.
Minerva Dunning	b.	d.

Alexander Hamilton Dunning, b. Apr. 28, 1819 in _____ d. Apr. 19, 1865 in _____ m. Aug. 8, 1840 in _____ to Sarah Ann Reeter (b. Jan. 13, 1821 in _____ d. Nov. 4, 1899 in _____); lived first in Buchanan Co., Mo., - in 1855 removed to Doniphan, Doniphan Co., Kan. They had 7 children, - and 5 were living in 1915

Children:

Martha Ann Dunning Kirwin
 James Alfred Dunning b. Feb 11, 1847 d. July 27, 1875 St. Joseph, Mo.
 Thomas Jefferson Dunning b. July 14, 1847 d. Sep 15, 1932 Boise, Idaho
 Paris Chipman Dunning b. Apr. 19, 1856 d. Mar. 27, 1928, _____ Kan.
Carrie Abigail Dunning Stevens b. Apr. 19, 1856 - d. Mar 27, 1928
 Paris Chipman Dunning, b. Apr. 19, 1856, Doniphan, Kan., d. Mar. 27, 1928 in _____
 m. married - Dec 20, 1883 to Anna Ashton Jones (b. Sept 7, 1864 d. April 8, 1902)
 he was a farmer, - had _____ children:

son:

Harvey Albert Dunning, b. Apr. 16, 1890, Doniphan, Kan., d. Nov. 10, 1951, Maryville, Mo., m. Nov. 16, 1916 to Mary Elizabeth Smith (b. July 27, 1897, d. Mar. 14, 1951); Garage owner in Okla. - Kan. & Mo.,

Children:

died Jan. 26, 1954
 Charles Arthur Dunning, b. Oct. 27, 1917, d. Jan. 26, 1954, Maryville, Mo., m. July 3, 1941 to Bertha Daphne Shell (b. Apr. 23, 1917, her address, Bedford, Ia.); he was a garage mechanic.

Children:

Gene Arthur Dunning b. May 6, 1942, Maryville, Mo., now in Bedford High School
 Larry Edward Dunning b. Nov. 25, 1951,

Boris Lee Dunning, b. Oct. 16, 1918, Maryville, Mo., m. Aug. 5, 1944 in Maryville, Mo., to William F. Fowler (b. Oct. 4, 1918, Pittsburg, Mo.) address, - 318 1/2 Concord St., El Segundo, Calif.
 Velma Myrtle Dunning, b. June 23, 1923, d. July 21, 1923.

John A. Dunning 1873-1884 Doniphan Cemetery
 Harry Dunning 1881-1882

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 Descendants
 of
 Judge William Dunning

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Children:

2 Alexander Hamilton Dunning	b. Apr. 25, 1819	d. Apr. 19, 1865	Doniphan Cemetery
3 James Madison Dunning	b.	d.	
4 Paris Chipman Dunning	b. April 9, 1856	d. March 27, 1928	Doniphan Cemetery
5 Rachel Dunning	b.	d.	
6 Minerva Dunning	b.	d.	

SECOND GENERATION

2 Alexander Hamilton² Dunning (William¹), b. Apr. 25, 1819, in Granger Co., Tenn., and d. Apr. 19, 1865, Doniphan, Kansas, m. Aug. 2, 1840 to Sarah Ann Rector (b. Jan. 13, 1821, d. Nov. 4, 1899); lived first in Buchanan Co., Mo., - in 1855 moved to Doniphan, Kansas; they had 7 children, - 5 were living in 1915, per Mrs. Margaret Pocoke, St. Joseph, Mo.

Children:

7 Sue Paris ^{Paris}	b. July 15, 1841	d. Feb. 21, 1927; m. (1) Hendley; m. (2) Brock J.W. Hendley, Jr., d. Oct. 3, 1863
8 William Taylor	b. Jan. 23, 1843	d. Jan. 8, 1851
9 Martha Ann	b. Dec. 14, 1843	d. Nov. 13, 1866; m. Kirevin
10 James Alfred D	b. Feb. 11, 1847	d. July 29, 1925
11 Thomas Jefferson Dunning	b. July 14, 1849	d. Sep. 15, 1932
12 Annie Abigail	b. Jan. 8, 1854	d. Mar 27 - 1928
13 Paris Chipman, Sr.	b. Apr. 19, 1856	d. Mar. 27, 1928

THIRD GENERATION

10 James Alfred³ Dunning (Alex. H.² William¹), b. Feb. 11, 1847, Buchanan Co., Mo., d. July 29, 1925 in St. Joseph, Mo., he was a Grocer, - had a daughter, Margaret, who married Mr. Pocoke; Mrs. Margaret Pocoke, who died about 1950, supplied data on Judge William Dunning.

11 Thomas Jefferson³ Dunning (Alex. H.² William¹), b. July 14, 1849 in Buchanan Co., Mo., d. Sep. 15, 1932 in ~~Atchison~~ ^{Idaho} ~~Kans~~; Mrs. Margaret Pocoke reported, in 1915, that he lived in Boise, Idaho, - and had a son, Daniel Dunning, - this not confirmed; from another family source, - the following son is listed

Children:

18 Ellice (Elias?) b. Dec. 25, 1872 d.

John A. Dunning Born 1873 Died 1884 Doniphan Cemetery
 Harry Dunning 1881 1882 Block 37 Lot 2

Descendants of Judge William Dunning

- 13 Paris Chipman³Dunning, Sr.(Alex.²H²William¹), b.Apr. 19, 1856, Doniphan, Kansas, d.Mar. 27, 1923 in Kansas, m.Dec. 20, 1883 to Anna Ashton Spencer(b.Sep. 9, 1864, d.Apr. 8, 1900 in Kansas, dau.of Elisha Ashton Spencer, b.Aug.29, 1828, d.1870,- and Jane West(maxwell)Spencer, b.Sep.4, 1830, d.June 1908); was a farmer in Kansas

Children:

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|----|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 15 | Alexander Hamilton | b.Sep. 26, 1895 | d.May 29, 1895 |
| 16 | Elisha Arthur | b.Jan. 6, 1888 | d.Mar. 11, 1957 |
| 17 | Harvey Albert | b.Apr. 16, 1890 | d.Nov. 10, 1951 |
| 18 | Alma Ida | b.Oct. 1, 1892 | d.Nov. 26, 1893 |
| 19 | Paris Chipman, Jr | b.Mar. 18, 1895 | |
| 20 | Willie Blanch | b.Dec. 18, 1897 | d.Sep. 3, 1898 |
| 21 | Anna Ashton | b.Mar. 25, 1900 | |

d Sep 23, 1967
23

FOURTH GENERATION

- 14 Elice(Eliza?)⁴Dunning(Thomas J³Alex.²H²William¹), b.Dec. 25, 1872, d. _____ m.July 14, 1897 to Mary Kalher(b.Feb. 15, 1878, d. _____); lived in Atchison, Kans.

Children:

- 22 Thomas "Tommy" b.June 21, 1898

- 16 Elisha Arthur⁴Dunning(Paris C.³Alex.²H²William¹), b.Jan. 6, 1888 in Kansas, d.Mar. 11, 1957 in Norfolk, Va., m.July 24, 1912 to Hester Berger, (b. April 5, 1894, Silverson, Okla.); lived in Perry, Okla.

Children:

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| 23 | Edward Arthur | b.May 9, 1913 | |
| 24 | Paris Delmer | b.Nov. 13, 1914 | |
| 25 | Grace Isabella | b.Oct. 4, 1916 | |
| 26 | Charles Lee | b.Nov. 9, 1919 | |

Died June 23, 1980 in Calif.
June 23, 1980 both had heart attacks

- 17 Harvey Albert⁴Dunning(Paris C.³Alex.²H²William¹), b.Apr. 16, 1890, Doniphan, Kansas, d.Nov. 10, 1951, Maryville, Mo., m.Nov. 16, 1916 to Mary Elizabeth Smith(b.July 27, 1897, d.Mar.14, 1951, Maryville, Mo.); he was a Garage owner in Okla., Kansas and Missouri.

Children:

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|----|----------------|-----------------|---|
| 27 | Charles Arthur | b.Oct. 27, 1917 | d.Jan. 26, 1954 |
| 28 | Doris Lee | b.Oct. 18, 1918 | Maryville, Mo., m.Aug.5, 1944 in Maryville, Mo., to William F. Fowler(b.Oct. 4, 1918, in Pittsburg, Kan.); res.-318 1/2 Concord St., El Segundo, Calif. |
| 29 | Velma Myrtle | b.June 23, 1923 | d.July 21, 1923 |

Bill died Nov. 3, 1983

FIFTH GENERATION

- 22 Tommy⁵Dunning(Elice⁴Thos.J.³Alex.²H²William¹), b.June 21, 1898 in _____ m. _____ to Bertha _____ (b.July 4, 1897);

Children:

- | | | | |
|----|---------------|-----------------|--|
| 30 | Tommy C Third | b.July 12, 1928 | |
| 31 | Dickie Dean | b.Sep. 10, 1932 | |
| 32 | Mary Sue Lou | b.Apr. 30, 1934 | |

- 23 Edward Arthur⁵Dunning(Elisha A⁴Paris C.³Alex.²H²William¹), b.May 9, 1913, in Okla., m.Feb. 23, 1941 to Mary A. Desmond(b.Nov. 11, 1914, in Delaware); lived in Wilmington, Delaware. There are 5 more children in this family

Children:

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|----|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 33 | 1 Michael Edward Dunning | b.Jan. 30, 1942 | Wilmington, Del. |
| 34 | 2 Stephen Arthur | b.Nov. 8, 1943 | " " |
| 35 | 3 Richard Lyons | b.Dec. 4, 1945 | " " |
| 36 | 4 Mary Ann Jane | b.Oct. 6, 1947 | " " |
| | 5 Joseph Martin | mar. 29, 1949 | " " |
| | 6 John Herold | aug. 14, 1950 | " " |
| | 7 James Francis | Sept. 26, 1951 | " " |
| | 8 Robert Herold | aug. 25, 1954 | " " |
| | 9 Joseph Edward | march 4, 1956 | " " |

Mary A. Desmond
died
Nov. 27, 1963

endants of Judge William Dunning

Paris Delmer⁵Dunning(Elisha A⁴Paris C.3³Alex.H.²William¹),b.Nov. 13, 1914, in Okla.,
m.June 3, 1936 to Juanita Delores Shoff(b.May 15, 1919, in _____);
occup. and address Metal Draper in Blackwell, Okla

Children:

- 37 Claudette Jane b.Jan. 23, 1941, in Blackwell Okla
38 Delmer Douglas b.Jan. 17, 1946, ..

39 Gracie Isabell⁵Dunning(Elisha A⁴Paris C.3³Alex.H.²William¹),b.Oct. 4, 1916, in Okla,
m.May 25, 1935 to Phillips Williams(b.Oct. 18, 1909, in Newark, Okla);
his occup. and address Construction - Lakeside, Calif. ark

Children:

- 39 Phillip Sidney Williams b.May 5, 1936, in Blackwell - Okla.
40 married Sept 7, 1958 to Pearl Elizabeth Williams

41 Charles Lee⁵Dunning(Elisha A⁴Paris C.3³Alex.H.²William¹),b.Nov. 9, 1919, in Okla.,
m.Mar. 15, 1939, to Luella May Chase(b.Sep. 16, 1920, in _____);
his occup. and address Gen'l mgmt garage - San Rafael, Calif. Heart attack died June 23, 1980

Children:

- 41 Garie Lee b.Feb. 23, 1940, in Calif.
42 Marie Yvonne b.Jan. 26, 1944, ..
43 Bona Jean b.Sep. 22, 1947, ..

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2 children - Charles (B Mar 24 - 1954) James (B June 17 - 1954) Novato Calif
27 Charles Arthur⁵Dunning(Harvey A⁴Paris C.3³Alex.H.²William¹),b.Oct. 27, 1917, _____
d.Jan. 26, 1984 in Maryville, Mo., m.July 3, 1941 to Bertha Daphne Shell,
Sept (b. DE 23, 1917, in _____); he was a Garage mechanic _____
his widow and children live at 200 Jackson Street, Bedford, Iowa.

Children:

- 46 Gene Arthur b.May 6, 1942, Maryville, Mo - student in High School
47 Larry Edward b.Nov. 25, 1951, ..

(46) Gene Arthur Dunning Born May 6, 1942
married 1966

To Kaye Mabel
Family

- 1- Mattie Dunning Born 1967
2- Charles A. Dunning
3- Terry A. Dunning

September 11, 1984

Mr. Egbert L. Haywood

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William's brother, Paris Chipman, also had a distinguished career. He was elected Lieutenant Governor of Indiana in 1846, and, upon Governor Whitcomb's election to the United States Senate in 1848, he became Governor and served until 1853.

It is said that the grandfather and two uncles of Judge William Dunning were killed at the Battle of Guilford Court House, Guilford, North Carolina in 1781 during the Revolutionary War.

Quaere:

Who were the grandfather and two uncles who were killed at the Battle of Guilford Court House?

Was the grandfather the William Dunning who was Speaker of the South Carolina Legislature in the summer of 1730?

Was one of the uncles James Dunning of Charleston, South Carolina who was an addresser of Sir Henry Clinton?

Who was the Ensign John Dunning, who the Colonial and State records of North Carolina Vol XI; p. 486 say was captured at Moore's Creek, February 27, 1776?

Were these people Scotch Highlanders who came over from England and were given royal grants?

If you can assist me without going to too much trouble, I would be very grateful.

Please give my regards to Margaret.

Very truly yours,

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July 31, 1986

Ms. Betty J. Camin
3123 Childers Street
Raleigh, North Carolina 27612

Dear Ms. Camin:

I return to you herewith the following:

1. A copy of September 11, 1984 letter which I addressed to the late Egbert L. Haywood.
2. Kodak copy of your memorandum to me which was in response to a letter I had written you earlier.
3. Three partially completed forms.

Also enclosed is my check to your order in the amount of \$25.00.

Unfortunately, I have just plain not had time to get anyone to make any investigation whatever in Tennessee. If you get to the point where we need somebody in Tennessee, let's see if we can find a suitable person in that state to do the necessary research.

Very truly yours,



FPK:blp
enclosures

Betty J. Camin
3123 Childers St.
Raleigh, N.C. 27612

FEE: \$25 per hour (Search time). A deposit of \$25 is requested.

To assist with the search, please send:

The earliest proven information of your line. Year, county, state, when arrived there and with whom. Copy of your earliest census record. names of children and possible maiden name of wife. Family verbal history if you have any. My aim is to give you the best possible research in the shortest amount of time. The more you can give me, the better my chances are for success.

Photo copies cost approximately \$2.25 per page and you will be billed for these fees. No charge for the Rayfax copies unless there is an excessive number of them.

Will quote you an approximate date of which I expect to start your research. At times will finish ahead of that date and other times will be put off my schedule and take even longer. Please bear in mind that I will get to your requests as quickly as possible.

When your request for research comes to me, will make up a file folder for you and place it on the bottom of my "work stack" where it will gradually work its way to the top. At this point I will do the research and send you a report and statement. When you reply, the folder goes back into the stack of folders to take its turn.

My time available in the N.C. Archives working for clients is limited to two days a week. I will try & solve your problems as quickly as possible in the time time you allow for the search.

Good luck with your search.

Booked approximately 2 months at this time. Date: 5 Oct. 1985

Mr. Kirwan,

The only way we might prove the relationships mentioned in your letter is to take the earliest proven ancestor.. i.e. William Dunning in Guilford County and check into Wills, Estate Records and if no ancestry is proven, then go into the deeds looking for same. The military pay vouchers need to be checked, the marriage bonds for a bond for William and Anna in Tenn. (or Marr. record). Sincerely,

You have a great deal that can be checked into here in N.C. and a few more things that you might try and get out of Tn. - Or have you done the work there and not mentioned it - It is important to the N.C. researcher you do use to have some of the material from Tn. Military land grants in what became Tn. are here in N.C. Rev. War Pensions for the possible wives of Dunnings killed at Guilford Ct. House.
Betty J. Camin
3123 Childers St.
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(919) 782 4686

If possible, suggest that you finish filling out the enclosed family group records and the Pedigree Chart for the use of whoever does do the work for you.

Again, best of luck with your search.

*If you decide to use my service please
return your letter + the forms*

September 11, 1984

Mr. Egbert L. Haywood
Haywood, Denny & Miller
200 Wachovia Bank Building
Durham, North Carolina 27701

Dear Bert:

I've missed seeing you lately. I hope it does not spell trouble of any kind.

I've recently become interested in my "roots." The Kirwans came over from Ireland in the 1840's and 50's, but I've found that I have some other ancestors who probably came over from England, settled in your part of the world and fought in the Revolutionary War.

I need a little help in finding a missing link.

My father's father, John W. Kirwan, was the son of Patrick Kirwan (b. County Wexford, Ireland) and Martha Ann Dunning.

Martha Ann Dunning (b. December 14, 1845) was the daughter of Alexander Hamilton Dunning (b. April 26, 1819).

Alexander Hamilton Dunning was the son of Judge William Dunning (b. November 25, 1794 at Guilford, North Carolina).

The story on William Dunning is interesting.

In 1816 he moved to Granger County, Tennessee, and in 1818 married Anna Hamilton. In 1822, with three of his brothers, John, Thomas and Paris Chipman, he moved to Bloomington, Indiana. In 1839 William moved to Buchanan County, Missouri, a part of what was then known as the Platte Purchase. In 1843 he was appointed Judge. He was reelected repeatedly through 1860, and resigned his office in 1862.