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In Memory of Robert Alan Meadows
Nov 17 1928 - July 28 2009

Born in Dallas to Robert Pierce and Eva Leona Myrick Meadows, he was raised in Fort Worth. An inquisitive child, gifted in science and math, he graduated from North Side High School a year early. At twenty years of age he married his 16 year old bride, Delpha Blye Sweaney Meadows, a marriage that was to thrive 60 years until his death, friends noted they rarely saw one without the other.

Daughter Cynthia Blye (Cindy) was born about a year later and eight years after that son Robert David. It was a close knit family. Cindy and Jack’s children, Michael and Emily, loved their “Granddad” as did his sister Margaret and other family members.

Possessing an exceptionally wide-ranging curiosity, he was by nature a thinker, an experimenter, a creative problem solver, and a mentor and teacher on many levels. Robert’s education included dual master’s degrees in Electrical Engineering and Physics. Employed 33 years at Texas Instruments, he loved his work.

Robert never stopped learning and trying new pursuits, and he never stopped loving his immediate and extended family. He will be missed.
The Ash Family in Collin County, Texas

General Hamilton Ash (General was a given name, not a title.) was born in Cherokee County, Alabama on April 22, 1840, the youngest of five children. His father, Hugh Brown Ash, died either before or shortly after Ham’s birth. His mother, Nancy Jones Ash, married Edwin Pettigrew about 1841 and they had four more children. I have not been able to locate the family in the 1850 census, so I do not know when the family left Alabama. By 1860 Edwin & Nancy Pettigrew and their family were in Dent Co., Missouri and Hamilton Ash was in Coryell County, Texas living with his brother, Benjamin.

When the Civil War broke out G.H. Ash enlisted at Fort Hebert (later Virginia Point) near Galveston April 1, 1862 to serve the length of the war. On August 4, 1862 he received a medical discharge at Camp Daniel near Tyler, Texas. Reason for discharge - "hemorrhoidal affliction". The discharge papers give his place of birth as Cherokee Co., Alabama and state that he was 22 years old 5’ 10” high; dark complexion, dark eyes, dark hair and that before enlistment was a farmer. The name G.H. Ash, age 23, appears on a list of Texas State Troopers, Second Frontier Regiment in Coryell County, Texas in 1864. A search of military records on Ancestry.com shows that a G.H. Ash served in Co. B. 15th Texas Infantry. This company was formed in Coryell and neighboring counties.

After the war Hamilton Ash apparently went to Dent County, Missouri to see his mother. While there he married Margaret Cates on May 1, 1870.

Margaret Cates was born in Perry County, Tennessee in September, 1842 to Isaiah Cates and Nancy Shelton. She was the oldest of seven children; the first three being born in Tennessee and the other four in Missouri.

The first child born to Hamilton and Margaret Ash was Nancy Elizabeth, born in Missouri. Soon after Nancy’s birth the family moved to Young County, Texas where they homesteaded 160 acres of land. Five more children were born in Young County.

The family next moved to Collin County, Texas. The deed books of Collin County show that G. H. and Margery Ash sold their Young County homestead on Jan. 4, 1889. Three daughters of Hamilton and Margaret Ash were married in Collin County. Isaac James Hart and Nancy Elizabeth Ash were married on April 20, 1887; Joseph H. Lee and Martha Ann Ash were married October 3, 1891; Isaiah McAdams and Mary Adeline Ash were married May 22, 1892. Hamilton Ash died in Collin County on July 21, 1891. I have been unable to find a record of his place of burial.

Several of Margaret’s siblings were also in Collin County. Joel Cates appears in land records of Collin County in 1900. Josie Cox (daughter of John Cates) furnished information for a younger sister to get a delayed birth certificate. She stated that at the time of her birth they lived about 12 miles from McKinney, Collin County, Texas and a neighbor was Hamilton Ash. The date of the sister’s birth was Jan. 8, 1891. Elizabeth Cates Finley purchased land in Collin County. This places Joel Cates, John Cates, Margaret Cates Ash and Elizabeth Cates Finley in Collin County.

On January 9, 1895 W.E. and Fannie Rucker sold 44½ acres of land on Sister Grove Creek to Margry Ash. On Nov 14, 1893 L.A. Scott sold 24 acres of land on Sister Grove Creek to Margry Ash. 10 acres of this land had previously belonged to Margaret Ash’s sister Elizabeth Finley. On October 17, 1898 Margry Ash sold both pieces of land to W.E Rucker.

On November 4, 1898 Margaret Ash filed for a homestead in Washita County, Oklahoma. She eventually relinquished the land on November 3, 1901. Margaret Ash was killed in a tornado that stuck Sentinel, Oklahoma on April 27, 1912.

Submitted by Jane Webb, Fort Bragg, CA <ejwebb@mcn.org>
ED & BARBARA PARRISH (ebp1607@sbcglobal.net) Does anybody have any info on my great-grandmother, Drucilla Francis Eaton Davis, nickname of Fannie. She is listed in the 1880 census in Collin County but not after that. My grandfather told his sons that he had an unhappy childhood because his mother died when he was very young. My great-grandfather, Nicholas Naylor Davis, owned a store and was in the area into the early part of the 1900s. By 1910, he was living in Runnels County. Their sons who were born in Collin County near Wylie are Charles Thomas Davis born in 1880, George Lewis Davis born in 1883 and David Ward born in 1886. Nicholas and Drucilla also had a daughter named Helen Myrtle born in 1877 in Indiana who is listed as Mertie in the 1880 census. I believe she married Jeff Leffler. Nicholas had one surviving son from a previous marriage, Edward Tazewell Davis, who was born in 1863 in Indiana. He settled in Mills County but still has descendants in Collin County. Thanks for any help you can provide. ed note: Nikolis, 45, KY, and Drusiler F, 27, IND, with son Edward, 17 IND and daughter Mertie 4. IND are indeed found in 1880 in pct 5.(Plano, Wylie) Thomas J Leffler, Helen M, Thomas, James, Mary and Alice are in Wylie in 1900 and in Runnels co by 1910, living next door to N Davis, w. b 1833 KY and CT Davis and family. Indiana marriages show Nichols N Davis and Druzilla F Eaton, 25 Feb 1875 Hendricks Co. IND and 3 July 1862 to Margaret E Lutz in Boone Co. In 1870 Fanny Eaton is a 19 year old domestic in Hendricks Co IND. In 1870 Nicholas is in Boone Co, with wife Margaret and children Edward, Thomas and Evert. In 1860 Drusilla Eaton is found in Hendricks co with her parents Greenup and Cynthia. In 1850 Nicholas is on Boone Co with his parents Nicholas and Dorcus (Viers).
The William Snider Family
Submitted by Dianne Snider Erwin
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William Snider was born in Fayette Co., KY (undocumented) on March 22, 1806. His parents were John Snider (b. about 1780 in Maryland—according to 1880 census) and Polly Varble Snider, daughter of Philip Varble. They were married on Feb. 14, 1805 in Fayette Co., KY.

William married Mary Sandusky Maxwell in Fayette Co., KY on or about July 19, 1826. Mary was born in approximately 1812 in KY. They lived in Fayette Co., and Oldham Co., KY for several years before moving to Greene Co., IL. The family came to Texas in February, 1845. They filed for and settled on a 640 acre Peter’s Colony land grant south of the Forest Grove Community in Southeast Collin Co. In 1849, they owned 1280 acres of land. In 1852, they bought 320 acres of land near the Winningkoff Community where they lived until their deaths.

William built and operated the first grist mill for grinding corn that was operated in Collin Co. The Snider family belonged to the Church of Christ, coming to Texas with their church letter from the South Rich Woods Church of Christ in Greene Co., IL. In 1847, William and Mary, along with several neighboring families, began meeting in his home for Christian worship. They continued meeting in homes until after the Civil War when the Forest Grove Church of Christ (now Christian) Church was erected in 1875. William Snider was an Elder in the church until his death on June 12, 1882. Mary Snider died on January 14, 1884. Both of these pioneer settlers and most of their children are buried at Fitzhugh Cemetery at the Forest Grove Christian Church in Collin Co., TX. On October 10, 1996, a Daughters of the Republic of Texas medallion was placed at the gravesite of William and Mary.

Their children were:
Polly Ann Snider was born December 8, 1829 in Fayette Co., KY. She died in IL on December 21, 1840.
James Madison Snider was born on June 2, 1830 in Greene Co., IL. He died near McKinney, Collin Co., TX on August 21, 1907. He married Eliza Jane Fitzhugh in Collin Co., TX
Sarah Louise Elizabeth Snider was born on September 19, 1832 in Greene Co., IL. She died December 18, 1864 in Collin Co., TX. She married Thomas Bradley.
Eliza Jane Snider was born on April 15, 1834 in Greene Co., IL. She died on February 8, 1857 in Collin Co., TX. She married Elder John. M. McKinney.
Aaron Harrison Snider was born on January 1, 1836 in Greene Co., IL. He died on April 26, 1908 in Collin Co., TX. He married Ruhama Elizabeth Scott.
William Thomas Snider was born on January 23, 1838. He died in Missouri as a young man.
Catherine Snider was born on December 14, 1839 in Greene Co., IL. She died on March 25, 1879 in Collin Co., TX. She was married to Dan Bradley and to Elder J.B. Faulkner.
Lucinda Ellen Snider was born on August 29, 1841 in Greene Co., IL. She died in Collin Co., TX. She married Joseph Thornton Scott.
Emily Snider was born on February 6, 1843 in Greene Co., IL. She died on May 27, 1918 in Collin Co., TX. She was married to George Fitzhugh.
Amanda Snider was born on February 6, 1844 in Greene Co., IL. She died on December 24, 1861 in Collin Co., TX. She was married to George Fitzhugh.
Martha Melvina Snider was born on June 8, 1849 in Collin Co., TX. She died on April 25, 1902 in Collin Co., TX. She married Hiram Wilmeth.
Missouri Ann Snider was born on April 7, 1851 in Collin Co., TX. She died July 25, 1915 in Collin Co., TX. She married Hiram Wilmeth.
Alvin Lorenzo Snider was born on November 9, 1853 in Collin Co., TX. He died on February 16, 1918 in Collin Co., TX. He married Uatus Ballew.
Descendants of William Columbus 'W. C.' Dotson

by Diane Erwin

Generation No. 1

1. William Columbus 'W. C.' Dotson (John1) was born January 19, 1858 in Greene County, Missouri, and died December 12, 1946 in Wharton, Texas "in" a hospital. He married Elizabeth Jane Hartley August 07, 1884 in Cedar County, daughter of James Hartley and Margretta DeLozier. She was born January 17, 1867 in the Hartley School District, Masters, Cedar County, Missouri, and died December 29, 1960 in McKinney, Texas.

Notes for William Columbus 'W. C.' Dotson:
Military service: U.S. Army - in Captain Wm. Fletcher's Co. "E", of the 20th Reg. Infantry from October 24, 1882 to February 17, 1883. He received a medical discharge and he tried for years to get a pension.
Occupation: Tum, as he was called was a retired farmer. His last several years were spent at the home of his son, Walter Dotson, in Wharton, Texas.

More About William Columbus 'W. C.' Dotson:
Burial: December 14, 1946, Wharton Cemetery, Wharton, Texas

Notes for Elizabeth Jane Hartley:
Betty and W.C. moved to Dallas County, Texas in November 1897. They resided Collin Co., Texas. W.C. moved to Wharton, TX., but Betty later sold the farm at Forest Grove and moved to Culleoka, also in Collin Co. (Betty J. Dotson is on her tombstone)

More About Elizabeth Jane Hartley:
Burial: December 31, 1960, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, SE McKinney, Texas

Children of William Dotson and Elizabeth Hartley are:

+ 2 i. Artie Vadera3 Dotson, born May 28, 1885 in Cedar County, Missouri; died July 13, 1960 in McKinney, Texas.
+ 3 ii. James 'Walter' Dotson, born September 09, 1887 in Cedar County, Missouri; died January 03, 1963 in Wharton, Texas.
+ 4 iii. John 'Wayne' Dotson, born September 09, 1887 in Cedar County, Missouri; died July 04, 1965 in Dallas, Texas "in" the Baylor Hospital in Dallas, TX.
+ 6 v. Joel Omer Dotson, born May 28, 1891 in Cedar County, Missouri; died March 18, 1938 in Texas.
+ 9 viii. Eula Dean Dotson, born January 02, 1897 in Cedar County, Missouri; died December 10, 1975 in Colorado Springs, Colorado.
+ 10 ix. Edwin Bush Dotson, born September 04, 1901 in Forest Grove community, Collin County, Texas; died March 03, 1987 in Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

Generation No. 2

Notes for Artie Vadera Dotson: Occupation: She was a storekeeper.
Burial: July 1960, Fitzhugh Cemetery, SE McKinney, Collin Co., Texas
More About A. Leonard Cole:
Burial: December 1960, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
Child of Artie Dotson and A. Cole is:

   12 i. Earl4 Cole, born December 25, 1912; died October 1927.
More About Earl Cole:
Burial: October 1927, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove community, Collin Co., Texas

3. James 'Walter' Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'2, John1) was born September 09, 1887 in Cedar County, Missouri, and died January 03, 1963 in Wharton, Texas. He married Bessie McFadden October 15, 1911 in Westminster, Texas. She was born June 24, 1890, and died June 1973 in Wharton. Notes for James 'Walter' Dotson: Walter was a twin to John 'Wayne' Dotson. Occupation: In 1925, Walter was associated with the Guifford Mercantile Company and the W. D. Winn Hardware Company. In 1935, he went into business as a partner and later bought the hardware from Mr. Rooker and he and Mrs. Dotson operated the hardware for a time. In 1937, he was elected to the office of District Clerk in Wharton, Texas. Burial: January 1963, Wharton Cemetery, Wharton, Texas
More About Bessie McFadden:
Burial: June 1973, Wharton Cemetery, Wharton, Texas
Children of James Dotson and Bessie McFadden are:

   13 i. Mildred4 Dotson. She married Louis Davis.
   14 ii. Allston Dotson.
   15 iii. Ardath Dotson.

4. John 'Wayne' Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'2, John1) was born September 09, 1887 in Cedar County, Missouri, and died July 04, 1965 in Dallas, Texas "in" the Baylor Hospital. He married Cassie 'Myrtle' Gallagher April 06, 1913 in McKinney, Texas, daughter of Leander Gallagher and Annie Moore. She was born September 10, 1894 in Winningkoff Community, Collin Co., Texas, and died January 14, 1969 in Farmersville, Collin County, Texas.
Although the Gallagher name is seen frequently on documents and may have originally been Gallagher, the family used the Gallaher spelling as early as 1850 on a land grant. There are various stories about when and why it was changed to Gallaher.

Notes for John 'Wayne' Dotson:
John Wayne was a twin to Walter Dotson.
More About John 'Wayne' Dotson:
Burial: July 1965, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
More About Cassie 'Myrtle' Gallagher: Burial: January 16, 1969, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
Children of John Dotson and Cassie Gallagher are:

   + 16 i. Thelma Marie4 Dotson, born April 28, 1914 in Texas.
   17 ii. Zula 'Maurine' Dotson, born December 12, 1916 in Texas; died
July 14, 1918.
Burial: July 1918, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove community, Collin Co., Texas
+ 18 iii. Eulalia Lee Dotson, born November 08, 1918 in Texas; died March 10, 1956. Not sure about this spelling of Leigh—I have Lee.
+ 20 v. Tolatha 'Lulene' Dotson, born March 05, 1922 in Texas.
21 vi. Byron Wayne Dotson, born July 20, 1924 in Texas; died February 24, 1929 in Texas.
+ 25 x. Royce Eugene Dotson, born November 09, 1932 in Texas.

6. Joel Omer Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'2, John1) was born May 28, 1891 in Cedar County, Missouri, and died March 18, 1938 in Texas. He married Vesey Velma Osburn. She was born July 11, 1895, and died December 13, 1984 in McKinney, Collin Co., Texas.
Burial: March 1938, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, SE McKinney, Collin Co., Texas
More About Vesey Velma Osburn: Burial: December 1984, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
Children of Joel Dotson and Vesey Osburn are:
+ 26 i. Patrick 'Omer' Dotson.
+ 27 ii. Norman Garnett Dotson, born October 20, 1931 in Texas City, Texas.

Burial: July 1967, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
Children of Horace Dotson and Ruth Cotter are:
28 i. Horace 'Willie' Dotson.
+ 29 ii. Vera Dotson.
30 iii. Estelle Dotson. She married Jake Johnston.
31 iv. Johnny Dotson.

9. Eula Dean Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'2, John1) was born January 02, 1897 in Cedar County, Missouri, and died December 10, 1975 in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She married Earnest Benjamin Osburn October 10, 1910 in McKinney, Texas.
Ernest and his sister, Vesey Osburn, married sister and brother Dotson's.
Children of Eula Dotson and Earnest Osburn are:
+ 32 i. Willard Osburn.
+ 33 ii. Hazel Osburn.
+ 34 iii. Eustace Howell 'Booty' Osburn, born May 05, 1917 in Paducah, Cottle Co., Texas. Aka “Ozzie”
+ 36 v. Bobby Osburn.

10. Edwin Bush Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'2, John1) was born September 04, 1901 in Forest Grove Community, Collin County, Texas, and died March 03, 1987 in Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana. He married Ellen 'Faye' Gallagher August 05, 1923 in Collin County, daughter of Leander Gallagher and Annie Moore. She was born October 19, 1903 in Winningkoff Community, Collin County, and died January 09, 1983 in Shreveport.
Burial: March 1987, Fitzhugh Cemetery, Forest Grove Community, Collin Co., Texas
Children of Edwin Dotson and Ellen Gallagher are:
+ 37 i. L. C.\textsuperscript{4} Dotson, born March 15, 1924 in Forest Grove community, Collin Co., Texas.
+ 38 ii. Dorothea 'Helen' Dotson, born December 27, 1925 in Forest Grove community, SE McKinney, Collin Co., Texas.
39 iii. Baby boy Dotson, born 1930; died 1930.

11. Carson 'Hartley'\textsuperscript{3} Dotson (William Columbus 'W. C.'\textsuperscript{2}, John\textsuperscript{1}) was born July 29, 1904 in Winningkoff community, Collin County, Texas, and died April 24, 1986 in Crestview, Okaloosa Co., Florida. He married Allene Jackson June 15, 1927 in Collin County, Texas. She was born June 15, 1911, and died in Crestview, Florida.
Burial: April 1986, Shady Grove Cemetery, Baker, Oskaloosa Co., Florida
Children of Carson Dotson and Allene Jackson are:
+ 40 i. Glenn\textsuperscript{4} Dotson, born April 04, 1928.
+ 42 iii. Evelyn Dotson, born May 18, 1934.

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**Descendants of William Gallaher (Gallagher)**

*Generation No. 1*

1. WILLIAM GALLAHER\textsuperscript{1} (GALLAGHER) was born February 1818 in Leinster District, Ireland, and died July 02, 1904 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. (Pool). He married ANN RETTA SOUTHWARD\textsuperscript{1} Bef. 1857 in Near Sherman, Grayson Co., TX., daughter of WILLIAM (SOUTHWOOD) and SARAH JOBE. She was born October 11, 1818 in Holden, Johnson Co., Mo.?, and died November 04, 1912 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.

Notes for WILLIAM GALLAHER (GALLAGHER): Birth date came from a census record so it isn't documented. The place of burial is unknown, but may be St. Paul Cemetery where Annie was buried. Census records state that he came to the US in 1849. More About WILLIAM GALLAHER (GALLAGHER): Occupation: Wagonmaker, farmer; Religion: Roman Catholic

Notes for ANN RETTA SOUTHWARD: Death certificate states that she was born in Pettis Co., MO. Johnson and Pettis were both a part of Cooper Co. in 1820. Before that they were a part of Howard Co. Obituary says Holden, MO was her "old homeplace." Holden is now in Johnson Co., MO. The Southward family moved around so much, I'm not sure how long they had lived in Holden, MO. It didn't seem as if they could have lived there long enough for it to be titled "the old home place." The only known time that the Southward family was in Johnson Co. was from 1860-67.

Dates for Annie's birth differ with each census. She gets older with each census from 1860 to 1910. Her birth year started out as about 1818-9 in 1860 and had gone backward to 1809 by 1910. We know by the 1830 IL census for Wm. Southward that she was in the 10-15 column at that time. This would indicate she was born in 1815-20.

We don't have any idea who Ann was first married to, but now think his name was Mr. Twitty as that is the last name she had when she married Benj. Sparlin in Barry Co., MO on May 24, 1838.

Marriage records: Benjamin Sparlin to Ann Twitty-24 May 1838-Barry County Missouri
Xerox copy of recorded marriage from Barry Co., MO Recorder of Deeds, Cassville, MO.

On the 1840 Buchanan Co., MO census, she was in the 20-30 column. Her husband there was listed as Benj. Sparland. They were on the same page as Wm. Southward and just below David Tetherow, the husband of her older sister, Ruth.

On the 1850 Holmes Co., OH census, the family is listed: 1850 Census-Knox Twp., Holmes Co., Ohio

Sparlin, Benjamin  age 38  born Ohio  farmer
- Ann R  32  MO
- Sarah  10  
- William  9  
- Nancy  7  
- George  5  
- Marshall  4  OH
- John  2  
- John  76  MD - Ben's father

The name "William" Sparlin was only known from her obituary written in 1912 by her son, George (Dallas) Sparlin. This was also true of her first husband's last name being "Whitaker." There was no documentation for either name. We were never able to find any records of her having been married to a "William" Sparlin. We also have no record of her first marriage.

Benjamin and Ann sold their land in Holmes Co., OH on May 31, 1851 to his brother, Daniel Sparlin. Ann is listed by the clerk as "Amaretta" Sparlin on the land sale. She couldn't spell/write her name so it only has "her mark" with the name.

The 1912 obit for Ann has been found to have several mistakes. The info was provided to the newspaper by George (Dallas) Sparlin when he was 67 years old. This was from his memories as a young child and of some events that happened before his birth. This could explain why the information was incorrect.

OBITUARY FOR ANN GALLAGHER (copied exactly--with my notes on incorrect information)

Eventful Life of Centenarian Ends

The entire citizenship of the Winningkoff Community was greatly shocked last Tuesday when they heard of the death of 'Aunt Ann' Gallagher, a highly esteemed and respected Christian woman, who had made this community her home for more than 40 years.

Mrs. Gallagher was born near Holden, Missouri, October 11, 1809 (MY NOTE- This birthdate is in question--most likely 1818 as indicated on 1830, 1840, 1840, 1850 and 1860 censuses) and died November 4, 1912. She was therefore 103 years and 24 days old at the time of her death (actually 94 years old). She grew to womanhood in Missouri, and was married to a Mr. Whitaker (This is now known to be Mr. Twitty), who died about three months after their marriage. She was then married to Mr. William (now known to be Benjamin Sparlin on May
24, 1838 in Barry Co., MO) Sparling at Holden, who was the father of D. Sparlin of this city. After her marriage to Mr. Sparlin they moved to the state of Ohio where they resided for several years. She and Mr. Sparlin and their seven children then decided to move back to Missouri. (The Sparlin family was in Buchanan Co., MO in 1840 and in Holmes Co., OH on the 1850 census. They left MO for OH after George M. Dallas Sparlin was born in 1845 and sold land in Holmes Co., OH in 1851, before leaving to return to MO)

They loaded their teams and wagons and luggage on a boat and started on their journey back to their native state. While on the boat, Mr. and Mrs. Sparlin and two of their sons fell victims to cholera, which was then raging throughout the country; Mr. Sparlin and the sons dying on the boat. The boat stopped at a wayside landing where their bodies were buried on banks of the Ohio River. Mrs. Sparlin and the other children were taken off the boat upon their arrival at Cincinnati and placed in a Sanitarium for several weeks, and she finally recovered from the dreaded plague.

In the meantime, while she and the children were in the sanitarium at Cincinnati, their wagons and teams and all their clothing and such other luggage as they were moving back with them and $600 (?) in money had been stolen. No clue was ever found as to who the robbers were.

After Mrs. Sparlin had fully recovered from her sickness, she and the children managed to make their way to St. Louis. Mr. Sparlin of this city stated that he was so young that he could not remember how they got to that place. At any rate, he remembered of their being again at their old home in Missouri.

Two of her brothers, who were then living in Texas, went to Missouri and moved her and the children to Sherman. They remained at this place about three years. It was while she was living at Sherman that she was married to William Gallagher. They then moved to what was then the Indian Territory where they resided for ten years. (They didn't come to TX until about 1852-5 and were in Collin Co., TX by 1859 so there is no way they spent 3 years in Grayson Co. and 10 years in the Indian Territory.) From the Indian Territory, they moved to Winningkoff in the county where she had since resided up until the time of her death. (Note from Dianne: 'I don't think they lived in the Indian Territory for 10 years. William didn't come to the US until 1849, was in Grayson Co., TX. by May, 1850 when he filed on land, and they were in Collin Co., TX. before 1860. We can't find a marriage bond for them as yet so we don't know when they married. Their first known child was born ca. 1857"

Mr. Gallagher was called to his reward several years ago and since his death, she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Spurgin of that community. (My grandmother, Ellen Faye Gallaher Dotson, said her grandmother lived with her son, Lee Gallaher, and was visiting with the Spurgin's at the time of her death.)

Mrs. Gallagher had been a cripple for several years, the result of injuries received in a runaway. She was a member of the Catholic Church and was a consistent Christian woman. She was a loving mother, and a true neighbor and friend. Probably no other woman in Collin County had more friends than she. Of a jovial sunny disposition, she numbered her friends by her acquaintances. Besides the son and daughter above mentioned, she is survived by a son, Lee Gallagher who lives at Winingkoff, 22 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. Burton L. Hunter, Jr. of this city is a grandson, their birthdays both being on the same day, October 11.

The remains of this good woman were laid to west Wednesday afternoon at 2: 30 at the St. Paul Catholic cemetery near Wylie, with the ceremonies of this church. A large number of
relatives and friends gathered upon this occasion to pay their last tribute of respect to this
good woman.

The editors of this paper extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved ones in this sad hour
of sorrow.

On most records, Annie Retta is called "Ann." The name on her death certificate in Collin Co.,
TX in 1912 is "Annie Retta." She was named in her father’s estate papers as "Ann Sparlin of
Texas." Marriage record to Benjamin Sparlin, census records and obits give her name
as "Ann."


Occupation: Homemaker; Religion: Roman Catholic

Children of WILLIAM (GALLAGHER) and ANN SOUTHWARD are:

1. ELIZA GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. 1857, Chickasaw Territory; d. Bef. 1870, Collin Co., TX. Notes for ELIZA GALLAHER (GALLAGHER): Eliza was on the 1860 Collin Co., TX census, but wasn’t on the one in 1870. She was too young to marry so she must have died. There is no record of her after 1860.

2. MARY ELLEN GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. 1858, Chickasaw Territory.

3. CATHERINE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. 1860, Collin Co., TX.; d. Bef. 1870, Collin Co., TX. Notes for CATHERINE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER): Catherine was on the 1860 Collin Co., TX census as an infant born in TX. She wasn’t on the 1870 census and there was no record of her after 1860.

4. LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. May 28, 1864, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX; d. June 20, 1953, Collin Co., TX.

Generation No. 2

2. MARY ELLEN GALLAHER (GALLAGHER) (WILLIAM GALLAHER)

3. LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER (GALLAGHER) (WILLIAM GALLAHER) was born May 28, 1864 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX, and died June 20, 1953 in Collin Co., TX. He married ANNIE ELIZABETH MOORE March 08, 1891 in Collin Co., TX, daughter of MOSES MOORE
and CATHERINE CROWDER. She was born April 29, 1872 in IL., and died March 13, 1932 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.


More About ANNIE ELIZABETH MOORE: Burial: March 14, 1932, Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.; Occupation: Homemaker; Religion: Roman Catholic

Children of LEANDER (GALLAGHER) and ANNIE MOORE are:

5. i. FRED VINSON GALLAHER³ (GALLAGHER), b. September 15, 1892, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.; d. December 20, 1933, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.


7. iii. LURA NAOMI GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. September 06, 1896, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.

8. iv. JOHN DAVID GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. December 13, 1898, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.; d. Collin Co., TX.

9. v. HATTIE EDWIN GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. August 15, 1900, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.


   x. ESSIE ALLENE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), b. August 20, 1913, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.

   More About ESSIE ALLENE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER):

   Burial: July 14, 1915, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX.

Generation No. 3

4. MARY ETHEL³ SPURGIN (MARY ELLEN GALLAHER² (GALLAGHER), WILLIAM GALLAHER¹) She married MACK GOOCH 1919.

Child of MARY SPURGIN and MACK GOOCH is:

   i. BURTON L.⁴ GOOCH.

5. FRED VINSON GALLAHER³ (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER², WILLIAM
GALLAHER\(^1\) was born September 15, 1892 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX., and died December 20, 1933 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. He married ALICE HIGGINS.

More About FRED VINSON GALLAHER (GALLAGHER):

Burial: December 22, 1933, Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.

Children of FRED (GALLAGHER) and ALICE HIGGINS are:

i. J.W. GALLAHER\(^4\) (GALLAGHER).

ii. FREDDIE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER).

iii. WILLIE EARL GALLAHER (GALLAGHER).

iv. JACK GALLAHER (GALLAGHER).

6. CASSIE MYRTLE GALLAHER\(^3\) (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER\(^2\), WILLIAM GALLAHER\(^1\)) was born September 10, 1894 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX., and died January 14, 1969 in Collin Co., TX. She married JOHN WAYNE DOTSON April 06, 1913 in Collin Co., TX., son of WILLIAM DOTSON and ELIZABETH HARTLEY. He was born September 09, 1887 in Cedar Co., Mo, and died July 04, 1965 in Collin Co., TX. More About CASSIE MYRTLE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER): Burial: Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.

More About JOHN WAYNE DOTSON: Burial: Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.

Children of CASSIE (GALLAGHER) and JOHN DOTSON are:

i. THELMA MARIE\(^4\) DOTSON, b. April 28, 1914, Collin Co., TX; m. WELDON GODWIN.


More About ZULA MAUREEN DOTSON: Burial: Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.

iii. EULALA LEE DOTSON, b. November 08, 1918, Collin Co., TX; d. March 10, 1956, Collin Co., TX; m. (1) VIRGIL WILSON; m. (2) GERALD "BUD" WALLACE.

More About EULALA LEE DOTSON: Burial: Wilson Chapel Cem., Collin Co., TX


v. TOLATHA LULENE DOTSON, b. March 05, 1922, Collin Co., TX; m. (1) WILLIAM R. "HUN" BAXTER; b. 1926; d. Lowry Crossing, Collin Co., TX; m. (2) DEWEY WESSON, 2000.

More About WILLIAM R. "HUN" BAXTER:

Burial: Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX

vi. BYRON WAYNE DOTSON, b. July 20, 1924, Collin Co., TX; d. February 24, 1929,
Collin Co., TX. More About BYRON WAYNE DOTSON: Burial: Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX

vii. VIDA RUTH DOTSON, b. December 28, 1926, Collin Co., TX; m. (1) RAYMOND REDDEN; m. (2) DON EVANS.

viii. SAMMY RAY DOTSON, b. October 16, 1928; d. May 06, 1984, Farmersville, Collin Co., TX; m. FAYE WALLIS.

ix. WAYMON DOUGLAS DOTSON, b. November 26, 1930, Collin Co., TX; m. BETTY SOUTHERD.

x. ROYCE EUGENE DOTSON, b. November 09, 1932, Collin Co., TX; m. VIVIAN DAVIS.

7. LURA NAOMI GALLAHER (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER, WILLIAM GALLAHER) was born September 06, 1896 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. She met (1) N/A Bef. 1914. She married (2) JOHN HARVELL Bef. 1931. She married (3) BILL LAWLEY Bef. 1950.

Children of LURA (GALLAGHER) and N/A are:

i. CORENE GALLAHER, m. MONTGOMERY.

ii. ADA PAULINE GALLAHER, b. May 27, 1914, Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX; d. November 24, 1995, Plano, Collin Co., TX.; m. ED LOADER.

More About ADA PAULINE GALLAHER:

Burial: November 27, 1995, Fitzhugh Cem., Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX.

Religion: Christian (Disciples of Christ)

iii. C. W. GALLAHER, b. April 21, 1926.

iv. BONNIE LEE GALLAHER, b. December 02, 1928; m. OTIS BRITTAIN.

Children of LURA (GALLAGHER) and JOHN HARVELL are:

v. BILLIE JOE HARVELL, b. November 06, 1931.

vi. JIMMIE HARVELL, b. August 22, 1933.

8. JOHN DAVID GALLAHER (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER, WILLIAM GALLAHER) was born December 13, 1898 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. He married ESSIE HIGGINS.

Child of JOHN (GALLAGHER) and ESSIE HIGGINS is:

i. JOHNNIE LEE GALLAHER (GALLAGHER), m. LOYD GOOCH.

9. HATTIE EDWIN GALLAHER (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER, WILLIAM GALLAHER) was born August 15, 1900 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. She married PAUL TRAMMEL WELLS March 22, 1922.
Child of HATTIE (GALLAGHER) and PAUL WELLS is:

i. ETOILE WELLS, b. 1900; m. PAUL TRAMMEL WELLS.


Children of GENEVIEVE (GALLAGHER) and EMORY ELLENBURG are:

  i. ANNIE SUE ELLENBURG, b. April 04, 1924, Collin Co., TX.; m. "AB" HARRISON.
  ii. EMORY DENTON "E.D." ELLENBURG, b. May 26, 1926.
  iii. PAUL ROBASON ELLENBURG, b. October 17, 1928.
  iv. CURTIS "RALPH" ELLENBURG, b. May 26, 1931.
  v. LEONARD BROOKS ELLENBURG, b. March 06, 1934.
  vi. HELEN FAYE ELLENBURG, b. October 10, 1936.

11. ELLEN FAYE GALLAHER (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER, WILLIAM GALLAHER) was born October 19, 1903 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX, and died January 09, 1983 in Shreveport, La. She married EDWIN BUSH DOTSON August 05, 1923 in Collin, Co., TX, son of WILLIAM DOTSON and ELIZABETH HARTLEY. He was born September 04, 1901 in Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX, and died March 03, 1987 in Shreveport, La.


Children of ELLEN (GALLAHER) and EDWIN DOTSON are:


  More About L.C. DOTSON: Education: Allen, TX. H.S., Oklahoma University
  Occupation: Petroleum Engineer Religion: Southern Baptist

  More About DORIS ELAINE RICKERSON: Occupation: Nurse (RN), homemaker
  Religion: Southern Baptist

  ii. DOROTHA HELEN DOTSON, b. December 27, 1925, Forest Grove, Collin Co., TX; m. WILLIAM ALLEN SNIDER, May 19, 1944, McKinney, Collin Co., TX; b. December 18, 1923, San Antonio, TX.
More About DOROTHA HELEN DOTSON: Education: Allen, TX. H.S. Occupation: Secretary, homemaker Religion: Southern Baptist

More About WILLIAM ALLEN SNIDER: Education: McKinney, TX. H.S., North Texas State, East TX. State Occupation: V.A. Hospital, Fiscal Director Religion: Southern Baptist

iii. BABY BOY DOTSON, b. 1930, Collin Co., TX; d. 1930, (stillborn).

12. OWEN LOVE GALLAHER\(^3\) (GALLAGHER) (LEANDER WELLS GALLAHER\(^2\), WILLIAM GALLAHER\(^1\)) was born January 04, 1909 in Winningkoff, Collin Co., TX. He married SYLVIA SALMON.

Children of OWEN (GALLAGHER) and SYLVIA SALMON are:

i. OWEN LOVE GALLAHER\(^4\) (GALLAGHER).

ii. JOAN GALLAHER (GALLAGHER).

iii. KAY GALLAHER (GALLAGHER).

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**Finding the Family of Ann Retta Sparlin Gallaher**

My search for the family of Ann Retta Sparlin Gallaher began with locating her death certificate in Collin Co., TX. Lee Gallaher, Ann’s son, listed her father as “William Southwood” and said she was born in Pettis Co., MO on Oct. 11, 1809. According to census records from 1830 to 1880, she was born about 1818. Her birth year had jumped backward by 9 years to 1809 on the 1900 and 1910 censuses. I have also found no records of the Southward family having lived in Pettis Co., MO where Lee stated she was born.

I then noticed two Southwood families on the 1860 Collin Co. census and another family on the 1870 census who were all living near the Gallaher family. I wondered if they could be some of her family.

I started researching Ann’s family using the “Southwood” spelling, but quickly found that “Southward” was how it was usually spelled. The Southwood spelling was mostly seen in Collin Co., TX, but it appeared down thru the generations at various times. I first found “Wm. Southword” in the 1850 TX census index as the closest name to William Southwood. When I looked at this family, I found William with M. Southword, his wife, 3 sons and 1 daughter. Their names were listed as initials, but later I found that the initials, ages and birthplaces for the 4 children matched a William Southward that several other researchers had posted on genealogy sites on the Internet. The names of those sons, Elijah, James and Henry, were the ones that were in Collin Co. in 1860 and 1870. They had also applied for land grants in Grayson Co., TX in the early 1850’s, according to a book on Peter’s Colony grants. I knew from Ann’s obituary that at least
two of her brothers had been in the Grayson Co. area because they brought Ann and the children to Texas after the death of her Sparlin husband.

So far, I had a lot of circumstantial evidence connecting Ann to William Southward. I found a group of Southward researchers who were from several of the William Southward children’s lines. They sent me the information they had on the family. They had an unknown female child who would fit Ann shown to be 10-15 years old on the 1830 census in Schuyler/McDonough Co., IL. The final proof was locating the 1866 Johnson Co., MO estate papers for Wm. Southward filed by his wife, Sarah Southward. Those papers listed in his heirs “Ann Sparlin also of Texas.”

In 1866, when the estate papers were filed for her father, Ann had been married to William Gallaher for approximately 10 years, but whoever listed the heirs gave her last name as still being Sparlin.

William Gallaher had received a Peter’s Colony land grant in Grayson Co., TX in 1850. He sold this land in 1852. The witness for the land sale was James C. Southward, Ann’s brother. This meant that Wm. had known the Southward family in Grayson Co. before Ann came there. Ann didn’t come to TX until at least 1852, but I don’t know the exact date. There is no record of her marriage to Wm. in Grayson or any of the surrounding counties, but we can assume they had married before 1857 when their first known child was born.

A story I would have loved to hear about the Southward family was the reason for William Southward going to Texas with Mourning Southward. The 1850 Fannin Co., TX census had Wm.’s wife listed as “M. Southword.” If you look at the genealogy sheet, you will see that William Southward was actually married to Sarah Jobe in about 1812. She was the mother of all his children. In about 1845, William went to TX accompanied by Mourning Jobe, his wife’s sister. She was known as his wife while he was in TX and was last heard of in 1856 when she was named as his wife on a land record in Grayson Co., TX. Sarah Southward stayed in MO and was in Clay Co., MO in 1850, living with two of her sons. There have never been any divorce papers found.

About 1845, there was a “split” in the Southward family. To this point, all the children had been living in the same area as William and Sarah as they moved from state to state. But about this time, William, Mourning Jobe, and several of the Southward children moved to TX. Ruth Southward Tetherow and her family started on their trip to Oregon and the Sparlin family decided to go back to Ohio where Benjamin’s parents were still living. Sarah, Iredell and Randolph Southward stayed in MO, but other than in 1850 when they were in Clay Co., we don’t know where they lived. Iredell and his family were in Grayson Co., TX in 1852. I’ve wondered if they came to TX at the same time as Ann and the children. I don’t know what happened to Randolph after 1850. He wasn’t heard from again. Who Sarah lived with after Iredell left for TX and until William returned to MO, is another unanswered question.
By 1860, William was back in MO living with Sarah. They lived in Holden, Johnson Co., MO. To our current knowledge, this time period (1860 to 1867, when Sarah’s estate was filed) was the only documented time they lived in Holden, MO.

The Sparlin Family

The search for the Sparlin family of Ann Retta Southward Sparlin Gallaher hasn’t been easy. Cathy Bradley, great-granddaughter of Nancy Sparlin Blakeman, and I have been working on the Sparlin line for several years. Most of our search was based on Ann’s obituary in 1912. I think, from the way the obit reads, most of the information for the obit was provided by Ann’s son, George M. “Dallas” Sparlin. In the spring of 2002, we began to discover facts that have lead us to the knowledge that some of the information in the obit wasn’t correct.

1. Ann was born in 1809. According to the census records from 1830 – 1880, Ann’s birth year would have been about 1818. This also fits in with the Southward children’s ages.

2. Ann was first married to a Mr. Whitaker. Actually, on her marriage record to Benjamin Sparlin on May 24, 1838 in Barry Co., MO, her name was listed as “Ann Twitty.” So far, I have no record of her marriage to Mr. Twitty. She might have married him prior to the Southward family coming to Barry Co., MO from Burlington, Des Moines Co., Michigan Territory (Iowa). They were in Barry Co. by 1836 when there are legal records for William Southward to place him in the county.

3. Ann’s Sparlin husband was William Sparlin. You would think Dallas Sparlin would know his father’s name even if he were only 6 when he died, but, apparently, he didn’t. Or, knowing newspapers, the person he reported all this to didn’t get it written correctly. It has been proven now by the 1838 Barry Co., MO marriage record, 1840 Buchanan Co., MO census, 1850 Holmes Co., OH census, and the 1851 Holmes Co., OH land sale record of Benjamin Sparlin and Ann Retta Sparlin, that Ann’s husband was named Benjamin, rather than William. Cathy and I had looked without any success for a William Southward with a wife named Ann and children named Nancy and George.

4. The William Gallaher family was in Grayson Co., TX for 3 years and in Indian Territory for 10 years before coming to Collin Co., TX. William Gallaher had arrived in Grayson Co. by 1850 when he applied for a land grant. Ann couldn’t have been in TX before 1852 because she didn’t leave Holmes Co., OH until after she and Benjamin sold their land on May 31, 1851. Then on the trip, Benjamin and 2 of the sons died and Ann was taken to a hospital in Cincinnati, OH to recover. Then she went to St. Louis and finally to the family home in MO. Then her brothers in TX were sent a letter and they made the trip back to MO to get Ann and the children and then brought them to Grayson Co. So, I think they weren’t in Grayson Co. until at least sometime in 1852, at the earliest. Sometime after that, Ann married William Gallaher and they were in Chickasaw Territory by the birth of their first child in 1857. They were still in Chickasaw
Territory in Dec. 1858 when Mary Ellen was born. They were then in TX by 1859/early 1860 when their third child, Catherine, was born and they were listed on the Collin Co., TX census. This leads me to think they lived in Chickasaw Territory from about 1855-1859.

5. Dallas Sparlin referred to Holden, MO as their “old homeplace.” However, at this time, the only record we have of any of the family living in Holden, Johnson Co., MO was the 1860 census with William and Sarah Southward listed there and, in 1866 and 1867, when their estate papers were filed in Johnson Co., MO.

At the time the Sparlin’s left MO (after Dallas was born in 1845) to go to Holmes Co., OH to live, I don’t know where they were living in MO. At the time Ann and the children lived in MO after coming back from OH and before going to TX, I have no record of where Ann’s mother lived in MO, but she was in Clay Co., MO with 2 of her sons on the 1850 census. William Southward and most of the children were in Grayson Co., TX at that time.

This Spring 2002, I received an email from another Southward researcher sending me a copy of an email he had received from Curt Parsons, who was researching the John and Nancy Parsons Sparlin line from OH. Curt had found our Sparlin names in some information posted on an Internet genealogy site by the Southward researcher. I contacted Curt and he sent me the marriage record for Benjamin Sparlin and Ann Twitty in Barry Co., MO on May 24, 1838 and the 1850 Holmes Co., OH census for Benjamin and Ann R. Sparlin.

In looking at the marriage record, I didn’t know if this was our Ann. We had her married to a “Mr. Whitaker”, according to Ann’s obituary.

None of the other Southward researchers had seen any records of the Southward family being in Barry Co., MO. In 1834-35, we knew they were in Burlington, Michigan Territory (IA) because Sarah Elizabeth Southward was born there in 1834 and the first child of Ruth Southward Tetherow was born there in 1835.

Looking at the Barry Co., MO site, I found two references to William Southward in a publication. A look-up volunteer checked out these references for me and they showed William Southward as a witness in an estate record in 1836 and William Southwood performing a marriage in 1837. This put Ann’s family in Barry Co. at a time when she could have met and married Benjamin Sparlin in May 1838. All three families—Southward, Tetherow (Ann’s sister’s family) and Sparlin—were then in Buchanan Co., MO by the 1840 census.

But the 1850 Holmes Co., OH census was interesting. It showed Ann R. Sparlin age 32 (b. 1818) and born in MO. This would fit our Ann. There were 6 children living in the Benjamin Sparlin household in 1850—including Nancy, age 7, and George, age 5, with both born in MO. That also fit our known Sparlin children from the 1860 Collin Co.,
TX census. The two oldest children were Sarah, age 10, and William, age 9—the same names as Ann’s parents—both born in MO. The youngest two were boys—Marshall, age 4, and John, age 2—and both born in OH. The 1840 Buchanan Co., MO census showed Benjamin and Ann with one daughter under 5—this would be Sarah as she was probably born in 1839.

All the names, ages and birthplaces were correct for what we knew for our Ann Retta, Nancy and George, but it was still not proved that it was the same family. Another Sparlin researcher, Marcia Epps, told me about a land sale record in May 1851 in Holmes Co., OH made by Benjamin and wife to Daniel Sparlin, Benjamin’s brother. I ordered a copy of the land sale record from Holmes Co. to see if the wife’s name for Benjamin Sparlin was actually close to Ann Retta, as reported by Marcia. When the record arrived, Ann’s name had been written by the clerk as “Amaretta.” Ann Retta was an unusual name so I was then sure that this had to be our Ann. We knew from the 1850 Holmes Co., OH census that Benjamin’s wife was "Ann R."

Looking for Sarah Sparlin

In looking at the 1850 Holmes Co., OH census, I realized that the first Sparlin daughter, Sarah, might have lived thru the cholera and married before the Sparlin/Gallaher family came to Collin Co., TX by 1860 and were listed on the census there. Of the reported 7, and named 6, Sparlin children, there were only two on the 1860 census with Ann and William Gallaher. They were Nancy Sparlin and George Sparlin. Two of the children were reported in Ann’s obituary to have died from cholera at the same time as Benjamin on the trip from OH to MO in about 1851. That leaves two of the children who we don’t know about at this time.

I ran a search on “Sarah Sparlin” on the WorldConnect site and came up with only one possible person. She was Sarah Sparlin who had married Wyatt Call Love on May 7, 1856 in Chickasaw Territory. The Love family lived and died in what is now Bryan Co., OK, but was part of the Chickasaw Territory during their lives.

Our Sarah Sparlin would have been about 16/17 in 1856 and old enough to marry. The Gallaher family was also living in Chickasaw Territory in 1857 and 1858 when their first two daughters, Eliza and Mary Ellen, were born.

This could be our Sarah, but how could I prove it? The Love family apparently didn’t have any info on their Sarah Sparlin Love except that she died about 1879. They did have a list of several of her children and grandchildren. She was reported to have had 9 children, but only 4 are known.

I found the name of one of Sarah’s great-great-granddaughters, but had a problem contacting her. She is Patsy Penn Boynton of Whitney, TX, daughter of Martie Love Penn, granddaughter of Mart (Hercules Martin) Love and great-great-granddaughter of Sarah Sparlin Love.
In the meantime, I looked up a name mentioned by Peggy, wife of Larry Gooch, in some old notes Polly Gallaher Loader had given me that she had written during a conversation many years ago with my grandmother, Faye Gallaher Dotson. These notes were about various Gallaher family members. I noticed a comment there that I hadn’t understood before: “Mart and Minnie Love was Grandpa’s nephew thru…” It just stopped without saying who the connection was thru. At the time Polly gave me the notes, I had never heard of those names before so I couldn’t put them into the family. Now it all made sense. Mart Love was the son of Sarah Sparlin Love and, therefore, the (half) nephew of “Grandpa”, Lee Gallaher.

When I told Cathy Bradley about this discovery, she looked in her great-grandmother’s funeral book at the names listed. Attending the funeral in Dallas in 1950 for Margaret Ann Blakeman Bradley, daughter of Nancy Sparlin and Joel Blakeman, were Mrs. Mart Love and Mrs. Howard (Martie Love) Penn.

On Aug. 4, 2002, I received a phone call from Patsy Penn Boynton of Whitney, TX. She was the Sarah Sparlin Love descendant I had been trying to reach. We had a nice phone visit. I told her of her Sparlin/Love family connection to our Sparlin/Gallaher family and that I had good information on the Sparlin, Parsons, Jobe and Southward lines of her great-great grandmother. Patsy said she remembered hearing from her mother of the Gallaher family. I have also had an email from her brother, Howard Penn of Dallas, TX.

Evidently, all the earlier generations of the Love and Gallaher family knew each other, but the knowledge of Sarah’s family had been lost in the current Gallaher descendants. It is great to find them again. I hope to learn more about their family.

The only other Sparlin child who might have lived to adulthood and been old enough to be gone from the family in 1860 was William Sparlin who was born about 1841. I’ve looked for him, but haven’t found any trace so far. I have wondered if he might have stayed in Chickasaw Territory with Sarah and her family.

Allie Sparlin and Burton L. Hunter, Jr.

The only reference I had seen for Burton L. Hunter, Jr. was in the obituary for Ann Gallaher. He was mentioned as being her grandson and having the same birth date, Oct. 11. Actually, he was her great-grandson. His mother was Allie Sparlin Hunter who married Burton L. Hunter, Sr. in Collin Co. in 1898. Burton, Sr. was from Sulphur Springs, Hopkins Co., TX. Allie divorced Burton on July 16, 1909 in Collin Co. and it isn’t thought that she married again. Burton, Sr. did marry 2 more times before his death in Sulphur Springs in 1922.

Burton, Allie and Burton, Jr. were on the Hopkins Co. census in 1900, but Allie and Burton, Jr. were living with her parents by 1910 in McKinney, TX. We haven’t found Allie on the 1920 census so far. In 1920, Burton L. Hunter, Jr. was on the census taken
aboard the USS South Dakota, which means he was in the service. When his father
died in 1922, his obituary mentioned that Burton, Jr. was living in CA and didn’t make it
in for the funeral. He was married to Beulah Wooton. Burton, Jr. died in New York City,
NY on Feb. 24, 1974 and was cremated at Garden State Crematory in North Bergin,
NJ. He had lived in New York for 17 years.

Allie Sparlin died in County Harbor General Hospital in Torrance, CA on April 16,
1958. Her address at that time was 1238 W. 166th St, Gardena, CA. She was
cremated at Pacific Crest Crematory.

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A Watson Family of Collin County Texas

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At this time it is not known if any and all Watson families in Collin County from about 1880-1900
are related. This has been an interesting family to try to collect data about since even though the
records seem to spell Watson correctly, everyone has two given names and uses one or the other or a
combo of initials on the various records. This article will be about the Andrew Jackson Watson family
that is first on the 1880 census for Precinct 1 of Collin County as “Jack”. As some records of the birth
places of some of the children are given as Dooly County, Georgia, it is currently believed that he is the
son of Gideon Watson and second wife Rebecca Henderson Watson.

An internet family shows Gideon Watson dying in 1873 which may have contributed to the family
moving from Georgia to Texas. Joseph P, Perry J and/or JP Watson was born in Collin County on 14
Oct 1878 according to his WWI draft card information while the last child born in Georgia was Alice
about 1876-77. A thank you goes to Aurora Chancy for some of the marriage records. At this time there
is no information about how they traveled or really why.

The best guess is that this Watson family basically looks like this:

Andrew Jackson, “Jack”, A. J., or maybe “John” b. Apr 1847 GA d ’19 Sep 1919 in Denton Co.,
TX. He married Missouri C. about 1870.

Missouri C. probably born Jun 1850 in GA or AL and died after the 1920 census probably in
TX or OK. 1900 census says she had 14 children with 8 living!

James Edward, Eddie, or J. E. b 1871 in Dooly County, GA and died 1951 in Kiowa Co. OK.
William Gideon, W. G., Gideon, Giden, Geddion, and even one “Simon” transcription was born 29 Oct 1872 in GA and died 1944 in Oklahoma City, OK.

Annie, b about 1875 in GA. Marries Davis in Collin County, TX.

Alice, A.R., Alas, or Allice K. was born about 1877 in GA and died after ?1951 She married Robert L., Robert P., or R.L. Mallow in 1898 in Collin Co.

Perry J., Joseph P., J.P., or Joseph Perry was born 14 Oct 1878 in Texas and died 22 Jul 1932 in Collin County. He married Pearl McKinney in 1905 as recorded in Collin County.

Sallie E. b 1883 in Collin County, TX. She married James W. Douglas in about 1900. She may have died 31 Mar 1952 in Dallas County.

Loren A., Lorine, or Lorine A. was born Jul 1887 in Collin County, TX and died after 1951 probably in TX. She married by 1915 to Benjamin F. Sullivan.

Oscar C., O. C., Oscar, or Oscar Clinton b 23 Jun 1889 and died 2 Jan 1978 Clarendon, Donley County, TX. He married Leslie about 1914.

The family on the 1880 census is Jack 33 GA, Missouri 29 AL, Eddie 8 GA, Gideon 7 GA, Annie 5 GA, Alice 3 GA, and Perry 1 TX. It is currently presumed that Missouri and Andrew Jackson Watson married about 1870 in GA. At this moment her maiden name is unknown.

According to the 1900 census the Watson family is found again in Justice Precinct 1 in Collin County as: Andrew 53 GA, Missourie C. 49 GA, Perry J. 21 TX, Loren R. (f) 19 TX, Oscar C. 10 TX, and probably 2 unrelated lodgers - Harrison A Williams 22 AR and Hasel F. Davidson 21 WV. Married children will be discussed in their stories.

I have searched several different ways the Ancestry.com 1910 census and was unable to find a household with Andrew Jackson or Missouri. According to the State of Texas death list Andrew J. died 4 Sep 1919 in Denton County. The 1920 census finds Missouri at age 69 as the mother-in-law in the household of Benjamin F. Sullivan. Even though I checked the TX death list I do not find a record for Missouri. She is not with any of her children on the 1930 census so is possibly deceased.

By 1900, the first known child is James Edward Watson that marries Anna Christina “Steena” Peterson on 29 Oct 1893 as recorded in Collin County. This family can be found on the 1900 Justice Precinct 6, Collin County census as James E. Watson b Sep 1871 GA, Stella Oct 1875 IL, Woodie (m) Oct 1894 TX, Jessie (f) Mar 1896 TX, Alas (f) Aug 1897 TX and Grady (m) May 1899. The following extra persons are in the household: James Herring 25 GA farm laborer, Walter Rigsby 15 KY at school, John Morrison 20 NC day laborer, George Ballorel ( ? Ballard ) 22 AR day laborer, and James Rigsby 18 KY day laborer. At this time James is listed as a farmer but is renting.

Between 1904 and 1907 James moved his family to what became Kiowa County. According to his obit he moved in 1901 and so it is not known if the family came then and “Steena” went home to have children. Oklahoma became a state in 1909 but an article published in the local paper states that he was elected a county commissioner in 1907. It also states that he also served as a commissioner from 1918-1926. His obituary also states that he served as a member of the state legislature. James and Steena had the following children Woodie Monroe b 1894 in TX and died 1914 with burial in Hobart, Kiowa Co OK. Jessie Ruth born 1896 in Collin Co TX, Alice Missouri, b 6 Aug 1897 near Allen, Collin Co. TX, Grady B. b 1899 in Collin Co TX. Dewitt Edward b 1902 in TX and died 1914 with burial at Hobart, Kiowa Co, OK, and Juanita b 6 Sep 1904 in TX. After “Steena’s” death in 1914 Hobart, Kiowa Co., OK he married May Evans Steinberg as widow with a daughter Alvena Steinberg Adams. James E and May had a daughter Lula May b 19 Jan 1919 at Hobart OK. After May’s death he married Edith
Cravens and they had no children. I have more about the descendents of James in OK, CA, TX and NY. James died 4 Dec 1951 in Hobart with burial in Rose Cemetery, Hobart, Kiowa Co, TX.

The second born to Andrew Jackson and Missouri Watson, William G is on the 1900 Collin County in Justice Precinct 1. The marriage record for W.G. Watson to A. B. Maguire in 1896 as found by Aurora Chancy. Household is William G 27 GA, Annie 25, Bryan 3 and Dewey 11/12. This family moved to OK between 1910 and 1920. They had at least 3 more children – Artin May, Edith and Elwood Watson. William G. Watson died in 1944 probably in Oklahoma County with burial in Love County.

Annie Watson was born about 1875 in GA but is not at home in 1900. Aurora Chancy was able to find a marriage record for an Annie Watson to a B. L. Davis 19 Mar 1893 in Collin County. Mrs. Annie Davis is listed as a surviving sibling in Dallas TX in the obit of James E. in Dec 1951. No other information.

Aurora also found the marriage for Alice Watson to R. L. Mallow in 1898 in Collin County. This couple can be found on the 1900 census in Justice Precinct 2, Denton County, Texas as R.L. Mallow 31 and A. R. 23. Based on the census they had the following children Winnie C. b 1910, Alton W. b 1902-1905, James E. or Edward J. b 1911, and Alline or Alyne b. 1915-1916. This family can be found on the 1910 TX, Denton Co. J P Precinct 8; 1920 TX, Denton Co., J P Precinct 8 and 1930 TX, Denton Co., Sanger. Based on her brother’s obit she is still living there in 1951.

Joseph Perry Watson was b 14 Oct 1878 in TX and married 1905 in Collin Co., TX. He married Lura Peal McKinney. She is probably the daughter of James William McKinney and Sarah Elizabeth England. They had at least two children, Winnie b ca 1918 and Jack Perry b. 11 Apr 1921. Then Joseph P. died 22 Jul 1932 in Collin Co. No further information about this family.

Sarah E. Watson was born Jul 1882 in Collin Co., TX, therefore she is not on the census with her birth family. She married in 1900 to James W. Douglas and was still living in 1951. James is probably the son of Mollie E. Douglas and there appears to be another male Douglas of a similar name in the area. This family is on the 1900 JP 1 district of Collin Co., and by the 1920 census they have moved to J P 6 district in nearby Tarrant co., TX. They are listed as in Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., on the 1930 census. Known children are Myrtis (f) b 1903 and Hall or Hale b 1913.

Lorene or some similar spelling was born Jul 1887 in Collin Co., TX and 1951 was living in Ft. Worth, TX. She married Benjamin F. Sullivan by 1915. She was not found on the 1910 census but is in Denton Co. on the 1920 census and in Wichita Falls, Wichita, TX on the 1930 census. In 1930 Ben Sullivan is listed as a grocer. They had at least 3 children; Lee U. (f) b 1915, Bondell (f) b 1917, and Laverne b 1918.

The last surviving child was Oscar Clinton Watson b 23 Jun 1889 in Collin Co., TX and died probably 2 Jan 1978 at Clarendon, Donley co., TX. He is at home in 1900 in Collin Co., TX. He might be the Oscar listed as farm help on the 1910 Tarrant co JP 1 district census. He has moved to Clarendon and married Leslie by the 1920 census. According to a family tree on line she is Leslie Pearl Antrobus born 1 Aug 1888 in Clarendon, Donley Co, TX and died 11 Oct 1988 in Amarillo, Potter Co., TX. Oscar was a retail hardware merchant in Clarendon. They are known to have 3 children Oscar C. b 1913, Dorothy b 1918, and George b 1924. If Dorothy did not marry she could be the Dorothy b 23 Jun 1918 and died 21 Sep 2003 in Amarillo, Randall, TX.
Ahnentafel of Nancy Louise WELTY ROSS

First Generation
1. Nancy Louise WELTY

Second Generation
3. Mary Louise TAYLOR: born on 18 Dec 1912 in Polo, Ogle Co., IL; died on 1 Sep 1988 in Dixon, Lee, Illinois, USA.

Third Generation
4. John Jacob WELTY: born on 12 Mar 1865 in Lancaster, Morgan Co, IN; married on 4 Dec 1888 in White Hall, Greene, Illinois; died on 18 Sep 1941 in Monmouth, IL.
6. William Alferd TAYLOR: born on 15 Nov 1884 in Sullivan, Tennessee, United States; married on 4 Apr 1906 in Polo, Ogle Co, IL; died on 9 Jan 1944 in Polo, Ogle Co, IL.

Fourth Generation
8. Daniel WELTY: born in 1809 in Cumberland, Adams, Pennsylvania, United States; married on 5 Apr 1839 in Tuscarawas County, Ohio; died in 1891.
10. Gregory Farmer ALLEN: born on 12 Feb 1838 in White Hall, Greene, Illinois; married on 10 Apr 1862 in Greene, Illinois, United States; died on 31 Jan 1892 in Greene, Illinois, United States.
13. Mary Ann (Molly) GREER: born on 17 Mar 1861 in Cove Creek, Watauga, North Carolina; died on 5 Aug 1925 in Polo, Ogle County, Illinois.
15. Madaline TYLER: born on 1 May 1855 in Tennessee; died on 1 Jun 1898 in Washington County, TN.
Fifth Generation

16. Michael WELTY: born in 1759; marr aft 1800; died on 9 Sep 1815 in Crooked Run, Tuscarawas, OH
17. Catharine ?.
18. Jacob WHALING.
20. Nathan ALLEN: born on 30 Mar 1799 in Franklin County, Virginia; married on 1 Aug 1818 in Warren County, Kentucky; died on 8 Apr 1878 in Wrightsville, Greene, Illinois.
22. James M BUCK: born about Jan 1818 in North Carolina; married; died on 22 Jan 1887 in Beardstown, Cass, Illinois, USA.
27. Margaret Melinda (Polly) KILBY: born in 1838 in Wilkes County, North Carolina; died after 1870.
31. Martha L GILLESPIE: born in 1818 in Washington County, Tennessee; died on 23 Nov 1879.

Sixth Generation

32. Phillip Jacob WELTY: born in 1719 in Edenkoben, Pfalz, Germany; married about 1753 in Chester, Pennsylvania, United States; died in 1789 in York County, Pennsylvania.
33. Elisabeth ?: born in Prob Edenkoben, Germany; died in York County, Pennsylvania.
40. James ALLEN: born in 1772; married in 1793 in Franklin County, Virginia; died in Illinois.
41. Nancy CANNADY: born about 1763 in Virginia, United States.
42. Samuel DOYEL: born in 1774 in North Carolina; married on 5 Mar 1794 in Rowan County, North Carolina; died in Oct 1830 in Greene, Illinois, United States.
43. Mahala (Haley) LOVELACE: born in 1772 in Rowan County, North Carolina; died on 10 Aug 1854 in Greene, Illinois, United States.
44. James Madison BUCK: married.

46. Martin WOOD: born about 1786; married; died on 11 Jun 1861 in Greene, Illinois, United States.

47. Elizabeth DUNCAN: born about 1787 in Kentucky; died on 10 Feb 1839 in Greene, Illinois.


49. Lydia ?.

52. Unknown UNKNOWN.

53. Mary GREER: born in 1815.


55. Francis (Frannie) ADAMS: born between 1810 and 1812 in Wilkes County, NC; died in 1886.


59. Isabelle RANKIN: born on 23 Apr 1806 in Greene, Tennessee, United States; died on 24 Feb 1883 in Washington County, Tennessee.

60. William TYLER: born about 1770 in Shenandoah Valley, VA; married; died on 13 Aug 1820 in Washington County, Tennessee.

61. Nancy (Polly) PHILLIPS: born about 1786 in North Carolina; died after 1880.

62. Allen H GILLESPIE Col.: born on 23 Jul 1769 in Maryland or Pennsylvania; married on 12 Nov 1807; died on 19 Aug 1845 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

63. Sarah SIMS: born on 6 Jan 1792 in Pennsylvania; died on 18 Apr 1847.

Seventh Generation

64. Johann Jacob WELTY: born about 1689 in Edenkoben, Pfalz, Germany; married on 1 Sep 1709 in Edenkoben, Pfalz, Germany; died in Prob Pennsylvania.

65. Johanna Catharina DURCHDEIBACH: born on 1 Jun 1679 in Edenkoben, Pfalz, Germany; died in Prob Edenkoben, Germany.

82. William CANNADY: born on 16 Oct 1730 in Kent County, Maryland; married on 11 Sep 1759; died in 1801 in Franklin County, Virginia.

83. Nancy HILL: born in 1733 in Goochland, Virginia.

84. Samuel DOYEL: born in 1740 in Maryland; married before 1758; died in 1799 in Shelby County, KY.
85. Martha FARMER: born on 23 Sep 1720 in Baltimore County, Maryland; died in Kentucky.

86. Isaac LOVELACE: born in 1744 in Port Tobacco, Charles, MD, USA; married in 1770; died on 4 May 1785 in Statesville, Iredell, NC.

87. Catherine BEALL: born in 1731; died on 8 Oct 1796 in Iredell, NC.

88. Elias BUCK: married.

89. Sarah MORRIS.

96. Jacob TAYLOR: born on 12 Nov 1758 in Winchester, Virginia; married.


106. James GREER: born on 17 Sep 1783 in Ashe, North Carolina, United States; married; died in 1844 in Watauga, North Carolina, United States.

107. Mary (Polly) HAMPTON: born in 1794 in Wilkes County, North Carolina; died in Watauga, NC.


109. Elizabeth (Betsy) RASH: born in 1784 in Culpepper, Virginia, United States; died about 1830.


114. Jacob Bowman HUNTER: born on 16 Mar 1766 in Plum Run, Washington Co, Maryland; married @1788 in Cherokee Creek, Washington, Tennessee, United States; died on 19 Jun 1836 in Habersham County, GA.

115. Ann (Annie) CLARK: born on 7 Dec 1764 in Virginia, United States; died on 19 Jul 1837 in Cherokee Creek, Washington, Tennessee, United States.


117. Elizabeth HUMPHREYS: born on 29 Aug 1774 in Washington County, North Carolina (now Carter County, Tennessee); died on 23 Aug 1839 in Washington County, Tennessee.

118. David RANKIN: born on 1 Nov 1775 in Greene, Tennessee, United States; married on 7 Jun 1802 in Greene, Tennessee, United States; died on 7 Jun 1838 or 17 Jul 1838 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

119. Jane Bell (Jenny) DINWIDDIE: born on 25 Sep 1784 in Washington County, Tennessee; died on 25 Sep 1853 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

122. Robert PHILLIPS: born about 1731 in Augusta, Virginia, United States; married.

124. George GILLESPIE: born about 1726 in Ireland; married in 1766 in Rowan County, North Carolina; died on 2 Jan 1794 in Limestone, Washington County, Tennessee.

125. Martha ALLEN: born in 1746; died after 1794.

126. William SIMS.
Eighth Generation

128. Johann George WELTY.

164. John CANNADY: born in 1707 in Somerset County, Maryland; married on 17 Aug 1727 in St. Peter's, Talbot County, Maryland.

165. Margaret SUMMERS.

166. John HILL: married.

167. Mildred GILMAN.

170. Peter FARMER: born on 8 Feb 1715/16 in St. George's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland; married on 22 Nov 1737 in Baltimore County, Maryland (in 1774 became Hartford County); died before 23 Oct 1745 in St. George's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland.

171. Mary WOODS: born on 23 Sep 1720 in Baltimore County, Maryland.

172. John Baptist LOVELACE: born between 1720 and 1722 in Baltimore County, Maryland; married in 1744/45 in Prince George's County, Maryland, USA; died on 16 Jul 1765 in Frederick, Maryland, United States.

173. Eleanor WILCOXEN: born on 14 May 1729 in Prince George's County, Maryland, USA; died before 29 Oct 1776.

174. James BEALL: born in 1698 in Montgomery Co, MD; married in 1723 in Maryland.

175. Margaret EDMONSTON: born in 1708 in Prince George Co, MD.

192. George TAYLOR: born in 1738 in Antrim, Armaugh, Ulster, Ireland; married estimated 1758; died on 31 Jan 1801 in Montgomery, Virginia.


212. Capt. Benjamin GREER: born on 9 Feb 1746 in Albemarle County, Virginia; married in 1767 in Rowan County, North Carolina; died on 23 Oct 1816 in Greene County, Kentucky.


214. Thomas HAMPTON: born in 1755; married in Wilkes County, North Carolina; died in 1818 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.


217. Frances (Frankie) EDDINS: born between 1748 and 1750 in Culpepper, Virginia, United States; died about 1833 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.

218. Joseph RASH: born between 1746 and 1755 in Spotsylvania, Virginia; married; died in 1812 in Beaver Creek, Wilkes, North Carolina, United States.

224. Mathias RUBLE: born on 9 Dec 1744 in Bavaria, Germany; married about 1763 in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania; died between 5/31 & 9/12 1817 in Lockemills, Armagh, Mifflin, Pennsylvania, USA.

225. Anna Maria HOFFMAN: born on 1 Oct 1746 in Tulpehocken Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania; died on 8 Jun 1819 in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania.

228. John (Johannes Jager) HUNTER: born on 14 May 1737 in Arisdorf, Baselstadt, Switzerland; married in 1762 in Hagerstown, Washington Co, Maryland; died on 7 Jun 1823 in Cherokee Creek, Washington, Tennessee, United States.


234. Richard HUMPHREYS: born in 1747 in Frederick, Virginia, United States; married; died on 24 Jan 1829 in Washington County, Tennessee.

235. Mary Elizabeth (Polly) HAMILTON: born in 1752 in Washington, North Carolina; died in TN.

236. Judge David RANKIN: born in 1726; married in 1775; died in 1802 in Greene, Tennessee.


238. James DINWIDDIE: born in 1740 in Campbell, Virginia; married before 1784; died on 6 May 1806 in Greene County, Tennessee.

239. Isabel GALBREATH: born in 1747 in Bucks, Pennsylvania, United States; died on 28 Sep 1831 in TN.

244. James PHILLIPS.


249. Elizabeth DUVAL.

Ninth Generation

328. John CANNADY: born in 1680 in Somerset County, Maryland; married on 31 May 1701 in Kent County, Maryland; died in Maryland?.

329. Elizabeth DOUGE.

340. Gregory FARMER: born in 1680; married on 27 Aug 1703 in St. George's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland; died in 1750.


342. Joshua WOODS: born on 1 Oct 1694 in Maryland; married; died on 15 Aug 1740.
343. Martha SMITH: born in 1698; died on 20 Apr 1728.

344. John LOVELACE: born in 1689 in Charles, Maryland, United States; married; died before 7 Jul 1775 in Charles, Maryland, United States.

345. Ann ?: born about 1691; died between 1730 and 1741 in Charles, Maryland, United States.

346. Thomas WILCOXEN Sr.: born on 9 Mar 1695 in Prince George Co, MD; married before 1723 in Prince George Co, MD; died in 1777 in Prince George Co, MD.

347. Ruth LETTON?: born on 3 Sep 1703; died in 1779.

350. Archibald EDMONSTON: born in 1670 in Prince George Co, MD; married.

351. Jane Pottenger BEALL: born in 1678 in Prince George Co, MD.

384. Isaac TAYLOR: born in 1710 in Antrim, Armaugh, Ulster, Ireland; married in 1730 in Ireland; died on 6 Feb 1781 in Montgomery, Virginia.


386. John CHARLTON: born in 1725 in County Derry, Ireland; married.

387. Elizabeth Robinson FRENCH.

424. John GREER Jr.: born in 1714 in Baltimore County, Maryland; married; died in Jun 1782 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.


427. Sarah BOONE: born on 7 Jun 1724 in New Britain Township, Berks, Pennsylvania; died in 1815 in Madison, Kentucky, USA.


429. Rachel ?.

430. William LAWS.


433. Elizabeth.

434. Abraham EDDINS: born on 12 Jun 1724 in Culpepper, Virginia, United States; married.

435. Catherine TOWLES: born on 5 Jul 1721 in Middlesex Co, VA.


437. Elizabeth WARREN.

439. Frances Tomkins LIVINGSTON: born in 1727 in Virginia, United States; died on 2 Jan 1784 in Wilkes County, North Carolina.

448. Peter (RUBEL) RUBLE: born between 1714 and 1720 in Germany; married; died on 15 Mar 1773 in Codorus, York, Pennsylvania, United States.

449. Anna MUELLER: born in 1718; died after 1773 in Cordorus, York, Pennsylvania, United States.

450. Jacob HOFFMAN: married.

451. ? ?.

456. Heinrich (Henry) JAGER: born @1715 in Arisdorf, Baselstadt, Switzerland; married; died in 1748 in Codorus Twp, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

457. Ursula WURTZ: born on 21 Jun 1716 in Wenslingen, Basil-Land, Switzerland; died in 1740.

458. Jacob BOWMAN: married.

459. Varena.


467. Sarah Higgins STOUT: born in 1725 in Clover Hill, Hunterdon, New Jersey, United States; died on 10 Jul 1768 in Loudon, Virginia.


469. Susannah NORTH: born in 1701.

476. Lawrence DINWIDDIE: born in 1697; married in 1743; died on 3 May 1764 in Virginia.


479. Nancy Agnes MILLER: born in 1726 in Bucks, Pennsylvania, United States; died in 1787 in Campbell, Virginia.

Tenth Generation

656. William CANNADY: born between 1645 and 50 in Ireland; married Aft 1676 and Bef 1678 in MD

657. ? ?.
688. Thomas LOVEACE: born in 1664; married; died before 1753 in Charles, Maryland, United States.

689. Eleanor ?: born in 1674; died in 1765.

692. John WILCOXEN: married; died in 1716 in Prince George Co, MD.

693. Magdalen ?: died after 1714.


848. John GREER: born in 1688 in Big Falls of the Gunpowder River, Baltimore Co., Maryland; married in 1710 in Baltimore County, Maryland; died between Apr 1752 and Jul 1752 in Onslow, North Carolina.

849. Sarah DAY: born about 1686; died in 1747 in North Carolina.


853. Elizabeth POWELL: born on 10 Mar 1696 in Chester, Pennsylvania, United States; died in 1740 in Chester County, Pennsylvania.


855. Sarah MORGAN: born in 1700 in Bala, Wales, Pennsylvania; died on 1 Jan 1777 in Rowan County, North Carolina.

858. William EDDINS II: born in 1686 in Lunenburg Co, VA; married; died in 1754.

859. Rebecca FIRTH.

870. Stokely TOWLES: born about 1690 in Accomack, Virginia, United States; married on 21 Oct 1708 in Christ's Church Parish, Middlesex Co., Virginia; died in 1757 in Brumfield Parish, Culpepper, Virginia.


876. Henry ISBELL: born in 1690 in Virginia, United States; married; died in 1760.

877. Hannah COX.


879. Margaret TODD.

912. Heini JAGER: born in 1679; married.

913. Maria HEINIMANN: born in 1700 in Arisdorf, Baselstadt, Switzerland.

914. Johannes (Hans) WURTZ: born on 6 Aug 1671 in Wenslingen, Basil-Land, Switzerland; married on 30 Jan 1700.

915. Anna BUSS: born in 1682.

928. John WEST: born on 28 Oct 1690 in Long Grandou, Buckinghamshire, England; married in 1715 in


931. Hannah MARRIS.

932. Duncan OLIPHANT: born in 1682 in Perthshire, Scotland; married in 1708 in Staten Island, Richmond, New York; died on 7 Aug 1734 in Amwell, Hunterdon, New Jersey.

933. Mary GARRISON: born in 1686 in Scotland; died on 7 Aug 1734 in Hunterdon, New Jersey.

934. Freegift STOUT: born in 1693 in Clover Hill, Hunterdon, New Jersey, United States; married in 1720 in Hunterdon, New Jersey; died on 29 Jun 1766 in Amwell, Hunterdon, New Jersey.

935. Mary HIGGINS: born on 24 Jun 1700 in East Barnstable, Massachusetts; died on 5 Aug 1795 in Amwell, Hunterdon, New Jersey.


953. Elizabeth CUMMINGS: born in 1667 in Lanarkshire, Scotland; died in Lanarkshire, Scotland.

956. John GALBREATH: born in 1646 in Scotland; married; died in Ireland.


1696. James GREER: born in 1626/27 in Capenoch, Dumfrieshire, Scotland; married; died in 1688 in Gunpowder River, Baltimore County, Maryland.

1697. Ann TAYLOR: born about 1662 in Baltimore County, Maryland; died on 13 May 1716 in Baltimore County, Maryland.

1698. Nicholas DAY: born @ 1620; married; died Bet 1 Dec 1704 & 2 Feb 1705 in Baltimore County, MD

1699. Sarah LOWE?: born in 1736; died Bef 28 Dec1736 in Baltimore County, Maryland.


1707. Maud RICHARDS.


1709. Mary MAUGRIDGE: born between 1668 and 1669 in Bradninch, Exeter, Devonshire, England; died
on 2 Feb 1739 or 1740 in Exeter, Berks, Pennsylvania.


1711. Elizabeth JARMAN.

1740. Henry TOWLES: born between 1645 and 1652 in Liverpool, England; married; died in 1721 in Accomack, Virginia, United States.

1741. Ann STOKELEY.

1742. Claude VALLOT: born in 1648/49 in Champagne, France; married about 1689 in Christ's Church Parish, Middlesex Co., Virginia; died on 29 Jan 1693 in Middlesex Co, VA.

1743. Ann JENKINSON: born about 1662 in County Cumberland, England; died in Middlesex Co, VA.


1824. Hanns(Johannes) JAGER: born between 1637 and 1639 in Olsburg, Baselland, Switzerland; married on 29 Jun 1675 in Arisdorf, Baselstadt, Switzerland.

1825. Magdalene Madia HODEL: born in 1641.

1828. Hans Imbert WURTZ: born in 1642 in Switzerland; married on 2 Jul 1667 in Wenslingen, Baselland, Switzerland.

1829. Anna WALTISBERGER: born in 1646 in Switzerland.

1830. Zachariah BUSS: born in 1656 in Switzerland; married.

1831. Maria SCHAFFNER: born in 1660 in Switzerland.


1858. Thomas PEARSON: born in 1653 in Morley MM, Pownall Fee, Chester, Cheshire, England; married on 18 Feb 1683 in Morley MM, Pownall Fee, Chester, Cheshire, England; died before 27 May 1734 in Marple, Chester, Pennsylvania.

1859. Margery Ellen SMITH: born on 1 Feb 1658 in Pownall Fee, Chester, Cheshire, England; died in 1747 in Marple, Chester, Pennsylvania.

1864. David OLIPHANT: born in 1648 in Perthshire, Scotland; married in 1668; died on 7 Aug 1734 in Hunterdon, New Jersey.


1866. Lambert GARRISON: born about 1660 in Scotland; married.
1868. David STOUT: born in 1667 in Middletown, Monmouth, New Jersey; married in 1688 in Freehold, Monmouth County, New Jersey, United States; died about 1732 in Amwell, Hunterdon, New Jersey.

1869. Rebecca ASHTON: born in 1672 in Providence, Providence County, Rhode Island; died in 1725 in Amwell, Hunterdon, New Jersey.


Twelfth Generation


3393. Mary BROWNE: born in Scotland; died in Scotland.


3395. Margaret HILL.

3416. George BOONE: born in 1646 in England; married in 1665 in England; died about 1705 in ENG.


3482. John STOKELEY: born in 1621; married.

3483. Elizabeth WOODMAN.

3486. Thomas JENKINSON: married.

3487. Dorothy ?.


3651. Anna MARTIN.


3737. Penelope KENT: born in 1622 in Amsterdam, Noord, Holland, Netherlands; died in 1732 in Middletown, Monmouth, New Jersey.

3738. Rev. James ASHTON: born in 1639 in Of Freehold, Monmouth Co, New Jersey; married on 12 Dec 1670 in Providence, Providence, Rhode Island; died in 1705 in Monmouth County, New Jersey.

3739. Deliverance THROCKMORTON: born in 1648 in Monmouth County, New Jersey; died in 1705 in Freehold, Monmouth County, New Jersey, United States.


3741. Mary ?.

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**Online query**

I would appreciate help on the following: Roswell Marshall TALKINGTON born 7 April 1887 in McKinney, Collin, TX. Parents: Maxwell C "Mack" and Mary Emma MARSHALL TALKINGTON. Roswell died November 1972 in Vinson, Harmon OK. Would love to have a birth certificate if available. Any other information would be greatly appreciated. Thank you, Barbara PADGITT 6806 Tournament Dr. Houston, TX 77069 bpadgitt@comcast.net ed note: the county didnt require birth and death certificates until later. However, on 28 Nov, 1956 he filed for a delayed birth certificate which is available from the clerks office. Document #860-39 says his father Maxwell, was 50 at the time of the birth, b Kentucky, farmer, only the one child born to this mother. Mary Emma Marshall was 30, born Tennessee, housewife. Roswell was born at 1 am. Signed by Mary Talkington and C W Harper.
508. Hugh Stevens – Sallie Herndon
   23 August 1897   E. Nelson a JP and O. D. Minister of the Gospel

509. J. W. Cox – Cynthia A. Hankins (Mrs.)
   25 August 1897   J. F. McCuistion Sulphur City Ark.

509. J. W. Metheney – Annie Wright (Mrs.)
   4 August 1897   J. K. Gotcher M. G.

510. R. E. Graves – Roena Allen
   26 August 1897   J. H. Faulkner Justice of the Peace

510. M. B. Williamson – Lizzie Montgomery
   18 August 1897   J. H. Faulkner of the Christian Church

511. T. C. Arthur – Matilda Christian (Mrs.)
   22 August 1897   Austin Crouch Minister of Gospel

511. Austin Renfrow – Francis Willis
   17 August 1897   B. Smith Minister of the Gospel

512. W. C. Gray – M. L. Neal (Mrs.)
   11 August 1897   S. K. Hallam Pastor of the First Christian Church McKinney, Tex.

512. George A. Sullivan – Daisy Brown
   4 August 1897   S. K. Hallam Pastor First Christian Church

513. Pat Ewps (Epps) – Pearly (Pearley) Parks
   28 July 1897   Geo. W. Taylor a Minister of the Gospel

513. R. H. Dennis – Maggie Hargrave (Hargraves)
   29 July 1897   D. W. Garvin M. G.

514. H. H. Blake – May Gribble
   3 August 1897   I. S. Ashburn Preacher of the M. E. Church South

514. W. M. Todd – Emma Walters
   8 August 1897   C. M. Keith Minister of the Gospel

515. Warren Cook – Lula Cox
   16 July 1897   W. D. Rogers M. G.

515. O. W. Mitchell – Belle Nowlin
   22 July 1897   W. D. Rogers M. G.

516. J. R. Craver – B. T. Sanders
   25 August 1897   C. E. Morgan Baptist Minister

516. Perl Presley – Mary Spiers
   29 August 1897   P. T. E. Hillson
   Note at side: “Md. Mary M. Snowden 946 E. 33 St. Los Angeles, Calif.”

517. W. J. Green – Nellie S. Howell
   5 September 1897   Eld. Jas. C. Lawry Minister Gospel

517. P. Caughron – Ola Washborn
   5 September 1897   J. B. Adair G. M.

518. J. A. Morton – Georgie L. Kidd
   7 November 1897   J. F. Greer Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 3 Collin Co., Texas

518. J. W. Boiles – Lizzie Bell
   30 September 1897   Eld. J. M. McKinney
519. Parker Jones – Lizzie (Elizie) Ried (Reid)
   9 September 1897       Austin Lockhart

   6 September 1897       Wm Johnson Minister of the Gospel
   Note at side: "Mailed to Mrs. Clara A. Mills Jonesboro, Ark."

520. W. B. Chambers – Sallie Graves
   12 September 1897       E. S. Haynes O. M. G.

520. W. H. Grider – L. C. Donaldson
   12 September 1897       W. H. Conwill Baptist Minister

521. H. L. Cook – Opha Needham
   11 September 1897       A. W. Gibson Minister of Gospel

521. W. A. Kerby – M. C. Snider
   12 September 1897       W. C. Little Minister M. E. Church South

522. D. M. Robnison (Robinson) – Vada Rainer
   12 September 1897       Rev. R. L. Phelps
   Note at side: Delivered to Mrs. Vada Robinson June 15th 1923"

522. W. T. Bell – Fannie Brautley
   12 September 1897       J. H. Faulkner Justice of the Peace

523. J. S. Newman – R. L. Turner (Mrs.)
   7 October 1897          Elder J. R. Darnall

523. Robert W. Robinson – Corney A. Loftice
   20 September 1897       Joel S. Graves

524. E. F. Herron – Minnie Beatrice Thompson (Thomason)
   15 September 1897       Ben H. Bounds M. G.

524. Henry C. Beck – Lemisie Marsie Parker (Mrs.)
   15 September 1897       W. T. Newsom M. G.

525. H. M. Mayo – Emer Pace
   19 September 1897       A. W. Runnion
   Note at side: "Mailed H. M. Mayo Whitesboro Rt. 4 5/8/1936"

525. J. B. (Benjamin) Collier – Lizzie (Elizabeth) Stibbens
   16 September 1897       D. Hilary Cassal Cath. Priest

526. Daniel Booker Shrader – Ada Rogers
   28 November 1897 N. P. Shrader O. M. G.

526. John Wicker – Mattie Finney
   [No marriage date] J. F. Carr Minister of the Gospel  his X mark
   [License issued 18 November 1897. Returned and filed for record the 19th day of November 1897 and recorded the 29 day of November 1897]

527. R. F. Sellers – Minnie Robinette
   16 September 1897       S. K. Hallam Pastor of the First Christian Church McKinney

527. J. S. Finley – Nora B. Hinton
   29 November 1897 H. H. Sullivan M. G.

528. Andy Cursy – Daisy Copeland
   16 September 1897       Rev. G. R. Cushingberry Bap. Church
   G. Robinson, Lucy Graves

528. L. A. Melton – Janie Sircle
   19 July 1897            W. H. Vance M. G.
   [Return dated 23 September 1897 and recorded 27 September 1897]
529. L. S. Dennis – Mattie Snider
   19 September 1897     Wm. P. Cloyd Minister of the C. P. Church

529. W. H. Anders – Etta Hodges
   17 September 1897     V. R. Stapp Minister of Gospel
   Note at side: “Delivered to Mr. W. H. Anders in person February 28 – 1941”

530. J. H. Whitehead – M. P. Neal (Mrs.)
   22 September 1897     J. B. Wilbanks Minister of the Gospel

530. P. T. Galligher – Effie Stover
   18 September 1897     E. S. Williams O. M. G. M. E. Church South

531. G. W. Dunn – Minnie Carter
   19 September 1897     Wm. P. Cloyd Minister of the C. P. Church

531. R. C. McLeod – F. E. Gibbs
   3 October 1897        Paul Kimzey (Minister)

532. J. A. Sharp – W. V. Wilson
   26 September 1897     J. B. Wilbanks Minister of the Gospel

532. J. P. Moore – E. O. McCurdy
   22 September 1897     S. L. Ball Officiating Minister

533. C. G. Moore – Lula McMahan
   22 September 1897     C. E. Morgan Baptist Minister
   Note at side: “Del. 9-17-59 Mr. Charles G. Moore 5906 Reiger Dallas, Texas”

533. W. L. Nettles – Rosa Williams
   22 September 1897     S. K. Hallams Paster of the First Christian Church McKinney Tex.
   Note at side: “These [sic] license delivered to W. L. Nettles this March 27th 1900. J. P.
   Maulcun CLK. by E. W. Merritt Dep.”

534. J. C. Fimcher – Ethel Morris
   26 September 1897     Paul Kimzey (Minister)

534. J. H. Passons – M. J. Hunsinger (Mrs.)
   26 September 1897     J. M. Bozarth Minister of the Gospel

535. J. W. Williams – Flora Fitts
   26 September 1897     S. P. Day M. G.

535. W. L. O’Guin – Sadie A. Coldwell
   26 September 1897     Rev. J. B. Wellman

536. J. M. Gregory – Etta McGuffen (McGuffin)
   3 October 1897         A. J. Crumly M. G.

536. L. D. Beasley – Edna Allison
   26 September 1897     C. I. McWhirter Minister of the Gospel

537. C. D. Manning – Hettie Fagg
   3 October 1897         D. W. Grounds L. E.

537. J. K. Howell – Connie Murchison
   26 September 1897     C. S. Daugherty Minister of the Gospel

538. C. W. Rutledge – Rebecca Ham
   26 September 1897     J. G. Huddleston Minister of the Gospel

538. C. C. Bunch – Lula Blake
   30 September 1897     G. B. Airhart Minister of the Gospel

539. J. I. Fielder – Dotie Avan
   29 September 1897     Rev. Abe Enloe
   Note at side: “Delivered J. I. Fielder Nov. 21, 1935”
539. H. W. Walkins – S. A. L. (Sallie) Tappley
   3 October 1897    Paul Kimzey

540. R. S. Hooper – Ida Phillips
   3 October 1897    S. L. Ball Officiating Minister

540. Babe Burns – Hettie Copeland
   2 October 1897    Rev. W. W. Hendrix
   Note at side: “Del. to Bab. Burns 7-30-1938"

541. C. C. Christian – Laura Whisenant
   3 October 1897    W. A. McComb M. G. Plano Texas

541. J. J. Spurgin – L. P. Garrett
   3 October 1897    Eld. J. M. McKinney

542. B. H. Dickens – Yonia Kerly (Kerby)
   3 October 1897    Eld. J. M. McKinney

542. A. G. Strapple – Missouri Kennedy
   3 October 1897    Geo. S. Sexton Ordained Minister

543. Neal Ohagan – Minnie Johnson
   11 October 1897    E. E. Holt Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 8 Collin County, Texas

543. Lum Johnson – Edith Murphy
   4 October 1897    A. M. Douglass Eldr. Christian Church Melissa

544. Charlie P. Coldwell – Harrett C. Rolston
   5 October 1897    Geo. Hullinger Minister

544. E. L. Roller – Lillian Aldridge
   6 October 1897    W. W. Martin Pastor C. P. Church Plano, Texas

545. Goodall Harrison Wooten – Ella Newsome
   5 October 1897    D. W. Pritchett Minister of the Gospel

545. W. J. Buford – M. V. Barnett
   10 October 1897    E. P. Billington Minister

546. R. D. Bright – Maud Hensley
   7 October 1897    A. L. Gribble Minister of the Gospel

546. James Brunson – N. E. (H. E.) Samples
   10 October 1897    E. E. Holt Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 8 Collin County, Texas

547. G. M. Marriott – Eula Gallagher [on license]
   C. H. Johnson – N. C. Hickman [on return]
   10 October 1897    J. B. Adair, G. M.

547. W. J. Marshall – Mamie Bridge
   10 October 1897    H. N. Keller L. P.

548. J. H. Cook – Eula L. Cook
   10 October 1897    Levi Dunn Minister of the Gospel

548. J. E. Jackson – Minnie C. Ratcliff
   10 October 1897    Paul Kimzey (Minister)
   Note on license: “Delivered original papers to J. E. Jackson, L. A. Sears Clerk < by C. L.
   Sears Deputy”

549. A. A. Howard – Olie Carter
   10 October 1897    W. Y. Morton Licend Minister
   Note at side: “4/3/41 Del. A. A. Howard”
549. G. H. Hanna – Celia Mullican
   (Witness my hand this 17 day of Oct. 1897)
   [Returned and filed for record the 21st day of Oct. 1897 and recorded the 21 day of Oct.
   1897 by John J. Walden, Deputy, John A. Walden County Clerk]

550. M. E. Hall – S. I. Stibbens (Mrs.)
   14 October 1897  Eldr. J. B. Faulkner of the Christian Church

550. Salon (Solun) Dunn – Effie E. Landon
   17 October 1897  Wm Allen Minister of the Gospel

551. Joe Vester – Hannah Jackson
   14 October 1897  J. H. Wyatt
   Harp Jackson
   Note at side: “Del. to Willie Zester [?] June 16 1911”

551. J. F. Kelley – Dora Hitchcock
   17 October 1897  J. B. Adair G. M.

552. Amond Scott – Bulah Harris
   14 October 1897  Rev. G. R. Cushingberry
   George Robinson
   Hiram Berry

552. J. W. Hudson – Nannie Graham
   17 October 1897  R. H. Love Ordained Min.

553. Joe Parker – Juley (Julia) Daudory Southern
   17 October 1897  A. W. (G. W.) Gibson Minister of Gospel

553. W. F. Derrick (Dearrick) – L. A. Vernon (Mrs.)
   19 October 1897  J. A. Seigler Minister

554. George Nipp – Florence Merrell (Merrill) (Mrs.)
   17 October 1897  G. O. Key a Minister

554. Richard W. Bond—Laura Pauline Shirley
   19 October 1897  C. McPherson Minister of the Gospel

555. H. L. Ragsdale – S. A. Werner (Warner)
   20 October 1897  W. D. Rogers M. G.

555. J. W. Burroughs – Maude McCarley
   23 October 1897  J. M. Harder Minister of the Gospel

556. E. F. Stewart – Minnie Morrow
   21 October 1897  Eld. J. W. Sanderson

556. J. M. Parkins – Oma Tibbs
   24 October 1897  J. B. Wilbanks Minister of the Gospel

557. W. F. Johnson – E. M. Fields
   31 October 1897  G. M. Hall M. G.

557. Dan Peel – Maud Daniel
   31 November 1897  M. C. Little Ordained Deacon (Minister) Methodist Episcopal
                   Church South
   [Should be October 31, 1897: Returned and filed for record the 2 day of Nov. 1897 and
   recorded the 2 day of Nov. 1897 by John J. Walden Deputy. John A. Walden County
   Clerk]

558. J. B. Salter – Belle Stephens
   20 October 1897 E. E. Holt Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 8 Collin Co. Texas
558. J. W. Yarbrough – Josie Parsons
   26 October 1897  George W. Taylor a Minister of the Gospel
   Witness: Mrs. J. S. Young, Fate Hause

559. W. O. Pilgrim – Laura Shipman
   31 October 1897  Eld. Jas. C. Lowry M. Gospel

559. C. S. Glazener – Jannie S. Mays
   31 October 1897  A. J. Crumly M. G.

560. T. F. Putman – Estella Jones
   3 November 1897  G. M. Hall M. G.

560. David Fuller – Mattie E. Coody (Cudy)
   31 October 1897  D. W. Grounds L. E.

561. J. B. Pate – Mary Cowan
   29 October 1897  E. S. Williams M. E. C. S.

561. L. N. Grace – Tena Cook
   31 October 1897  J. W. Turner Licensed Minister

562. W. R. Nowlan – Annie E. Fields
   32 October 1897  G. H. Hall M. G.

562. Joe Sparks – Nora Smith
   7 November 1897  J. B. Wilbanks Minister of the Gospel
   Note at side: “Original mailed to Mrs. Nora Sparks Morris, Rt. 1 Hanna, Okla. 1-18-1945”

563. Joe Sparks – Nora Smith
   [A duplicate of 562 above]

563. T. M. Faulkner – Augusta Allison (Mrs.)
   7 November 1897  J. H. Faulkner Justice of the Peace

564. Lucius S. Vanover – Lavona Victoria (Larana V.) Self
   5 November 1897  James F. McElhaunger M. G.

564. R. C. Anderson – Ella Wilkins
   3 November 1897  H. H. Sullivan M. G.

565. T. H. Hopkins – Ida Belle Callaway
   7 November 1897  C. M. Livingston Cler.

565. L. L. Pitman (Pittman) – Ida Apple
   7 November 1897  Eldr. A. M. Douglass Minister Church of Christ Melissa, Tex.

566. J. H. Pelt – Deller Hodge
   9 November 1897  Eldr. A. M. Douglass Minister Church Christ Melissa, Tex.

566. Jeff Kelley – Floy Jones
   17 November 1897 A. W. Runnion
   Note at side: “2/13/1942 Del. Jeff Kelley”

567. T. J. Russell – Esstella (Estella) Ault
   10 November 1897 Rev. Abe Enloe

567. J. L. Beene – Ora D. Smith
   10 November 1897 Paul Kimzey

568. Eugene Greer – Elliott Harris
   9 November 1897  Rev. W. J. McMillan

569. W. J. Weyer – Tomie Branch
   10 November 1897 S. L. Ball Officiating Minister

569. Ed Bomer (Bomar) – Anna Andrews
   9 November 1897  Eld. J. M. McKinney

569. J. B. Hammack – Cora Lucas
   10 November 1897 S. K. Hallam Pastor Christian Church McKinney Texas
570. L. T. Bumpass – R. E. Maloy  
14 November 1897 J. R. Self J. P. Prec # 2 Collin Co. Texas

570. W. S. Peary – Minnie Belle Cullum  
14 November 1897 C. M. Livingston Clerk.  
Note at side: “Ml. to Mrs. Minnie B. Peary 127 ½ Calaghan Ave. San Antonio Texas 11-18-47”

571. W. F. Norman – Eller Cullum  
14 November 1897 C. M. Livingston

571. Alfred Allen – Allice Jones  
14 November 1897 Rev. W. H. Lynch  
F. S. Sneed

572. Noah Graham – Mattie Jones (Mrs.)  
14 November 1897 A. W. Runnion

572. James Isom – E. J. Jackson (Mrs.)  
16 November 1897 Geo. W. Taylor a Minister of the Gospel

573. T. J. D. Nesbett – Minnie Skelton  
21 November 1897 H. O. White M. G.

573. H. B. Jones – Ida Dennis  
18 November 1897 Eldr. A. M. Douglass (Minister) Christian Church Melissa, Tex.

574. R. J. Osburn – M. J. Hatler  
18 November 1897 Eldr. A. M. Douglass Minister of Christian Church Melissa, Tex.

18 November 1897 Geosh Taylor M. G.  
Note at side: “Del W. T. Woolbright 9-16-1938”

575. W. M. Glass – Flora Foster  
18 November 1897 H. N. Keller L. P.

575. A. C. Williams – S. E. Spencer  
18 November 1897 D. J. Martin Pastor M. E. Church South McKinney, Tex.

576. B. F. Mitchell – Martha M. Brewer  
18 November 1897 J. H. Faulkner Justice of the Peace

576. S. R. Rhea – Mattie Dawson  
28 November 1897 Rev. T. C. (J. T.) Carr Minister Gospel

577. R. C. Martin – Clara Williams  
21 November 1897 A. L. Gribble Minister of the Gospel

577. Linton Sanders – Sue Yager  
21 November 1897 Eldr. J. B. Faulkner of the Christian Church

578. O. G. Pingleton – S. H. Shelton  
22 November 1897 J. H. Faulkner Justice of the Peace

578. James Rhine – Nannie Sauls  
23 November 1897 Austin Lockhart

579. T. W. Huddleston – Julia Pullen  
24 November 1897 Eld. J. M. McKinney  
Note at side: “Mail Joe Brandon Lancaster, CA 93534”

579. R. L. Matthews – Hattie Marshall  
14 November 1897 S. K. Hallam Pastor Christian Church McKinney Tex.

11 November 1897 J. H. Vermillion M. G.
580. J. F. Ray – Mattie Mantooth  
   21 November 1897  J. H. Vermillion M. G.  
   Note at side: “Mailed to J. F. Ray Altoga 10-19-29”

581. J. C. Moreland – Susie Watkins  
   28 November 1897  J. H. Vermillion M. G.

581. E. T. Brown – Eva McDonald  
   28 November 1897  Rev. C. N. Farrell  
   Rev. Standifer

582. A. R. Rutledge – Senda Hand  
   23 November 1897  Eld. Jas. C. Lowry M. G.

582. R. C. Carlton – Agnest. Clayton  
   27 December 1897  W. M. Titus M. G.

583. A. F. Huggins – Callie Childress  
   11 November 1897  Wm Mayner Mins. of the Gospel

583. A. P. Warren – Farrie (Menie) Brock (Mrs.)  
   5 December 1897  W. A. McComb

584. J. C. Bedsoe (Bledsoe) – Jular May Melton (Mrs.)  
   6 December 1897  A. W. Runnion  
   Note at side: “Del. 4-16-53 to Hugh Peterman”

584. W. G. Allison – Florence Thomason  
   5 December 1897  G. B. Airhart Minister of Gospel

585. R. E. Deal – Minnie Fitzhugh  
   5 December 1897  Eld. J. M. McKinney

585. C. T. Harris – Mucie Bartley  
   25 November 1895  John A. Prather  
   Note at side: “Mailed to C. T. Harris 2709 Fernwood St. Dallas, Tx”

586. J. B. Gaut – Sibbie Kinman (Kineman)  
   7 November 1897  Geo. S. Sexton M. G.

586. Ben Johnson – Stella McKinney  
   2 December 1897  J. A. Wyatt  
   Frank Hickson

587. Geo. A. Homer – Minnie Pinion  
   14 November 1897  D. W. Grounds L. E. M. E. C. S.

587. E. E. Milford – Burtha (Birtha) Laugham  
   28 November 1897  D. W. Grounds L. E. M. E. C. S.

588. Joe Neil – Jennie Lampkin  
   25 November 1897  L. J. McGee an Ordained Minister of the Gospel

588. R. L. Duckworth – L. J. Adington (Edsington)  
   28 November 1897  J. B. Wilbanks Minister of the Gospel

589. S. E. Phelps – M. L. Morrow  
   21 November 1897  J. R. Self J. P. Precinct # 2 Collin County Texas

589. Andrew Callihaur – Elizabeth Amanda Taylor  
   19 November 1897  E. S. Haynes Ordained M. G.

590. J. L. Cox – Lizzie Thompson  
   17 November 1897  Ben H. Bounds M. G.

590. T. A. Bomar – Anna Stalans (Stallings)  
   26 December 1897  Eld. Jas. C. Lowry M. G.
Marriage License

The State of Texas
County of Collin
To any Regularly Licensed or Ordained Minister of the Gospel, Jewish Rabbi, Judge of the District Or County Court, or any Justice of the Peace in and for said County — Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to solemnize the Rite of matrimony between:
Mr. O. F. Cooper and Miss Eller Wilson
And make due return to the Clerk of the County Court Of said County, within sixty days thereafter, certifying your action under this License.

Witness my official signature and seal of office at office in McKinney, the 20th day of August 1895.

(Seal)  

John A. Walden
Clerk, County Court, Collin County
By _____________ Deputy

I, a minister of the Gospel, hereby certify that on the 20th day of August 1895 I united in Marriage O. F. Cooper and Miss Ellen Wilson, the parties above named.
Witness my hand this 20th day of Aug. 1895.
S. W. Crutcher,
Pastor, Christian Church

Returned & filed for record the 21 day of Aug. 1895
and recorded the 30 day of Aug. 1895.

J. A. Walden, County Clerk
By _____________ Deputy

END OF MARRIAGE BOOK 10
Lovell to Texas

James Wesley Lovell was a hard working farmer. He died of tuberculosis on July 22, 1859, after an illness of 56 days. He was buried in a private cemetery plot on his farm. A document of settlement for James W. Lovell appears in Giles County records 16 August 1859.

In the fall of 1869, around ten years after the death of her husband, Mary Hannah Wilcoxson Lovell and ten of her children, two daughters-in-law and three grandchildren set out from Giles County in covered wagons toward Collin County, Texas. They traveled with other residents of Giles and Maury Counties for the purpose of buying and settling on land that was selling for a very attractive price. From more than one source we had heard of the long journey of six weeks in the wagon caravan. Mary Hannah was a very devout and strict Methodist and would not permit her family to travel on Sundays. The wagons came to a halt by noon on Saturdays and the preparation of food for Sunday and some of the days that followed began. The men folks greased the wagons and took care of the stock. Then on Monday mornings they continued their journey. By the middle of each week they caught up with the other travelers who journeyed seven days a week. Some of the descendants tell the story that Mary Hannah and her family were the first to arrive at their common destination.

It was perhaps in the month of October, 1869, that the journey to Texas was made because Roll No. 49, Giles County, Vol. 2, page 205, states that on September 25, 1869, the following transaction took place: "This day came Mary H. Lovell, guardian of Jefferson F., Thomas R., George W., John W.B., William H.C. and Mary H. Lovell, renewed her guardian bond in sum of $2000.00 with James P. Lovell and James L. Montgomery as her securities which by the court was approved." Page 217 states: "The clerk reports partial settlement with Mary H. Lovell, guardian of Sina Spencer, Sarah Montgomery, J. Fr., Thos. R., George W., Jno w., W.H.C., Mary H. Lovell, Margaret A. Hickman, children of Jas. W. Lovell, dead, which was by the court examined and approved and ordered to be recorded. Oct. 11, 1869." James L. Montgomery was her son-in-law whose wife was Sarah Minerva Lovell and James P. was her son, James Polk Lovell.

They were not without funds on hand when they arrived in Texas. They settled about a mile and a half west of Farmersville, which is some 45 miles north of Dallas. Mary Hannah Lovell, soon after their arrival, bought 125 acres of land for $3000.00.

In 1882, Mary Hannah (called Aunt Polly) contracted typhoid fever while nursing one of her sons. She died in her sixty-first year on 3 March, 1882. She was buried in the family cemetery near Farmersville. Some years later, her son, Jefferson Franklin, had her mortal remains exhumed and interred in the IOOF Cemetery in Farmersville.

We take great pride and rejoice in the Christian heritage that has been transmitted to us through our ancestors who were deeply devoted Christian men and women and who showed great courage and faith in moving from one place to another convinced that God had something better for them. We pray that we may be humble enough and sufficiently dedicated to walk in their footsteps.

Submitted by: Alice Montgomery to http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~tngiles/migration/lovell.htm

Submitted by Nathan White

Excerpts taken from a book written by Marshall W. Lovell
Collin Co Births Book A

The following information was taken from an old book at the County clerks office. In the years 1873-5 births were recorded. Evidently the county stopped recording births until it was required later on. Only 4 of these people filed delayed birth certificates, so this may be the only record of their births.

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1880, name, age, parents, location                     mother     (father)     child aka

Leona K, 6, Larkin H & Margaret, Collin                 Margaret Harder       Leona Kate
Dora, 6, William & Eudora, Greene IL                    Dora Ashlock (Wm.)
Demasco, 6, George & S J, Collin                        Sarah J Cain (Geo W)

James O, 5, Larkin H & Margaret, Collin                 Margaret Harder
R St, 6, J R & CB, Collin                               Martha M F Bass
Theodicis, 6, MDL & MMF, Grayson                       Francis A Graves
George T, 6, William H & Fanny A, Collin               Mary E Muse (Samuel R)

N M, 6, W N & M J, Collin                              J C Miley (John L)
Anna, 6, E H & Hellen, Collin                          Martha J Warden
Carrie A, 6, Jas & Sarah A, Cooke                       Marchia Coteneau (George)
Henry, 6, Melvill G & Matha, Collin                     Margarill Noble
Louisa E, 6, George R & Margaret, Collin

Lake, 6, Ben & Tenny?, Tom Green                       Mary T Sturdy
Sarah, Jane, 6, RM & Bettie (Kitchins), Collin
T H, 6, S H & M J, Collin

Nannie, 5, James E & Angeline, Coleman                 A Taylor
John F, 6, Pleasant W & Martha E, Collin               Margaret Noble
Annie T, 4 George R & Margaret L, Collin

Charles A, 6, James R & Milissa, Collin                Malica C Smith
Emma B, 6, Albert & Burrilla, Collin                   Burnella Chaimbers
John S, 6, Francis M & Louisa, Coleman                 Louisa Taylor
Nancy E, 6, Robert & Juliet E, Collin                   Julie E Hendricks

Amanda E, 5, James J & Clarissa C, Collin             Elizabeth Rumsinger
Martha A, 6, Thomas & Elizabeth, Collin

Marion O R, 5, J Green & Martha J, Collin             Martha J Alexander (JG)
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C O, 7, SCS & MC, Eastland

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Sarah E Norman (Joseph)
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Nancy Coffman (John H)
May Scott (DT)
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V M P Coleman (M L L)
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Queries on the Website
http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~collincotx/

Mary Frances (Connelly) Cryer <bassing@earth-comm.com> 2158 CR 2270, Mineola, TX 75773
Surnames in Collin County? Lewis & Connelly
I am searching for Hamilton Lewis and James Hamilton Lewis

Sandra Johnson LaRouche <1944 Provenchere Place, St. Louis, MO 63118>
Your website? everafterweddings.org
Surnames in Collin County? George & Ella Johnson, Princeton.
I am hoping to find some photographs of the feed and grain store operated in Princeton, TX by my late first husband's family--George Johnson (buried in Princeton Cem) his wife was Ella Esta Burton Johnson and they had children Geo. Wesley Johnson (my late husband's father Fred Johnson, Pearl Johnson and ?). I have Wesley's high school year books and would be happy to donate them after I copy and put them on my computer. I am hoping to make contact with a descendant of Fred for the purpose of genealogy. Also looking for possible ID on photos I have.

Ray Williams <raymond11942@verizon.net> 150 Sunset Dr. Plano, Texas, 75094
Surnames in Collin County? Hines, Griggs
My grandmother was born in 1895 in rural Collin?/Hunt? county, possibly Farmersville or farther east.
Any way to find birth record? ed note: Birth and death records were not required until later but many filed delayed records for other purposes. What was her name? I found Maggie Vera Hines born to Charles Thomas Hines and Betty Griggs April 8 1895.

Korena Johnson <khistory@bellsouth.net> 4876 Louise St. Zachary, La. 70791
Surnames in Collin County? Tarpley
I am trying to find information on Robert Perry Tarpley b: 28 March 1847 Grenada, Yalobusha, Mississippi. Died: 4 April 1874 Plano, Collins, Texas. I can not find where he is buried or information on his family. Wife: Martha Susan Caffery b: 9 Oct 1849 in Mississippi; died: 2 Aug 1928 in Oklahoma. son: William Edgar Tarpley B. 7 March 1867 in Mississippi D: 13 Jan 1938 in Oklahoma. daughter: Minnie Alice Tarpley b: 15 April 1868 in Mississippi.

Linda Hare <lindah48@suddenlink.net> 2218 S Hughes, Amarillo, TX 79109
Surnames in Collin County? Haun
First time I have seen your site. Impressed by all you've done to help people like me. I noticed a J. T. HAUN, Lot 306b, and J. B. HAUN, Lot 307a, in Bethel Cemetery. I think J T (James T "Jim" Haun) might possibly be my grandfather's cousin. My grandfather and his brother/sisters moved from Tennessee to Collin Co. My grandfather moved on to Hale County and the rest of the brother/sisters stayed in the Collin-Dallas area and are buried in various cemeteries there, but none at Bethel. Wondering if you might have additional info on J T and J B Haun. I have a death record for J T but it does not give any family info -- just the birth and death dates on the tombstone. I have no info on J B.

Don Hines <donhines47@comcast.net> 2510 Merganser Court, Humble, TX 77396
Surnames in Collin County? Johnson, Roberts, plus many others
I would like to find out which 33 graves were vandalized at Cottage Hill last October.

Betty Ruth (Bean) Roberts <betty74745@yahoo.com> P.O.Box 155, Durant, Ok.74701
Surnames in Collin County? Edgington, Biggs, Duckworth
My G-Grandmother was Martha Gaines, she had a daughter, Rosa Bell Biggs when she married Richard Edgington and Mr. Edgington had 2 daughters, then they had one daughter together named Luella Jane. I know Aunt Luella married a Duckworth and so did Mr. Edgington's daughter Viola. I have Viola and her husband's 50th wedding picture If anyone is more kin than I am to her I would be glad to send it to them ed note: I found Robert (22) and Luella J (21) Duckworth in 1900 in Collin county with an infant son; in 1910 they are in Stonewall, TX with 4 children. In 1920 they are in Bryan OK. In 1900 I found William (July 22 1875- Jan 23 1952) and Viola (Feb 5 1877- Oct 20 1945) Duckworth with three children, Marcus (1893-1972), Oliver 1897 and Mabel 1899. In 1910 they show 7 children born to them, 6 living with them. Blue Ridge Cemetery also lists Bessie (1895-1898). Other children also shown in 1920 Collin co census, were Houston 1902 and Grace 1907. In 1930 they are in Union Co, New Mexico, with Jewell 1914, Joyce 1916/18, and Richard 1901. Earl, b. May 8, 1900, is with them, and is a son of Robert and Luella.