

## *Ancestors of John (Herb) Herbert Smith*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. John (Herb) Herbert Smith, born April 25, 1911 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died January 16, 1994 in Warren, Macomb Co. Michigan. He was the son of 2. John (Jack) Henry Smith and 3. Myrtle Lee Howell. He married (1) Louise Pomerleau (Source: Marriage License.) October 23, 1937 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan (Source: Divorce Record.). She was born Abt. 1915 in Maine. She was the daughter of Edmond Pomerleau and Bernadette Blanchett. He married (2) Birdie Aft. January 1944. She was born Bef. 1911. He married (3) Jeanette (Jean) Hughes August 04, 1945 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. She was born July 09, 1922 in Brookfield Twp., Huron Co., Michigan, and died March 01, 1995 in Warren, Macomb Co., Michigan. She was the daughter of Nunley Hughes and Pauline Elizabeth Siegwart.

More About John (Herb) Herbert Smith:

Burial: January 19, 1994, White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan

Cause of Death: Pneumonia

Medical Information: Emphysema. Prostrate Cancer at age 80. Stroke in Jan. of 1981. Cataracts.

Military service: U.S. Army - Discharged Sept. 22, 1943

Occupation 1: 1930, Laborer at Tin Mill

Occupation 2: 1937, Butcher

Social Security Number: 374-07-0167

Notes for Jeanette (Jean) Hughes:

Surname: Smith

Given Name: Jeanette

Initial:

Sex: Female

Alias:

Day of Birth: 09

Month of Birth: July

Year of Birth: 1922

Day of Death: 02

Month of Death: March

Year of Death: 1995

City of Residence: Warren

County of Residence: Macomb

State of Residence: Michigan

City of Death: Warren

County of Death: Macomb

State of Death: Michigan

Death Certificate No.: 017076

More About Jeanette (Jean) Hughes:

Birthplace: Hughes Rd. in Owendale, MI. was where she was born.

Burial: March 05, 1995, White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan

Cause of Death: Cerebral Hemorrhage

Medical Information: Arthritis High Blood Pressure & arythemia. Cataracts

Namesake: Sister Delma named her, didn't know Jeanette was her name until she was 16.

Notes (Facts Pg): 1995, Her death certificate says she died 3-2-1995, but she was died when Fred got home from work on Mar. 1, 1995, and only because the EMS arrived & said she was dead after midnight did they put the date as Mar. 2.

Social Security Number: 380-12-0237

More About John Smith and Jeanette Hughes:

Church: Birkett Memorial Baptist Church

Marriage: August 04, 1945, Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

Notes (Marriage Pg): John was married twice before. I do not know the names of his 1st two wives, and have no marriage information.

#### *Generation No. 2*

2. John (Jack) Henry Smith, born May 04, 1890 in Taylorstown, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died April 27, 1959 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan. He was the son of 4. John Henry Smith and 5. Lydia Jane Holmes. He married 3. Myrtle Lee Howell July 10, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

3. Myrtle Lee Howell, born May 01, 1892 in W. Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died September 06, 1982 in Lakeville, Michigan. She was the daughter of 6. William Henry Howell and 7. Sarah Elizabeth King

Notes for John (Jack) Henry Smith:

OBITUARY - JOHN HENRY SMITH

The Rev. John W. French of Ferndale, conducted funeral services for John Henry Smith, age 68, Thursday at the Ashley funeral home, 329 E. Woodruff, Hazel Park. Burial was in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Smith, father of Mrs. Tony A. (Elizabeth Perrino, 321 W. Bloomfield, Royal Oak, died Monday. His home was at 5017 Anderdon, Detroit.

Also surviving are his wife, Myrtle; two sons, Herbert of Detroit, Gerald of Roseville; four other daughters, Mrs. Lydia McKrell, Mrs. Valda Gentile, and Mrs. Betty Mattis, all of Detroit, Mrs. Geraldine Mix, of St. Clair Shores; a brother, Herbert and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Brice, both in PA.; 15 grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren.

More About John (Jack) Henry Smith:

Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan

Occupation 1: 1920, Heater at the Steel Mill

Occupation 2: Car test driver Chrysler, Detroit, MI.

Occupation 3: Washington, PA. worked on the Trolley Line.

Occupation 4: 1910, Electrician for the Telephone Co., Washington, PA.  
Occupation 5: 1930, Heater at the Tin Mill  
Resided in.. 1: 1930, 216 W. Spruce St. Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 2: 1920, Rear house on Broad St., Washington Co., Pennsylvania - Ward 8  
Residence: 1910, Hall St., Washington, Pennsylvania (rented)  
Retired: Det., Mi. from Chrysler Corporation  
Social Security Number: 382-01-4953

More About Myrtle Lee Howell:

Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan  
Social Security Number: 364-68-8607

More About John Smith and Myrtle Howell:

Marriage: July 10, 1909, Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Children of John Smith and Myrtle Howell are:

- i. Jennie "Elizabeth" (Bebe) Mabel Smith (Source: (1) *1910 Census*, She is listed as Elizabeth J. and being 2 months old., (2) *Birth Certificate*.), born January 16, 1910 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Birth Certificate*.); died March 06, 1991 in Orion, Oakland Co., Michigan; married Toney Amos Perrino October 20, 1928 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; born January 22, 1906 in Pennsylvania; died October 25, 1972 in Leonard, Oakland Co., Michigan.

Notes for Jennie "Elizabeth" (Bebe) Mabel Smith:

My grandma discovered when she applied for a birth certificate (at about age 65-70) that her first name was actually Jenny making her full name Jenny Elizabeth Mabel Smith. I think Jenny was the name of the midwife who saved her life at birth. Apparently grandma had no heart beat at birth, the midwife took her over by the fire messaged her heart and she (Elizabeth) started to cry. (source is granddaughter Kelly Sherrill).

---

My great grand parents (John and Myrtle Smith) were as you know living in Washington Penn., when my grandma met my grandpa. They were not very happy with the whole situation because he was Italian. They told my grandma (Elizabeth) that "nice American girls didn't date Italian men." So in order to get her away from him they moved to Michigan. One day my grandma was working at their ice cream store when she looked up there was grandpa. He had followed her here to Michigan. Obviously her parents must have gave in or I wouldn't be here. When my grandma told me this she added that her parents grew to love her husband.

I thought this was kind of romantic.  
(source is Kelly Kincaid)

More details to add to Kelly's story:

It's seems Kelly's story really did happen. With alittle questioning of my Uncle Gerald (Kelly's g-uncle), and her aunts. We know that my grandparents, and Kelly's g-grandparents did come to Detroit abt. 1927 or 1928 for a short time period, as grandpa was out of a job and needed work. They made Aunt Bebe (Elizabeth) come with them to help tend the twin babies, even though she wanted to stay in PA. Seems they were killing two birds with one stone, John needed work, and Elizabeth needed to be removed from her boyfriend.

Not only did Kelly's grandfather "Toney Amos Perrino" follow her, Elizabeth, to Detroit, but he also got a room in the same boarding house Elizabeth & parents were staying in.

John & Myrtle figured he cared an awful lot about their daughter to follow her to Detroit, but the real clincher was the fact that both Elizabeth and Toney were writing letters back to

family and friends in PA., and everyone was talking because their mail had the same return address on it.

---

---

Surname: PERRINO  
Given Name: Elizabeth  
Initial: M  
Sex: Female  
Alias:  
Day of Birth: 14  
Month of Birth: January  
Year of Birth: 1910  
Day of Death: 06  
Month of Death: March  
Year of Death: 1991  
City of Residence: Orion  
County of Residence: Oakland  
State of Residence: Michigan  
City of Death: Orion  
County of Death: Oakland  
State of Death: Michigan  
Death Certificate No.: 017017

More About Jennie "Elizabeth" (Bebe) Mabel Smith:  
Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan  
Death Certificate: #017017  
Medical Information: Liver Cancer.  
Resided in.: Orion, Oakland Co., MI.

Notes for Toney Amos Perrino:  
Surname: PERRINO  
Given Name: Toney  
Initial: A  
Sex: Male  
Alias:  
Day of Birth: 22  
Month of Birth: January  
Year of Birth: 06  
Day of Death: 25  
Month of Death: October  
Year of Death: 72  
City of Residence: Leonard  
County of Residence: Oakland  
State of Residence: Michigan  
City of Death: Oxford  
County of Death: Oakland  
State of Death: Michigan  
Death Certificate No.: 63938

More About Toney Amos Perrino:  
Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan

More About Toney Perrino and Jennie Smith:  
Marriage: October 20, 1928, Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

- 1
- ii. John (Herb) Herbert Smith, born April 25, 1911 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died January 16, 1994 in Warren, Macomb Co. Michigan; married (1) Louise Pomerleau October 23, 1937 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married (2) Birdie Aft. January 1944; married (3) Jeanette (Jean) Hughes August 04, 1945 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan.
  - iii. Lydia Jane Smith, born December 21, 1913 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died January 06, 1992 in Orion, Oakland Co., Michigan; married (1) Vern "Werner" H. Knack Bef. 1940; born Abt. 1904 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married (2) George McKrell Abt. 1945; born April 21, 1902; died December 16, 1964 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan.

Notes for Lydia Jane Smith:

Surname: MCKRELL  
Given Name: Lydia  
Initial: J  
Sex: Female  
Alias:  
Day of Birth: 21  
Month of Birth: December  
Year of Birth: 1913  
Day of Death: 06  
Month of Death: January  
Year of Death: 1992  
City of Residence: Addison  
County of Residence: Oakland  
State of Residence: Michigan  
City of Death: Orion  
County of Death: Oakland  
State of Death: Michigan  
Death Certificate No.: 004840

More About Lydia Jane Smith:

Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan  
Medical Information: Glucoma. Stroke

More About George McKrell:

Burial: White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Oakland Co., Michigan  
Cause of Death: Heart attack

More About George McKrell and Lydia Smith:

Marriage: Abt. 1945

- iv. Grace "Valda" Smith, born May 25, 1918 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died July 06, 1990 in Orion, Oakland Co., Michigan; married Joseph (Cab) Gentile; born October 12, 1914 in Smithton, Pennsylvania; died May 06, 1973 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan.

Notes for Grace "Valda" Smith:

In Memory of - GRACE VALDA GENTILE - May 25, 1918 - July 6, 1990

Beloved Wife of the Late Joseph; Dear Sister of Elizabeth, Herbert, Lydia, Betty, Gerald and Geraldine. Services; Monday, July 9, 1990 - 11:00 A.M. Bossardet Funeral Home Oxford, MI. Officiating Father Rovert Bretz, Dominican Chapel;  
Laid at Rest Temple of Memories, White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, MI.

-----  
-----  
Aunt Val, loved to have company, play cards, and cake decorating. Her cakes were just beautiful, and I always felt special when she would try a new type of cake, and would make it for my birthday, or a special occasion. She made my wedding cake (1st chocolate wedding cake she had done). She loved to spoil her nieces and nephews, and enjoyed having us around.

Surname: GENTILE  
Given Name: Grace  
Initial: V  
Sex: Female  
Alias:  
Day of Birth: 25  
Month of Birth: May  
Year of Birth: 1918  
Day of Death: 06  
Month of Death: July  
Year of Death: 1990  
City of Residence: Addison  
County of Residence: Oakland  
State of Residence: Michigan  
City of Death: Orion  
County of Death: Oakland  
State of Death: Michigan  
Death Certificate No.: 43069

More About Grace " Valda" Smith:

Burial: Inside the Chapel at White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Michigan  
Cause of Death: Cancer  
Medical Information: Uterine Cancer in the 50's. Bladder Cancer in the late 1980's Bone Cancer

Notes for Joseph (Cab) Gentile:

THE DETROIT NEWS - May 7, 1973 - JOSEPH GENTILE

Joseph (Cab) Gentile, 58, of 12828 Gunston, Detroit, MI., formerly of Greensburg, Pa. died Sunday in St. John's Hospital, Detroit. He was born Oct. 12, 1914 in Smithton, son of the late Joseph and Angeline Cammartara Gentile. He was employed as a supervisor for the Chrysler Corporation. He was a veteran of W.W. II.

He is survived by his widow, Valda Smith Gentile and the following brothers and sisters; Charles and Samuel, both of Greensburg, Mrs. Hugh (Frances) Keough of Greensburg RD 8, James and Angelo, both of Detroit, and Mrs. James (Katherine) Pandolph of Jeannette.

Friends are being received at the Calcaterra Funeral Home, 16090 E. 7 mile Rd., Detroit, MI.

Mass will be held Wednesday at the funeral home, Interment will follow in the white chapel cemetery in Detroit. Calcaterra Funeral Home, Det., MI., in charge.

Pallbearers will be all nephews: James Gentile, Tony Chelan, Fred Smith, Michael Smith, Gary Smith, Allen Netter.

Surname: GENTILE  
Given Name: Joseph

Initial:  
Sex: Male  
Alias:  
Day of Birth: 12  
Month of Birth: October  
Year of Birth: 14  
Day of Death: 06  
Month of Death: May  
Year of Death: 73  
City of Residence: Detroit  
County of Residence: Wayne  
State of Residence: Michigan  
City of Death: Detroit  
County of Death: Wayne  
State of Death: Michigan  
Death Certificate No.: 26290

More About Joseph (Cab) Gentile:  
Burial: Inside the Chapel at White Chapel Cemetery, Troy, Michigan  
Cause of Death: Cancer  
Medical Information: Bone Cancer

- v. Betty Lorrie Smith, born May 02, 1922 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died February 19, 1995 in Rochester, Oakland Co., Michigan; married (1) Chuckie Wells Abt. 1945; married (2) George Mattis 1948; married (3) Ken Mahar Abt. 1959.

More About Betty Lorrie Smith:  
Cremation: Ashes were spread over Lakeville Lake, village of Lakeville, Oakland Co., MI.  
Medical Information: Glaucoma Asthma

More About Chuckie Wells and Betty Smith:  
Marriage: Abt. 1945

- vi. Geraldine Mary Smith, born June 22, 1926 in Washington, Pennsylvania; married (1) Thomas Earl Sherrill September 09, 1944 in Detroit, Michigan; born March 03, 1922 in Ontario, Canada; died March 13, 1952 in Detroit, Michigan; married (2) Gustav Bernard Mix, Jr. 1953 in Angola, Ind; born December 23, 1924 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; died February 23, 1995 in Daytona Beach, Florida.

More About Thomas Earl Sherrill:  
Burial: Forestlawn Cemetery, Detroit, Michigan  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1930, Census has his name as Earl T. Sherrill

More About Thomas Sherrill and Geraldine Smith:  
Death of one spouse: 1951  
Marriage: September 09, 1944, Detroit, Michigan

- vii. Gerald Smith, born June 22, 1926 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Lois June Filer October 11, 1947 in River Rouge, Mi., Sacred Heart Church; born July 03, 1928 in Pontiac, Oakland Co., Michigan.

More About Gerald Smith and Lois Filer:  
Marriage: October 11, 1947, River Rouge, Mi., Sacred Heart Church

*Generation No. 3*

4. John Henry Smith (Source: (1) Certificate of Death for John Henry Smith., (2)

Death Certificate.), born May 28, 1862 in Buffalo, Erie Co., New York (Source: Certificate of Death for John Henry Smith.); died September 14, 1942 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Certificate of Death for John Henry Smith.). He was the son of 8. Peter Smith and 9. Harriet Dewerle. He married 5. Lydia Jane Holmes 1882 in Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania (Source: 1900 Census.).

5. Lydia Jane Holmes (Source: Certificate of Death for Lydia Jane Holmes.), born August 01, 1865 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.); died May 21, 1922 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.). She was the daughter of 10. Seth Holmes and 11. Sarah Dora Kennelley.

Notes for John Henry Smith:

DEATH NOTICE: J. H. SMITH

J. H. Smith, pioneer oil man, was found dead in bed this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Brice, 66 East Beau street. He had been in his usual health and was found by his daughter when she went to his room to call him to breakfast.

He was born in Buffalo, NY, May 28, 1862, of German and French parents. They were natives of Alsace-Lorraine and moved to the United States.

Mr. Smith was one of the pioneer oil men of the Nation and came to this field when it was first being developed.

His wife died in 1922 and since that time he had made his home with his daughter, at whose home he died.

He leaves the following children: Mrs. Pearl Knack and Jack Smith, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Grace Oliver, Bay City, Mich.; Herbert Smith and Mrs. Brice, Washington, Pa.; also a brother, P. C. Smith, Tulsa, Okla., and two sisters, Mrs. Ida Hamme, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Minnie Garlando, Birch River, Manitoba, Can.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Buried in the Washington Cemetery, in Washington, Pa., Section R, Lot 161, Grave 2. Brice's have the other half of the grave site according to the cemetery map. Also Karen and I have visited the cemetery twice and the Brice's headstone is right below the grave with the flower pot that is John and Lydia's grave.

More About John Henry Smith:

Burial: Washington Cemetery, Washington, Pennsylvania, section R, lot 161.

Medical Information: Heart problems

Notes (Facts Pg): 1930, Said his parents were both from Alsace-Lorraine on the census

Occupation 1: 1920, Steel worker

Occupation 2: Carpenter - Own Business

Occupation 3: 1900, Driller

Occupation 4: 1910, House Carpenter

Resided in.. 1: 1930, 119 E. Pine St., Washington, Pennsylvania with daughter Sadie Brice's family.

Resided in.. 2: 1910, Field Ave., Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan (Ward 17)

Notes for Lydia Jane Holmes:  
May have been the Belle of Bradford.  
She had a sister whose name was Grace Viesie.

---

Dad, Aunt Lyd, Aunt Val, & Aunt Betty always told us Lydia was the "Belle of Bradford". They always said that she was a beautiful women and that John Smith fell madly in love with her. One time they even told the story that her mother ran a brothel in Bradford, and that John took her away from having to work in it. Maybe the stories were confusing, maybe they meant that Lydia's mother was the Belle.

More About Lydia Jane Holmes:  
Burial: Washington Cemetery, Washington, Pennsylvania sect. R, lot 161. No headstone.  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan Census states she had 8 children and 6 were living.  
Resided in..: 1910, Field Ave., Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

More About John Smith and Lydia Holmes:  
Marriage: 1882, Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania (Source: 1900 Census.)

Children of John Smith and Lydia Holmes are:

- i. Sarah (Sadie) D. Smith, born January 1885 in Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); married Fred Whitlesey Brice Abt. 1906 in Washington, Pennsylvania; born November 03, 1873 in Pennsylvania; died July 13, 1951.

Notes for Fred Whitlesey Brice:

Fred W Brice

State: PA Enumeration District: 0238

Color: W Age: 35

Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0122

County: Washington, Washington

Relation: Husband

ImageNum: 00450255

Other Residents: Wife Saddle D 25, Pennsylvania

Son Fred W 02, Pennsylvania

Daughter Eleanor B NR, Pennsylvania

More About Fred Whitlesey Brice:

Military: Veteran of Spanish American War.

Occupation: 1930, Sheet Metal Worker - Own Business

Resided in.. 1: 1910, 144 Church St. Washington, Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1920, 119 Price Ave., Washington, Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 3: 1930, 119 E. Pine St., Washington, Pennsylvania

More About Fred Brice and Sarah Smith:

Marriage: Abt. 1906, Washington, Pennsylvania

- ii. Pearl Irene Smith, born November 29, 1887 in Bradford, Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); died Bet. 1954 - 1957 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married Walter Hermann Paul Knack in Michigan; born March 15, 1891 in Michigan; died October 1975 in

Albuquerque, New Mexico.

More About Walter Hermann Paul Knack:

Occupation: 1910, Washer - Auto Factory, Detroit, Michigan

Resided in..: 1930, 12475 Grand River Ave., Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

Social Security Number: 367-07-5738 / Michigan

More About Walter Knack and Pearl Smith:

Marriage: Michigan

- 2
- iii. John (Jack) Henry Smith, born May 04, 1890 in Taylorstown, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died April 27, 1959 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married Myrtle Lee Howell July 10, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.
  - iv. Seth Frederick Smith, born June 30, 1892 in Taylorstown, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died June 10, 1941 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married Rose Cecilia Lake June 22, 1914 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; born December 11, 1895 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; died May 26, 1961 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan.

Notes for Seth Frederick Smith:

By Pat Smith - Sep 2, 1999

August 22, 1982 in Detroit, Michigan

Cremated

Soc. Sec. No. 378-07-0268

His people lived at 144 Church Street in Washington, Pennsylvania

Had a cousin named Harry Brice. Dad was born Seth Frederick, but had his name legally changed. His nickname was "Bud". He served in WWII. I met him and grew to love him long before I married Jim. He had bypass surgery about five years before he died and retired after that. After Jim and I moved to Alabama, he and Mom would come down to visit and stay for weeks at a time. I enjoyed every minute we spent together. He and I would get into great fights about almost any subject imaginable. He loved to argue just for the sake of it. It made everyone else nervous, but we both enjoyed it. I remember him as a most generous, but impatient man. In church, during the sermon, he would time the priest; and, if the unfortunate cleric had the audacity to talk for more than twenty minutes, Dad would start making grumbling comments, getting louder and louder the longer the priest ran over his allotted time. He was supposed to be on a low cholesterol diet, so I would always try to buy healthy food and snacks for him, but he would go to the store and come back with chocolate chips so I would make cookies. And, many were the times I caught him in the kitchen at night with a Cheshire grin covering up a whole cookie which he had popped into his mouth. He and Mom and I would sit around the kitchen table by the hour and talk. Sometimes we'd laugh until tears were running down our cheeks, and other times, we'd cry over serious subjects. The three of us would make the faithful circuit of every used book store in town, searching for one or more tidbits to add to our collections of favorite authors. He got caught up in historical romances, and read Shanna by Kathleen Woodiweis so many times that we bought him a new one and put a plastic cover on it to protect it from wear.

Ret. Office Manager at Kelly Office Machine Co.

More About Seth Frederick Smith:

Occupation: 1920, Laborer in Auto Factory

Resided in..: 1920, Renting home on Colfax St., Detroit, Michigan

More About Seth Smith and Rose Lake:

Marriage: June 22, 1914, Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

- v. Charles Herbert Peter Dewey Smith, born August 1897 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); died 1960; married Irma Abt. 1921 in Pennsylvania; born 1904 in Pennsylvania.

More About Charles Herbert Peter Dewey Smith:

Date born 2: 1894, Pennsylvania (According to 1930 Detroit, Michigan census

Occupation 1: 1920, Finisher in the Glass Factory

Occupation 2: 1930, Assembler in Auto Factory

Resided in..: 1930, Murray St., Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; 19 precinct.

More About Charles Smith and Irma:

Marriage: Abt. 1921, Pennsylvania

- vi. Grace G. Smith (Source: *1900 Census.*), born May 20, 1899 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died 1951 in Michigan; married (1) Arnold J. Knack in Michigan; born September 21, 1899 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; died May 04, 1969 in Royal Oak, Oakland Co., Michigan; married (2) Ethemer Oliver Bef. 1926; born July 01, 1903 in Michigan; died January 12, 1981 in Standish, Arenac, Michigan (Source: *Michigan Death Index 1971-1996.*).

Notes for Arnold J. Knack:

More About Arnold J. Knack:

Social Security Number: 377-07-5674 (Source: Broderbund Family Archive #110, Vol. 1, Ed. 5, Social Security Death Index: U.S., Date of Import: Oct 18, 1997, Internal Ref. #1.111.5.131602.154)

More About Arnold Knack and Grace Smith:

Marriage: Michigan

**6. William Henry Howell** (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.), born March 22, 1844 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) Death notice of William Henry Howell., (2) Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell., (3) Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell.); died July 25, 1910 in Washington, Pennsylvania (Source: (1) Washington Cemetery Records., (2) Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell.). He was the son of **12. William\* Howell** and **13. Nancy\* McGeary**. He married **7. Sarah Elizabeth King** May 05, 1868 in Good Intent, Claysville area at the home of Sarah's father James King..

**7. Sarah Elizabeth King** (Source: (1) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (2) Washington Cemetery Records.), born March 15, 1852 in East Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (2) Washington Cemetery Records.); died April 19, 1926 in Washington, Pennsylvania (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.). She was the daughter of **14. James King** and **15. Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog)**

Notes for William Henry Howell:

Death of Wm. Henry Howell

William Henry Howell, who had served in Co. K, Sixteenth regiment, Pennsylvania cavalry, died at his home at No. 235 Ewing street, at 9:15 o'clock this morning, aged 66 years. He is survived by his widow, Sarah E. Howell, and children,

as follows: Mrs. Annie Miller, Mrs. Effie Spier, Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. Phoebe Ewart, John M. and William A. Howell, all of Washington, and James Franklin Howell, residence not known. One sister, Mrs. Margaret Hartsock, of Claysville. The interment will be made in the soldiers' lot in the Washington cemetery. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

Civil War records taken book HISTORY OF WASHINGTON, COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. WAR OF THE REBELLION. Chapter XXIX.

He served in Company K, Sixteenth regiment, Pennsylvania Cavalry #d 161st unit. His records are under the name of Henry Howell. Enrolled on Aug. 18, 1862 at Washington, Pa. Dec. 31, 1862 they were in pursuit, and on Feb. 25, 1863 they were engaged in battle at Hartwood Church, Va., he was taken prisoner and confined at Libby Prison in Richmond, Va. for approx. 10 days to 2 weeks. He was then paroled and sent to Anapolis, MD, and while on duty at Barracks was taking down boxes to dispense clothing to prisoners and a box fell on him and injured his left testicle along with other injuries. He was then taken to St. Johns College Hosp. He was discharged by G.O. June 17, 1865.

Civil War Pension Records:

Date of filing	Class	App#	Cert.#	State
1-23-1880	Invalid	339.303	367.898	PA.
8-3-1911	Widow	346.772	709.170	PA.

Widow: Sarah E. Howell

Pension file applications statement from Sarah E. Howell states that she had a total of 10 children with him. Sworn affidavit by his doctor states that he died of a Cerebral Hemorrhage and paralysis.

There is an affidavit signed by a J.W.B. Howell of Somerset, Belmont Co., Ohio (this has to be his brother).

There is also a affidavit signed by a Joseph Howell.

There is a Laben Hartsock who also signed a affidavit and since his sister Margaret had married a Hartsock I'm assuming this is him.

One affidavit dated Feb. 7, 1907 the two witnesses are John Spier (his son-in-law), and Alex C. Miller (also his son-in-law, married to Ann).

In a disability affidavit he states that since his discharge in 1865 until 1873 he resided near Claysville., at that time he moved to Charters. Twp until 1879 when he move to Washington, and then in 1882 he moved back nearer to Claysville, Donegal Twp., Pa. In 1891 his residence was Washington.

---

161st PA Vols, 16th Cavalry

Organized at Harrisburg September-November 1862. Left State for Washington, D.C., November 23, 1862. Attached to Defences of Washington to January 1863. Averill's Cavalry Brigade, Army of the Potomac, to February 1863. 2nd Brigade, 2nd Division, Cavalry Corps, Army Potomac, to June 1863. 3rd Brigade, 2nd Division, Cavalry

Corps, Army Potomac, to August 1863. 2nd Brigade, 2nd Division, Cavalry Corps, Army Potomac, to May 1865. Dept. of Virginia to August 1865.

SERVICE - At Camp Casey, near Bladensburg, Md., till January 3, 1863. Moved to Falmouth, Va., January 3, and duty on line of the Rappahannock till April 1863. Operations at Rappahannock Bridge and Grove Church February 5-7. Hartwood Church February 25. Kelly's Ford March 17. Operations about Bealeton Station April 13-27. Elk Run April 13. Chancellorsville Campaign April 26-May 8. Stoneman's Raid April 29-May 8. Kelly's Ford April 29. Ely's Ford May 2. Brandy Station, Stevensburg and Beverly Ford June 9. Aldie June 17. Near Middleburg June 18. Middleburg June 19. Battle of Gettysburg, Pa., July 1-3. Steven's Furnace July 5. Shepherdstown, W. Va., July 14-16. Little Washington August 27. Advance to the Rapidan September 13-17. Culpeper C. H. September 13. Crooked Run September 18. Bristoe Campaign October 9-22. Warrenton or White Sulphur Springs October 12-13. Auburn and Bristoe October 14. St. Stephen's Church October 14. Catlett's Station October 14. Mine Run Campaign November 26-December 2. New Hope Church November 27. Parker's Store November 29. Expedition to Luray December 21-23. Amisville, Gaines Cross Roads and Sperryville December 22. Kilpatrick's Raid on Richmond February 28-March 4, 1864. Beaver Dam Station February 29. Fortifications of Richmond March 1. Rapidan Campaign May-June. Todd's Tavern, Wilderness, May 5-8. Sheridan's Raid to James River May 9-24. North Anna River May 9-10. Ground Squirrel Church and Yellow Tavern May 11. Brook Church, Fortifications of Richmond, May 12. Milford Station May 21. Line of the Pamunkey May 26-28. Haw's Shop May 28. Totopotomoy May 28-31. Cold Harbor May 31-June 1. Sumner's Upper Bridge June 2. Sheridan's Trevillian Raid June 7-24. Trevillian Station June 11-12. White House or St. Peter's Church June 21. Black Creek or Tunstall Station June 21. St. Mary's Church June 24. Siege operations against Petersburg and Richmond July 1864-April 1865. Warwick Swamp July 12, 1864. Demonstration on north side of the James at Deep Bottom July 27-29. Deep Bottom July 28-29. Malvern Hill July 28. Warwick Swamp July 30. Demonstration on north side of James River at Deep Bottom August 13-20. Gravel Hill August 14. Strawberry Plains, Deep Bottom, August 14-18. Charles City Cross Roads August 16. Dinwiddie Road, near Ream's Station, August 23. Ream's Station August 25. Reconnoissance to Poplar Springs Church September 13. Reconnoissance toward Dinwiddie C. H. September 15. Poplar Springs Church September 29-October 2. Arthur's Swamp September 30-October 1. Boydton Plank Road, Hatcher's Run, October 27-28. Reconnoissance to Stony Creek November 7. Near Lee's Mills November 16 (Detachment). Stony Creek Station December 1. Hicksford Raid December 7-12. Bellefield December 8. Disputantia Station January 9, 1865. Dabney's Mills, Hatcher's Run, February 5-7. Appomattox Campaign March 28-April 9. Dinwiddie C. H. March 30-31. Five Forks April 1. Paine's Cross Roads and Amelia Springs April 5. Saylor's Creek April 6. Farmville April 7. Appomattox C. H. April 9. Surrender of Lee and his army. Expedition to Danville April 23-29. Moved to Lynchburg, Va., and duty there and in the Dept. of Virginia till August. Mustered out August 11, 1865.

Regiment lost during service 5 Officers and 100 Enlisted men killed and mortally wounded and 3 Officers and 194 Enlisted men by disease. Total 302.

American Civil War Soldiers

Henry Howell

Residence: Occupation:

Service Record:

Enlisted as a Private on 19 September 1862

Enlisted in Company K, 16th Cavalry Regiment Pennsylvania on 19 September 1862

Discharged on 17 June 1865

Sources:

History of Pennsylvania Volunteers, 1861-1865. (PARoster) Published in 1870

---

Pennsylvania 16th Cavalry Regiment 18 November 1862 11 August 1865 Cavalry  
Officers Killed or Mortally Wounded Officers Died of Disease or Accident Enlisted  
Killed or Mortally Wounded Enlisted Died of Disease or Accident  
5 3 100 191

List of Soldiers

Regimental History

Battles Fought

Battle at Warrenton, Virginia

Battle at Opequan, Virginia on 06 January 1863

Battle at Hartwood Church, Virginia on 25 February 1863

Battle on 17 March 1863

Battle on 01 May 1863

Battle at Ely's Ford, Virginia on 02 May 1863

Battle at Dumfries, Virginia on 21 May 1863

Battle at Fairfax Court House, Virginia on 22 May 1863

Battle at Fairfax, Virginia on 22 May 1863

Battle at Shepherdstown, West Virginia on 16 June 1863

Battle at Middleburg, Virginia on 19 June 1863

Battle at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania on 03 July 1863

Battle at Shepardstown, West Virginia on 16 July 1863

Battle at Shepherdstown, West Virginia on 16 July 1863

Battle at Amissville, Virginia on 13 August 1863

Battle on 26 August 1863

Battle at Culpepper, Virginia on 13 September 1863

Battle at Sulphur Springs, Virginia on 12 October 1863

Battle at Sulphur Springs, Virginia on 12 October 1863

Battle at Auburn, Virginia on 14 October 1863

Battle at Bristoe Station, Virginia on 14 October 1863

Battle at Bristoe Station, Virginia on 19 October 1863

Battle at Bealton Station, Virginia on 12 November 1863

Battle at Parker's Store, Virginia on 29 November 1863  
Battle at Charles City Cross Roads, Virginia on 24 January 1864  
Battle on 01 March 1864  
Battle at Wilderness, Virginia on 08 May 1864  
Battle on 12 May 1864  
Battle at Milford Station, Virginia on 21 May 1864  
Battle at Hawes' Shop, Virginia on 27 May 1864  
Battle at Hawes' Shop, Virginia on 28 May 1864  
Battle at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on 10 June 1864  
Battle at Trevillian Station, Virginia on 11 June 1864  
Battle at Trevillian Station, Virginia on 12 June 1864  
Battle at Old Church, Virginia on 15 June 1864  
Battle on 17 June 1864  
Battle at Petersburg, Virginia on 19 June 1864  
Battle on 24 June 1864  
Battle at Charles City Cross Roads, Virginia on 24 June 1864  
Battle at Deep Bottom Run, Virginia on 29 June 1864  
Battle on 01 July 1864  
Battle on 10 July 1864  
Battle on 18 July 1864  
Battle at Malvern Hill, Virginia on 24 July 1864  
Battle on 28 July 1864  
Battle at Malvern Hill, Virginia on 28 July 1864  
Battle at Deep Bottom Run, Virginia on 29 July 1864  
Battle at Deep Bottom Run, Virginia on 15 August 1864  
Battle at Deep Bottom Run, Virginia on 16 August 1864  
Battle at Deep Bottom Run, Virginia on 17 August 1864  
Battle at Ream's Station, Virginia on 23 August 1864  
Battle at Reams' Station, Virginia on 23 August 1864  
Battle at Reams' Station, Virginia on 24 August 1864  
Battle at Reams' Station, Virginia on 25 August 1864  
Battle at Malvern Hill, Virginia on 28 August 1864  
Battle at Reams' Station, Virginia on 29 August 1864  
Battle at Winchester, Virginia on 22 September 1864  
Battle on 14 October 1864  
Battle at Petersburg, Virginia on 22 October 1864  
Battle at Boydton Plank Road, Virginia on 27 October 1864  
Battle at Stoney Creek, Virginia on 01 December 1864  
Battle at Petersburg, Virginia on 10 January 1865  
Battle at Petersburg, Virginia on 16 January 1865  
Battle at Hatcher's Run, Virginia on 06 February 1865  
Battle at Jerusalem Plank Road, Virginia on 28 March 1865  
Battle at Dinwiddie Court House, Virginia on 31 March 1865  
Battle at Five Forks, Virginia on 01 April 1865  
Battle at Five Forks, Virginia on 02 April 1865  
Battle at White Oak Road, Virginia on 02 April 1865  
Battle at Amelia Springs, Virginia on 05 April 1865  
Battle at Sailor's Creek, Virginia on 06 April 1865

Battle at Farmville, Virginia on 07 April 1865  
Battle at Appomattox Court House, Virginia on 09 April 1865

---

## Pennsylvania 1910 Census Miracode Index

Wm H Howell

Age: 67 State: PA

Color: W Enumeration District: 0249

Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0016

County: Washington, Washingron

Relation: Head of Household

Other Residents: Wife Sarah E 58, Pennsylvania

More About William Henry Howell:

Burial: Soldiers Lots, Washington Cemetery, Washington, Pennsylvania

Military service: served in Company K, 16th regiment, Pennsylvania Cavalry, #161 unit.

Resided in.. 1: 1910, 235 Ewing St., Washington Boro, Washington Co., PA - Ward 8

Resided in.. 2: 1860, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Notes for Sarah Elizabeth King:

DEATH NOTICE: SARAH E. HOWELL

Sarah E. Howell, widow of William H. Howell, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Spier, of 235 Ewing Street, at 9:50 a.m. yesterday of bronchial pneumonia. She was aged 74 years. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. John Spier, Mrs. Jack Smith, William Howell, all of Washington, and John Howell, of Taylorstown; also by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Harry Turner, Mrs. Scott Hahn, Mrs. Nan Brownlee, Mrs. Allie Blayney, all of Washington; Mrs. Ida Blayney, of West Alexander; John and William King, of Washington, and Alfred King, of Claysville.

More About Sarah Elizabeth King:

Burial: Lot 167, Sec. D, Washington, Cemetery, Pennsylvania

Marriage Notes for William Howell and Sarah King:

Forrest, Earle Robert,

History of Washington County, Pennsylvania

Chicago: S.J. Clarke Pub. Co., 1926, 2516 pgs.

PG. 614

The Wheeling United Presbyterian, or Dogwood Grove Church, four miles south of Claysville, was organized in May 1836, by a number of members of South Buffalo congregation living in East and West Finley Townships. Meetings were held for a time in private houses and in a tent. The first house of worship was erected about 1841, and on September 5, 1843, Rev. Joseph Shaw, the first regular pastor, took

charge in connection with the West Alexander Church. He continued as pastor until October 5, 1852, and on September 8 1853, Rev. James C. Murch became pastor, dividing his time between this and the West Alexander Church, remaining until June 1859. Rev. James A. McKee was installed on August 9, 1860, and remained in charge more than twenty years. In 1867 the present house of worship was erected about fifty rods north of the old church, the site of which was in the graveyard which may still be seen at the side of the road.

More About William Howell and Sarah King:

Marriage: May 05, 1868, Good Intent, Claysville area at the home of Sarah's father James King.

Unknown-Ending: Rev. James A. McKee of the Dogwood Church. (Source: Civil War Pension Records of William "Henry" Howell.)

Children of William Howell and Sarah King are:

- i. Anna Mary Howell, born July 17, 1869 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died May 21, 1914; married Alexander Chapman Miller October 25, 1888 in Pennsylvania (Source: *Helen Durbin.*); born October 1856 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); died August 13, 1930.

More About Anna Mary Howell:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, Census states she had 7 children and 5 were living.

More About Alexander Chapman Miller:

Date born 2: March 15, 1854 (Source: *Helen Durbin.*)

Occupation: 1910, Laborer in the Tin Mill

Resided in.. 1: 1920, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; His son Grahams family living with him, and nephew Weldon Ewart who was 12 years old.

Resided in.. 2: 1910, 317 Board St., Washington Boro, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; Ward 8

More About Alexander Miller and Anna Howell:

Marriage: October 25, 1888, Pennsylvania (Source: *Helen Durbin.*)

Married By: October 25, 1888, Rev. Alex McLanghen

- ii. James Franklin Howell, born October 27, 1871 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1910 in Missing Person; married Mary "Anna" Moyers Abt. 1897 in Pennsylvania; born October 01, 1868 in Wyandotte, Michigan; died July 14, 1935 in Washington, Pennsylvania.

Notes for James Franklin Howell:

Disappeared 1908

He disappeared in 1908 when he left home to go on a business trip. No trace of him was ever found.

More About James Franklin Howell:

Occupation: 1900, He was a Heater in a Tinmill.

More About Mary "Anna" Moyers:

Date born 2: Abt. 1873, Michigan (Source: *1920 Census*, Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania - Ward 8.)

Occupation: 1920, Machine Operator in Toy Factory

Resided in.. 1: 1920, Broad St., Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania - Ward 8 - daug. Wilta living with her.

Resided in.. 2: 1910, 220 Ewing St., Washington Boro, Washington Co., PA; Ward 8  
Resided in.. 3: 1930, Chartiers Twp., Washington Co, Pennsylvania at the Washington Co.,  
Home where she was a Dining Matron.

More About James Howell and Mary Moyers:  
Marriage: Abt. 1897, Pennsylvania

- iii. Martha B. Howell (Source: *1880 Pennsylvania Census*, Washington Ward 1, Washington Co., PA. Pg. 20.), born Bet. 1873 - 1874 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Bet. 1895 - 1899; married John L. Donnelly/Donley; born November 1858 in Pennsylvania.

More About John L. Donnelly/Donley:  
Resided in..: 1910, 354 Broad St., Washington Boro, Washington Co., Pa.; Ward 8

- iv. John Martin Howell, born November 05, 1876 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1930 in Taylorstown, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Lola B. Abt. 1900; born Abt. 1878 in Ohio; died Bef. 1920 in Pennsylvania.

Notes for John Martin Howell:  
Pennsylvania 1910 Census Miracode Index

John M Howell  
State: PA Enumeration District: 0249  
Color: W Age: 33  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0132  
County: Washington, Washington  
Relation: Husband  
ImageNum: 01930688  
Other Residents: Wife Lola B 30, Ohio  
Stepson Earl J Carrol 12, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Anna I Howell 09, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Mary E 04, Pennsylvania  
Son John W 01, Pennsylvania

-----

More About John Martin Howell:  
Date born 2: October 1875, Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census*.)  
Occupation 1: 1910, Catcher at Tin Mill  
Occupation 2: 1920, Farmer  
Resided in.. 1: 1910, Baird St., Washington Borough (8th), Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 2: 1920, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About John Howell and Lola:  
Marriage: Abt. 1900

- v. Sarah Effie Howell, born May 31, 1879 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died November 03, 1936 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Gil Marlin.); married John Henry Spier 1897 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born March 1875 in Middleothian, Allegany Co., Maryland; died February 16, 1934 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Gil Marlin.).

More About Sarah Effie Howell:  
Burial: Washington Cemetery

Notes for John Henry Spier:  
John Spier  
State: PA Enumeration District: 0249  
Color: W Age: 36

Birth Place: Maryland Visit: 0025  
County: Washington, Washington  
Relation: Husband  
ImageNum: 04090299, 04090300  
Other Residents: Wife Sarah 31, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Winona E 12, Pennsylvania  
Son James M 10, Pennsylvania  
Son John H 08, Pennsylvania  
Son Robert T 05, Pennsylvania  
Husband Bresock Washington NR, WIJW VA  
Wife Grace Washington 19, Pennsylvania  
Brother Frank 26, West Virginia

More About John Henry Spier:

Name 2: John Spear (Source: *1900 Census*.)  
Burial: February 19, 1934, Washington Cemetery  
Occupation 1: 1930, Laborer in Toy Factory  
Occupation 2: Bet. 1910 - 1920, Heater in Tin Mill  
Resided in..: Bet. 1910 - 1930, 228 Ewing Street, Washington, Pennsylvania - Ward 8

More About John Spier and Sarah Howell:

Marriage: 1897, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- vi. Phoebe Ellean Howell, born Bet. June 18, 1882 - 1883 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1910; married William Ewart in Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1881 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1911.

Notes for William Ewart:

1910  
William Ewart  
State: PA Enumeration District: 0248  
Color: W Age: 29  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0238  
County: Washington, Washington  
Relation: Husband  
ImageNum: 01290526  
Other Residents: Wife Phoebe 27, Pennsylvania  
Son Raymond 07, Pennsylvania  
Son Clyde 05, Pennsylvania  
Son Nelson 03, Pennsylvania  
Son Cecil NR, Pennsylvania  
1 non-relative

-----  
Possibly his father is Wesley Ewart born in June 1846 in Pa. and his mother Ellen, born in March 1847 PA. William's birthdate on the 1900 census is Sept. 1880. His sibling are John born May 1883, and Goldie born Oct. 1886.

More About William Ewart:

Occupation: 1910, Glass presser  
Resided in..: 1910, Canton Ave., Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania - Ward 8

More About William Ewart and Phoebe Howell:

Marriage: Pennsylvania

- vii. William A. Howell, born April 01, 1885 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *Death Notice of William A. Howell.*, (2) Washington Cemetery Records.); died May 01,

1959 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *Death Notice of William A. Howell.*, (2) Washington Cemetery Records.); married (1) Anna Mary Powell Abt. 1906; born June 29, 1883 in Noblestown, Pennsylvania; died September 26, 1926 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married (2) Bessie Zimmerman Aft. 1930; born April 29, 1897 in Green Co., Pennsylvania; died May 16, 1965 in Washington Co. Home, Washington, Pennsylvania.

More About William A. Howell:

Burial: Washington Cemetery

Occupation 1: 1930, Finisher in Glass Factory

Occupation 2: 1920, Gatherer in Glass Factory

Resided in.: Bet. 1920 - 1930, Ewing Street, Washington, Pennsylvania - Ward 8

More About Anna Mary Powell:

Burial: Washington Cemetery

More About William Howell and Anna Powell:

Marriage: Abt. 1906

- 3      viii. Myrtle Lee Howell, born May 01, 1892 in W. Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died September 06, 1982 in Lakeville, Michigan; married John (Jack) Henry Smith July 10, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.
- ix. 2 Other Children Howell (Source: *1900 Census.*), died Bef. 1900.

#### *Generation No. 4*

8. Peter Smith (Source: (1) Washington Cemetery Records., (2) Certificate of Death for John Henry Smith.), born June 1832 in Belgium (Source: 1900 Census, Buffalo twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.); died Aft. 1900 in Probably Pennsylvania. He married 9. Harriet Dewerle in Maybe Canada ?.

9. Harriet Dewerle (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.), born July 1838 in New York (Source: 1900 Census, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.); died Aft. 1900 in Probably Pennsylvania.

Notes for Peter Smith:

I remember stories that grandpa and my dad would tell us, that the family lived on a houseboat in NY.

And that our last name had been changed from Schmidt or something similar because grandpa's grandfather wanted to be an American and not considered a foreigner. We were always told that he was German and from Alsace-Lorraine, but they would never really admit to being French. Whenever we would ask what we were they would say German, Irish, Pennsylvania Dutch, & maybe a little French.

---

Bradford, Pennsylvania Directories, 1887-93

Peter Smith   carpenter   house 15 Hill Bradford PA 1888, 1889

Peter Smith   carpenter   house 15 Hill Bradford PA 1889, 1890

---

Peter SMITH	Self	M	Male	W	42	NY	Carpenter	BELGIUM	BELGIUM
Harriot SMITH	Wife	M	Female	W	38	NY	Keeping House	KENEDY	NY
Charles SMITH	Son	S	Male	W	22	CANADA	Carpenter	NY	NY
John SMITH	Son	S	Male	W	18	NY	Carpenter	NY	NY

Emely SMITH Dau S Female W 16 CANADA NY NY  
Julia SMITH Dau S Female W 15 PA NY NY  
Netty SMITH Dau S Female W 11 PA NY NY  
Ida SMITH Dau S Female W 9 PA NY NY  
Allia SMITH Dau S Female W 7 PA NY NY  
Mima SMITH Dau S Female W 4 PA NY NY

Source Information:

Census Place 5th Ward, Bradford, Mckean, Pennsylvania 1880  
Family History Library Film 1255154  
NA Film Number T9-1154  
Page Number 186B

More About Peter Smith:

Date born 2: 1838, Belgium (Source: (1) 1880 Census Records., (2) 1920 Census Records, For John H. Smith.)

Occupation: Carpenter

Resided in..: 1900, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania, and owned his home.

Notes for Harriet Dewerle:

1900 Census states she had 11 children & 9 were living.

More About Harriet Dewerle:

Date born 2: 1842, France or Canada (Source: (1) 1880 Census Records., (2) Certificate of Death for John Henry Smith., (3) 1920 Census Records, For John H. Smith.)

More About Peter Smith and Harriet Dewerle:

Marriage: Maybe Canada ?

Children of Peter Smith and Harriet Dewerle are:

- i. Charles Smith (Source: *1880 Census Records.*), born 1858 in Canada (Source: *1880 Census Records.*).
- 4 ii. John Henry Smith, born May 28, 1862 in Buffalo, Erie Co., New York; died September 14, 1942 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Lydia Jane Holmes 1882 in Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania.
- iii. Emily Smith (Source: *1880 Census Records.*), born 1864 in Canada (Source: *1880 Census Records.*).
- iv. Julia Smith (Source: *1880 Census Records.*), born 1868 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1880 Census Records.*).
- v. Netty Smith, born 1869 in Pennsylvania.
- vi. Ida D. Smith (Source: (1) *1880 Census Records.*, (2) *Obituary for John Henry Smith.*), born Bet. 1871 - 1874 in Pennsylvania or New York (Source: *1880 Census Records.*); died Aft. 1942 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married (1) ? Rowe Abt. 1891; born in New York; married (2) Calvin J. Hamme Bet. 1899 - 1901 in Probably Ohio; born October 31, 1869 in North Codorus, York Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *1920 Census Records*, Ward 21, City of Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan., (2) *Sharon Brickner.*); died December 25, 1935 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan.

Notes for Ida D. Smith:

1900 Bloom Twp., Wood Co., Ohio Census.

Ida is a Widow, b. Dec. 1871 New York. Father was born in Belgium & mother in New York. She had been married 9 yrs. & had 4 children & 3 were living.

Living Children were:

John A. born June 1895 Ohio

Nicholas P. born Jan. 1897 Ohio

Fred E. born April 1899 Ohio

More About Ida D. Smith:

Date born 2: December 1871, New York (Source: *1900 Ohio Census*, Bloom Twp., Wood Co.,)

Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, She states she had 5 children and 4 were living.

Notes for Calvin J. Hamme:

In the 1940 Detroit Directory there is a listing for a Mrs. Ida Hamme, widow of Calvin Hamme. I believe this is C.J. Hamme.

More About Calvin J. Hamme:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, He states he had 6 children and 3 were living.

Resided in.. 1: 1930, Mantisque Avenue, Detroit, Michigan

Resided in.. 2: 1910, Agnes St., Detroit, Michigan (Ward 17)

More About Calvin Hamme and Ida Smith:

Marriage: Bet. 1899 - 1901, Probably Ohio

- vii. Harriet (Allie) Smith (Source: *1900 Census.*), born March 1873 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); married ? Dutton Abt. 1893.

More About Harriet (Allie) Smith:

Name 2: Alice Smith (Source: *1880 Census Records.*)

Date born 2: 1873, Pennsylvania (Source: *1880 Census Records.*)

More About ? Dutton and Harriet Smith:

Marriage: Abt. 1893

- viii. Minna (Minnie) Smith (Source: (1) *1880 Census Records.*, (2) *Obituary for John Henry Smith.*), born 1876 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1880 Census Records.*); married ? Garlando in Birch River, Manitoba, Canada (Source: *Obituary for John Henry Smith.*).

More About ? Garlando and Minna Smith:

Marriage: Birch River, Manitoba, Canada (Source: *Obituary for John Henry Smith.*)

- ix. Peter Charles Smith, born October 1882 in Pennsylvania; died in Maybe Tulsa, Oklahoma; married Marie; born Abt. 1884 in West Virginia.

More About Peter Charles Smith:

Occupation: 1930, Producer at Oil Co.

Resided in..: Bet. 1930 - 1942, Tulsa, Oklahoma

10. Seth Holmes (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.), born September 23, 1837 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; died June 20, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 20. Jonathan\* Holmes, M.D. and 21. Catherine\* Troxell He married 11. Sarah Dora Kennelley 1865 in Pennsylvania (Source: 1900 Census.).

11. Sarah Dora Kennelley, born August 14, 1847 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: 1900 Census, 2nd Ward, Washington, Pennsylvania.); died September 14, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania. She was the

daughter of 22. James Kennelley and 23. Sarah Haberacker.

Notes for Seth Holmes:

June 25, 1909

On Sunday evening at 4:45 o'clock, occurred the death of S. D. HOLMES, aged 72 years, at his home in Washington. Three months ago Mr. HOLMES left his work with the South Penn Oil Company at Noblestown to go home to nurse his wife who is at the point of death and whose demise had been hourly expected. Mr. HOLMES' death was caused by paralysis. Two weeks ago Sunday he suffered a stroke. One week later he was for the second time stricken. Since the latter attack his condition had been at all times considered extremely serious. Mr. and Mrs. HOLMES moved to Washington from Oakdale about nine years ago. The deceased was a member of the Knights of Pythias at Oakdale and also of the Maccabees. Two daughters survive. They are Mrs. J. H. SMITH and Mrs. F. A. VEZIE, both of Washington. Mr. HOLMES was born at Lock Haven in Snyder County on September 23, 1837.

---

Seth HOLMES Self M Male W 32 PA Driller On Well PA PA  
Sarah HOLMES Wife M Female W 32 PA Keeping House PA PA  
Grace HOLMES Dau S Female W 16 PA At Home PA PA  
Libbie HOLMES Dau Female W 14 PA At Home PA PA  
Frank ATWOOD Other M Male W 37 ME Carpenter ME ME  
Ella STANTON Dau S Female W 8 PA At Home PA PA  
Census Place Kendall, Mckean, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255154  
NA Film Number T9-1154  
Page Number 349C

More About Seth Holmes:

Burial: June 22, 1909, Washington Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Cause of Death: stroke & paralysis

Occupation: 1900, Miller

Resided in.: 1900, Jefferson Ave., Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Sarah Dora Kennelley:

Name 2: Sarah Dora Kennully (Source: Washington Cemetery Records.)

Date born 2: Abt. 1845

Burial: September 16, 1909, Washington Cemetery

More About Seth Holmes and Sarah Kennelley:

Marriage: 1865, Pennsylvania (Source: 1900 Census.)

Children of Seth Holmes and Sarah Kennelley are:

- i. Grace D. Holmes, born July 1863 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1930; married Frederick A. Vezie Abt. 1881 in McKean Co., Pennsylvania; born July 1860 in French Canada; died Aft. 1930.

More About Grace D. Holmes:  
Resided in..: 1920, W. Walnut St., Washington, Pennsylvania

More About Frederick A. Vezie:  
Immigration: 1877  
Occupation 1: Fisher at Oil Well  
Occupation 2: 1930, Retail merchant at grocery store.  
Resided in..: 1930, W. Walnut Street, Washington, Pennsylvania

More About Frederick Vezie and Grace Holmes:  
Marriage: Abt. 1881, McKean Co., Pennsylvania

- 5        ii. Lydia Jane Holmes, born August 01, 1865 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; died May 21, 1922 in Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan; married John Henry Smith 1882 in Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania.

12. William\* Howell (Source: Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell.), born Bet. 1816 - 1817 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell., (2) Census records of 1850 and 1860.); died Bet. August 1870 - 1880. He was the son of 24. William\* Howell and 25. Margaret\* Ashbrook He married 13. Nancy\* McGeary Abt. 1839 in Pennsylvania.

13. Nancy\* McGeary (Source: (1) Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell., (2) Census records of 1850 and 1860.), born Bet. 1818 - 1819 in Pennsylvania (Source: Certificate of Death for William Henry Howell.); died October 27, 1881 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: McKean Death Register 1820-1896 Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.). She was the daughter of 26. ? McGeary and 27. <Unnamed>.

Notes for William\* Howell:  
1860 Census states that he had been Crippled for 16 years.

In his son, William "HENRY" Howell, Civil War Pension File (about Henry being injured during the war, and his disabilities), there is an affidavit by a Johnathan Brownlee dated April 15, 1887, and the first question was WHEN DID YOU FIRST SEE HENRY HOWELL AFTER HE RETURNED FROM THE ARMY, AND HOW DO YOU FIX THIS DATE? ANS: Fifteen years ago I had an order from the justice to take his sister to the county home for mental derangement, he accompanied.

More About Nancy\* McGeary:  
Resided in..: 1880, Buffalo Twp., with dau. Margaret Hartsock's family.

More About William\* Howell and Nancy\* McGeary:  
Marriage: Abt. 1839, Pennsylvania

Children of William\* Howell and Nancy\* McGeary are:

- i. John Howell, born 1840; died Bef. 1910.

More About John Howell:  
Resided in..: 1870, E. Finley Twp., with parents

- ii. Margaret M. Howell (Source: *Death notice of William Henry Howell.*), born May 1842 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pa.*

pg 172.); died Aft. 1910; married Laban Hartsock Abt. 1858 in Pennsylvania; born January 1840 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census*, Donegal Twp., Washington Co. Pa Census, pg 172.); died Aft. 1910.

More About Margaret M. Howell:

Notes (Facts Pg) 1: 1900, In census she states she had 7 children, 4 were living.

Notes (Facts Pg) 2: 1910, States in census she had 7 children and 3 were living (Scott D. & Jennie M. listed)

Notes for Laban Hartsock:

Lester Hartsock had his name as Leben or Ruben Hartsock, but as I know that Laban Hartsock signed one of William Henry Howell's affidavits and Louise Graesser Travers has his name from census records, this is the name I'm using. Also, knowing that William Henry Howell's sister married a Hartsock and they lived in W. Alexander, Pa., and Laban Hartsock did sign the affidavit I'm assuming this was her husband.

-----  
-----  
1876 Cadwell's Illustrated Historical Centennial Atlas Washington Co., Business directory for Buffalo Twp., show Laban as owning 1 acre, and his occupation was Farmer & Copper.  
-----  
-----

1880 United States Census

Household:

Name Relation Marital Status Gender Race Age Birthplace Occupation Father's Birthplace Mother's Birthplace

Laban HARDWEK Self M Male W 39 PA Laborer PA PA  
Margaret HARDWEK Wife M Female W 42 PA Keeping House PA PA  
James W. HARDWEK Son S Male W 18 PA Laborer PA PA  
Elisabeth N. HARDWEK Dau S Female W 16 PA At Home PA PA  
Scott HARDWEK Son S Male W 10 PA At Home PA PA  
Nancy HOWELL MotherL W Female W 60 PA PA PA  
Noah HARDWEK Father M Male W 60 PA Laborer PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place Buffalo, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255201  
NA Film Number T9-1201  
Page Number 41C

More About Laban Hartsock:

Date born 2: Abt. 1841 (Source: *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS*.)

Occupation: 1880, Laborer

Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1900 - 1910, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1870 - 1880, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Laban Hartsock and Margaret Howell:

Marriage: Abt. 1858, Pennsylvania

- 6
- iii. William Henry Howell, born March 22, 1844 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died July 25, 1910 in Washington, Pennsylvania; married Sarah Elizabeth King May 05, 1868 in Good Intent, Claysville area at the home of Sarah's father James King..
  - iv. Mary J. Howell, born 1845; died Bef. 1910.
  - v. James Warren B. Howell, born November 1846 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Ohio Census*, Boston Precinct, Somerset Twp., Belmont Co.); died Aft. 1910; married (1) <Unnamed> Aft. August 1870; died Bef. 1882; married (2) Mary L. Hadley July 02, 1881 in Belmont Co., Ohio; born February 1851 in Ohio; died Bef. 1910 in Ohio.

Notes for James Warren B. Howell:

1910 Ohio Census: Ohio Belmont 0044 James W B Howell Husband W 65 PENN 01560259  
0027 Son Joseph W 39, PENN, Daughter Phebe L 17, Ohio

More About James Warren B. Howell:

Occupation: 1910, Farmer

Resided in.. 1: 1910, Somerset Twp., Belmont Co., Ohio

Resided in.. 2: 1900, Boston Precinct, Somerset Twp., Belmont Co., Ohio

Marriage Notes for James Howell and Mary Hadley:

HOWELL, JAMES W. B.

Spouse: HADLEY, MARY L. Marriage Date: 2 Jul 1881

County: Belmont State: OH

More About James Howell and Mary Hadley:

Marriage: July 02, 1881, Belmont Co., Ohio

14. James King (Source: (1) Death Notice of James King., (2) Washington Cemetery Records., (3) 1870 Census, (Microfilm roll # 552966).), born May 26, 1826 in West Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Death Notice of James King.); died July 21, 1907 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Death Notice of James King.). He was the son of 28. George Harvey King and 29. Margaret McElroy. He married 15. Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog) 1848 in Pennsylvania (Source: Death Notice of James King.).

15. Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog) (Source: (1) Death Notice of James King., (2) 1870 Census, (Microfilm roll # 552966).), born April 30, 1830 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: 1870 Census, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); died July 16, 1894 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Death Notice of James King.). She was the daughter of 30. David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock) and 31. Mary \* Sook/Zook

Notes for James King:

Death Notice of James King: At the home of his son-in-law, Henry Howell, in West Washington, about 9 o'clock Sunday morning July 21, 1907. James King died of paralysis, past 82 years of age. He had suffered three strokes, one several years ago, another about two years ago and a last one about the first of the month. A brief service was held Monday evening and the remains were brought to this place Tuesday morning. Rev. S.L. Parcell conducted the service in the Baptist church using for his text "This day shalt thou be with me in paradise and dwelling on the love of Christ". The pall bearers were three sons Alfred, Will, and John M. King and three son-in-laws, Scott Haun, W.B. Blayney, and Harry Turner. The interment was in the Claysville cemetery.

Mr. King was born May 26, 1826, in West Finley Twp., about a mile from Majorsville, son of George Harvey and Margaret McElroy King, who came from Maryland and settled there in the 20s. As a boy he was employed by Wilson Bros., at one time prominent merchants of West Alexander. In 1848 he married Susanna Hartsock. About 1855 he moved to Pleasant Grove and later to Good Intent, where he lived many years. Mrs. King died in 1894 since which time he has lived with his children.

Most of his life was spent farming. Ten children survive: Alfred north of Claysville; Mrs. W.H. Howell and Mrs. Thomas Carroll, of Washington; Mrs. James Brownlee, of East Finley Twp., Will King of Claysville; Mrs. Scott Haun, of Washington; Mrs. Rose Turner and John M. King of Claysville, and Mrs. W.B. Blayney of Good Intent.

---

MARSHALL CO., W.VA. CENSUS 1850:(from the Marshall Co., web site).

KING (693)

James...Laborer...22-F...PA

Susan...21-F...PA

Alfred...6mo.-M...VA

Son Alfred's obituary states that he was born on a farm known as the Joseph Richmond Farm in Dallas, Marshall Co., W.Va. & spent his boyhood there.

---

In the 1870 Washington Co., PA. Census there is a John King, age 67, born in Maryland living with James. In the 1880 Census W. Finley Twp., this John King, age 78, born in Maryland was living with Marcus Lowery family & listed as a boarder and farm laborer.

More About James King:

Burial: Claysville Cemetery, Sec. D, Lot 31, Graves 3 & 4 (Source: Mr. McCracken.)

Resided in.. 1: 1880, W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1860, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog):

Burial: Claysville Cemetery, Sec. D, Lot 31, Graves 3 & 4 (Source: Mr. McCracken.)

More About James King and Susanna Hartsock:

Marriage: 1848, Pennsylvania (Source: Death Notice of James King.)

Children of James King and Susanna Hartsock are:

- i. Alfred King (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) *Death Notice of James King*., (3) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell."), born December 16, 1849 in Nr. Dallas, Marshall Co. West Virginia (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) *Ada McCleery Ferree.*); died February 19, 1933 in Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Ada McCleery Ferree.*); married (1) Rebecca Campsey October 10, 1871 in Unknown; born September 1835 in E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Ada McCleery Ferree.*); died March 09, 1912 in Nr. Donley, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Ada McCleery Ferree.*); married (2) Margaret "Maggie" Grimes Aft. 1912 in Pennsylvania; born December 23, 1866 in Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died October 12, 1956 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Alfred King:

From THE CLAYSVILLE RECORDER, FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1933:

---

#### ALFRED KING, NOTABLE SAWYER

Alfred King, a native of Dallas community, for many years engaged in sawing timber throughout this community, and respected citizen, died at his home, Buffalo Twp., R.D. 3, at

9:20 p.m. Sunday, February 19, 1933, in his 84th year. He had been ill about four weeks. His condition had not indicated death to be imminent. The funeral service was held at his late home Wednesday afternoon, conducted by his pastor, Rev. H.L. Henderson. There was a large concourse of friends and relatives attending. The pallbearers were Messrs. Ed Tustin, James Clutter, S.H. Snodgrass, H.O. Campsey, G. W. Gallentine and Frank Brownlee. The interment was in Claysville Cemetery.

Mr. King was born on the farm known as the Joseph Richmond farm, near Dallas, W.Va., Dec. 16, 1849, son of James and Susan Hertzog King. He spent his boyhood there and resided near Good Intent. He came to Claysville. He had done farm work, was united in marriage with Miss Rebecca Campsey and located on the D.M. Campsey farm. He entered into partnership with Thomas Carroll, whose death occurred recently in Washington. They operated a portable mill many years in this community, and sawed a large number of sets. There was a large acreage of timber covering the land in those days. Mr. Carroll sold out to Ephraim Post and with him Mr. King continued in the trade a period longer until R. C. Grimes purchased his interest in the mill and he retired. Mr. King purchased a ten acre plot of William Gregg near White School and erected a residence where he made his home. Mrs. King passed away. Of their union there is one son, Dr. Charles H. King, of Bucyrus, Ohio. Mr. King was later united in marriage with Mrs. Margaret Grimes Armstrong. They resided several years on Pleasant Grove Road, Buffalo Twp. He was a member of Claysville United Presbyterian Church. He was of upright character and of genial disposition, respected by many acquaintances. He leaves his wife and a stepdaughter, Miss Harriet Armstrong, teacher in the Canonsburg schools. He also leaves one brother and five sisters: Mrs. Nannie Brownlee, Mrs. Phoebe Hahn, Mrs. Rose Turner, Mrs. Alice Blayney and John M. King, Washington, and Mrs. Ida Blayney, West Alexander. A brother, Will King, died during the past year.

More About Alfred King:

Date born 2: October 1850, Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census*.)

Burial: February 22, 1933, Claysville Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Occupation: 1900, Sawyer

Notes for Rebecca Campsey:

From THE CLAYSVILLE RECORDER, FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1912:

-----

FROM AROUND DONEGAL

Mrs. Alfred King

"Rebecca Campsey, wife of Alfred King, died at their home near Donley, at 9 p.m. Saturday, March 9, 1912 of Bright's disease, of which she had been ill more than two years, and valvular heart trouble, aged 76 years."

"The funeral service was held at one o'clock Monday, conducted by Rev. R.B. Harsha, of Taylorstown, assisted by Rev. John F. Stroyer. The pall bearers were John Lindsay, James Foster, Will Sawhill and Samuel Grimes. Interment in Claysville Cemetery."

"Mrs. King was a daughter of William and Jennie (Mitchell) Campsey. She was a native of this section and spent her lifetime in it. She was for many years a member of the Presbyterian Church and held in high esteem by her acquaintances. She was married to Mr. King about 40 years ago and resided in various parts of Donegal Township, but for 23 years they had occupied their present home. She was a devoted wife and mother. Of the three children born to them one son is living, Doctor Charles King, a successful physician of Bucyrus, Ohio.

More About Rebecca Campsey:

Burial: March 11, 1942, Claysville Cemetery, G-14; Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Religion: Member of Claysville U.P. Church

More About Alfred King and Rebecca Campsey:  
Marriage 1: October 10, 1871, Unknown  
Marriage 2: 1874, According to the 1900 Pennsylvania Census.

- 7
- ii. Sarah Elizabeth King, born March 15, 1852 in East Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died April 19, 1926 in Washington, Pennsylvania; married William Henry Howell May 05, 1868 in Good Intent, Claysville area at the home of Sarah's father James King..
  - iii. Martha Mary King (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).), born October 18, 1854 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1860 Census Records*.); died 1920 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.); married Thomas P. Carroll October 15, 1881; born December 1856 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.); died 1931 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.).

Notes for Martha Mary King:  
Sept, 1910 her residence was 138 Blaine Street, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Thomas and her are buried in Claysville Cemetery, along with their daughter Alice and her husband Slater Mounts.

More About Martha Mary King:  
Burial: Claysville Cemetery  
Census: 1870, listed as Mary.

Notes for Thomas P. Carroll:  
1910  
Thomas P Carroll  
Age: 53 State: PA  
Color: W Enumeration District: 0222  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0049  
County: Washington  
Relation: Head of Household  
Other Residents: Wife Mary M 55, Pennsylvania  
Son James K 26, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Alice B 16, Pennsylvania  
Son Stephen 14, Pennsylvania

More About Thomas P. Carroll:  
Burial: Claysville Cemetery

More About Thomas Carroll and Martha King:  
Marriage: October 15, 1881

- iv. Nancy King (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell."), born July 30, 1857 in Washington, Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); died 1946 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.); married James L. Brownlee January 07, 1879 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born 1853 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.); died 1924 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Claysville Cemetery.).

More About Nancy King:  
Burial: Claysville Cemetery

Notes for James L. Brownlee:  
1910  
James L Brownlee

Age: 55 State: PA  
Color: W Enumeration District: 0196  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0059  
County: Washington  
Relation: Head of Household  
Other Residents: Wife Nan 50, Pennsylvania  
1 non-relative

More About James L. Brownlee:  
Burial: Claysville Cemetery

More About James Brownlee and Nancy King:  
Marriage: January 07, 1879, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- v. William King (Source: (1) *Death Notice of James King.*, (2) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (3) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).), born June 04, 1860 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); died 1932 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Obituary of Alfred King.*); married Eliza J. ? 1880; born December 1856 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1910.

Notes for William King:

1910

William King

Age: 49 State: PA  
Color: W Enumeration District: 0186  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0097  
County: Washington  
Relation: Head of Household  
Other Residents: Wife Eliza J 54, Pennsylvania

1880 Census

William KING Other M Male W 20 PA Farm Laborer PA PA  
Eliza J. KING Other M Female W 25 PA PA PA  
Jennie MURONY Other S Female W 18 PA Housekeeper WV WV

Source Information:

Census Place Donegal, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255201  
NA Film Number T9-1201  
Page Number 170A

More About William King:  
Resided in.: 1880, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About William King and Eliza ?:  
Marriage: 1880

- vi. Phoebe Jane King (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).), born December 16, 1862 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); died July 12, 1959 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Winfield Scott Haun February 14, 1881; born October 17, 1863 in Oakland, Maryland; died January 22, 1941 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Phoebe Jane King:  
Burial: Claysville Cemetery

More About Winfield Scott Haun:

Burial: January 24, 1941, Claysville Cemetery  
Occupation: 1920, Order man at a Wholesale House.  
Resided in.: Bet. 1910 - 1920, Addison St., Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania -  
Ward 8

More About Winfield Haun and Phoebe King:  
Marriage: February 14, 1881

- vii. Rosanna King (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) *Death Notice of James King.*), born April 11, 1865 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); married Harry Turner May 26, 1881 in Richhill Twp., Green Co., Pennsylvania; born January 1864 in West Virginia; died in Claysville, Pennsylvania.

More About Rosanna King:  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1900, Census states she had 4 children and 3 were living.

More About Harry Turner:  
Occupation 1: 1930, Machinist Helper at the Glass Factory  
Occupation 2: 1900, Sawyer at Mill.  
Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1920 - 1930, Addison Street, Washington, Washington Co.,  
Pennsylvania - Ward 8  
Resided in.. 2: 1900, Liberty District, Marshall Co., W. Va.

More About Harry Turner and Rosanna King:  
Marriage: May 26, 1881, Richhill Twp., Green Co., Pennsylvania  
Unknown-Ending: Rev. Rossell

- viii. John Henry Melvin King (Source: (1) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (2) *Death Notice of James King.*, (3) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (4) *Death Record James King*, The informant was John Melvin King.), born February 15, 1868 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966).); died in Washington, Pennsylvania; married Margaret Bell ? 1893; born April 1862 in Pennsylvania.

Notes for John Henry Melvin King:  
1910  
John M King  
Age: 42 State: PA  
Color: W Enumeration District: 0186  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0044  
County: Washington  
Relation: Head of Household  
Other Residents: Wife Bell M 50, Pennsylvania

More About John King and Margaret ?:  
Marriage: 1893

- ix. Ida Elsadora King (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (3) *Printout from Darryl Bonk.*), born May 22, 1870 in East Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *1870 Census*, (Microfilm roll # 552966)., (2) *Printout from Darryl Bonk.*); married Elmer Everitt Blayney February 27, 1889 in Pennsylvania; born October 21, 1864 in West Finley twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died June 20, 1936 in West Alexander, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Ida Elsadora King:  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, Census states she had 4 children, 3 were living.

Notes for Elmer Everitt Blayney:

Pennsylvania 1910 Census Miracode Index

Elmer E Blayney  
Age: 46 State: PA  
Color: W Enumeration District: 0254  
Birth Place: Pennsylvania Visit: 0053  
County: Washington  
Relation: Head of Household  
Other Residents: Wife Ida E 39, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Pearl E 16, Pennsylvania  
Son Glenn H 10, Pennsylvania  
Daughter Mildred J 05, Pennsylvania  
Brother Bruce H 53, Pennsylvania

More About Elmer Everitt Blayney:  
Burial: W. Alexander Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Occupation: 1910, Farmer  
Resided in..: 1920, Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Elmer Blayney and Ida King:  
Marriage: February 27, 1889, Pennsylvania

- x. Alice Grace King (Source: (1) "Death Notice of Sarah Elizabeth King Howell.", (2) *Printout from Darryl Bonk.*), born January 10, 1873 in E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Printout from Darryl Bonk.*); died June 23, 1965 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married William Burns Blayney 1897; born January 1868 in Good Intent, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1900 Census.*); died May 12, 1921 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Alice Grace King:  
Obituary: Mrs. Alice G. Blayney, 92, of 230 W. Wheeling St., died at 11:15 pm Wednesday, June 23, 1965, in Maybelle Manor Nursing Home after an illness of seven years.

Mrs. Blayney was born Jan. 10, 1873, in E. Finley Twp. She resided in Washington since 1918. She was a member of the Church of the Covenant. She was the last of a family of 10 children. Her husband, Burns Blayney, died in 1921.

Surviving are one daughter, Helen, wife of Boyd Baldwin, Washington; three sons, Ray D., Washington; Floy, Phoenix, Ariz., and Wilbert, Atlantic, Pa.; nine grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. One son is deceased.

More About Alice Grace King:  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1910, Census states she had 6 children, 5 were living.

More About William Burns Blayney:  
Burial: W. Alexander Cem., Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Occupation 1: Farmer.  
Occupation 2: 1900, Farmer  
Occupation 3: 1910, Teamster - hauling  
Resided in..: 1900, W. Finley Twp., Precinct 2  
Residence: 1910, On Good Intent Road.

More About William Blayney and Alice King:  
Marriage: 1897

*Generation No. 5*

20. Jonathan\* Holmes, M.D., born November 24, 1789 in Vermont or New York; died September 09, 1863 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co. Pennsylvania (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.). He married 21. Catherine\* Troxell Bef. 1830 in Pennsylvania.

21. Catherine\* Troxell, born Abt. 1804 in Pennsylvania (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.); died November 01, 1863 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co. Pennsylvania (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.). She was the daughter of 42. John\* Troxell and 43. Christina\* Aurand

Notes for Jonathan\* Holmes, M.D.:

1820 Census Jonathan Holmes in Middleburg, Union Co., PA.

- 1 male under 10
- 1 male 26-45
- 2 females under 10
- 1 female 26-45

1830 Census Johnathan Homes in Middleburg, Union Co., PA.

- 1 male under 5
- 2 male under 10
- 1 male 10-15
- 1 male 40-50
- 1 female under 5
- 1 female 10-15
- 1 female 15-20
- 1 female 20-30

1840 Census Johnathan Holms M.D. in Lower Mahoney, Northumberland Co.,

- two sons under 5
- one son 5-10
- one son 10-15
- one son 15-20
- one male 50-60
- one female under 5
- one female 10-15
- one female 30-40

1850 Census Penn Twp., Union Co.

More About Jonathan\* Holmes, M.D.:

Burial: Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania

Occupation: 1850, Doctor

Resided in..: 1850, Penn Twp., (Berks) Union Co., Pennsylvania

More About Catherine\* Troxell:

Burial: Lock Haven, Clinton Co. Pennsylvania

More About Jonathan\* Holmes and Catherine\* Troxell:

Marriage: Bef. 1830, Pennsylvania

Children of Jonathan\* Holmes and Catherine\* Troxell are:

- i. Justis T. Holmes, born May 13, 1832 in Pennsylvania; died April 13, 1880 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; married Matilda Myers January 08, 1857 in Selinsgrove, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; born September 1835 in Pennsylvania.

Notes for Justis T. Holmes:

Matilda HOMES Self W Female W 45 PA Keeping House PA PA  
Elmer HOMES Son S Male W 18 PA Laborer PA PA  
Clara M. HOMES Dau S Female W 11 PA Attending School PA PA  
Emma HOMES Dau S Female W 7 PA Attending School PA PA  
Harry C. HOMES Son S Male W 5 PA PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place 3rd Ward, Lock Haven, Clinton, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255113  
NA Film Number T9-1113  
Page Number 663A

More About Justis T. Holmes:

Burial: Highland Cemetery, Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in..: 1860, Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania

More About Justis Holmes and Matilda Myers:

Marriage: January 08, 1857, Selinsgrove, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania

- ii. Anna E. Holmes, born Abt. 1836.
- 10 iii. Seth Holmes, born September 23, 1837 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; died June 20, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Sarah Dora Kennelley 1865 in Pennsylvania.
- iv. Orange Holmes, born June 09, 1839 in Maybe, Perry Co., Pennsylvania; died Aft. January 09, 1920; married Matilda R. Shearer December 31, 1868 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1835; died March 11, 1915.

Notes for Orange Holmes:

Intro page in his Diary from the Civil War ( from Dan Rogers who has the diary).

Here's a copy of Oranges' introduction letter to his diary:

'Born in Perry County June 9, 1839  
came to Lock Haven, Oct. 1859. Enlisted  
in the State service in the month of  
May, 1861 from which I was never  
discharged, was a State Soldier to the  
day of my death. Mustered in the U.S. service  
June 16 1861 for 3 yrs. At the expiration of  
term of service, Enlisted in the One  
Hundred Regt. P.V. served to the end of  
the war. Engaged in the following battles.

'Mechanicsville'

'Gaines Hill' (Gaines Mill actually)

'Cold Harbor' \*(1st Cold harbor, NOT 1864 battle.....this drove me nuts trying to corroborate!)

'Malvern Hill'

'2nd Bull Run'...3 days

'South Mountain'  
'Antietam'  
'Fort Steadman, ...near Petersburg'  
'Wilderness.....Fredericksburg.' \*(another one that drove me nuts. He was at Fredericksburg, but not 1864 Wilderness. I believe he was just referring to the geography, the battle grounds are the same area)

---

ANOTHER LOCK HAVENITE HONORED - from an early Lock Haven Newspaper. Orange Holmes, of Encampment 71, U.V. L. (Union Veterans League), this city, has been appointed assistant inspector general on the staff of the national inspector of the U.V. L. of the United States.

---

American Civil War Soldiers

Orange Holmes  
Residence: Occupation:  
Service Record:  
Enlisted as a Corporal on 16 July 1861  
Enlisted in Company D, 36th Infantry Regiment Pennsylvania on 16 July 1861  
Mustered out on 16 June 1864 in Philadelphia, PA  
Sources:  
History of Pennsylvania Volunteers, 1861-1865. (PARoster) Published in 1870

Orange Holmes  
Residence: Butler County, Pennsylvania Occupation:  
Service Record:  
Enlisted as a Private on 06 March 1865  
Substitute in Company C, 100th Infantry Regiment Pennsylvania on 06 March 1865  
Mustered out on 24 July 1865  
Sources:  
History of Pennsylvania Volunteers, 1861-1865. (PARoster) Published in 1870

---

1880 Census  
Orange HOLMES Self M Male W 41 PA Engineer CT PA  
Matilda HOLMES Wife M Female W 41 PA Keeping House PA PA  
Annie Bertha HOLMES Dau S Female W 7 PA PA PA

Source Information:  
Census Place 2nd Ward, Lock Haven, Clinton, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255113  
NA Film Number T9-1113  
Page Number 650C

More About Orange Holmes:  
Notes (Facts Pg): 1920, He states his father was born in Connecticut

More About Orange Holmes and Matilda Shearer:  
Church: English Lutheran Church  
Marriage: December 31, 1868, Lock Haven, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania  
Minister: Robert H. Fletcher

- v. Harriet Holmes, born Abt. 1840.

22. James Kennelley, born 1812 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 44. Daniel\* Kennelley and 45. Jane\* Shannon. He married 23. Sarah Haberacker.

23. Sarah Haberacker, born 1815 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1860 in Clinton Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 46. John\* (Johannes) Haberacker III and 47. Elisabeth\* Rapp

Notes for James Kennelley:

1880 United States Census

Household:

Name Relation Marital Status Gender Race Age Birthplace Occupation Father's Birthplace Mother's Birthplace

James KENNELLEY Self M Male W 68 PA At Home IRELAND PA

Diadema KENNELLEY Wife M Female W 47 PA Keeping House --- ---

Stephen KENNELLEY Son M Male W 21 PA Laborer PA PA

Martha KENNELLEY DauL M Female W 20 PA At Home PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place Bradford, Mckean, Pennsylvania

Family History Library Film 1255153

NA Film Number T9-1153

Page Number 139C

---

Bradford, Pennsylvania Directories, 1887-93

Name Business Name Occupation Location 1 Location 2 City State Year

James Kennelley house R. R. Y. Bradford PA 1887, 1888

Michael Kennelley carpenter 42 River Bradford PA 1887, 1888

S. J. Kennelley mason house 185 Jackson avenue Bradford PA 1890, 1891

More About James Kennelley:

Resided in..: 1860, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; Surname spelled Kinly.

Children of James Kennelley and Sarah Haberacker are:

- i. Daniel Harrison Kennelley, born November 19, 1835 in Spring Mills, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died June 21, 1920 in Flemington, Clinton Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Gloria Harbach.); married (1) Mary Jane Mincer January 10, 1859 in Mill Hall, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; born June 10, 1836 in Bratton Twp., Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania; died April 25, 1868 in Mill Hall, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; married (2) Ellen Mincer Abt. 1872; born June 23, 1841 in Pennsylvania; died March 03, 1924 in Mill Hall, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Daniel Kennelley and Mary Mincer:

Marriage: January 10, 1859, Mill Hall, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania

- ii. Elizabeth Kennelley, born Abt. 1838.
- iii. Susannah Kennelley, born Abt. 1840; married ? Tyler.

More About Susannah Kennelley:

Resided in..: 1860, Bald Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Pennsylvania with her sisters Hannah &

Sarah.

- 11
- iv. Hannah Kennelley, born Abt. 1843.
  - v. Sarah Dora Kennelley, born August 14, 1847 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died September 14, 1909 in Washington, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Seth Holmes 1865 in Pennsylvania.
  - vi. James Kennelley, born Abt. 1848 in Spring Mills, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died November 11, 1893 in Ridgeway, McKean Co., Pennsylvania.
  - vii. Michael Kennelley, born 1854.
  - viii. Stephen J. Kennelley, born June 1858 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1930; married Martha Abt. 1880; born March 1860 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1930.

More About Stephen J. Kennelley:

Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1880 - 1900, Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1930, Bradford, McKean Co., Pennsylvania with son William's family

More About Martha:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1900, States she had 4 children and 4 were living.

More About Stephen Kennelley and Martha:

Marriage: Abt. 1880

24. William\* Howell, born Abt. 1785 in Maryland; died October 11, 1854 in E. Finlay Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 48. John\* Howell/Howel and 49. Eleanor\*. He married 25. Margaret\* Ashbrook January 18, 1810 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

25. Margaret\* Ashbrook (Source: The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.), born Abt. 1786 in Pennsylvania; died 1884 in her 98th year. E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 307.). She was the daughter of 50. Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook and 51. Mary\* Fennell

Notes for William\* Howell:

Washington County, Pennsylvania, Deed Book v. 2A, pp. 376-377

Charles Forsyth & wife

To

William Howell

This Indenture made this fifth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen. Between Charles Forsyth and Rossanah his wife of Washington County and state of Pennsylvania of the one part and William Howel of said County and State of the other part. Witnesseth that the said Charles Forsyth and Rosana his wife for and in consideration of the sum of four hundred and one dollar and thirty-seven cents to them in hand paid by the said William Howell at or before the ensealing and delivering of these presents the receipt the[y] do hereby acknowledge and themselves fully satisfied with the said William Howell his heirs

and assigns by these presents. Have granted, bargained, sold, aliened, enfeoffed, released and confirmed and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, alien, enfeoff, release and confirm unto the said William Howel his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land in Finley Township and said County bounded as follows. Beginning at a post thence by lands of Joseph Riddle South eighty three degrees East one hundred and thirty one perches to a post and gum tree thence South sixteen degrees West eighty perches to a post thence by lands of Leppers North eighty three degrees West one hundred and eighty perches to a black oak thence North eighty eight degrees West twenty-five perches to a black oak thence by lands of Arnald North thirteen degrees East twenty nine perches to the place the beginning. Containing sixty-one acres and three-quarters strict measure the same being part of a tract of land called Annas Garden granted to William English by patent bearing the date the fifteenth day of January in year 1807 and conveyed by the said William English to David English by deed of conveyance bearing in the date the seventh day of August and then transferred by said English to John Cook by deed of conveyance bearing date the thirteenth day of August 1807 and may more fully assess by the afore sited Instruments of writing

To Have and To Hold the above described tract of land with its appurtenances thereof unto the said William Howell to him his heirs and assigns to the only proper use of him the said William Howel his heirs and assigns forever and the said Charles Forsyth and Rosanna his wife do hereby bind themselves their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns firmly by these presents to warrant and defend the above described tract of sixty one acres and three quarters of land and premises to the said William Howel his heirs, assigns forever in the full and forcible possession of the above described tract of land and premises against the lawful claims of all persons lawfully claiming or to claim whatsoever. In witness whereof the said Charles Foryseth and Rossana his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals this day and year first above written.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of  
(seal)

Charles Forsyth

John McMiller Thomas Whitehill

her

Rosanna X Forsyth

(seal)

mark

Recd from William Howel of full of the above mentioned money for the above mentioned land. Given under my hand and seal this sixth day of April 1816.

John McMillan Thomas Whitehall  
(seal)

Charles Forsyth

Washington County S.S.

(Seal) Personally before me one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said County came Charles Forsyeth and Rossanah his wife and acknowledged the above Indenture the wife being examined by me separate and aparte from her said husband and the contents made fully known to her she saith that she did it of her own free choice without any constraint or compulsion of her said husband and desired that the same might be entered on record and such Witness my hand and seal this eight day of Aprile in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

Jno McMillen

Recorded and compared with the original the 9th day of October A. D. 1816.

Isaac Kerr, Recorder

More About William\* Howell:

Burial: Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in..: 1810, Canton Twp., census records.

More About Margaret\* Ashbrook:

Resided in.. 1: 1880, With son-in-law Enlow Elliot household in E. Finley Twp. Her ailments were listed as Old Age.

Resided in.. 2: 1860, With son Solomon in Richhill Twp., Greene Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 3: 1870, With Son-in-law Elliot Enlow household

More About William\* Howell and Margaret\* Ashbrook:

Marriage: January 18, 1810, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Married By: John McMullan, esq.

Children of William\* Howell and Margaret\* Ashbrook are:

- i. John W. Howell, born Abt. 1811 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died March 1881; married Margaret Moore Bef. 1833; born Abt. 1816 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1870 in Pennsylvania.

More About John W. Howell:

Notes (Facts Pg) 1: Bet. 1870 - 1880, Derwin Howell b. abt 1860 is living with John W., and listed as his grandson.

Notes (Facts Pg) 2: 1880, Surname looks like Howl

Occupation: 1870, Farm Laborer

Resided in.. 1: 1850, East Finley Twp. census records

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1860 - 1880, Chartiers Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Margaret Moore:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1920 Census for son John W. he states his mother was born in Ohio.

More About John Howell and Margaret Moore:

Marriage: Bef. 1833

- ii. Simon Howell, born June 13, 1812 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died February 20, 1905 in Belmont Co., Ohio; married Sarah Gilmore November 08, 1837 in Pennsylvania; born June 21, 1813 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died June 20, 1879 in Ohio.

Notes for Simon Howell:

1880 Census

Simon HOWELL Self W Male W 68 PA Farmer PA PA  
E.Mary HOWELL Dau S Female W 24 OH Keeping House PA PA  
Marion COOPER GSon S Male W 17 OH Farm Laborer OH PA

Source Information:

Census Place Somerset, Belmont, Ohio  
Family History Library Film 1254995  
NA Film Number T9-0995  
Page Number 391D

---

More About Simon Howell:

Burial: Boston Methodist Cemetery

More About Sarah Gilmore:

Burial: Boston Methodist Cemetery

More About Simon Howell and Sarah Gilmore:

Marriage: November 08, 1837, Pennsylvania

- iii. Mary Howell, born Bet. 1815 - 1819 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1870 Pennsylvania Census*, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co. says she was 50.); married George Dixon Aft. 1850; born Bet. 1819 - 1820 in Pennsylvania.

More About George Dixon:

Occupation: 1870, Laborer

Resided in.: Bet. 1870 - 1880, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About George Dixon and Mary Howell:

Marriage: Aft. 1850

- 12 iv. William\* Howell, born Bet. 1816 - 1817 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Bet. August 1870 - 1880; married Nancy\* McGeary Abt. 1839 in Pennsylvania.  
v. Absalom A. Howell, born Abt. 1819 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 Census Records.*); died August 17, 1874 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Elizabeth McNeal; born Abt. 1823 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 Census Records.*).

More About Absalom A. Howell:

Burial: Pleasant Grove, Pennsylvania (cemetery across the street from the Baptist Church)

Notes (Facts Pg): 1860, Census has surname spelled Howald.

Occupation: 1860, Labor

Resided in.: Bet. October 1850 - 1860, East Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Notes for Elizabeth McNeal:

1880 Census

Elizabeth HOWELL Self W Female W 58 PA Keeping House PA PA  
William L. HOWELL Son S Male W 27 PA Laboring On Farm PA PA  
Thos. Ross HOWELL Son S Male W 23 PA Laboring On Farm PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place West Finley, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255202  
NA Film Number T9-1202  
Page Number 542D

More About Elizabeth McNeal:

Resided in..: 1880, W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., PA. (afew entries after James King).

- vi. Abraham A. Howell, born June 1824 in Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS.*, (2) *1900 W. Virginia Census*, Flemington District, Taylor Co.); died Aft. 1910; married (1) Nancy Bef. 1850; born Abt. 1826 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS.*); married (2) Hellen M. Bef. 1855; born Abt. 1832 in Virginia; died Bef. 1900 in Taylor Co., West Virginia.

Notes for Abraham A. Howell:

Abraham A. HOWELL Self M Male W 55 PA Blacksmith EV PA  
Hellen M. HOWELL Wife M Female W 48 WV Keeping House PA WV  
A. Nancy HOWELL Dau S Female W 23 PA Dress Maker PA WV  
Willis L. HOWELL Son S Male W 20 PA Common Laborer PA WV  
Mary A. HOWELL Dau S Female W 18 PA Out Of Employment PA WV  
Bernard O. HOWELL Son Male W 15 PA Clerks In Store PA WV  
Haris E. HOWELL Son S Male W 10 PA Attending School PA WV  
Laura W. HOWELL Dau S Female W 8 WV PA WV

Source Information: 1880

Census Place Flemington, Taylor, West Virginia

Family History Library Film 1255414

NA Film Number T9-1414

Page Number 237B

More About Abraham A. Howell:

Occupation 1: 1850, Blacksmith

Occupation 2: 1860, Farmer

Occupation 3: 1870, Blacksmith

Resided in.. 1: 1850, Claysville, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1860 - 1870, Richhill Twp., Greene Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 3: Bet. 1880 - 1910, Flemington District, Taylor Co., W. Virginia with daughter Aseneth's family.

More About Abraham Howell and Hellen:

Marriage: Bef. 1855

- vii. Solomon Howell, born Abt. 1825 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS.*).

More About Solomon Howell:

Resided in..: 1860, Richhill Twp., Greene Co., Pennsylvania

- viii. Alexander Howell, born Abt. 1828 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.*).
- ix. Ellen (Eleanor) Howell, born December 30, 1836 in E. Finlay Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died April 05, 1916; married (1) Elliot Enlow Bef. 1850 (Source: *1850 Census Records.*); born April 11, 1816 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died August 24, 1884 in E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married (2) Elliot W. Enlow January 05, 1893 in Murdock, Illinois; born May 15, 1837 in Henryville, Clark Co., Indiana; died November 18, 1919 in Crafton, Pennsylvania.

Notes for Ellen (Eleanor) Howell:

Death notice Mrs. Elliott Enlow

Mrs. Elliott Enlow, Aged Claysville Resident, Dies.

Was Married Twice to Two Different Men of the Same name - Lived for Many Years in East Finley Township

Claysville, April 6. - Mrs. Elliott Enlow died last evening at 10:30 o'clock at her home in

Petroleum avenue, of cancer. She was aged 84 years. [79]

In 1854 she was married to Elliott Enlow, who later died. In 1894 she was again married to Elliott Enlow, who survives. He was a second cousin of her first husband.

Mrs. Enlow, whose maiden name was Ellen Howell, was born and reared in East Finley township, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John [William] Howell. She has been a resident of Claysville for the past ten years. She became a member of Stony Point M. E. church in early life, but transferred her membership to the local Methodist church on her removal here.

Besides her husband, three step-sons survive: Ed Enlow, of Dillonvale, O.; Benjamin Enlow, of Denora, and Charles Enlow, of Texas. Two adopted daughters, Mrs. George Sprowls, of West Finley, and Mrs. Nort Montgomery, of East Finley, also survive. One brother, Abraham Howell, of Huntington, W. Va., is living, aged 91 years.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the late home, in charge is Rev. H. E. Lewis, pastor of the Methodist church. Interment will be in the Claysville cemetery.

NOTE: [ ] items were corrections made to the newspaper article.  
Transcribed by Leonard Enlow, 3/4/2001 from newspaper article.

More About Ellen (Eleanor) Howell:

Died 2: April 05, 1919, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Ancestry World Tree Project*.)

Burial: Claysville Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in..: 1910, Petroleum Ave., Claysville Borough, Washington Co. Pennsylvania

Notes for Elliot Enlow:

1880 Census

Elliott ENLOW Self M Male W 65 PA Farms PA VA

Ellen ENLOW Wife M Female W 49 PA Keeping House PA PA

Margaret HOWELL MotherL W Female W 94 PA --- ---

Alexander REDMUND Other S Male W 25 PA Stone Mason PA PA

Elizabeth E. RUSSEL Other S Female W 15 PA Keeping House & Servant PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place East Finley, Washington, Pennsylvania

Family History Library Film 1255201

NA Film Number T9-1201

Page Number 181D

More About Elliot Enlow:

Burial: Stoney Point Methodist Cemetery

Occupation: 1860, Farmer

Resided in..: 1860, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Elliot Enlow and Ellen Howell:

Marriage: Bef. 1850 (Source: *1850 Census Records*.)

26. ? McGeary, born in Pennsylvania. He married 27. <Unnamed>.

27. <Unnamed>, born in Pennsylvania.

Child of ? McGeary and <Unnamed> is:

13 i. Nancy\* McGeary, born Bet. 1818 - 1819 in Pennsylvania; died October 27, 1881 in

Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married William\* Howell Abt. 1839 in Pennsylvania.

28. **George Harvey King** (Source: Death Notice of James King.), born Abt. 1795 in Maryland (Source: (1) Death Notice of James King., (2) 1850 W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.); died Bef. 1860 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: 1860 WASHINGTON CO. PA CENSUS.). He married 29. **Margaret McElroy** Abt. 1825 in Pennsylvania.

29. **Margaret McElroy** (Source: Death Notice of James King.), born Abt. 1798 in Pennsylvania (Source: 1850 W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.); died Aft. 1870 (Source: 1860 WASHINGTON CO. PA CENSUS, W. Finley Twp.).

More About George Harvey King:

Resided in.: 1850, W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Margaret McElroy:

Resided in.: 1870, W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About George King and Margaret McElroy:

Marriage: Abt. 1825, Pennsylvania

Children of George King and Margaret McElroy are:

- 14 i. **James King**, born May 26, 1826 in West Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died July 21, 1907 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog) 1848 in Pennsylvania.
- ii. **George H. King** (Source: *1850 W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.*), born Abt. 1833 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Rebecca P.; born September 14, 1838 in Pennsylvania; died January 14, 1861 in Pennsylvania.

Notes for Rebecca P.:

Salem Methodist Cemetery (near Majorsville)

KING, Rebecca P., w/o G. H. 14 Sept 1838 - 14 Jan 1861

- iii. **Abigail King** (Source: *1850 W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.*), born Abt. 1837 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

30. **David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock)** (Source: Lester Hartsock.), born 1798 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Lester Hartsock.); died Aft. 1880 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 60. **Henry Hartsock, (Hertzog/Herzog)** and 61. **Susannah**. He married 31. **Mary \* Sook/Zook** January 10, 1819 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: E. B. Iams, Squire Thomas Carson's Marriage Register Aug. 17, 1806 to Dec. 5. 1839.).

31. **Mary \* Sook/Zook** (Source: (1) Lester Hartsock., (2) Harvey W. Grimes., (3) Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.), born 1797 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1880 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 62. **Jacob\* Sook, Jr. (Zook/Zug)** and 63. **Mary\***.

Notes for David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock):

The following is from a self published book by a descendant of David Hartsock. It

was given to me by Leslie Hartsock and she didn't know the name of the publisher. Therefore I do not know if any of this was ever verified or what the sources were that brought about these conclusions. Anything you find in parenthesis will be my own notes.

## THE HARTSOCKS

The Hartsock stock stemmed from forebearers who had come to America in the preceding century. They had immigrated from Holland. One Baltzer Hartsock was an immigrant of 1737 on Captain John Bull's ship from Rotterdam on the ship *Virginus Grace*, last from Cower, in all 225 aboard. (We have found the ship *Virginus Grace* didn't come to America in 1737, and that the ship was the *Virtuous Grace*, arrived in Philadelphia on Sept. 24, 1737 and a Baltzer Hartsoc was listed on the passenger list).

Pennsylvania Archives show a registry of five male Hartsocks: Andrew, Jonathan, Peter, Samuel, and a D. J. Hartsock; the latter received his education in a primitive log cabin. His home near Richmond, Virginia was raided by General Sheridan's men during the Civil War. "The Gospel settled everything with them," for they were leavened with a yeast of religious fervor. One of these Hartsocks had to be Uriah's father, as they had moved to a farm in Pennsylvania when he was young.

The Westward Movement was curtailed for nearly a century in America because of tow obstacles. One was the Indian threat, and the great unbroken forest which shut off the interior. Roads had to be built where only men could travel on foot, or on horseback, or pack horse. The highway which most affected western migration, was the Cumberland Road. At the insistence of Thomas Jefferson, Congress had this road built at national expense to help in the conquest of the West. So starting at Cumberland, Maryland, the road ran northwest to Wheeling, West Virginia, and from there southwest through Ohio and Indiana, ending in the town of Vandalia, Illinois. The Cumberland was paved with stones and covered with gravel, and was about 800 miles long. Though work was started in 1811, it was 1838 before the road was completed as far as Vandalia, Illinois. Over the Cumberland Road traveled thousands of settlers. Some were on foot, others on horseback. Many light wagons were seen, and also hundreds of great lumbering covered wagons, which were variable tents on wheels rolled along, with mules or horses straining on their tugs and double trees.

Caught up in this malstrum were the young Hartsocks. It was their decision to answer the clarion call to the virgin lands of the interior by way of the Cumberland Route, or to go by boat down the Ohio River. The land route with all it foibles would cost considerable money, and the hazards of break-down greater. Thus, they elected to go by boat, which was a very inexpensive and direct way to accommodate their means, costing \$2.00 to \$2.50 per head, for people and animals alike. This also appealed to Uriah's sense of adventure and wonder for the future of his budding family. God Knows, it was getting too thickly populated in Pennsylvania, to suit him; besides the soil was becoming poorer and needed fertilizing; the Homestead Act was on the verge of being signed into law in 1862;

then too, there were the rumblings of the Civil War in the making. This all added up to "Go west, young man, go west."

Uriah Hartsock and Hannah Toland were both natives of a contiguous area where borders were frequently crossed over in barter and trade. Hannah Fordice Toland was born, March 24, 1845, of Scotch-Irish extraction, a native of Wheeling, West Virginia. Her people, the Fordices had immigrated from England. Her mother, Elizabeth Fordice Toland, and father James (Jim) Toland, who was of Scotch-Irish descent, lie buried in the Wheeling, west Virginia Cemetery. They had been farmer folk.

Hannah Toland was a slender girl of dour and serious nature, without education, but had taught herself to read. She was a first cousin of Samuel Langhorne Clemens. Mrs. Clemens was James Toland's sister. Hannah was schooled in cooking and gardening. She had a knowledge of herbs that might be needed for health. The concoctions for liniments and blisters, that goose-grease combined with camphor oil made a very good chest poultice. She was familiar with medicinal yarrow, foxglove, yellow jasmine, licorice, and rue; that wild cherry bark made a fine sedative when brewed; that tea leaves soothe a bad burn. She valued the wild sage and mint for flavoring foods. She knew that "willow bark" would ease the pain of child-birth. She loved the Oxalis.

She knew plants for what they were: rag-weed, cockle-burr, knot weed, bind weed, sting nettles, day flower, burdock, mullen, dandelion, wild onion and pea, and that wild spinach or lams-quarters grew in rich soil where old haystacks had been.

Mary Elizabeth Hartsock, elder sister of Uriah, was born November 30, 1827 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania. She was married to William Whissen on December 9, 1848. Mary Elizabeth and her husband William with their children John H. and Mary E. floated down the Ohio River, with Uriah and Hannah Hartsock, and their sons Milton and Thomas. The Whissen children were 11 and 12 yrs. of age and took great pleasure in attending the young Hartsock boys, who were 2 & 3. Their decision to go west in 1863 had been a well planned operation, directed by William Whissen. They looked forward to better times father in the heart of the country on some rich loam land. The Whissen's settled on a farm southwest of Alexis, Illinois, where their children, Hohn H. and Mary E. grew up.

Uriah and Hannah were closer to Monmouth, and when their first daughter was born on May 11, 1865, she was named after her Aunt Mary Elizabeth Whissen. Mary Elizabeth Graesser spent alot of time at her aunt's house, who was an expert seamstress, and taught her niece to sew. Young John Whissen lived at Girley, Illinois and had two children; Mary and Even Whissen.

The two families exchanged letters and pictures after Uriah settled in Nebraska. William Whissen died April 12, 1895, and Mary Elizabeth Whissen died at Alexis, Ill., August 24, 1906.

Uriah Hartsock was born in West Virginia, December 8, 1839, of Pennsylvania

Dutch stock. When a young man he moved with his parents to the Cumberland Valley of Pennsylvania. He had known and admired Hannah Toland, an astute young woman, who lived near Wheeling. He returned and married her in 1860. They farmed for six years in Pa., where two of their sons were born, Milton in 1861, Thomas in 1862. Times were hard in the east, and Uriah with restless "itchy feet" was caught up in the verbal excitement of the frontier, which made him realize that he could acquire some of this land west of the Mississippi for \$1.25 per acre. He would seek these lands, and so he did. His sons would find them, too. Hannah being an obedient wife, depended on her husband's good judgement to direct their course. He was always full of wit and humor, cleverer than she was, although, certain pithy witticisms could be extracted from her. Their talent for whimsy and banter may have been the families' greatest resource.

Travelers were urged to anticipate family needs for a long trip as, "Prices were high at trading posts. Of paramount importance was the list of food supplies. Rice, flour, cornmeal (parched or cracked), hard bread, crackers, ham, bacon, dried beef, and smoked fish. Dried fruits, beans, peas, sugar, molasses, coffee and tea; baking soda, cheese, lard and butter (solid rolls wrapped in cloth, buried in the cornmeal or flour barrel). Eggs could be stored in the cornmeal to prevent breakage. They were warned: "Don't drink bad water, always boil drinking water."

Uriah's sister, Mary E. Hartsock was married to William Whissen, and they helped to precipitate the relocation plan. And so they floated down the Ohio River from Wheeling, West Virginia en route to Monmouth, Illinois in 1864. They rode on a western type stern wheeler of humble proportions, designed to transport whole families and their possessions. They drifted with the current, took on passengers and freight, landed to load and discharge wherever a white flag was waved from shore. The wooden hull of the boat was stiffened by "hog chains" stretched over vertical timbers. The engines were propelled by high pressure boilers located on the main deck. The boatswains kept assiduously at their posts, while the passengers relaxed comfortably.

---

[Note supplied by Louise Graesser Travers]

David and family lived in the West Finley Township during the time between 1850 and 1870 according to the Washington County, PA census. In the 1860 census, besides David, Mary, and Uriah, there was a listing for Samuel age 11, and Mary C. age 8. I don't know whose children they were. Mary was too old to have children in her fifties. Yes, this is an assumption. Also it lists them living in Washington Co. but their post office was in Dallas, Marshall, VA.

In the 1870 census, David and Mary living with Solomon and family. Also under David and Mary's name is a Tilton Hartsock who is 6 yrs. old then. I'm not sure if this is another son of Solomon's or not.

I went to the library last night and found David and Mary "Heardsock" in the 1850 PA census.

---

1876 Cadwell's Illustrated Historical Centennial Atlas of Washington Co., Business

Directory for W. Finley Twp., shows David Heartsock, still living, and a retired farmer, with 25 acres in Dallas, W.Va. Solomon is listed with him, so I'm assuming he was living with Solomon and his family or next door.

---

According to a letter written by Eltza Jane Rundall, dated Jan. 4, 1954

David & Mary are both buried at Coonytown, W. Va. (Dallas).

More About David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock):

Notes (Facts Pg): 1870, David, Mary & Tilton (age 6) Hartsock are living with Solomon.

Resided in.. 1: 1830, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1870, W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About David\* Hartsock and Mary Sook/Zook:

Marriage: January 10, 1819, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: E. B. Iams, Squire Thomas Carson's Marriage Register Aug. 17, 1806 to Dec. 5. 1839.)

Children of David\* Hartsock and Mary Sook/Zook are:

- i. Noah Hartsock (Source: *Harvey W. Grimes.*), born 1819 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1880; married Rhoda Winnett December 06, 1839 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Harvey W. Grimes.*); born 1820 in Pennsylvania (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*); died Bef. 1880.

Notes for Noah Hartsock:

[Note supplied by Louise Graesser Travers]

Noah and family lived in the Buffalo Township, Washington, PA when the 1860 census was taken. He and family lived in Washington, Washington, PA when the 1870 census was taken.

As of July 1998, the only source I have for the children are the various censuses. There are differences with the ages of them from the 1860 census compared to the 1870. I will use the ages listed on the 1860 census until I can prove otherwise.

---

1876 Cadwell's Illustrated Historical Centennial Atlas of Washington Co., Business directory for Buffalo Twp. (Claysville), shows Noah has owning 3 acres, and his occupation was Cooper.

---

The North Wheeling Baptist Church was organized in 1850. The church is a frame building, built on land belonging to John Henderson and is located nine miles south of West Alexander, at a place sometimes called "Coonie Town". The place gained this name from a local character, Benjamin Fairly, who from his remarkable success in trapping raccoons was given the sobriquet of "Coonie Ben". Before the late war the society was a strong one. Some of the members in 1856 were Washington and Mary Porsser, Lindley Larimore, Samuel and William Plauts, Andrew Hunt, Jacob Glassbonere, George Carroll, Mary Hamilton, Mary McCann, Maria White, Harriet Glassboner, Lydia McKean, Hannah E. Toland, Mary Parker, Noah Hertzog, George Glasboner, Sarah A. Hertzog, Mary E. Hunt, Jeremiah Glassboner, Mahala, Mary, and John McGinnis, Jane, Nancy, and Martha King, Jane and John Day, Catherine Toland and Lucinda J. Toland. Differences of opinion upon various points have nearly ruined the church and at present it is small, the membership now comprising but thirty-two persons. The former pastors were Reverends William Scott and J.Y. Burwell. The present minister is Reverend John A. Simpson, with occasional preaching by Reverend John Henderson.

-----  
-----  
More About Noah Hartsock:

Occupation: 1860, Cooper

Resided in.. 1: June 09, 1880, Buffalo Twp., with son Laban's family.

Resided in.. 2: 1860, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 3: 1870, Washington Borough, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 4: June 26, 1880, Logansport, Cass Co., Indiana with son William's family

More About Noah Hartsock and Rhoda Winnett:

Marriage: December 06, 1839, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Harvey W. Grimes.*)

- ii. Jacob Hartsock (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*), born Abt. 1824 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Elizabeth Tilton; born Abt. 1830.

More About Jacob Hartsock:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1850, Living with father (David) wife was Elizabeth, & son Judson.

Occupation: Farmer (Source: Graes.FTW.)

Notes for Elizabeth Tilton:

Washington Co. Orphans Court Docket Book 7, # 519 for John Tilton and wife Elizabeth:

1. Rebecca; 2. Katherine; 3. Mary; 4. Elvina; 5. Joseph; 6. Daniel; 7. Nancy Jones and her son Morgan Jones; 8. Elizabeth Hartsock and her children Judson & Mary.

More About Elizabeth Tilton:

Name 2: Elizabeth Tilton (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*)

- iii. Solomon Hertzog (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*), born May 15, 1827 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died May 28, 1905 in Claysville, Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Sarah Ann Berry Abt. 1850 in Pennsylvania; born February 03, 1828 in North Strabane Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died March 27, 1911 in Claysville, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Solomon Hertzog:

1876 Cadwells's Illustrated Historical Centennial Atlas Washington Co. Business directory for W. Finley Twp., shows that he was a farmer, wool grower with 15 sheep, & cooper. He had 25 acres in Dallas, Marshall Co., West Virginia (The boundries were disputed between Pennsylvania & Washington Co., but eventually it stayed W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania).

-----  
1880 Census

Solomon HARTSICK Self M Male W 53 PA Labors On Farm PA PA  
Sarah A. HARTSICK Wife M Female W 52 PA Keeping House PA PA  
Susana A. HARTSICK Dau S Female W 20 PA House Keeping PA PA  
Virginia HARTSICK Dau S Female W 18 PA House Keeping PA PA  
Sarah M. HARTSICK Dau S Female W 16 PA At Home PA PA  
Anna B. HARTSICK Dau S Female W 14 PA At Home PA PA  
Hettie HARTSICK Dau S Female W 12 PA At Home PA PA  
Uriah HARTSICK Son S Male W 12 PA At Home PA PA  
David HARTSICK Father S Male W 86 PA At Home PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place West Finley, Washington, Pennsylvania

Family History Library Film 1255202

NA Film Number T9-1202

Page Number 546C

More About Solomon Hertzog:

Burial: North Wheeling Baptist Church Cemetery; Coonytown (Dallas), W.Va.

Notes (Facts Pg) 1: 1880, Father David Hartsock was residing with this family.

Notes (Facts Pg) 2: 1870, Census record shows surname as Hardsock, Father David and Mother Mary residing with family, also a Tilton Hartsock.

More About Sarah Ann Berry:

Burial: North Wheeling Baptist Church Cemetery; Coonytown (Dallas), W.Va.

More About Solomon Hertzog and Sarah Berry:

Marriage: Abt. 1850, Pennsylvania

- iv. Sarah Hartsock (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*), born Abt. 1828 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 Census Records*, W. Finley Twp. pg. 454, 22 yrs old.); died Bet. 1830 - 1835.
- v. Mary Elizabeth Hartsock (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*), born November 30, 1828 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died August 24, 1906 in Alexis, Illinois; married William Whissen December 09, 1848 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1815 in Virginia; died April 12, 1895 in Illinois.

More About Mary Elizabeth Hartsock:

Burial: Gerlow Cemetery, Alexis, Mercer Co., Ill.

Notes for William Whissen:

[Note supplied by Louise Graesser Travers]

On the 1870 Warren Co.,IL census, it listed the family living in the Spring Grove township. Listed in the "Past and Present of Warren Co." the males were listed as farmers on 60 acres that was valued at \$2500.

-----  
1880 United States Census

Household:

Name	Relation	Marital Status	Gender	Race	Age	Birthplace	Occupation	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
------	----------	----------------	--------	------	-----	------------	------------	---------------------	---------------------

Wm. WHISEN	Self	W	Male	W	65	VA	Farmer	VA	VA
------------	------	---	------	---	----	----	--------	----	----

Elisabeth WHISEN	Wife	M	Female	W	58	PA	Keeping House	PA	PA
------------------	------	---	--------	---	----	----	---------------	----	----

Joseph WHISEN	Son	S	Male	W	35	VA	Farmer	VA	VA
---------------	-----	---	------	---	----	----	--------	----	----

John WHISEN	Son	S	Male	W	26	PA	Farmer	VA	PA
-------------	-----	---	------	---	----	----	--------	----	----

Mary WHISEN	Dau	S	Female	W	23	PA	At Home	VA	PA
-------------	-----	---	--------	---	----	----	---------	----	----

Wm. DOUGLAS	Other	S	Male	W	16	IN	Farm Hand	IN	IN
-------------	-------	---	------	---	----	----	-----------	----	----

Source Information:

Census Place Spring Grove, Warren, Illinois

Family History Library Film 1254256

NA Film Number T9-0256

Page Number 304D

More About William Whissen and Mary Hartsock:

Marriage: December 09, 1848, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- 15 vi. Susanna Hartsock, (Hertzog), born April 30, 1830 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died July 16, 1894 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married James King 1848 in Pennsylvania.
- vii. Uriah Hartsock (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*), born December 08, 1839 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (also known as Dallas, Marshall Co., W. Va.); died March 05, 1910 in Mills, Keya Poha, Nebraska (Source: *Lester Hartsock.*); married Hannah Elizabeth Toland October 01, 1860 in Dallas, Marshall Co., W.VA./VA. (Source: Graes.FTW.); born March 24, 1843 in Sugar Camp, Wheeling, W. VA.; died March 17,

1921 in Mills, Keya Poha, Nebraska.

Notes for Uriah Hartsock:

Moved to Mercer Co. IL, then to Ringgold Co., IA, Boone Co., NE, and settled in Keya Paha Co, NE.

---

[note supplied by Louise Graesser Travers]

When the 1880 census was taken, the family lived in Benton Township, Ringgold, IA.

---

At the time of his marriage W.VA. was still considered Virginia.

More About Uriah Hartsock:

Burial: Elmgrove Cemetery, Jamison, Keya Poha, Nebraska

More About Hannah Elizabeth Toland:

Burial: Elmgrove Cemetery, Jamison, Nebraska.

Marriage Notes for Uriah Hartsock and Hannah Toland:

According to a letter written by Eltza Jane Rundall, dated Jan. 4, 1954. Uriah and Hannah were married at the Old Toland Homestead near Haneytown (Dallas), W.Va.

More About Uriah Hartsock and Hannah Toland:

Marriage: October 01, 1860, Dallas, Marshall Co., W.VA./VA. (Source: Graes.FTW.)

#### *Generation No. 6*

42. **John\* Troxell** (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.), born December 28, 1770; died Bef. October 24, 1815 in Beaver Dam Twp., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 84. **George\* Troxell** and 85. **Catherine\***. He married 43. **Christina\* Aurand**

43. **Christina\* Aurand**, born Abt. 1775 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died January 14, 1858 in Troxelville, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 86. **Johann Heinrich "Henry"\* Aurand** and 87. **Margaret Rebecca\* Dreisbach**.

Notes for John\* Troxell:

Title: Appendix C

Author: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach

Publication: The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR, pp. 153-278

Note: Descendant listing of Martin Dreisbach: 1751(?) immigrant (Raumland 1717-Buffalo Valley, Union Co. PA 1799).

It is the intention of the Dreisbach Family Association and the editors of this book that the information contained herein be available to all interested persons and institutions. Portions of this book may be reproduced and quoted as needed. When including information or direct quotations from this book in another document or publication, kindly make proper bibliographical reference to "The Dreisbach Book" as the source of such information.

Repository:

Call Number: <http://www.dreisbachfamily.org/book.htm>

Media: Book

More About John\* Troxell:

Burial: Evangelical, New Lutheran & Reformed Cemetery, Troxelville, Pennsylvania  
(Probably in Unmarked grave)

More About Christina\* Aurand:

Burial: Evangelical, New Lutheran & Reformed Cemetery, Troxelville, Pennsylvania

Children of John\* Troxell and Christina\* Aurand are:

- i. Sarah Troxell, born November 20, 1792; died December 15, 1859 in Delaware Twp, Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; married Jacob Hoffman; born November 02, 1795.

More About Sarah Troxell:

Burial: St. John's (River) Cemetery, Delaware Twp., Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania

More About Jacob Hoffman:

Burial: St. John's (River) Cemetery, Delaware Twp., Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania

- ii. Jacob Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*), born February 13, 1794 in Union Co., Pennsylvania; died August 23, 1852 in Jo Daviess Co., Illinois; married Sarah Grimm October 23, 1819 in Pennsylvania; born February 14, 1798 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died April 09, 1880 in Jo Daviess Co., Illinois.

More About Jacob Troxell:

Military service: 1812, Rifle Volunteers of Union Co., Pennsylvania

More About Jacob Troxell and Sarah Grimm:

Marriage: October 23, 1819, Pennsylvania

- iii. Susannah Troxell, born August 17, 1795 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died July 07, 1872 in Pennsylvania; married Daniel Huffnagle; born October 05, 1793; died January 06, 1859 in Pennsylvania.

More About Susannah Troxell:

Burial: Yeagertown, Pennsylvania Cemetery

Resided in.. 1: 1870, Centre Twp., Snyder Co., Pennsylvania with son John's family.

Resided in.. 2: 1860, Troxelville, Beaver Twp., Snyder Co., Pennsylvania

More About Daniel Huffnagle:

Burial: Evangelical New Lutheran & Reformed Cemetery, Troxelville, Pennsylvania

Resided in..: 1850, Beaver Twp., Union Co., Pennsylvania

- iv. John Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*), born July 28, 1800 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died April 03, 1869 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; married (1) Susanna Moyer in Beaver Twp., Union (Snyder) Co., Pennsylvania; born May 20, 1802; died May 09, 1848; married (2) Lydia Keller Aft. 1849.

More About John Troxell:

Burial: Evangelical New Lutheran & Reformed Cemetery, Troxelville, Pennsylvania

More About Susanna Moyer:

Burial: Evangelical New Lutheran & Reformed Cemetery, Troxelville, Pennsylvania

More About John Troxell and Susanna Moyer:

Marriage: Beaver Twp., Union (Snyder) Co., Pennsylvania

- 21 v. Catherine\* Troxell, born Abt. 1804 in Pennsylvania; died November 01, 1863 in Lock Haven, Clinton Co. Pennsylvania; married Jonathan\* Holmes, M.D. Bef. 1830 in Pennsylvania.
- vi. Samuel Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*), born April 12, 1806 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; died April 16, 1884 in McVeytown, Pennsylvania; married (1) Hannah Swartz Abt. 1831; born April 25, 1806; died December 29, 1831; married (2) Elizabeth Reeser March 27, 1833 in Pennsylvania; born February 20, 1806; died May 06, 1877.

More About Hannah Swartz:

Burial: Old Cemetery, McVeytown, Pennsylvania

More About Samuel Troxell and Hannah Swartz:

Marriage: Abt. 1831

- vii. George Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*), born June 05, 1808 in Delaware Twp, Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died December 06, 1839; married Catherine Smith April 12, 1831 in Sinking Springs, Pennsylvania; died in Her 65th year, at Schoolcraft, Michigan.

More About Catherine Smith:

Burial: Michigan

More About George Troxell and Catherine Smith:

Marriage: April 12, 1831, Sinking Springs, Pennsylvania

- viii. Elizabeth Troxell, born Aft. 1809 in Pennsylvania; died 1847 in Indiana Creek Twp., Pulaski Co., Indiana; married Jonas Good; born 1796 in Pennsylvania; died 1855 in Indiana Creek Twp., Pulaski Co., Indiana.

44. Daniel\* Kennelley, born 1775 in Ireland; died August 13, 1847 in Centre Co., Pennsylvania. He married 45. Jane\* Shannon May 26, 1803 in Hagerstown, Maryland.

45. Jane\* Shannon, born February 13, 1786 in Pennsylvania; died 1862 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 90. John Shannon and 91. Jane Dunlap.

More About Daniel\* Kennelley:

Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery

Resided in.. 1: 1810, Haines Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania - surname spelled Kennelly on census.

Resided in.. 2: 1830, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania - surname spelled Kennelly

Resided in.. 3: 1840, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania - surname spelled Kinley in census

More About Jane\* Shannon:

Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery

Resided in..: 1850, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania - surname spelled Kennelly

More About Daniel\* Kennelley and Jane\* Shannon:  
Marriage: May 26, 1803, Hagerstown, Maryland

Children of Daniel\* Kennelley and Jane\* Shannon are:

- i. John Kennelley, born 1804; died 1828.
- ii. Stephen Kennelley, born June 03, 1807 in Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died July 21, 1873 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; married Sarah "Sally" Breon January 25, 1838 in Penn Hall, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; born June 04, 1822 in Pennsylvania; died May 20, 1901 in Spring Mills, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Stephen Kennelley:

Burial: Holy Cross Cemetery

Notes (Facts Pg) 1: 1840, Surname spelled Kinley on census.

Notes (Facts Pg) 2: 1850, Surname spelled Kennelly on Census

Resided in..: Bet. 1840 - 1860, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

More About Sarah "Sally" Breon:

Burial: Holy Cross Cemetery

Notes (Facts Pg): 1900, Sarah states she had 13 children & 9 were living.

Resided in..: 1900, Spring Mills, Centre Co., Pennsylvania

More About Stephen Kennelley and Sarah Breon:

Marriage: January 25, 1838, Penn Hall, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

- iii. Mariah Kennelley, born 1808; married Jacob Wilson Coates.
- iv. Alexander Kennelley/Kinley, born 1809 in Pennsylvania; died 1885; married Rosanna Conley; born 1811 in Pennsylvania; died 1891.

More About Alexander Kennelley/Kinley:

Resided in..: Bet. 1850 - 1860, Brown Twp., Mifflin Co., Pennsylvania

- v. Daniel Kennelley, Jr., born 1811; married Sarah Geist; born 1811.
- 22 vi. James Kennelley, born 1812 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married (1) Sarah Haberacker; married (2) Nancy Wilson.
- vii. Samuel Kennelley, born 1814; died 1832.
- viii. Jane Kennelley, born March 13, 1817 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died November 04, 1910 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; married Michael Nofsker September 07, 1843 in Spring Mills, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; born August 04, 1817 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died April 06, 1883 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Jane Kennelley:

Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery

More About Michael Nofsker:

Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery

More About Michael Nofsker and Jane Kennelley:

Marriage: September 07, 1843, Spring Mills, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

- ix. Maurice Kennelley, born 1820; married Ann Webb; born 1820.
- x. Rebecca Kennelley, born Bet. 1822 - 1825 in Centre Co., Pennsylvania; married Mortimer Croswaite; born 1820.
- xi. Susan Kennelley, born Bet. 1824 - 1827; married Benjamin Herring; born 1822.
- xii. Nancy Kennelley, born 1826; died 1829.
- xiii. Hannah Kennelley, born April 17, 1829 in Centre Co., Pennsylvania; died January 04, 1902; married Charles Miller; born October 28, 1822 in Pennsylvania; died October 21, 1904.

More About Hannah Kennelley:  
Name 2: Helen Hannah Kennelley (Source: Suzanne Walkowiak Rice.)  
Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery

More About Charles Miller:  
Burial: Spring Mills Cemetery  
Resided in..: 1860, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

- xiv. Dublinia Kennelley, born 1829; died Aft. 1850.

More About Dublinia Kennelley:  
Notes (Facts Pg): She is in the 1850 Centre Co., Census.

46. John\* (Johannes) Haberacker III(Source: Dorothy Cote.), born February 12, 1780 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died November 26, 1846 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 92. Johannes\* Haberacker II and 93. Susannah\* Margaret Schildt He married 47. Elisabeth\* Rapp November 13, 1803 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Dorothy.).

47. Elisabeth\* Rapp, born Abt. 1783 in Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 94. Frederick\* Rapp and 95. Dorothea\* Wolf.

More About John\* Haberacker and Elisabeth\* Rapp:

Church: Trinity Lutheran Church

Marriage: November 13, 1803, Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Dorothy.)

Children of John\* Haberacker and Elisabeth\* Rapp are:

- i. Johann Wilhelm Haberacker, born February 05, 1804 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Johann Wilhelm Haberacker:  
Baptism: March 18, 1804, Trinity Lutheran Church  
Godparents or Sponsors: Wilhelm Stehle and Elizabeth Christian.

- ii. Anna Haberacker, born November 12, 1805 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Anna Haberacker:  
Baptism: January 01, 1806, Trinity Lutheran Church  
Godparents or Sponsors: Frederich and Hannah Rapp (Frederich is the maternal Uncle).

- iii. Margaret Haberacker, born April 23, 1810 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Margaret Haberacker:  
Baptism: May 31, 1810, Trinity Lutheran Church  
Godparents or Sponsors: Frederich and Margaret (Haberacker) Bechtel, her paternal grandmother and step-grandfather.

- iv. Heinrich Augustus Haberacker, born July 02, 1811 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

- v. Frederick Haberacker, born December 12, 1812.

- 23 vi. Sarah Haberacker, born 1815 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1860 in Clinton Co., Pennsylvania; married James Kennelley.

48. John\* Howell/Howel, born Abt. 1744; died Bef. February 26, 1825 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He married 49. Eleanor\*.

49. Eleanor\*, born 1744; died August 01, 1827 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for John\* Howell/Howel:

Deed Book, v. 1U, p. 723-724, Washington County, PA, May 12, 1809

Elizabeth Gunn & others

John Hawel

This indenture made the twelfth day of May one thousand eight hundred and nine by and

between Elizabeth Gunn widow of John Gunn deceased William Gunn and Ann his wife

John Craig and Jane his wife Catherine Gunn May Gunn of the first part which said Ann

Jean Catherine and Mary all are daughters of said John Gunn deceased and of Finley Township

Washington County and State of Pennsylvania and John Hawel late of Yorke County but now

of Canton township Washington and state aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that for and

consideration of four hundred and ten dollars specie to the parties named in the Deed of the

first part paid by the said John Hawel before the execution of this deed the receipt whereof is

hereby acknowledged and him the said John Hawel and his heirs thereof forever acquitted &

discharged for which said consideration money the said Elizabeth Gunn widow William Gunn

and Ann his wife John Craig and Jane his wife, Catherine Gunn and Mary Gunn have and by this

presents doth grant bargain and sell release feoff convey and absolutely confirm unto the said

John Hawel his heirs and assigns the following described tract piece or lot of land the same is

situate lying and being in Finley Township Washington County and State of Pennsylvania,

beginning at a dogwood corner of James Armstrong thence by land of said Armstrong north eight

degree east thirty nine and one half perches to a white oak thence bearing(?) said Armstrongs

line and running by land of Thomas McNeal north forty six degrees east fifty eight perches to a

post thence seventy and one half degrees east sixty two and one half perches to a post in Wm.

Hoge line thence by land of William Paterson south twenty two degrees east one hundred and

fifty three perches and one half to a post and corner of John Gunn land thence by land of said

John Gunn south thirty five degrees west thirty six perches to a post in John Dinley

line thence  
north thirty nine degrees west fifty eight perches to a post thence north sixty eight  
degrees west  
one hundred and eighteen perches to the place of beginning containing eighty  
seven acres and  
ninety five perches strict measure which said land hereby conveyed is part of the  
same tract of  
land that was surveyed on a warrant dated the twenty first day of February one  
thousand seven  
hundred and eighty five granted from the land office in the name of John Roberson  
whose right  
to the same land by way of sundry conveyances and also by virtue of the laws of  
inheritance now  
in force in the State of Pennsylvania became legally vested in Alexander Gunn ( in  
trust not only  
for himself but for the use of the said Elizabeth Gunn widow and mother of said  
Alexander and  
also in trust for said William Gunn and Ann his wife John Craig and Jane his wife  
Catherine and  
Mary Gunn) and notwithstanding there was granted by the Commonwealth of  
Pennsylvania a  
patent for three hundred and twenty nine acres and eighty nine perches of land to  
said Alexander  
Gunn in trust for the use of the grantors herein named and subscribers to this deed  
as well as him  
the said Alexander Gunn which said patent is dated the thirtieth day of December  
in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight as may more fully and at large  
appear by  
reference in the Rolls office in the State of Pennsylvania in parcel book number sixty  
three page  
four hundred and fifty and all tho the said Alexander Gunn is not present we the  
grantors hereto  
fully exclaim that he has impowered and authorised us to convey the whole of the  
aforesaid lot of  
eighty seven acres and ninety five perches which clearly appears by the expression  
of trust in the  
aforesaid recited patent and also by our fully surrendering and delivering the said  
John Hawel all  
the original deeds documents receipts vouchers and official papers relative to the  
aforesaid tract  
(of which the said land hereby conveyed is a part) out of the area survey made by  
virtue of said  
recited warrant of John Roberson and we the above named grantors who names  
are subscribed  
hereto ( and seals affixed to this deed) do hereby for our selve and our heirs  
executors and  
administrators \_?\_ and severly eminent grant and agree to and with the sd John

Howell his heirs  
executors administrators and assigns at any time or times hereafter when thereto  
required to make  
signe seale acknoweldge and to fully execute and deliver in legal form any other  
deed or deeds  
for the better or more perfectly securing conveying said lot or tract of land  
contained in this  
herein before described corses and distentes as he sd John Hawel his heirs  
executors  
administrator and assigns or as his or their counsels learned in the law or any of  
them shall or  
may ask devise or require and all shall be done and perform without any reward  
except what is  
paid to us before the signing sealing and delivery hereof To have and to hold the  
aforesaid eighty  
seven acres of land and ninety five perches together also with all the buildings and  
improvements  
made and to be made therein and all water water courses rites privileges and  
advantages to the  
same in any wise belonging or appertaining we the herein before named grantors  
by their  
presents jointly and severely shall and will warrant and forever defend the said  
eighty seven acres  
and ninety five perches of land with the appetences both in law and in equity from  
us the  
subscribing grantors our heirs and assigns and from all manner of person or person  
whatsoever  
claiming or to claim the eighty seven acres and ninety five perches with all building  
and  
improvements therein or any part thereof and particularly we do hereby warrant  
and forever  
defend said eighty seven acres and ninety five perches of land at all times and at all  
places from  
sd Alexander Gunn and all his brothers and sisters their heirs and assigns  
respectively. In  
testimony whereof the grantors have set their hands and seals the day and year  
above written NB.  
interlined before signed this (i, w, of, r., g, of g, ra, grantors) and two words erased  
also before  
signing.

her her her  
Elizabeth X Gunn (seal) William Gunn (seal) Ann X Gunn (seal) John Craig (seal)  
Jean X Craig  
mark mark mark  
her her  
(seal) Catherine X Gunn (seal) Mary X Gunn (seal)  
mark mark

Signed and sealed and delivered in presents of Robt Stevenson Esq Wm Hawkins

Thomas Stokley  
Received this 12th day of June AD 1809 of the above named John Howell grantee in  
the forgoing  
deed four hundred and ten dollars specie the consideration money in full for the  
afsd conveyed  
land I say recd for all the grantors by me John Craig \_\_\_\_\_ Witness Thomas Stokely  
Robt  
Stevens \_\_\_\_ Washington County (seal) On the twelfth day of June in the year of our  
Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and nine personally appeared before me Robert Stevenson  
Esquire one of  
the Justices of the peace in and for said County the above named grantors (whose  
hands and seals  
are affixed and subscribed as appears to the forgoing deed of conveyance and they  
separately  
acknowledged the same as and for their act and deed respectively and of the above  
named seven  
grantors two are married woman to wit Ann Gunn and Jean Craig who by me were  
severally and  
separately examined out of the presents of their husbands and each of them  
acknowledged they  
executed this deed of their own free will and record without the coercion of their  
husbands or  
either of them and all desires this deed may be entered of record. Robert Stevens  
Esq.

Deed Book, Washington Co., PA. Vol. 2L, p. 195-197

Executors of John Howell dec'd )  
to )  
John Danley )  
This indenture made this twenty fifth day of March in the year of our Lord One  
Thousand eight  
hundred and twenty eight between Alexander Howel and John Ruth of Washington  
County  
Pennsylvania Executors of the Last Will and Testament of John Howel deceased  
late of  
Donegal Township in said County of the first part and John Danley of the Township  
of Finley  
& said county of the other part. Witnesseth that whereas the said Howel by his said  
last Will and  
Testament did order that at the decease of his widow Eleanor Howel his real estate  
of eighty  
seven acres and ninety five perches should be sold and the proceeds thereof equally  
divided  
among his heirs viz his sons James, William, the said Alexander George, and his

daughter Jane  
Ruth wife of the said John Ruth in consequence of which the said Alexander Howell  
and John  
Ruth Executor of the said last Will and Testament have at public sale for and in  
consideration of  
four hundred and thirty dollars to them in hand paid at or before the sealing &  
delivery hereof  
by the said John Danley the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted  
bargained sold  
aliened enfeoffed released and confirmed and by the forsaid do grant bargain sell  
alien enfeoff  
release and confirm unto the said John Danley his heirs and assigns the said piece  
of land laying  
and being in Finley and Donegal Township bounded as follows Beginning at a post  
near the  
West edge of a run thence by other lands of the said John Danley North thirty nine  
degrees West  
forty eight & a half rods to a post east of the same run North sixty eight and a half  
degrees West  
one hundred and nineteen & a half perches to pile of stones formerly a dogwood at  
Armstrong  
line & with it North eight degrees East Ninety one perches and seven tenths to a  
stone formerly a  
whiteoak thence by Browns & by McNeals land North forty six degrees East fifty  
eight perches  
and five tenths to a stone pile thence North seventy & a half degrees East sixty  
three perches &  
five tenths to a post near by North East on of a popular thence by land of the heirs of  
William  
Patterson South twenty two degrees East one hundred and fifty three perches and  
five tenths to a  
stone at the foot of a hill north East of a small Walnut thence South thirty five  
degrees West  
thirty seven perches and four tenths to the beginning and by a late survey founds to  
contain  
eighty seven acres & eighty perches verified part of a tract of land surveyed in  
issuance of a  
warrant dated the 21 of February 1785 granted to John Robeson and for which there  
was granted  
a patten [sic] by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for 329 acres & 89 perches to  
Alexander  
Gunn in title dated the 30 December 1805 called "Wolfe Contents" which said  
described piece  
of land by two separate bills the one dated the 12 of May 1809 and the other on the  
18 day of  
November 1809 became vetted in the said John Howell as will appear at large on  
the record in  
the said County of Washington recording of deeds &c. Together with all and

singular the  
buildings improvements, woods, ways, waters, water courses rights liberties  
privileges  
hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereto belonging or in any wise  
appertaining and  
the reversion of remaining rents aforesaid and profits thereof and also all the estate  
right title  
interest property claim and demands whatsoever of him the said Alexander Howel  
and John Ruth  
intended in them as Executors or otherwise their heirs or assigns in law or in equity  
or otherwise  
howsoever of & to the same To Have and to Hold the said described piece of land  
hereby granted  
or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said John  
Danley & his heirs  
and assigns to and for the only proper use benefit & behoof of him the said John  
Danley & his  
heirs and assigns forever and the said Alexander Howell and John Ruth executors  
of the Last  
Will and Testament of John Howel dec'd do hereby covenant provide and agree to  
and with the  
said John Danley & his heirs and assigns by these presents that they said Executors  
the said  
described piece of land hereby granted unto the said John Danley and his heirs and  
assigns  
against the heirs of the said John Howel deceased and against all and every person  
or person  
whomever lawfully claiming or to claim the said described pieces of land shall by  
witness of the  
said Last Will and Testament and the legal power thereby vetted in them Hereby  
shall and will  
warrant and forever defend by their presents In Testimony Whereof they have  
hereto set their  
hand & seals the day and year first above written  
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of Alexander Howel (seal) & Wm McCahan,  
David  
Frazier John Ruth (seal)  
On the date of the above Indenture we have received the sum of Four hundred and  
thirty dollars  
being the consideration money in full of the said John Danley  
Wm McCahan Alexander Howell  
David Frazier John Ruth  
Washington County ss. Before me the subscribers one of the (seal) Justice of the  
peace in Finley  
Township and County aforesaid personally came the above named Alexander  
Howel and John  
Ruth Executors.&c. and acknowledged the forgoing Indentures to be their act and  
deeds and

deliver that the same may be recorded as such. Witness my hand and seal this day  
& year first  
above written  
David Frazier.  
Received and Compared with the Original March 25th 1823.  
N. Colmery Rec.

---

Forrest, Earle Robert,  
History of Washington County, Pennsylvania  
Chicago: S.J. Clarke Pub. Co., 1926, 2516 pgs.

Vol. 3 pg's 52-57

#### MISS HELEN PATRICIA HOWELL

Miss Helen Patricia Howell, postmistress at West Alexander, is a daughter of David and Mary (Williams) Howell, the latter of whom died in 1900. She was a daughter of George and Rebecca (Higginbotham) Williams. The late David Howell, a veteran of the Civil War and for years postmaster at West Alexander, died at his home in that place, June 5, 1917. He was born May 8, 1827, a member of one of the pioneer families of this region, and was thus in his ninetieth year at the time of his death. When the Civil war came on he enlisted as soldier in behalf of the cause of the Union, was mustered in as a saddler's sergeant and from 1861 until the end of the war in the spring of 1865 was in service, being mustered out as a member of Company B, First West Virginia Cavalry. After his marriage he established his home in West Alexander, was employed at his trade as a saddle, was also a merchant, took an active and helpful part in public affairs, served as a member of the borough council, as burgess and as school commissioner and in 1889, under the Harrison administration, was appointed postmaster of the borough, in which office he continued to serve until his resignation in 1908, when he was succeeded by his daughter, who had been serving as deputy. Reared a whig, David Howell became affiliated with the republican party upon the organization of the latter in 1856 and was thereafter as active worker in the ranks of that party. During the days of the "underground railroad", in the Troublous times preceding the outbreak of the war of the rebellion, he was an active "conductor" on that line and helped on their way to freedom many a fugitive slave. He was an earnest member of the Presbyterian church, as was his wife, and they supported local good works and were highly respected and influential members of the community.

Miss Helen P. Howell was reared at West Alexander and her schooling was finished in the academy there. She early became an assistant to her father in the administration of the affairs of the local postoffice and upon his resignation in 1908 was appointed to succeed him. In the following year

(1909) the West Alexander postoffice was made a third class office and Miss Howell was reappointed postmistress, a position she since (with the exception of the period of the Wilson administration) has occupied and in which she has displayed exceptional administrative effectiveness. Miss Howell's service in the local office has covered the periods of the administrations of Presidents Harrison, McKinley, Roosevelt, Taft, Harding and thus far (1926) that of President Coolidge and she very properly may be regarded as a veteran of the postal service. While the duties of the office are constantly and increasingly exacting, Miss Howell finds time to attend to her civic and social duties, in all of which she is greatly interested, ever having given her helpful attention to general community affairs. She is a member of the Presbyterian church, with which her parents were also identified, the Howells having been Presbyterians from the days of the family's establishment in America; is a member of the Neighborhood Club and has for years been a helpful factor in all community good works. She maintains her residence in the old Howell home in West Alexander that in successive generations of the family has been occupied by Howells since the year 1832.

The Howells of this line in Washington county are of the Scottish stock and are thought to be of the York county family of that name that was established in Pennsylvania in colonial times. The progenitor of the Washington county family was John Howell, a Scot, who with his wife and the children then born to them had come from Glasgow and after a residence in York county, Pennsylvania, had come to this part of the state looking for land and in the latter part of the eighteenth century or the early part of the nineteenth decided on a location here. In 1908 he bought in that part of Donegal township now comprised within West Finley township the farm now owned by John Craig and there resided until his death. This farm later was bought by the grandfather of the present owner, John Craig, for his father, James Craig, and has continued in the Craig possession. The Craigs likely are contemporaneous with the Howells in local settlement, but there seems to have been a general unanimity on the part of those pioneers in ignoring the value of written records in their generation. The settlers of this community were almost wholly of the Gaelic stock, as the little history they left and the tales of the tombs (now far in the process of dilapidation in the old graveyards) disclose. When John Howell, the settler, died is not known, but his dust and that of his consort lie unmarked under the pavement that bounds the old cemetery in the center of the borough of West Alexander, almost opposite the head of the alley that leads to the "commons," also fast growing into a memory.

John Howell left numerous sons and one daughter, Jennie, the latter of whom married John Ruth, widely known in his generation as a stage driverr on the old National road and of whose descendants some still are found here, none, however, on the male side. The records reveal that as early as 1780 Abner Howell, perhaps a brother of John, was commissioned justice of the peace for Amwell township, this county. This (Abner) is a family name and is found in

successive generations of the Howell line. Alexander Howell was another prominent citizen, near the borough of Washington. He died without issue. James, as elder brother, married a sister of the wife of George Howell, father of David Howell and grandfather of Miss Howell, established his home in Wheeling, where he left a numerous progeny. Of the numerous sons of John Howell, the names of James, George, Abner, Alexander and William have been preserved on record. These for the most part were agriculturists who made their homes in Washington county and their descendants in the present generation form a quite numerous family connection.

George Howell, son of John, the settler, and the grandfather of Miss Howell, was born in York, Pennsylvania in the '70s of the eighteenth century and was early apprenticed to the carpenter's trade, a vocation he followed some time after the family settled in this county, a pioneer house builder. He also was for some time engaged in the river trade and in 1811 was on a boat enroute from Pittsburgh to New Orleans which ran into the great earthquake in the lower Ohio vally, which was central at New Madrid. The boat rode the great waves created by this seismic disturbance but Mr. Howell and others of the crew were thrown into the water, from which they were rescued and in time made their way down to New Orleans. Upon his return George Howell enlisted as a soldier during the War of 1812 and with the command to which he was attached took part in the battle of Lundy's Lane. He continued in army service until in 1817, was mustered out at Niagara and with a few of his comrades traversed the Allegheny valley on foot, occasionall using a dugout canoe where the river was navigable. George Howell married Sarah Danley, daughter of David Danley of West Finley township, and had four sons, of whom David was the youngest. The others were Alexander, John and George Howell, Jr. The last named took part in the gold rush to California in 1849 and later settled in the Fairfield neighborhood in Jefferson county, Iowa, the pioneers of which community mainly were Washington county people. Alexander Howell enlisted as a soldier at the outbreak of the Civil war and went to the front as a member of Company A of the celebrated "Roundhead" regiment, composted of Washington county recruits, and died in service at Hilton Head, South Carolina. John Howell died in West Alexander in 1875. As noted above, David Howell married Mary Williams and to that union were born eight children, four sons and four daughters. Of the daughters, Miss Helen P. Howell, the youngest, alone survives, her sisters, Kate M., Clara O., and Bertha M., being deceased. Charles S. Howell, the eldest of the sons, is a resident of Pittsburgh. William S. Howell continues to make his home in West Alexander. Dr. Samuel McK. Howell, the third son, is a practicing physican in Pittsburgh, and Richard R. Howell, the youngest son, also is a resident of Pittsburgh.

---

John Howel purchased from Alexander Gunn 87 acres, 95 perches of property on Nov 18, 1809 for \$410 in Finley twp.

Deed Book, v. 1V, p. 9, Washington County, PA, 1809. This deed also mentions that he was from York County. If you would like, I can send you scans of the photocopy of the deed. John Howel's name is spelled with a single "l" everyplace except for the title where it has two "l's"

John

Alexander Gunn        )

to                        )

John Howell            )

This Indenture made the eighteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and nine between Alexander Gunn of the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania of the one part and John Howel late of York County and State aforesaid of the other part (Witnesseth), that the said Alexander Gunn for the consideration of four hundred and ten dollars to him in hand paid by the said John Howel the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath and hereby doth fully and absolutely grant bargain sell releas covey and confirm unto the said John Howel and his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract or peace of land situate on the ??? of Middle Wheeling Creek and Finley Township and in the County of Washington and State aforesaid and bounded as follows (towit) beginning at post thence south twenty two degrees east two hundred and ten & one half perches to a post south thirty six degrees west forty seven & one half perches to a post north eight degrees east thirty three & three fourth of a perch to a white oak north twenty nine degrees west eighty two perch to a post north sixty eight & one half degree west one hundred & eighteen perches to a dogwood north eight degrees east thirty nine and one half perches to a white oak north forty six degrees east fifty eight perches to a post north seventy and one half degrees east sixty two and one half perches to the beginning containing eighty seven acres and ninety five perches strict measure which said tract of land hereby convoid is part of the same tract of land that was survey in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Robison the first day of February in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty five whos right to the same by virtue of by virtue of sundry conveyances became vested in the said Alexander Gunn in trust nevertheless for himself and the heirs of Marques Gunn decd their heirs and assigns forever and was granted a patent to said Gunn from the Commonwealth aforesaid on the thirtieth day of December one thousand eight hundred and eight and inrolled in the Role Office in patent book No 68 page 450 To have and To hold the before described a lot or piece of land hereditaments & premises hereby granted and all & every part thereof with appurtenances to the said John Howel his heirs and assigns forever And the said Alexander Gunn do warrant and defend the said lot of land unto to the said John Howel his heirs and

assigns against him the said Alexander Gunn and against his heirs and assigns and every other person or persons claiming the same In Testimony the said Alexander Gunn has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written

Alexander Gunn (seal)

Witness present Robt Stevenson William Gunn Received the day of the date of the above indenture four hundred & ten dollars being the full consideration money above mentioned

Witness present

Alexander Gunn

Washington County ss Be it remembered that on the eighteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and nine personally came before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for the county aforesaid Alexander Gunn and acknowledgis they within to be his act and deed and desires that the same may be entered on record as such Given under my hand the day and date above written Robert Stevenson

Recorded and compared with original, and the 21st day of May, Anno Domini, 1810.

Isaac Kerr Recorder

More About John\* Howell/Howel:

Burial: West Alexander, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Nationality: Scottish

Notes (Facts Pg): Executors of his will (Alexander Howel & John Ruth) sold his land in 1828 to John Danley.

Resided in.. 1: 1790, Fawn Twp., York Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1810, Finley Twp. census records

More About Eleanor\*:

Burial: West Alexander, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Children of John\* Howell/Howel and Eleanor\* are:

- i. Alexander Howell
- ii. Daniel Howell, died in Bef. Nov. 1816.
- iii. Jane "Jennie" Howell, born Abt. 1773; married John Ruth.

Notes for John Ruth:

Strabane Twp., Washington Co., 1810 Census

John Ruth:

2 males under 10

1 male 16-25

1 male 26-44

2 females under 10

1 female 26-44

More About John Ruth:  
Occupation: Stage Driver on the old National Road (Pennsylvania)

- iv. James Howell, born Bet. 1780 - 1790; married Jane Danley; born Bet. 1790 - 1800.

Notes for James Howell:  
James Howell - 1820 Donegal Twp., Washington Co., Census:  
3 males under 10  
1 male 26-45  
2 females under 10  
1 female 26-45  
1 male slave under 14.

James Howell - 1830 Wheeling, Ohio Co., Virginia Census  
1 male under 5  
1 male 5-under 10  
1 male 10-under 15  
1 male 15-under 20  
1 male 40-under 50  
2 females under 5  
1 female 30-under 40

More About James Howell:  
Resided in..: Wheeling, W. Virginia

- 24 v. William\* Howell, born Abt. 1785 in Maryland; died October 11, 1854 in E. Finlay Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Margaret\* Ashbrook January 18, 1810 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.
- vi. George Howell, born Bet. 1783 - 1788 in Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS*, Donegal Twp., Head of House is son David Howell. George listed as 62 years old., (2) *1860 WASHINGTON CO. PA CENSUS*, Donegal Twp., 77 yrs. old.); died Aft. 1870 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Sarah Danley; born Bet. 1795 - 1805 in Pennsylvania (Source: (1) *1850 WASHINGTON CO, PA CENSUS*, Donegal Twp., 45 yrs. old., (2) *1860 WASHINGTON CO. PA CENSUS*, Donegal Twp., 65 years old.); died Aft. 1870 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for George Howell:  
1850 Census son David Howel listed as Head of household.

-----  
War of 1812  
Bounty Land Grants in the Illinois Military Tract  
(Names of each of the soldiers to whom patents were issued for land lying in the military bounty land district in the State of Illinois, for services in the late war; the description of the tract of land granted to each, with the date of the patent; the company and regiment in which they severally served, and by whom each patent was received.)

Source:  
House Document No. 262, (Lands in Illinois To Soldiers of Late War), 26th Congress, 1st Session (1840).

Howell, George  
(p. 203) Private, Steele's 2d Infantry 14552 13 May 1818  
NW4 S12 T2N R6W George Howell, Taylorstown, Pa. 29 May 1818

More About George Howell:  
Date born 2: Abt. 1790, Pennsylvania (Source: Army Discharge Papers, In 1817 he was 27

years old.)

Military: Bet. August 1812 - August 1817, Army, Infantry Regiment of Captain George G. Steelz.

Resided in.: 1870, Donegal Twp., with his son David's family. David was listed as head of household.

50. Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook(Source: The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.), born June 06, 1766 in Bethel Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.); died June 16, 1848 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.). He was the son of 100. Simon Eschbach, (Ashbrook/Ashbaugh) and 101. Eva Kautzmann. He married 51. Mary\* Fennell Abt. 1785.

51. Mary\* Fennell, born September 09, 1768 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.); died October 11, 1855 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:

Died 2: August 18, 1845, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Frances Howell.)

Died 3: June 17, 1848, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Burial: E. Buffalo Presbyterian Cemetery

Notes (Facts Pg): 1820, Census for Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pa. name was spelled Simon Ashbaugh.

Religion: Baptist

More About Mary\* Fennell:

Burial: E. Buffalo Presbyterian Cemetery

Resided in.: 1850, With son Absalom & Elizabeth Ashbrook Family.

More About Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook and Mary\* Fennell:

Marriage: Abt. 1785

Children of Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook and Mary\* Fennell are:

- 25 i. Margaret\* Ashbrook, born Abt. 1786 in Pennsylvania; died 1884 in her 98th year. E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married William\* Howell January 18, 1810 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. Mary Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born Abt. 1788; married ? Sheeley.
- iii. John Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born Abt. 1791; died 1875 in in his 84th yr. (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 307.); married <Unnamed> 1820 in Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for John Ashbrook:

1850 census for Carroll Co., Ohio there is a John Ashbrook, age 60 born in PA. he is a Blacksmith, and his wife is Catherine, age 54 born in PA. He has a son William age 22, born in Ohio, daughter Eva age 15 born in Ohio, and son John age 12 born in Ohio.

More About John Ashbrook and <Unnamed>:

Marriage: 1820, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- iv. Simon Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born 1793; married (1) Amey Sutherland November 15, 1814 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Bonnie Malmat, *"Through the Window of the Past" Abstracts of the Washington Reporter (Aug. 1, 1814 - Dec. 30, 1816,* (Closson Press; Apollo, PA; copyrighted (Sept. 1993)), 24.); married (2) Naomi or Emma Shearer, (Sherah) Abt. 1817; born 1797.

Notes for Simon Ashbrook:

Absalom Ashbrook, p. 1430

ABSALOM ASHBROOK. Simeon Ashbrook, the second in his father's family, in the order of their birth, was a blacksmith by trade, and during twelve years of his life lived in Augusta township, Carroll Co., Ohio, where he worked at his trade. Before removing thither he married Emma Sherah, of Buffalo township, Washington Co., Penn. Returning to Pennsylvania, he spent the remainder of his life in Washington county. To Mr. and Mrs. Ashbrook six children were born: Mary, Absalom, Ann, Margaret, Nancy and Amy, of whom only two are living, Amy (widow of John Wolfe) and Absalom (who was born November 26, 1818).

Absalom Ashbrook's opportunities for obtaining an education were very limited. He learned the blacksmith's trade with his father, whom he assisted in the shop at an almost incredibly early age. He followed the trade until 1879, since which time he has given his attention to managing his farm work. In 1844 he married Sabina Elliot, who was born May 24, 1828, a daughter of William Elliot, of Morris township, and to their union came the following children: Simeon, born April 4, 1846, died in 1883; Jemima, born June 30, 1847, died when quite young; William, born October 3, 1848 (he was twice married first to Ella Weir, and, after her death, to Ella Day); Amy, born August 1, 1850, married Will Stallar, of West Finley township; Nancy Ann, born March 1, 1852, married James Stallar, of East Finley township; Jackson, born October 31, 1853, married Lizzie Loafman, and now resides in Burnsville; Mary Margaret, born May 8, 1855, died in 1880; Alexander, born October 1, 1856, is a carpenter by trade, and resides with his father; Abraham, born March 26, 1858, resides with his father, and assists in the farm work; Absalom, born January 13, 1861, married Lizzie McClellan, of East Finley township, and resides in that township; John N., born January 18, 1863, died at the age of two years; Robert E. Lee, born March 13, 1865, is a prominent physician of Wheeling, W. Va., and Sabina, born July 16, 1871, resides at home. Mr. Ashbrook is a Democrat in politics, and both he and his wife are members of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Text taken from page 1430 of:

Beers, J. H. and Co., Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893).

Transcribed January 1997 by Neil and Marilyn Morton of Oswego, IL as part of the Beers Project.

Published January 1997 on the Washington County, PA USGenWeb pages at <http://www.chartiers.com/>.

More About Simon Ashbrook:

Name 2: Simeon Ashbrook (Source: *Daughter Naomi's Obituary.*)

More About Simon Ashbrook and Naomi Shearer:

Marriage: Abt. 1817

- v. Jacob Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born December 1795; died July 14, 1796 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Jacob Ashbrook:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- vi. Solomon Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born October 26, 1798 in Pennsylvania; died February 02, 1890 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Rebecca Mustard November 13, 1820 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1805 in Pennsylvania (Source: *1850 Census Records.*); died April 04, 1869 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Solomon Ashbrook:

1880 Census

William N. HITCHCOCK Self M Male W 48 PA Blacksmith PA PA  
Margaret HITCHCOCK Wife M Female W 55 PA PA PA  
John MCDONALD Nephew S Male W 13 PA PA PA  
Solomon ASHBROOK FatherL W Male W 82 PA Farmer --- ---

Source Information:

Census Place Richhill, Greene, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255133  
NA Film Number T9-1133  
Page Number 357C

More About Solomon Ashbrook:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1850 - 1860, Richhill Twp., Green Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 2: 1880, Richhill Twp., Greene Co., Pennsylvania with son-in-law William Hitchcock.

More About Rebecca Mustard:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Solomon Ashbrook and Rebecca Mustard:

Marriage: November 13, 1820, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- vii. Nancy Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born June 11, 1800 in Pennsylvania; died March 29, 1889 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Isaac Huston April 02, 1817 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Abstracts of the Washington Reporter, Jan. 1, 1817 to Feb. 6, 1820, 17.*); born 1795 in Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died November 09, 1862 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Nancy Ashbrook:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in..: Bet. 1870 - 1880, With son Abraham

More About Isaac Huston:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Occupation 1: 1850, Brick Layer  
Occupation 2: 1860, Bricklayer  
Resided in.. 1: 1817, Canton Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 2: Taylorstown, Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 3: Bet. 1830 - 1860, Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Marriage Notes for Nancy Ashbrook and Isaac Huston:

Washington Reporter - Monday, Apr. 6, 1817

On Thursday last, by John McMillen, esq. Mr. Isaac HUSTON, of Canton township, to Miss Nancy ASHBAUGH, of Buffalo township.

More About Isaac Huston and Nancy Ashbrook:

Marriage: April 02, 1817, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Abstracts of the*

*Washington Reporter, Jan.1, 1817 to Feb. 6, 1820, 17.)*

Married By: John McMillen, esq.

- viii. William Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born 1802 in E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died 1887 in his 85th yr. (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 307.); married Sarah Abt. 1827; born 1807 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1880.

Notes for William Ashbrook:

1880 Census

William ASHBROOK Self M Male W 78 PA Stone Mason PA PA

Sarah ASHBROOK Wife M Female W 74 PA --- ---

James PARKINSON GSon S Male W 26 PA Farmer PA PA

Margaret PARKINSON GDau S Female W 18 PA PA PA

Sarah ASHBROOK GDau S Female W 9 PA PA PA

Edward L. ASHBROOK GSon S Male W 11 PA PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place Richhill, Greene, Pennsylvania

Family History Library Film 1255133

NA Film Number T9-1133

Page Number 348B

More About William Ashbrook:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1880, 3 grandchildren were living with him; Margaret 18, Sarah 9, and Edward 11

Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1870 - 1880, Richhill Twp., Green Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1860, E. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About William Ashbrook and Sarah:

Marriage: Abt. 1827

- ix. Abraham Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born 1805; died March 28, 1845 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Nancy Lane 1828; born August 02, 1807 in Pennsylvania; died January 08, 1887 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Abraham Ashbrook:

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Nancy Lane:

Date born 2: Abt. 1800, Washington Co., Buffalo Twp., 1850 Census Records

Burial: E. Buffalo Cemetery, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Abraham Ashbrook and Nancy Lane:

Marriage: 1828

- x. Absolom Baird Ashbrook (Source: *The Raymond M. Bell Anthology.*), born January 03, 1808 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died June 07, 1894 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Elizabeth Braddock May 01, 1834 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Dr. James B. Whisker, *Washington Co., Pennsylvania Marriages 1780-1857*, (Closson Press; Apollo, PA; copyrighted (1987); 2nd printing 1993).); born May 15, 1813 in Franklin Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.); died September 05, 1886 in Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.).

Notes for Absolom Baird Ashbrook:

1880 Census

Absolom ASHBROOK Self M Male W 72 PA Road Supervisor PA PA  
Elizabeth ASHBROOK Wife M Female W 67 PA Keeping House PA PA  
Abraham ASHBROOK Son S Male W 33 PA Farmer PA PA  
John ASHBROOK GSon S Male W 7 PA PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place Buffalo, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255201  
NA Film Number T9-1201  
Page Number 36B

More About Absolom Baird Ashbrook:

Date born 2: June 03, 1808, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.)  
Died 2: June 06, 1894, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: John Newton Boucher, *A Century and A Half Of Pittsburg & Her People*, (New York: Lewis Pub. Co., 1908), 454.)  
Resided in.: Bet. 1850 - 1870, Buffalo Twp, Washington Co., Pa., 1850 Census.

More About Absolom Ashbrook and Elizabeth Braddock:

Marriage: May 01, 1834, Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Dr. James B. Whisker, *Washington Co., Pennsylvania Marriages 1780-1857*, (Closson Press; Apollo, PA; copyrighted (1987); 2nd printing 1993).)  
Notes (Marriage Pg): Entry says Groom was of Pittsburgh.

60. Henry Hartsock, (Hertzog/Herzog), born Abt. 1749 in Kehl, Baden, Germany; died January 28, 1812 in E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 120. Conradt Hertzog He married 61. Susannah Abt. 1780 in Probably, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

61. Susannah (Source: Williams surname per John Hartsock's Chart, information supplied by Twyla.), born Abt. 1755; died December 15, 1838 in E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Henry Hartsock, (Hertzog/Herzog):

Served in the 3rd Company, 5th Battalion, Washington Co., Militia. Under Capt. Ezekiel Rose. (1775)

---

In the year 1782 Henry Hartsock was put in the Militia, Lt. Harned's Company, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

---

Pennsylvania Archives - Third Series - General Index, Vol. XXVI, Page 564: In Washington County, 1784-1892; Warrantees of land - 70 acres.

---

1783 Tax list for Henry Hartzock 30 acres; Conrod Hartzock 40 acres

---

A Duplicate of the State Taxes for the Year 1786

s=single | SF= Single Freemen  
Bethlehem Township

Harsock, Daniel SF  
Hartsock, Catharine  
Hartsock, Coonrad

Hartsock, Henry

---

1790 Washington Co., Census:

Henry Harsock - 1 free white male of 16 and over; 3 free white males under 16; 3 free white females.

---

REGISTER OF WILLS OFFICE - Washington County, Pa.

Will Book 2, page 340:

Will of Henry Harzog, deceased:

---

In the name of God, Amen, I, Henry Heartsock, of East Bethlehem Township, Washington County, and State of Pennsylvania, farmer, being sick and weak in body but of sound perfect mind and memory, but calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, I do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, That is to say principally and first of all, I recommend my soul to God who gave it, and my body to the earth to be buried in decent manner at the discretion of my wife and children and as touching such wordly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give and devise and dispose of in the following manner and form vight, Item, I give and bequeth to my beloved wife, Susannah Heartsock, all my estate real and personal as long as she does live my widow, but if she should marry then everything must be sold and divided equally amongst all my children, only her bed and pewter and spinning wheel these articles she must have of my estate besides her one-third of all the other property, my daughter, Ann, and son David Heartsock each of them is to have a horse creature a piece as all the rest of my children has got, but if they should not get any then they must have 55 dollars each of them out of my estate more than any of the rest of my children. And I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke, and disannul all and every other former testaments, wills, and bequests by me in any wise, before named, willed and bequeathed testifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of January in the year of our Lord 1812.

HENRY HERZOG (Seal)

Signed, sealed, pronounced and declared by the s' Henry heartock as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names:

JON. HILL

WM. HAWKINS

---

WASHINGTON CO. SS:

Be it remembered that on the 5th day of February in the year of our Lord 1812, before me, Isaac Kerr, Register for the probate of Wills and granting Letters of Administration, in and for the said county, came John Hill and Willian Hawkins, the

subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and Testament of Henry Harzog, late of the county aforesaid, deceased, the said John being duly affirmed, and the said William sworn as the law directs, depose and say, that they were personally present, and did see the Testator therein named, sign this Will, and did hear him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing, he was, to the best of their apprehensions, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that they respectively subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in the presence, and at the request of the Testator, and in the presence of each other.

JOHN HILL

WILLIAM HAWKINS

Sworn and affirmed and subscribed before me, Isaac Kerr, Register.

---

Orphans Court Docket shows:

Hartzog, Heartsock, or

Hertzok Henry Book 2 pg 340

Susanna "

Ann "

David "

Daniel "

John "

Catherine "

Elizabeth "

340. HENRY HEARTSOCK. Jan. 18 1812

East Bethlehem Twp. Filed Feb. 25 1812

Wife -- Susanna.

Children: Ann, David, Daniel, John, Henry, Catherine, wife of William Dawson, Susanna, Elizabeth.

Letters granted to Zephaniah Beall Jr.

No Account.

Handwritten note: Renunciation by widow Susannah on Feb. 21 - 1812.

---

Orphans Court Docket B-314:

HENRY HARZOG Estate.

Sephaniah Beall, admr. c.t.a.

Account. (receipts)

Widow, Susannah. Children: Daniel, John, Henry, Catherine, wife of William Dawson, Susanna, Elisabeth, Ann, wife of Thomas J. Jones, and David.

( See 42-H-1813)

---

RENUNCIATION OF WIDOW AND CHILDREN:

Isaac Kerr, Esqr., Register of Washington County. Sir:

You will please grant letters of Administration to Zephaniah Beall, Esqr. on the

estate of Henry Hardsock deceased, as we do relinquish all right that we might have in the administration in the premises aforesaid given under our hands this 21st day of February 1812.

SUSANNAH (her 'X' mark) HARDSOCK  
DANIEL HARDSOCK  
JOHN (his 'X' mark) HARDSOCK  
HENRY HARDSOCK  
WILLIAM DAWSON  
CATHERINE (her 'X' mark) DAWSON  
SUSANNAH (her 'X' mark) HARDSOCK, Junr.  
ELIZABETH (her 'X' mark) HARDSOCK

Witnesses: Henry Wise, William Bobitt, David Hardsock. Feb. 25, 1812.

---

More About Henry Hartsock, (Hertzog/Herzog):

Name 2: Henry Hertzog

Burial: His Farm, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Susannah:

Burial: Farm, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Notes (Facts Pg): Twyla sent a family chart made by John Hartsock that shows Susannah's surname as Williams.

Resided in..: 1830, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Henry Hartsock and Susannah:

Marriage: Abt. 1780, Probably, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Children of Henry Hartsock and Susannah are:

- i. John Hartsock, born Abt. 1780 in Pennsylvania; died August 1867; married Milly Nelson; born Abt. 1784.

More About John Hartsock:

Resided in.. 1: 1850, Washington Twp., Johnson Co., Iowa

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1810 - 1820, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- ii. Daniel Hartsock, (Hardsock), born Abt. 1781 in Pennsylvania; married Susanna; born Bet. 1780 - 1785; died Bef. 1840 in Harrison Co., Ohio.

More About Daniel Hartsock, (Hardsock):

Resided in.. 1: 1810, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1820, Green Twp., Harrison Co., Ohio

Resided in.. 3: 1830, German Twp., Harrison Co., Ohio - list with 1 m. 15-20; 1m. 20-30; 1m. 40-50; 1f. 15-20; 1f 20-30; 1f. 50-60.

Resided in.. 4: 1840, German Twp., Harrison Co., Ohio - No children or wife listed.

- iii. Henry Hartsock, Jr., born June 14, 1786 in E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died April 07, 1837 in Green Co., Illinois; married Amy Cox Abt. 1803 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born March 16, 1787 in Green Co., Pennsylvania; died January 20, 1868 in Keokuk Co., Iowa.

More About Henry Hartsock, Jr.:  
Resided in.: Bet. 1810 - 1820, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

Notes for Amy Cox:  
Johnson County, Iowa Wpa Grave Registrations  
Page: 116  
Name: Amy Hartsock  
Death Date: 20 Jan 1868  
Age: 90y 10m 4das  
Cemetery: Oakland  
Town: Iowa City  
Comment: F; FM; 25-4

More About Amy Cox:  
Burial: Oakland Cemetery, Iowa City, Iowa

More About Henry Hartsock and Amy Cox:  
Marriage: Abt. 1803, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- iv. Catherine Hartsock, born Abt. 1788 in Pennsylvania; married William Dawson Bef. 1810; born Bef. 1784.

Notes for William Dawson:  
James M. Dawson, p. 1129  
JAMES M. DAWSON The family of which this gentleman is a prominent member has for many yers been closely identified with the interest and progress of Union township, the grandfather (James) having settled here in an early day. The latter was born in Ireland, and on arriving in America came to Pensylvania. He located on a farm near Pigeon Creek church, in Washington county, where the following children were born to him: John, Mary, Thomas, Matthew, James, Sarah, Jane, Margaret, Elizabeth, Catherine, and William. William Dawson, youngest child of James Dawson, the pioneer, was born October 4, 1800, in the old cabin on Pigeon creek, Washington county, Penn., and his youth was passed amid the hardships and dangers inseparable from the life of a frontiersman. In 1835 he married Martha Kennedy, a native of Mingo, Washington county. After their marriage the young people resided on Pigeon creek until 1847, when they settled on a tract of seventy-five acres in Union township, same county. William Dawson pased away September 1, 1887, having been preceded by his wife, who died June 30, 1883, leaving three children, viz.: Mary J., James M. and Martha A., all of whom are living on the home place.

Text taken from page 1129 of:  
Beers, J. H. and Co., Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County,  
Pennsylvania (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893).  
Transcribed January 1997 by Bobbi Steele of Indianapolis, IN as part of the Beers Project.

---

1830 W. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., PA.

William Dawson:

Males:				Females:			
5-10	10-15	20-30	40-50	V 5	5-10	10-15	40-50
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

---

More About William Dawson:  
Resided in.: 1810, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About William Dawson and Catherine Hartsock:

Marriage: Bef. 1810

- v. Susannah Hartsock II, born Bet. 1789 - 1790 in Pennsylvania; died Bet. 1861 - 1870 in Greene Co., Pennsylvania; married Benjamin Benit/Bennett in Pennsylvania; born Bet. 1794 - 1795 in Maryland; died Aft. 1870.

More About Benjamin Benit/Bennett:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1870, Census: Benjamin age 77, Susan age 39, and Catherine Loar age 25.

Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1810 - 1840, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania - Surname was Bennett

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1850 - 1870, Morgan Twp., Greene Co., Pennsylvania

More About Benjamin Benit/Bennett and Susannah Hartsock:

Marriage: Pennsylvania

- vi. Elizabeth Hartsock, born May 27, 1794 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died March 19, 1876 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Jacob Cox; born March 16, 1792 in Green Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Larry Cox.*); died August 02, 1859 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Larry Cox.*).

More About Elizabeth Hartsock:

Burial: Hartsock Family Farm with her parents

Resided in..: Bet. 1860 - 1870, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Jacob Cox:

Burial: Hartsock Family Farm

Occupation: 1850, Farmer

Resided in..: 1850, E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- vii. Jacob Hartsock, born Abt. 1795.
- viii. Ann Hartsock, born Abt. 1796; married Thomas J. Jones.
- 30 ix. David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock), born 1798 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1880 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Mary \* Sook/Zook January 10, 1819 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

62. Jacob\* Sook, Jr. (Zook/Zug)(Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.), born 1757; died December 07, 1832 in Somerset Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 124. Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug)and 125. Anna Margaretha\* Raub. He married 63. Mary\*.

63. Mary\*, died 1810.

Notes for Jacob\* Sook, Jr. (Zook/Zug):

[Quoted from Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook; Author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Jacob was born during the time that the family name was missing from the records of Northampton Co., PA. He was 11 yrs. of age in 1768 when his parents finally left Forks Twp. Nothing could be learned concerning his whereabouts during the next decade. His refusal to serve in the Revolution as a Maryland Associator may have been for religious reason, although his name was not among those in the Brethren community who were similarly cited in Frederick Co. Jacob's parents were onetime members of the Lutheran Church, but his brother Solomon was a member of the Pigeon Creek German Baptist Church after the family moved to Washington Co., Pa.

The Rev. War found Jacob Sook, Jr. in the Elizabethtown District of Frederick (now Washington Co.) Co., MD. The village of Elizabethtown became Hagerstown after 1814. Jacob was summoned before the Committee of Observation on 7 May 1776 to "shew Cause why they do not enroll and associate", according to the Resolutions of the Provincial Convention held at Annapolis on 26 July 1775. Jacob paid a £5 fine for his refusal to serve. The 1776 census of this district included the Myers and Friend, but not the Krämer and Stephens, families, all of whom intermarried with the Sook daughters and soon migrated to Washington Co., PA.

Jacob was forty-seven when his father died. During the next 28 yrs., until his death in 1832, he tried unsuccessfully to complete the payments to his sisters according to his father's will for their shares of the farm. Portions of the land were sold from time to time, and finally in 1831, Jacob entered into an agreement with Charles Farquhar to sell 134 acres for \$1500, to be paid in installments to satisfy the other legatees. The land was originally in Fallowfield twp., but is now in Somerset twp. about a mile north of Interstate 70 on SR 917 at the site of the old Farquhar School, now a modern residence.

The names of six children in this family were obtained in 1884 by Michael Zug who unfortunately believed that Jacob was the son of immigrant Christian Zug. The order of births for the entire family and the names of the daughters' spouses were obtained from an 1833 petition by Andrew Sook to the Orphans Court for the partition of the farm not yet transferred to Farquhar. Records from a family Bible would be helpful. Jacob's Bible was sold at the vendue for \$4.03 to Daniel Long.

---

[Notes of Harry D. Zook, author of Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy]

The order/sex of children was 1st determined from the various censuses, and is supported by known birth dates for Jacob and Andrew, and by marriage dates for the girls. All children and some spouses were mentioned in the settlement of Jacob Sook, Jr. & Sr., estates. Signatures of Jacob and his sons on deeds and receipts were spelled Sook.

11 Apr 1786, Julia Friend is bound to Jacob Suck for 11 yrs, 8 mo (Wash. Co., MD)

10 Mar 1810, Jacob Sook & Mary sold 30 1/2A of father's 186A to Philip Beyers

8 Sep 1829, Jacob Sook sold 5A of same 186A to Philip Buyers

1 Nov 1830, Agreement between Jacob Sook and Chas Farquer. Jacob sold for \$1500 134A of above to \_\_\_\_\_ satisfy father's will respecting other legatees. To make clear title before last payments \_\_\_\_\_ came due, Jacob was to give deed 1 Apr 1834.

26 Apr 1831, Jacob bought four lots from Philip Byers and wife Magdalene, two of which were the 1810 \_\_\_\_\_ and 1829 purchases. The third was obtained 7 Apr. 1823 from Elizabeth (Zook?) Meyers, \_\_\_\_\_ and the fourth on 10 Aug 1830 from Andrew Long.

24 Oct 1832, Jacob Sook sold 17A of above 186A to John Myers, adj. lands of said Sook and widow \_\_\_\_\_ Myers

27 Dec 1832, Jacob Sook vendue list: Bible, \$4.03 bought by Daniel Long

Children of Jacob\* Sook and Mary\* are:

- i. Peter Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), born 1790; married (1) Mahala Matthews August 08, 1811 in Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Early Washington Co., Marriages*, LDS Micofilm.); died Bef. 1849; married (2) Diana (Diademia) Hand November 16, 1849 in Athens, Ohio.

Notes for Peter Sook/Zook:

Peter Sook/Zook children have not been proven, and so I will list the assumed children here that are listed in the *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*. These are based on censuses records of several localities both in Washington Co., Pa. & Brooke Co., Va. At this time they are assuming Peter may have had 7 sons and 1 daughter.

1810-15 Jacob B. Zook, b. ca 1812  
1810-15 James Zook, b. ca 1814  
1815-20 Dau.  
1815-20 Barnett or Bernard Zook, b. ca 1819  
1820-25 John Sook  
1820-25 Josiah Zook, b.ca 1823  
1825-30 Alexander Campbell Zook, b. ca 1825  
1825-30 Benjamin Zook, b ca 1830

---

[Quoted from *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Peter Zook was married at least twice. When and how Peter made his way down the Ohio to Meigs and Athens Co.'s and married the widow Diademia (Hand) Jones Eastman Fish is surely a story never recorded and long forgotten. The widow Jones had arrived in 1814 from Wales and had purchased more than 500 acres of land in Bedford Twp., near Burlington. The original frame homestead is still in the Jones family after about 170 yrs. Diademia married 3 times in America, first to Samuel Eastman, who died shortly after their marriage, then in Aug. 1820 to Nathaniel Fish, and finally in 1849 to Peter Zook. Peter's son Alexander Campbell Zook was married a year earlier to Mary Jane Ellman. Jones family legend incorrectly holds that Diademia married the young Alexander, rather than his father Peter. Diademia died at age 93 and is buried in the Southern Baptist Church Cemetery near Burlington, but none of her husbands is buried near her, and Peter's grave had not been found.

---

More About Peter Sook/Zook and Mahala Matthews:

Marriage: August 08, 1811, Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Early Washington Co., Marriages*, LDS Micofilm.)

- ii. Jacob Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*, 133, P152.), born October 16, 1791 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died March 20, 1870 in Mill Rock, Jackson Co., Iowa; married (1) Sarah Moore September 12, 1811 in Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born 1793 in Probably Washington Co., Pennsylvania; died September 15, 1844 in Carroll Co., Indiana; married (2) Mary Zook December 21, 1852 in Carroll Co., Indiana; born November 11, 1808; died November 01, 1874.

Notes for Jacob Sook/Zook:

[Quoted from *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Jacob Zook, born in Washington Co., PA., and Sarah Moore, likely a daughter of one of the many Moore families in that county, were married about 1811, reportedly in Ohio. Their 1st residence has not been located. In 1822, Jacob purchased 20 acres in the SE quarter of Sec. 15, twp 5, range 3 east in Preble Co., Ohio. He signed his name Jacob Zook, and Sarah made her mark when they sold this land in Sept. 1828 for \$100 to John Michael. The family then moved to Carroll County, Indiana, where most of the children were married, beginning with Jemima in 1831, and where Sarah died in 1844. Joacob and his 2nd wife, Mary Zook, widow of Jacob Snowberger, later moved to Jackson Co., Iowa. Most information on this family was obtained in 1866 by Michael Zug from two of the children, Jacob Zook and Diana (Zook) Martin. The latter remembered her father telling of his immigrant grandfather "leaving the old country on account of religious persecution". The family knew of no relationship between Jacob and his secon wife. If, indeed, immigrants Ulrich and Peter were brothers, the couple would have been 3rd. cousins.

More About Jacob Sook/Zook and Sarah Moore:

Marriage: September 12, 1811, Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- iii. David Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), born Aft. 1792; died Bef. 1835; married Mary; born November 21, 1790; died March 23, 1865.

Notes for David Sook/Zook:

[Quoted from Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

David farmed a portion of his father's land in Somerset twp., Washington Co., PA. His untimely death occurred prior to May 1835, when his wife Mary was given David's \$46.57 share of his father's estate. The money was invested in Lot 176 in the new town of Columbia on the Monongahela River (now part of Donora, PA.). Polly Zook and Solomon Zook were issued the deed in 1838, and the property apparently passed to the young solomon, for he and wife Sarah sold it 18 yrs later to Elizabeth Ann Lenox of Washington, PA.

David and Polly likely had two daughters born 1815-1820 and two sons born 1820-1825 (census analysis). One son may have been the Cyrus Zook, aged 20-30, who lived in the borough of Monongahela in 1840. No trace of him has been found in subsequent years. It is tempting to add to this family the David Zook, aged 17 in 1850, a blacksmith in somerset Twp. A decade later, he lived with David's widow Mary in Cumberland Twp., Greene Co., PA. He likely was the David G. Zook who served in Co. B, of the 22nd PA. Cavalry. If so, his discharge after the war occurred only 10 days before his mother's death.

Solomon and Sarah lived in Greene Co., 1st in Cumberland Twp (1850), and later in Jefferson Twp, wher, in 1864, Solomon leased abt. 10 acres of his land at the mouth of Laurel Run on Ten Mile Creek "for the purpose of boring or digging for petroleum, coal oil, salt, or other valuable substances." Solomon, his mother, and 1st wife Sarah are buried in the Baptist Cemetery in Jefferson Twp.

From 1870 until his death in 1889, solomon lived at California, PA. Here he bought and sold several houses and lots in the borough and was listed as a grocer in an 1882 directory. The deeds in the late 1870s involved a second wife Lydia to whom he willed a lifetime interest in his estate.

- iv. Elisabeth Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), born Bef. 1796; married John Byers, (Biers) January 24, 1815 in Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About John Byers and Elisabeth Sook/Zook:

Marriage: January 24, 1815, Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- 31 v. Mary \* Sook/Zook, born 1797 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1880 in W. Finley Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married David\* Hartsock, (Hardsock) January 10, 1819 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.
- vi. Andrew Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*, 137.), born May 27, 1799; died March 08, 1851 in Petersburg, Mahoning Co., Ohio; married Mary A.

Miller January 30, 1820 in Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1799.

Notes for Andrew Sook/Zook:

[Quoted from *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Although his signature later was Andrew Zook, he signed Sook on 15 Feb. 1834 when he submitted a \$56 bill to his father's estate for "eleven bushels of corn meal, feeding the cow, services rendered to the decedent in his lifetime, board, lodging and care of the decedent from 10 Oct. 1831 to 7 Dec. 1832." When his petition to divide his father's farm was rejected in 1833, he completed an earlier agreement to sell the homestead to Charles Farquhar, then purchased small parcels of in Fallow field Twp. from 1839 to 1841. These lands were sold later in 1841 by Andrew and wife Mary for 15 times their cost. Perhaps coal was discovered on the property. In 1846, an Andrew Zook bought land in Holliday's Cove, Brooke Co., VA. Andrew gave his occupation as carpenter in 1850, when we find him with wife Mary and two of his daughters in Springfield Twp., Mahoning Co., OH. He died intestate in Mar. 1851 at this location, leaving a minor child, Mary Ann Zook. Although his assets of \$275 failed to cover debts of \$314, the appraisers "set off" twelve bushels of wheat, 120 lbs. of bacon, and ten dollars in cash for the support of Mary Ann, and further "set off to her without appraising the same, as directed by statue, one bed and bedding, one Family Bible, and her wearing apparel."

More About Andrew Sook/Zook and Mary Miller:

Marriage: January 30, 1820, Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

- vii. Solomon Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*.), born 1800; died Bef. 1886; married (1) Elizabeth; born Abt. 1801; married (2) Miriah Jones ?.

Notes for Solomon Sook/Zook:

[Quoted from *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Perhaps the earliest record of Solomon Sook in Washington Co., is found in the estate papers of John Meyers whose widow Elizabeth Zug was still living in 1822. Solomon received \$2.10 for 5 days labor "pulling corn, holing fatter, cribing corn, reping, and threshing buckwheat." He signed Solomon Sook on receipts in 1834 and 1840 for a \$43.40 share of his father's estate. On 20 Feb. 1842, according to the records of the Pigeon Creek Baptist Church, " Bro Solomon Sook ap lied for a letter of dismission and was granted." Solomon and wife Elizabeth were found in 1850 in the 9th District of Carroll Co., Indiana. Sons George & William, however, were born in Ohio. Two gaps in the birth years of the children suggest that the family may not be complete.

- viii. Sarah "Sallie" Sook/Zook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*.), born June 22, 1803 in Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 488.); died November 24, 1882 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 488.); married Hiram Robison in Pennsylvania; born August 19, 1804 in Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 488.); died September 23, 1890 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 488.).

Notes for Hiram Robison:

1880 Census

Hiram ROBISON Self M Male W 75 PA Farms IRE IRE  
Sarah ROBISON Wife M Female W 76 PA Keep House PA PA

Source Information:

Census Place Fallowfield, Washington, Pennsylvania  
Family History Library Film 1255201  
NA Film Number T9-1201  
Page Number 248D

More About Hiram Robison:

Notes (Facts Pg): 1860, Hannah & John M. are the only children left at home.  
Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1830 - 1860, Pike Run Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.. 2: 1870, Fallowfield Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About Hiram Robison and Sarah Sook/Zook:

Marriage: Pennsylvania

*Generation No. 7*

84. George\* Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.), died 1790 in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania. He married 85. Catherine\*.

85. Catherine\*, died in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.

Children of George\* Troxell and Catherine\* are:

- 42
- i. John\* Troxell, born December 28, 1770; died Bef. October 24, 1815 in Beaver Dam Twp., Pennsylvania; married Christina\* Aurand.
  - ii. Abraham Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*), born February 02, 1772; died September 01, 1853 in Chillisquaque Twp., Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; married Mary Yentzer; born November 20, 1774 in Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., Pennsylvania; died August 02, 1847 in Chillisquaque Twp., Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania.
  - iii. Margaret Troxell, born September 24, 1774; died March 18, 1871 in Willington, Will Co., Illinois; married Andrew Ensworth; born June 13, 1771; died Abt. March 06, 1822 in Circleville, Ohio.
  - iv. Catherine Troxell, born May 02, 1778 in Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died June 05, 1862 in Ohio; married John Betz in Pennsylvania; born February 28, 1773; died May 14, 1852 in Ohio.

More About John Betz and Catherine Troxell:

Marriage: Pennsylvania

- v. Elizabeth Troxell, born May 05, 1781 in Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died May 21, 1864 in Ohio; married (1) Daniel Merkel; died Bet. 1805 - 1807 in Pennsylvania; married (2) Phillip Shartle.
- vi. George Troxell (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*, 38.), born November 03, 1783 in Probably Buffalo Twp., Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died July 04, 1867; married Mary Hoffman May 15, 1806; born June 16, 1787 (Source: Dr. George Allen Troxell, *George Troxell - Fermanagh Twp., Cumberland Co. PA.*); died November 19, 1861.

More About George Troxell:

Burial: St. Peter's Reformed Cemetery, near West Milton, Pennsylvania

Occupation: 1810, Weaver

Resided in..: 1810, Lewisburg, Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania

More About Mary Hoffman:

Burial: St. Peter's Reformed Cemetery, near West Milton, Pennsylvania

More About George Troxell and Mary Hoffman:

Marriage: May 15, 1806

86. Johann Heinrich "Henry"\* Aurand, born March 24, 1745/46 in Weidelbach, Nassau-Dillenburg, Germany; died 1819 in Lewisburg, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 172. Johannes\* Aurand and 173. Anna Catharine\* Hoff. He married 87. Margaret Rebecca\* Dreisbach 1774 in Union Co., Pennsylvania.

87. Margaret Rebecca\* Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born 1751 in Cocalico Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania; died Abt. 1825 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 174. Martin\* Dreisbach and 175. Anna\* Eva Hoffman

More About Johann Heinrich "Henry"\* Aurand:

Baptism: March 29, 1747, Bergebersbach, Hesse, Germany

Immigration: October 02, 1753, Ship: Edinburg; From Rotterdam, Germ. to Phila., PA.

Military service: 1776, Revolutionary War - private in Capt. John Forster's Co., Northumberland Co.

More About Johann Aurand and Margaret Dreisbach:

Marriage: 1774, Union Co., Pennsylvania

Children of Johann Aurand and Margaret Dreisbach are:

- 43 i. Christina\* Aurand, born Abt. 1775 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died January 14, 1858 in Troxelville, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; married John\* Troxell.
- ii. Daniel Aurand, born January 03, 1777.
- iii. Susan Aurand, born 1778.
- iv. John Dreisbach Aurand, born 1779.
- v. Catherine Aurand, born Abt. 1782.
- vi. George Aurand, born Abt. 1783.
- vii. Samuel Aurand, born April 30, 1786.
- viii. Pauline Maria Aurand, born January 29, 1790.
- ix. Leah Aurand, born Abt. 1794.
- x. Susan Aurand, born Abt. 1796.
- xi. Jonathan Aurand, born April 07, 1796.
- xii. Eve Aurand, born Abt. 1798.

90. John Shannon, born 1755 in Hagerstown, Maryland; died April 19, 1836 in Rockland Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 180. John Shannon. He married 91. Jane Dunlap March 27, 1781.

91. Jane Dunlap, born Bet. May 17, 1761 - 1766 in Maryland; died February 22, 1833 in Rockland Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 182. Alexander Dunlap and 183. Elizabeth Jack

More About John Shannon:

Burial: Rockland Cemetery

Military: Revolutionary War Soldier.

Notes (Facts Pg): 1801, About this time the family moved to Centre Hall, Centre Co., PA. from the Mercersburg, Franklin Co., PA. area.

Resided in.. 1: 1830, Rockland Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1820, Centre Co., Pennsylvania

More About Jane Dunlap:

Burial: Rockland Cemetery

More About John Shannon and Jane Dunlap:

Marriage: March 27, 1781

Children of John Shannon and Jane Dunlap are:

- i. Agnes Nancy Shannon, born January 06, 1782 in Pennsylvania; married William McQuown November 05, 1801 (Source: Records of Upper West Conococheague Presbyterian Church: Marriages 1789-1812, 193. (Publications of the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania; Vol. XV, Oct. 1945)).

More About William McQuown and Agnes Shannon:

Marriage 1: November 05, 1801 (Source: Records of Upper West Conococheague Presbyterian Church: Marriages 1789-1812, 193. (Publications of the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania; Vol. XV, Oct. 1945))

Marriage 2: May 26, 1803 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*)

- ii. Elizabeth Shannon, born March 05, 1784 in Pennsylvania.
- 45 iii. Jane\* Shannon, born February 13, 1786 in Pennsylvania; died 1862 in Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania; married Daniel\* Kennelley May 26, 1803 in Hagerstown, Maryland.
- iv. John Shannon, born November 13, 1787 in Pennsylvania; died October 22, 1872 in Venango Co., Pennsylvania; married Jane McQuown April 22, 1813 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*); born Abt. 1783 in Pennsylvania; died January 11, 1852 in Venango Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for John Shannon:

1820 Venango Co. Census:

3 males under 10

1 male age 10-16

1 male age 26-45

1 female under 10

1 female 26-45

More About John Shannon:

Resided in.. 1: Bet. 1817 - 1820, Venango Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1870, Richland, Venango Co., Pennsylvania with son Maurice Baker Shannon's family.

More About John Shannon and Jane McQuown:

Marriage: April 22, 1813 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*)

- v. Alexander Shannon, born October 29, 1789 in Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1870; married Elizabeth Smith April 22, 1811 in Pennsylvania (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*); born Abt. 1794 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1860 in Venango Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Alexander Shannon:

Resided in.. 1: 1835, Venango Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: Bet. 1850 - 1870, Cranberry Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania

More About Alexander Shannon and Elizabeth Smith:

Marriage: April 22, 1811, Pennsylvania (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*)

- vi. Hanna Shannon, born September 05, 1791 in Pennsylvania; died May 04, 1873 in Potter

Twp., Center Co., Pennsylvania; married John McCormick, Sr. October 09, 1812 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*); born Abt. 1790; died July 09, 1834 in Pennsylvania.

More About Hanna Shannon:

Resided in.. 1: 1850, Marion Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania with son Robert's family.

Resided in.. 2: 1860, Potter Twp., Center Co., Pennsylvania with son James family.

More About John McCormick and Hanna Shannon:

Marriage: October 09, 1812 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*)

- vii. Isabelle Shannon, born January 24, 1795.
- viii. Samuel Shannon, born January 25, 1797 in Pennsylvania; married Mary Galbraith November 24, 1811; born Abt. 1799 in Pennsylvania.

More About Samuel Shannon:

Resided in.. 1: 1820, Centre Co., Pennsylvania

Resided in.. 2: 1850, Gregg Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

More About Samuel Shannon and Mary Galbraith:

Marriage: November 24, 1811

- ix. Susanna Shannon, born May 06, 1799.
- x. James Shannon, born February 22, 1801 in Pennsylvania; married Catherine Knoll June 1820 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*); born Abt. 1802 in Pennsylvania.

More About James Shannon:

Resided in..: 1850, Huston Twp., Centre Co., Pennsylvania

More About James Shannon and Catherine Knoll:

Marriage: June 1820 (Source: *LDS- Pedigree file.*)

92. Johannes\* Haberacker II (Source: Dorothy Cote.), born 1742 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died December 21, 1795 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 184. Johannes\* Haberacker and 185. Catharine\* Strickler. He married 93. Susannah\* Margaret Schildt June 27, 1779 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

93. Susannah\* Margaret Schildt, born Bet. 1746 - 1761 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 186. Heinrich\* Schildt and 187. Susannah\*.

Notes for Johannes\* Haberacker II:

Abstracts of Berks Co, PA, Wills, 1785 - 1800

HABERACKER, JOHN, Alsace.

November 22, 1795 - January 23, 1796.

Provides for wife Susanna Margaret.

When youngest son Samuel is 15 years old plantation to be sold and all estate to children, viz: John, Christian, Susanna, Jacob, Daniel, Henry, George and Samuel, in equal shares.

Exrs: Wife Susanna Margaret and friend Jacob HEIER.

Wits: Valentine BYER and Jacob BEIER.

Translation.

More About Johannes\* Haberacker and Susannah\* Schildt:  
Marriage: June 27, 1779, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

Children of Johannes\* Haberacker and Susannah\* Schildt are:

- 46      i. John\* (Johannes) Haberacker III, born February 12, 1780 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died November 26, 1846 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Elisabeth\* Rapp November 13, 1803 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. Johann Christian Haberacker, born October 28, 1782 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Johann Christian Haberacker:

War of 1812 Service Records:

Name: CHRISTIAN HABERACKER

Company: 2 REG'T (LOTZ'S) PENNSYLVANIA MILITIA.

Rank - Induction: PRIVATE

Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE

Roll Box: 88

Roll Exct: 602

More About Johann Christian Haberacker:

Baptism: November 12, 1782, Trinity Lutheran Church

Godparents or Sponsors: Johann Christian & Hanneta (Schild) Gosch, she was his maternal aunt.

- iii. Susanna Haberacker, born September 21, 1784 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died 1835; married John Leinbach; born 1777; died 1849.

More About Susanna Haberacker:

Baptism: November 11, 1784, Trinity Lutheran Church

Godparents or Sponsors: Her parents.

- iv. Jacob Haberacker, born November 06, 1786 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died October 03, 1828 in Lycoming Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Jacob Haberacker:

Baptism: January 21, 1787, Trinity Lutheran Church

Godparents or Sponsors: Jacob and Elizabeth Huyri

- v. Daniel Schild Haberacker, born May 13, 1789 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Daniel Schild Haberacker:

Haberacker, Daniel

Date: May 13, 1789

Event: Birth

Record ID: 261637

Relation: Born

Location: Berks Co., PA

Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Daniel

Date: Jun 4, 1789

Event: Baptism

Record ID: 261637

Relation: Baptized

Location: Berks Co., PA

Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Johannes  
Date: Jun 4, 1789  
Event: Baptism  
Record ID: 261637  
Relation: Father  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Mrs. Johannes  
Date: Jun 4, 1789  
Event: Baptism  
Record ID: 261637  
Relation: Mother  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

War of 1812 Service Records:  
Name: DANIEL HABERACKER  
Company: 1 REG'T (SHAPPELL'S) PENNSYLVANIA MIL.  
Rank - Induction: PRIVATE  
Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE  
Roll Box: 88  
Roll Exct: 602

- vi. Johann Heinrich (Henry) Haberacker, born May 13, 1789; married Rebecca Shalter.

Notes for Johann Heinrich (Henry) Haberacker:  
Haberacker, Johann Henrich  
Date: May 13, 1789  
Event: Birth  
Record ID: 261636  
Relation: Born  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Johann Henrich  
Date: Jun 4, 1789  
Event: Baptism  
Record ID: 261636  
Relation: Baptized  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Johannes  
Date: Jun 4, 1789  
Event: Baptism  
Record ID: 261636  
Relation: Father  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

Haberacker, Mrs. Johannes  
Date: Jun 4, 1789  
Event: Baptism  
Record ID: 261636  
Relation: Mother  
Location: Berks Co., PA  
Church: Schwartzwald Reformed Church

- vii. George Haberacker, born May 12, 1791 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for George Haberacker:

War of 1812 Service Records:

Name: GEORGE HABERACKER

Company: 2 REG'T L.INF. (BACHE'S) PENNSYLVANIA MIL.

Rank - Induction: PRIVATE

Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE

Roll Box: 88

Roll Exct: 602

More About George Haberacker:

Baptism: June 26, 1791, Trinity Lutheran Church

Godparents or Sponsors: His parents.

- viii. Samuel Haberacker, born May 12, 1794 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Maria Eissenbeis September 02, 1814 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1795.

Notes for Samuel Haberacker:

Southeastern Pennsylvania, 1680-1800 Birth Index

Relationship: Child

Child: Samuel Haberacker

Birth/Baptism Date: 12 May 1794

Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, Reading

County: Berks

State: Pennsylvania

Father: Johannes Haberacker

Mother: Mrs. Susanna Margaretha Haberacker

War of 1812 Service Records:

Name: SAMUEL HABERACKER

Company: 2 REG'T (LOTZ'S) PENNSYLVANIA MILITIA.

Rank - Induction: PRIVATE

Rank - Discharge: PRIVATE

Roll Box: 88

Roll Exct: 602

More About Samuel Haberacker and Maria Eissenbeis:

Church: Trinity Lutheran Church

Marriage: September 02, 1814, Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

94. Frederick\* Rapp (Source: Ancestry World Tree Project, Robert Martin.), born June 20, 1754 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died July 10, 1812 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 188. Johann\* Petrus Rapp and 189. Christina\* Reitmeyer. He married 95. Dorothea\* Wolf December 06, 1780.

95. Dorothea\* Wolf, born Bet. 1753 - 1754; died March 31, 1796 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Frederick\* Rapp and Dorothea\* Wolf:

Marriage: December 06, 1780

Children of Frederick\* Rapp and Dorothea\* Wolf are:

- 47      i. Elisabeth\* Rapp, born Abt. 1783 in Pennsylvania; married John\* (Johannes) Haberacker III  
November 13, 1803 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. Mary Rapp
- iii. Frederick Rapp

100. Simon Eschbach, (Ashbrook/Ashbaugh), born Abt. 1720 in Rhineland, Germany; died Unknown in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania. He married 101. Eva Kautzmann April 19, 1752 in Atol Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania.

101. Eva Kautzmann, born Abt. 1720.

More About Simon Eschbach, (Ashbrook/Ashbaugh):  
Immigration: 1749, On the ship "Dragon"

Marriage Notes for Simon Eschbach and Eva Kautzmann:

Simon Eschbach found in:

Church Records: Adams, Berks & Lancaster Counties, Pennsylvania 1729-1881

Date: Apr 19, 1752

Event: Marriage

Record ID: 281143

Relation: Groom

Location: Atolhoe, Berks Co., PA

Church: Misc. Records of Rev. John Casper Stoever

More About Simon Eschbach and Eva Kautzmann:

Marriage: April 19, 1752, Atol Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania

Married By: Rev. John Casper Stoever

Children of Simon Eschbach and Eva Kautzmann are:

- i. Anna Elizabeth Ashbaugh/Ashbrook, born February 02, 1753 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1840; married Peter Wolf, Jr. Abt. 1770; born August 25, 1745; died Abt. 1829 in Knox Co., Ohio.

Notes for Anna Elizabeth Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:

Baptism's of Rev. John Casper Stoever

ESCHBACH, SIMON (Atol.)

Eschbach, Anna Elizabetha, b 02 02 1753; bap 02 11 1753, Spon. George Berger & Anna Elizabetha, Spiess

Simon Eschbach found in:

Southeastern Pennsylvania, 1680-1800 Birth Index

Relationship: Father

Child: Anna Elizabetha Eschbach

Birth/Baptism Date: 2 Feb 1753

Source: Personal register of Rev. John Casper Stoever

State: Pennsylvania

Father: Simon Eschbach

Mother: Mrs. ??? Eschbach

More About Anna Elizabeth Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:

Baptism: February 11, 1753, Atol, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania  
Godparents or Sponsors: George Berger & Anna Elizabeth Spiess

More About Peter Wolf and Anna Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:  
Marriage: Abt. 1770

- ii. Margaret Ashbaugh/Ashbrook, (Eschbach), born Abt. 1755; married John Michael Conradt January 25, 1774 in Bethel, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania.

More About John Conradt and Margaret Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:  
Marriage: January 25, 1774, Bethel, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania  
Married By: Rev. John Casper Stoever

- iii. Maria Barbara Ashbaugh/Ashbrook, born Abt. 1757; married Martin George Leonhardt May 31, 1774 in Bethel, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Martin Leonhardt and Maria Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:  
Marriage: May 31, 1774, Bethel, Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania  
Married By: Rev. John Casper Stoever

- iv. Susan Ashbaugh/Ashbrook, born 1759; died July 11, 1818; married William Wolf Abt. 1781; born March 14, 1757 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania (Source: J. H. Beers & Co., *Commemorative Biographical Record of Washington County, Pennsylvania*, (Chicago: J. H. Beers & Co., 1893), 698.); died October 16, 1839 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for William Wolf:  
Buffalo Twp. (pp. 673-686)  
History of Washington County, Pennsylvania\*

William Wolf came to Buffalo township at an early day and made a settlement, but seems to have been driven away by the Indians. On Feb. 27, 1786, he warranted a tract of land called "Wolf's Hollow," located on the waters of Buffalo Creek, containing three hundred and eighty-five acres. This land was surveyed later, and attached to the survey is an affidavit, showing that "the above William Wolf was driven from the above place through force or fear of the Indians, during the late war, and his place was left without inhabitants."

The property in question is that now owned by the heirs of William Price, and upon it William Wolf passed all but the very last part of his life. His children were five sons and three daughters,--William, Peter, Simon, Christopher, John, Mary, Elizabeth, and Susan. Mary Wolf married James Skiggins, and was killed by the Indians while living in a block-house in Ohio. Elizabeth never married, but passed her life in this township, and at Wheeling, Va., dying at the latter place. Susan became the wife of Leonard Dickinson, and removed to Ohio. William Wolf, Jr., was a cooper, and lived and died in Washington. Peter was a cabinet-maker, and lived in Washington. Simon Wolf, who was born May 23, 1793, was a cooper. He settled in Washington and died there, at the residence of his son-in-law, William F. Dickey, Oct. 9, 1879. Christopher Wolf settled in Buffalo township, about seven miles from Washington, on the Wheeling pike. The place was formerly owned by one Huffman, and a man named Wilson once kept tavern there. Christopher Wolf was a contractor of bridges on the National road from Washington to Cumberland, and later was stationed at Zanesville, Ohio. He is now in Missouri. John Wolf, who was present at Hull's surrender, in 1812, located at Wheeling, Va., and died there. William Wolf, Sr., for a short time before his death, lived in Washington. He died at the advanced age of ninety years, and was buried in Buffalo township, his funeral services being attended with all the honors due a brave soldier.

\*Boyd Crumrine, "History of Washington County, Pennsylvania with Biographical Sketches of Many of Its Pioneers and Prominent Men" (Philadelphia: L. H. Leverts & Co., 1882). Transcribed by Clair John Thompson, Sr. in April 1998. Published in May 1998 on the Washington County, PA USGenWeb pages at <http://www.savory.org/chartiers>.

More About William Wolf:  
Burial: Buffalo Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania  
Resided in.: 1775, Washington Co., Pennsylvania

More About William Wolf and Susan Ashbaugh/Ashbrook:  
Marriage: Abt. 1781

- 50 v. Simon\* Ashbaugh/Ashbrook, born June 06, 1766 in Bethel Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania; died June 16, 1848 in Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Mary\* Fennell Abt. 1785.

120. Conradt Hertzog, born in Germany; died Bef. 1790 in Washington Co., PA.

More About Conradt Hertzog:

Immigration: September 12, 1750, Ship "Priscilla"; captained by William Wilson.  
Notes (Facts Pg): February 02, 1784, Conrad Hartsoh of Washington Co., Pa. to Henry Hartsoh his estate. (Source: Raymond M. Bell, Estate Records 1781-96 & Deed Records 1782-85 in Washington Co., PA., (1967).)

Child of Conradt Hertzog is:

- 60 i. Henry Hartsock, (Hertzog/Herzog), born Abt. 1749 in Kehl, Baden, Germany; died January 28, 1812 in E. Bethlehem Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Susannah Abt. 1780 in Probably, Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

124. Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug)(Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.), born 1729 in Pfalz, Germany (Source: Michelle Rynott.); died July 1804 in Somerset Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy, Washington Co., PA. Will Book 2-27.). He was the son of 248. Peter\* Zug and 249. Susannah\*. He married 125. Anna Margaretha\* Raub November 24, 1747 in Williams Twp., Northampton/Bucks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation., 105.).

125. Anna Margaretha\* Raub, born 1727 in Pennsylvania (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy, Edward B. Raub, Raub Family History (Northampton Co. Hist. Soc.)). She was the daughter of 250. Peter\* Raub and 251. Susannah\*.

Notes for Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug):

[Quoted from Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook; author Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Jacob and Margaret were communicants at the Old Forks Lutheran Church in 1749, but only Margaretha Zugin is listed in April 1751. The first 3 girls were baptized between 1750 & 1753, but thereafter no Zugs appear in the well preserved records of this church (Records of the Williams Twp. Congregation, Pennsylvania German Society 18:3-70 (1909)).

Jacob Zug next appears on the 1761 tax list for Lower Saucon twp. His

assessment was only one pound, one of the lowest in the county. By Nov. 1762, we find his back in Williams Twp, with an assessment of £6, but in Jan. 1763, he is again in Lower Saucon, assessed at £2. He is missing from all tax lists in the county in 1764-65 & 66. In Jan. 1767 Jacob "Zuck", with 7 horses and a cow, has 18 acres of clearedland and 80 acres of woodland north of Easton in Forks Twp. The assessment was £7, and had increased to £9 by March 1768. It was in this year that Michael Raub finally was able to buy the 145 acres in his father's estate and pay the other heirs. Jacob and Margaret received a £30 share on 28 Aug. 1768. The family then appears to have left Northampton Co.; the unindexed tax lists for all townships through 1776 contain no Zugs. However, the marriage of Catharine Zucksin to Adam Engler on Dec. 30, 1771 by the pastor of the German Evangelical Church at Easton suggests that Jacob's 19 yr. old daughter may have remained nearby.

When formed in 1781 from Westmoreland Co., Washington Co., encompassed all of the Commonwealth south of the Ohio River and west of the Monongahela. The first assessment for the county in 1781 lists Jacob Sook in Somerset Twp. with 150 acres, 3 horses, and two cow. Although, he likely arrived prior to 1781, his name does not appear in the earlier records of Westmoreland Co., PA., or Yohogania Co., VA, both of which claimed the area at that time. On 5 Jan. 1790, Jacob paid £40 to John and Mary Cramer for 186 acres on Pigeon Creek. Witnesses to the deed were Daniel Stephens and Jacob Sook, Jr. (his signature). The witnesses and grantors were all members of Jacob's family. Cramer's mark on this document and on his 1815 Ohio Will was JK, which confirms a German origin and suggests that, had he been able to write his name, he would have spelled it differently.

The records of father and son are difficult to distinguish prior to Jacob's death in 1804. The name Jacob Zug, Jr., appears on the 1790 census, and both Jr. & Sr. are on a 1793 tax list and the 1800 census. Jacob Zug and George Friend took an Oath of Allegiance on 29 Dec. 1794. The pledge to abide by the laws of the country was part of the requirements for the settlement of the Whiskey Insurrection in several western Pa. counties. The United States Direct Tax of 1798 lists Jacob Sook as owner and occupant of a 16 x 20 ft. log house & an 18 x 22 ft. kitchen valued at \$120 on 30 perches of land in Somerset Twp. At the same time and place, a Jacob Sook owned 168 (sic) acres of land assessed at \$1008.

By his Will, prepared 24 Dec. 1803, Jacob awarded his 186-acre plantation, farm implements, and windmill to his son Jacob, who was then to pay the sum of £260 to the other heirs in rotation over several years. Daughters Susanna Stephens, "Cathy" Friend, and Elizabeth Myers were each to receive £80. Daughter Mary Creemer and son-in-law John Creemer, on account of Margaret Creemer, deceased, were each to receive £10. Susannah was given an iron stove, and Jacob "all my pewter and metal" and "all my books belonging to my occupation." The signature was Jacob Zug. The estate was not settled by 1832 when Jacob Jr., died intestate. His son, Andrew, the last of several administrators of the latter estate paid "Cathy" Friend's inheritance to nineteen of her children and grandchildren, most of whom then lived in Richland Co., OH. Andrew's brother Jacob and wife Sallie Moore Zook wrote at that time from Indiana to inquire whether Andrew had located the Cramers and whether they too would have to be paid. The Cramers were subsequently found in

Clermont Co., OH. John had died in 1817, but Mary belatedly received her £10 legacy, worth \$26.66 after 30 years. Susannah Stephens was not mentioned in the settlement. A Daniel Stephens was a single freeman in the 1772 tax list of Tyrone twp., Bedford Co. Although taxable as early as 1784 in Somerset Twp, Washington Co., his first recorded land purchases were in 1789 & 1790, adjacent to Jacob Sook. These lands were sold 28 April 1798 by Daniel and Susannah who left no later records in the County.

More About Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug):

Date born 2: Bef. 1727, Germany (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy, P1527 Diana (Zook) Martin to Michael Zug, 29 Sep 1886, courtesy W Z Francis.)

Baptism: November 01, 1747, Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania - Williams Twp. Congregation of the Augsburg Confession.

Religion: Lutheran (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy, Records of Williams Twp. Congregation, PA Ger. Soc 18: 3 (1909).)

More About Jacob\* Sook and Anna Raub:

Marriage: November 24, 1747, Williams Twp., Northampton/Bucks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation., 105.)

Children of Jacob\* Sook and Anna Raub are:

- i. Elizabeth Sook, born June 07, 1750 in Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation.*, 50.); married John Meyers; died March 1822 in Somerset Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Elizabeth Sook:

Baptism: July 01, 1750, Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania

Godparents or Sponsors: Maria Eva, dau. of Johann Georg Raupp & Peter, son of Michael Raupp.

- ii. Anna Margaret Sook, (Zug), born February 07, 1752 in Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation.*, 52.); died Bef. December 1806; married John "Garrot" Cramer, (Krämer); born 1756; died March 15, 1817 in Miami Twp., Clermont Co., Ohio.

More About Anna Margaret Sook, (Zug):

Baptism: March 30, 1752, Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania

Godparents or Sponsors: Peter Hering and wife, Emma Rosina.

- iii. Anna Catharine Sook, born January 14, 1753 in Williams Twp., Northampton Co., Pennsylvania (Source: *Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation.*, 54.); married (1) George Friend, Sr.; born Abt. 1750 in Fredrick Co., Maryland; died August 02, 1824; married (2) Adam Engler December 30, 1771.

More About Anna Catharine Sook:

Baptism: November 20, 1753, Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania

Godparents or Sponsors: Michael Raupp & wife Maria Barbara

More About Adam Engler and Anna Sook:

Marriage: December 30, 1771

- iv. Susannah Sook, born Bet. 1754 - 1756; married Daniel Stephens.

More About Susannah Sook:

Burial: Probably German Twp., Ohio

Resided in.: Wash. Co., PA >Jefferson Co., OH>Preble Co., OH, 1805.

- 62 v. Jacob\* Sook, Jr. (Zook/Zug), born 1757; died December 07, 1832 in Somerset Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Mary\*.  
vi. Mary Sook, born April 19, 1762; died September 30, 1841 in Newberry, Clermont Co., Ohio; married John "Garrot" Cramer, (Krämer); born 1756; died March 15, 1817 in Miami Twp., Clermont Co., Ohio.

More About Mary Sook:

Burial: Concord Cemetery

#### *Generation No. 8*

172. Johannes\* Aurand, born September 05, 1725 in Bergebersbach, Hesse, Germany. He married 173. Anna Catharine\* Hoff

173. Anna Catharine\* Hoff, born November 16, 1726 in Alsace-Lorraine.

Child of Johannes\* Aurand and Anna Hoff is:

- 86 i. Johann Heinrich "Henry"\* Aurand, born March 24, 1745/46 in Weidelbach, Nassau-Dillenburg, Germany; died 1819 in Lewisburg, Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; married Margaret Rebecca\* Dreisbach 1774 in Union Co., Pennsylvania.

174. Martin\* Dreisbach (Source: Beers, Commemorative Biographical Record of Central PA., Includes Cumberland, Union & Clinton Co.), born Abt. 1717 in Weisbaden, Germany; died February 18, 1799 in Buffalo Twp., Union Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 348. Hans Georg\* Dreisbach and 349. Anna Elisabeth\* Leyendecker. He married 175. Anna\* Eva Hoffman April 1742 in Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany.

175. Anna\* Eva Hoffman (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR)), born April 1722 in Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany; died March 10, 1789 in Union Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 350. Johannes\* Hoffman and 351. Maria Elisabeth\* Hadem

More About Martin\* Dreisbach:

Burial: Dreisbach Cemetery, near Lewisburg, Pennsylvania

More About Anna\* Eva Hoffman:

Burial: Dreisbach Cemetery, near Lewisburg, Pennsylvania

More About Martin\* Dreisbach and Anna\* Hoffman:

Marriage: April 1742, Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany

Children of Martin\* Dreisbach and Anna\* Hoffman are:

- 87 i. Margaret Rebecca\* Dreisbach, born 1751 in Cocalico Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania;

died Abt. 1825 in Snyder Co., Pennsylvania; married Johann Heinrich "Henry"\* Aurand 1774 in Union Co., Pennsylvania.

- ii. Henry Dreisbach, born 1755 in Cocalico Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, *The Dreisbach Family Association*, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).); died June 26, 1814 in Pickaway Co., Ohio; married (1) Margaret Rimmel Abt. 1775 in Pennsylvania; died Bef. 1810; married (2) Mary Hedges June 13, 1811 in Pickaway Co., Ohio.

More About Henry Dreisbach and Margaret Rimmel:  
Marriage: Abt. 1775, Pennsylvania

- iii. Jacob Dreisbach, born 1748 in Germany; died June 01, 1804 in Pennsylvania; married Magdalena Buchs Abt. 1770 in Pennsylvania; born March 15, 1757 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; died February 15, 1836 in Pickaway Co., Ohio.

More About Jacob Dreisbach and Magdalena Buchs:  
Marriage: Abt. 1770, Pennsylvania

- iv. Martin Dreisbach, Jr. (Source: Beers, *Commemorative Biographical Record of Central PA., Includes Cumberland, Union & Clinton Co.*), born July 12, 1764 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died October 20, 1831 in Buffalo Twp., Union Co., Pennsylvania; married Sophia Fredericka Buchs; born July 18, 1762 in Sussex Co., New Jersey; died February 14, 1849 in Fairfield Co., Ohio.
- v. Catharine Dreisbach, born May 03, 1759 in Cocalico Twp., Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania; married Peter Fisher September 21, 1782 in Pennsylvania.

More About Peter Fisher and Catharine Dreisbach:  
Marriage: September 21, 1782, Pennsylvania

- vi. John Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, *The Dreisbach Family Association*, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born September 25, 1762 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died March 27, 1823 in Mifflinburg, Union Co., Pennsylvania; married Catherine Youngman October 06, 1788 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; born October 24, 1766 in Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania; died May 28, 1852 in Mifflinburg, Union Co., Pennsylvania.

More About John Dreisbach and Catherine Youngman:  
Marriage: October 06, 1788, Northumberland Co., Pennsylvania

- vii. ? Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, *The Dreisbach Family Association*, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born 1746; died 1763 in Pennsylvania.

180. John Shannon, born in South End and Kintray, Argyle, Scotland.

Child of John Shannon is:

- 90 i. John Shannon, born 1755 in Hagerstown, Maryland; died April 19, 1836 in Rockland Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania; married Jane Dunlap March 27, 1781.

182. Alexander Dunlap He married 183. Elizabeth Jack

183. Elizabeth Jack

Child of Alexander Dunlap and Elizabeth Jack is:

- 91 i. Jane Dunlap, born Bet. May 17, 1761 - 1766 in Maryland; died February 22, 1833 in Rockland Twp., Venango Co., Pennsylvania; married John Shannon March 27, 1781.

184. Johannes\* Haberacker (Source: Dorothy Cote.), born 1693 in Germany; died February 25, 1776 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He married 185. Catharine\* Strickler June 24, 1740 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

185. Catharine\* Strickler

More About Johannes\* Haberacker:

Immigration: September 21, 1727, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the ship was the William and Sarah.

More About Johannes\* Haberacker and Catharine\* Strickler:

Marriage: June 24, 1740, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

Children of Johannes\* Haberacker and Catharine\* Strickler are:

- 92 i. Johannes\* Haberacker II, born 1742 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died December 21, 1795 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Susannah\* Margaret Schildt June 27, 1779 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.
- ii. Theobald Haberacker, born November 1744; died April 13, 1825 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Anna Maria Kuhn; born January 11, 1747/48; died August 02, 1817 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Theobald Haberacker:

Resided in..: 1810, Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- iii. Margaret Haberacker, born 1746 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married George Fleisher July 25, 1769 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1742 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

More About George Fleisher and Margaret Haberacker:

Church: Schwartzwald Lutheran Church

Marriage: July 25, 1769, Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- iv. Dewalt Haberacker, born 1749 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married <Unnamed>; born Bef. 1755.

More About Dewalt Haberacker:

Resided in..: 1800, Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania

186. Heinrich\* Schildt, died 1776. He married 187. Susannah\*.

187. Susannah\*

Children of Heinrich\* Schildt and Susannah\* are:

- i. Hanneta Schildt, married Johann Christian Gosch.
- ii. Andrew Schildt, born October 02, 1744 in Pennsylvania; died August 12, 1812 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Catharine Elizabeth Gehret; born December 14, 1747 in Pennsylvania; died August 12, 1812 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Andrew Schildt:

Abstracts of Berks Co, PA, Wills, 1800 - 1825

SCHILD, ANDREW, Alsace.

August 17, 1812.

Adm. to George and Christian, sons.

More About Andrew Schildt:

Cause of Death: Axed to death by son Johannes.

More About Catharine Elizabeth Gehret:

Cause of Death: Axed to death by son Johannes.

- 93
- iii. Susannah\* Margaret Schildt, born Bet. 1746 - 1761 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married (1) Johannes\* Haberacker II June 27, 1779 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married (2) Frederich Bechtel March 21, 1807.
  - iv. Elizabeth Schildt, married John Bard.
  - v. Henry Schildt, born 1748 in Alsace Twp., Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died February 08, 1820 in Adams Co., Pennsylvania; married Magdalena Fruenfelder; born 1754 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died March 12, 1839 in Adams Co., Pennsylvania.

188. Johann\* Petrus Rapp (Source: Ancestry World Tree Project, Robert Martin.), born April 20, 1723 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died August 21, 1791 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania. He was the son of 376. Johann\* Petrus Rapp and 377. Anna Barbara\* Schönthaler. He married 189. Christina\* Reitmeyer May 03, 1743 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

189. Christina\* Reitmeyer, born November 29, 1724 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died December 14, 1783 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 378. Hans Michael Reitmeyer and 379. Margaretha Winter.

More About Christina\* Reitmeyer:

Burial: Trinity Lutheran Cemetery; Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

More About Johann\* Rapp and Christina\* Reitmeyer:

Marriage: May 03, 1743, Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany

Children of Johann\* Rapp and Christina\* Reitmeyer are:

- i. Johann Michael Rapp (Source: *Ancestry World Tree Project*, Robert Martin.), born January 16, 1747/48 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died March 30, 1819 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Catharine Breitagam; born August 08, 1750; died March 17, 1813 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Johann Michael Rapp:

Abstracts of Berks Co, PA, Wills, 1800 - 1825

RAPP, MICHAEL, Reading.

February 4, 1818 - April 26, 1819.

To dau. Juliana wife of Wm. SCHULTZ house and lot in Reading during life and afterwards to her children.

Mentions son Frederick and son-in-law Philip LOTZ.

Remainder to wife Catharine and the child with which she is pregnant.

Exrs: Son Frederick and son-in-law Philip LOTZ.

Wit: Christ SHERRER and Henry BETZ.

More About Johann Michael Rapp:

Burial: Trinity Lutheran Cemetery; Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

More About Catharine Breitagam:

Burial: Trinity Lutheran Cemetery; Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- ii. Dorothy Rapp, born August 15, 1753 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died June 18, 1834; married Balthaser Heinritze; born in Germany.

More About Dorothy Rapp:

Burial: First Reformed Church Cemetery, Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- 94 iii. Frederick\* Rapp, born June 20, 1754 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died July 10, 1812 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married (1) Elizabeth Redcay September 20, 1770; married (2) Dorothea\* Wolf December 06, 1780; married (3) Hannah Schauen September 18, 1796 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.
- iv. Juliana Rapp, born February 12, 1758 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Samuel Homan September 10, 1776 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; born February 17, 1755; died February 15, 1824.

Notes for Juliana Rapp:

Peter Rapp found in:

Southeastern Pennsylvania, 1680-1800 Birth Index

Relationship: Father

Child: Juliana Rapp

Birth/Baptism Date: 12 Feb 1758

Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, Reading

County: Berks

State: Pennsylvania

Father: Peter Rapp

Mother: Mrs. Christina Rapp

More About Samuel Homan and Juliana Rapp:

Church: Trinity Lutheran Church

Marriage: September 10, 1776, Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- v. Johann Adam Rapp, born May 24, 1760 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died July 31, 1839 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Barbara Witman; born October 25, 1759 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died September 18, 1837.

More About Barbara Witman:

Burial: Alsace Cemetery, Berks Co., Pennsylvania

- vi. Heinrich Rapp, born June 1763; died July 15, 1764 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania.
- vii. Eva Elizabeth Rapp, born December 07, 1766 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; died December 13, 1766 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania.

Notes for Eva Elizabeth Rapp:

Peter Rapp found in:

Southeastern Pennsylvania, 1680-1800 Birth Index

Relationship: Father

Child: Eva Elisabeth Rapp

Birth/Baptism Date: 7 Dec 1766

Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, Reading

County: Berks

State: Pennsylvania

Father: Peter Rapp

Mother: Mrs. Christina Rapp

248. Peter\* Zug (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy), born in Trippstadt, Germany; died 1748 in Milford Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania (Source: Harry D. Zook, Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy, Philadelphia Co., PA, Adm Bk F-153, File 129, Courthouse Annex, Phila, Pa.). He married 249. Susannah\*.  
249. Susannah\*

Notes for Peter\* Zug:

[Notes of Harry D. Zook, author of Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook]

Peter & Ulrich Zug arrived 27 Sep 1727 on the "James Goodwill". Their names were adjacent on the captain's list and on the Oath of Allegiance, which suggests that they traveled together. "Number in the Family" = 4, which may mean two or three children.

The German settlers in northern Bucks Co., came to Milford Twp. via Perkiomen Valley. John M. Zuck lived on the family homestead in Milford Twp. He described neighbors and cemeteries in letters to J.G. Francis (History of the Brethren in Eastern District of PA, 1915, p. 375).

In 1734, Peter "Chook" and neighbors petitioned for a new township, and as Peter "Chuck" petitioned the Assembly for naturalization. (J. H. Battle, History of Bucks Co., PA, 1887, pp 610, 999; W. H. Davis, History of Baucks Co., PA., 2nd Ed., 1905, Vol. 1, pp 424-436). In 1735, Hans Zuk (Hans Peter ?) and wife, John Frick and wife, and John Sleifer were baptized by Brethren ministers. (Morgan Edwards, Materials Toward a History of American Baptists, 1770). Johannes Schleiffer was a witness in 1848 to Peter's will and a bondsman for his estate, as was Johannes Gassell. (Peter Zuck & Hans Gsell were on a 1716 list of day workers at Trippstadt, Germany).

Diana (Zook) Martin claimed immigrant status for her ancestor, Jacob Zook. (Diana Zook Martin to Michael Zug, 29 Sep 1886, courtesy W.Z. Francis) The identity of the unfaithful, eldest son mentioned in Peter's will was assigned solely on the basis of circumstantial evidence. Peter, born after the family's arrival, was not unfaithful; he obtained the homestead. Peter's family were the only Zugs in this part of Penn's Province, when a few months before Peter prepared his will, Jacob joined the Lutheran Church and married a Lutheran girl!

The language of the will strongly suggests that Sarah was another child on the boat, for she "served" her father after she was of age. Not much time, had she been born in America after her brother Peter.

John, Abraham, and Christian were mentioned by John M. Zuck, (Michael Zug, Gen Hist. Ulrich Zug, ms, Lebanon, Pa., revised 1906, p 198). They moved to Lancaster Co., "at or near the Conestoga,; but returned to help build Peter's house in 1785. Christian was a bachelor, not of sound mind. As a boy, Peter Zuck, 1794-1884, often saw Christian, when he visited his brother Peter 1728-1812. Christian talked much of Stonebrook (Somerset Co. ?).

## Specualtion on Birth Dates of Peter's Children:

Immigrant Peter died in 1748. Thus, John and Abraham were born before 1749. These sons had children born 1774-6, when the boys were at least 26 yrs. old. Abraham was born after 1723; otherwise he would have been over 53 in 1776, and too old to serve in the Rec. War ( Ages 18-53). Rudolph was born before 1724 to have been 21 in 1744, when he bought land. If Sarah were born in 1725, Rudolph in 1723, and Jacob (oldest) in 1721, and mother Susannah in 1700, she would be 42 by 1742. Christian is a candidate for her last child. If John and Abraham were born before 1742, they would be at least 33 when their children were born. Peter, born 1728, was 20 years old when his father died. Children born after Peter would have been minors at their father's death in 1748. To have been minors under age 14, they would have been born before 1734. If born between 1728 and 1734, John and Abraham would have been 41-47 when their children were born. Explains small families? Abrahan's daughter Susan was born in 1786, when Abraham would have been 46-56.

According to Diana Zook Martin, in a letter to Michael Zug, Her g-grandfather Jacob Zug came to this country with brothers.

Evidence for Northampton/Washington Co.'s connection: Circumstantial!

- (1) Four names of children in Northampton Co. = names in Washington Co. will.
- (2) Another child, Susannah, was namesake of both grandmothers. Margaret, then an uncommon Zug name, was namesake of mother.
- (3) Catharine named Children for all four of their grandparents, including Margaret Raub.
- (4) If the birth years for Jacob Jr. (1757) and Mary (1762) are correct, and if they are the youngest children, the early 1750s are reasonable for the three oldest, in accord with the Northampton births.
- (5) That the only son was named Jacob, Jr., rather than Peter, supports the case that Jacob, Sr. was estranged from his father and was the unfaithful son from Northampton.
- (6) Maryland was haven for many PA residents during the French and Indian Wars. The Jacob, Jr. of Elizabeth Town (Hagerstown) of military age in 1776 can only be the same Jacob, Jr., son of Jacob, Sr.

Vol. 1, p 111 of the discredited Horn Papers shows a Jacob Zook, taxable in 1773 on a list by Daniel Mordock (SW PA territory claimed by VA).

Saucon and Williams Twp.'s, then in Bucks Co., where Jacob first appears, lay only a few miles northeast of Peter;s home in the Great Swamp. In the mid-1700's, no other Zug families lived in this region of Pennsylvania.

More About Peter\* Zug:

Immigration: September 27, 1727, Ship - "James Goodwill"

Occupation: Farmer

Resided in..: Great Swamp, Milford Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania

Children of Peter\* Zug and Susannah\* are:

- 124
- i. Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug), born 1729 in Pfalz, Germany; died July 1804 in Somerset Twp., Washington Co., Pennsylvania; married Anna Margaretha\* Raub November 24, 1747 in Williams Twp., Northampton/Bucks Co., Pennsylvania.
  - ii. Rudolph Sook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), born Bet. 1723 - 1727 in Germany; died June 1774 in E. Calvin Twp., Chester Co., Pennsylvania; married Veronica.
  - iii. Sarah Sook, born Bef. 1727; married Peter Williamson? May 22, 1764 in New Jersey.

Marriage Notes for Sarah Sook and Peter Williamson?:  
Sarah Suchum of Bucks Co. ?

More About Peter Williamson? and Sarah Sook:  
Marriage: May 22, 1764, New Jersey

- iv. Peter (Zug) Zuck (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), born August 26, 1728 in Pennsylvania; died May 13, 1812 in Lower Milford, Bucks Co., Pennsylvania; married Margaret Rothrock; born June 26, 1738; died March 11, 1814.

Notes for Peter (Zug) Zuck:

[Quoted from *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*; author: Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Although Peter was not mentioned in his father's will, he retained the Swamp Creek homestead and accumulated other lands from 1762 through 1765. He was warantee and patentee for 149 acres in Richland Manor, Bucks Co., then obtained patents on an additional 174 acres at this location and 54 acres in Upper Milford twp., Northampton Co., with warrants purchased from John Rothrock and George Ackerman, executors for John Gesell. Peter's troubles with a band of Indians are described in a message dated 9 May 1767 to the Provincial Governor by Joseph Galloway, Speaker of the House.

May it please your Honour,

Upon inquiry into the Matters contained in the Petition herewith laid before you, we find that a Company of Connoy, Nanticoke, and Delaware Indians came last Winter into the Township of Milford, in the County of Bucks, settled on the Lands of Peter Zuck, without his permission, destroyed a valuable Part of his Timber, and by their disorderly and insolent Behavior, when under the influence of spiritous Liquors, which they found Means to procure, notwithstanding the Act of Assembly to the contrary, gave great Cause of Uneasiness and Terror to the inhabitants: And it is very probable the same Indians may return next Winter, and Quarrels may ensue between them and the People, which may tend to disturb the Peace now so happily established between this Government and the Natives.....

Margaret, wife of Peter Zug, is mentioned by her father, John Rothrock of Lower Saucon Twp., Northampton Co., in his will prepared in 1790 and probated 22 April 1794. Peter's will, prepared in 1809, mentions his wife Margaret and only four children, with no hint of marital status. He and "Margareda," son John and wife Anna Bachman, and granddaughter Esther Stauffer are buried in "Our Forefathers' Cemetery" in Bucks Co., PA.

- v. Johannes Sook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), died Aft. 1802 in Woodbury Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania; married Katharina ?; died December 17, 1777 in Bucks Co., Pennsylvania.
- vi. Abraham Sook (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy.*), died Aft. 1810 in Woodbury Twp., Bedford Co., Pennsylvania; married Barbara.
- vii. William Henry Sook
- viii. Christian Sook

250. Peter\* Raub (Source: Harry D. Zook, *Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook Genealogy*,

Records of Wms. Twp., Congregation, PA Ger Soc 18: 3 (1909) & W T Blair, The Michael Shoemaker Book. Intern. Textbook, 1924, pg. 370.), born Abt. 1706 in Germany (Source: Michelle Rynott.); died Abt. 1753 in Northampton, Pennsylvania (Source: Michelle Rynott.). He was the son of 500. Phillip\* Raub and 501. Maria Sarah\* Schoffel. He married 251. Susannah\*.

251. Susannah\*

Notes for Peter\* Raub:

[Quoted from Zug/Zuck/Zouck/Zook; author Harry D. Zook; 1983]

Peter Raub, father of Jacob's wife, likely was a son of Philip Raub who came to America in September 1736 on the "Harle". The family settled in Williams Twp. where their descendants appear on the tax lists through-out the Rev. period, usually with the highest assessments in the Co. Tradition holds that George Washington borrowed Raub boats to cross the Delaware before the battle of Trenton. Anna Margaret, Peter's twenty year old daughter, was married to Jacob Zug by the pastor of the Old Forks Lutheran Church, a log structure at the foot of Morgan's Hill on the southeast corner of Old Philadelphia and Hellerstoen roads near Easton. Jacob had been baptized in the church 3 weeks earlier as an adult "after a confession of faith." Meanwhile, back in the great Swamp, Peter Zug wrote his will, complained of a disobedient and unfaithful eldest son, and died the following spring.

This region became apart of the newly formed Northampton Co. in 1752. To the Orphans Court in Easton in 1755, and again in 1758, Michael "Roup", eldest son of Peter Raub, requested the partition of the real estate of his father who had died intestate. Margaret "Zook" is mentioned as an heir in these petitions and in the Court Order of 1759, whereby Michael was to purchase the property and pay the other heirs.

More About Peter\* Raub:

Name 2: Peter Raupp (Source: Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation., 105.)

Children of Peter\* Raub and Susannah\* are:

- i. Sophia Raub (Source: Edward B. Raub, *Introduction/Raub Family History*, (1943, Indianapolis, Indiana.), born 1722 in Germany; died 1748; married (1) Jacob Abel January 11, 1741/42 in Williams Twp., Northampton Co., Pennsylvania; died Abt. 1745 in Northampton Co., Pennsylvania; married (2) Peter Melick or Molich May 06, 1746 in Williams Twp., Northampton Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Jacob Abel and Sophia Raub:

Marriage: January 11, 1741/42, Williams Twp., Northampton Co., Pennsylvania

- 125 ii. Anna Margaretha\* Raub, born 1727 in Pennsylvania; married Jacob\* Sook, (Zook/Zug) November 24, 1747 in Williams Twp., Northampton/Bucks Co., Pennsylvania.
- iii. Michael Raub (Source: *Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation.*, 44.), born April 17, 1733 in Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania; died 1816; married Maria Elizabeth Meyer.

More About Michael Raub:

Godparents or Sponsors: Martin Mäulin and his wife Sabina.

- iv. Johann Jacob Raupp (Source: *Pennsylvania German Church Records, CD #130 - Records of The Williams Township Congregation.*, 44.), born April 20, 1737 in Williams Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania; married Maria Eva Rosina.

More About Johann Jacob Raupp:  
Godparents or Sponsors: Jacob Keifer

*Generation No. 9*

348. Hans Georg\* Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born July 17, 1670 in Balde, Germany; died June 24, 1734 in Raumland, Germany. He was the son of 696. Johannes\* Dreisbach and 697. Anna Elisabeth\* Rohrbach He married 349. Anna Elisabeth\* Leyendecker  
349. Anna Elisabeth\* Leyendecker, born May 03, 1674 in Raumland, Germany. She was the daughter of 698. Tilmann\* Leyendecker and 699. Angela\* Heyge

Children of Hans Dreisbach and Anna Leyendecker are:

- i. Anna Gertrud Dreisbach, born November 10, 1695 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany; died August 06, 1759 in Berleburg, Wittgenstein, Germany; married Johann Daniel Grebe February 03, 1720/21 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany; born March 18, 1693/94 in Melbach, Wittgenstein, Germany; died March 01, 1724/25 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany.

More About Johann Grebe and Anna Dreisbach:  
Marriage: February 03, 1720/21, Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany

- ii. Anna Margarethe Dreisbach, born December 21, 1697 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany; married Johann Friedrich Keller May 12, 1722.

More About Johann Keller and Anna Dreisbach:  
Marriage: May 12, 1722

- iii. Louise Maria Dreisbach, born March 21, 1699/00.  
iv. Johann Daniel Dreisbach, born September 24, 1702 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany.  
v. Elisabeth Dreisbach, born September 25, 1704 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany; died May 27, 1741.  
vi. Barbara Dreisbach, born September 25, 1707; died February 21, 1744/45.  
vii. Katharina Dreisbach, born December 30, 1709 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany.  
viii. Elisabeth Dreisbach, born June 14, 1713 in Raumland, Wittgenstein, Germany; died December 13, 1771.  
174 ix. Martin\* Dreisbach, born Abt. 1717 in Weisbaden, Germany; died February 18, 1799 in Buffalo Twp., Union Co., Pennsylvania; married Anna\* Eva Hoffman April 1742 in Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany.

350. Johannes\* Hoffman (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born Abt. 1678. He was the son of 700. Herman\* Hoffman He married 351. Maria Elisabeth\* Hadem

351. Maria Elisabeth\* Hadem She was the daughter of 702. Johannes\* Hadem

Child of Johannes\* Hoffman and Maria Hadem is:

- 175 i. Anna\* Eva Hoffman, born April 1722 in Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany; died March 10, 1789 in Union Co., Pennsylvania; married Martin\* Dreisbach April 1742 in Krombach, Siegen, Westphalia, Germany.

376. Johann\* Petrus Rapp, born February 23, 1685/86 in Beuren, Altensteig, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died April 23, 1736. He was the son of 752. Georg\* Rapp and 753. <Unnamed>. He married 377. Anna Barbara\* Schönthaler October 16, 1714 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

377. Anna Barbara\* Schönthaler, born April 02, 1691 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died June 22, 1727 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany. She was the daughter of 754. Jacob\* Schönthaler and 755. Anna Maria\*.

More About Johann\* Rapp and Anna Schönthaler:

Marriage: October 16, 1714, Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany

Child of Johann\* Rapp and Anna Schönthaler is:

- 188 i. Johann\* Petrus Rapp, born April 20, 1723 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died August 21, 1791 in Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Christina\* Reitmeyer May 03, 1743 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

378. Hans Michael Reitmeyer He married 379. Margaretha Winter.

379. Margaretha Winter, born 1700 in Germany.

Child of Hans Reitmeyer and Margaretha Winter is:

- 189 i. Christina\* Reitmeyer, born November 29, 1724 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died December 14, 1783 in Reading, Berks Co., Pennsylvania; married Johann\* Petrus Rapp May 03, 1743 in Unterwössingen, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

500. Phillip\* Raub (Source: Michelle Rynott.), born 1681 in Hagsfeld, Germany; died December 1753 in Coopersburg, Lehigh Co., Pennsylvania. He married 501. Maria Sarah\* Schoffel 1719 in Karlsruhe, Hagsfeld, Germany.

501. Maria Sarah\* Schoffel, born June 12, 1689 in Karlsruhe, Hagsfeld, Germany; died March 12, 1764 in Coopersburg, Lehigh Co., Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of 1002. Heinrich\* Schoffeland 1003. Maria\* Zwillig

Notes for Phillip\* Raub:

Peter Raub found in:

Passenger and Immigration Index, 1500s-1900s

Place: Pennsylvania Year: 1732

Primary immigrant: Raub, Philip

Accompanying family members: Wife Maria Sara; child Peter

Permanent entry number: 964846

Accession number: 8087040

Source publication code: 3570.5

Source publication page number: 138

Source publication: JOHNSON, MRS. ARTA F., editor. "Immigrant Ancestors." In The

Palatine Immigrant. Vol. 9:1 (Summer 1983), pp. 28-33; vol. 9:2 (Autumn 1983), pp. 90-95; vol. 9:3 (Winter 1984), pp. 137-142; vol. 9:4 (Spring 1984), pp. 169-174.

More About Phillip\* Raub:

Immigration: September 25, 1732, Ship - Loyal Judith arrived in Philadelphia

More About Maria Sarah\* Schoffel:

Baptism: 1689, Blanenloch, Germany

Burial: Blue Church Cemetery

More About Phillip\* Raub and Maria Schoffel:

Marriage: 1719, Karlsruhe, Hagsfeld, Germany

Children of Phillip\* Raub and Maria Schoffel are:

- 250
- i. Johann Georg Raub, born Abt. 1705; died 1780; married Maria Barbara, (maybe Acker).
  - ii. Peter\* Raub, born Abt. 1706 in Germany; died Abt. 1753 in Northampton, Pennsylvania; married Susannah\*.
  - iii. Michael Raub, born Abt. 1710; died 1758; married (1) Anna Maria; married (2) Maria Magdalena Zeller February 06, 1749/50 in Bucks Co., Pennsylvania.
  - iv. Maria Barbara Raub (Source: Ancestral File.), born June 14, 1720 in Karlsruhe, Germany; died March 25, 1768 in Upper Saucon Twp., Lehigh Co., Pennsylvania; married Johann George Reinhard/Rinehart; born Bet. November 14, 1716 - 1718 in Pfungstadt, Hessen-Darmstadt, Germany; died October 29, 1778 in Upper Saucon Twp., Lehigh Co., Pennsylvania.

More About Maria Barbara Raub:

Burial: St. Paul's Blue Church Cemetery

- v. Andrew Raub (Source: Edward B. Raub, *Introduction/Raub Family History*, (1943, Indianapolis, Indiana).), born Abt. 1730 in Germany; died 1809 in Knowlton Twp., Sussex Co. (Warren Co.), New Jersey; married Charlotte Weber, (Weaver) March 31, 1753 in Springfield Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania; born February 13, 1734/35 in Hinzweiler, Pfalz, Bayern, Germany; died November 19, 1791 in Knowlton Twp., Sussex Co. (Warren Co.), New Jersey.

More About Andrew Raub:

Burial: Knowlton Presbyterian Church Cemetery

More About Charlotte Weber, (Weaver):

Name 2: Maria Charlotte Margaretha Weber

More About Andrew Raub and Charlotte Weber:

Church: Trinity Union Church

Marriage: March 31, 1753, Springfield Twp., Bucks Co., Pennsylvania

#### *Generation No. 10*

696. Johannes\* Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born Bet. 1622 - 1628 in Balde, Wittgenstein, Germany; died March 25, 1699 in Balde, Germany. He was the son of 1392. Daniel\* Dreisbach and

1393. <Unnamed>. He married 697. Anna Elisabeth\* Rohrbach Abt. 1652.

697. Anna Elisabeth\* Rohrbach, born Bet. 1627 - 1635 in Rohrbach, Germany; died in Balde, Wittgenstein, Germany.

More About Johannes\* Dreisbach and Anna Rohrbach:  
Marriage: Abt. 1652

Child of Johannes\* Dreisbach and Anna Rohrbach is:

- 348 i. Hans Georg\* Dreisbach, born July 17, 1670 in Balde, Germany; died June 24, 1734 in Raunland, Germany; married Anna Elisabeth\* Leyendecker.

698. Tilmann\* Leyendecker He married 699. Angela\* Heyge  
699. Angela\* Heyge

Child of Tilmann\* Leyendecker and Angela\* Heyge is:

- 349 i. Anna Elisabeth\* Leyendecker, born May 03, 1674 in Raunland, Germany; married Hans Georg\* Dreisbach.

700. Herman\* Hoffman (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).).

Child of Herman\* Hoffman is:

- 350 i. Johannes\* Hoffman, born Abt. 1678; married Maria Elisabeth\* Hadem.

702. Johannes\* Hadem

Child of Johannes\* Hadem is:

- 351 i. Maria Elisabeth\* Hadem, married Johannes\* Hoffman.

752. Georg\* Rapp He married 753. <Unnamed>.  
753. <Unnamed>

Child of Georg\* Rapp and <Unnamed> is:

- 376 i. Johann\* Petrus Rapp, born February 23, 1685/86 in Beuren, Altensteig, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died April 23, 1736; married Anna Barbara\* Schönthaler October 16, 1714 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

754. Jacob\* Schönthaler He married 755. Anna Maria\*.  
755. Anna Maria\*

Child of Jacob\* Schönthaler and Anna is:

- 377 i. Anna Barbara\* Schönthaler, born April 02, 1691 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany; died June 22, 1727 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany; married Johann\* Petrus Rapp October 16, 1714 in Schwann, Wuerttemberg, Germany.

1002. Heinrich\* Schoffel(Source: Michelle Rynott.), born 1666 in Germany. He married 1003. Maria\* Zwillig

1003. Maria\* Zwillig, born Abt. 1668.

Child of Heinrich\* Schoffel and Maria\* Zwillig is:

- 501 i. Maria Sarah\* Schoffel, born June 12, 1689 in Karlsruhe, Hagsfeld, Germany; died March 12, 1764 in Coopersburg, Lehigh Co., Pennsylvania; married Phillip\* Raub 1719 in Karlsruhe, Hagsfeld, Germany.

*Generation No. 11*

1392. Daniel\* Dreisbach(Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born Aft. 1580 in Balde, Wittgenstein, Germany. He was the son of 2784. Georg Treisbach and 2785. <Unnamed>. He married 1393. <Unnamed>.

1393. <Unnamed>

Children of Daniel\* Dreisbach and <Unnamed> are:

- 696 i. Johannes\* Dreisbach, born Bet. 1622 - 1628 in Balde, Wittgenstein, Germany; died March 25, 1699 in Balde, Germany; married Anna Elisabeth\* Rohrbach Abt. 1652.  
ii. Johann Heinrich Dreisbach, born Bet. 1639 - 1642.

*Generation No. 12*

2784. Georg Treisbach(Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, The Dreisbach Family Association, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born Abt. 1560. He was the son of 5568. Abraham and 5569. <Unnamed>. He married 2785. <Unnamed>.

2785. <Unnamed>

Children of Georg Treisbach and <Unnamed> are:

- i. Johann Dreisbach (Source: The Dreisbach Family Association, compiled by Ardis Grosjean Dreisbach, B. Jack Dreisbach, and Rev. Charles V. Dreisbach, *The Dreisbach Family Association*, (The Dreisbach Book, 1998, Smith-Bates Printing, Klamath Falls, OR).), born Abt. 1580; married Elisabeth Hain; born 1580.  
1392 ii. Daniel\* Dreisbach, born Aft. 1580 in Balde, Wittgenstein, Germany; married <Unnamed>.

*Generation No. 13*

5568. Abraham He married 5569. <Unnamed>.

5569. <Unnamed>

Notes for Abraham:

The Dreisbach book, section 2b., pp. 6-7:

[Note: We are indebted to Wittgenstein historian Gustav Schneider of Bad Laasphe

for most of the information presented here and in the following sections on Abraham of Balde and his descendants in Wittgenstein.]

The earliest known progenitor of many North American Dreisbachs is a certain Abraham, who lived in the hamlet of Balde. The story of Abraham's descendants is of interest to all Dreisbachs, Dresbachs, etc, whether or not their relationship to this line has been established. In the first place, there is much here that is valid in a general way for other Dreisbach emigrants from Wittgenstein. Moreover, there are sufficient details known about these Dreisbachs to help us form an idea of the life both they and the other Dreisbachs must have led in the 17th and 18th centuries. Then too, we may expect that with time more North American Dreisbachs will discover their links to Wittgenstein, and perhaps to Father Abraham himself.

We start, then, with Abraham, who emerges in 1575 on a list of militiamen which is preserved in the Archives of Berleberg Castle (Akte M 30). No other name is given, for last names were not generally used in the villages of Wittgenstein before about 1600. Abraham appears on the list as a "Schütze," or rifleman in Balde. This indicates that in 1575, when such militias were established throughout Germany, there was something to be defended in Balde. It had not always been so. Old records state that in 1510 not a house was standing in the village, and that in 1518 it was a forsaken place. In 1538 Count Johan of Berleberg rebuilt the village, and established a "Hof" or Count's farm there, such as the Counts had in most of the villages of Wittgenstein.

Balde, however, lay in a problem area close to the border between this Count's territory and the southern Wittgenstein territory of his brother, Count Wilhelm, who resided in his castle in Laasphe. Wilhelm disputed Johan's right to rule the village, and for years Balde suffered from their rivalry. In 1575 a forge, which up to then had been located in the village of Berghausen, was moved to Balde. Whether it played a role in the Dreisbach family is not known, but it must have brought some employment to the village during the time that it existed.

By 1606 we find a Georg Treisbach or Dreisbach, listed in the "Schweineregister" which can still be consulted in the Wittgenstein Archives at Laasphe. The Counts kept a tally of their subjects' livestock, including swine. Thus we can read that Georg had a house or small farm (in this period house and barn or stable were all one structure), and that in 1606 he possessed 11 full-grown and 2 young pigs. The house had a name, "Wahnersch" (in modern German "Wagners"=at the wagon-maker's or cartwright's), indicating that one or more of the preceding inhabitants, perhaps a forefather, had exercised this craft. Balde and neighboring villages were part of the parish of Raumland. Unfortunately, the church records of St. Martin's in Raumland were not begun until about 1659. Thus there must remain some uncertainty as to whether Georg Dreisbach was in fact a son of Abraham, or whether he might have married one of Abraham's daughters. In either case, descendants of Georg Dreisbach would still have Father Abraham as their ancestor.

After record-keeping began in Raumland, it became possible to follow some of the subsequent generations of the Balde Dreisbachs. Thus, from the church records it can be deduced that Georg Dreisbach of "Wahnersch" in Balde had at least two sons

and one daughter, and that the two sons gave rise to three American lines of Dreisbachs. Thus the "Simon" line is descended from Georg's son Johan Dreisbach (Treisbach), and the "Martin" and the Berghausen lines have their origins in Daniel Dreisbach. In other words, three lines of North American Dreisbachs emerged from "Wahnersch", a small farm or house in a disputed borderline area of Wittgenstein.

Child of Abraham and <Unnamed> is:

- 2784      i. Georg Treisbach, born Abt. 1560; married <Unnamed>.