

Ancestors of George Henry Custer, Jr.

Generation No. 1

1. George Henry Custer, Jr., born 05 Aug 1911 in Parkersburg, Virginia; died 15 Feb 1988 in Richmond, Virginia. He was the son of **George Henry Custer, Sr.** and **3. Mary Effie Goodwin**. He married **Maxine Delores Hickman** 02 Apr 1936 in Kanawha County, West Virginia. She was born 02 Jul 1919 in Kanawha County, West Virginia, and died 1947 in Charleston, West Virginia. She was the daughter of Russell M. Hickman and Hazel May Childress. He married **(2) Maria Stegovec** 1950 in Trieste, Italy. She was born 12 Jun 1921 in Dobravlje, Slovenia; died 14 Oct 2000 in Florida. She was the daughter of Francesco Stegovec and Maria Petrovic.

Notes for George Henry Custer, Jr.:

Burial: Southlawn Cemetery, Prince George County, Virginia.

Charter member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Spring Hill, WV. Served in W.W. II, Korea, and Viet Nam. Retired from the U.S. Army and from Postal Service.

Notes for Maxine Delores Hickman:

Burial: Graceland Memorial Park beside husband's parents.

Member of the Rebekah Lodge and a Girl Scout Leader. Wonderful mother and homemaker.

More About Maxine Delores Hickman:

Burial: Unknown, Graceland Cemetery, Ruth, Kanawha County, West Virginia

More About George Custer and Maxine Hickman:

Marriage: 02 Apr 1936, Kanawha County, West Virginia

Generation No. 2

2. George Henry Custer, Sr., born 04 Aug 1884 in Millwood, Jackson County, WV (Source: Register of Births--Jackson County, West Virginia, 1884, Custer, Geo. Jackson County, Aug 1884 Father's occupation farmer); died 03 Jul 1962 in Charleston, West Virginia. He was the son of **4. Alonzo Custer** and **5. Serena Jane Duncan**. He married **3. Mary Effie Goodwin** 1905 in Parkersburg, West Virginia.

3. Mary Effie Goodwin, born 29 Sep 1886 in Pleasant Hill, Wood County, WV; died 19 Aug 1949 in Charleston, West Virginia. She was the daughter of **6. James William Goodwin** and **7. Lois Ann Chancellor**.

Notes for George Henry Custer, Sr.:

Burial: Graceland Memorial Park located off Highway 213.

Superintendent of McJunkin Supply Company, member of the Masonic Lodge, hunter, and expert game cook. Both George and Effie enjoyed traveling and fishing. They also enjoyed visiting friends and relatives in Michigan, Ohio, and West Virginia. They were Baptists and Democrats. They were large people with generous natures. They had six grandchildren with them at one time.

More About George Henry Custer, Sr.:

Burial: Unknown, Graceland Cemetery, Ruth, Kanawha County, West Virginia

Notes for Mary Effie Goodwin:

Burial: Beside husband in Graceland Memorial Park.

More About Mary Effie Goodwin:

Burial: Unknown, Graceland Cemetery, Ruth, Kanawha County, West Virginia

More About George Custer and Mary Goodwin:

Marriage: 23 May 1905, Parkersburg, West Virginia

Children of George Custer and Mary Goodwin are:

- i. James Alonzo Custer, Sr., born 20 Mar 1906 in Parkersburg, Kanawha County, West Virginia; died 14 Oct 1935 in Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio; married Mary Francis Hall Abt. 1933; born 1905 in Shelby County, Indiana; died Dec 1939 in Columbus, Franklin County, Ohio

Notes for James Alonzo Custer, Sr.:

Burial: Green Lawn Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio.

Was in the U.S. Army. Pictures of him taken when his children were infants show him in uniform as a tall, slender, intellectual looking man with glasses. He was in a terrible car accident which left him in great pain and emotional distress. He committed suicide.

More About James Alonzo Custer, Sr.:

Burial: Unknown, Green Lawn Cemetery, Columbus, Ohio

Notes for Mary Francis Hall:

Two former marriages with one son from each marriage.

Marriage: Abt. 1933

- ii. Hattie Louise Custer, born 20 Apr 1908 in Parkersburg, West Virginia; died 20 Jan 1987 in Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia; (1) Ira Jacobs Private; born Private; married (2) Irwin Huddy died Unknown.

More About Hattie Louise Custer:

Burial: Unknown, Graceland Cemetery, Ruth, Kanawha County, West Virginia

More About Irwin Huddy:

Burial: Unknown, Graceland Cemetery, Ruth, Kanawha County, West Virginia

More About Irwin Huddy and Hattie Custer:

Marriage: Abt. 1937

- 1 iii. George Henry Custer, Jr., born 05 Aug 1911 in Parkersburg, West Virginia; died 15 Feb 1988 in Richmond, Virginia; married (1) Delores Hickman 02 Apr 1936 in Kanawha County, West Virginia; married (2) Maria Stegovec 28 Oct 1950 in Trieste, Italy.
- iv. Harold Porter Custer, born 18 Sep 1913 in Parkersburg, West Virginia; died 03 Feb 2004 in Tennessee; married Eloise Weaver Private; born Private.

Notes for Harold Porter Custer:

Harold P. Custer

BIRCHWOOD, Tenn. - Harold P. Custer, 90, formerly of Chattanooga, Tenn., passed away Feb. 3, 2004, at the home of his daughter Kecskes of Birchwood.

He was preceded in death by his son, James Custer.

Mr. Custer attended Gamble Road Baptist Church, was a U.S. veteran of World War II with 33 years of military service and DuPont with 30 years of service.

In addition to his daughter, survivors include his wife, Eloise Custer; daughter-in-law, Becky Custer of Birchwood; five grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

Service was 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, at the Highway 58 Chapel Funeral Home, Chattanooga, Tenn., with the Rev. Gurney Beasly officiating. Burial will be 11:30 a.m. Monday in Chattanooga Cemetery with military graveside rites.

The Highway 58 Chapel of Turner Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

More About Harold Porter Custer:

Burial: 09 Feb 2004, National Cemetery, Chattanooga, TN

More About Harold Custer and Eloise Weaver:

Private-Begin: Private

Generation No. 3

4. Alonzo Milton Custer, born 11 Apr 1857 in Sandyville, Jackson County, VA (Source: Register of Births--Jackson County, West Virginia, Custer, M. Father Mark, Mother Mary E. Father's occ. farmer.); died 28 Jul 1919 in Sheridan Lake, Kiowa Co., CO. He was the son of **8. Mark Custer, Mary Elizabeth Morehead**. He married **5. Serena Jane Duncan** 16 Apr 1880 in Angerona, Jackson County, WV (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Alonzo 23 and Duncan Sarah Jane 22 by Rev William Weekley).

5. Serena Jane Duncan, born 09 Feb 1858 in Mannington, Marion Co., VA; died 12 Apr 1907 in Mannington, Marion Co., WV. She was the daughter of **10. George Nelson Duncan** and **11. Edith Ann Hildreth**.

Notes for Alonzo Milton Custer:

1870 Census for Jackson County, West Virginia: 162-162 Baker, Alonzo B. age 31 occ farmer \$950. wife Lucy children James, Charles. Also CUSTER, ALONZO age 13

310-310 Hill, Felix M and Sutton, Henry H. age 40 Farmer born MO, OH, wife Elizabeth age 36 (mother of Alonzo) Henry age 12 and Saline

Letters received from Paul Drake Copenhaver. These letters were written to Paul's mother, Nellie Custer Copenhaver, by her father, Alonzo Milton Custer.

Edmond Okla 1-16-26

Well Nellie as I had a view of the new fence around the cemetery at Uncle John's last night in a dream, I would just like to know if it is fenced. I and that Uncle John, Uncle Henderson, the Savior, and myself walked up the cemetery. I was to select the music. So we sang in a low tone as we climbed the hill an old song that brother Blackburn Hall used in our protracted meeting climbing up Zion Hill.

We went around the new fence to the west, saw the beautiful sunset and sang my latest - Sun is sinking fast My race is nearly run My stronges now are past My triumph has begun.

Then walked northeast to near mommie's grave and sang - The light of the

hanging lamp in her tomb I saw the inner part of the grave just as I saw 50 years ago- Uncle John only spoke once on the trip. He looked down on the creek bottom and said that is good soil. Uncle Henderson told him he was thinking of heaven. We then walked down the hill to the road - all the way to the top of the hill. How firm a foundation ye Saints of the Lord.

When I awoke I was praising the Lord for his wonderful free and full salvation. What does it all mean?

I only recall the last few words of the next stanza - The light of salvation which hangs like a lamp in the tomb - It never seemed so sweet to me before I saw the light in Momma's tomb in my dream - The Savior is here in the world. Let us walk in the light that our light may shine to lead souls out of the darkness into the light of the gospel.

Father

(Note: Alonzo Milton Custer 11 Apr 1857 - 28 Jul 1927 his first wife was the mother of his children, Serena Jane Duncan Custer 09 Feb 1858 - 12 Apr 1927. Uncle John was probably Uncle John William Hildreth and Uncle Alvah Henderson Hildreth, brothers of Serena Jane's mother, Edith Ann Hildreth Duncan. The cemetery where Serena Jane is buried is up a very steep hill from Uncle John's home place on Quaker Fork road in Marion County.)

Well Nellie I mentioned one hymn that we used to sing 50 years ago and you may never have heard it. It was sung while the casket was lowered. I remember this: Man dyeth and wasteth away and where is he? Hark from the sky and hear a voice answer and say the spirit of man never dies - the spirit of man lives on many times. As the minister drops in some dirt they sing - This body which was taken from the earth must mingle again with the sod. This soul which in heaven at birth returns to the bosom of God - each last line repeated 4 times.

Received a letter from George before Christmas, a check, and a fine and enlarged picture of him. Oh so nice, so natural.

We see in Shinnston News so many deaths. We often wonder who will be next. I see Emory still has two girls at home since he lost his wife. So many folks here have colds, grip, and so on, but we haven't had a cold this winter. When we feel like we might take cold we take a dose of camphor. I believe it wards off colds. It is cloudy and damp today makes my rheumatism very sore. We are so thankful we are able to keep going. So far this winter hardly ever missed church and Sunday School and mid week Prayer Meeting.

Tell Marshall and Adda we think of them so often, but have so much to do we can't get around. Let them read this if you don't mind. Good by -

Sunday night. It has rained all day. We stayed in. Do hope you also went to church today. I will be glad to hear from you soon to see if you have been taken to the cemetery that I visited in my dream. I was so glad to see you with us on that is all important thing in my life to live as we can

the Savior is leading our steps in life. Do hope you and yours are all well. How is Aunt Sarah and family? Do hope the girls all keep well so they can go to school. They have been fortunate to get school among so many teachers. When a teacher gets married in Oklahoma, she has to give up her school at once.

I bought 3 hogs, fed them 5 weeks, sold them. Paid for them and a feed was \$15. Had \$14.50 left for my work. that makes 86 dollars we have made clear of expense in 10 months. Better than doing nothing. I bought a dozen hens at a sale this week. Hope to raise some chickens if we keep our father --

(Note: Melissa Cunningham Duncan, second wife of Alonzo Milton, wrote on the back of his letter to Nellie)

Well as your father has written about all the news I will just write a few lines. It reminds us that we are far apart. This sure is a lovely day after Sunday rain. I see in the Telescope Bishop Weekly has passed away and Riley and Taylor.

I believe we are about as usual not very well but we are so thankful we can do. Stanker's folks are well as common. I hope you are well and all the children.

We must all look on the brighter side of life as there are many discouragements, but the Lord has promised to carry us through them and we want to hear from you real soon. I believe the time will come when we can talk by radio from each other as they are talking for thousands of miles. So God's richest blessings rest on you , Your Mother

(Note: Alonzo Milton then added the following)

Well I see the misses has written on the back of one of my pages so you can find it all. It is badly mixed by her mistake of splicing her letter on

(Here is a letter written to Alonzo Milton Custer by James Alonzo Custer (Sr.), his grandson.)

Cabot, Arkansas Nov 14, 1926

Dear Grandad,

I thought I would get to see you when I came through Edmond, Oklahoma but you had moved.

I went on south through west Texas and worked awhile in the various parts of Texas. Then went into Mexico at Matamoris and on to Tampico. Then I came back up here and expect to stay here for a while. When I leave I expect to go to New Orleans for the Mardi Gras. Then to Florida for the next spring I will come through Colorado and if I can find you I will see you. I expect to go to Yellow Stone National Park next spring for work.

Your Grandson, James A. Custer Cabot Ark.

(On the back of James' letter his grandfather wrote to Nellie)

Well as I changed coats to go to town left the letters at home. It is mail time so will send this letter as I found it and received a card from will try to get him to write you. It is very warm here for a week or two have the doors open about all day. I think I will have Hollie help me :

One day gathered thistles and tumble weeds on my 24 lots as they all last year. I always cultivated them and will next summer. The mail due must close. A man just came in threw down a piece of pork on m you see.

(I am typing this as it appears to me and could have mistakes)
Sheridan Lake, Colorado December 1, 1926

Dear daughter,

After several days waiting for an answer from Hollie will not wait him. He wrote me two weeks Or more he had his pay to Kansas City. when it would suit me best for him to come. I answered at once to sui it made no difference to me so have been looking every mail day for a telling when he would start but no reply yet.

I received a letter from James Custer in Arkansas saying he called Edmond, Oklahoma to find we were in Colorado. Said he expected to winter in New Orleans then come by here to see us on his way to Yell Park next spring.

I wanted to send James' letter to you, but can't find it. He told of h through several states, but did not say how he was traveling. I suppos

We haven't had but 2 rains here since the first of July. There were thousand acres of wheat sowed near the Sheridan Lake elevator. Too to come up. so Sat 27th had a hard wind. The dry dirt blew in all the covered the beds with dust. Old timers say it was the worst ever they not so much damage here as in other states as you see in the papers.

Tell Adda I will write her soon. Am ashamed I have put off writin long, but we buy 25 stamped envelopes every little while. 55 cents I s letters yesterday and will take 2 to town today. The (?) meets there. I have no phone. If we had known sooner could have a house east 5 m no rent A. M. Custer

(The following letter written just a few months before his death)
Sheridan Lake, Colorado April 29, 1927

Well Nellie just received your letter. Charles sent me his April check So that makes \$40. all told, but you said to let the first 10 you sent go interest. So there is only \$20. paid on the principle. The note is \$65. 15, 1924. so that would leave 35 due yet so if he pays 10 a month till the 10 you paid will settle all interest. Do hope he does pay each mon received a voucher from the head clerk signed by me and 2 witnesses. back yesterday to the clerk of the Woodman Lodge at Medicine SD. I

send it with the policy to Chicago. They will send a check to the clerk Woodman Lodge at Madison. He sends it to the bank at (Eader?) Col if it is filled out all ok it may get around by May 15. Hope so for we moving back to our house soon after school is out and will have to buy and chicken feed. It is high.

Charles asked me how much was back on the note. I told him the note, also date, and 40 paid. Left it for him to figure interest which was more then the way I offered you in the above.

Have 11 hens sitting. Hope to have some chickens to move up here had one fairly good rain. Got my potatoes planted and some garden in town this week. Am sorry D.E. has lost out on part of his road work. will raise good corn as you seem to have plenty of rain.

Has been very warm this week. Been sleeping with doors wide open at night. Am sorry the frost got your fruit but do hope you will have plenty for home use. I sowed about 1/4 acre of oats for chicken pasture this week to sow some millet and sedum grass in 2 or 3 weeks on my lots in town is about 3 acres all told, but the house and barn takes out part of it.

My garden is the best I ever saw it. A good job of plowing and having the secret of it all. I can only work 1/2 day at a time. That is very slow use to do. We make as few trips to the barn as we can for every trip to but we are as happy as any one family that I know of for all are scarce I want to go up to repair fence around the garden this afternoon.

Write often. We are glad to hear from you. A. M. Custer

(Note: Adda and Marshall were Marshal Elmore & Mary Adeline Copenhaver. Emory was James Emory Copenhaver. Marshal and Emory sons of James W. and Serena (Cunningham) Copenhaver. D.E. was Daniel Ellsworth Copenhaver, husband of Nellie Custer Copenhaver. Charles has been Charles Custer Copenhaver born 1904, son of Nellie)

More About Serena Jane Duncan:

Burial: Unknown, Hildreth Cemetery

More About Alonzo Custer and Serena Duncan:

Marriage: 16 Nov 1880, Angerona, Jackson County, WV (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Alonzo 23 and Duncan Sarah Jane William Weekley.)

Children of Alonzo Custer and Serena Duncan are:

- i. Nellie May Custer, born 09 Sep 1881 in Millwood, Jackson County, Virginia; died 13 Oct 1956; married Daniel Ellsworth Copenhaver 1899 in Margaret, Marion County, West Virginia; born 01 Jun 1899

Notes for Daniel Elsworth Copenhaver:

From an email of Paul Copenhaver to me and Frances Taber:

1. Johannes Jakob Koppenhoffer (Jacob Copenhaver)
 - b. 1705, Germany
 - m. Elizabeth C. Weider
 - Immigrated to US in 1738
2. Johannes Balthasar Koppenhoffer (Baltzer Copenhaver)
 - b. 1741, Lancaster Co, PA
 - m. Elizabeth Boeshaar
3. Isaac Copenhaver
 - b. 1785, Huntingdon Co, PA
 - m. Nancy Wilson
 - Settled in Monongalia Co, VA (now Marion Co, WV)
4. James Wilson Copenhaver
 - b. 1828, Monongalia Co, VA (now Marion Co, WV)
 - m. Serena Cunningham
 - Settled in Harrison Co, WV
5. Daniel E. Copenhaver (my father)
 - b. 1867, Harrison Co, WV
 - m. Nellie Custer
 - Settled in Harrison Co, WV

I was born 1923 in Harrison Co, WV

I came to Texas in 1949

Our family history is outlined in the publication:

"THE COPENHAVERS of NORTHERN WEST VIRGINIA

Compiled & Published by: John E. Hildreth (my second cousin) in 1989

The Publication "The Copenhaver Family of Smyth County Virginia"

By: Mildred & Robert M. Copenhaver, records the descendar of Thomas

Copenhaver, son of Wolfgang Koppenhofer.

It is available through the Library in Marion VA.

I had the pleasure of corresponding with Mildred for a few years,

just prior to her death in 1986.

Are there publications on your line, other than

"THE COPENHAVER GENEALOGY"

By: Lloyd Gale Sparks, in 1980

and
Wolfgang Koppenhoffer?
Best regards,
Paul

More About Daniel Copenhaver and Nellie Custer:
Marriage: 02 Apr 1899, Margaret, Marion County, West Vir

- 2 ii. George Henry Custer, Sr., born 04 Aug 1884 in Millwood, Ja
County, WV; died 03 Jul 1962 in Charleston, West Virginia;
Mary Effie Goodwin 23 May 1905 in Parkersburg, West Virg
married (2) Olive Craver Private.
- iii. Hollie W. Custer, born 06 Nov 1887; died 20 Feb 1927 in Mo
Dakota (Source: Family History, Buried Madison, South Dak
married (1) Maude Lemasters in St. Louis, Missouri; died Un
married (2) Blanche Howell 15 Jan 1907; died Unknown.

More About Hollie Custer and Blanche Howell:
Marriage: 15 Jan 1907

6. James William Goodwin, born 08 Sep 1851 in Taylor County,
died 01 Sep 1930 in Wood County, West Virginia. He was the son of
Henson Goodwin and **13. Nancy Jane Knight**. He married **7. Lois A**
Chancellor 07 Dec 1880 in Wood County, West Virginia.

7. Lois Ann Chancellor, born 09 Feb 1861 in Wood County, Virg
20 Feb 1953 in Pleasants County, West Virginia. She was the daughter
Benjamin Franklin Chancellor and **15. Evaline Bailey**.

More About James Goodwin and Lois Chancellor:
Marriage: 07 Dec 1880, Wood County, West Virginia

Children of James Goodwin and Lois Chancellor are:

- i. Hattie A. Goodwin, born 10 Nov 1881; died Unknown; marri
Sommerville; died Unknown.
- ii. Edna L. Goodwin, born 04 Mar 1884; died Unknown; marrie
died Unknown.
- 3 iii. Mary Effie Goodwin, born 29 Sep 1886 in Pleasant Hill, Woc
WV; died 19 Aug 1949 in Charleston, West Virginia; married
Henry Custer, Sr. 23 May 1905 in Parkersburg, West Virginia;
- iv. Benjamin P. Goodwin, born 21 Apr 1895; died Unknown.
- v. Lois Evalene Goodwin, born 26 Apr 1899; died Unknown.
- vi. Evadna Grace Goodwin, born 18 Dec 1901 in Williamstown,

Thompson Ingraham 03 Mar 1921; died 30 Apr 1960 in Cincinnati
married (2) James A. Kitchen 06 Jun 1971; died 09 Aug 1990

More About Evadna Grace Goodwin:
Fact 1: Buried in Grandview Cemetery Ohio

Notes for Clyde Thompson Ingraham:
Burial: Grandview Cemetery at Chillicothe, Ohio
He was at work on the train when he died in Cincinnati.

More About Clyde Ingraham and Evadna Goodwin:
Marriage: 03 Mar 1921

Generation No. 4

8. Mark Custer, Jr., born 1829 in Greene County, Pennsylvania (Source: Census Records 1830 Greene Co., PA, 1840 Tyler County VA/WV, 1850 Jackson County VA/WV); died 1863 in Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: John House's "Pioneers of Jackson County"). He was the son of **16. Mark Custer, Sr.** and **17. Mary Margaret Kimble**. He married **9. Mary Elizabeth Morehead** 20 Jun 1850 in Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Marriage Record Jackson County VA/WV 1850).

9. Mary Elizabeth Morehead, born May 1833 in Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Marriage Record Jackson County VA/WV and Census Records Jackson County VA/WV 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, 1900); died Bef. 1900 in Virginia (Source: 1910 Census Jackson County, WV and Death Record of husband Henry Sutton listed as widower). She was the daughter of **18. Armistead Morehead** and **19. Tacy Richards**.

Notes for Mark Custer, Jr.:

1850 Census Jackson County, VA/WV: 180-184 Mark Custer Age 21 occupation Miller, born in PA wife Mary E. age 17 born in Virginia. Next Census is 181-185 Mark Custer, Sr. occupation Miller born in PA and age 16 occupation Miller. Then 186 John Custer occupation Miller born in Virginia wife Charlotte age 33 born VA, Melissa age 7, George age 6, age 5 all born in VA.

1860 Census Jackson County, VA/WV p. 124: 848-802 CUSTER age 32 Farm Laborer personal estate value \$75. born in PA, wife, Mary age 27 born in VA, L.L. male age 9, Theodore and Commodore males age 7 and 4. A.M. male age 4, M.H. male age 7 months, (all born in Jackson County VA) also Elmore RICHARDS male age 25 farm laborer born VA.

From John Houses' "History of Jackson County" page 250: "Mark Custer married Elizabeth Morehead,

daughter of Armistead Morehead. He lived on Island Run and on Cop. He died in 1863. He had a son, Henry Custer. Miss M. Custer, who r Thomas McFarland was his daughter. Thomas W. McFarland was a s Robert McFarland. He lived on Trace Fork, in 1852, and for several y then moved to Big Lick, where he bought two hundred thirty acres of lived there a year and then went to Mark Custer's, on Island Run, whe before the war. His widow moved back to the farm, where she lived c war. Afterward she married Chapman Grant." This is the only record found of Mark Custer, Jr's death. Miss M. Custer referred to in the his Margaret Custer, daughter of Mark Custer, Sr.

Notes for Mary Elizabeth Morehead:

1880 Census Jackson County West Virginia lists H. H. Sutton age E. age 47, Wesley C. age 8, Albert M. age 6, and V. Morehead age 16

1900 Census Jackson County West Virginia lists Henry H. Sutton : born Dec 1827 in Ohio, Mary E. age 67 born May 1833 in West Virgi

Henry H. Sutton died in 1906 in Jackson County age 76 Widower; Elizabeth must have died 1900-1906 in Jackson County.

Marriage Notes for Mark Custer and Mary Morehead:

Marriage list of Rev. Randsome Landcaster sent to Mr. Andrew W Jackson County Clerk in 1850.

More About Mark Custer and Mary Morehead:

Marriage: 20 Jun 1850, Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Marriage F Jackson County VA/WV 1850)

Children of Mark Custer and Mary Morehead are:

- i. Leander S. Custer, born 1851 in Jackson County, West Virgin 1879 in Sandy, Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jack Death Records, Killed by a falling tree. Reported by Henry a Elizabeth Morehead Custer Sutton.); married Margaret Amel Dec 1877 in Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jackso Marriage Records, Custer, Leander 25 and Snyder, Margaret 1877.); born 1856 in Missouri; died Abt. 1929 in West Virgin

Notes for Leander S. Custer:

Killed by a falling tree.

Notes for Margaret Amelda Snyder:

From Lisa McCambridge Nov 14, 2002:

Margaret Amelda Custer was born in MO in 1856. She mar Lane after Leander died. They had a son Jonah Milton Lane.

Leander had a son Lloyd. I believe she died in 1929.

More About Leander Custer and Margaret Snyder:

Marriage: 31 Dec 1877, Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Leander 25 and Snyder, Margaret 25 Dec 31 1877.)

- ii. Commodore Newton Custer, born 30 Aug 1853 in Jackson County, West Virginia; died 31 Dec 1945 in Grafton, Taylor County, West Virginia; married Margaret Belle Williamson 29 Sep 1882 in Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Commodore Newton 28 and Williamson, Maggie 18 by Rev. T. H. Rymer.); born 10 Jul 1863 in West Virginia; died 18 Jul 1930 in Taylor County, West Virginia.

Notes for Commodore Newton Custer:

Called "Calm".

Gene Gaddy contributed most of the information for these details which include Gene's wife who was a great granddaughter of Newton Custer.

More About Commodore Newton Custer:

Burial: Unknown, Bluemont Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor County, West Virginia

Occupation: Carpenter

Religion: Methodist

More About Margaret Belle Williamson:

Burial: Unknown, Bluemont Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor County, West Virginia

More About Commodore Custer and Margaret Williamson:

Marriage: 29 Sep 1882, Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Commodore Newton 28 and Williamson, Maggie 18 by Rev. T. H. Rymer.)

- iii. Theodore Thornton. Custer, born 30 Aug 1853 in Jackson County, West Virginia; died 1890; married Susan Archer 08 Nov 1877 in Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer., Theodore G. 24 and Archer, Susan 22 Nov 8, 1877.); born 1855 in Noble County, Ohio; died Unknown.

Notes for Theodore Thornton. Custer:

1880 Census Jackson Co., WV: 36-37 Theodore Custer age 26 born VA; Susan age 24 born Ohio; Clarence R. age 1 Jackson Co. WV; Mark H. 3 months born Jackson County; Alonzo M. born WV.

Found the 1880 records online after I read your email. It also fill in a little on his son Mark. However it still left me a few c like what month was Mark born, since it says 3M for his age, stuff doesn't always complete my questions. Knowing what n was recorded in would solve that. It also said Mark H was bc Jackson, WV,

More About Theodore Custer and Susan Archer:

Marriage: 08 Nov 1877, Jackson County, West Virginia (Sou County Marriage Records, Custer., Theodore G. 24 and Arch Nov 8, 1877.)

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- iv. Alonzo Milton Custer, born 11 Apr 1857 in Sandyville, Jacks VA; died 28 Jul 1927 in Sheridan Lake, Kiowa Co., CO; ma Serena Jane Duncan 16 Nov 1880 in Angerona, Jackson Cou married (2) Melissa Mason 12 Nov 1907.
 - v. Mark Henry Harvey Custer, born 07 Oct 1859 in Sandyville, County, VA/WV; died 17 Oct 1928 in Jackson County, West married Ida May Payne 24 Feb 1889 in Jackson County, Wes (Source: Jackson County Marriage Records, Custer, Henry H Payne, Ida M. by Rev. B. F. Gosling.); born 19 Aug 1865; die 1937.

Notes for Mark Henry Harvey Custer:

Burial: Ravenswood, Jackson County, West Virginia

Marriage Notes for Mark Custer and Ida Payne:

Marriage Record Jackson County, WV: Henry Harvey Custe Sandyville, Jackson County, WV married Ida May Payne age Frozen Camp, Wetzel County 24 Feb 1889.

More About Mark Custer and Ida Payne:

Marriage: 24 Feb 1889, Jackson County, West Virginia (Sou County Marriage Records, Custer, Henry Harvey and Payne, Rev. B. F. Gosling.)

- vi. Susan Selina Custer, born Abt. 1861; died Unknown; married Marshall 20 Jan 1880 in Jackson County, West Virginia; die

More About Henry Marshall and Susan Custer:

Marriage: 20 Jan 1880, Jackson County, West Virginia

10. George Nelson Duncan, born Abt. 1826 in Harrison County, died Aft. 1880 in West Virginia. He was the son of **20. John Wesley** and **21. Phoebe Pigott**. He married **11. Edith Ann Hildreth** 14 Apr
Marion County, Virginia

11. Edith Ann Hildreth, born 08 Jan 1841 in Marion County, Virginia; died 17 May 1909 in Davidson, Oklahoma. She was the daughter of **22. E. Clarke Hildreth** and **23. Jane Wyre**.

Notes for George Nelson Duncan:

Listed in the Census of 1880 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Date and place of burial unknown.

Notes for Edith Ann Hildreth:

From John E. Hildreth by way of Paul Copenhaver 27 Feb 2003: I searched the newspapers in and around Delta, CO and found no mention of Edith's death. I also searched the mortuary records at Delta as well as the Coroner's records - nothing. I somewhat doubt she died in Colorado and was shipped back to Oklahoma for burial. Dorothy and I visited the cemetery in Davidson, OK and saw the grave of Edith. The Sextant records say nothing about Edith other than that was her gravesite. I have written the newspapers of Frederick, OK (county seat) to see if there might have been an article from that area. Evidently Davidson did not have a newspaper at the time. I have already searched the death records for the county in Oklahoma and they have no record of death. Jesse Albert did not live in Delta but lived near a very small crossroad called "Read". The family however was buried in the Delta Cemetery at the time of his death called the "Garnet Mesa Cemetery").

More About Edith Ann Hildreth:

Burial: Unknown, Davidson Cemetery, Davidson, Tillman County, Oklahoma

More About George Duncan and Edith Hildreth:

Marriage: 14 Apr 1857, Marion County, Virginia

Children of George Duncan and Edith Hildreth are:

- 5 i. Serena Jane Duncan, born 09 Feb 1858 in Mannington, Marion County, WV; died 12 Apr 1907 in Mannington, Marion Co., WV; married Milton Custer 16 Nov 1880 in Angerona, Jackson County, WV.
- ii. Phoebe Ann Duncan, born 14 Mar 1859; died Unknown.
- iii. John W. Duncan, born Abt. 1860; died Unknown.
- iv. Jesse Albert Duncan, born 18 Dec 1861; died Unknown; married Margaret Crim 12 Nov 1891 in Granville, Marion County, WV; died Unknown.

Notes for Jesse Albert Duncan:

Information from Denzil R. Mauldin and John E. Hildreth.

More About Jesse Duncan and Mary Crim:
Marriage: 12 Nov 1891, Granville, Marion County, WV

- v. George E. Duncan, born Abt. 1863; died Unknown; married Robinson; died Unknown.

12. Henson Goodwin, born 1826 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1852 in Taylor County, Virginia. He was the son of **24. John W. Goodwin** and **25. Catherine Curry**. He married **13. Nancy Jane Knight** 09 Mar 1845 in Taylor County, Virginia.

13. Nancy Jane Knight, born 12 Apr 1827 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 13 Feb 1854 in Taylor County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **12. Henson Goodwin** and **27. Sarah Patton**.

Notes for Henson Goodwin:

Proof of parents: "The infants being under fourteen years of age the court nominated and appoints John Knight to be Guardian for Sarah C. Goodwin, Thomas P. Goodwin, and James W. Goodwin, infant children and heirs of Henson Goodwin deceased. And said John Knight together with John Knight and Thomas Currey his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned according to law." Taylor County Chancery Court Order. FHL Microfilm 1481441

Probate Taylor County Appraisement
Goodwin, Henson 6/27/1853 \$328.32 by Benjamin Knight and Cochran

Notes for Nancy Jane Knight:

Probate Taylor County, Virginia Appraisement
Goodwin, Nancy 7/-/1856 \$260.31 by Hustead, Benj Knight, & Lowe
Executor John Knight

More About Henson Goodwin and Nancy Knight:
Marriage: 09 Mar 1845, Taylor County, Virginia

Children of Henson Goodwin and Nancy Knight are:

- i. Sarah Catherine Goodwin, born 02 Dec 1845 in Taylor County, Virginia; died 26 Dec 1918 in Akron, Ohio; married William H. Tate 26 Dec 1868 in Ritchie County, West Virginia; born 1839 in Augusta County, Virginia; died 21 Jul 1913 in Parkersburg, Wood County, West Virginia

Notes for Sarah Catherine Goodwin:

Aunt Kate Tate remembered by Evadna Grace Goodwin Kitchener as a neat, clean housekeeper. Her brother, James William Goodwin, sometimes stayed with her as he was growing up. She is buried in the Tate family plot in Parkersburg, West Virginia.

Parkersburg , WV. The family lived at 236 Ira Ave, Akron, C

More About William Tate and Sarah Goodwin:

Marriage: 29 Oct 1863, Ritchie County, West Virginia

- ii. Thomas Porter Goodwin, born Abt. 1848; died Unknown; m
Martha J. McCullough 04 Nov 1875; died Unknown.

More About Thomas Goodwin and Martha McCullough:

Marriage: 04 Nov 1875

- 6 iii. James William Goodwin, born 08 Sep 1851 in Taylor County
died 01 Sep 1930 in Wood County, West Virginia; married L
Chancellor 07 Dec 1880 in Wood County, West Virginia.

14. Benjamin Franklin Chancellor, born Abt. 1832 in Wood Co
Virginia (Source: Cetificate of Death #1041 Parkersburg, WV); died 1
1913 in Parkersburg, Wood County, WV (Source: Certificate of Death
Parkersburg, WV). He was the son of **28. John Cooper Chancellor** &
Catherine Sinnett. He married **15. Evaline Bailey** 26 Feb 1854 in W
County, Virginia.

15. Evaline Bailey, born 13 Mar 1833 in Virginia; died 23 Apr 18
Wood County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **30. William Bailey**
Mary Woodyard.

More About Benjamin Chancellor and Evaline Bailey:

Marriage: 26 Feb 1854, Wood County, Virginia

Children of Benjamin Chancellor and Evaline Bailey are:

- i. Thomas Jackson Chancellor, born 1854 in Wood County, Vi
Unknown; married Jennie Anderson 03 Jul 1889 in Wood Cc
Unknown.

More About Thomas Chancellor and Jennie Anderson:

Marriage: 03 Jul 1889, Wood County

- ii. Mary Catherine Chancellor, born 27 Mar 1856 in Wood Cou
died Unknown.
- iii. Harriett Rebecca Chancellor, born 25 Sep 1858 in Wood Cou
Virginia; died Unknown.
- 7 iv. Lois Ann Chancellor, born 09 Feb 1861 in Wood County, Vi
20 Feb 1953 in Pleasants County, West Virginia; married Jan
Goodwin 07 Dec 1880 in Wood County, West Virginia.

16. Mark Custer, Sr., born Abt. 1788 in Pennsylvania; died 02 Sep 1859 in Sandyville, Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Indexed Register of Deaths, Jackson County, West Virginia, page 115, Custer, Mark (Sr) White m. Kimble. Death month 9, day 2, year 1859 age 78 place of death Jackson County death Fever Father Peter Custer, Mother Catherine, Name of person giving information J. P. Custer.). He was the son of **32. Peter Custer** and **33. Elizabeth ?**. He married **17. Mary Margaret Kimble** 08 Oct 1810 in Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983) page 122, Custer, Mark m. Kimble, Mary Oct 8, 1810 suretor Richard Morris 3b163 Kimble, Margaret m. Custer, Mark Oct 8, 1810 suretor Richard Morris bond 3b163.).

17. Mary Margaret Kimble, born Abt. 1785 in Virginia; died Berkeley County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **34. Jacob Kimble** and **35. Unknown**.

Notes for Mark Custer, Sr.:

1830 Census Center Township, Greene County, PA lists one male under 5; one male 10-15; one male 40-50; one female under 5; one female 5-10; one female 10-15; one female 20-30; one female 50-60. (Brother John Custer in Wayne Township, Greene County, PA)

1840 Census Tyler County, VA/WV lists Mark Custer head of household 1 male 5 Yrs. and under, 1 male 10 - 15 Yrs., 1 male 20 - 30 Yrs, and 1 male 50 Yrs. 2 females 15 - 20 Yrs. and 1 female 50 - 60 Yrs.

1850 Census Jackson County VA/WV : 197-201 Custer, Mark Sr. (died Sep 1859) b.PA listed with Custer, David 16 (married Jerusha d/o Daniel W. and Hephzibah [Chapman] Sayre).

Note from John Houseman's "Pioneers in Jackson County" page 25: Abraham Trueman sold a half interest in his mill to John Custer. Belonging should be Mark Custer. Need to check records in Jackson County.

Notes for Mary Margaret Kimble:

Said to be buried Ben's Run Tyler/Pleasants County line.

From Connie Loy 4 Sep 2000: This Bogard cemetery is just a short distance from Ben's Run.

More About Mark Custer and Mary Kimble:

Marriage: 08 Oct 1810, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983). page 54. 122. Custer, Mark m. Kimble, Mary Margaret.

1810 suretor Richard Morrison bond 3b163 Kimble, Margaret m. Cus
Oct 8, 1810 suretor Richard Morrison bond 3b163.)

Children of Mark Custer and Mary Kimble are:

- i. Sarah Jane Custer, born 06 Aug 1812 in Berkeley County, V
03 Mar 1880 in Pleasants County, West Virginia; married Sa
Seckman 02 Sep 1830 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; born
1810 in Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Information from
Radcliffe Yeager. A Pleasants County history says he was bc
Berkeley County, Virginia. Lenore is checking on her source
believes was from the Allen County Library in Indiana.); died

Notes for Sarah Jane Custer:

Information on the descendants of Sarah Jane "Sallie" Custer
contributed by her descendant Lenore Radcliffe Yeager. Her
the Bible records of her Great Grandmother Mary Florence S
Jones as well as marriage and birth records from the Court H
Marys in Pleasant County, West Virginia.

Notes for Samuel B. Seckman:

Served eight years as a Justice of the Peace. Primary occupat
raising on his farm, which lies along Big Run. His address w
Pleasants County, WV.

More About Samuel Seckman and Sarah Custer:

Marriage: 02 Sep 1830, Greene County, Pennsylvania

- ii. John Peter Custer, born Jan 1818 in Berkeley County, Virgin
Jan 1902 in West Virginia; married (1) Charlotte Seckman A
born Abt. 1818; died 11 Jul 1862 in Jackson County, Virginia;
(2) Elizabeth Knotts 11 Oct 1863; born 02 Jul 1816 in Presto
Virginia; died 14 Dec 1905 in Jackson County, West Virgini
John House, *Pioneers in Jackson County, W.VJA. History of
and Sandy Valley and its Early Settlements*, (Compiled in 19
243, died December 14th, 1905, aged eighty nine years, five
twelve days.).

Notes for John Peter Custer:

In an e mail from Freda Blake Bradley sent 16 Apr 2001:

Middle Sandy Valley

Big Lick Run comes on the right of Sandy, and a short distan
has

been a wild, rough country in the pioneer days. The hills are
and rocky. There are imposing cliffs and walls of sandstone
sides

of a gorge below the Grant farm, with rocks framed in the w

as

a house. This strata of rocks seems to run solid through the hills and
crops
out on the right fork of Coon Run in a solid wall of rock on either side of
the
stream, twelve to sixteen feet in thickness, through which the water has
been worn in the course of centuries. Near the mouth of Trap Run on the
left
bank of the stream is a wall of stone.

The run is named from a spring in the bottom, on the right side of the stream
near
the stream a little distance from its mouth. This once famous spring is
only about a hundred yards below the site of John Custer's cabin, on the
the upper line of K.C. Hutchinson's land, and the water comes
under
the foot of a towering mountain.

1850 Census Jackson Co., VA: 198-202 Custer John P. age 10 born
Sandyville b. Berkeley County; Charlette (Seckman) age 33; George N. Custer age 7 born Tyler Co., VA,; George N. Custer age 6 born Tyler Co., VA,; Sylvester B. Custer age 5 born Tyler Co., VA.

1860 Census Jackson Co., VA: 840-792 John P. Custer age 4 born
Trace Fork of Sandy born VA; Charlotte (Seckman) 42 born VA; George 15 born VA

1870 Census Jackson Co., WV: 77-77 John P. Custer age 52 born
Trace Fork born Berkeley Co.,; Elizabeth age 54

1880 Census Jackson Co., WV: 286-288 John P. Custer age 62 born
born Berkeley Co., WV;
Elizabeth 64; Okey C. Grant age 11 nephew (s/o Chapman C. Grant);
Margaret Custer Grant m. 16 Aug 1866 Jackson Co., WV); Lucy? Grant age 33 domestic born WV; Lucy? Grant 14 waiter born WV (s/o
Grant).
Margaret Custer MacFarland Grant was the sister of John P. Custer.

Home Guard during the War Between the States.

From John House's "Pioneers in Jackson County":
"John Custer married first a Seckman, a sister of Squire Sayre who
lived on the Sarver Farm, on Big Lick, which he sold to Old John
Harper. He was living there in 1858. He married next Elizabeth
of Jephtha Magee. He lived after his second marriage at the old
wife, beyond Independence."

John House in "Pioneers of Jackson County" states that Charlotte is the sister of Squire Sayre's wife. Squire Sayre was the brother of Squire Sayre, wife of David Custer. John Custer would be the brother of Squire Sayre and Jerusha Sayre Custer.

More About John Custer and Charlotte Seckman:
Marriage: Abt. 1842

- iii. Margaret Mary Custer, born 01 Dec 1823 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; died 04 Sep 1878 in Jackson County, West Virginia; married (1) Thomas D. McFarland 12 Oct 1843 in Tyler County, Virginia; born 16 Dec 1816 in Providence, Rhode Island; died 1859 in Jackson County, Virginia; married (2) Chapman Grant 1866 in Jackson County, West Virginia; born Abt. 1809 in Fincastle County, Virginia; died Bef. 1880 in Jackson County, West Virginia

Notes for Margaret Mary Custer:

Lived next door to John P. Custer, her brother, in 1860 Jackson County, Virginia. Margaret Grant age 56 date of death 9th month 1878 location of death: Lung Fever. Jackson County Death Records. Okey and Charles L. Grant living with John P. Custer in 1880. Buried at Cottageville, West Virginia.

More About Margaret Mary Custer:

Burial: Unknown, Cottageville Cemetery, Jackson County, West Virginia

Notes for Thomas D. McFarland:

Information for the Thomas and Margaret Custer McFarland and their descendants from Carol Taravella whose husband is a descendant of this family through Robert William McFarland and from Starline McFarland who is a descendant through Martha Elizabeth McFarland (born 1821 and Martha were children of Thomas Jefferson McFarland and wife of Thomas and Margaret Custer McFarland)

Further information from "Tommie" Erma Cavender states that Thomas and Margaret Custer McFarland are buried at Cottageville, West Virginia

More About Thomas McFarland and Margaret Custer:

Marriage: 12 Oct 1843, Tyler County, Virginia

- iv. Christina Custer, born 14 Mar 1826 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; died 19 Jan 1896; married Aaron Greenfield McCardell 10 Apr 1848 in Tyler County, Virginia; born 20 Jun 1821; died 08 Jul 1888.

Notes for Christina Custer:

Lived in Tyler County 1850, Pleasants County 1860, and Tyler County 1870.

Donald Custer states that Myrtle Custer gives Christina Custer's grandparents as Peter and Elizabeth Custer and her parents as

Linda Cheek is a descendant of Christina Custer McCardell.

More About Aaron McCardell and Christina Custer:
Marriage: 10 Apr 1845, Tyler County, Virginia

- 8 v. Mark Custer, Jr., born 1829 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; in Jackson County, West Virginia; married Mary Elizabeth M Jun 1850 in Jackson County, Virginia.
- vi. David Custer, born 22 Nov 1833 in Tyler County, Virginia; d 1858 in Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Indexed Register of Jackson County, West Virginia, page 115, Custer, David, W died 1858 age 29 years and 11 months Jackson County of Fe Mark, Mother Margaret. Persons giving information Jerusha McFarland Another death entry was given by J. P. Custer late 22 years one month and death date of Sep 1859 which is inco David died the year before his father.); married Jerusha Sayre 1854 in Jackson County, Virginia; born 10 Sep 1830 in Virgi Jul 1878 in West Virginia.

Notes for David Custer:

From John House's "Pioneers in Jackson County" page 250:
"David Custer married Jerusha Sayre, daughter of Daniel Say at the mouth of a little run which comes in to the Right Fork of little above Murray's, and about two miles above Sandyville."

Notes for Jerusha Sayre:

Jerusha was sued by John Peter Custer over estate his brother Custer. Last record found so far was that the case belonged in County courts rather than Jackson County courts.
Jerusha buried in New Era, WV.

More About David Custer and Jerusha Sayre:
Marriage: 16 Feb 1854, Jackson County, Virginia

18. Armistead Morehead, born 14 Oct 1793 in Fauquier County, (Source: Tombstone Inscription United Methodist Cemetery Sandyvil Virginia); died 17 Oct 1878 in Sandyville, Jackson County, West Virg (Source: Tombstone Inscription United Methodist Cemetery Sandyvil Virginia). He was the son of **36. Nathaniel Morehead, Sr.** and **37. M Jett**. He married **19. Tacy Richards** 21 Jul 1814 in Wood County, V (Source: Marriage Record Wood County, Virginia 1814).

19. Tacy Richards, born 20 Jun 1798 in Virginia (Source: Tombs Inscription United Methodist Cemetery Sandyville, West Virginia); di 1872 in Sandyville, Jackson County, West Virginia (Source: Tombs

Inscription United Methodist Cemetery Sandyville, West Virginia). S daughter of **38. Isaac Richards** and **39. Deborah Drake**.

Notes for Armistead Morehead:

Research of Grace Ebnetter.

Buried in Independence Cemetery Sandyville, Jackson County, West Virginia United Methodist Church. Stones were in good condition in

Stone read Armstead Morehead Died Oct 17 1878 Aged 85 yrs 3 d pride of our hearts has left us. Our dear father is dead. Beneath the so repose. There peaceful lies his bed. Vacant in heaven a place was for empty crown was lying there. Were turned to earth an angels eyes. In one the crown to wear. They fell on him we loved so well on one too earth." (this is the best I could read the engraving - Grace Ebnetter).

The other stone read Tacy Wife of Armstead Morehead died March 73 yrs 9 mo 4 days "Come mourning friends now cease to weep My troubles now have ceased My sleeping dust lies here at rest While I in Jesus breast"

Copies of death record, marriage record, and Census records from Jackson Counties, VA/ WV in possession of Grace Ebnetter. When Jackson County was formed in 1831, court records say that Armstead Morehead appointed as a road surveyor. (Microfilm record Family History Library)

Marriage Notes for Armistead Morehead and Tacy Richards:

Married by William Beauchamp.

More About Armistead Morehead and Tacy Richards:

Marriage: 21 Jul 1814, Wood County, Virginia (Source: Marriage Record, Wood County, Virginia 1814)

Children of Armistead Morehead and Tacy Richards are:

- i. Charles H. Morehead, died Unknown; married Susan B. Chalmers; died Unknown.
- ii. Deborah Morehead, died Unknown.
- iii. Susan A. Morehead, died Unknown; married Ezekiel Marion; died Unknown.
- iv. Thomas D. Morehead, born 08 Nov 1815; died 1881; married Eaton Abt. 1846 in Jackson County, West Virginia; born 23 Apr 1815; died 18 Jul 1855; married (2) Rachel Vandevort 15 Sep 1857; born Louisa County, Iowa; born 25 Mar 1832 in Ohio; died 27 Oct 1881; Republic County, Kansas.

Notes for Thomas D. Morehead:

Information for this family from descendant Bonny Smith on

Also, information from 3 Great GD Mary in Nebraska in e m 2001.

Important note: 15 Aug 2003 in an e-mail from BJ Denahey: I was recently contacted by Bonny Smith. Her name is Bonny. I sent her the new information about William Morehead's wife Jones. I also sent her some census information I had found so ago about Thomas D. and Sarah (Eaton) Morehead. She just wanting to see if we could get together sometime. I will be p through the general area over Labor Day so it will be depende family plans that might come up for her.

I was surprised when she told me that she did not feel she ha proof of Thomas D.'s parentage. She had talked to a descend Armistead's who claimed William Oliver was the oldest child family. I went to your website and wondered what informatio actually contained in the emails from the 3 Great GD Mary in I still think Thomas D. is Armistead's son and maybe since he far from Virginia information on him just wasn't passed on in What do you think?

bj

And on 16 Aug 2003 BJ wrote:

Here is the info I have on what happened to Thomas D. and S Morehead's children.

James William Morehead died 21 Jul 1913, Douglass Co., Ka was married and had a daughter Nettie.

Alexander Eaton Morehead died 15 Nov 1919 and is buried i Washington Cem., Republic Co., Kansas

Wnfield Scott Morehead died 26 Jul 1917, buried Geneva, Ne

Oscar F. Morehead died 4 Mar 1852

Charley Henry Morehead died 19 Apr 1854

Anna Maria Morehead died 3 Jul 1855

I still believe we have Thomas D. placed correctly as a son of but I know I am more particular about my own line, too. Cor Armistead married in Jul 1814, it would be reasonable that th would have been born by Nov 1815. I don't have an exact bir William Oliver but think it was about 1820 and I see you hav census seems to reflect an older son also.

bj

Notes for Rachel Vandevort:

In an e-mail from Bev Vandevort Todd dated 7 Aug 2001:

From what I have been told by older family (Vandevort) men deceased, Rachel (Vandevort) Morehead was previously mar William John Vandevort, a cousin abt 1850. I have been unal record of this marriage or a divorce record. I do find it interes

father's permission for their marriage.

More About Rachel Vandevort:

Burial: Unknown, Washington Cemetery, Republic County, IA

Marriage Notes for Thomas Morehead and Rachel Vandevort
From Bev Todd 7 Aug 2001:

Early Marriage Records Louisa Co., IA bk. "B" 1855-1861.

More About Thomas Morehead and Rachel Vandevort:

Marriage: 15 Sep 1857, Wapello, Louisa County, Iowa

- v. William Oliver Morehead, born Abt. 1824 in Mason, Wood County, West Virginia (Jackson in 1831), VA (WV in 1863); died 26 Jul 1900 in Wood County, West Virginia; married (1) Uree Reeder 18 Feb 1847 in Wood County, West Virginia; born Abt. 1827; died Bef. 1879; married (2) Melissa E. Treadway 01 Oct 1879 in Wood County, West Virginia; born 1847; died 10 Feb 1915.

Notes for William Oliver Morehead:

In an email dated 4 Dec 2001 Grace Carson writes:

William Oliver Morehead b. c1821 Mason, Jackson County, West Virginia, 1900 Wood County. [I have not found his burial place]
Married Uree Reeder, 2-18-1847 Wood County Early Marriage Records
J.H. McCutcheon

Uree b. c1821 died bef 1879 [I have not found her burial place]
Richard Harrison Reeder and Uree Butcher, they are buried in Wood County Cemetery along I77 at Mineral Wells beside race tract.

Uree Butcher is the daughter of Samuel Butcher and Hannah Deborah Drake's sister and Hannah is the daughter of Thomas Eurah Humphrey [small world, that makes Thomas Drake and Hannah double grandparents to me, through Hannah and Deborah].

Children of Wm. O. and Uree Reeder

Richard R. b. c 1850

Emma Victoria, b. 2-25-1852

Infant, sex ? 3-15-1853

Wm. Clayton b. c1854

Abraham Armstrong, b. c1860

Infant sex ?, b. 1861

Viola C., b. c1864

Mary L., b 1867

Charles E., b 1869

William married 2nd Melissa E. Treadway 10-1-1879 Wood County Marriage Book 2, pg 289.

Parkersburg Memorial Gardens formerly IOOF. One of their buried beside her. Melissa is the daughter of Calvin Treadway Ann Marshall. Melissa and Mary Ann [who married Thomas are sisters.

Children of Wm. O. and Melissa Treadway

Martha

Lucina

George Washington, b. 11-3-1881, d. 1954 buried in Parkersl Memorial Gardens, formerly IOOF

Oza

James O. b. 9-28-1883 d. 8-16-1941 buried Parkersburg Men Gardens, Formerly IOOF, he is buried beside his mother.

More About William Morehead and Uree Reeder:

Marriage: 18 Feb 1847, Wood County, Virginia

- vi. Lucinda Morehead, born 10 Dec 1828 (Source: Descendant C DuPont sent me this information.); died Unknown; married J Shepherd; died Unknown.
- vii. Alfred Harrison Morehead, born 10 Oct 1830 in Sandyville, J County, Virginia; died 17 Aug 1890 in West Virginia; married Elizabeth Bumgardner 10 Feb 1857 in Wirt County, Virginia May 1836 in Jackson County, Virginia; died 21 Mar 1899 in Virginia.

More About Alfred Morehead and Sarah Bumgardner:

Marriage: 10 Feb 1857, Wirt County, Virginia

- 9 viii. Mary Elizabeth Morehead, born May 1833 in Jackson County died Bef. 1906 in West Virginia; married (1) Mark Custer, Jr 1850 in Jackson County, Virginia; married (2) Henry H. Sutt 1866 in Jackson County, Virginia.
- ix. Kanzada Morehead, born 1835 (Source: Tombstone Inscripti Methodist Cemetery Sandyville, West Virginia); died 1926 in Jackson County, Virginia (Source: Tombstone Inscription Ur Methodist Cemetery Sandyville, West Virginia).
- x. Sarah Margaret Morehead, born 1839; died 1870; married Jo Roberts; died Unknown.

20. John Wesley Duncan, born Abt. 1780; died 1836 in Harrison Virginia now West Virginia. He married **21. Phoebe Pigott** Abt. 180

21. Phoebe Pigott, born Abt. 1782 in Maryland; died Aft. 1860. : the daughter of **42. George Pigott** and **43. Mary L. Masters**

Notes for John Wesley Duncan:

From information of Denzil R. Mauldin and John E. Hildreth

Notes for Phoebe Pigott:

In 1860 Census Phoebe resided with her son Asbury R. Duncan an age as 78 with place of birth as Maryland.

More About John Duncan and Phoebe Pigott:

Marriage: Abt. 1805

Children of John Duncan and Phoebe Pigott are:

- i. Ann Duncan, died Unknown; married ? Shinn; died Unknown
- ii. Mary Duncan, born Abt. 1807; died Unknown; married Jobe Sep 1825 in Harrison County, Virginia now West Virginia; d Unknown.

More About Jobe Shinn and Mary Duncan:

Marriage: 25 Sep 1825, Harrison County, Virginia now West

- iii. Jane Duncan, born Abt. 1809 in Maryland; died Unknown; m Nathan Ogden 14 Apr 1831 in Harrison County, Virginia now Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Nathan Ogden and Jane Duncan:

Marriage: 14 Apr 1831, Harrison County, Virginia now West

- iv. John Wesley Duncan, Jr., born Abt. 1812 in Virginia now W died 15 Jul 1872 in Marion County, West Virginia; married J Elizabeth Fortney 17 Mar 1835 in Harrison County, Virginia Virginia; born Abt. 1818; died 22 Oct 1891 in Marion County Virginia.

Notes for John Wesley Duncan, Jr.:

Information on the descendants of John W. Duncan, Jr. from Morris Hutchison sent Feb 2003.

More About John Duncan and Julia Fortney:

Marriage: 17 Mar 1835, Harrison County, Virginia now West

- v. July Ann Duncan, born Abt. 1816; died Unknown.
- vi. Ametia Duncan, born Abt. 1817; died Unknown.
- vii. David Masters Duncan, born Abt. 1820; died 10 Nov 1891 in Farmington, West Virginia; married (1) Annie Jane Manear / born Abt. 1820; died Abt. 1858; married (2) Christina Morris 1858 in Marion County, VA now WV; born Apr 1825; died /

More About David Duncan and Annie Manear:
Marriage: Abt. 1839

- viii. Asbury Robinson Duncan, born Abt. 1824; died Unknown; m
Ann Talkington 14 Mar 1850; died Unknown.

More About Asbury Duncan and Mary Talkington:
Marriage: 14 Mar 1850

- 10 ix. George Nelson Duncan, born Abt. 1826 in Harrison County,
died Aft. 1880 in West Virginia; married Edith Ann Hildreth
in Marion County, Virginia.

22. Elias Clarke Hildreth, born 06 Jan 1820; died Unknown. He
son of **44. Joseph Heldreth** and **45. Hester Nutter**. He married **23. J**
09 Jan 1840 in Harrison County, Virginia.

23. Jane Wyre, born 18 May 1818; died 03 Nov 1886. She was t
daughter of **46. Archibald Taylor Wyer** and **47. Elizabeth Rittenho**

More About Elias Hildreth and Jane Wyre:
Marriage: 09 Jan 1840, Harrison County, Virginia

Child of Elias Hildreth and Jane Wyre is:

- 11 i. Edith Ann Hildreth, born 08 Jan 1841 in Marion County, Vir
17 May 1909 in Davidson, Oklahoma; married George Nelso
Apr 1857 in Marion County, Virginia.

24. John W. Goodwin, born in Pruntytown, Virginia; died 1849 i
County, Virginia. He was the son of **48. Francis Goodwin** and **49. L**
married **25. Catherine Curry** 01 Feb 1821 in Harrison County, Virgi

25. Catherine Curry, born 1803 in Harrison County, Virginia; di
1871 in Taylor County, West Virginia. She was the daughter of **50. J**
Curry and **51. Eleanor Welsh**.

Notes for John W. Goodwin:

Probate Record Appraisement Taylor Co., VA
Goodwin, John 10/17/1849 \$620.82 by Sinclair, Bailey Knight, & C

More About John Goodwin and Catherine Curry:
Marriage: 01 Feb 1821, Harrison County, Virginia

- i. John Goodwin, died Unknown.
- ii. William Marine Goodwin, born 1822; died Unknown.
- 12 iii. Henson Goodwin, born 1826 in Harrison County, Virginia; d
1852 in Taylor County, Virginia; married Nancy Jane Knight
1845 in Taylor County, Virginia.
- iv. James Creighton Goodwin, born 02 May 1832; died Unknown
- v. Lidia Eleanor Goodwin, born 1833; died Unknown.
- vi. Calvin Goodwin, born 22 May 1834; died Unknown.
- vii. Ann Almira Goodwin, born 1837; died Unknown.
- viii. Nancy Jane Goodwin, born 1839; died Unknown.
- ix. Permelia Penelope Goodwin, born 21 Jan 1841; died Unknown
- x. Elizabeth Catherine Goodwin, born 06 Jul 1847; died Unknown

26. John Knight, born 22 Feb 1794 in Virginia; died 07 Sep 1878
County, West Virginia. He was the son of **52. Bailey Knight, Sr.** and
Sarah Ann ?. He married **27. Sarah Patton** 09 Sep 1816 in Harrison
Virginia.

27. Sarah Patton, born 29 Jan 1796 in Virginia; died 06 Dec 1886
Ritchie County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **54. John Patton** and
Mary Webb.

Notes for John Knight:

Buried at Victory Ridge Cemetery Ritchie Co., WV near Ellenboro
Inscription reads died 7 September 1878 age 84 y "There remainth th
rest to the people of God." (bottom corner of stone: Alan Co. Clarksb
Marbleworks.

Family information from the old family Bible owned by Victor W.
and microfilm in Family History Library Tetrack Records.

1860 Census Ritchie County Virginia John and Sarah Knight liste
daughter Amy, son Edward and grandchildren Sarah Catherine Goodw
Thomas Porter Goodwin age 10, and James William Goodwin age 8.

Knights known for their blue eyes (Mary Knight Clark)

Notes for Sarah Patton:

Buried at Victory Ridge Cemetery near Ellenboro, Ritchie Co., We
Virginia Inscription reads died 6 December 1886 age 91 y w/o John
thou art now at home ____ above but ____ roam till su
by his love."

More About John Knight and Sarah Patton:

Marriage: 09 Sep 1816, Harrison County, Virginia

Children of John Knight and Sarah Patton are:

- i. Mary Knight, born 12 Oct 1817; died 07 Dec 1854 in Taylor VA/WV; married John B. Currey 31 Mar 1836; died Unknown

Notes for Mary Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About Mary Knight:

Burial: Unknown, Knight- Currey Cemetery, Taylor Co., WV

More About John Currey and Mary Knight:

Marriage: 31 Mar 1836

- ii. Elizabeth Knight, born 16 Nov 1819; died 09 Aug 1845.

Notes for Elizabeth Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About Elizabeth Knight:

Burial: Unknown, Knight-Currey Cemetery, Taylor Co., WV

- iii. Bailey Knight, born 24 Dec 1821 (Source: Guy Tetrick West Files Information from the Scranage Family Bible, Birthdate 12/24/1821.); died 22 May 1895 in Taylor County, WV; married Lawler; died Unknown.

Notes for Bailey Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About Bailey Knight:

Burial: Unknown, Harmony Grove Cemetery, Taylor Co., WV

- iv. Sarah Ann Knight, born 31 Aug 1824; died Aft. 1880; married M. Goodwin; died Unknown.

Notes for Sarah Ann Knight:

Information from 15 Jul 2004

- 13 v. Nancy Jane Knight, born 12 Apr 1827 in Harrison County, VA; died 13 Feb 1854 in Taylor County, Virginia; married Henson Goodwin 31 Mar 1845 in Taylor County, Virginia.
- vi. William G. Knight, born 03 Jun 1829; died 07 May 1872 in Taylor County, WV; married Margaret Elizabeth Snyder Abt. 1850; died Unknown

Notes for William G. Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About William Knight and Margaret Snyder:

- vii. Amie Knight, born 27 Dec 1832; died 26 Nov 1904; married Scranage 05 Jan 1880; died Unknown.

Notes for Amie Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About Amie Knight:

Burial: Unknown, Clelland Cemetery, Boothville, WV

More About John Scranage and Amie Knight:

Marriage: 05 Jan 1880

- viii. Edward J. Knight, born 13 May 1837; died 1911 in Harmony Cemetery, Taylor Co., WV; married Mary Linn 14 Jun 1863; Unknown.

Notes for Edward J. Knight:

Information from Mary Knight Clark 15 Jul 2004

More About Edward Knight and Mary Linn:

Marriage: 14 Jun 1863

28. John Cooper Chancellor, born Abt. 1803 in Wood County, VA died Aft. 1860. He was the son of **56. Thomas Chancellor III** and **57. Gaines**. He married **29. Catherine Sinnett** 29 Dec 1822 in Wood Co Virginia.

29. Catherine Sinnett, born Abt. 1804 in Pendleton County, Virg Aft. 1860. She was the daughter of **58. Patrick Sinnett** and **59. Cath Hevener**.

Notes for John Cooper Chancellor:

Research of Phyllis Chancellor Holley

1860 Census Scott County, Arkansas

1850 Census Lee County, Iowa

Ritchie County, WV History

Scotland Co., MO Marriage Records

Benton Co., Arkansas Marriage Records

1850 Census District #29, Lee County, Iowa

M432, #186, p. 452 B

John C. Chancellor 49 Farmer VA

Katharine 48

"

William 24

"

Thomas 21

"

Benjamin 18 "
 James 14 "
 Jane 12 "
 Patrick Henry 9 "
 Andrew 4 "
 1860 Boon Township, Boonville P.O., Scott County, Arkansas
 M653, #50, p. 43
 John Chancellor 60
 Catharine 55
 Jane 22
 A J 18
 Mary J Anderson 15

Notes for Catherine Sinnett:

From "Pioneers in Wood County" by John House page 183:
 John Cooper Chancellor married Catherine Sinnett and Benjamin Cha
 married Phoebe Sinnett. "These girls were sisters, and children of Pat
 Sinnett, an Irishman who was with General Lewis at Point Pleasant, a
 Revolutionary army. He died in the fifties, at one hundred five years o

In an e-mail 8 Sep 2002 Barbara Burrows wrote: I noticed that you
 Chancellor family, on the
 very last line, was in Scott Co., AR. in 1860's. That's quite a coincider
 because my great grandmother Mariah Sieber died in either Scott or S
 Co., AR. I am in Hemet, Ca., but I was born in Ft. Smith,
 AR in Sebastian Co. Scott borders Sebastian Co. I'm certain that they
 somewhere. (Sieber another spelling of Seybert. Catherine's great gran
 maiden name was Seybert)

More About John Chancellor and Catherine Sinnett:

Marriage: 29 Dec 1822, Wood County, Virginia

Children of John Chancellor and Catherine Sinnett are:

- i. Harriet Chancellor, died Unknown.
- ii. Kitty Chancellor, died Unknown.
- iii. Seth Chancellor, died Unknown.
- iv. William Chancellor, born Abt. 1826; died Unknown.
- v. Rebecca Chancellor, born 24 Aug 1828; died Unknown.
- vi. Thomas Jefferson Chancellor, born Abt. 1829; died Unknown.
- 14 vii. Benjamin Franklin Chancellor, born Abt. 1832 in Wood Cou
 Virginia; died 16 Jun 1913 in Parkersburg, Wood County, W
 (1) Evaline Bailey 26 Feb 1854 in Wood County, Virginia; m
 Sarah A. King 06 Mar 1864 in Wood County, West Virginia
 Adelaide G. Amiss 01 Oct 1896.

- ix. Jane Chancellor, born Abt. 1838; died Unknown.
- x. Patrick Henry Chancellor, born Abt. 1839; died Unknown.
- xi. Andrew Jackson Chancellor, born Abt. 1846; died Unknown.

30. William Bailey, born Abt. 1800 in Harrison County, Virginia; 17 Jan 1858 in Wood County, Virginia. He was the son of **60. John I** and **61. Elizabeth**. He married **31. Mary Woodyard** 11 Feb 1829 in County, Virginia.

31. Mary Woodyard, born Abt. 1800 in Fauquier County, Virginia; Oct 1856 in Wood County, Virginia (Source: Five Mile Cemetery - A Ridge Road - - off old St. Mary's Pike). She was the daughter of **62. I Woodyard** and **63. Mary**.

Notes for William Bailey:

Living in Wood County in 1844. He sold land there in 1847, but h away earlier.

Robert Lee Woodyard found this record in Wood County marriage BAILEY, William 50 (w)

Date: January 17, 1858

Place of Birth: Harrison County

Parents: John and Elizabeth Bailey
and Elizabeth Hoy 36 (w)

Place of Birth: Greene County, PA

Parents: Abner and Sarah (Cowell) Wharton

More About William Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1841, Living in Harrison (Taylor County), VA/WV

Fact 2: 1844, Taylor County, VA/WV formed from Harrison Co., VA

More About William Bailey and Mary Woodyard:

Marriage: 11 Feb 1829, Harrison County, Virginia

Children of William Bailey and Mary Woodyard are:

- i. John Bailey, born Abt. 1832; died Unknown.
- 15 ii. Evaline Bailey, born 13 Mar 1833 in Virginia; died 23 Apr 18 County, Virginia; married Benjamin Franklin Chancellor 26 l Wood County, Virginia.
- iii. Josina Bailey, born Abt. 1837; died Unknown.
- iv. William Franklin Bailey, born Abt. 1839 in Harrison County, died 17 Aug 1886 in Williams District, Wood County, West married Mary Jane Hoy 21 Nov 1858 in Wood County, Virgi Abt. 1840 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; died Unknown.

Notes for William Franklin Bailey:

Marriage record found by Robert Lee Woodyard:

BAILEY, William B. 22 (s)

Date: November 21 1858

Place of Birth: Harrison County

Parents: William and Mary Bailey
and Mary Jane Hoy 18 (s)

Place of Birth: Greene County, PA

Parents: William and Elizabeth Bailey Hoy

Death record gives place of birth as Taylor County (Taylor C
part of Harrison County at the time William was born about 1
was 48 years old at the time of death. The report was made b

More About William Bailey and Mary Hoy:

Marriage: 21 Nov 1858, Wood County, Virginia

- v. James E Bailey, born 1840 in Taylor County, Virginia (Source: Descendants of William Bailey from Stephen Bailey Maul.); married Elizabeth Jane Hulderman 19 May 1872 in Wood County, Virginia; born Abt. 1853 in Wood County, Virginia; died 1900

More About James E Bailey:

Fact 1: Company D 14th WV Volunteer Infantry

Notes for Elizabeth Jane Hulderman:

From Steve Maul: Elizabeth Jane Hulderman was living with
Mary Hoy in 1860 age 7
1870 age 17.

More About James Bailey and Elizabeth Hulderman:

Marriage: 19 May 1872, Wood County, West Virginia

- vi. Elizabeth Bailey, born Abt. 1843; died 30 Oct 1853 in Wood County, Virginia.

Generation No. 6

32. Peter Custer, born 21 Feb 1760 in Berks County, Pennsylvania; died Bef. 08 Mar 1841 in Berkeley County, Virginia. He was the son of **64. Jonathan Custer, Sr.** and **65. Hannah Peters**. He married **33. Elizabeth Peters** Feb 1781 in Reading, Berks County, Pennsylvania (Source: Rev. John Boos, *Records of Rev. John William Boos 1780-1809 Reformed Ministers: Baptisms: 1782-1809 Marriages: 1780-1807*, (Translated, transcribed and indexed by Laurel Miller 1984), page 4, Marriage Record Date: 2 Feb 1781 Parties: Peter Custer Elisabeth Fleisher: Residence: Reading.).

County, Virginia.

Notes for Peter Custer:

Baptized St Lukes Reformed Church Upper Providence Township Montgomery, PA Father given as Jonathan 1760 Birth Index: Southeastern 1680-1800 from John T. Humphrey

Birth recorded in Custer Bible of Jonathan Custer Pennsylvania Archives
In Milo Custer's "Custer Genealogies" 1944 the will of Peter Custer is reproduced in the appendix page XX.

WILL OF PETER CUSTER, March 13, 1835
(Will Book 13, Page 395, Martinsburg, West Virginia)

"I, Peter Custer, of Berkeley County, in the State of Virginia (West Virginia became a state 20 June 1863), make this , my last will and testament, in writing and form following;

First, I will that my perishable part of my property be sold, immediately after my decease, be sold by my executor, for to be applied to the payment of my debts and funeral expenses.

2ndly, I give to my beloved wife, Elizabeth Custer, one bed and bedding, chairs, delf plates, and set of cups and saucers. I further give her my lot whereon I now live, to occupy or rent out during her natural life.

Third, I will that my executors hereinafter mentioned after the death of my wife, advertize in some newspaper printed in Berkeley County, for two weeks and sell upon the premises, my house and lot, to the highest bidder, at least one fourth of the purchase money in hand, the balance in two payments of nine months. And after the payment of my just debts, the balance whatever it may be, I will to be equally divided amongst my children, to-wit; John Custer, George Custer, Margaret Baker, Mark Custer, Jacob Custer, Reuben Custer, Hannah Hayes, and Catharine Hens (should be Kimes according to Berkeley County Marriage Records), to them and their heirs; Whatever sum of money comes from Joseph Ball's deed (this and the records from the Ball Association in connection from children of Peter to Jonathan and to Paul and Sarah Martha Ball Custer as well as other county records), - formerly a citizen of Philadelphia, - estate, I will it be equally divided amongst the aforesaid heirs.

Fourth, I will my large iron kettle to Margaret Baker, to her and her heirs and lastly, I appoint my trusty friend, Levi Henshaw, my executor to execute my will and testament, with full powers to sell and convey to the purchaser my house and lot, and hereby revoking all other and former wills and testaments, witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 13th day of March, 1835."

"Peter Custer" (Seal)

Will probated 8 May 1841

Notes for Elizabeth ?:

Record for burial of a daughter of Henrich Fleisher in Rev. Boos' Records. Daughter born 26 Dec 1788 died 17 Jan 1792. Henrich could be brother to Elizabeth Fleisher.

Possibly Elizabeth Fleisher. Further research needed.

More About Peter Custer and Elizabeth ?:

Marriage: 28 Feb 1781, Reading, Berks County, Pennsylvania (Source: John William Boos, *Records of Rev. John William Boos 1780-1809 Records of Minister Baptisms: 1782-1809 Marriages: 1780-1807*, (Translated, transcribed, typed and indexed by Laurel Miller 1984), page 4, Marriage Date: 28 Feb 1781 Parties: Peter Coster Elisabeth Fleisher: Residence: Reading.)

Children of Peter Custer and Elizabeth ? are:

- i. John Custer, born 10 Dec 1781 in Pennsylvania; died Abt. 1830 in Fayette County, Pennsylvania; married Rachel Morgan; died Unknown.

Notes for John Custer:

The information on the descendants of John Custer is from the research of Thomas Taylor, John Lambey, Lloyd Roupe, and Donald M. Custer. The 1830 Census Greene County PA lists John in Wayne Town. He has one male under 5; one male 10-15; one male 20-30; one male 30-40; one female 5-10; one female 10-15; one female 40-50. (Brother of Mark, Sr. in Center Township in Greene County, PA)

- ii. Jonathan Custer, born 04 Oct 1783; died Unknown.
- iii. George Custer, born 28 Jan 1785; died Bef. 1850; married Elizabeth Unknown.

Notes for George Custer:

From the research of Donald M. Custer in "Descendants of Peter and Sarah Ball Custer" pages 23 and 24: "George, son of Peter, born 28 Jan 1785. A number of his descendants were living in Berkeley County, Va. but some had moved into Jefferson Co., Va. by 1860. Both counties became a part of West Virginia when that state was erected in 1863. Jefferson was created from Berkeley in 1801. Unfortunately the 1850 census of Berkeley County gives the wife only as Mrs. George Custer. He died before 1850."

Don Silvius, descendant of George through Peter who married Elizabeth Lewis and Joanna Page Custer who married Charles Prather, is researching this line. He has compiled this genealogy of the descendants of Joanna Page Custer.

- iv. Margaret Custer, born Abt. 1787; died Unknown; married Peter

Notes for Margaret Custer:

Received an equal share in will of her father, Peter, plus his 1
kettle.

More About Percifer Baker and Margaret Custer:

Marriage: 09 Aug 1808, Berkeley County, Virginia

- 16 v. Mark Custer, Sr., born Abt. 1788 in Pennsylvania; died 02 Se
Sandyville, Jackson County, Virginia; married Mary Margare
Oct 1810 in Berkeley County, Virginia.
- vi. Jacob Custer, born 24 Oct 1790 in Virginia; died Dec 1887 ir
County, Illinois; married Mary Kime 05 May 1814 in Berkele
Virginia; born 06 Nov 1793; died Unknown.

Notes for Jacob Custer:

Information from Jacob's descendant Michael Watson and fro
M. Custer's "Descendants of Paul and Sarah Martha Ball Cus
Jacob and his family moved to Indiana and from there to Edg
Illinois.

Some of Michael's information came from a Hannah data bo
by Rachel H. Miller and Pauline Hannah who had planned or
their research in five years and entering a copy into the LDS c
However they died before doing this. Their research was bas
research done in 1930. Michael used three pages of typed no
Custer line from this research. He was given this material by
Clara Belle Hannah and Walter Hannah of Sullivan County, I
Michael also visited cemeteries, checked census records, rese
holdings, and collected death certificates, military records, an

Marriage Notes for Jacob Custer and Mary Kime:

Michael's information shows a marriage date of 5 May 1815.
find a record of this marriage in Keesecker's "Marriage Reco
Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854". Perhaps researchers
record at the Berkeley County Court House. Donald's researc
May 1814. His source is given as the Family Bible from Mrs
Custer Riddle of Milan, MO.

More About Jacob Custer and Mary Kime:

Marriage: 05 May 1814, Berkeley County, Virginia

- vii. Reuben Custer, born Abt. 1792; died Bef. 1850; married (1) I
1817; died Unknown; married (2) Cassia Abt. 1824; born 180
1870.

Notes for Reuben Custer:

from Donald M. Custer's "Descendants of Paul and Sarah Ball"
except where noted.

More About Reuben Custer and Cassia:
Marriage: Abt. 1824

- viii. Hannah Custer, born 1800 in Virginia; died 15 Sep 1859 in Berkeley County, Virginia; married (1) Providence Anderson 21 Dec 1815 in Berkeley County, Virginia; died 1823 in Berkeley County, Virginia; married (2) William Merchant 03 Aug 1828; died Unknown; married (3) David Hays 22 Jul 1830; died Unknown.

Notes for Providence Anderson:
All the children were under the age of 21 when Providence died. Knup was appointed their guardian.

More About Providence Anderson and Hannah Custer:
Marriage: 21 Dec 1815, Berkeley County, Virginia

- ix. Catherine E. Custer, born Abt. 1801; died Bef. 1850; married Samuel Kimes 25 Jan 1820 in Berkeley County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Samuel Kimes and Catherine Custer:
Marriage: 25 Jan 1820, Berkeley County, Virginia

34. Jacob Kimble, born 1758 in Morris County, New Jersey; died 1838 in Greene County, Pennsylvania (Source: Carol Towery.). He was the son of **68. Peter Kimble**. He married **35. Unknown** Abt. 1778.

35. Unknown, died Unknown.

Notes for Jacob Kimble:
A deed from deedbook 8 page 359
Greene Co PA

Jacob Kimble and Mary his wife to John Utt 1838
lying on the head waters of Dunkard and Fish creek in
Aleppo Twp Green Co adjoining lands of John Utt,
Hiram Hughes, Peter Kimble and BALL HEIRS.

FYI, Ball heirs include Custer thru Sarah
Martha Ball/Paul Custer. Joseph Ball owned land
in Greene Co. PA

Kimble, Rebecca m. Ott, John Nov. 28, 1801

I'm sure the John Utt above in deed is the same as John Ott in marriage record.

A few of these families, Kimble, Eddy, Ott, Morris are found first in Morris Co NJ, then Frederick or Berkeley Co VA, Greene Co PA, Pleasants Co WV and Monroe Co OH. (From Carol Taravella)

I found Jacob Kimble on a tax list for 1787, in Berkeley, (W)VA
>- no additional white males >21 and no additional white males between 16 &

21. (from Linda Cheek)

ABSTRACTS OF REV. WAR PENSION FILES"
p. 1946

KIMBLE, Jacob, Mary, W10178, BLW #94033-160-55, NJ & VA Line, sol appl 10 Sep 1832 Greene Co PA, sol was b in 1758 in Morris Co NJ & he lived there at enl & later moved to Frederick Co VA & also enl there & he lived there a number of yrs after his srv then moved to Greene Co PA, wid appl 14 Dec 1859 Pleasants Co VA aged 67, sol m Mary Eddy 19 Jan 1816 in Greene Co PA, & sol d there 22 Jun 1838, on 24 Jan 1860 wid had moved to Monroe Co OH & sometimes with other relatives in Pleasants Co VA, one Catharine Kimble rec'd final payment 29 Apr 1880 & was paid from 4 Mar to 29 Apr 1880

KIMBLE, Peter, R5926, NJ Line, so was b in 1750 in Morris Co NJ & he lived there at enl & after the Rev he lived in Berkeley Co VA for about 10 yrs then moved to Greene Co PA & he appl there 23 May 1834
(From Linda Cheek and Carol Taravella)

Descendants of JACOB KIMBLE (PETER) was born 1758 in Morris, NJ, and died January 22, 1838, in Greene (Co.), PA. He married UNKNOWN Abt. 1778 in Pennsylvania.
eneration No. 1 -- Children of JACOB KIMBLE and UNKNOWN

MARGARET KIMBLE (JACOB, PETER)

was born Bet. 1780 - 1790 and died Bef. 1850 in Bens Run,
Jackson Co. (I

haven't personally found this but there is a Bens Run, Tyler/Pleasants
Co.,

near the county line), WV. She married (1) JOSEPH PALMER
August 11, 1801,

in

Berkeley Co., WV. She married (2) MARK CUSTER October 08,
1810, in Berkeley

Co., WV

Kimble Custer go to Greene Co. PA then Tyler Co. VA/WV, then d.
in Bens Run.

CALEB KIMBLE m. Margaret Hydenrick 19 Nov 1824

MARY KIMBLE m. Richard Morrison 8 Aug 1801

MIMA KIMBLE m. Jesse Turner 6 Oct. 1817

REBECCA KIMBLE m. John Ott 28 Nov. 1801 They also go to
Greene Co. PA.

SARAH KIMBLE m. William D. Huffman 11 DEC 1815

Generation No. 2 -- Children of MARY KIMBLE and MARK
CUSTER are:

i. MARY /PALMER/ CUSTER, b. February 14, 1806,
Pennsylvania; d. July 08,

1856, Pleasants Co., (West) Virginia; m. JESSE M. BOGARD,
February 28, 1828.

(The above information from descendants of Mary Palmer Bogard. C
Towery and Connie S. Loy)

In an email from Fred Buck 19 Feb 2002:

What I know for sure is that James Jacob Kimble's (Born 1822) father
Jacob. Told to living relative by her father, son of James Jacob. Verifi
2/17/2002.Clues must be in Greene Co.PA.

From Nelson Eddy 14 Nov 2004:

JACOB KIMBLE, ENTERED SERVICE 1776 MORRIS COUNTY, NJ
WHERE BORN IN 1758. MOVED TO FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRG
WHERE HE ENTERED SERVICE IN 1781; PENSIONED IN 1832C
COUNTY, PA. RESIDED IN ALBERTA TWP. DIED THERE 6 22 26

MARRIED THERE 1-19-1816 MARY EDDY AT HOME OF HER F
GRANTED WIDOW BLW 94033 PLEASSANTS? CO. VA. 1859,
AFFIDAVIT THEN BY MICHAEL EDDY OF MORGAN CO. OHIO
MARRIED THE SISTER OF THE WIDOW ON THE SAME DAY A
PLACE THAT THE WIDOW MARRIED THE SOLDIER; WIDOW'
OCCUPATION WAS "WASHWOMAN FOR SOME YEARS PAST"
AFFIDAVIT BY WIDOW; CATHARINE ECHEBERRY.
REF: VA/WVA GENEALOGICAL DATA FROM REV. WAR PENS
BOUNTY LAND WARRANT RECORDS, PAGES 73 & 74: BY W

More About Jacob Kimble and Unknown:
Marriage: Abt. 1778

Children of Jacob Kimble and Unknown are:

- 17 i. Mary Margaret Kimble, born Abt. 1785 in Virginia; died Bef
 Virginia; married (1) Joseph Palmer 11 Aug 1801 in Berkeley
 Virginia; married (2) Mark Custer, Sr. 08 Oct 1810 in Berkeley
 Virginia.
- ii. Rebecca Kimble, died Unknown; married John Ott 28 Nov 1801
 Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Berkeley
 Marriage Records*, page 122, Kimble, Rebecca m. Ott, John
 1801 suretor, Jacob Kimble bond, 2b150.); died Unknown.

Notes for John Ott:
Source: Carol Towery

More About John Ott and Rebecca Kimble:
Marriage: 28 Nov 1801, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source:
Keesecker, *Berkeley County Marriage Records*, page 122, Ki
Rebecca m. Ott, John Nov 28, 1801 suretor, Jacob Kimble b

- iii. Caleb Kimble, died Unknown; married Margaret Hydenrick 1
 Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marr
 Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealog
 Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Caleb m. Hyde
 Nov 19, Nov 1824 suretor Eperitus Hydenr'k, minister Chas.
 bond 4b277.); died Unknown.

Notes for Caleb Kimble:
Source: Carol Towery

More About Caleb Kimble and Margaret Hydenrick:

Marriage: Nov 1824, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Caleb m. Hydenrick, Marg't Nov 19, Nov 1824 suretor Eperitus Hyden Chas. P. Krauth, bond 4b277.)

- iv. Sarah Kimble, died Unknown; married William D. Huffman in Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Sarah m. Huffman Dec 11, 1815 suretor Richard Morrison, minister W. N. Scott, bond 3b349.); died Unknown.

Notes for William D. Huffman:

Source: Carol Towery

More About William Huffman and Sarah Kimble:

Marriage: 11 Dec 1815, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Sarah m. Huffman, Wm. D. Dec 11, 1815 suretor Richard Morrison, minister W. N. Scott, bond 3b349.)

- v. Mary Kimble, died Unknown; married Richard Morrison 08 Aug 1801, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Mary m. Morrison 8 Aug 1801, suretor Richard Merchant, bond 2b135.); died Unknown.

Notes for Richard Morrison:

Source: Carol Towery

More About Richard Morrison and Mary Kimble:

Marriage: 08 Aug 1801, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Mary m. Morrison, Richard 8 Aug 1801, suretor Richard Merchant, bond 2b135.)

- vi. Mima Kimble, died Unknown; married Jesse Turner 06 Oct 1817, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: Guy L. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1781-1854*, (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, Mima m. Turner 6 Oct 1817, marriage 9 Oct 1817 suretor John Perrel minister W. N. Scott, bond 48.); died Unknown.

Notes for Jesse Turner:

Source: Carol Towery

More About Jesse Turner and Mima Kimble:

Marriage: 06 Oct 1817, Berkeley County, Virginia (Source: C. Keesecker, *Marriage Records of Berkeley County, Virginia 1* (Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc 1983), page 122, Kimble, J. Turner, Jesse Oct 6, marriage 9 Oct 1817 suretor John Perrel N. Scott, bond 4b 48.)

36. Nathaniel Morehead, Sr., born Abt. 1772 in Fauquier County (Source: 1810 Fauquier County, Virginia Census 1820-30 Wood County, Virginia Census); died Abt. 1834 in Wood County, Virginia (Source: property sold 5 Apr 1834). He was the son of **72. William Morehead** and **Mary Jones**. He married **37. Margaret Jett** 23 Dec 1793 in Fauquier County, Virginia (Source: Fauquier County, Virginia Marriage Bonds and Marriages Returns pub by Heritage Books, Inc., Bowie, Maryland 1986 Vol 17 p 59).

37. Margaret Jett, died Aft. 1850 (Source: Census Records 1850 Fauquier County, Virginia). She was the daughter of **74. Thomas Jett** and **75. Owens**.

Notes for Nathaniel Morehead, Sr.:

Research of James Melton, Barbara Denahey, and Barbara Wallace
Nathaniel Morehead was born between 1770 and 1775, probably Fauquier County, Virginia. Father was William Morehead, mother's name unknown. Married Margaret Jett 23 Dec 1793 in Fauquier County.

He had ten children. Samuel O. was the fifth child.

Nathaniel bought 250 acres of land in Wood County, VA for \$560. 1812. Listed in 1810 Fauquier Co. Census, 1820-30 Wood Co. Census. Listed on 1831 personal property tax list Wood County.

After his death, his personal property was sold on 5 Apr 1834 to his son Nathaniel.

Cites Charles R. Morehead, FAMILY RECORDS OF THE MOREHEAD, TURNER, ELLIOTT, WARDER, MORRIS, HOOE, SHOTWELL, NICHOLS, AND RUSSELL FAMILIES

John Motley Morehead III, THE MOREHEAD FAMILY OF NORTH CAROLINA AND VIRGINIA

Lucy Montgomery Smith Price, SYDNEY-SMITH AND CLAGG FAMILIES PRICE GENEALOGY

Randolph Picton Rixey, THE RIXEY GENEALOGY WITH REFERENCE TO THE MOREHEAD, HUNTON, GIBBS, HALL, THOMAS, JONES, LEWIS, CHANCELLOR, PENDLETON, SMITH AND OTHER ALLIED FAMILIES

James B. Deane, NORTHAMPTON AND COUNTY WILLS 1710-1800

John K. Gott, FAUQUIER COUNTY, VIRGINIA MARRIAGE BONDS
1759-1854 AND MARRIAGE RETURNS Nathaniel married Margaret
23 Dec 1793. The bondsman was Thomas Jett.

More About Nathaniel Morehead and Margaret Jett:

Marriage: 23 Dec 1793, Fauquier County, Virginia (Source: Fauquier
Virginia Marriage Bonds and Marriage Returns pub by Heritage Books
Bowie, Maryland 1986 Vol 17 pages 58-59)

Children of Nathaniel Morehead and Margaret Jett are:

- 18 i. Armistead Morehead, born 14 Oct 1793 in Fauquier County,
died 17 Oct 1878 in Sandyville, Jackson County, West Virginia;
Tacy Richards 21 Jul 1814 in Wood County, Virginia.
ii. Nathaniel Morehead, Jr., died 1885; married Mary Richards;
Unknown.

Notes for Nathaniel Morehead, Jr.:
Buried in Palestine Cemetery

- iii. Samuel O. Morehead, born Abt. 1807 in Virginia; died Unknown;
married Sarah Ann Robinson 09 Apr 1826 in Wood County,
died Unknown.

More About Samuel Morehead and Sarah Robinson:
Marriage: 09 Apr 1826, Wood County, Virginia

- iv. Presley Morehead, died Unknown; married Lucy O. Coe 04 Nov 1829
Wood County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Presley Morehead and Lucy Coe:
Marriage: 04 Nov 1829, Wood County, Virginia

- v. Mary Jane Morehead, died Unknown; married John Wesley Felt
Sep 1831 in Wood County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About John Rockhold and Mary Morehead:
Marriage: 22 Sep 1831, Wood County, Virginia

- vi. Lucinda Morehead, died Unknown; married James Moss 09 Sep 1830
Wood County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About James Moss and Lucinda Morehead:
Marriage: 09 Sep 1830, Wood County, Virginia

- vii. Margaret Morehead, died Unknown; married Isaac Sheppard
1836 in Wood County, Virginia; died Unknown.

Notes for Margaret Morehead:

From Liz 22 Mar 2005:

My Margaret Morehead married Isaac Sheppard in 1836 VA.

N. Shepherd married Eliza

Jane Higginbotham- daughter, Sarah Margaret Shepherd (My

grandmother! Kanawha

County, WV.

More About Isaac Sheppard and Margaret Morehead:

Marriage: 03 Nov 1836, Wood County, Virginia

- viii. Owen J. Morehead, died Abt. 1894; married Mahala Owens (in Wirt County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Owen Morehead and Mahala Owens:

Marriage: 05 Sep 1850, Wirt County, Virginia

- ix. Thomas Morehead, born 07 Dec 1796; died 10 Dec 1872 in J Iowa; married Ura Richards; born Abt. 15 Sep 1801 in Virgir Apr 1884.

Notes for Thomas Morehead:

Buried in Pence Cemetery, Jackson, Iowa

From B.J. Denahey 22 Sep 2003:

1. THOMAS⁵ MOREHEAD (NATHANIEL⁴, WILLIAM³, CHARLES¹) was born Abt. 07 Dec 1796 in Virginia, and died 1872. He married URA RICHARDS, daughter of ISAAC RICHARDS and DEBORAH DRAKE. She was born Abt. 15 Sep 1801 in Virginia and died 18 Apr 1884.

Children of THOMAS MOREHEAD and URA RICHARDS

2.i. BURRELL⁶ MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1819, Virginia; d. 30

3.ii. HARRIET MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1824, Virginia; d. Abt.

4.iii. ISAAC H. MOREHEAD, b. 19 May 1826, Virginia; d. 1

5.iv. KINGSBURY MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1830, Virginia; d. 1878.

6.v. ALEXANDER MOREHEAD, b. 15 Jul 1832, Virginia; d. 1910, Jackson Co., Iowa.

7.vi. CHARLES H. MOREHEAD, b. 10 May 1834, Virginia; d. 1922, Maquoketa, Iowa.

8.vii. MARGARET JANE MOREHEAD, b. 22 Jan 1837, Virginia; d. Dec 1915, Maquoketa, Iowa.

9.viii. DAVID MOREHEAD, b. 25 Dec 1841, Virginia; d. 03 Baldwin, Iowa.

10.ix. MARY MOREHEAD, b. 1844, Virginia; d. 26 Apr 19 Iowa.

11.x. HENRY H. MOREHEAD, b. 06 Sep 1846, Iowa; d. 15 Monmouth, Iowa.

38. Isaac Richards, born 17 Sep 1767 in Loudoun County, Virginia; died 16 Apr 1844 in Jackson County, Virginia. He married **39. Deborah I** 1793.

39. Deborah Drake, born 09 May 1773 in Bloomfield, Loudoun County, Virginia; died 01 Dec 1827 in Wood County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **78. Thomas Drake** and **79. Eurah Humphrey**.

Notes for Isaac Richards:

From "Pioneers in Wood County" by John House page 161
"RICHARDS, ISAAC, lived on the upper side of the Kanawha River, mouth of Two Riffle Run, in 1800. He was born in 1767, supposedly Loudoun County, Virginia, and died in Wood County, in 1847, at about 80 years of age. he had a son, Peyton, who lived to the age of ninety two. Richards married Deborah Drake in Loudoun County, Virginia, about 1793. They came to the Kanawha Valley a few years later, probably with or soon after the Drakes."

More About Isaac Richards and Deborah Drake:
Marriage: Abt. 1793

Children of Isaac Richards and Deborah Drake are:

- 19 i. Tacy Richards, born 20 Jun 1798 in Virginia; died 24 Mar 1884 in Sandyville, Jackson County, West Virginia; married Armistead Drake 21 Jul 1814 in Wood County, Virginia.
- ii. Peyton Richards, died Unknown.
- iii. Ura Richards, born Abt. 15 Sep 1801 in Virginia; died 18 Apr 1884 in Jackson, Iowa; married Thomas Morehead; born 07 Dec 1796; died 10 Dec 1872 in Jackson, Iowa.

Notes for Thomas Morehead:

Buried in Pence Cemetery, Jackson, Iowa

From B.J. Denahey 22 Sep 2003:

1. THOMAS⁵ MOREHEAD (NATHANIEL⁴, WILLIAM³, CHARLES¹) was born Abt. 07 Dec 1796 in Virginia, and died 1872. He married URA RICHARDS, daughter of ISAAC RICHARDS and DEBORAH DRAKE. She was born Abt. 15 Sep 1801 in Virginia and died 18 Apr 1884.

Children of THOMAS MOREHEAD and URA RICHARDS

2.i. BURRELL⁶ MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1819, Virginia; d. 30

3 ii. HARRIET MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1824, Virginia; d. Abt.

- 5.iv. KINGSBURY MOREHEAD, b. Abt. 1830, Virginia; d. 1878.
- 6.v. ALEXANDER MOREHEAD, b. 15 Jul 1832, Virginia; d. 1910, Jackson Co., Iowa.
- 7.vi. CHARLES H. MOREHEAD, b. 10 May 1834, Virginia; d. 1922, Maquoketa, Iowa.
- 8.vii. MARGARET JANE MOREHEAD, b. 22 Jan 1837, Virginia; d. Dec 1915, Maquoketa, Iowa.
- 9.viii. DAVID MOREHEAD, b. 25 Dec 1841, Virginia; d. 03 Baldwin, Iowa.
- 10.ix. MARY MOREHEAD, b. 1844, Virginia; d. 26 Apr 19 Iowa.
- 11.x. HENRY H. MOREHEAD, b. 06 Sep 1846, Iowa; d. 15 Monmouth, Iowa.

- iv. Mary Richards, died Unknown.
- v. Hannah Richards, died Unknown.
- vi. William Drake Richards, died Unknown.

42. George Pigott, died Unknown. He was the son of **84. Edward**. He married **43. Mary LeMasters**.

43. Mary LeMasters, died Unknown.

Notes for George Pigott:

Resided in MD before moving to Harrison Co. as his daughter Jane born in MD. 1810 Harrison Co. Census listed as George Dunkin.

Children of George Pigott and Mary LeMasters are:

- 21 i. Phoebe Pigott, born Abt. 1782 in Maryland; died Aft. 1860; married Wesley Duncan Abt. 1805.
- ii. Mary Pigott, died Unknown.
- iii. Jesse Pigott Sr., born in Cumberland, Alleheny Co., MD; died 1829 in Harrison County, Virginia; married Anne Heldreth A died Unknown.

More About Jesse Sr. and Anne Heldreth:
Marriage: Abt. 1810

44. Joseph Heldreth, born 03 Jan 1791 in Virginia; died 13 Nov Marion County, Virginia. He married **45. Hester Nutter** 22 Nov 1811 Harrison County, Virginia.

Jan 1864 in Marion County, West Virginia. She was the daughter of **Christopher Nutter** and **91. ? Unsel**.

Marriage Notes for Joseph Heldreth and Hester Nutter:

Marriage Record in Harrison County

"22 Nov 1813...Joseph Heldreth...Frazier Heldreth and Rebecca Jacqu married Hester Nutter by David Masters"

Christopher Nutter asented. Information from "Nutter Family" by Bai

More About Joseph Heldreth and Hester Nutter:

Marriage: 22 Nov 1813, Harrison County, Virginia

Child of Joseph Heldreth and Hester Nutter is:

- 22 i. Elias Clarke Hildreth, born 06 Jan 1820; died Unknown; mar Wyre 09 Jan 1840 in Harrison County, Virginia.

46. Archibald Taylor Wyer, born Abt. 1795; died Unknown. He son of **92. George Wyer** and **93. Elizabeth Findley**. He married **47. Rittenhouse** 05 Jul 1815.

47. Elizabeth Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1797 in Virginia; died Unk was the daughter of **94. Isaac Rittenhouse** and **95. Elizabeth Zinn**.

Notes for Archibald Taylor Wyer:

From Arlene Queen 511 Michigan Ave, Nutter Ft. WV 26301:
About 1784 a man named Peter Cornelison came from Loudon Co., V Harrison Co., VA now WV with his orphaned nephew George Wyer t 1771

Sold land on which residing 6 Mar 1851 for \$800. Wyer family di from Harrison Census after the 1850 Census.

More About Archibald Wyer and Elizabeth Rittenhouse:

Marriage: 05 Jul 1815

Children of Archibald Wyer and Elizabeth Rittenhouse are:

- 23 i. Jane Wyre, born 18 May 1818; died 03 Nov 1886; married E Hildreth 09 Jan 1840 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- ii. Elizabeth Wyer, died Unknown.

48. Francis Goodwin, born 1760 in Ireland (Source: Tombstone l Beulah Baptist Church Cemetery Pruntytown, Taylor Co., WV); died 1851 in Pruntytown, Virginia (Source: Tombstone Inscription Beulah

Church Cemetery Pruntytown, Taylor Co., WV). He married **49. Lydia** 1785.

49. Lydia, born 1764 in Virginia (Source: Tombstone Inscription Baptist Church Cemetery Pruntytown, Taylor Co., WV); died 20 Dec Pruntytown, Virginia (Source: Tombstone Inscription Beulah Baptist Cemetery Pruntytown, Taylor Co., WV).

Notes for Francis Goodwin:

Francis Goodwin was born in Londonderry, Derry County, Ireland (West Virginians in the Revolution). In many places the date is given and I have a page which says that records at the Taylor County Court he was born in 1760.

Francis did marry twice according to the sources I have. In Marilyn Greenleaf's book, "The West Virginia Currey/Curry Connection" she says that our ancestor, John W. Goodwin, was the son of Francis & Lydia Goodwin. I have that Lydia died 20 Dec 1820.

Francis married Nancy Asbury on 6 Dec 1821. You will find them 1850 Census with Francis as 90 yrs old and Nancy as 58 years old.

More About Francis Goodwin:

Burial: Unknown, Beulah Baptist Church, Pruntytown, Taylor County Virginia

More About Francis Goodwin and Lydia:

Marriage: Abt. 1785

Child of Francis Goodwin and Lydia is:

- 24 i. John W. Goodwin, born in Pruntytown, Virginia; died 1849 in Harrison County, Virginia; married Catherine Curry 01 Feb 1821 in Harrison County, Virginia.

50. John Curry, born Abt. 1765; died Abt. 1825 in Harrison County, Virginia. He married **51. Eleanor Welsh**.

51. Eleanor Welsh, born Abt. 1765; died Abt. 1845 in Harrison County, Virginia.

Notes for Eleanor Welsh:

Until her death about 1845 Eleanor lived with her daughter Catherine

Children of John Curry and Eleanor Welsh are:

- i. James Curry, born 19 Sep 1782; died Unknown.
- ii. Sarah Curry, born 27 Oct 1785 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia; died 27 Oct 1855 in Taylor County, Virginia; married (2) John Findle 1810 in Harrison County, Virginia; born 06 Aug 1788; died 27 Oct 1855 in Taylor County, Virginia.

More About Sarah Curry:

Burial: Unknown, Ironside Baptist Cemetery, Taylor County, Virginia

- iii. Jonathan T. Curry, born 17 Jan 1789; died Unknown.
- iv. Rebecca Curry, born 21 Apr 1791; died Unknown.
- v. Israel Curry, born 1793; died Unknown.
- vi. John Curry, Jr., born 1796; died Unknown.
- vii. Margaret Curry, born 1797; died Unknown.
- viii. Nancy Curry, born 14 Jan 1801; died Unknown.
- 25 ix. Catherine Curry, born 1803 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1871 in Taylor County, West Virginia; married John W. Gooch 1821 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- x. Anne H. Curry, born 20 Nov 1808; died Unknown.

52. Bailey Knight, Sr., born Abt. 1761 in Stafford County, Virginia; died Jul 1839 in Harrison County, Virginia. He married **53. Sarah Ann ?** in Virginia.

53. Sarah Ann ?, born Abt. 1765 in Virginia; died 14 Jan 1851 in Harrison County, Virginia.

Notes for Bailey Knight, Sr.:

Buried Knight/Currey Cemetery Taylor County, WV

Bailey Knight's Will 14 Jul 1839 Harrison County, VA names his children
Probated Aug 1839

Researchers think Bailey may be son of Peter and Rachel Abbot Knight of Stafford County, Virginia, but no documentation.

More About Bailey Knight and Sarah ?:

Marriage: Virginia

Children of Bailey Knight and Sarah ? are:

- i. James Knight, died Bef. Aug 1839.
- ii. Elizabeth Knight, born Abt. 1790; died Unknown; married Edward Clevenger 15 Oct 1813; died Unknown.

More About Edmond Clevenger and Elizabeth Knight:
Marriage: 15 Oct 1813

- 26 iii. John Knight, born 22 Feb 1794 in Virginia; died 07 Sep 1878 in Taylor County, West Virginia; married Sarah Patton 09 Sep 1816 in Taylor County, Virginia.
- iv. Frances Knight, born Abt. 1796; died Unknown; married Israel Knight 14 Sep 1818; died Unknown.

More About Israel Currey and Frances Knight:
Marriage: 20 Sep 1818

- v. Bailey Knight, Jr., born Abt. 1801 in Stafford County, Virginia; died Jan 1874 in Taylor County, West Virginia; married Mary Curry 1825 in Harrison County, Virginia; born 30 Jun 1806 (Source: Jeanne Greenleaf, *The West Virginia Currey/Curry Connection* (McClain Printing Company Parsons, WV 1987), page 62, Frances Knight, Mary Curry and Bailey Knight listed.); died 09 Aug 1873 in Taylor County, West Virginia.

More About Bailey Knight, Jr.:
Burial: Unknown, Ironside Baptist Cemetery, Taylor County

More About Mary Curry:
Burial: Unknown, Ironside Baptist Cemetery, Taylor County, Virginia

More About Bailey Knight and Mary Curry:
Marriage: 22 Nov 1825, Harrison County, Virginia

- vi. Peter L. Knight, born 1806 in Virginia; died 1876; married Margaret Mackey 14 Apr 1829; died Unknown.

More About Peter Knight and Margaret Mackey:
Marriage: 14 Apr 1829

- vii. Thomas Knight, born Abt. 1808; died Unknown; married Catherine Knight died Unknown.
- viii. Isaac Knight, born 16 Jul 1812 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1898; married Mary Plummer 24 Aug 1835; died Unknown.

More About Isaac Knight and Mary Plummer:
Marriage: 24 Aug 1835

- ix. Benjamin Knight, born Abt. 1813; died Unknown; married Elizabeth Knight died Unknown.

14 Apr 1861 in Ritchie County, Virginia. He was the son of **108. Francis Patton** and **109. Ruth Parke**. He married **55. Mary Webb** 16 Nov 1795 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 7, Patten, John Webb Nov 1795.).

55. Mary Webb, born Abt. 1777 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1820 in Miami Township, Logan County, Ohio. She was the daughter of **Jonas Webb** and **111. Elizabeth Nutter**.

Notes for John Patton:

E-mail from Phyllis Stephens 21 Jul 2000

Children named in Barbour County, VA Deed dated 30 August 1812 for 100 acres on Brushy Fork Run

Captain in War of 1812 Claimed land in Champaign County, Ohio and Logan County.

More About John Patton and Mary Webb:

Marriage: 16 Nov 1795, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 7, Patten, John Webb, Mary 16 Nov 1795.)

Children of John Patton and Mary Webb are:

- 27 i. Sarah Patton, born 29 Jan 1796 in Virginia; died 06 Dec 1880 in Harrison County, Virginia; married John Knight 09 Sep 1816 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- ii. Shepherd Patton, born Abt. 1797; died Unknown; married Sarah Dowden; died Unknown.
- iii. Francis Patton, born 06 Jun 1797 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 18 Jan 1851 in Quincy, Logan County, Ohio; married Elizabeth Daniel 28 Feb 1822 in Champaign County, Ohio; born 02 Aug 1802 in Champaign County, Kentucky; died 15 Dec 1845 in Logan County, Ohio

More About Francis Patton and Elizabeth Daniel:

Marriage: 28 Feb 1822, Champaign County, Ohio

- iv. Ruth Patton, born Abt. 1802; died Unknown.
- v. Felix Patton, born Abt. 1803; died Unknown.
- vi. John J. Patton, born Abt. 1810; died Unknown.
- vii. Benjamin Booth Patton, born Abt. 1812; died Unknown.

56. Thomas Chancellor III, born Abt. 1745 in Virginia; died Abt. 1820 in Wood County, Virginia. He married **57. Judith Gaines**.

57. Judith Gaines, died Unknown.

Children of Thomas Chancellor and Judith Gaines are:

- 28 i. John Cooper Chancellor, born Abt. 1803 in Wood County, VA
Aft. 1860; married Catherine Sinnett 29 Dec 1822 in Wood County,
Virginia.
- ii. Benjamin Chancellor, died Unknown; married Phoebe Sinnett
Unknown.

58. Patrick Sinnett, born 17 Mar 1751/52 in Ireland; died 19 Dec 1855 in Ritchie County, Virginia. He married **59. Catherine Hevener** 01 May 1783 in Pendleton County, Virginia.

59. Catherine Hevener, born Abt. 1769 in Rockingham County, VA; died 13 Apr 1855 in Ritchie County, Virginia. She was the daughter of **Frederick Hevener** and **119. Elizabeth**.

Notes for Patrick Sinnett:

Research of Betty L. Jones

Patrick Sinnett History by Walter L. Eye

Pendleton County, WV History by Morton

Pendleton County, WV Marriages

Ritchie County History by M. K. Lowther

Revolutionary War Records Vol. III, page 672 (Pension Record)

Family origin in County Wexford, Ireland.

"Patrick was born 17 March 1752 in Ireland. He came to the American Colonies prior to 1774. He fought in Northern VA in Lord Dunmore's War against the Indians. He then fought in the American Revolution under Generals Washington and Lafayette. He married on 1 May 1783 in Rockingham or Augusta County, VA, Catherine Hefner d/o Frederick and Rachel Hefner born 1768 VA. Patrick and Catherine had 14 children." (from a post em note on the internet)

Notes for Catherine Hevener:

Research of Betty L. Jones

Patrick Sinnett History by Walter L. Eye

Pendleton County, WV History by Morton

Pendleton County, WV Marriages

Ritchie County, WV History by M. K. Lowther

Research of Phyllis Chancellor Holly

More About Patrick Sinnett and Catherine Hevener:

Marriage: 01 May 1783, Pendleton County, Virginia

Children of Patrick Sinnett and Catherine Hevener are:

- i. Phoebe Sinnett, died 1855 in Missouri; married Benjamin Chancellor

May 1836; died Unknown.

Notes for Phebe Sinnett:

Buried Pleasant Retreat Cemetery Scotland County, Missouri

More About Benjamin Chancellor and Phebe Sinnett:

Marriage: 05 May 1836

- ii. Henry Sinnett, born 04 Jun 1783; died Unknown.
- iii. John Patrick Sinnett, born 12 Nov 1787; died Unknown.
- iv. Sarah Sinnett, born Abt. 1788; died Unknown.
- v. Jacob Sinnett, born Abt. 1796; died Unknown.
- vi. Elizabeth Sinnett, born Abt. 1798; died Unknown.
- vii. George Sinnett, born 17 Mar 1799; died Unknown.
- viii. Abel Sinnett, born Abt. 1801; died Unknown.
- ix. Seth Sinnett, born Abt. 1803; died Unknown.
- x. William Sinnett, born Abt. 1803; died Unknown.
- 29 xi. Catherine Sinnett, born Abt. 1804 in Pendleton County, Virg
Aft. 1860; married John Cooper Chancellor 29 Dec 1822 in V
County, Virginia.

60. John Bailey, Sr., died Bef. 04 Aug 1845 in Taylor County, Vi
was the son of **120. James Bailey** and **121. Hannah Thornsbury**. H
61. Elizabeth.

61. Elizabeth, born Abt. 1771; died Aft. 1860 in Virginia.

Notes for John Bailey, Sr.:

Wood County Marriages states that the parents of William Bailey
and Elizabeth Bailey.

Taylor Co. Deeds, Book 1, p 253: abstracted by Melba Zinn:
4 Aug 1845 Jeremiah LAKE and Polly his wife (Herny Co., IN) to Jo
BAILEY (Taylor) right, title and interest in 78 acres on right hand fork
of Wickwire Creek being the same as deeded by Martin CURRANT to
BAYLEY, Sr., which fell to said Jeremiah and Polly LAKE by heirshi
from John BAYLEY, deceased, Polly LAKE being one heir out of ten

Taylor County Deeds 1:569 On 25 Sept. 1847, WILLIAM BAILE
POLLY (Mary) his wife, THORNSBURY BAILEY and CATHERIN
WILLIAM G. POE and NANCY his wife, JOHN LUZADDER and S.
wife, and BENJAMIN BARTLETT and REBECCA his wife , all of T
and LEWIS BAILEY and NANCY his wife of Barbour Co., and ENO
BAILEY and SUSAN his wife of Harrison Co., as part of the heirs of
BAILEY, dec'd, deeded to JOHN BAILEY of Taylor Co., right, title a
of 7/10 interest in 78 acres on right hand fork of Wickwire Creek adjo
ALEXANDER WADE

Father may have been James Bailey

A Thomas Bailey moved to the Taylor County region by 1803 when he married Nancy, daughter of Thomas and Sarah Barlett, 21 Oct 1803. [unclear] from Taylor County chancery file box 2, Bailey vs. Bailey 1840-1849. Thomas and Thornsberry Bailey (1782-1850) were brothers. Their ancestry has not been traced.

(from "A History of Taylor County History" page 147 published 1986)

Also in Taylor Co. Hy. is mention of a Rev. Benjamin Bailey married people 1870's, 80's. A Cyrene Ford married John W. Bailey (1840-1919) they lived in Baileytown (Northeast Taylor Co.) Pioneer settler in Fetter District (northeast area borders Monongalia and Preston Counties) of Taylor County - John Bailey among others.

Notes for Elizabeth:

Listed in 1860 Taylor County Census with daughter Nancy and her husband Wm. G. Poe. Elizabeth's age is given as 89

Children of John Bailey and Elizabeth are:

- 30
- i. William Bailey, born Abt. 1800 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 17 Jan 1858 in Wood County, Virginia; married (1) Mary Wood 17 Feb 1829 in Harrison County, Virginia; married (2) Elizabeth Wood 17 Jan 1858 in Wood County, Virginia.
 - ii. Thornsberry Bailey, born 1810; died 13 Jan 1907; married Catherine Glendening; born 1821; died 13 Jan 1908.

More About Thornsberry Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Taylor County, VA/WV

- iii. Nancy Bailey, died Unknown; married William G. Poe; died [unclear]

Notes for Nancy Bailey:

Died at age 95. Information from Bailey Book by Guy Bailey

More About Nancy Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Taylor County, VA/WV

- iv. Sarah Bailey, born Abt. 1809 in Monongahalia County, Virginia; died 17 Apr 1856 in Taylor County, Virginia/West Virginia; married John Luzadder 12 Feb 1839 in Virginia/West Virginia; born 1809 in Virginia; died 13 May 1857 in Virginia/West Virginia

Notes for Sarah Bailey:

Information about Sarah Bailey Luzadder sent by Stephen Bailey from information compiled by Edith Luzadder, Elwood, Indiana based on 1850 Census records, the Will of Aaron III (father of [unclear])

More About Sarah Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Taylor County, VA/WV

More About John Luzadder and Sarah Bailey:

Marriage: 12 Feb 1839, Virginia/West Virginia

- v. Rebecca Bailey, died Unknown; married Benjamin Bartlett; c
Unknown.

More About Rebecca Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Taylor County, VA/WV

- vi. Lewis Bailey, born Abt. 1801 in Staunton, Virginia (Source: [redacted]
from Cleona <random@stlnet.com>.); died Unknown in Staunton,
Indiana; married Nancy Cole; born Abt. 1803; died Unknown

Notes for Lewis Bailey:

1850 Census in Barbour Co., VA/WV

1860 Census in Clay Co., Indiana (information from Cleona
descendant) according to a history book Lewis founded the town of
Staunton named for his boyhood home.

More About Lewis Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Barbour County, VA, WV

- vii. Enoch Bailey, died Unknown; married Susan; died Unknown

More About Enoch Bailey:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Harrison County, VA/WV

- viii. John Bailey, Jr., died Abt. 1850 in Taylor County, Virginia/W
Virginia; married Elizabeth Current; died Aft. 30 Sep 1850.

Notes for John Bailey, Jr.:

25 Sep 1847 bought 7/10 interest in land on Wickwire Cree
deceased father, John Bailey, from his brothers and sisters

14 June 1849 sold John Wood 50 acres on Wickwire Creek
Current being part of a survey for James Currant, Sr. and con
Bailey by Enoch Current and wife (Deeds 2:149)

Elizabeth Czigan in a deed dated 30 Sep 1850 to Elizabeth I
widow of John Bailey of Taylor right, title, and interest in 40
her interest in the lands of her father John Czingans, dec'd (D

More About John Bailey, Jr.:

Fact 1: 25 Sep 1847, Living in Taylor County, VA/WV

Nov 1808 in Harrison County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Jeremiah Lake and Mary Bailey:

Marriage: 16 Nov 1808, Harrison County, Virginia

62. Lewis Woodyard, born Abt. 1756 in Virginia (Source: Ed Wo gives 1756 date Bob Woodyard says 1810 Census says over age 45.); 1817 in Harrison County, Virginia. He married **63. Mary** Abt. 1786.

63. Mary, born Abt. 1767 in Virginia; died Abt. 1841 in Virginia.

Notes for Lewis Woodyard:

From cousin Robert Lee Woodyard: 2 Apr 1817 Appraisement of WOODYARD, Dec'd, of Harrison Co., VA (WV) recorded by apprais KNOTTS; ROBERT STUART/STEWART; and JOHN JOHNSTON: consisted of:

Three horses and a colt, sows and calves, ewes, sheep, lambs, sow geese, gear and spreaders, plow, ax, hoes, pots, kitchenware, chest, tal gun and equipage, smoothing iron, four feather beds and furniture, ch etc. Included were slaves: Mulatto man named TOM...30 years old... and Negro man named PETER, 25 years old...\$495.00. Appraisement by : LEWIS (JR?) [This given name not clear, could also be LEVI?, t likely LEWIS] WOODYARD, Administrator. [Harrison Co., VA Wi p. 614]

Also from Robert Lee Woodyard: Woodyard's Deed of Partition The tract of land formerly held by Lewis Woodyard deceased divides several heirs of said deceased, Lewis, Jesse, Moses, Catherine, Mary l with an ash on the banks of the Valley River running thence N 62 119 dogwood and two sugar trees ??? 302 poles to a white oak, N 68 104] white oak, S 69 97 poles to a beech on the bank of said river. Thence meanders of the same to the beginning containing 453 ? acres. First l betinning on the bank of the river at an ash running thence ??? to a do and two sugar trees ??? poles to a ??? S 57 E 48 poles to a beech S 66 poles to a hickory on the bank of the river thence with the meanders o to the beginning containing 95 acres. 2nd lot beginning at a beech on of the river running thence N 68 W 49 poles to a birch S 8 40 poles to tree S 83 E 31 poles to a beech ??? 28 poles to a hickory and ??? S 10 poles to a beech and sugar tree S 60 E 36 poles to a hickory on the ba river corner

---- "... more details of the survey...but I haven't been able to read it all

Notes for Mary:

Descendant Robert Lee Woodyard has a record of Mary as being a summer of 1840, but no record after that. Lewis Jr., Jesse, James, Mary family, and Catherine all stayed on the old Lewis Woodyard home place until Mary died. Jesse died about the same time as his mother. The rest of the family split up and moved away soon after Mary died.

More About Lewis Woodyard and Mary:

Marriage: Abt. 1786

Children of Lewis Woodyard and Mary are:

- i. James Woodyard, born Abt. 1793; died Unknown.

Notes for James Woodyard:

Moved to Wood County sometime in the early 1840s.

- ii. Catherine Woodyard, born Abt. 1798 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died 30 Aug 1856 in Wood County, Virginia.

Notes for Catherine Woodyard:

Moved to Wood County sometime in the early 1840s.

- 31 iii. Mary Woodyard, born Abt. 1800 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died Oct 1856 in Wood County, Virginia; married William Bailey 1829 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- iv. Lewis Woodyard Jr., born Abt. 1789 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died 18 Aug 1871 in Hilly Upland, Weston, Lewis County, West Virginia; married Mary Ford 20 Feb 1810 in Harrison County, Virginia; born 1786 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died Unknown.

Notes for Lewis Woodyard Jr.:

Lewis, Jr. was living in Lewis (now Gilmer) County by 1842

More About Lewis Jr. and Mary Ford:

Marriage: 20 Feb 1810, Harrison County, Virginia

- v. William Woodyard, born Abt. 1792; died Unknown.
- vi. Jesse Woodyard, born Abt. 1795; died Abt. 1841.
- vii. Moses Woodyard, born Abt. 1797; died Unknown.

Generation No. 7

64. Jonathan Custer, Sr., born 04 Oct 1738 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (Source: Margaret Kinsey, *Ball Cousins*, (Gateway Press, Baltimore, Maryland 1981), Page 241, Jonathan Custer/Custard was b

says "Jonathan Custer was born ye 4 day of October in the year 1783 (transposed).); died Bef. 13 Nov 1823 in Amityville, Berks County, Pe (Source: Donald M. Custer, "Descendants of Paul Custer (Son of Arno His Wife Sarah Ball Custer," Unpublished 1974 work. Copy obtained Denver Public Library, Denver, CO., Page 22, "...letters of administral the estate of Jonathan Custer, Sr.) were granted to Rosanna Custer, wi Jonathan, Jr., and to his son Samuel, on November 13, 1823."). He w of **128. Paul Custer** and **129. Sarah Martha Ball**. He married **65. H Peters** Abt. 1759 in Pennsylvania.

65. Hannah Peters, born Abt. 1735 in Pennsylvania; died 1805 in Amityville, Berks County, Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of **130 Hendrick Peters** and **131. Bernadine**.

Notes for Jonathan Custer, Sr.:

In "Ball Cousins" by Margaret Kinsey published by Gateway Press page 241 there is an exerpt from a Custer Family Bible. This is from file at the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania:

Custer Bible, Printed at Basel by Emanuel Thurneysen, 1767. Mill Amon, Reading.

"Peter Custer son of Jonathan Custer and Hannah his wife was born Day of February in the year 1760. John Custer son of Peter Custer wa 10 day of December in the year 1781..."

"Church Record of St. Luke's Reformed Church formerly Provider Reformed Church (Trappe) Providence Township, Montgomery Coun Pennsylvania" copied Nov 1928 by Wm. J. Hinke. This is a more con transcription than the one by John Humphrey.

The original records are in a large book 6 1/2 X 16 inches 360 pages. The baptisms are on pages 12-29 in the original book 1760-18 The pastor 1748-1784 was John Philip Leydich, also spelled Leidig elsewhere in the records.

This transcription is on Microfilm #137a from the Evangelical Reformed Historical Society, 555 West James Street, Lancaster, PA 17603.

Jonathan's children listed are: PETER born 1760, baptized 1760, godparents are Peter Heckroth and wife; HANNAH born 26 Dec 1761 baptized 1761, godparent is Bernhardina Peters - the grandmother; JONATHAN born 28 Sep 1768, baptized 1768, godparents are John Miller and wife; GEORGE born 14 Sep 1770, baptized 1770, godparents are the parents.

I did not find a record for the baptism of BENJAMIN born 1763.

Joseph Ball estate as descendants of Jonathan Custer. Perhaps Pastor Leydich failed to enter Benjamin's baptism or it was not transcribed?

More About Jonathan Custer and Hannah Peters:
Marriage: Abt. 1759, Pennsylvania

Children of Jonathan Custer and Hannah Peters are:

- 32 i. Peter Custer, born 21 Feb 1760 in Berks County, Pennsylvania; died 08 Mar 1841 in Berkeley County, Virginia; married Elizabeth Custer 1781 in Reading, Berks County, Pennsylvania.
- ii. Hannah Custer, born 26 Dec 1761 in Trappe, Pennsylvania; died 1809; married Adam Prutzman, Jr. 21 Jan 1782; born 1764; died 1809.

Notes for Hannah Custer:

"Trapp Neighbors of Henry Melchoir Muhlenberg", Montgonery Historical Soc. Vol. 16, pages 150-151: "Isaac Sahler and his wife continued to provide the Pastor with butter. Barbara Sahler, wife of Maria, was married to Wilhelm Schafer of Plymouth Township. These two young women, as well as their brother and sister, Isaac and Elizabeth, were the children of Valentine Sahler, another of the neighbors who was married to Adam Protzman, who was mentioned many times by the Pastor. He was a deacon of the Lutheran Church and a trustee of the cemetery. He was often a visitor at the Muhlenberg house, so often bringing firewood and carrying messages. His son married Hannah Custer."

Information on the children of Hannah Custer Prutzman is found in "Cousins" by Margaret Kinsey.

In an e-mail dated 10 July 2000 Leon Kearns forwarded a message from Heather Beth Friedman, a descendant of Hannah Custer who lists the name of Adam as Prutzman and lists her ancestors as James I. Friedman, Violet Romig, Sadie Amelia Stetler, Amelia M. Cleaver, F. Cleaver, John Prutzman Cleaver, Sarah Prutzman, Hannah Custer, Jonathan Custer, Paul Custer.

Marriage Notes for Hannah Custer and Adam Prutzman:

V.III:254 20 January 1782 "The son of an elder of the Providence congregation, Adam Protzman, informed me that he had been to Hanna Custer, the banns having been published by Pastor L. the wedding is to take place tomorrow and it is impossible to go to Schuykill because of the ice, he wished me to take Mr. Boigt which I promised to do, God willing."

Journals of Henry Melchoir Muhlenberg

More About Adam Prutzman and Hannah Custer:
Marriage: 21 Jan 1782

County, Virginia; married Margaret Bell 16 Oct 1796; born 1 Pennsylvania; died Aft. 1850 in Berkeley County, VA/WV.

Notes for Benjamin Custer:

Listed in the estate sale of Richard Morrison 1827 Book 10 p Berkeley County.

More About Benjamin Custer and Margaret Bell:
Marriage: 16 Oct 1796

- iv. Jonathan Custer, Jr., born 29 Sep 1767 in Pennsylvania; died 1823 in Berks County, Pennsylvania; married Rosanna Ludwig 1787; born 1770; died 1832.

Notes for Jonathan Custer, Jr.:
Baptized at Trappe.

More About Jonathan Custer and Rosanna Ludwig:
Marriage: Abt. 1787

- v. George Peter Custer, born Sep 1770; died Unknown.

68. Peter Kimble, died Unknown.

Notes for Peter Kimble:

Please remember that this information should be used as clues to further research. For instance the children listed as those of Jacob Kimble are Kimbles listed in the Marriage Records of Berkeley County 1781-1850 not all be Jacob's children.

The Kimble research is the work of my Kimble cousins and is preliminary but may offer clues or lead to the discovery of new cousins in this line offer corrections and/or further information.

Child of Peter Kimble is:

- 34 i. Jacob Kimble, born 1758 in Morris County, New Jersey; died 1838 in Greene County, Pennsylvania; married (1) Unknown married (2) Mary Eddy 19 Jan 1816 in Greene County, Penns

72. William Morehead, born Abt. 1740 in Hamilton Parish, Prince George County, Virginia; died Abt. 1809 in Fauquier County, Virginia. He was the son of **144. John Morehead, Sr.** and **145. Mary Armistead**. He married **Jones**.

73. Mary Jones, died Unknown.

Notes for William Morehead:

Research of James Melton, Barbara Denahey, and Barbara Wallace

William Morehead, son of John and Mary Morehead, was born about probably in Hamilton Parish, Prince William County, VA. He had 8 children. Nathaniel was the first born. William and his two brothers divided 35 Northumberland County land inherited from their father. William sold his interest to his brother Presley on 26 Apr 1774. Although William left an entry dated 3 Nov 1809 in the Fauquier County, VA Will Book page 100 named 8 children. The estate settlement was recorded 26 Oct 1812.

See works cited under notes on Nathaniel Morehead, Sr.

Children of William Morehead and Mary Jones are:

- 36 i. Nathaniel Morehead, Sr., born Abt. 1772 in Fauquier County; died Abt. 1834 in Wood County, Virginia; married Margaret Rockinbush 1793 in Fauquier County, Virginia.
- ii. Hannah Morehead, died Unknown; married George Rockinbush; died Unknown.
- iii. James D. Morehead, died Unknown; married Jane Oldaker 29 Nov 1856 in Putnam County, Virginia; died Unknown.

Notes for James D. Morehead:

In an e-mail dated 19 Mar 2002 Barb Denahey writes:

Marriage Record, Putnam Co., Virginia, 29 Nov 1856: James D. Morehead married Jane (Oldaker) Burch

Widower, age 65, b. Fauquier Co., VA, son of William & Mary Morehead.

More About James Morehead and Jane Oldaker:

Marriage: 29 Nov 1856, Putnam County, Virginia

- iv. John Morehead, died Unknown.
- v. Lucy Morehead, died Unknown; married John Whitley; died Unknown.
- vi. Elizabeth Morehead, died Unknown; married Bailey Rice; died Unknown.
- vii. Sarah Morehead, died Unknown; married James Sinclair; died Unknown.
- viii. Polly Morehead, died Unknown; married John Barber; died Unknown.

74. Thomas Jett, born Abt. 1755 in Stafford County, Virginia (Source: Owens Family of America by David H. Owen FHL Book 929.27 OW2oe, 1991); died 09 Sep 1832 in Marietta, Ohio. He was the son of **148. Francis Jett** and **149. Barsheba Porch**. He married **75. Lucinda Owens** 12 Jan 1781 in King George County, Virginia (Source: Owens Family of America by David H. Owen FHL Book 929.27 OW2oe, 1991 and The Jett and Allied Families

75. Lucinda Owens, born Abt. 1755 in King George County, Virginia; died 11 Aug 1823 in Marietta, Ohio. She was the daughter of **150. Samuel Jett** and **151. Margaret Bryan**.

Notes for Thomas Jett:

Research by James Melton and Barbara Denahey
Cites: OWENS FAMILY OF VIRGINIA by David H. Owens FHL book 929.273 Ow2od 1991

THE JETT AND ALLIED FAMILIES; A GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH BOOK OF JETT AND ALLIED FAMILIES FHL book 929.273 J51a 1977

More About Thomas Jett and Lucinda Owens:

Marriage: 12 Jan 1775, King George County, Virginia (Source: Owen of America by David H. Owen FHL Book 929.27 OW2oe, 1991 and and Allied Families by Jeter Lee Jett FHL Book 929.273 J51a 1977)

Children of Thomas Jett and Lucinda Owens are:

- 37 i. Margaret Jett, died Aft. 1850; married Nathaniel Morehead, S 1793 in Fauquier County, Virginia.
- ii. Owen Jett, born in Fauquier County, Virginia; died 17 Oct 18 Mary Cole 15 Jun 1816 in Washington County, Ohio; died U

More About Owen Jett and Mary Cole:

Marriage: 15 Jun 1816, Washington County, Ohio

- iii. Thomas Jett, Jr., died Unknown; married Elizabeth Posey; di Unknown.
- iv. Peter Jett, died Unknown.

78. Thomas Drake, born 13 Jul 1728; died 25 Jul 1811 in Loudoun Virginia. He was the son of **156. Jonathan Drake** and **157. Mary Cl** He married **79. Eurah Humphrey** 14 Oct 1760 in Pennsylvania.

79. Eurah Humphrey, born 01 Jan 1738/39; died 02 Feb 1817. S the daughter of **158. Thomas Humphrey** and **159. Hannah**.

Notes for Thomas Drake:

Will of Thomas Drake from Barbara Denahey of Davenport, Iowa children as: Thomas Drake, Jacob Drake, Hannah Butcher, Tacy Cor Deborah Richards, Susannah Hopkins Leonard, Uru Glasscock. 17th 1804. Also mentioned is a grandson James Heaton Drake who is bein by his grandparents. Thomas Drake of Loudoun County, Virginia.

Notes from Barbara Denahey: Thomas Drake (Jonathan 3, George

was written 15 Dec 1751. He married Uriah (Eurah) Humphrey, daug Thomas and Hannah Humphrey. She was born 1 Jan 1739 in Pennsylv died 2 Feb 1817. Their marriage license was issued 14 Oct 1760 in Pennsylvania. Soon after, they removed to Loudoun County, Virginia Thomas appears in the 1810 census. Thomas died 25 Jul 1811.

1 May 1756---Purchased land in New Britain Twp., Bucks Co. and Montgomery Twp., Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania from his fathe

16 Mar 1771---Sold 29+ acres in Montgomery Twp., Philadelphia PA to Edward Milner.

16 May 1795---Purchased 576 acres in Loudoun Co., VA from He

28 Dec 1795---Sold 100 acres in Loudoun Co., VA to Benjamin B

4 Apr 1796---Sold 210 acres in Loudoun Co., VA to Abner Humpl

17 Apr 1804--Will dated

In the name of God Amen, I Thomas Drake of Loudoun County be advanced in years, but of perfect disposing mind and memory and call mind the uncertainty of this life and that it is appointed for all men on do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

In primis I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Unice Drake for her natural life the use and profits of all my estate both real and person paying all my just debts and to educate and raise my grandson James l Drake as hereafter mentioned but if the profits of my estate should not sufficient for these purposes and for her support I then direct that a pa much of my personal estate as will be sufficient may be sold by my ex and applied to that purpose---

Item, I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Drake after the death mother a negro child by name Alice daughter to Phillis and her increa that part of my land whereon he now lives containing by estimation or and eleven acres be the same more or less, the same to be bounded as viz. To begin at Benjamin Barton's and Isaac Richard's ____ in or nea thence South 62 degrees 45 West 17.2 Poles to Abner Humphrey's lin Poplar being marked for corner on a stony knowl opposite his orchard with ____ Humphrey's, Fred's and Richard's lines to the beginning whi land and negro Alice I give to my son Thomas and his heirs and assign

Item, I give and bequeath to my grandson James Heaton Drake two pounds to be paid to him or to his guardian for his use at the death of grandmother, my will and desire is that his said grandmother raise and him at her discretion at the expense of my estate and also I give him tl James one good feather bed and bed else this at the death of his ____ grandmother or sooner if she ____ think proper to give him the same.

Item, I give and bequeath to negro Dick one of my slaves, in con

of her faithful services, her freedom at the death of her mistress.

Item, at the death of my wife I desire that all the residue of my estate be divided into five equal parts, and that each of my daughters Hannah B. Tacy Combs, Deborah Richards may have a fifth part and to my said grandchildren that my daughter Susannah had by her first husband Daniel Hopkins I give and bequeath one fifth part to be equally divided among them and the remainder or last share of the residue of my estate give and bequeath to my three grandchildren that my daughter Uru had by Daniel Glasscock to be equally divided among them: and if any of my said daughters first named or any of my said grandchildren should die before such division takes place, their share of the person so dying to go to his or her legal representatives.

Item, I give to my daughter Susannah formerly Hopkins now Leonards one hundred shillings and one more having provided in the best way I can for her children. Lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Urie Drake and my sons Thomas and Jacob executrixes and executors of this my last will and testament and hereby confirming the same and revoking all others by me heretofore made in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this 17th day of April 1800
Thomas Drake

Notes for Eurah Humphrey:

Eurah also spelled Uriah and Uree.

More About Thomas Drake and Eurah Humphrey:

Marriage: 14 Oct 1760, Pennsylvania

Children of Thomas Drake and Eurah Humphrey are:

- i. Hannah Drake, died Unknown.
- 39 ii. Deborah Drake, born 09 May 1773 in Bloomfield, Loudoun Co., Virginia; died 01 Dec 1827 in Wood County, Virginia; married Daniel Richards Abt. 1793.
- iii. Ella Drake, died Unknown; married ? Hays; died Unknown.
- iv. Tacy Drake, born 1766 in Virginia; died Unknown in Hardin County, Kentucky; married Amos Coombs; died Unknown.

Notes for Tacy Drake:

I corresponded with you sometime last year. My husband died in 1880. I have been able to find Amos Combs/Coombs and Tacy Drake. I was enquiring over the records of Amos Combs/Bailiss Combs, husband of Tacy Drake. I have been some time now to write to you again. I wanted to again thank you for your willingness to help me. I have since been to Salt Lake City, and was able to get a copy there of the will there. I was also able to find a record in Montgomery Co., VA that I've long looked for. W

Montgomery Co., VA (since Alvaro Gibbons wrote that Baili Combs removed to Montgomery Co., VA and then later KY,) quite do that. However, the Amos Combs in Montgomery Co the Amos Coombs in

Nelson and Hardin Co., KY who married Tacy Drake. I still difinitive proof that Tacy/Teasy Drake was not married to Ba but to Amos, but it's pretty close. I know that you do not des this particular branch of Drake families, but I thought I'd pass along to you anyway.

Thanks again so very much!

Deb Coombs

___Montgomery Co., Virginia Deed Book E, pg 441, LDS fil #0032610:

This Indenture made the twenty second day of June one thousand hundred thirteen Thomas Coombs attorney for Amos Coombs County of Nelson and state of Kentucky of the one part and Abner Dobbins of the County of Montgomery of the other part witnesseth that whereas Amos Coombs did so many years ago bargain and sell to said and Dobbins a certain parcel of land estimated @ two hundred and fifty acres being part of an inclusive tract of 335 acres since given by said Amos

Coombs viz on the 7th day of October 1812 and whereas the said Amos Coombs previous to the sale aforesaid gave to his son-in-law Abner Dobbins of the other part of the tract of land of 335 acres which parcel said Israel Wilkes has since sold to the said Abner Dobbins a consideration of the sum of five hundred dollars in hand paid to said Amos Coombs the receipt whereon acknowledged and in virtue of attorney signed and sealed by the said Amos Coombs in the state of Kentucky on the 7th day this month the said Coombs, aforesaid hath given and granted and by these presents doth give and convey unto the said and Abner Dobbins tract or parcel containing 335 acres be the same more or less lying in the County of Montgomery the head of the south fork of little River and bounded as follows beginning at a white oak and extends North 66° West

133 poles to two chestnuts & a locust North 20° W. 70 poles to a white oak and white oak in a line of Herm Clemons land and with the said line 60° West 60 poles to two white oaks south twenty one West 60° oak, South 70° West and 16 poles to a black oak and two chestnuts leaving said line

south 80° East 100 poles to two white oaks South 168 poles to a chestnut & a chestnut oak McHenry's corner hence his line south West 72 poles to two white oaks in said line and Rappatan's thence leaving the former and with the bottom south 70° East to a white oak by a branch South 80° East 90 poles crossing the corner of Spanish oak and two white oaks hence leaving Rappatons line East 320 poles to the Beginning Together with the appurtenances to said and Abner

Dobbins their heirs and assigns to the sole use and behoof of

attorney as aforesaid the said tract of land as herein described with all all (sic) and singular the appurtenances the belonging to the said and Abner Dobbins and their heirs and against him the said Amos Coombs and his heirs and all other whatsoever will warrant and forever defend In witness where Thomas Coombs atty as aforesaid has hereunto put his name and affirmed his seal the aforesaid and signed sealed and acknowledged Thomas Coombs for Amos Coombs

Children of Amos Coombs and Tacy Drake:

Mary Coombs m. Israel Wilkes Uriah/Ura Coombs m. Benne Thomas (above) m. 1) his first cousin Elizabeth Coombs Sam m. Susan Williams

Only proof of marriage of Amos Coombs to Tacy Drake: manuscript written by William F. Coombs, M. D. (a nephew) records naming Tacy Coombs in Hardin Co., KY; marriage of Coombs to John Williams in Hardin Co., KY after Amos died marriage record found.

- v. Susannah Drake, died Unknown; married David Hopkins; died
- vi. Thomas Drake, died Unknown; married Ellen Chamblin; died
- vii. Urah Drake, died Unknown; married Daniel Glasscock; died
- viii. Jacob Drake, died Unknown; married Sarah Carter; died Unknown

84. Edward Pigott, born in England; died Unknown.

Notes for Edward Pigott:

See "Hardesty's WV Counties" Vol 6 pgs 9-10 Harrison Co.

Child of Edward Pigott is:

- 42 i. George Pigott, died Unknown; married Mary LeMasters.

90. Christopher Nutter, born 1772 in West Augusta, Virginia; died 1850 in Ritchie County, Virginia. He was the son of **180. John Nutt** **181. Ester**. He met **91. ? Unsel**.

91. ? Unsel, died Unknown.

Child of Christopher Nutter and ? Unsel is:

1864 in Marion County, West Virginia; married Joseph Held
1813 in Harrison County, Virginia.

92. George Wyer, born Abt. 1771; died Abt. 1845 in Washington Ohio. He was the son of **184. ? Wyer** and **185. ? Cornelison**. He married **Elizabeth Findley** 11 Jan 1794.

93. Elizabeth Findley, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **186. Archibald Findley**.

Notes for George Wyer:

From Arlene Queen 511 Michigan Ave, Nutter Ft. WV 26301:
About 1784 a man named Peter Cornelison came from Loudon Co., VA
Harrison Co., VA now WV with his orphaned nephew George Wyer to
1771

Check Chancery Court Records on file at Harrison County Courthouse
for more information on Peter Cornelison, Sarah Bradley, and George Wyer.

More About George Wyer and Elizabeth Findley:
Marriage: 11 Jan 1794

Children of George Wyer and Elizabeth Findley are:

- 46 i. Archibald Taylor Wyer, born Abt. 1795; died Unknown; married
Elizabeth Rittenhouse 05 Jul 1815.
- ii. Cornelius Wyer, died Unknown.

94. Isaac Rittenhouse, born 02 Sep 1759 in Montgomery, PA; died
Harrison County, Virginia now West Virginia. He was the son of **187. Isaac**
Rittenhouse and **189. Ann ?**. He married **95. Elizabeth Zinn**.

95. Elizabeth Zinn, born Abt. 1775; died Bef. 1830.

Notes for Isaac Rittenhouse:

From notes of John E. Hildreth:
Isaac Rittenhouse listed in the 1790 Census for Chester, PA. in East N
Township. Histories of Harrison County, VA/WV says that family came
Chester County, PA to Louisa County, VA before 1795 and that Isaac was
5th generation in America. Family moved to Harrison County, VA/WV
took tomahawk rights to grant at Dola in Harrison County around 1810.

Will 7 Jun 1834 cited in Will Book 4, page 364, Court July 1834 in
County.

Settlement 16 Jun 1835 Will Book 5, Page 111.

Census records:

1810 Writtenhouse, Isaac next door to George Wyer (Wire)

1830 Rittenhouse, Isaac 70/80 Female 20/30

Isaac listed in 1790 Census for Chester Co., PA East Nantmeal Twp

Moved from PA to Louisa Co., VA before 1795

To Harrison Co. VA/WV 1805/6 Tomahawk rights at Dola in Harrison Co.
VA/WV

Children of Isaac Rittenhouse and Elizabeth Zinn are:

- i. Isaac Jr. Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1793; died Unknown; married Mary Cornelison 02 Dec 1813; died Unknown.

More About Isaac Rittenhouse and Mary Cornelison:

Marriage: 02 Dec 1813

- ii. Samuel Taylor Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1795; died Unknown; married Mary ?; died Unknown.
- 47 iii. Elizabeth Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1797 in Virginia; died Unknown; married Archibald Taylor Wyer 05 Jul 1815.
- iv. Nancy Ann Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1800; died Unknown; married Samuel Harbert 19 Aug 1822; born 15 Nov 1799; died 28 Feb 1884 in Harrison County, West Virginia.

More About Samuel Harbert and Nancy Rittenhouse:

Marriage: 19 Aug 1822

- v. Mary Rittenhouse, born Abt. 1802; died Unknown.
- vi. Bennett Rittenhouse, born 30 Oct 1804 in Louisa County, Virginia; died 18 Jul 1876 in Harrison County, West Virginia; married Zilpha Shinn 18 Jan 1828; born 31 Dec 1808 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1890 in Harrison County, West Virginia.

More About Bennett Rittenhouse and Zilpha Shinn:

Marriage: 07 Jan 1828

108. Francis Patton, born Abt. 1742; died Abt. 1798 in Harrison County, Virginia. He married **109. Ruth Parke**.

109. Ruth Parke, born Abt. 1745; died Abt. 1812. She was the daughter of **218. Andrew Parke** and **219. Rachel Moseley**.

Notes for Francis Patton:

Family lived at Booths Creek, Harrison County 400 acres from Virginia 1790

Children's marriage records: Marriage Records, Harrison County, Virginia 1786-1850 by E.H. Morris

Children of Francis Patton and Ruth Parke are:

- i. Hannah Patton, died Unknown; married Henry Golding Jan 1 1811 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 30, Golding, Henry Patton, Hannah 25 Jan 1811.); died Unknown.

More About Henry Golding and Hannah Patton:

Marriage: Jan 1811, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 30, Golding, Henry Patton, Hannah 25 Jan 1811.)

- ii. Nancy Patton, died Unknown; married James Watkins Dec 1807 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 21, Watkins, James Patten, Nancy 29 Dec 1807.); died Unknown.

More About James Watkins and Nancy Patton:

Marriage: Dec 1807, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 21, Watkins, James Patten, Nancy 29 Dec 1807)

- iii. Rachel Patton, born 1767; died 27 Sep 1855 in Harrison County, Virginia; married Amos Stout 20 Mar 1788 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 2, Stout, Amos Patten, Rachel 20 Mar 1788.); born 02 Feb 1764; died 25 Feb 1849 in Harrison County, Virginia.

More About Amos Stout and Rachel Patton:

Marriage: 20 Mar 1788, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 2, Stout, Amos Patten, Rachel 20 Mar 1788.)

- iv. Israel Patton, born Abt. 1771 in Virginia; died Dec 1821 in Franklin Township, Hocking County, Ohio; married Susannah Webb 27 Dec 1789 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 11, Patten, Israel Webb, Susanna 27 Dec 1789.); born Abt. 1773 in Morristown County, Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Israel Patton and Susannah Webb:

Marriage: 27 Dec 1799, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 11, Patten, Israel Webb, Susanna 27 Dec 1789.)

- v. Phoebe Patton, born Abt. 1771 in Lancaster, Pennsylvania; died Unknown; married David Harris 10 Feb 1801 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 11, Patten, Israel Webb, Susanna 27 Dec 1789.)

10 Feb 1801.); died Unknown.

More About David Harris and Phoebe Patton:

Marriage: 10 Feb 1801, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 13, Harris, David Patten, Phebe 10 Feb 1801.)

- vi. Andrew Patton, born 29 Feb 1772; died 12 Oct 1850 in Taylor County, Virginia; married Elizabeth Cunningham 29 Sep 1803 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 15, Patten, Andrew Cunningham, Elizabeth d/o Walter 29 Sep 1803.); died Unknown.

More About Andrew Patton and Elizabeth Cunningham:

Marriage: 29 Sep 1803, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 15, Patten, Andrew Cunningham, Elizabeth d/o Walter 29 Sep 1803.)

- 54 vii. John Patton, born 29 Sep 1773 in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania; died 14 Apr 1861 in Ritchie County, Virginia; married (1) Mary V 26 Nov 1795 in Harrison County, Virginia; married (2) Sarah St 26 Nov 1823 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- viii. Keziah Patton, born 22 Feb 1775 in Virginia; died Sep 1830 in Tippecanoe; married Joseph Albin 16 Nov 1796 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 8, Albin, Joseph Patten, Keziah d/o Francis 26 Nov 1796.); died Unknown.

More About Joseph Albin and Keziah Patton:

Marriage: 16 Nov 1796, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 8, Albin, Joseph Patten, Keziah d/o Francis 26 Nov 1796.)

- ix. Robert Patton, born 25 Dec 1779 in Clarksburg, Harrison County, Virginia; died Jun 1865 in Hocking, Ohio; married (1) Mary V 21 Jul 1806 in Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by Wes Cochran 1985), Page 392, Patten, Robert Halterman, Polly d/o Christean 21 July 1806); married (2) Phoebe Sprague 1832; died Unknown.

Notes for Robert Patton:

E-mail from Phyllis Stephens 21 Jul 2000

Robert was a miller on the Hawkins River in Ohio at Hocking. He moved from West Virginia to Ohio in 1809. He was Scottish. This information is from notes of Lottie Hoskinson.

Served in War of 1812 under General William Henry Harrison. His brother John was a Captain.

changed to Haydenville.

More About Robert Patton and Mary Halterman:

Marriage: 21 Jul 1806, Harrison County, Virginia (Source: *Harrison County Marriage Records 1785-1894*, (Published by West Virginia Historical Society, 1985), Page 392, Patten, Robert Halterman, Polly d/o Christy 1806.)

110. Jonas Webb, born Abt. 1733; died Abt. 1784. He married **110. Elizabeth Nutter**.

111. Elizabeth Nutter, died Abt. 1838.

Children of Jonas Webb and Elizabeth Nutter are:

- 55 i. Mary Webb, born Abt. 1777 in Harrison County, Virginia; died 1817 in Miami Township, Logan County, Ohio; married John Patton 1795 in Harrison County, Virginia.
- ii. Nutter Webb, died Unknown; married Anna Cunningham; died Unknown.

118. Frederick Hevener, born Abt. 1753 in Tulpehocken, Berks County, Pennsylvania; died 1817 in Brandywine, Pendleton County, Virginia. the son of **236. Nicholas Haefner** and **237. Anna Elizabeth Seybert**. married **119. Elizabeth**.

119. Elizabeth, died 22 Sep 1816 in Brandywine, Pendleton County, Virginia.

Notes for Frederick Hevener:

Research of Betty L. Jones

History of Pendleton Co., WV by Morton, p. 224

Pendleton Co., WV Wills Vol 4 page 11 dated 16 Nov 1814

Dates on gravestones in Pendleton Co., WV

Research of Larry Heffner

From Larry Heffner 7 Jun 2001 which corrects earlier information for children of Frederick Hevener:

GREENBRIER CO., (W)VA DEATH RECORDS

Book 1-A; Page 31; 1862; line 138

John Hefner; died July 1862, Greenbrier Co., (W)Va, cause of death: age 82; bn. Pendleton Co., (W)Va Parents: James & Elizabeth Hefner
Ruth Hefner; Informant: Jesse Gumm - son-in-law

Notes for Elizabeth:

Research of Betty L. Jones

History of Pendleton Co., WV by Morton p. 224

Pendleton Co., WV Wills Vol 4 page 11 dated 16 Nov 1814

Dates on gravestones Pendleton Co., WV

Research of Larry Heffner

Children of Frederick Hevener and Elizabeth are:

- i. Frederick Hevener, Jr., died Unknown.
- 59 ii. Catherine Hevener, born Abt. 1769 in Rockingham County, VA; died 13 Apr 1855 in Ritchie County, Virginia; married Patrick Hevener May 1783 in Pendleton County, Virginia.
- iii. Jacob Hevener, born 12 May 1773; died Unknown.
- iv. William Hevener, born Abt. 1775; died Unknown.
- v. Elizabeth Hevener, born Abt. 1777; died Unknown.
- vi. Mary Hevener, born Abt. 1779; died Unknown.
- vii. Barbara Hevener, born Abt. 1781; died Unknown.
- viii. George Hevener, born Abt. 1784; died Unknown.

120. James Bailey, died Unknown. He married **121. Hannah Thornsbury**, died Unknown.

Notes for James Bailey:

James Bailey given as father of John Bailey in "Fauquier Families 1799. (from Cleona)

Stephen Maul's theory is that James Bailey was J.B.Y. Bailey father of John, Thomas, and Thornberry Bailey and that James Bailey's wife was Thornberry.

Children of James Bailey and Hannah Thornsbury are:

- 60 i. John Bailey, Sr., died Bef. 04 Aug 1845 in Taylor County, VA; married Elizabeth.
- ii. Thomas Bailey, died Unknown.
- iii. Thornsbury Bailey, died Unknown.

Generation No. 8

128. Paul Custer, born Abt. 1710 in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; died 10 Nov 1783 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. He was the father of **256. Arnold Custer** and **257. Rebecca ?**. He married **129. Sarah Martha Ball**, born Abt. 1737 in Pennsylvania.

129. Sarah Martha Ball, born 30 Dec 1712 in Plymouth Township, Pennsylvania; died 110 Dec 1770 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

was the daughter of **258. John Ball** and **259. Sarah Roades**.

Notes for Paul Custer:

See the notes for Arnold Custer for documents showing that Paul is the son of Arnold.

Notes for Sarah Martha Ball:

Birth date given as tenth month which in Quaker records for 1712 would be December. Source of information Tom Taylor in answer from Susan Morikawa, Archival Specialist at Swarthmore's Friends Library, PA

It seems that E.W. Gans who was secretary-treasurer of the Ball Estate Association entered all the information the Association had collected in his book, "A Pennsylvania Pioneer", but the first few pages of chapter XIV "Genealogies" were not accurate. He took data from Hayden's "Virginia Genealogies" (on a Virginia Ball family) and inserted it into the Pennsylvania Balls. This from "Ball Cousins" by Margaret B. Kinsey. So Mr. Gans did descendants a great service in preserving the legal records the Association had collected, but added a bit of confusion by creating the Washington family relationship myth (which is easily disproved)..

Milo Custer in his "Custer Genealogies" disproves another form of the myth that Sarah Ball Custer, wife of Paul Custer, was closely related to the Washington family by being the sister of Mary Ball Washington, mother of President George Washington. He states:

"Careful investigation discloses that Mary (Ball) Washington had no sister named Sarah, nor any who married a Custer. Further research reveals that Sarah (Ball) Custer did have a sister named Mary, but that this Mary Ball married a man named George Smith, and not Augustus Washington." (Appendix page XXXIII which goes into greater detail)

Donald Custer noted in his research that even his family believed that Sarah Ball Custer was closely related to the mother of George Washington, Mary Ball. He said that the DAR even accepted this, but that was his understanding that they no longer did and that The Mary Ball Association rejects it. Donald offers many proofs that this myth is not true. Perhaps the Will of Samuel Ball is among the most important documents he gives.

" WILL OF SAMUEL BALL

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I, Samuel Ball, being weak in Body and sense and memory thanks to God, calling to mind the mortality of my Body and knowing it is appointed for all men to die, I do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows:

ITEM: I give to my loving wife ANNA CATHARINE BALL the use
Negro

Man, Adam, during the time she lives my widow, and afterwards to my
William Ball, and His heirs forever.

ITEM: I give to my son William Ball all my land and six Negroes by
Daniel, Dett, Cloandy, Rose, Rachel, Ester, to him and his heirs
lawfully begotten of his body, forever, and for want of such heirs then
as followeth:

ITEM: I give to my Daughter Margaret Ball five Negroes by name Ja
Murriah, Milla, Kittener, Will, and a feather bed and furniture and a
mare Tillie and her colt and my horse Batcheller and if in case my son
William should die without heirs lawfully begotten of his body then I
give four hundred acres of land which is already bounded to my said
Daughter Margaret Ball and her choice of two Negroes belonging to her
brother, part of her and her heirs forever, and the rest to be divided
amongst the three sisters.

ITEM: I give to my daughter JUDITH HACKLEY two Negroes by name
Jack, to her and her heirs forever and four hundred and sixty acres of
land to her and her heirs forever in case her brother should die as
aforesaid.

ITEM: I give to my son William Ball all my estate that is not mentioned
already to him and his heirs forever.

ITEM: I give to JAMES POLLARD five acres of land bounded thus..
his and his heirs forever.

ITEM: I give to my daughter MARY GREEN twenty shillings. The reason I
give her no more is because she has had her part already.

ITEM: I do appoint my son William Ball and my two sons-in-law, John
Hackley and Robert Green to be sole executors of this my last will and
testament. In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this
sixteenth day of August in the year Seventeen Hundred and Fifty-one.

SAMUEL BALL"

Donald goes on to explain that the will was made in Culpeper Court

and that he included it to show that Sarah Ball Custer (30 Dec 1712 P. 10 Dec 1779 PA) was not a daughter of Samuel as she was still living 1751. This will of Samuel Ball shows that earlier DAR research which stated that Sarah Martha Ball was born in Wicomico County, MD and the daughter of Samuel Ball was not true. There are other earlier assertions that Sarah Ball Custer was closely related to the mother of George Washington which Donald has closely examined and found to be undocumented and in error. He goes on to explain that the settlement of the Joseph Ball estate shows no evidence of any relationship to the Washington Family. Margaret B. Kinsey in "Ball Cousins" compiled based on the distribution of Joseph Ball's estate between 1827 and 1840 which is a great help to researchers in sorting out the family of Sarah Ball Custer and also shows no relationship to the Washington family.

More About Paul Custer and Sarah Ball:
Marriage: Abt. 1737, Pennsylvania

Children of Paul Custer and Sarah Ball are:

- 64 i. Jonathan Custer, Sr., born 04 Oct 1738 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania; died Bef. 13 Nov 1823 in Amityville, Berks County, Pennsylvania; married Hannah Peters Abt. 1759 in Pennsylvania
- ii. George Custer, Sr., born Dec 1744 in Pennsylvania; died 17 I Georges Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania (Source: H Collier Dunkard Church Cemetery found by Connie Latta in Fayette County, Pennsylvania just outside of Uniontown, PA. Headstone sent by Connie Latta Oct 11, 1999, Sacred to the M GEORGE CUSTER who departed this life Dec 17th 1829 and two days.); married (1) Susannah Long Mar 1774; born 1 died 17 Oct 1784 in Hagerstown, Frederick County, MD; married Catherine Leatherman 28 Nov 1784; born 07 Apr 1765 in Frederick County, Maryland; died 22 Sep 1844 in Georges Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania (Source: Headstone in Collier Cemetery

More About George Custer and Susannah Long:
Marriage: Mar 1774

- iii. Nicholas Custer, born Abt. 1745; died Unknown.
- iv. William Custer, born Abt. 1740; died Unknown.

131. Bernadine, died Unknown.

Child of Hendrick Peters and Bernadine is:

- 65 i. Hannah Peters, born Abt. 1735 in Pennsylvania; died 1805 in Berks County, Pennsylvania; married (1) Benjamin Kendall I married (2) Jonathan Custer, Sr. Abt. 1759 in Pennsylvania.

144. John Morehead, Sr., born Abt. 1700 in Virginia; died Bef. 2 1768 in Fauquier County, Virginia. He was the son of **288. Charles M Jr..** and **289. Jane Presley**. He married **145. Mary Armistead** Abt. 1 Virginia.

145. Mary Armistead, born Abt. 1700 in King George County, V died Abt. 1768.

Notes for John Morehead, Sr.:

Research by James Melton, Barbara Denahey, Barbara Wallace

John Morehead was the son of Charles Morehead of Northumberland County, VA. His mother was either Sarah Nelms or Jane Presley. He between 1682 and 1700, more likely the latter. John and wife, Mary , children. Land grants and purchases show that he lived in King George VA, which became Price William County and later Fauquier County. was dated 22 Jun 1768 and it was probated 24 Oct 1768.

Cites Previously mentioned works under Nathaniel Morehead, Sr. HUMSTON GLEANINGS by Edward A. Humston, FHL Book 929.2 H889he, 1981 Note: lists birth date as 1682, in Northumberland Co., Moved to Fauquier Co., VA Married twice, 1st wife unknown, 2nd wi Mary Armistead.

FAUQUIER COUNTY DEEDS, 1759-1778 Heritage Books, Bow 90-91 Note: on 8 Aug 1768, John assigned a slave purchased on 2 Aug his son Samuel. Recorded 24 Oct 1768. Date of death was then between 1768 and 24 Oct 1768

From Marie Wingate in an e-mail 2 May 2003:

Here's the will transcriptions for each of the three Moreheads. I don't transcription for Samuel (son of John) but from the will abstract --his v dated Dec 16, 1796 in Fauquier Co and Proved Dec 26 1796. His widow referred to as Wilmouth (is this the same person as Lucy Wilmarth?) and children as follows: Sarah, Lydia, Mary, Elizabeth, Peggy, Charles, and B. I have completed the inventories for John and for Charles, but am working on the inventory for Alexander. I used the microfilm copy of originals and transcribed from them. Lydia Morehead married James I their son James N Roy was my great great great grandfather. James N

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Morehead, John's Will

In the Name of God Amen, the twenty second day of June one thousand and sixty eight I John Morehead of the County of Fauquier be and weak but of a perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God Therefore calling unto mind the Mortallity of my Body and knowing that appointed for all men once to die Do make and ordain this my last Will and Testatment that is to say Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it

and my body I recommend to the Earth to Burial in a decent Christian manner to the discretion of my Executors nothing withstanding but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God touching such wordly Estate where with it hath pleased God to bless me in my life I give and dispose of the same in the following manner and form To wit Imprimis. I give to my daughter Hannah Johnson five shillings and this I give over & above what I have already done

for her by Gift or otherwise and I do hereby declare that it is my full desire that she shall not have any claim or title to any other part of my estate whatsoever.

Item I give my son Charles Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by Gift or otherwise and I do hereby declare that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my estate whatsoever. Item I give my son Joseph Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and I do hereby declare that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim or title to my Estate whatsoever.

Item I give my son John Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my son Alexander Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my son Alexander Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my son Alexander Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my son Alexander Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my son Alexander Morehead five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate whatsoever.

Item I give my son William Morehead fifteen pounds and this I give over and above what I have already done for him by gift or otherwise and I do hereby declare that it is my full desire that he shall not have any claim to my Estate excepting the land hereafter mentioned. Item I give unto my daughter Mary Lawrence five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for her by gift or otherwise and I do declare that it is my full desire that she shall not have any claim or title to my Estate whatsoever. Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth Brigham five shillings and this I give over and above what I have already done for her by Gift or otherwise and I do hereby declare

my full desire that she shall not have any claim to my estate whatsoever
Item I give to my son Samuel Morehead a certain tract or Parcel of land
Containing by Estimation ninety acres adjoining Rhodham Tillis, Joseph
Blackenship & Brooks and likewise another tract or Parcel of land containing
by Estimation fifty acres adjoining the Land my son Joseph sold to Edward
Item I leave the land I now live on after my wives decease to be equally
divided between my three sons Alexander, William and Presley Morehead and
any of my children died without heir lawfully begotten that then it be
the money equally divided between my surviving children. Item I leave the
rest of my Estate to be equally divided between my

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loving wife my sons Samuel & Presley Morehead and it is my desire that
either of my sons Samuel or Presley die without Heir lawfully begotten
it be equally divided between my surviving children. Item Lastly I appoint
three sons Charles Alexander and William Morehead Executors to this
will and Testament and I do hereby Revoke and Disannul all and every
former will Confirming this and no other to be my last will & testament
Witness whereof I have here

unto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

John Morehead seal

Signed and Sealed and acknowledged

In the presence of

John Jett

William Prime

Joseph Mocklan

At a court held for Fauquier County, the 24th Day of 1768 This will was
proved by the oaths of John Jett and William Prime witnesses thereto Ordered
Recorded and on the motion of Charles Alexander
and William Morehead who made oath and prused and acknowledge I
the Law directs Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate the
form.

Teste

Brockett

More About John Morehead and Mary Armistead:
Marriage: Abt. 1730, Virginia

Children of John Morehead and Mary Armistead are:

- i. Alexander Morehead, born Abt. 1738; died 1816; married Lydia born 25 Sep 1746; died Unknown.

Notes for Alexander Morehead:

From Marie Wingate 02 May 2003:

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In the name of God Amen. I Alexander Morehead of the County of Fauquier and the State of Virginia being infirm of body but of sound mind and memory thanks be unto God, Calling unto mind the frailty of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all once to die, I do hereby ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally I do recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave me my body to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executor and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life. I give and dispose in the following manner. Viz

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Oliver wife of John Oliver, one Negro girl named Hanner, Daughter of Bett also a daughter named Sealy daughter of Lucy, them and their increase to the said Mary Oliver and her heirs forever also whatever she hath hitherto received of me I give unto her and her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my son John Morehead and his heirs one Negro boy named Daniel son of the aforesaid Bett. I also give and bequeath to the said John Morehead and his heirs all that he hath received of me.

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Lydia Roy one Negro girl named Lot, Daughter of Polly also one Negro boy named Joseph son of the said Polly. Lot and her increase to the said Lydia Roy and her heirs forever also give and bequeath to the said Lydia Roy whatever she hath received of me.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Alexander Morehead and his heirs one Negro boy named Peter son of the aforesaid Polly. I also give and bequeath to the said Alexander Morehead and his heirs whatever he hath hitherto received of me.

Item I give and bequeath to my son William Morehead and his heirs one Negro boy named Ruben. I also give and bequeath to the said William Morehead and his heirs whatever he hath hitherto received of me. I also give to my son William Morehead and his heirs a tract of land on Brentown and bounded by Elk Run Containing one hundred and nine half acres.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Joel Morehead and his heirs two Negro boys named Lewis and Ruben sons to the aforesaid Polly. I also give and bequeath to the said Joel Morehead and his heirs whatever he hath hitherto received of me.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Charles Morehead and his heirs one Negro boy, named Lewis. I also give and bequeath to my son

Item It is my will to dispose of the tract of land whereon I now live in the following manner. To wit to my son William Morehead a part forever fifty acres out of the

said tract of land, and then the remainder of the said tract of land to be equally divided between my two sons Alexander Morehead & Charles Morehead to them and their heirs forever. NB The tract when surveyed including all purchases contains four hundred & eleven acres less.

Item It is my will that my executors which I shall hereafter name shall discharge first all my just debts and the rest of my property be equally divided personal to be equally divided between my seven Children. V. I give to Oliver, John Morehead, Lydia Roy, Alexander Morehead, William Morehead, Joel Morehead & Charles Morehead to them and their heirs forever.

Lastly I constitute, appoint and ordain my (son) Charles Morehead and son in law Josias Oliver my sole executors to this my last will and testament and do hereby revoke and disannul all and every of my former testaments, wills, legacy and bequesths by me heretofore made and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen
Alexander Morehead Seal

Signed sealed and acknowledged in the presence of
Henry Peters, William Eustace Jun, Tho. Eustace
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At a Court held for Fauquier County the 25th day of August 1866 the last will and testament of Alexander Morehead deceased was read and the oaths of Henry Peters and William Eustace Jr. to be the executors of the said Morehead, witness thereto and ordered to be recorded.
Teste Daniel Withers C.C.

- ii. Elizabeth Brixtraw Morehead, died Unknown; married Richard Brixtraw Nov 1764 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died Unknown.

Notes for Elizabeth Brixtraw Morehead:

Shirley Simms research indicates Elizabeth married ? Brigham (2001)

More About Richard Rixey and Elizabeth Morehead:
Marriage: 16 Nov 1764, Fauquier County, Virginia

- iii. Hannah Morehead, born 1731; died Aft. Oct 1768; married Benjamin Johnson; died Unknown.
- iv. John Morehead, Jr., born Abt. 1730; died 1821; married Mary Johnson Abt. 1750; died Abt. 1820.

Notes for John Morehead, Jr.:

research of Shirley Simms. Sep 2001. In an email dated 25 Sep 2001, Shirley states: we also descend from John Morehead Sr m. Mary Armistead. Our line comes through John Jr, m. Mary Wheatley

More About John Morehead and Mary Wheatley:
Marriage: Abt. 1750

- v. Joseph Morehead, born 19 Jan 1732/33 in Hamilton Parish, F Fauquier (now Fauquier) Co., VA; died Bef. Sep 1806 in Near Rockingham, Richmond County, NC (Source: Will Book 1, I Source cited by B. Edward in a postem note 4 Nov 2000.); m Elizabeth Turner Abt. 1756; born Abt. 1736; died Unknown.

Notes for Joseph Morehead:
Information from B. Edward in a postem nott 4 Nov 2000.

More About Joseph Morehead and Elizabeth Turner:
Marriage: Abt. 1756

- vi. Mary Morehead, died Unknown.

Notes for Mary Morehead:
Note from Lydia Howland (Mrs. John G.) 8 Dec 2000 saying descendant of Mary Morehead.

- vii. Presley Morehead, died Unknown; married Elizabeth Hunton 1778 in Fauquier County, Virginia; died Unknown.

Notes for Elizabeth Hunton:
About the Hunton Family background from descendant, Jim Jan 2001 e-mail.
Thomas1 Hunton (of Hunton Manor), born in England; died of Hunton in Hampshire County adjacent to Wiltshire County. He married unknown. Notes for Thomas Hunton (of Hunton Hunton Manor was located in the Chaplery of Hunton in Hampshire County, adjacent to Wiltshire county. The borders of Hampshire and Wiltshire formed or did form in the late 1600's a common border of Hunton Manor property. The ancestral Manor home of 18 rooms of brick with black trim, was built around 1545. In about 1890 it was partially burned and rebuilt. The Hunton family were Royalist family members who rode in the Cavalry Corps ("Cavaliers") commanded by landed gentry from this area against Cromwell until Charles I was defeated and subsequently beheaded by Cromwell. Because they supported Charles I, their Manor House and lands were confiscated as punishment by the Cromwell government, who in turn bequeathed the property to General Maurice Ashley, a financial backer of Cromwell, as a reward for his loyalty to the winning side. When Charles II and his followers began to gain strength after the death of Oliver Cromwell, Dr. Ashley

established by Charles II. Thus, when Charles II's government was accepting petitions from the loyal supporters of Charles I, our ancestor Thomas Hunton, filed a petition for the return of his confiscated House and lands. He lost his appeal because ex-General Ashley's position in the new Royalist government was so well established that he was able to retain our lands from Cromwell. As a result, the Hunttons had to settle for a lump sum settlement after many years of legal action with the government; in fact, they did not actually receive their compensation until William of Orange took the throne. With this cash settlement, Thomas Hunton, son of Thomas Hunton of Hunton Manor, immigrated to Jamestown, VA, and purchased a large tract of land in Lancaster County around 1700. Compilation by Bayne Palmer O'Brien, CG, genealogist; library of R. Hunton, 615 Third St., NE, Apt. 2, Washington, D.C. 20002

More About Presley Morehead and Elizabeth Hunton:
Marriage: 18 May 1778, Fauquier County, Virginia

- viii. Samuel Morehead, died Unknown; married Lucy Wilmarth; died Unknown.

Notes for Samuel Morehead:

Notes for Lucy Wilmarth:

From Anna Lea Barry 14 June 2002: Samuel Morehead married Lucy Wilmarth, born 1751

Prince William VA. His will was probably hard to read. I am looking for from their daughter Lydia. You can find Sam and Lucy on FamilySearch.

- ix. Charles Morehead, born Abt. 1736 in Prince William County Virginia; died Abt. 1783; married Mary Turner; died Unknown.

Notes for Charles Morehead:

- 72 x. William Morehead, born Abt. 1740 in Hamilton Parish, Prince George County, Virginia; died Abt. 1809 in Fauquier County, Virginia; married Mary Jones.

148. Francis Jett, born Abt. 1736 in Virginia; died 22 Oct 1791 in Oak, Stafford County, Virginia. He was the son of **296. Peter Jett** and **Rebecca Bowen**. He married **149. Barsheba Porch**.

149. Barsheba Porch, born Abt. 1736; died 1817 in Stafford County, Virginia.

Virginia. She was the daughter of **298. Richard Porch** and **299. Mar**

Notes for Francis Jett:

Research of James Melton and Barbara Denahey

See references cited under Thomas Jett.

Francis Jett was born about 1736 in King George County, VA. His parents were Peter and Rebecca (Bowen) Jett. He married Barsheba. Thomas was born. Francis was a farmer and a government tobacco inspector at Falls Church. Francis' will was dated 20 Oct 1791, leaving only five pounds to his son Thomas. Thomas and Archibald Rowley allegedly destroyed the will and it could not be probated. A suit was filed in 1820 and not settled until 1824 and Barsheba is buried in the Jett-Shackelford Cemetery on Lloyd Jett Road in Stafford County, Virginia.

Notes for Barsheba Porch:

Research of James Melton and Barbara Denahey

See previously cited works under Thomas Jett

"The Porch Heirs of Stafford County" by William L. Deyo in THE MAGAZINE OF VIRGINIA GENEALOGY

Children of Francis Jett and Barsheba Porch are:

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- i. Thomas Jett, born Abt. 1755 in Stafford County, Virginia; died 1832 in Marietta, Ohio; married (1) Lucinda Owens 12 Jan 1780 in King George County, Virginia; married (2) Mary Ogden 09 Sep 1800 in Stafford County, Virginia.
 - ii. Mary Jett, died Aft. 1820; married Daniel Sullivan; died Unknown.
 - iii. Peter Jett, died Aft. 1820; married Lucretia Maddox; died Unknown.
 - iv. Ann Jett, born 1757; died 19 Sep 1830 in Stafford County, VA; married Archibald Rollow; died Unknown.

Notes for Ann Jett:

Buried at Shackelford's, Stafford, Virginia

- v. Fenton Jett, born 1766; died Aft. 1860; married George Roberson; died Unknown.
- vi. Francis Jett, born Abt. 1773; died 08 Jun 1853 in Stafford County, Virginia; married Charlotte Limbrick; died Unknown.
- vii. Susannah Jett, died Bef. 1820; married William Burton; died Unknown.
- viii. Berryman Jett, born Abt. 1780; died Abt. 1805; married Sarah; died Unknown.
- ix. Barsheba Jett, died Bef. 1820.
- x. Sarah Jett, died Bef. 1820.
- xi. Judith Jett, died 21 Dec 1823.
- xii. John Jett, died Aft. 1820.
- xiii. Elizabeth Jett, died Unknown.

150. Samuel Owens, died Unknown. He was the son of **300. John Owens**. He married **151. Margaret Bryan**.

151. Margaret Bryan, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **301. Richard Bryan**.

Child of Samuel Owens and Margaret Bryan is:

- 75 i. **Lucinda Owens**, born Abt. 1755 in King George County, Virginia; died 11 Aug 1823 in Marietta, Ohio; married Thomas Jett 12 Jan 1800 in King George County, Virginia.

156. Jonathan Drake, born Abt. 1689 in Piscataway, New Jersey; died 1754. He was the son of **312. George Drake** and **313. Mary Oliver**. He married **157. Mary Clawson**.

157. Mary Clawson, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **314. John Clawson** and **315. Mary**.

Notes for Jonathan Drake:

Jonathan Drake (George, Capt. Francis) owned property in both Philadelphia County and Bucks

County, PA. His wife's name was Mary Clawson.

15 Nov 1738 Purchased 200 acres in Montgomery Twp. Philadelphia County, PA from James

and Margaret David.

15 Dec 1751 Will dated

30 Jul 1754 Will proved

JONATHAN DRAKE'S WILL

In the Name of God Amen. This Fifteenth Day of December in the Year of the Lord One Thousand Seven hundred & Fifty One I Jonathan Drake of the Township of New Britain in the County of Bucks and Province of Pennsylvania Yeoman, being much Afflicted in Body, and far Stricken in Years Do hereby Constitute and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in Manner and following viz. Principally and before all things I recomend my Soul to God hoping for mercy through Jesus Christ, and my Body to the Earth, to be Decently Buried as to my Executors herein after named shall seem me most convenient Nothing Doubting but to Receive the same again at the General Resurrection by the Mighty Power of God and as Touching such Work wherewith it hath Pleased God to Bless me in this Life I Do Give Order and Dispose thereof as Followeth imprimis I Do will and Ordain, that my Debts and Funeral Charges be Duly & fully Paid & Satisfied, Item I Do Give and Bequeath unto my well Beloved Wife Mary Drake the sum of One

by ye Sale of my Estate the Same to be at her Disposal During her Nat
and if any part thereof Remain at her Decease such part to be Divided
between my Chilsren the said sum to be unto her in Lieu of her Dowe
at Law out of my Estate and I do Give unto my said Wife One Bed and
Appurtenances thereof Item I Give and Bequeath unto my four Sons
George Drake, William Drake, Jonathan Drake, & Thomas Drake ye s
Eighty Pounds Each of Like money as above sd to be paid as soon as
shall be Raised by ye Sale of my Estate, and I Give unto my said Son
Drake One of my Horses which he shall Choose.

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Eldest Daughter Mary Bevan th
Benefit of the Sum of Thirty Pounds During the Term of her Natural I
the Natural Life of her Husband Mordecai Bevan, and after their Dece
said Sum of Thirty Pounds to be Equally Divided Between my Grand
by my said Daughter Mary Bevan and I do Give unto my Son in Law
Mordecai Bevan ye Sum of Five Pounds in Consideration of his Charg
Building the House he now Lives in

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my three Youngest Daughters, Namely
Drake, Catherin Drake, and Aphie Drake ye Sum of Forty Pounds Eac
paid in the Same Manner as the Other above Legacies, And I Give fur
my said Wife One Iron Pot Two Pewter Dishes and Six Pewter Plates,
will further is, that if my Estate shall fall Short of Answering the Debt
above Bequeathed Legacies that the Legacies shall abate Proportionat
the Estate upon sale made shall come to more that then the above Leg
Augment Proportionably, and I do Nominate Constitute and appoint M
George Drake and my Son Jonathan Drake and my Good friend Simon
Jun. to be Joynt Executors of this my last Will & Testament and in Or
Enable them to Answer the Purposes of this my Will, & to pay my De
Charges and ye hereby Bequeather Legacies I Do Entrust and Empow
my said Executors to Grant Sell and Dispose of all and Singular my G
Chattels whatsoever (Except what is above Specifically Bequeathed) :
Grant Bargain and Sell all and Every of my Messuages Lands and Ter
for any Person or Persons as shall of them Purchase the Same, and un
Hands and Seals to Execute such Lawful Deed or Deeds Conveyances
Asurances for ye Conveying and Confirmation of the said Messuages
Plantations unto such Purchaser or Purchasers Together with their
Appurtenances To hold to such Purchaser or Purchasers his Heirs and
Heirs and assign for Ever And I Do Nominate and Empower and Entr
Good Friends Thomas Humphrey and Isaac James both of Mountgom
Trustees to See this my will in all Things fullfilled and to assist my E
Need be and I Do hereby Revoke and make Void all other and former
me before this made of willed Ratifying & Confirming this to be my I
and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand and

Day & Year above said

Jonathan Drake

Sealed Signed Published and Declared (the words (the House) being
_____interlined) by Jonathan Drake Testator in the presence of Us John
Alex Wright, Benja Griffith

Bucks: The 30 Day of July Anno Domini 1754 Then Appeared John
Benjamin Griffith Two of the Witnesses to the within Written Will and
their Solemn Oaths did Severally declare that they were present and S
Jonathan Drake the within Testator Sign Seal Publish and Declare the
Writing to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Doing thereof
of Sound mind Memory and Understanding to the Best of their Knowledge
Before me Richd Gibbs Deputy Register

By Virtue of a Commission from the Register General

& by the Direction of Lawrance Growdon Esqr Deputy Register

Bucks: Be it Remembered That On the 30th Day of July Anno Domini
This Last Will and Testament of Jonathan Drake was Duly Proved According
To Law and Probate and Letters Testamentary were Granted To George
Jonathan Drake and Simon Butler Junr Executors therein Named they
Solemnly sworn well and Faithfully to Administer the Goods and Chances
Rights and Credits of the said Deceased and to Exhibit a True and Perfect
Inventory thereof in to the Registers Office for the said County of Bucks
Month after the Date hereof And a Just and true Account of their Administration
when thereunto Required to Render In Witness whereof I have Hereunto
Hand and the Seal of the said Office the Day and Year aforesaid

Richd Gibbs Deputy Register

By Virtue of a Commission from the Register General

And by the Direction of _____Deputy Register

Children of Jonathan Drake and Mary Clawson are:

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- i. Thomas Drake, born 13 Jul 1728; died 25 Jul 1811 in Loudoun
Virginia; married Eurah Humphrey 14 Oct 1760 in Pennsylvania
 - ii. George Drake, born 21 Sep 1735; died 1825 in Harrison County
married Susannah Collier 26 Aug 1761 in Middlesex, NJ; born
1743; died 28 Sep 1823 in Harrison County, VA.

More About George Drake and Susannah Collier:

Marriage: 26 Aug 1761, Middlesex, NJ

- iii. William Drake, died Unknown.
- iv. Jonathan Drake, died Unknown.
- v. Mary Drake, died Unknown; married Mordecai Bevan; died 1

- vii. Catherin Drake, died Unknown.
- viii. Aphie Drake, died Unknown; married George Smith; died Unknown.

158. Thomas Humphrey, died Unknown. He married **159. Hannah**
159. Hannah, died Unknown.

Child of Thomas Humphrey and Hannah is:

- 79 i. Eurah Humphrey, born 01 Jan 1738/39; died 02 Feb 1817; m. Thomas Drake 14 Oct 1760 in Pennsylvania.

180. John Nutter, born Aft. 1740; died Aft. 08 Apr 1808. He married **Ester** Abt. 1767.

181. Ester, died Aft. 08 Apr 1808.

Notes for John Nutter:

Will of

JOHN NUTTER
Harrison County, Virginia
28 APR 1808

I, John NUTTER of Harrison County and State of Virginia, do hereby make my Last Will and Testament in the manner and form following, that is to say, first of all I desire that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid.

2dly: After the payment of my debts and funeral expenses, I give to my wife Esther Nutter, the plantation I now live on together with all my perishable, personal estate for and during the term of her natural life, and after her decease I give the same to my children, herein after mentioned to be enjoyed by them forever.

3rdly: I give to my son Christopher Nutter, three hundred and fifty acres of land lying on Coon Crick of the lower end of that survey, only what he the said Christopher, has paid me for, that land shall stand good to my estate, but the land I give to him and his heirs forever.

4thly: I give to Sarah Glaspy (Gillespie) my daughter, one hundred acres of land, across the tract of land I now live on, at the upper end joining John Webb's to her and her heirs forever.

5thly: At the deceased of my wife, Esther Nutter, I give to my son, John, the remaining part of the tract of land I now live on together with all my removable estate....other ways to him and his heirs forever, only he, the said John Nutter shall pay ten pounds to Esther Unsel when she comes of age.

6thly: I give to Esther Unsel, an orphan girl that now lives with me the remaining fifty acres of the four hundred acres or tract on Coon Crick, and at the death of my wife, I give to the said Unsel my wife's bedding, together with her wearing clothes to her and her heirs forever, and

Lastly: I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend, Benjamin Webb, of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other or former Wills or Testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this twenty-eighth day of April, in the fourth year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eight, for the last Will and Testament.

His Mark
X
John Nutter

Witness to the Will: Moses Starr, John Webb, Edward Goodwin

More About John Nutter and Ester:
Marriage: Abt. 1767

Child of John Nutter and Ester is:

- 90 i. Christopher Nutter, born 1772 in West Augusta, Virginia; died in Ritchie County, Virginia; met (1) ? Unsel; married (2) Eli McIntire 02 Dec 1797 in Harrison County, Virginia.

185. ? Cornelison, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **370. Cornelison**.

Child of ? Wyer and ? Cornelison is:

- 92 i. George Wyer, born Abt. 1771; died Abt. 1845 in Washington
 married (1) Elizabeth Findley 11 Jan 1794; married (2) Eunci
 Jan 1804.

186. Archibald Findley, died Unknown.

Children of Archibald Findley are:

- 93 i. Elizabeth Findley, died Unknown; married George Wyer 11 J
 ii. Mary Findley, died Unknown.
 iii. Isabel Findley, died Unknown.
 iv. Margaret Findley, died Unknown.

188. Nicholas Rittenhouse, born 1725 in Philidelphia County, PA
Montgomery County, PA; died 23 Mar 1777 in Philidelphia County, I
Montgomery County, PA. He was the son of **376. Henry Rittenhous**
Susannah Wool. He married **189. Ann ?**.

189. Ann ?, born Abt. 1720; died 26 Mar 1777 in Philidelphia Co
now Montgomery County, PA.

Notes for Nicholas Rittenhouse:

From notes of John E. Hildreth:
Montgomery County created in 1784. Probate 7 Apr 1777 Will Book

More About Nicholas Rittenhouse:

Burial: 1777, Worcester Mennonite Cemetery, Perkiomen Region, PA

More About Ann ?:

Burial: 1777, Worcester Mennonite Cemetery, Perkiomen Region, PA

Children of Nicholas Rittenhouse and Ann ? are:

- 94 i. Isaac Rittenhouse, born 02 Sep 1759 in Montgomery, PA; die
 Harrison County, Virginia now West Virginia; married Elizal
 ii. Henry Rittenhouse, died Unknown.

218. Andrew Parke, born 11 Nov 1709; died 15 Apr 1790. He w
of **436. John Parke** and **437. Sarah Smith**. He married **219. Rachel**
219. Rachel Mosley, born 26 Aug 1722; died Abt. 1790

Notes for Andrew Parke:

May have lived in Lancaster County, PA

Child of Andrew Parke and Rachel Moseley is:

- 109 i. Ruth Parke, born Abt. 1745; died Abt. 1812; married Francis

236. Nicholas Haefner, born Abt. 1707 in Hirschfeld, Koblenz, C died 1769 in Brandywine, Pendleton County, Virginia. He married **23 Elizabeth Seybert** Abt. 1740 in Pennsylvania.

237. Anna Elizabeth Seybert, born Abt. 1720 in Eitzweiler, Gerr Aft. 1786 in Lebanon County, Pennsylvania. She was the daughter of **Christopher Seybert** and **475. Johanna**.

Notes for Nicholas Haefner:

Research of Betty L. Jones

Came to America in 1738

Naturalized 16 Sep 1750 Lancaster Co., PA

Augusta Co., VA Deed Book 6, pages 109 dated 21 May 1755

Records of Mertz Church, Rockland Twp., Berks Co., PA

Augusta Co. Will dated 15 Apr 1769

Seibert Family History

Chalkley's Books

"Notes and Queries, Vol. 1896 page 39 Baptisms of Rev. John Cas Stoever" by William Henry Egle

Research of Larry Heffner

Notes for Anna Elizabeth Seybert:

Research of Betty L. Jones

Seibert Family History

Research of Larry Heffner

More About Nicholas Haefner and Anna Seybert:

Marriage: Abt. 1740, Pennsylvania

Children of Nicholas Haefner and Anna Seybert are:

- i. Philip Hevener, died Unknown.
- 118 ii. Frederick Hevener, born Abt. 1753 in Tulpehocken, Berks Co Pennsylvania; died 1817 in Brandywine, Pendleton County, V married Elizabeth.
- iii. John Jacob Hevener, born 07 Aug 1744 (Source: Baptisms of Casner Stoever); died Unknown

- John Casper Stoever); died Unknown.
- v. Ruth Hevener, born Abt. 1749; died Unknown.
- vi. Maria Catherine Hevener, born 07 Jun 1750 (Source: Baptist John Casper Stoever); died Unknown.

Generation No. 9

256. Arnold Custer, born Abt. 1669 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany Chester E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Arnold was baptized on June 9, 1699. The witnesses at his baptism were Stina Swig, Ans Strypers (presumably Anna, Gertrude's sister), and Noulis Guys, wife of Mattis Custers, brother of Paulus.); died 1739 in Hanover Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania. He was the son of **512. Paulus Kuster** and **513. Gertrude Doors**. He married **257. Rebecca ?** Abt. 1699 in Pennsylvania.

257. Rebecca ?, born Abt. 1680; died Bef. 1739 in Pennsylvania.

Notes for Arnold Custer:

In "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage" Volume IX Number 3 July 1986 there is an article by Chester E. Custer titled "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania". Researcher should try to obtain a copy of this article as Chester goes over the research done by Niepoth, Becker, Rotthoff, Lenders, Nieper and others to give us a better understanding of the early history of our family. Chester also visited churches in Kaldenkirchen associated with the family and was assisted by Peters, a professional archivist and linguist of Kaldenkirchen, in transcribing records. Chester also did research in Krefeld, in the Mennonite library at Weierhof and in the archives at Dusseldorf.

Arnold is a witness to the will of his father, Paulus, in Will Book C-172 Register of wills Office, Philadelphia County Courthouse, Philadelphia.

The Renunciation of Right to Administer: Estate of Arnold Kuster 1739 is file no 35, Orphans' Court, Philadelphia, Pa. There is a copy of the document in Milo Custer's "Custer Genealogies" :

"Know all Men by these presents that I Conrad Custers of the County of Philadelphia. yeoman, for diverse good Causes and Considerations the said I Conrad Custers have renounced and disclaimed and by these presents Do as well for me and the rest of the children of Arnold Custer, Father, who dyd (i.e. died.) I do hereby and by their Order and Consent Renounce mine and their Right of Administration of the Estate of the said Dec'd. Willing and Desiring t

Administration thereof be Committed to Harman Custer Broth(er) of t
Deced. In Witness whereof I the said Conrad Custer have hereunto se
and Seal this 22 December 1739.

Conrad Kuster

The Administrator's Bond, Estate of Arnold Kuster, 1739, is file no. 3
Orphans' Court, Philadelphia, PA.

The Deed, Arnold Kuster's heirs to James Brooke, 1740, is in Deed bo
90, Montgomery County Courthouse, Norristown, PA. A copy of this
also in Milo Custer's book, "Custer Genealogies" which states in part:

Deed

Arnold Kuster's Heirs to James Brooke

1740

"This Indenture made theday ofin the year of our Lord One Tho
seven hundred and forty. Between Conrad Custer and Susanna, his w
Custer and Sarah, his wife, George Custer and Mary, his wife, Nichol
and Susanna, his wife, Arnold Custer and Barbara, his wife, they the s
Conrad, Paul, George, Nicholas and Arnold being the sons of Arnold
late of Hanover Township, in the County of Philadelphia, Bricklayer,
John Jenkins and Katharine, his wife, one of the daughters of said Arr
father, and Dorothy Custer and Hannah Custer, the other daughter(s) o
deceased Arnold Custer, of the one part, and James Brooke of Hanove
Township aforesaid, Yeoman, of the other part."...

A note on the names of the counties cited should be made to explai
"About the year 1700 the lands around the Mantawny and the French
were literally outposts of Pennsylvania. On our side of the river (Pott
they were a part of Philadelphia County. Chester County was formed
Berks in 1752, and Montgomery not until 1784." from page 1 of "A
Pottstown, Pennsylvania 1752-1952" by Paul Chancellor, published b
Historical Society of Pottstown, Pennsylvania in the year 1953.

Notes for Rebecca ?:

More About Arnold Custer and Rebecca ?:
Marriage: Abt. 1699, Pennsylvania

Children of Arnold Custer and Rebecca ? are:

- i. Katharine Custer, born Abt. 1700; died Unknown.
- ii. George Custer, born Abt. 1704 in Germantown, Pennsylvania

M. White, Editor, *The Descendants of Paulus and Gertrude I* (1991 The Castor Association of America Mennonite Press I Kansas 67114), Pages 119-120, George was killed by Indians Saturday, 1 November 1755 near the gap of the Blue Mounta Carbon County).); married Mary Roades 28 Jun 1731 in Chri Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; died Unknown.

Notes for George Custer:
Killed by Indians.

More About George Custer:
Religion: Members of Richland Monthly Meeting Quaker

Notes for Mary Roades:
Mary married George Custer brother to Paul Custer who mar daughter of Mary's sister, Sarah Roades Ball. Mary Roades C the aunt of Sarah Ball Custer.

More About George Custer and Mary Roades:
Marriage: 28 Jun 1731, Christ Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylv

- iii. Nicholas Custer, born Dec 1706 in Germantown, Pennsylvan 1784 in Limerick Township, Pennsylvania; married Susanna Hoppe Abt. 1732; born Abt. 1714; died Abt. 1787.

Notes for Nicholas Custer:
From a fellow researcher who visited Trappe, PA:
"...did get 17 pages from Mulenbergs journal and a wonderful that he had written about Nicholas on one of the pages. The ' Church was my highlight...to think I was sitting where Nicho family sat in the pews in 1743..."

More About Nicholas Custer:
Burial: Unknown, Augustus Lutheran Church Cemetery, Traj Pennsylvania

More About Susanna Margaretha Hoppe:
Burial: Unknown, Augustus Lutheran Church Cemetery, Traj Pennsylvania

More About Nicholas Custer and Susanna Hoppe:
Marriage: Abt. 1732

- 128 iv. Paul Custer, born Abt. 1710 in Philadelphia County, Pennsylv 10 Nov 1783 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania; married Martha Ball Abt. 1737 in Pennsylvania.
v. Hannah Custer, born Abt. 1715; died Unknown.
vi. Arnold Custer, Jr., born Abt. 1720; died Unknown.

258. John Ball, died 1741 in Douglass Township, Pennsylvania.
married **259. Sarah Roades** 12 Feb 1710/11 in Burlington, New Jersey

259. Sarah Roades, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **518 Roades II** and **519. Hannah Wilcox**.

Notes for John Ball:

John Ball of Plymouth and Douglass, Pennsylvania.

More About John Ball and Sarah Roades:

Marriage: 12 Feb 1710/11, Burlington, New Jersey

Children of John Ball and Sarah Roades are:

- 129 i. Sarah Martha Ball, born 30 Dec 1712 in Plymouth Township Pennsylvania; died 10 Dec 1779 in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania; married Paul Custer Abt. 1737 in Pennsylvania.
- ii. Hannah Ball, born 23 Jun 1715; died Unknown.
- iii. John Ball, died Unknown; married Mary Richards; died Unknown.

Notes for John Ball:

Father of Joseph Ball, whose huge estate and the court records from it help document members of this family. Records from Ball estate are the basis for the book by Margaret Kinsey titled "Cousins."

- iv. William Ball, died Unknown.
- v. Abigail Ball, died Unknown.
- vi. Mary Ball, died Unknown.
- vii. Anna Ball, died Unknown.

288. Charles Morehead, Jr., died Abt. 1705 in Northumberland, Virginia. He was the son of **576. Charles Morehead, Sr.**. He married **289. Jane Presley**.

289. Jane Presley, born 29 Jan 1651/52 (Source: Humston Gleanings, Edward A. Hunston FHL Book 929.273 H889he, 1981); died Unknown. She was the daughter of **578. Peter Presley** and **579. Winifred ?**.

Notes for Charles Morehead, Jr.:

Research of James Melton, Barbara Denahey, and Barbara Wallace

Some histories say Charles Morehead was born in 1609, son of Daniel Morehead of London, and immigrated to VA in 1630 to manage his father's interest in the Kent Island project. If so, then he would more probably be the grandfather of John Morehead, rather than the father. John, a minor, was

Northumberland Co., VA. Believed to have married 1st Jane Presley Sarah Nelms Sarah was his widow. Charles had 8 children. From HIGLEENINGS: Jane Presley born 29 Jan 1652, parents Peter and Win Presley. Married Charles Morehead, had son, John.

See previously cited sources and:

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY WILLS 1713-1749

Children of Charles Morehead and Jane Presley are:

- 144 i. John Morehead, Sr., born Abt. 1700 in Virginia; died Bef. 24 Fauquier County, Virginia; married Mary Armistead Abt. 1713 in Virginia.
- ii. William Morehead, died Abt. 1735.
- iii. Charles Morehead III, died Abt. 1720.
- iv. Alexander Morehead, died Abt. 1743.
- v. Elizabeth Morehead, died Unknown; married ? Kesterson; died Unknown.
- vi. Anne Morehead, died Unknown; married Benjamin Dameron; died Unknown.
- vii. Mary Morehead, died Abt. 1726.
- viii. Winifred Morehead, died Unknown; married ? Rider; died Unknown.

296. Peter Jett, born Abt. 1717 in Mattox Creek, Westmoreland Co, Virginia; died Bef. 05 Aug 1784 in King George County, Virginia. He was the son of **592. Francis Jett** and **593. Margaret Payton**. He married **297. Rebecca Bowen** Bef. 14 Jan 1736/37.

297. Rebecca Bowen, born Abt. 1717 in King George County, Virginia; died Unknown. She was the daughter of **594. Stephen Bowen** and **595. Susanna Pratt**.

Notes for Peter Jett:

From Rose Rentzel 29 Dec 2003:

PETER JETT, b. Abt. 1717, Mattox Creek, Westmoreland Co, VA.

Notes for PETER JETT:

King George Co, VA - Peter Jett's will May 22, 1784

In the name of God Amen. I, Peter Jett of King George CO, Va and the County of Brunswick, I recomend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who will take care of me and my body to be buried in a Christian and decent manner at the disposal of my executors hereafter mentioned, and what little estate it has pleased God to endow me, I give and devise the same in manner and form as followeth: I bequeath unto my daughters, Mary Hunstead and Ann Conley my new-born daughter a woman named

Rose and lease of the land I now live on, containing one hundred acres

King George CO, VA will for Peter Jett. I bequeath unto John Pratt Bowen the land I bought from John Reuben Payne, being the same land whereon he now lives. And also to John Pratt Bowen, bed, one table and furniture to his desire that my stock of hogs be divided between John Pratt Bowen and his daughters Mary Humstead and Ann Conley.

I bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Curtis 5 shillings. I bequeath unto my daughter Susanna Payne, 5 shillings. I bequeath unto my daughter Mary Thielkild, 5 shillings.

I bequeath unto my daughter Sarah Jones, 5 shillings. I bequeath unto my grandson Jesse Thielkild, my young sorrel mare. I bequeath unto my granddaughter Susanna Humstead, my wife's saddle. I bequeath the residue of my estate to be equally divided between my sons Francis and William and my daughter Mary Humstead and Ann Conley. And lastly, I appoint Francis Jett, William Jett, and John Pratt Bowen, my whole and sole executors as witness my hand and seal this 22nd day of May, in the year of our Lord

Notes for Rebecca Bowen:

Research by James Melton

IGI Birth Parents Records FHL of LDS Church contains two references to Rebecca Bowen born 1716/1718 King George County, VA to Stephen and Susanna (Pratt) Bowen.

More About Peter Jett and Rebecca Bowen:

Marriage: Bef. 14 Jan 1736/37

Children of Peter Jett and Rebecca Bowen are:

- 148 i. Francis Jett, born Abt. 1736 in Virginia; died 22 Oct 1791 in Stafford County, Virginia; married Barsheba Porch.
- ii. William Jett, died Abt. 1810.
- iii. John Jett, died Bef. 1784.
- iv. Margaret Jett, died Unknown.
- v. Sarah Jett, died Unknown.
- vi. Susanna Jett, died Unknown.
- vii. Mary Jett, died Unknown.
- viii. Ann Jett, died Unknown.
- ix. Elizabeth Jett, died Unknown.

298. Richard Porch, died Unknown. He married **299. Mary ?**.

299. Mary ?, died Unknown.

Child of Richard Porch and Mary ? is:

- 149 i. Barsheba Porch, born Abt. 1736; died 1817 in Stafford County
 married Francis Jett.

300. John Owens, died Unknown.

Child of John Owens is:

- 150 i. Samuel Owens, died Unknown; married Margaret Bryan.

302. Richard Bryan, died Unknown.

Child of Richard Bryan is:

- 151 i. Margaret Bryan, died Unknown; married Samuel Owens.

312. George Drake, born Abt. 1650; died Aft. 08 Nov 1709. He is son of **624. Francis Drake** and **625. Mary Walker**. He married **313. Oliver** 13 Nov 1677 in Elizabethtown, Piscataway, New Jersey.

313. Mary Oliver, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **626. Oliver** and **627. Mary Ackerley**.

Notes for George Drake:

New Jersey Archives Vol 21 p 104

New Jersey Colonial Documents East Jersey Deeds, etc., Liber B

1687 Oct 28 (Letters of Administration) on the estate of Capt. Francis Drake, dec'd, granted

to his son George Drake of Piscataway.

East Jersey Deeds, etc., Liber C

p. 148

1702 April 20 (Deed) George Drake to Robert Webster, both of Piscataway, for 200 acres

there. S. W. Ambrose Cr. and unsurveyed land, S. E. by said creek Sutton and

unsurveyed land.

p. 158

1692 Sept 16. Writ of Election for a General Assembly, with return George Drake and

Benjamin Clark (elected) for Piscataway...

East Jersey Deeds, etc. Liber E

p. 211

1692 June 29 (Deed) George Drake and wife Mary of Piscataway
Samuel Walker of

Boston, New England, merchant, for a houselot in Piscataway, 25 a
patented to

Capt. Francis Drake July 30, 1678, N. E. and E. roads, S. Mrs. Hig
S. W. a small brook

N. W. the "trayneing place" and unsurveyed land.

East Jersey Deeds, etc., Liber F

p. 253

1695 July 23 Certificate of Highway Commissioners for Middles
...George Drake...

that the road between John Inians and Claswick's bridge is well cle
the best road

to Burlington; also, that they approve of the road from Piscataway
ferry at John Inians'.

p. 282

1697-8 March 10 Confirmation to ...Capt. Geo. Drake... all of Pis
for a small tract of

meadow there, on the Northside of Rariton R., West of the lower la

East Jersey Deeds, etc., Liber G

p. 301

1699 Nov 6. Patent to Capt. George Drake of Piscataway, for 200
there, S. W. Ambrose

Brook and unsurveyed land, S. E. said Brook, Wm. surron and uns
land.

New Jersey Archives Vol 23 p 142

New Jersey Colonial Documents. Calendar of Wills

1709 Nov 8 Drake, George, of Piscattaway, Middlesex Co., yeon
of.

Wife Mary. Children--Andrew, Jonathan, David, George, Elizabet
Susannah and Mary.

Land on the Southside of South River, bought of John Reed, home
along

Woodbridge line. Personal property. Executors--the wife with Eli
and Adam

Hood, both of Woodbridge, as overseers. Witnesses--Daniel Hend
Wilson, John

Bedford, Deceased November 8, 1701 (sic) Lib L- 202

More About George Drake and Mary Oliver:

Marriage: 13 Nov 1677, Elizabethtown, Piscataway, New Jersey

Children of George Drake and Mary Oliver are:

- 156 i. Jonathan Drake, born Abt. 1689 in Piscataway, New Jersey; c
 1754; married Mary Clawson.
 ii. George Drake, died Unknown.
 iii. William Drake, died Unknown.
 iv. Mary Drake, died Unknown.
 v. Andrew Drake, died Unknown.
 vi. David Drake, died Unknown.
 vii. Elizabeth Drake, died Unknown.
 viii. Susannah Drake, died Unknown.

314. William Clawson, born Abt. 1657; died Abt. 1724 in Piscatt
New Jersey. He married **315. Mary**.

315. Mary, died Unknown.

Notes for William Clawson:

Probably of Dutch heritage. He was born about 1657 possibly in F
Kings Co., NY

New Jersey Archives Vol 21 p 220

New Jersey Colonial Documents East Jersey Deeds, etc, Liber E
p. 220

1691-2 March 21 Deed William Clawson of Piscataway to Thom:
Lawrence of N.Y. for a farm in Piscataway, W. John Crosens, E. Sam
S. the Rariton R.

New Jersey Archives Vol 23 p 96

New Jersey Colonial Documents Calendar of Wills

1723-4 March 10 Clawson, Clauson, William, of Piscataway, Mi
Co., yeoman, will of

Wife Mary

Children--Cornelius, Benjamin, Josias, William, John, Garrabrant,
Thomas,

Mary Drake, Hannah, grandson William Clawson.

Real and personal estate. The wife sole executrix with Hendrick B
Piscatway as assistant. Witnesses--John Cholwell, Are Borem, Leend
Proved April 23 1724 Lib A p. 289 and Middlesex Wills

These clawsons originally settled CT. There is a very, very old book which I have seen in the NYC 42nd St. genealogy division. This book is fragile, but exists.

Children of William Clawson and Mary are:

- 157 i. Mary Clawson, died Unknown; married Jonathan Drake.
- ii. Lisabeth Clawson, died Unknown.
- iii. Marie Clawson, died Unknown.
- iv. Cornelius Clawson, died Unknown.
- v. Benjamin Clawson, died Unknown.
- vi. Josias Clawson, died Unknown.
- vii. William Clawson, died Unknown.

Notes for William Clawson:

From Shirley 12 Dec 2002: From what I have in the family history was done back in 1968 it shows your William b 1700 md Sarah. I am from his sister Mary who married Jonathan Drake.

- viii. John Clawson, died Unknown.
- ix. Gerbrant Clawson, died Unknown.
- x. Joseph Clawson, died Unknown.
- xi. Hannah Clawson, died Unknown.
- xii. Thomas Clawson, died Unknown.

370. Garrett Cornelison, died Unknown.

Children of Garrett Cornelison are:

- 185 i. ? Cornelison, died Unknown; married ? Wyer.
- ii. Peter Cornelison, died Unknown.

376. Henry Rittenhouse, born 01 Apr 1700 in Philadelphia, PA; died 01 Oct 1776. He was the son of **752. Nicholas Rittenhouse** and **753. William De Wees**. He married **377. Susannah Wool** 27 Aug 1720 in Philadelphia County, PA now Montgomery County, PA.

377. Susannah Wool, born 1698; died 1776.

More About Henry Rittenhouse and Susannah Wool:

Marriage: 27 Aug 1720, Philadelphia County, PA now Montgomery County, PA

Child of Henry Rittenhouse and Susannah Wool is:

- 188 i. Nicholas Rittenhouse, born 1725 in Philadelphia County, PA; died 23 Mar 1777 in Philadelphia County, PA.

436. John Parke, born Abt. 1677; died Abt. 1757. He was the son of **Roger Parke** and **873. Anne Patison**. He married **437. Sarah Smith**, died Unknown. She was the daughter of **874. Smith** and **875. Olive ?**.

Notes for John Parke:

Lived in Hunterdon County, New Jersey and raised his children there

More About John Parke and Sarah Smith:
Marriage: Abt. 1703

Child of John Parke and Sarah Smith is:

- 218 i. **Andrew Parke**, born 11 Nov 1709; died 15 Apr 1790; married Moseley.

474. Christopher Seybert, died 16 May 1757. He married **475. Johanna**, died 28 Apr 1758 in Fort Seybert, Pendleton Cour Virginia.

Notes for Christopher Seybert:

Killed by the Shawnee before the massacre at Fort Seybert

Notes for Johanna:

Murdered in the Massacre of Fort Seybert along with her son, Capt Seybert and others.

Children of Christopher Seybert and Johanna are:

- 237 i. **Anna Elizabeth Seybert**, born Abt. 1720 in Eitzweiler, Germany; died Aft. 1786 in Lebanon County, Pennsylvania; married (1) **Nicholas Haefner** Abt. 1740 in Pennsylvania; married (2) **Christian Lorenz** 1770 in Pennsylvania.
ii. **Jacob Seybert**, died 28 Apr 1758 in Fort Seybert, Pendleton Cour Virginia; married **Mary Elizabeth Theiss**; died Unknown.

Notes for Jacob Seybert:

From my book on the Heavner-Hefner-Hevener of the Virginia Frontier Vol. II:

"...in what became known as the "Fort Seybert massacre". Killed that day were Capt. Jacob Seybert and his wife, Mary Elizabeth (Theiss) mother Johanna (?) Seybert Lorentz, and numerous others. For

CHRONICLES OF THE Scotch-Irish Settlement IN VIRGINIA
EXTRACTED FROM THE ORIGINAL COURT RECORDS OF
AUGUSTA COUNTY 1745-1800

DEED BOOK NO. 7.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
page 326

Page 112.--21st May, 1755. John Patton, Jr., to Jacob Sybert,
conveyed by Ro. Green to John Patton, 5th November, 17xlii
recerded in Augusta on same stream as above; corner to tract
Roger Dver. Teste: Thomas Fulton, John Mills.

iii. Wendel Seybert, died Unknown.

Generation No. 10

512. Paulus Kuster, born Abt. 1644 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany;
28 Jan 1707/08 in German Town, Philiadelphia County, Pennsylvania
the son of **1024. Arnold Kuster** and **1025. Catherina Von Haren**. F
513. Gertrude Doors 16 Oct 1668 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany.

513. Gertrude Doors, born Abt. 1645 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany;
28 Jan 1707/08 in German Town, Philiadelphia County, Pennsylvania
the daughter of **1026. Theis Doors** and **1027. Agnes**.

Notes for Paulus Kuster:

THIS IS A WORK IN PROGRESS. ALL CORRECTIONS AND
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION APPRECIATED

The basis for identifying Arnold as the father of Paulus seems to be
from "The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine" Volume XXXI 1980
3 in the article "The Ancestry of the Thirteen Krefeld Emigrants of 16
Wilhelm Niepoth, translated by John Brockie Lukens page 505:

"Going by the first name of the eldest son, the father of Paulus Kue
must have been the Catholic, Arret Kuesters, who lived in Kaldenkirch

From "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage" Volume IX, Number 3 J
p.28 in an article titled "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen,
Germany and Germantown, Pennsylvania" by Chester E. Custer:

"Within the civil records in the archives at Düsseldorf the Kuster
family can be traced to Reiner Kuster, who was born about 1542 and c
on July 3, 1616. The name of Reiner's wife is unknown. Reiner was
father of Johannes Kuster, born in 1576. Johannes married _____
Walburgis in 1598 and died April 8, 1650. They were the parents of
Arnold, born about 1606. Arnold married Catherine von Haeren on C

mentioned earlier in connection with the baptism of Margarita Doors. Each of Arnold's sons named his first-born son after him. Emigrant Paulus Kuster was the son of Arnold and Catharine. The birth date for Paulus cannot be determined because the baptismal records of the Catholic church at Kaldenkirchen between 1640 and 1646 are missing ...Paulus Kuster, reared as a Roman Catholic, married Gertrude Doors October 16, 1668, in the Reformed church at Kaldenkirchen..... Paulus apparently left the Catholic church prior to or at the time of his marriage. Gertrude and her parents had been in the Reformed church since 1655."

From "The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine" Volume XXXI [1980] in an article titled "The Ancestry of the Thirteen Krefeld Emigrants of 1683" by W. Niepoth, translated by John Brockie Lukens page 505:

"...in the church records of the Reformed congregation of Kaldenkirchen 16 October 1668 were married there Paulus Kusters, bachelor of Kaldenkirchen and Gertrud Doors, spinster of Kaldenkirchen. Children of theirs baptized were: 1. Arnold, baptized 9 June 1669; 2. Johannes, baptized 12 December 1670; 3. Matthys, baptized 6 December 1671; 4. Reiner, baptized 2 December 1674. Later other children were born, but not baptized at Kaldenkirchen. Elizabeth and Hermann"

This is a direct quote from the above source.

From "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage" Vol IX, Number 3 July 1982 article "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany and Germantown, Pennsylvania" by Chester E. Custer on page 28 this account of the children is given:

"Paulus and Gertrude had seven known children, all of whom were baptized in the Reformed church at Kaldenkirchen." (cites baptismal information from Kaldenkirchen Reformed Church Records).

Arnold was baptized on June 9, 1669.

Johannes was baptized on October 12, 1670. (Month differs from Niepoth's account)

Matthys was baptized on December 6, 1671.

Reiner was baptized on December 2, 1674.

Anna was baptized on December 26, 1677. (Anna is not included in Niepoth's account)

Hermanus was baptized on October 19, 1681 or on March 15, 1682. Niepoth did not find a record for Hermanus whereas the archivist and linguist [who translated the confusing combination of German and Dutch language records found two). Both were sons of a Gertrude and both had witnesses from the Doors family.

Catrin was baptized March 9, 1687. (Also not included in Niepoth's records)
Elizabeth also not found in the records by Leo Peters working with Chester Custer.

Since Chester Custer's research examined the original records in the Lutheran Church at Kaldenkirchen (written in a combination German/Dutch language) and the Catholic Church at Kaldenkirchen (written in Latin and housed in the archives of Kempen), the archives in Duesseldorf, and the Mennonite archives at the Weierhof and had the help of the archivist and linguist, Leo Peter, he used this research as the source for the children of Paulus and Gertrude.

Notes for Gertrude Doors:

From "The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine" Volume XXXI Number 3 in an article titled "The Ancestry of the Thirteen Krefeld Emigrants of 1683" by W. Niepoth, translated by John Brockie Lukens page 506:

Niepoth relates a story about Gertrude's parents' experiences with persecution which is taken from the "Julich-Berg Historical Journal". 10 days before the birth of Gertrude's sister, the bailiff had struck her mother's face. The father was fined 100 gold Guilders and his goods taken. His government intervened and declared that Gertrude's father should stay in Germany and be persecuted.

More About Paulus Kuster and Gertrude Doors: Marriage: 16 Oct 1668, Kaldenkirchen, Germany

Children of Paulus Kuster and Gertrude Doors are:

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- i. Arnold Custer, born Abt. 1669 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany; came to Hanover Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; married Gertrud Conrads 24 Jun 1691 in Krefeld, Germany; married (2nd time) ? Abt. 1699 in Pennsylvania.
 - ii. Johannes Custer, born Abt. 1670 in Germany (Source: Chester Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1976, Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Johannes was baptized on October 1, 1691 by Huylkins and Agnes Doors, Gertrude's mother, were the witnesses. Arnold and Johannes would have been baptized by Jakob Floersch Abt. 1708; married Elizabeth Cassel 31 Aug 1692 in Abington Meeting Of Friends, Pennsylvania; died Unknown.

More About Johannes Custer and Elizabeth Cassel:
Marriage: 31 Aug 1692 Abington Meeting Of Friends, Penns

- iii. Matthias Custer, born Abt. 1671 in Germany (Source: Chester E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Matthys was baptized on December 26, 1677. Peter Kuster (Gertrude's father, Matthys), Johann Melchoir with Matthys Doors and Lisbet Doors (Gert's mother and sister) as witnesses.); died Unknown.
- iv. Reiner Custer, born Abt. 1674 (Source: Chester E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Reiner was baptized by Johann Melchior on December 26, 1677. The baptismal record states that Reiner's father was Roman Custer and his mother had been a member of the Reformed Church, and for a period of time was unable to use her mental faculties." Gertrude's parents, Theiss and Agnes Doors, promised to assume responsibility for the child in her behalf. The witnesses to Reiner's baptism were Peter Kuster (Gertrude's father, Matthys), Jochim Huiskens, and Elihu Doors (Gertrude's sister).); died Unknown.
- v. Anna Custer, born Abt. 1677 (Source: Chester E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Anna was baptized on December 26, 1677. Peter Kuster (Gertrude's brother-in-law, the husband of Elizabeth), Wilhelm Kuster, Agness Doors (Gertrude's mother), and Jenneken Scremkens were witnesses. Arnold Theodor Scriba was the pastor at the time. Anna died Unknown.
- vi. Hermanus Custer, born Abt. 1681 in Germany (Source: Chester E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania," page 28, Hermanus was baptized on October 19, 1681, or on March 15, 1682. There are two baptismal accounts for Hermanus, "a little son of Gertrude Doors," on the one page of the church records. Both are in the same handwriting, presumably that of the pastor, Johannes Adolf Eylert. We do not know if one entry corrects the other, if they refer to the same child, or if there were two mothers named Gertrude, each with a child Hermanus. It would be unlikely that the same child would have been rebaptized. The witnesses were Hillikens, Arent Simons, and Marij Doors (Gertrude's sister, who was a witness at the October 19 baptism. The March 15 baptism was by Peter Sieben and Margryit Doors (Gertrude's sister).); died 1706 in Pennsylvania; married Isabella B. Conrad 1706 in Pennsylvania; died 1760.

Notes for Hermanus Custer:

From Marilyn Conn 11 Sep 2002: My family line goes, Paulus Kuster; Hermanus Streypers Custer; Peter Conrad Custer; Godachalk Custer; Peter Van Fossen Custer; Peter Yerger Custer; Albright Custer then my great grandfather Charles Frederick

grandfather William Jacob Custer.

More About Hermanus Custer:

Baptism: 08 Mar 1681/82, Reformed Church, Kaldenkirchen

More About Hermanus Custer and Isabella Conrad:

Marriage: 1706, Pennsylvania

- vii. Catrin Custer, born Abt. 1687 (Source: Chester E. Custer, "Perkiomen Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3 July 1986 "The Kaldenkirchen Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown, Pennsylvania" page 28, Catrin was baptized on March 9, 1687. The witnesses at her baptism were Nelis Hueben and Frin (?) Hueskens. This is the baptism for which a member of Gertrude's immediate family acted as a witness. By this date most of the family had migrated to Germantown. Arnold Hamboch was pastor of the church when Catrin was born. When Paulus and Gertrude left Kaldenkirchen for Germantown, Catrin was Unknown.
- viii. Eva Custer, born Aft. 1687; died Unknown; married Godschalk; died Unknown.

Notes for Eva Custer:

Milo Custer in "Custer Genealogies" lists the children of Paulus and Gertrude then in parentheses has: (Possibly also MARGARET (KOSTER) DEWEES, wife of

Cornelius Dewees, and EVA (KUSTER) GODSCHALK, wife of Godschalk

Godschalk.?) "The Descendants of Paulus and Gertrude Kuster" published by the Castor Association of America refers to the Storer book, "Eleanor C. Custer, Her Family and Connections" "The Perkiomen Region" Whole Number 37, page 65 as a reference to Eva Kuster who married Godschalk Godschalk a daughter of Paulus and Gertrude.

Would appreciate a copy of "The Perkiomen Region" should I see it and would quote that reference for other researchers.

July 09, 2003 Dick Sell sent the following in an e-mail:

"Hi, Grace:

I looked at your Paulus Kuster page on your FTM Genealogy page as you requested at the bottom of the list a copy of the page "The Perkiomen Region" noting that Eve Kuster married Godschalk Godschalk.

I just wrote to the Mennonite Historians of Eastern PA library at <www.mhep.org> , Joel Alderfer, and he sent me a fax with the book. Would you like me to send it to you? Or I can try to scan it, if you like it."

married Godschalk Godschalk.

July 09, 2003 Dick sent the full citation:

"The Perkiomen Region, Vol.X, No.2, April 1932, Whole No 65."

518. John Roades II, born 13 Aug 1664 in Derbyshire, England; in Whitemarsh near Plymouth Township, Pennsylvania (Source: Margaret Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 22, Found in records of the Philadelphia Meeting.). He was the son of **1036. John Roades I** and **1037. Elizabeth Jessup**. He married **519. Hannah Wilcox** 1692 in Pennsylvania (Source: Margaret Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 21, Found in the Monthly Meeting Records of the Philadelphia Meeting.).

519. Hannah Wilcox, born Abt. 1675 in Bristol, England; died Unknown. She was the daughter of **1038. Barnabas Wilcox** and **1039. Sarah**.

Notes for John Roades II:

Sailed to Pennsylvania in 1682 (before his father did) as an eighteen

Came as a servant and received his head land as recorded in the Minutes of the Board of Property, Book G, 21 Jan 1701/02. Was a yeoman farmer

Children's names are from a record of the children still living in 1725 report which included John Roades as one of the original trustees of Philadelphia Meeting) and two more named in the will of John's son in law, Thomas McCarty, in 1725.

More About John Roades II:

Burial: 10 Dec 1733, Pennsylvania

More About John Roades and Hannah Wilcox:

Marriage: 1692, Pennsylvania (Source: Margaret Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 21, Found in the Monthly Meeting Records of the Philadelphia Meeting)

Children of John Roades and Hannah Wilcox are:

- i. Mary Roades, died Unknown; married (1) George Custer 28 Jan 1704 in Christ Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; born Abt. 1704 in Germantown, Pennsylvania; died 01 Nov 1755 in Northhampton County, Pennsylvania (Source: Jean M. White, Editor, *The Diary of Paulus and Gertrude Kusters*, (1991 The Castor Association of America: Mennonite Press Newton, Kansas 67114) Pages 11

of the Blue Mountains, (now in Carbon County).); married (2 Thomas Aft. 1755; died Unknown.

Notes for Mary Roades:

Mary married George Custer brother to Paul Custer who married daughter of Mary's sister, Sarah Roades Ball. Mary Roades Custer the aunt of Sarah Ball Custer.

Notes for George Custer:

Killed by Indians.

More About George Custer:

Religion: Members of Richland Monthly Meeting Quaker

More About George Custer and Mary Roades:

Marriage: 28 Jun 1731, Christ Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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- ii. Sarah Roades, died Unknown; married John Ball 12 Feb 1710 Burlington, New Jersey.
 - iii. Barnabas Roades, died Unknown.
 - iv. John Roades III, died Unknown.
 - v. Rachel Roades, died Unknown.
 - vi. Samuel Rhoads, born 1711 in Pennsylvania; died 07 Apr 1780 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; married Elizabeth Chandler 12 Nov 1737 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; died Unknown.

Notes for Samuel Rhoads:

Entered public life, held many offices including Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, friend of Benjamin Franklin (their letters survive to the First Continental Congress, and helped found the Pennsylvania Hospital among other important activities.

His will names his wife, Elizabeth, his children Samuel and Isaac, son in law Thomas Franklin (husband of his deceased daughter Mary), and a niece, Mary Custard.

Mary Custard, mentioned in her Uncle Samuel's will, was the wife of George and Mary Roades Custer.

More About Samuel Rhoads and Elizabeth Chandler:

Marriage: 12 May 1737, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- vii. Hannah Roades, died Unknown; married Thomas McCarty; died Unknown.

576. Charles Morehead, Sr., born Abt. 1609 (Source: Humston Custer by Edward A. Hunston FHL Book929.273 H889he, 1981); died 22 Dec 1691 (Source: humston Gleanings by Edward A. Hunston FHL Book929.273 H889he, 1981)

Notes for Charles Morehead, Sr.:

Research of James Melton

HUMSTON GLEANINGS by Edward A. Humston FHL Book 929.27
1981 page 10 Charles Morehead, Sr. born 1609, immigrated to Ame
1630, died 22 Dec 1692.

Also cites FILSON CLUB QUARTERLY, vol 8, pp 102-104 as wo
citations under Nathaniel Morehead, Sr.

Child of Charles Morehead, Sr. is:

- 288 i. Charles Morehead, Jr., died Abt. 1705 in Northumberland, V
married Jane Presley.

578. Peter Presley, died Unknown. He married **579. Winifred ?**.

579. Winifred ?, died Unknown.

Child of Peter Presley and Winifred ? is:

- 289 i. Jane Presley, born 29 Jan 1651/52; died Unknown; married C
Morehead, Jr...

592. Francis Jett, born Abt. 1687 in Richmond Co., VA; died 1706
George Co., VA. He was the son of **1184. John Jett** and **1185. Eliza
Triplett**. He married **593. Margaret Payton** Abt. 1707 in Virginia.

593. Margaret Payton, born 1688 in Richmond Co., VA; died 1706
George Co., VA.

Notes for Francis Jett:

From Rose Rentzel 29 Dec 2003:

Francis' will probated 1762. He was a constable in King George Co.
Francis, who was barely of age when his father died lived on the land
his father, part of the original Triplett patent. No will has been found.
23, 1731 he served as executor to his father's estate.

More About Francis Jett and Margaret Payton:

Marriage: Abt. 1707, Virginia

Child of Francis Jett and Margaret Payton is:

- 296 i. Peter Jett, born Abt. 1717 in Mattox Creek, Westmoreland Co
Virginia; died Bef. 05 Aug 1784 in King George County, Vir
married Rebecca Bowen Bef. 14 Jan 1736/37.

594. Stephen Bowen, died Unknown. He married **595. Susanna Pratt**, died Unknown.

Child of Stephen Bowen and Susanna Pratt is:

- 297 i. Rebecca Bowen, born Abt. 1717 in King George County, Virginia; died Unknown; married Peter Jett Bef. 14 Jan 1736/37.

624. Francis Drake, born Abt. 1618 in England; died Aft. 1687 in Middlesex County, New Jersey. He married **625. Mary Walker**.

625. Mary Walker, died Unknown.

Notes for Francis Drake:

Notes from Barbara Denahey: The earliest Drake ancestor identified is Captain Francis Drake. He was born about 1618 probably in Devonshire, England. He apparently immigrated to Portsmouth, New Hampshire before 1660. He later lived in Piscataway, New Jersey. His will was dated 29 Sep 1675 and was recorded in Middlesex County, New Jersey. He married Mary Walker.

New Jersey Archives Vol 21 p. 35

New Jersey Colonial Documents East Jersey Deeds, etc., Liber No

1673 July 15 License to keep an Ordinary at New Piscataway, granted to Francis Drake.

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1674 Dec 11 Orders: Thomas Johnson to be sworn in as Constable of Newark, John Woodroff as Constable of Elizabeth town, John Blumfield as Constable of Woodbridge, Francis Drake for New Piscataway...

pp. 37-38

1675 July 15. Commission for the Bergen Company vizt...for the Piscataway Compy vizt

Francis Drake Captain (discharged at his own request May 30, 1675)

New Jersey Archives Vol 21 p 46

East Jersey Deeds, etc, Liber No 3, Reversed side

1675 "Here begins the Rights of Land due according to the Concession of Francis Drake of New Piscataway, wife and son John, George Drake and wife, each 60 acres, beside homelot and meadow.

New Jersey Archives Vol 23 p 142

New Jersey Colonial Documents. Calendar of Wills

1687 Sept 29 Drake, Capt. Francis, of Piscataway. Inventory of t

Middlesex Wills

1687 Oct 28 Administration of the estate, granted to his son George of Piscataway.

N.J. Archives XXI p 104

1687 Oct 28 Bond of his son George Drake of Piscataway, planted administrator of the

estate. Benjamin Hull of the same place, gentleman, fellow bondsman Middlesex Wills

1688 Aug 20 Account of the estate, as administered by his son George Drake, showing

payments to brother Hugh Dun and brother John Drake, in all 62.1

1692-3 Feb 27 Account of payments from the estate, by George Drake to his mother,

sister Elesebeth Dun, brother John Drake, Samuel Walker of Boston merchant, Benjamin

Hull, Charles Follet, Walter Robeson, Hugh Stonnells and John Goode 68.3.6 pounds

Children of Francis Drake and Mary Walker are:

- 312 i. George Drake, born Abt. 1650; died Aft. 08 Nov 1709; married Oliver 13 Nov 1677 in Elizabethtown, Piscataway, New Jersey
- ii. Elesebeth Drake, died Unknown; married Hugh Dun; died Unknown
- iii. John Drake, died Unknown.

626. William Oliver, died Unknown. He married **627. Mary Ackerley**, died Unknown.

Child of William Oliver and Mary Ackerley is:

- 313 i. Mary Oliver, died Unknown; married George Drake 13 Nov 1677 in Elizabethtown, Piscataway, New Jersey.

752. Nicholas Rittenhouse, born 15 Jun 1666 in Coldenhove, Holland 04 Jun 1734 in Germantown, PA. He was the son of **1504. Wilhelm Rittenhouse** and **1505. Geertruid Pieters**. He married **753. Wilhelmina De Wees** 29 May 1689 in New York City, NY.

753. Wilhelmina De Wees, born 13 Mar 1672/73 in Lieuwarden, died 1742 in PA.

Notes for Nicholas Rittenhouse:

From notes of John E. Hildreth:

Immigrant to Philadelphia in 1688 with parents. Settled in Germantown

and was in the paper mill with his father. Took over the paper mill at death. Mennonite minister in 1702.

More About Nicholas Rittenhouse and Wilhelmina De Wees:
Marriage: 29 May 1689, New York City, NY

Child of Nicholas Rittenhouse and Wilhelmina De Wees is:

- 376 i. Henry Rittenhouse, born 01 Apr 1700 in Philadelphia, PA; died 1776; married Susannah Wool 27 Aug 1720 in Philadelphia (now Montgomery County, PA.

872. Roger Parke, born Abt. 1648 in England; died Abt. 1698. H
873. Anne Patison Abt. 1676 in Holme, Northumberland County, Eng

873. Anne Patison, born in Hexham, Northumberland County, Eng
died Unknown.

Notes for Roger Parke:

Roger Parke purchased land in West New Jersey about May 1682. records show a "Certificate of Removal" from Holmes Meetings in Eng Chesterfield Meetings, in Burlington County 11 June 1682.

From Susan Gall - Lineage Leader of the Dr. Roger Parke line for 1 Society PS#1331

9 Dec 2004: Roger Parke's baptism record from the Priory at Cartmel found and is dated June 25, 1648 so he was born shortly before this date in 1638. Born in Hexham, Northumberland Co., England.

More About Roger Parke and Anne Patison:
Marriage: Abt. 1676, Holme, Northumberland County, England

Child of Roger Parke and Anne Patison is:

- 436 i. John Parke, born Abt. 1677; died Abt. 1757; married Sarah S 1703.

874. Andrew Smith, died Unknown. He married **875. Olive ?**.
875. Olive ?, died Unknown.

Child of Andrew Smith and Olive ? is:

- 437 i. Sarah Smith, died Unknown; married John Parke Abt. 1703

1024. Arnold Kuster, born Abt. 1606; died 24 Nov 1679 (Source E. Custer, "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage Volume IX, Number 3" "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany, and Germantown Pennsylvania," page 28, "Within the civil records in the archives at D the Kuster family...died November 24, 1679."). He was the son of **204. Johannes Kuster** and **2049. ? Walburgis**. He married **1025. Cather Haren** 13 Oct 1629 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany.

1025. Catherina Von Haren, born Abt. 1606; died Unknown. She daughter of **2050. Christoph Von Haren**.

Notes for Arnold Kuster:

See notes for Reiner Kuster. Also, the basis for identifying Arnold as of Paulus seems to be taken from "The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine Volume XXXI 1980 Number 3 in the article "The Ancestry of the Th Krefeld Emigrants of 1683" by Wilhelm Niepoth, translated by John F Lukens page 505:

"Going by the first name of the eldest son, the father of Paulus Kue must have been the Catholic, Arret Kuesters, who lived in Kaldenkirchen."

Further research by Chester E. Custer provided further documentation clues.

More About Arnold Kuster and Catherina Von Haren:

Marriage: 13 Oct 1629, Kaldenkirchen, Germany

Child of Arnold Kuster and Catherina Von Haren is:

- 512 i. **Paulus Kuster**, born Abt. 1644 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany; died Jan 1707/08 in German Town, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; married Gertrude Doors 16 Oct 1668 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany

1026. Theis Doors, died Unknown. He married **1027. Agnes**.

1027. Agnes, died Unknown.

Child of Theis Doors and Agnes is:

- 513 i. **Gertrude Doors**, born Abt. 1645 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany; died Jan 1707/08 in German Town, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; married Paulus Kuster 16 Oct 1668 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany

Darby, Chester now Delaware County, Pennsylvania. He married **1037. Elizabeth Jessup**.

1037. Elizabeth Jessup, died Unknown.

Notes for John Roades I:

Information on the Roades Family from "Ball Cousins" by Margaret
John Roades was a shoemaker (called cordwainer)

Name changed to Rhoads with the records of his grandson, Samuel
and descendants.

Birthdates for children, all born in England, are from Friends records

Children of John Roades and Elizabeth Jessup are:

- i. Adam Roades, born 30 Aug 1660; died Unknown.
- ii. Mary Roades, born 30 Jan 1662/63; died Unknown.
- 518 iii. John Roades II, born 13 Aug 1664 in Derbyshire, England; died
Whitemarsh near Plymouth Township, Pennsylvania; married
Wilcox 1692 in Pennsylvania.
- iv. Elizabeth Roades, born 07 Jan 1667/68; died Unknown.
- v. Sarah Roades, born 05 May 1675; died Unknown.
- vi. Hannah Roades, born 15 Feb 1677/78; died Unknown.
- vii. Joseph Roades, born 05 Apr 1680; died Unknown.

1038. Barnabas Wilcox, born in Bristol, England; died 1690 in
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He married **1039. Sarah**.

1039. Sarah, born in Bristol, England; died 1692 in Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

Notes for Barnabas Wilcox:

Information on the Wilcox Family is found in "Ball Cousins" by M
Kinsey, published by Gateway Press, Inc., Baltimore, MD 1981 pages

Barnabas Wilcox was a prosperous ropemaker in Bristol, England
Quaker subject to persecution by the Crown in the 1680s. William Penn
personally encouraged Barnabas to settle at the time of Barnabas' first
Pennsylvania in 1682 with his then 13 year old son, Joseph.. (original
dated 1701 of Joseph recalling this event to Penn may be found at The
Society of Pennsylvania, 1300 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Barnabas brought his family to Pennsylvania and by 1685 Penn wrote
also a Rope walk made by B. Willcox, and cordage for shipping already
it." Barnabas was a member of the Assembly in 1685 and a Justice of
for the years 1686, 1687, and 1689. Barnabas was also very active in the
or Society of Friends Meeting activities.

Burial: 14 Sep 1690, Friends' Burying Ground, Philadelphia, Penns

Notes for Sarah:

Will names all the children. Register of Wills, City Hall, Philadel
Pennsylvania, Year 1692, File No. 83.

Inventory of Barnabas and Sarah Willcox, Deceased on file at Reg
Wills, City Hall, Philadelphia, Year 1692, File No. 85.

More About Sarah:

Burial: 21 Nov 1692, Friends' Burying Ground, Philadelphia, Penns

Children of Barnabas Wilcox and Sarah are:

- i. George Wilcox, born 22 Aug 1667 in Bristol, England (Source: Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, (Gateway Press, Baltimore, Maryland), Page 8, Taken from "English Friends Records of Bristol and Somersetshire Quarterly Meeting."); died Bef. Jan 1694/95.

Notes for George Wilcox:

No wife or children. He left his estate to brother and sisters.

- ii. Joseph Wilcox II, born 19 Jun 1669 in Bristol, England (Source: Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 8, Taken from "English Friends Records of Bristol and Somersetshire Quarterly Meeting."); died Unknown; married Ann Powell Abt. 1686 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Unknown.

Notes for Joseph Wilcox II:

Leader of the Province. Managed the family's Ropewalk. Member of the Assembly 1702, 1706-9, 1711, and 1717. Mayor of Philadelphia and served his term.

"He was especially prominent as a Quaker, and seems to have been universally trusted and respected." (cited in *"Ball Cousins"* from *"The History of an Old Philadelphia Land Title"*, p. 91)

More About Joseph Wilcox and Ann Powell:

Marriage: Abt. 1686, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

- iii. Esther Wilcox, born 30 Aug 1673 in Bristol, England (Source: Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 8, Cites the Bristol Friends Meeting Records.); died 1724 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Notes for Esther Wilcox:

Married three times, no surviving descendants. Married first Freeland, second, Philip James, and third Edward Shippen.

More About Esther Wilcox:

Born 30 Aug 1673 in Bristol, England; died 1724 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Pennsylvania

- 519 iv. Hannah Wilcox, born Abt. 1675 in Bristol, England; died Un
married John Roades II 1692 in Pennsylvania.
v. Abigail Wilcox, born 28 Sep 1679 in Bristol, England (Source
Kinsey, *"Ball Cousins"*, Page 8, Taken from Bristol Monthly
Records.); died Unknown; married Samuel Powell 31 Jan 169
Unknown.

More About Abigail Wilcox:
Burial: 06 Sep 1713

Notes for Samuel Powell:
Prominent builder and architect.

More About Samuel Powell and Abigail Wilcox:
Marriage: 31 Jan 1699/00

- vi. Rachel Wilcox, born 1685 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; die
in Pennsylvania; married Elisha Gatchell Abt. 1705; died Abt.
East Nottingham, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

More About Elisha Gatchell and Rachel Wilcox:
Marriage: Abt. 1705

1184. John Jett, born Abt. 1663 in Rappahannock Co., VA; died
1710 in Sittingbourne, Richmond Co., VA. He was the son of **2368. I**
and **2369. Mary Triplett**. He married **1185. Elizabeth Triplett** Abt.
Old Rappahannock Co., VA.

1185. Elizabeth Triplett, born 1670 in Richmond Co., VA; died
Richmond Co., VA. She was the daughter of **2370. Francis Triplett**
Abigail Huse.

Notes for John Jett:

From Rose Rentzel 29 Dec 2003:
John's will was written 5/11/1710 and was probated 9/6/1710 in Richm
VA. .

More About John Jett and Elizabeth Triplett:
Marriage: Abt. 1684, Old Rappahannock Co., VA

Children of John Jett and Elizabeth Triplett are:

- 592 i. Francis Jett, born Abt. 1687 in Richmond Co., VA; died 176
George Co., VA; married Margaret Payton Abt. 1707 in Virg

- iii. William Jett, born Abt. 1685 in Virginia; died Abt. 1751 in V
- iv. John Jett, died Unknown.
- v. Peter Jett, born Abt. 1700 in Virginia; died Abt. 1730; marrie
Karenhappuk Bendry Abt. 1721 in Virginia; died Unknown.

More About Peter Jett and Karenhappuk Bendry:
Marriage: Abt. 1721, Virginia

1504. Wilhelm Rittenhouse, born 1644 in Broich, Germany; died 1707/08 in Germantown, PA. He married **1505. Geertruid Pieters** Ju Apeldorn, Gelderland, Holland.

1505. Geertruid Pieters, died 1708 in Germantown, PA.

Notes for Wilhelm Rittenhouse:

Notes from John E. Hildreth:

Mennonite minister after coming to America. Immigrated in 1688 to Philadelphia and settled in Germantown. Built the first paper mill in 1690. Wilhelm lived in Mulheim, Germany before migrating to Amst Holland.

See "Historic Background and Annals of the Swiss and German Pi Settlers of Southeastern Pennsylvania, and of their Remote Ancestors. Middle of the Dark Ages, Down to the Time of the Revolutionary Wa Frank Eshleman 1917, Lancaster, PA. pages 121, 123, and 142.

More About Wilhelm Rittenhouse:

Burial: Unknown, Mennonite Church Cemetery, Germantown, PA

More About Geertruid Pieters:

Burial: Unknown, Mennonite Church Cemetery, Germantown, PA

More About Wilhelm Rittenhouse and Geertruid Pieters:

Marriage: Jun 1665, Apeldorn, Gelderland, Holland

Children of Wilhelm Rittenhouse and Geertruid Pieters are:

- 752 i. Nicholas Rittenhouse, born 15 Jun 1666 in Coldenhove, Holl
Jun 1734 in Germantown, PA; married Wilhelmina De Wees
1689 in New York City, NY.
- ii. Elizabeth Rittenhouse, died Unknown.
- iii. Gerhard Rittenhouse, died Unknown.

4096. Reiner Kuster. He married **2049. ? Walburgis** 1598.
2049. ? Walburgis, died Unknown.

Notes for Johannes Kuster:
See notes for Reiner Kuster.

More About Johannes Kuster and ? Walburgis:
Marriage: 1598

Child of Johannes Kuster and ? Walburgis is:

- 1024 i. Arnold Kuster, born Abt. 1606; died 24 Nov 1679; married C
 Von Haren 13 Oct 1629 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany.

2050. Christoph Von Haren, died Unknown.

Notes for Christoph Von Haren:
Said to be a surgeon.

Child of Christoph Von Haren is:

- 1025 i. Catherina Von Haren, born Abt. 1606; died Unknown; married
 Kuster 13 Oct 1629 in Kaldenkirchen, Germany.

2368. Peter Jett, born Bet. 1633 - 1635 in England; died 1688 in Rappahannock Co., VA. He married **2369. Mary Triplett** Bef. 1655 England.

2369. Mary Triplett, born 1637 in England; died 25 Jan 1674/75 Rappahannock Co., VA. She was the daughter of **4738. John Triplett** **4739. Joan Yeo**.

Notes for Peter Jett:
From Rose Rentzel 29 Dec 2003:
Peter Jett, is recorded as a witness to a legal document in Old Rappahannock CO (now extinct) in 1664.
See "Tripping Down the Triplett Path" by Hortense Abbott.
Check the Marshall Genealogical Library in Marshall, Virginia for Jett Triplett information.

Triplett Russell, John Gott, and Rose Rentzel have researched the Triplett families. This research may be published in the future.

Notes for Mary Triplett:

Died 25 Jan 1675. Slain in last Indian raid in the Northern Neck on

From Rose Rentzel 30 Dec 2003: A great deal of Triplett information can be found at the Marshall Genealogy Library in Marshall, Virginia.

More About Peter Jett and Mary Triplett:
Marriage: Bef. 1655, England

Children of Peter Jett and Mary Triplett are:

- i. William Jett, born Abt. 1655; died Unknown.
- ii. Peter Jett, Jr., born Abt. 1656; died Unknown.
- iii. Martha Jett, born Abt. 1660; died Unknown.
- iv. Mary Jett, born Abt. 1660; died Unknown.
- 1184 v. John Jett, born Abt. 1663 in Rappahannock Co., VA; died At
in Sittingbourne, Richmond Co., VA; married Elizabeth Trip
1684 in Old Rappahannock Co., VA.

2370. Francis Triplett, died 1700. He was the son of **4738. John**
and **4739. Joan Yeo**. He married **2371. Abigail Huse** Abt. 1670 in V
2371. Abigail Huse, died Unknown.

Notes for Francis Triplett:

Copy of will from Rose Rentzel:

Last Will and Testament of Francis Triplett of Richmond CO, VA

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN; I, Francis Triplett of ye County of
being in perfect sense and memory doe make and ordain constitute an
this my last will and testment in manner and form following. Revokin
annulling and making void all other wills by mee formerly made.

IMPRIMIS. I doe give and bequeath mi soule unto Almighty God my
hopes of a glorious resurrection through ye merrits of Jesus Christ my
redeemer and my body to ye Earth decently to be buried by my Execu
Executor hereafter named and as for my worldly goods who God Alm
been pleased to bestow upon mee, I doe give and bequeath as floowoe

ITEM I doe give and bequeath unto my loveing wife Abagaile my pla
where on in now live vist from the first valley joyning to my plantatio
second valley on the Westward side on the of ye Rowling path during
being about two hundred acres more or less and after her decease I do
bequeath ye said land to my son Francis and his heires forever and if i
son Francis should die without heore or heires then I will ye said land
William Triplett and his heires forever.

2ndly I doe give to my wife Abigaile a tract of land being part of a the fifty acres I took up lying between the lines of Capt. Ball, James Scott Nichols and Samuel Bowen during her natural lifetime and after her d will and give the same unto my son Francis and his heires forever and my son Francis should die without heires then I doe will and give the of land to my son William and hs heires forever.

3rdly I doe give and bequeath unto my son William Triplett and his he forever all my land lying on ye south side of Thackers Creek branches ovr ye second valley from my plantation to the line of Capt. Samuel B

4thly I doe give and bequeath unto my grandson Francis Triplett son o eldest son Thomas Triplett and his heires forever all ye rest of my land ye Eastward side of Rowling path which goes to George Hailes be it n less and in case ye said Francis my grandson should dye without heire give and bequeath the said land to my grandson Thomas Triplett and l forever, and in cause my tow grandsons before mentioned should both without heires then I doe give the said land which I gave unto them to sonnes William and Francis equally to be divided between them and t forever.

5thly I doe give unto my wife Abigaile all my personal estate except t during her natural life but if my wife shall marry after my decease the will and desire that she have but her third of my estate and the other t doe give and bequeath unto my son William Triplett and my son Fran their heires forever.

6thly I doe give unto Francis Jett son of John Jett and Eliza his wife o mare and her increase forever.

7th I doe give unto Francis Triplet son of Thomas Triplett on young n her increase forever.

Lastly, I doe make and appoint my loveing wife Abigaile and my son Triplett exrs of my last will and testment. In witnesse thereof I have h my hand and seale this foure and twentieth day of November in ye yea Lord 1700.

Signed and sealed in ye presence of John Deane, Francis Triplett, Gy Mathews signed with an F, Susan Commack

Thomas son of Francis had died before his father made his will

More About Francis Triplett and Abigail Huse:
Marriage: Abt. 1670, Virginia

Child of Francis Triplett and Abigail Huse is:

- 1185 i. Elizabeth Triplett, born 1670 in Richmond Co., VA; died 1711 in Richmond Co., VA; married John Jett Abt. 1684 in Old Rappahannock Co., VA.

Generation No. 13

4096. Reiner Kuster, born Abt. 1542; died 03 Jul 1616.

Notes for Reiner Kuster:

From "Pennsylvania Mennonite Heritage" Volume IX, Number 3 July 1981, p.28 in an article titled "The Kusters and Doors of Kaldenkirchen, Germany and Germantown, Pennsylvania" by Chester E. Custer:

"Within the civil records in the archives at Düsseldorf the Kuster family can be traced to Reiner Kuster, who was born about 1542 and died on July 3, 1616. The name of Reiner's wife is unknown. Reiner was the father of Johannes Kuster, born in 1576. Johannes married _____ Walburgis in 1598 and died April 8, 1650. They were the parents of Arnold, born about 1606. Arnold married Catherine von Haeren (a name which can be spelled as an "a" with two dots over it or as "ae", but usually as an a in English records)) on October 13, 1629, and died November 24, 1679. Arnold and Catharine were mentioned earlier in connection with the baptism of Margarita Doors. Each of Arnold's sons named his first-born son after him. Emigrant Paulus Kuster was the son of Arnold and Catharine. The birth date for Paulus cannot be determined because the baptismal records of the Catholic church at Kaldenkirchen between 1640 and 1646 are missing ...Paulus Kuster, reared as a Roman Catholic, married Gertrude Doors on October 16, 1668, in the Reformed church at Kaldenkirchen..... Paulus apparently left the Catholic church prior to or at the time of his marriage. Gertrude and her parents had been in the Reformed church since 1655."

--Although I have seen a name for the father of Reiner, I have not seen documentation for this name

Child of Reiner Kuster is:

- 2048 i. Johannes Kuster, born 1576; died 08 Apr 1650; married ? W; 1598.

4738. John Triplett, died Unknown. He married **4739. Joan Yeo**
4739. Joan Yeo, died Unknown.

Children of John Triplett and Joan Yeo are:

- 2369 i. Mary Triplett, born 1637 in England; died 25 Jan 1674/75 in Rappahannock Co., VA; married Peter Jett Bef. 1655 in Engl
- 2370 ii. Francis Triplett, died 1700; married (1) Alice Bef. 1666; mar Abigail Huse Abt. 1670 in Virginia.