

Descendants of Gerrett Vansweringen

Generation No. 1

1. GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN was born 1636 in Reensterdwan (or Beemsterdam), Holland, and died February 04, 1697/98 in St. Marys County, MD. He married (1) BARBARAH DE BERETTE March 01, 1658/59 in Dutch Colony of New Amstel, DE, daughter of ISSAC DE BERETTE. She was born in Valenciennes, France, and died 1670 in St. Mary's County, MD. He married (2) MARY SMITH October 05, 1676. She was born in St. Mary's Co., Maryland.

Notes for GERRETT VANSWERINGEN:

Moved to America in March 8, 1657. Joined the Dutch West India Company and settled at Ft. Casimir, Delaware. Served in the Colonial Wars. He was a merchant, served as a clerk, and later served as sheriff. After Delaware he surrendered to the English and moved his family to Maryland where they were naturalized in April 1669 (excerpted from Yalobusha Bound, Chris Morgan.) After he married Mary Smith, he became an innkeeper of Smiths Ordinary in 1670 until 1676. He tried to set up a brewing house and burned before completion. He set up another inn in the State House or Council Chambers Building that had been vacated providing lodging and entertainment to visiting governments until his death. (This information was excerpted from, Swearingen/Vansweringen and Related Families, compiled by Karel L. Whyte.)

Notes for BARBARAH DE BERETTE:

Huguenots.

Children of GERRETT VANSWERINGEN and BARBARAH DE BERETTE are:

2. i. ELIZABETH² VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1661, New Amstel, Delaware; d. 1720, St. Marys County, MD.
3. ii. ZACHARIAS VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1663, New Amstel, New Castle, Delaware Bay; d. 1711, St. Mary's Co., Maryland.
4. iii. THOMAS VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1665, St. Mary's City, Maryland; d. July 29, 1709, Prince Georges Co., Maryland.
- iv. GERARD/GARROTT VAN SWEARINGEN, d. 1752.

Children of GERRETT VANSWERINGEN and MARY SMITH are:

- v. JOSEPH² VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1677, St. Mary's City, Maryland; d. March 08, 1718/19; m. MARY NEALE ADDERTON, 1718; b. 1682.
- vi. CHARLES VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1679, Delaware; d. 1710.
- vii. TERESHEA/TERESA VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1681; m. JOHN PARKE.
- viii. ELEANOR VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1683, St. Marys County, MD; m. (1) JAMES KING CARROLL; m. (2) JAMES MANNING.
- ix. DORITHY VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1685, Delaware; m. BARNABY LEE.
- x. ANN VAN SWEARINGEN, b. 1679, New Amstel, DE.
- xi. SARAH VAN SWEARINGEN.

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2. ELIZABETH² VAN SWEARINGEN (*GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1661 in New Amstel, Delaware, and died 1720 in St. Marys County, MD. She married (1) JOHN EVANS. He was born in St. Mary's City, Maryland, and died 1700. She married (2) JACOB WILLIAMS. He died 1725.

Children of ELIZABETH VAN SWEARINGEN and JOHN EVANS are:

- i. PHILIP³ EVANS, b. 1687; d. 1739.
- ii. ANTHONY EVANS.
- iii. MARY EVANS.

Children of ELIZABETH VAN SWEARINGEN and JACOB WILLIAMS are:

- iv. WILLIAM³ WILLIAMS, b. 1708.

v. BENJAMIN WILLIAMS, b. 1710; d. 1771.

3. ZACHARIAS² VAN SWEARINGEN (*GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1663 in New Amstel, New Castle, Delaware Bay, and died 1711 in St. Mary's Co., Maryland. He married MARTHA DEVINE. She died 1712.

Children of ZACHARIAS VAN SWEARINGEN and MARTHA DEVINE are:

- i. JOSEPH³ VAN SWEARINGEN.
- ii. ELINOR VAN SWEARINGEN.
- iii. JANE VAN SWEARINGEN.

4. THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN (*GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1665 in St. Mary's City, Maryland, and died July 29, 1709 in Prince Georges Co., Maryland. He married JANE 1687 in Maryland. She died 1727.

Notes for THOMAS VAN SWEARINGEN:
Plantation owner

Children of THOMAS VAN SWEARINGEN and JANE are:

- i. ELIZABETH³ SWEARINGEN.
5. ii. KATHERINE SWEARINGEN, b. 1689; d. December 1718, Prince Georges Co., Maryland.
6. iii. THOMAS SWEARINGEN, b. 1687, Somerset Co., M.D.; d. May 12, 1726, Prince George Co., M.D..
7. iv. VAN (MARYLAND) SWEARINGEN, b. 1694, Somerset Co., M.D.; d. 1801, Washington, Co., M.D..
8. v. JOHN SWEARINGEN, b. 1696, Prince Georges Co., Maryland; d. 1767, Rock Creek, Montgomery Co., M.D..
- vi. JANE SWEARINGEN, b. 1700.
9. vii. SAMUEL SWEARINGEN.

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5. KATHERINE³ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1689, and died December 1718 in Prince Georges Co., Maryland. She married JOHN PRATHER 1704.

Children of KATHERINE SWEARINGEN and JOHN PRATHER are:

- i. ELIZABETH⁴ PRATHER.
- ii. MARY PRATHER, b. September 28, 1705.
- iii. JOHN PRATHER, b. February 28, 1707/08.
- iv. EDWARD PRATHER, b. May 29, 1710.
- v. LUCY PRATHER, b. May 29, 1710.

6. THOMAS³ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1687 in Somerset Co., M.D., and died May 12, 1726 in Prince George Co., M.D..

Child of THOMAS SWEARINGEN is:

- i. VAN SWEARINGEN⁴, b. May 22, 1719, Prince Georges Co., MD; d. April 20, 1788, Berkley Co., VA; m. SARAH SWEARINGEN; b. November 20, 1722.

Notes for VAN SWEARINGEN:

Van Swearingen was a representative of the King and has been called "King" Van. He was appointed Deputy County Lieutenant in Berkeley Co, VA, before the war. He later held the title of Colonel of Militia in Frederick Co, and about 1777 was appointed County Lieutenant after the resignation of Samuel Washington, brother of George Washington.

Colonel Van Swearingen and his first wife Sarah settled on a tract of land adjacent the Potomac River near Thomas Swearingen's home located near Shepherdstown, WV. In 1759 Van built the center portion of the great stone house which stands today on the tract. These photos were taken in May 2001 by Karel Whyte.

7. VAN (MARYLAND)³ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1694 in Somerset Co., M.D., and died 1801 in Washington, Co., M.D.. He married ELIZABETH WALKER 1714. She was

born December 1695.

Notes for VAN (MARYLAND) SWEARINGEN:
Served in the Colonial War and Revolutionary War.

Child of VAN SWEARINGEN and ELIZABETH WALKER is:

- i. SARAH⁴ SWEARINGEN, b. November 20, 1722; m. VAN SWEARINGEN; b. May 22, 1719, Prince Georges Co., MD; d. April 20, 1788, Berkeley Co., VA.

Notes for VAN SWEARINGEN:

Van Swearingen was a representative of the King and has been called "King" Van. He was appointed Deputy County Lieutenant in Berkeley Co, VA, before the war. He later held the title of Colonel of Militia in Frederick Co, and about 1777 was appointed County Lieutenant after the resignation of Samuel Washington, brother of George Washington.

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8. JOHN³ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1696 in Prince Georges Co., Maryland, and died 1767 in Rock Creek, Montgomery Co., M.D.. He married MARY RAY February 09, 1714/15 in Barnabas Church, Prince Georges Co., MD, daughter of WILLIAM RAY. She was born 1699.

Children of JOHN SWEARINGEN and MARY RAY are:

- i. MARY⁴ SWEARINGEN, b. October 29, 1720; m. AARON PRATHER.
- ii. LYDIA SWEARINGEN, b. September 07, 1726; m. CHARLES DAVIS, 1746; b. 1725, Frederick Co., MD; d. 1798, Fauquier Co., VA.
- iii. THOMAS SWEARINGEN, b. November 23, 1728.
- iv. SAMUEL SWEARINGEN, b. 1732.
- v. KATHERINE SWEARINGEN, b. 1734.
10. vi. JOHN SWEARINGEN, b. August 06, 1735, Prince Georges Co., Maryland; d. October 07, 1807, Montgomery Co., NC.
- vii. KEZIA SWEARINGEN, b. Bef. 1738.
- viii. NANCY ANN SWEARINGEN, b. Bef. 1738.
- ix. VAN SWEARINGEN, b. October 01, 1746.

Notes for VAN SWEARINGEN:

Treaty With the Wyandot, etc. : 1785

Articles of a treaty concluded at Fort M'Intosh, the twenty-first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, between the Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States of America, of the one Part, and the Sachems and Warriors of the Wiandot, Delaware, Chippawa and Ottawa Nations of the other

9. SAMUEL³ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*)

Child of SAMUEL SWEARINGEN is:

11. i. THOMAS⁴ SWEARINGEN.

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10. JOHN⁴ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 06, 1735 in Prince Georges Co., Maryland, and died October 07, 1807 in Montgomery Co., NC. He married (1) ELEANOR DENNIS. He married (2) ELIZABETH SHANKLE 1774. She died April 24, 1832 in Stanley Co., NC.

Notes for JOHN SWEARINGEN:

Fought in French and Indian War (1756--63), a showdown between England and France for control of North America. The British won this war and eliminated France as a power on the North American continent. (Maryland Historical Magazine, Vol. 9, p277). He appears on the muster roll of MD Captain Joseph Chapline for

Jul 1757 (Swearingen/Vanswearingen and Related Families, Karel L. Whyte, pg53). Continental Army, Revolutionary War, teamster on the wagon train. Moved to North Carolina and settled on the west side of the Great Pedee River which was Montgomery, but is now Stanley County.

Children of JOHN SWEARINGEN and ELIZABETH SHANKLE are:

12. i. GEORGE⁵ SWEARINGEN, b. 1779.
13. ii. JOHN S. SWEARINGEN, b. 1780, Montgomery Co., NC; d. Aft. 1850.
- iii. ELIJAH SWEARINGEN, m. SWAIM.
- iv. MARY SWEARINGEN, m. WALL.
- v. MYRACK SWEARINGEN, b. 1782.
14. vi. WILLIAM SWEARINGEN, b. 1785, Montgomery Co, North Carolina; d. 1861.
- vii. ZEALPHA/ALPHA SWEARINGEN, b. Bet. 1790 - 1800; d. 1864, Stanley Co.; m. SHANKLE.
15. viii. SAMUEL SWEARINGEN, b. October 24, 1797, Montgomery Co, North Carolina; d. March 10, 1880, Shiloh Cemetery, near McKenzie, Caroll Co., TN.
16. ix. ELIZABETH SWEARINGEN, b. 1792; d. 1882, Montgomery Co..
- x. GREEN H. SWEARINGEN, b. 1799.

11. THOMAS⁴ SWEARINGEN (*SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*)

Children of THOMAS SWEARINGEN are:

17. i. FREDERICK⁵ SWEARINGEN.
18. ii. THOMAS J. SWEARINGEN, b. Bet. 1810 - 1812, Edgefield Co., South Carolina.
19. iii. HENRY SWEARINGEN, b. 1789, Edgefield Co., South Carolina; d. September 1829, Amite Co., Mississippi.

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12. GEORGE⁵ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1779. He married ELIZABETH SWEAM July 20, 1801 in Randolph Co., NC, daughter of JOHN JR. and ELIZABETH VICKERY. She was born Abt. 1779, and died October 16, 1863 in North Carolina.

More About GEORGE SWEARINGEN:

Cause of Death: Cholera

Children of GEORGE SWEARINGEN and ELIZABETH SWEAM are:

20. i. BURTON⁶ SWEARINGEN, b. 1807, NC.
- ii. ZEBEDIE SWEARINGEN, m. LILLUS OWENS, August 06, 1829, Wayne Co., IN.
- iii. MARTHA M. SWEARINGEN, m. WILLIAM BALLINGER, September 02, 1830, Randolph Co..

13. JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1780 in Montgomery Co., NC, and died Aft. 1850. He married SARAH HUNTER. She was born 1782 in North Carolina.

Children of JOHN SWEARINGEN and SARAH HUNTER are:

- i. ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, m. JAMES DRAYTON DARBY, December 27, 1832, Lauderdale Co., Alabama; b. Bet. 1810 - 1811, South Carolina; d. November 18, 1858.

More About JAMES DRAYTON DARBY:

Burial: 1858, Keatchie, Desoto Parish, Louisiana

- ii. WILLIAM W. SWEARENGEN, b. 1809, Tennessee; d. December 26, 1858, Yalobusha Co..

Notes for WILLIAM W. SWEARENGEN:

Elected Justice of the Peace for the northwest district of Yalobusha Co. with a \$1500 bond posted by Sam and John Swearengen and William Metcalfe. Samuel Swearengen was elected Constable with James Darby and those previously mentioned on his \$1500 bond. (Information submitted by Rayburn A. Metcalfe 2-25-2001.)

1850 census states that he was 36 but the notes from S. A. Swearengen states that he was 49 yrs of age when he died.

More About WILLIAM W. SWEARENGEN:
Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

21. iii. SAMUEL SWEARENGEN, b. 1814; d. June 13, 1846.
22. iv. GEORGE S. SWEARENGEN, b. 1815, Dyersburg, Tennessee; d. June 18, 1889, Arkansas.
23. v. DR. THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN, b. March 1821, North Carolina; d. January 12, 1858, Yalobusha Co., MS.
vi. JOHN SWEARENGEN.
vii. JACK SWEARENGEN.
24. viii. MARTHA ELIZABETH SWEARENGEN, b. 1819; d. December 29, 1894.

14. WILLIAM⁵ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1785 in Montgomery Co, North Carolina, and died 1861. He married SUSANNAH IVEY Abt. 1810.

Notes for WILLIAM SWEARINGEN:

Merchant and Farmer in Norwood's in Stanly Co. Held county offices of constable, deputy sheriff, and magistrate. Enlisted in the war of 1812, but the war ended before he reached his command.

Children of WILLIAM SWEARINGEN and SUSANNAH IVEY are:

- i. SALLY⁶ SWARINGEN, b. 1812.
- ii. ISSAC FRANKLIN SWARINGEN, b. 1814.
- iii. FRANCIS SWARINGEN, b. 1816.
- iv. JOHN W. SWARINGEN, b. 1819.
- v. WILLIAM I. SWARINGEN, b. 1820.
- vi. ELIJAH GASTON SWARINGEN, b. May 02, 1823.
- vii. MARY ANN SWARINGEN, b. June 28, 1825.
- viii. MARTHA REAM SWARINGEN, b. March 25, 1827.
- ix. IVEY FRANKLIN SWARINGEN, b. March 13, 1829.
25. x. SAMUEL TISON SWARINGEN, b. 1831, North Carolina.
- xi. SUSANNAH SARAH SWARINGEN, b. May 04, 1834.
- xii. ELISTA ELECTIE A. SWARINGEN, b. June 02, 1836.
- xiii. ELI SHANKLE SWARINGEN, b. February 15, 1839.
- xiv. HENRY H. SWARINGEN, b. May 06, 1842.

15. SAMUEL⁵ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 24, 1797 in Montgomery Co, North Carolina, and died March 10, 1880 in Shiloh Cemetery, near McKenzie, Carroll Co., TN. He married (1) MARTHA COTHEN. She died September 16, 1845. He married (2) MARY J. THOMASON July 29, 1846 in Carroll Co., Tennessee.

Notes for SAMUEL SWEARINGEN:

Millwright and farmer

Children of SAMUEL SWEARINGEN and MARTHA COTHEN are:

- i. MARTHA P.⁶ SWEARINGEN, b. March 01, 1821; m. JOSEPH POE.
- ii. SAMUEL T. SWEARINGEN, b. March 13, 1828; d. Stevens Pines, Civil War.

Notes for SAMUEL T. SWEARINGEN:

Captain in the Confederate Army - killed by a cannonball at the Battle of Seven Pines

- iii. ELIZABETH SWEARINGEN, b. March 13, 1828; m. WORLD JOINER.
- iv. J. W. SWEARINGEN, b. September 02, 1830; m. SARAH L. BUTLER, January 10, 1855, Carroll Co., Tennessee.

Notes for J. W. SWEARINGEN:

Mechanic and Millwright

- v. SARAH ANN SWEARINGEN, b. June 27, 1838; m. W. M. SPARKS; b. June 27, 1838.
- vi. MARY JANE SWEARINGEN, b. August 08, 1840.
- vii. W. T. SWEARINGEN, b. June 28, 1843; d. December 18, 1874.
- viii. G. B. SWEARINGEN, b. June 22, 1847; m. MOLLIE HERRON.

Notes for G. B. SWEARINGEN:

Was in Confederate Army and was wounded in the battle of Okolona, Mississippi.

- ix. LUCY S. SWEARINGEN, b. December 08, 1849; m. L. S BROACH.
- x. N. C. SWEARINGEN, b. October 20, 1851; m. BITTLIN E. TANKFORD, November 26, 1873.

Notes for N. C. SWEARINGEN:
Merchant

- xi. J. M. SWEARINGEN, b. April 1853; m. MARY BLALOCK.

Notes for J. M. SWEARINGEN:
Moved to Texas in 1884.

16. ELIZABETH⁵ SWEARINGEN (*JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1792, and died 1882 in Montgomery Co.. She married THOMPSON.

Child of ELIZABETH SWEARINGEN and THOMPSON is:

- i. WASHINGTON⁶ THOMPSON.

17. FREDERICK⁵ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS⁴, SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*)

Children of FREDERICK SWEARINGEN are:

- 26. i. SEABORN⁶ SWEARINGEN, b. October 05, 1802, South Carolina.
- 27. ii. RICHARD SWEARINGEN, b. June 05, 1807, Edgefield Co., South Carolina; d. January 20, 1861, Washington Co., Texas.

18. THOMAS J.⁵ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS⁴, SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born Bet. 1810 - 1812 in Edgefield Co., South Carolina. He married MARY ANN in Amite Co., MS. She was born 1815.

Children of THOMAS SWEARINGEN and MARY ANN are:

- i. LAFAYETTE⁶ SWEARINGEN, b. February 21, 1836, Mississippi.
- ii. THOMAS SWEARINGEN, b. 1841.

19. HENRY⁵ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS⁴, SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1789 in Edgefield Co., South Carolina, and died September 1829 in Amite Co., Mississippi. He married LUCY SCOTT November 18, 1815. She was born in Georgia.

Children of HENRY SWEARINGEN and LUCY SCOTT are:

- i. ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARINGEN, b. 1816.
- ii. JOHN BETTIS SWEARINGEN, b. May 06, 1823.
- iii. HENRY WALTON SWEARINGEN.
- iv. THOMAS SWEARINGEN, b. 1827.
- v. DANIEL SWEARINGEN.

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20. BURTON⁶ SWEARINGEN (*GEORGE⁵, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1807 in NC. He married (1) MARY. She was born 1813 in Indiana. He married (2) POLLY COX June 18, 1829 in Wayne Co., IN.

Children of BURTON SWEARINGEN and MARY are:

- i. JASPER⁷ SWEARINGEN, b. 1838.
- ii. NEWTON SWEARINGEN, b. 1840.
- iii. MARY SWEARINGEN, b. 1843.
- iv. ALEXANDER SWEARINGEN, b. 1846.
- v. BURTON SWEARINGEN, b. 1849.

21. SAMUEL⁶ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1814, and died June 13, 1846. He married GRACE ANN METCALF in Yalobusha Co., daughter of JAMES METCALF and ELIZABETH BANKHEAD. She was born June 30, 1823, and died May 25, 1889.

Notes for SAMUEL SWEARENGEN:

About 1834, Samuel Swearengen was elected Constable with James Darby with a \$1500 bond being posted by John Swearengen and William Metcalfe. (Submitted by Rayburn Metcalfe).

More About SAMUEL SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

Notes for GRACE ANN METCALF:

JANUARY 2003

Henson Cemetery, Henson Springs, Lamar County, Alabama

Located on Ogden property, Henson Springs, off Co. Rd. 16, near intersection of Co. Rds. 49 and 16. Recorded by Sabra Sudberry, Trip Ogden, and Bo Morris 2002. Notes in parentheses by Bo Morris.

Asbury T. Turner

Apr. 14, 1848

Apr. 19, 1881

Hosea T(oliver). Henson

Oct. 14, 1837

Sep. 2, 1877

G(race) A(nn) Swearengen

June 30, 1823

May 25, 1889

(Jane McCurdy and John Black Bankhead's granddaughter, daughter of Elizabeth Guyton Bankhead and James Metcalfe, mother-in-law of Hosea Toliver Henson)

More About GRACE ANN METCALF:

Burial: Henson Cemetery, Lamar County, Alabama

Children of SAMUEL SWEARENGEN and GRACE METCALF are:

28. i. SARAH ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN, b. 1843.
- ii. ELIZABETH JANE SWEARENGEN, b. 1846; m. HENSON.

22. GEORGE S.⁶ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1815 in Dyersburg, Tennessee, and died June 18, 1889 in Arkansas. He married (1) NANCY DUKE Abt. 1839 in Yalobusha Co., MS. She was born February 13, 1818, and died June 11, 1844 in Oakland Co., MS. He married (2) SARAH POLK FROST Abt. 1845, daughter of WILSON FROST and MARY WILSON. She was born November 27, 1820 in Lincoln Co., Tennessee, and died February 15, 1859 in Yalobusha Co.. He married (3) CYNTHIA PERMILIA DARBY June 15, 1859 in Yalobusha Co., MS, daughter of BASIL DARBY and MARTHA LESTER. She was born Abt. 1826 in South Carolina. He married (4) MARY ANN DILTZ May 23, 1863 in Yalobusha Co., MS. She was born May 10, 1835, and died October 09, 1899 in Magazine, AR.

Notes for GEORGE S. SWEARENGEN:

Arrived at Ellis Island, NY 7-21-1892 at 46 yrs. of age aboard the ship, Noordland which departed from the port of call, Antwerp, Belgium.

More About NANCY DUKE:

Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

More About SARAH POLK FROST:

Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

Children of GEORGE SWEARENGEN and NANCY DUKE are:

- i. SAMUAL⁷ SWEARENGEN, b. 1840.
- ii. THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN, b. 1842.

Notes for THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN:

Killed in the civil war.

More About THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN:

Military service: Civil War

- iii. JOHN A. SWEARENGEN, b. 1843.

Children of GEORGE SWEARENGEN and SARAH FROST are:

- iv. GEORGE WILLIAM⁷ SWEARENGEN, b. 1846.

Notes for GEORGE WILLIAM SWEARENGEN:

Lived in Magazine, Arkansas

- v. SARAH SWEARENGEN, b. 1847.
- vi. ELIZABETH SWEARENGEN, b. 1850.
29. vii. JASPER N. SWEARENGEN, b. December 15, 1852.
- viii. SARAH SWEARENGEN, b. December 15, 1852.

Children of GEORGE SWEARENGEN and MARY DILTZ are:

30. ix. WILEY DUKE⁷ SWEARENGEN I, b. August 26, 1864, Oakland Co., MS; d. February 24, 1907, Oakland Co., MS.
- x. SIDNEY SWEARENGEN, b. Abt. 1866.
- xi. OLLIE SWEARENGEN, b. December 05, 1869; d. January 16, 1886, Ellington Cemetery, Magazine, AR.
- xii. LELIA SWEARENGEN, b. September 05, 1873.

More About LELIA SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., Oakland, MS

23. DR. THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born March 1821 in North Carolina, and died January 12, 1858 in Yalobusha Co., MS. He married LUTITIA LAGET FROST February 19, 1845, daughter of WILSON FROST and MARY WILSON. She was born March 23, 1826 in Lincoln County, Tennessee, and died October 05, 1911 in Yalobusha Co., Mississippi.

More About DR. THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Notes for LUTITIA LAGET FROST:

1870 Census District Township 25, Yalobusha Co., MS p 44 (image 44)

1880 Census District 3, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS p 206B (image 18)

1910 Census ED 19, District 4, Dyer Co., TN p 17A (image 33)

STATE GAZETTE

SATURDAY AUGUST 22, 1891

Mrs. L L SWEARENGEN and Mrs. Lucy SWEARENGEN, of Mississippi, are visiting Capt. Jim SWEARENGEN and wife and Mrs. Frank LUSCOMBE

More About LUTITIA LAGET FROST:

Burial: Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

Children of THOMAS SWEARENGEN and LUTITIA FROST are:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN, b. December 11, 1845, Tillatoba, Mississippi; m. WILLIAM CARR, January 30, 1867.
31. ii. SAMUAL S. SWEARENGEN, b. May 07, 1847; d. January 27, 1890, Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.
32. iii. JOHN THOMAS SWEARENGEN, b. November 06, 1848, Tillatoba, MS; d. March 02, 1905, Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.
33. iv. JAMES SWEARENGEN, b. April 11, 1850, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. October 27, 1903, Dyer, Co., TN.
34. v. SARAH J. SWEARINGEN, b. March 13, 1852; d. March 08, 1930, Masonic Cemetery, Charleston, MS.
35. vi. GRACE A. SWEARENGEN, b. January 23, 1854, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. January 07, 1915, Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee.
- vii. THOMAS W. SWEARENGEN, b. November 28, 1855; d. March 26, 1884, Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland Ms.
- viii. LILAC S. SWEARENGEN, b. January 14, 1858, Oakland, MS; d. July 24, 1934, Dyersburg, Tennessee; m. FRANCIS WARD LUSCOMBE, February 28, 1881; d. 1885, Fairview Cemetery, Dyersbury, Tennessee.

24. MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1819, and died December 29, 1894. She married (1) JESSE PINKNEY LAWSON, son of MARTHA. He was born March 12, 1815 in Tennessee, and died August 19, 1896. She married (2) WILLIAM KUYKENDALL DUKE 1837, son of JOHN DUKE and MARY METCALF. He was born December 28, 1812, and died July 09, 1843 in Yalobusha Co., Mississippi.

More About MARTHA ELIZABETH SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS

More About JESSE PINKNEY LAWSON:

Census: 1860, Tallahatchie County, Farmer

Children of MARTHA SWEARENGEN and JESSE LAWSON are:

- i. ELIZABETH ANN⁷ LAWSON, b. September 14, 1850; m. GEORGE HENRY FLOYD, October 01, 1867, Charleston, Mississippi; b. 1839.

More About ELIZABETH ANN LAWSON:

Census: 1860, Tallahatchie County

- ii. WILLIAM A. LAWSON, b. February 28, 1851, Mississippi; d. April 17, 1876.

More About WILLIAM A. LAWSON:

Burial: Swaengen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Census: 1860, Tallahatchie County

36. iii. JOHN WILLIAM LAWSON, b. December 20, 1852; d. January 16, 1906, Swaengen Cemetery, Oakland Ms.

Children of MARTHA SWEARENGEN and WILLIAM DUKE are:

37. iv. MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, b. August 19, 1839, Yalobusha Co., Mississippi; d. February 03, 1890, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.
- v. MARTHA ANN DUKE.

25. SAMUEL TISON⁶ SWARINGEN (*WILLIAM⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1831 in North Carolina. He married GRIFFITH. She died 1867.

Notes for SAMUEL TISON SWARINGEN:

Served in Confederate Army in a North Carolina regiment.

More About GRIFFITH:

Cause of Death: Lightening strike

Child of SAMUEL SWARINGEN and GRIFFITH is:

- i. MILARD FILMORE⁷ SWEARINGEN, b. 1874; d. 1935.

26. SEABORN⁶ SWEARINGEN (*FREDERICK⁵, THOMAS⁴, SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 05, 1802 in South Carolina. He married LUCY DUNN December 22, 1825 in Greene Co., Al. She was born 1805 in Tennessee.

Children of SEABORN SWEARINGEN and LUCY DUNN are:

- i. MARTHA⁷ SWEARINGEN, b. 1835, Alabama; m. HENRY KILLIBREW, June 18, 1852, Coahoma, Co., Mississippi.
- ii. LUCY A. SWEARINGEN, b. 1837, Mississippi.
- iii. NANCY M. SWEARINGEN, b. 1840, Coahoma Co., Mississippi.
- iv. SOPHIA SWEARINGEN, b. 1843, Coahoma Co., Mississippi.

27. RICHARD⁶ SWEARINGEN (*FREDERICK⁵, THOMAS⁴, SAMUEL³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born June 05, 1807 in Edgefield Co., South Carolina, and died January 20, 1861 in Washington Co., Texas. He married (1) MARGARET M. CONNER November 02, 1830 in Greene Co., Al. She died January 16, 1859 in Washington Co., Texas. He married (2) AMANDA M. WALKER June 12, 1859.

Children of RICHARD SWEARINGEN and AMANDA WALKER are:

- i. SARAH F.⁷ SWEARINGEN, b. November 09, 1831, Alabama.
- ii. PATRICK HENRY SWEARINGEN, b. May 25, 1834, Noxubee Co., MS.
- iii. HELEN MARR SWEARINGEN, b. January 17, 1837, Mobile Co., Mobile, Al.
- iv. RICHARD M. SWEARINGEN, b. September 26, 1838, Noxubee Co., MS.
- v. JOHN THOMAS SWEARINGEN, b. June 03, 1843, Noxubee Co., MS.
- vi. EUGENE C. SWEARINGEN, b. February 20, 1847.
- vii. MARY GERTRUDE SWEARINGEN, b. February 20, 1848, Noxubee Co., MS.

Notes for MARY GERTRUDE SWEARINGEN:

Lived in Austin, Texas.

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28. SARAH ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN (*SAMUEL⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1843. She married HOSEA TOLIVER HENSON. He was born October 14, 1837, and died September 02, 1877.

More About HOSEA TOLIVER HENSON:

Burial: Henson Cemetery, Lamar County, Alabama

Children of SARAH SWEARENGEN and HOSEA HENSON are:

- i. ELIZABETH⁸ HENSON, m. DR. FELIX ARMSTRONG.
38. ii. TALLULAH ADELINE HENSON.

29. JASPER N.⁷ SWEARENGEN (*GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born December 15, 1852. He married (1) MARGERETTE LOU DOYLE. She was born 1855, and died November 14, 1884 in Tillatoba, MS. He married (2) MARY M.. She was born January 1860.

More About MARGERETTE LOU DOYLE:

Burial: Swearingen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Children of JASPER SWEARENGEN and MARGERETTE DOYLE are:

- i. HALLYE E.⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. September 03, 1879, Mississippi.
- ii. WILLIARD N. SWEARENGEN, b. December 05, 1882; d. May 31, 1906, Tillatoba, MS.

More About WILLIARD N. SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Swearingen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Children of JASPER SWEARENGEN and MARY M. are:

iii. INFANT⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. March 20, 1890.

More About INFANT SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

iv. ANAH (AVAH) THEO SWEARENGEN, b. September 02, 1891; d. October 1981; m. CLAUDE GILMORE.

v. HERMAN SIDNEY SWEARENGEN, b. December 09, 1893.

Notes for HERMAN SIDNEY SWEARENGEN:

Gassed during WWII. Never married, no children, lived majority of adulthood in Little, AR VA hospital as an invalid.

39. vi. HERBERT NEWBURGER SWEARENGEN, b. February 29, 1896; d. June 15, 1976, Memphis, TN.

vii. WILEY WAVERLY SWEARENGEN, b. March 01, 1899.

30. WILEY DUKE⁷ SWEARENGEN I (*GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 26, 1864 in Oakland Co., MS, and died February 24, 1907 in Oakland Co., MS. He married (1) LUELLA ALVIS December 15, 1886 in Tallahatchie Co., MS. She was born May 19, 1867 in Tallahatchie Co., MS, and died August 17, 1892 in Tallahatchie Co., MS. He married (2) FRANCES SAYLE Abt. 1895. She was born December 17, 1865 in Oakland Co., MS, and died February 26, 1948 in Oakland Co., MS.

More About WILEY DUKE SWEARENGEN I:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

More About LUELLA ALVIS:

Burial: Rocky Branch Cemetery, Tallahatchie Co., MS

More About FRANCES SAYLE:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Children of WILEY SWEARENGEN and LUELLA ALVIS are:

- i. MARY⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. February 1887, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS; d. 1931, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS; m. JAMES WILSON FROST, Aft. 1911; b. October 30, 1881, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. September 18, 1968, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.

More About MARY SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

More About JAMES WILSON FROST:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

- ii. GEORGE ALVIS SWEARENGEN, b. January 06, 1890, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.

More About GEORGE ALVIS SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

- iii. BETTI SWEARENGEN, b. February 28, 1892, Oakland, MS; d. August 06, 1892.

More About BETTI SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Rocky Branch Cemetery, Tallahatchie Co., MS

Children of WILEY SWEARENGEN and FRANCES SAYLE are:

40. iv. WILLIAM ERWIN⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. August 10, 1901, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS; d. October 13, 1959, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.

- v. BENJAMIN SAYLE SWEARENGEN, b. October 21, 1896, Oakland MS.

More About BENJAMIN SAYLE SWEARENGEN:

Military service: WWII

- vi. WILEY DUKE SWEARENGEN II, b. April 01, 1898, Oakland, MS; d. November 18, 1948, Oakland, MS.

More About WILEY DUKE SWEARENGEN II:
Burial: Oakland Cemetery
Military service: WWII

- vii. SIDNEY A. SWEARENGEN, b. October 1899.
- viii. FRANCES BARNES SWEARENGEN, b. November 08, 1903, Yalobusha Co., Mississippi; d. June 19, 1904.

More About FRANCES BARNES SWEARENGEN:
Burial: Oakland Cemetery

- ix. LELIA ELODIA SWEARENGEN, b. May 23, 1905, Oakland, MS; d. January 06, 1994, Grenada, MS.

Notes for LELIA ELODIA SWEARENGEN:
Sun-Sentinel-Charleston, 1-13-1994

Oakland, MS-LELIA ELODIA SWEARENGEN, 88, retired employee of Oakland Bank, died Thursday, January 6, 1994 at Grenada Lake Medical Center. Graveside services were 1 p.m. Sunday in Oakland Cemetery. Garner-Harper Funeral Home of Grenada had charge. Miss Swearengen was a 1922 graduate of Yalobusha County High School and worked as a teller in the old Bank of Oakland before she became and insurance broker. She was preceded in death by her brothers, Olvis, Benjamin, William "Willie" and Wylie, and by her sister, Mary. Miss Swearengen is survived by two nephews.

More About LELIA ELODIA SWEARENGEN:
Burial: Oakland Cemetery

31. SAMUAL S.⁷ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born May 07, 1847, and died January 27, 1890 in Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS. He married LUCY J. CARR. She was born May 16, 1847, and died April 19, 1907 in Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.

Children of SAMUAL SWEARENGEN and LUCY CARR are:

- i. INFANT SWEARENGEN 3 MO. 22⁸ DAYS, d. Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.
- ii. MARY SWEARENGEN, b. September 13, 1880; d. August 19, 1886, Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.

32. JOHN THOMAS⁷ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 06, 1848 in Tillatoba, MS, and died March 02, 1905 in Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS. He married ELIZABETH JANE ALLEN November 30, 1871, daughter of ROBERT ALLEN and MAY RANDLE. She was born December 08, 1846, and died July 05, 1915 in Swearengen Cemetery, Oakland, MS.

Notes for ELIZABETH JANE ALLEN:

Marriage info: Book E., pg. 231, 11-16-1871, Thomas F. Crofford, Minister of the Gospel, Officiated, W. A. Carr, Bondsman.

Children of JOHN SWEARENGEN and ELIZABETH ALLEN are:

- i. MARY LETITIA (LULA)⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. March 07, 1875; d. July 10, 1946; m. HENRY GRADY KYLE, April 16, 1921.

More About MARY LETITIA (LULA) SWEARENGEN:
Baptism: Methodist Church
Burial: Swearengen Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS¹

- 41. ii. JOHN ROBERT SWEARENGEN I, b. December 15, 1878, Yalobusha Co., Tillatoba, MS; d. October 26, 1959, Pickwick, Tennessee.
- 42. iii. BERNICE ELLEN SWEARENGEN, b. February 21, 1884, Oakland, MS.
- 43. iv. SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN, b. January 06, 1891; d. 1942, Oakland Cemetery.

33. JAMES⁷ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born April 11, 1850 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died October 27, 1903 in Dyer,

Co., TN. He married (1) LEE. She was born 1860 in MS. He married (2) IDA BUTTERSWORTH April 11, 1882 in Dyer, Co. She was born in Dyersburg, Tennessee. He married (3) ROSE MARY DU BOSE 1890, daughter of BENJAMIN EUSEBIUS DUBOSE. She was born March 24, 1867 in Choctaw Co., AL, and died December 29, 1915 in Lynchburg, Campbell Co., VA.

Notes for JAMES SWEARENGEN:

1870 Census District Township 25, Yalobusha Co., MS p 44 (image 44)

1880 Census District 4, Dyer Co., TN p. 101C

1900 Census ED 16, District 4, Dyersburg, Dyer Co., p 13B (image 26)

Then 1910 Dyer County census shows Rose Mary Swearengen living in Dyersburg with three children as head of household and James does not appear elsewhere.

STATE GAZETTE

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 12, 1887

Mr. Jim SWEARENGEN has been elected President of the Dyersburg & Mississippi River Packet Company.

THE STATE GAZETTE DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE VOLUME XXV NO. 6 FEBRUARY 8, 1890

MICROFILM ROLL NO. 301 TENNESSEE STATE ARCHIVES

Mr. Jas SWEARENGAN has returned from Mississippi, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother Sam SWEARENGAN, whose death occurred at his home near Oakland on the 30th of last month.

STATE GAZETTE

DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE

VOLUME XXVI NO. 34

SATURDAY AUGUST 22, 1891

Mrs. L L SWEARENGEN and Mrs. Lucy SWEARENGEN, of Mississippi, are visiting Capt. Jim SWEARENGEN and wife and Mrs. Frank LUSCOMBE

More About JAMES SWEARENGEN:

Burial: City Cemetary, Dyer, Co., TN

Occupation: Merchant

Notes for LEE:

1880 Census District 4, Dyer Co., TN p. 101C

Notes for IDA BUTTERSWORTH:

Apr 11 1882 Dyersburg TN

Swearengen, James Color:W Age:32 Place of birth:Yellow Bush Co. MS Name of Bride :Butterworth, Ida (Miss) Age: ? Color: W Place of birth:Dyersburg TN Groom Residence: Mississippi Co. AR, Bride Dyersburg TN Occupation: Merchant. Name of Official: J. H. Collins M.G. Witnesses & Residence: Albert Stevens, Frank Luscomb & W. D. Roberts, all Dyer Co. Date Recorded: Jun 28 1882

1882 Dyer Co. TN Marriages - Grooms

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Notes for ROSE MARY DU BOSE:

Aboard the ship Columbia from Glasgow with her children Ida, Sarah and James, they Arrived at Ellis Island on 8-25-1912. Showed residence as Dyersburg, Tennessee.

STATE GAZETTE

MARCH 21, 1907

THE DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY --had their Donation Party on Friday afternoon. The members and their friends contributed generously to the Easter box, as the following list shows: Mrs. SWEARENGEN, cake. The hostess, Mrs. SWEARENGEN, made the meeting one of pleasure as well as business. The ladies adjourned, feeling they learned anew that, "It is more blessed to give than receive, "especially when the recipients

of their gifts are the lingering and lonely band of the wearers of the gray.

STATE GAZETTE
DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE
JUNE 6TH, 1907

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH DuBOSE--died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rosa SWEARENGEN, at the place just at the close of a beautiful Sabbath day, surrounded by her children and grandchildren. The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church on Monday, conducted by Revs. A. J. MEADERS and R. H. MAHON, when the remains were taken to the city cemetery and laid to rest. She was a faithful member of the Methodist Church and at the time of her death was 72 years old. She had been a resident of Dyersburg for about 16 years. She leaves three sons, and two daughters to mourn her loss; Mrs. Rosa SWEARENGEN, of this city, Mrs. John H. SHERROD, of Memphis, J. H. DuBOSE, of Memphis, Joel DuBOSE, of the University of Alabama, and B. J. DuBOSE, of Jonestown, Miss.

State Gazette TUESDAY AFTERNOON MARCH 28, 1916
RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT--The sickle of Death has taken from us our dear Mrs. SWEARENGEN, who died December 29, 1915. Miss ROSA will be missed, not only in her church, but in our Chapter, Etc. Mrs. MODE HOWELL. Miss ALICE THURMOND. Miss MAY DOYLE. Committee.

More About ROSE MARY DU BOSE:
Burial: City Cem., Dyer Co., TN

Children of JAMES SWEARENGEN and ROSE DU BOSE are:

- i. IDA MAY⁸ SWEARENGEN, b. October 1893, Dyersburg, Tennessee.

Notes for IDA MAY SWEARENGEN:

Came aboard the ship Columbia from Glasgow. Arrived at Ellis Island on 8-25-1912

1900 Census ED 16, District 4, Dyersburg, Dyer Co., p 13B (image 26)

1910 Census ED 19, District 4, Dyer Co., TN p 23B (image 46)

STATE GAZETTE
FRIDAY AFTERNOON JUNE 16TH, 1916
JAMES AND Miss SARA BELL SWEARENGEN are now visiting their sister, Miss IDA MAY SWEARENGEN, in Chicago and will later go to Memphis for the summer.

- ii. SARAH BELL SWEARENGEN, b. July 1895.

Notes for SARAH BELL SWEARENGEN:

Came to the United States aboard the ship Columbia from Glasgow. Arrived at Ellis Island on 8-25-1912

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

FRIDAY AFTERNOON MARCH 24TH, 1916

Mrs. J. H. COLLIER will return tomorrow, after a visit of two weeks in Chicago with her sister, Miss RUTH LUSCOMBE. Mrs. COLLIER will go again soon to Lynchburg, Va., to be with Miss SARAH BELL SWEARENGEN.

- iii. JAMES D. SWEARENGEN, b. July 1899, Dyer Co., TN.

Notes for JAMES D. SWEARENGEN:

Came to the United States aboard the ship Columbia from Glasgow. Arrived at Ellis Island on 8-25-1912.

Dyersburg State Gazette
FRIDAY AFTERNOON JUNE 16TH, 1916
LOCAL AND PERSONAL: JAMES AND Miss SARA BELL SWEARENGEN are now visiting their sister,
Miss IDA MAY SWEARENGEN, in Chicago and will later go to Memphis for the summer

34. SARAH J.⁷ SWEARINGEN (*THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born March 13, 1852, and died March 08, 1930 in Masonic Cemetary, Charleston, MS. She married WILLIAM SANFORD CRAIG March 22, 1871. He was born May 02, 1850, and died April 18, 1923 in Greenwood Cemetary, Ft. Worth, TX.

Children of SARAH SWEARINGEN and WILLIAM CRAIG are:

- i. THOMAS BLOUNT⁸ CRAIG, b. January 24, 1872.
- ii. WALTER WALKER CRAIG, b. December 24, 1875.
- iii. WILLIAM PRESTON CRAIG, b. January 11, 1878.
- iv. MARY JANE CRAIG, b. June 28, 1879; d. June 28, 1879.
44. v. ANNIE LAURA CRAIG, b. June 28, 1879; d. June 04, 1919, Charleston Cemetary, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co.,
- vi. WILLIAM SANFORD CRAIG, b. August 05, 1881; d. August 25, 1882.
- vii. ERNEST MORTIMER CRAIG, b. July 10, 1883; d. April 16, 1912, Greenwood Cemetary, Ft. Worth, TX.

35. GRACE A.⁷ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 23, 1854 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS, and died January 07, 1915 in Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee. She married WILLIAM D'JALMA ROBERTS October 09, 1872. He was born November 12, 1848 in Dyersburg, Dyer Co., TN, and died February 18, 1926 in Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee.

Notes for GRACE A. SWEARENGEN:
STATE GAZETTE
DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE
VOLUME XXV NO. 6
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8, 1890

Mrs. Grace ROBERTS and children left yesterday morning for Mississippi. This is "Miss Grace's" first visit home in 7 years.

Notes for WILLIAM D'JALMA ROBERTS:
STATE GAZETTE
DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE
VOLUME 9 NO. 35
AUGUST 29, 1874

DISSOLUTION--The firm of FOWKLES & ROBERTS has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. ROBERTS retires and the business will be continued by Mr. FOWKLES, the latter paying all the firm debts and collecting all claims due the same. Jno. A. FOWKLES. Wm. D. ROBERTS. AUGUST 27, 1874.

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STATE GAZETTE
DYERSBURG, TENNESSEE
VOLUME XXV NO. 6
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8, 1890

Mr. W D ROBERTS has gone to Scottsboro, Ala. , where he will put in a stave factory. Mr. ROBERTS is now interested in four factories, one at Dyersburg, one at Stokes, one near Fowkles, and the one he will start at Scottsboro.

Children of GRACE SWEARENGEN and WILLIAM ROBERTS are:

45. i. JAMES⁸ ROBERTS, b. November 09, 1886, Dyersburg, TN; d. August 03, 1941, Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee.
- ii. WILLIAM SWEARENGEN ROBERTS.
- iii. JOHN EDWARD ROBERTS.

36. JOHN WILLIAM⁷ LAWSON (*MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born December 20, 1852, and died January 16, 1906 in Swearingen Cemetery, Oakland Ms. He married NANCY ELIZABETH DARBY.

Child of JOHN LAWSON and NANCY DARBY is:

46. i. JOSEPH WILSON⁸ LAWSON, b. August 26, 1872, Mississippi; d. December 17, 1919, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co..

37. MARY JANE⁷ DUKE (*MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 19, 1839 in Yalobusha Co., Mississippi, and died February 03, 1890 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS. She married WILLIAM WILSON FROST January 02, 1855, son of WILSON FROST and MARY WILSON. He was born October 03, 1828 in Lincoln County, Tennessee, and died April 11, 1881 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.

More About MARY JANE DUKE:

Burial: Frost Cemetery, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS

More About WILLIAM WILSON FROST:

Burial: Frost Cemetery, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS

Children of MARY DUKE and WILLIAM FROST are:

- i. MARY E.⁸ FROST, b. May 20, 1857, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. August 06, 1866, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.

More About MARY E. FROST:

Burial: Frost Cemetery, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS

47. ii. SARAH A. FROST, b. January 25, 1859, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. February 07, 1931, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.
48. iii. WILLIAM NEWTON FROST, b. May 28, 1863, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. October 19, 1949, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.
- iv. MARTHA FROST, b. Abt. 1865.
- v. ESTHER L. FROST, b. 1867, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.
- vi. ALICE FROST, b. 1875, Yalobusha Co., Mississippi; d. 1954, Yalobusha Co., MS; m. CHARLES BATES FLY; b. 1857, Yalobusha Co., MS; d. 1938, Yalobusha Co..

More About ALICE FROST:

Burial: Coffeerville, Yalobusha Co., MS

More About CHARLES BATES FLY:

Burial: Coffeerville, Yalobusha Co., MS

- vii. GEORGE FROST, b. Abt. 1878; m. ANNIE.
49. viii. JAMES WILSON FROST, b. October 30, 1881, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. September 18, 1968, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.

Generation No. 8

38. TALLULAH ADELIN⁸ HENSON (*SARAH ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN, SAMUEL⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) She married WILLIAM W. OGDEN.

Children of TALLULAH HENSON and WILLIAM OGDEN are:

50. i. FRANK⁹ OGDEN.
51. ii. HOSEA TOLIVER OGDEN.
- iii. LEILA OGDEN, m. WALTER WILDER.

- iv. WILLIAM LEE OGDEN, m. MAE WINDHAM.
- v. SAMUEL FREDERICK OGDEN, m. DOROTHY NASH.

39. HERBERT NEWBURGER⁸ SWEARENGEN (*JASPER N.⁷, GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born February 29, 1896, and died June 15, 1976 in Memphis, TN. He married BESSIE BASS. She was born 1902, and died 1982 in Monette, AR.

More About HERBERT NEWBURGER SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Blytheville, AR

Children of HERBERT SWEARENGEN and BESSIE BASS are:

- i. HERBERT NEWBURGER⁹ SWEARENGEN, b. 1927.
- 52. ii. VIRGINIA DORIS SWEARENGEN, b. January 20, 1929, Blytheville, AR.
- iii. MARGARET EMADDEL SWEARENGEN, b. 1937.

40. WILLIAM ERWIN⁸ SWEARENGEN (*WILEY DUKE⁷, GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 10, 1901 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS, and died October 13, 1959 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS. He married ESTHER FROST, daughter of WILLIAM FROST and CORA WRIGHT. She was born June 17, 1900 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.

More About WILLIAM ERWIN SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

Children of WILLIAM SWEARENGEN and ESTHER FROST are:

- i. WILLIAM ERWIN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JR, b. 1924, Oakland MS; d. 1929, Oakland MS.

More About WILLIAM ERWIN SWEARENGEN, JR:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

- ii. ALVIS SWEARENGEN, b. 1926, Oakland Co., MS; m. IMOGENE ALLEN.
- iii. JOHN FROST SWEARENGEN, b. 1932; m. JO ANN BAKER, August 08, 1954, Tallahatchie Co., MS; b. 1932.

41. JOHN ROBERT⁸ SWEARENGEN I (*JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born December 15, 1878 in Yalobusha Co., Tillatoba, MS, and died October 26, 1959 in Pickwick, Tennessee. He married MARY ELIZABETH STEVENS January 14, 1903, daughter of A. STEVENS and ELLEN COLBERT. She was born August 30, 1880, and died April 27, 1947 in Yalobusha Co., Mississippi, Union Cemetery.

More About JOHN ROBERT SWEARENGEN I:

Burial: Yalobusha Co., Mississippi, Union Cemetery

Military service: WWII

More About MARY ELIZABETH STEVENS:

Cause of Death: Gangrene and blood poisoning

Medical Information: Type II Diabetic

Children of JOHN SWEARENGEN and MARY STEVENS are:

- 53. i. MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, b. July 15, 1906, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. December 30, 1974, Tupelo, Mississippi, buried in Amory, Ms.
- 54. ii. JOHN ROBERT SWEARENGEN II, b. February 23, 1909; d. August 24, 1951, Tillatoba, Mississippi.
- 55. iii. THOMAS STEVENS SWEARENGEN I, b. October 07, 1911, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. October 1980, Water Valley, MS.
- 56. iv. LULA JANE SWEARENGEN, b. November 10, 1914, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. Memphis, Tennessee.
- 57. v. SAM CALVERT SWEARENGEN, b. November 24, 1916, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. February 02, 1964.
- 58. vi. GRACE ELLEN SWEARENGEN, b. September 15, 1918, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., Mississippi; d. November 23, 1999, Memphis, Tennessee.

42. BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³,*

THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN) was born February 21, 1884 in Oakland, MS. She married WILLIAM HARRISON LOVEJOY October 26, 1904, son of WILLIAM LOVEJOY and MARY SHANNON. He was born September 11, 1871.

Notes for WILLIAM HARRISON LOVEJOY:

Lived in Tennessee. Dr. William Harrison Lovejoy graduated from Louisville, Kentucky Medical College in 1903. He was a member of the medical faculty of the University of Tennessee. He practiced medicine in Walls, Mississippi from 1904 to 1913. He then moved to Memphis, Tennessee and practiced medicine there till he retired.

More About WILLIAM HARRISON LOVEJOY:

Occupation: Physician

Children of BERNICE SWEARENGEN and WILLIAM LOVEJOY are:

- i. CAROLINE JOY⁹ LOVEJOY.
- ii. BERNICE ANN LOVEJOY, b. September 20, 1907; d. November 29, 1978, Tallahatchie Co., MS; m. JAMES ROBERT CRISS; b. January 16, 1907; d. October 19, 1993, Tallahatchie Co., MS.

More About BERNICE ANN LOVEJOY:
Burial: Oakland Cemetery, MS

Notes for JAMES ROBERT CRISS:
James Criss later taught Agriculture to the boys at Tillatoba who attended.

More About JAMES ROBERT CRISS:
Burial: Oakland Cemetery, MS
- iii. MARY ELIZABETH LOVEJOY, b. 1906; m. MARIN H. PARKS; b. 1927.
59. iv. MINNIE ANTOINETTE LOVEJOY, b. 1909.
60. v. WILLIAM MATTHEW LOVEJOY, b. 1913.
- vi. JOHN HARRISON LOVEJOY, b. 1913; m. VIRGINIA BARTON; b. 1910.
61. vii. GEORGE SHANNON LOVEJOY, b. 1917.
62. viii. CAROLYN JOY LOVEJOY, b. 1924.

43. SAMUAL ALLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 06, 1891, and died 1942 in Oakland Cemetery. He married EUNICE EARL WILLINGHAM November 28, 1917. She was born February 13, 1894, and died December 11, 1983 in Oakland Cemetery.

Notes for SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN:

Superintendent of Oakland United Methodist Church.

More About SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN:

Military service: WWII

Children of SAMUAL SWEARENGEN and EUNICE WILLINGHAM are:

63. i. SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN⁹ JR., b. September 28, 1918; d. November 02, 1982, Oakland Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS.
- ii. FRANK BRADFORD SWEARENGEN.

44. ANNIE LAURA⁸ CRAIG (*SARAH J.⁷ SWEARINGEN, THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born June 28, 1879, and died June 04, 1919 in Charleston Cemetery, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co., MS. She married JOHN WILLIAM CRAIG, son of REUBEN BURROW and MARGARET CRAIG.

Child of ANNIE CRAIG and JOHN CRAIG is:

64. i. JAMES WILLIAM⁹ CRAIG, b. September 30, 1912.

45. JAMES⁸ ROBERTS (*GRACE A.⁷ SWEARENGEN, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS²*

VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN) was born November 09, 1886 in Dyersburg, TN, and died August 03, 1941 in Memphis, Shelby Co., Tennessee. He married FLORA MAY WINGFIELD December 31, 1923 in Memphis, TN, daughter of A. WINGFIELD and LULU STEWART. She was born September 24, 1899 in White Oaks, Lincoln, NM, and died March 12, 1983 in Princeton, Mercer, NJ.

Children of JAMES ROBERTS and FLORA WINGFIELD are:

65. i. JAMES RANDALL⁹ ROBERTS, b. February 08, 1928, Memphis, TN.
66. ii. WINGFIELD ROBERTS, b. January 06, 1934, Memphis, TN.

46. JOSEPH WILSON⁸ LAWSON (*JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 26, 1872 in Mississippi, and died December 17, 1919 in Charleston, Tallahatchie Co.. He married ROSA LEE SHELEY December 26, 1897 in Charleston, Tallahatchie Co., Mississippi, daughter of FRANKLIN SHELEY and EUDORA ARMSTRONG. She was born January 06, 1880 in Charleston, Tallahatchie Co., Mississippi, and died September 06, 1914 in Charleston, Tallahatchie Co..

More About JOSEPH WILSON LAWSON:

Burial: Rowland Cemetary

More About ROSA LEE SHELEY:

Burial: Rowland Cemetary

Children of JOSEPH LAWSON and ROSA SHELEY are:

- i. WILLIAM FRANKLIN⁹ LAWSON, b. August 08, 1899, Mississippi; d. February 27, 1959; m. NONA LONG.
- ii. ROBERT J. LAWSON, m. LUCY HOUSTON, May 14, 1930, Charleston Ms, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co..
- iii. LAWRENCE CLYDE LAWSON, b. July 14, 1904; d. November 22, 1970; m. GLADYS HOOVER, December 13, 1924, Charleston, Mississippi.
67. iv. MARVIN WILSON LAWSON, b. April 04, 1905.
- v. THELMA EUDORA LAWSON, m. ARTHUR H. WOLF.
68. vi. LUTHER CURTIS LAWSON, b. January 08, 1911, Mississippi; d. September 23, 1944, U.S.S. Montpelier.
- vii. ALBERT PERRY LAWSON, b. November 04, 1913; d. January 08, 1915, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co., Rowland Cemetary.

More About ALBERT PERRY LAWSON:

Burial: Rowland Cemetery

47. SARAH A.⁸ FROST (*MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 25, 1859 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS, and died February 07, 1931 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS. She married JESSIE B. MASSEY March 20, 1889 in Yalobusha Co.. He was born July 12, 1854, and died April 20, 1928 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS.

More About SARAH A. FROST:

Burial: Oakland Cemetary

More About JESSIE B. MASSEY:

Burial: Oakland Cemetary

Children of SARAH FROST and JESSIE MASSEY are:

69. i. MARY⁹ MASSEY, b. 1889; d. 1974.
- ii. MAGGIE FROST MASSEY, b. March 07, 1891, Oakland, Yalobusha, MS; d. October 08, 1916, Oakland Co., MS.

More About MAGGIE FROST MASSEY:

Burial: Oakland Cemetary

48. WILLIAM NEWTON⁸ FROST (*MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born May 28, 1863 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS, and died October 19, 1949 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS. He married (1) SELAH MAUD HUGHES, daughter of JAMES HUGHES and NANCY WRIGHT. He married (2) CORA MARTHA WRIGHT, daughter of GEORGE

WRIGHT and NARCISSA BROWN.

Children of WILLIAM FROST and CORA WRIGHT are:

- i. MARY NARCISSA⁹ FROST, b. October 15, 1886.
 - ii. WILLIAM WRIGHT FROST, b. May 06, 1889.
 - iii. MARGUERITE FROST, b. July 17, 1891.
 - iv. EDWARDS NEWTON FROST, b. August 08, 1893.
 - v. LUCILLE FROST, b. October 09, 1897.
70. vi. ESTHER FROST, b. June 17, 1900, Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.
- vii. MARTHA FROST, b. February 07, 1904.

49. JAMES WILSON⁸ FROST (*MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 30, 1881 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS, and died September 18, 1968 in Oakland, Yalobusha, MS. He married (1) ETTA MAUDE FROST in Aft. 1931. She was born 1873, and died 1943 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS. He married (2) MATTIE IDA CROW December 30, 1908 in Tallahatchie Co., MS. She was born June 06, 1888, and died October 03, 1911 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS. He married (3) MARY SWEARENGEN Aft. 1911, daughter of WILEY SWEARENGEN and LUELLA ALVIS. She was born February 1887 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS, and died 1931 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.

More About JAMES WILSON FROST:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

More About ETTA MAUDE FROST:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

More About MATTIE IDA CROW:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

More About MARY SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

Child of JAMES FROST and MATTIE CROW is:

- i. INFANT⁹ FROST, b. 1910; d. 1910.

More About INFANT FROST:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

Generation No. 9

50. FRANK⁹ OGDEN (*TALLULAH ADELINE⁸ HENSON, SARAH ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN, SAMUEL⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*)

Child of FRANK OGDEN is:

- i. INFANT¹⁰ OGDEN, b. Unknown.

51. HOSEA TOLIVER⁹ OGDEN (*TALLULAH ADELINE⁸ HENSON, SARAH ELIZABETH⁷ SWEARENGEN, SAMUEL⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) He married ELIZABETH JONES.

Children of HOSEA OGDEN and ELIZABETH JONES are:

- i. TALLULAH ADELINE¹⁰ OGDEN, b. 1927; m. JOHN HARGROVE.
- ii. WILLIAM W. OGDEN II, b. 1928.

52. VIRGINIA DORIS⁹ SWEARENGEN (*HERBERT NEWBURGER⁸, JASPER N.⁷, GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 20, 1929 in Blytheville, AR. She married THURMAN E. ROWLETT JR.. He was born in Conway, AR.

Children of VIRGINIA SWEARENGEN and THURMAN JR. are:

71. i. AMY ELIZABETH¹⁰ ROWLETT, b. February 29, 1956, Blytheville, AR.
72. ii. THURMAN E. ROWLETT III, b. August 18, 1965.

53. MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born July 15, 1906 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died December 30, 1974 in Tupelo, Mississippi, buried in Amory, Ms. She married (1) WILLIAM LUTHER JONES, son of JOHN JONES and RACHEL ?. He was born September 11, 1891 in Jackson, Tennessee/Jackson Co., TN, and died April 11, 1932 in Yalobusha Co., Mississippi. She married (2) EVERETT HAROLD JONES I, son of JOHN JONES and RACHEL ?. He was born March 12, 1894 in Waterloo, Tennessee, and died May 22, 1956 in Union Cemetery, Tillitoba, MS.

Notes for MARY ELIZABETH SWEARENGEN:

Owned and operated a country store called Jones Grocery Store in Wren, Mississippi. The gas was City Services and the name changed to Citgo in the 70's. The house was attached to the back of the store. Mr. Bob's "little house" was to the left of the property. There was a cow pasture behind the store and a field of cotton and corn to the left of Mr. Bob's home. The well house had the sweetest cool water and there was always a dipper made of enamel ware placed in a enamel ware pale. Grandmother always had watermelon growing in her little patch beside the garage. The outhouse was to the left of the gravel drive way. It seemed like a long way from the in house if the need arised in the middle of the night. And, of course, there was always a Sears catalog to view while doing your business. Grandmother acquired in door plumbing in the late 60's. We used to take our baths in the tub on the back porch. The massive hunk of steel called a wringer wash machine rested on the back porch. When the house was updated, adding on a back room, the porch became in the in door bathroom and the pump in the kitchen sink was replaced by a faucet. Back then we went outside in the evenings because outdoors was cooler than the house. Getting asleep in the backroom was sometimes difficult with your legs sticking together from the sweat caused by the stifling heat. Box fans were used to hopefully pull out the hot air and allow a cool breeze to permiate the room. Usually went to sleep with just a sheet placed lightly across your body, but in the cool of the night, searching for warmer covers. I played on her propane tank as if it were a tall handsome horse riding off across the field. We had a very active imagination back then. We loved the metal chairs that would bounce while sitting in them. We helped to burn the trash in the trash burning can and gave the cows some of the wet trash.

More About MARY ELIZABETH SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Amory, MS

Cause of Death: Heart Failure

Medical Information: HTN, Thyroid Goiter, Benign Brain Tumor, Cancererous Tumor (Uterus)

Notes for WILLIAM LUTHER JONES:

Farmer

More About WILLIAM LUTHER JONES:

Burial: Union Cemetery

More About EVERETT HAROLD JONES I:

Cause of Death: Heart/Lung Failure

Medical Information: Emphysema

Children of MARY SWEARENGEN and WILLIAM JONES are:

73. i. RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES, b. February 16, 1928, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. October 15, 1981, Tomball Hospital, Tomball, Texas.
74. ii. JOHN WILLIAM JONES, b. October 27, 1930, Tillatoba, Mississippi; d. December 12, 1974, Jackson, Mississippi.

Children of MARY SWEARENGEN and EVERETT JONES are:

75. iii. EVERETT HAROLD¹⁰ JONES II, b. April 22, 1937, Tillatoba, Mississippi.
76. iv. JERRY CLANTON JONES, b. January 28, 1941, Tillatoba, Mississippi.
- v. CYNTHIA ANN JONES, b. June 25, 1947; d. October 09, 1987, Amory, Mississippi.

More About CYNTHIA ANN JONES:
Medical Information: Congestive Heart Failure

54. JOHN ROBERT⁹ SWEARENGEN II (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born February 23, 1909, and died August 24, 1951 in Tillatoba, Mississippi. He married BEALIE CHOATE.

Child of JOHN SWEARENGEN and BEALIE CHOATE is:

- i. BOBBY¹⁰ SWEARENGEN.

55. THOMAS STEVENS⁹ SWEARENGEN I (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 07, 1911 in Tillatoba, Mississippi², and died October 1980 in Water Valley, MS². He married MABEL LOUISE HARDY May 31, 1930 in Charleston Ms, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co..

More About THOMAS STEVENS SWEARENGEN I:

Cause of Death: Heart Failure

Social Security Number: 427-03-3370

Children of THOMAS SWEARENGEN and MABEL HARDY are:

77. i. ROBERT EARL¹⁰ SWEARENGEN, b. 1931.
78. ii. GENORA SWEARENGEN, b. 1933.
79. iii. THOMAS STEVENS SWEARENGEN II, b. 1936.

56. LULA JANE⁹ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 10, 1914 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died in Memphis, Tennessee. She married MARVIN SHARP December 26, 1936 in Tallahatchie Co., Charleston, MS. He was born 1904, and died in Pickwick, Tennessee.

More About LULA JANE SWEARENGEN:

Cause of Death: Heart Failure

Children of LULA SWEARENGEN and MARVIN SHARP are:

80. i. EMILY JANE¹⁰ SHARP, b. 1938.
81. ii. PRENTISS SHARP, b. 1941.
82. iii. MARILEE SHARP, b. 1947.

57. SAM CALVERT⁹ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 24, 1916 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died February 02, 1964. He married AGNES HOLT. She was born February 07, 1922, and died February 09, 1997 in Memphis, Tennessee.

More About SAM CALVERT SWEARENGEN:

Cause of Death: Heart Failure

Notes for AGNES HOLT:

Cousin Alene,

Yes cousins we are. The way I see it, it makes no matter how one gets into the family, birth or marriage one you get her your here !!!

Agnes and I were 2nd. blood cousins, her Grandmother and my Grandfather were brother and sister. Agnes's Grandmother Bertha "Bird" Baxter Holden was the eldest child of William Thomas and Mary Ella Hays Baxter, my Grandfather was the youngest child.

I am trying to locate any of the brothers and sisters of Agnes in hopes they can point me to other family information. Bertha did not move to Arkansas in 1900 with he rest of the family so information on her children is hard to come by. I really want to locate someone who can tell me when Bertha's (my g-grandmother) died I would be in heaven. I know where she is buried but for some reason no stone was ever purchased. I think every persons life on this earth should be marked so with or without dates I'll working on that but it would be nice to have dates.

I like you have many irons in the fire this week but by the weekend I am in hopes I can dig a little more.
I live in a small town named Lillian, it is about 30 miles South of Fort Worth. Lillian is located in Johnson County.

Thank you for filling in some of by blanks.

Please keep in touch

Diane
Diane Williamson
E-mail Address(es):
tmct@flash.net

Children of SAM SWEARENGEN and AGNES HOLT are:

- i. DANNY¹⁰ SWEARENGEN, b. 1947, Memphis, TN.
- ii. CALVIN SWEARENGEN, b. 1950, Memphis, TN; d. November 22, 2002, Memphis, TN.

More About CALVIN SWEARENGEN:
Cause of Death: Heart Failure

- iii. PHYLLIS SWEARENGEN, b. 1952; m. RICHARD PERFETTI.

58. GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN (*JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born September 15, 1918 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., Mississippi, and died November 23, 1999 in Memphis, Tennessee. She married EDWIN OLIVER SYKES I December 15, 1938 in Coffeville, Yalobusha Co., MS. He was born June 19, 1917, and died June 05, 1962 in Huntsville, Alabama.

More About GRACE ELLEN SWEARENGEN:
Burial: November 25, 1999, Memory Hills Garden, Memphis, Tennessee
Cause of Death: Congestive Heart Failure
Medical Information: HTN, Coronary Heart Disease

More About EDWIN OLIVER SYKES I:
Burial: Friendship Cemetery, Columbus, MS

Children of GRACE SWEARENGEN and EDWIN SYKES are:

83. i. GRACE CAROLYN¹⁰ SYKES, b. November 14, 1939, Columbus, Lowndes Co., MS.
84. ii. MARTHA JEAN SYKES, b. January 01, 1942, Columbus, Lowndes Co., MS.
85. iii. EDWIN OLIVER SYKES II, b. November 10, 1947.

59. MINNIE ANTOINETTE⁹ LOVEJOY (*BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1909. She married WILLIAM DOUGLAS WATSON. He was born 1907.

Children of MINNIE LOVEJOY and WILLIAM WATSON are:

86. i. WILLIAM DOUGLAS WATSON¹⁰ JR., b. 1942.
87. ii. JANE ELLEN WATSON, b. 1947.

60. WILLIAM MATTHEW⁹ LOVEJOY (*BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1913. He married JUNE DAY ELLIS.

Child of WILLIAM LOVEJOY and JUNE ELLIS is:

- i. JUNE CAROL¹⁰ LOVEJOY.

61. GEORGE SHANNON⁹ LOVEJOY (*BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1917. He married DOROTHY SUE SMITH. She was born 1918.

Children of GEORGE LOVEJOY and DOROTHY SMITH are:

88. i. SUE ELLEN¹⁰ LOVEJOY, b. 1944.
89. ii. ANN MARILYN LOVEJOY, b. 1949.
- iii. JOSEPH SHANNON LOVEJOY, b. 1952; m. FRENCH.

62. CAROLYN JOY⁹ LOVEJOY (*BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1924. She married (1) GLEN PORTER. He was born 1923. She married (2) LOUIS FRANKLIN HAGGART. He was born 1915.

Children of CAROLYN LOVEJOY and GLEN PORTER are:

- i. BARRY GLENN¹⁰ PORTER, b. 1954; m. ELAINE KIMBALL; b. 1953.
90. ii. ALLEN LOVEJOY PORTER, b. 1957.

63. SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN⁹ JR. (*SAMUAL ALLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born September 28, 1918, and died November 02, 1982 in Oakland Cemetary, Yalobusha Co., MS. He married MARY CHARLOTTE YORK. She was born 1921, and died March 11, 2006.

More About MARY CHARLOTTE YORK:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery, Yalobusha Co., MS

Children of SAMUAL JR. and MARY YORK are:

- i. SAMUEL ALLEN¹⁰ SWEARENGEN III, m. JENNIE LOU DICKENS.
91. ii. PATRICE SWEARENGEN.
- iii. JOY SWEARENGEN, m. MASOOD GARAH.

64. JAMES WILLIAM⁹ CRAIG (*ANNIE LAURA⁸, SARAH J.⁷ SWEARINGEN, THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born September 30, 1912. He married DORABEL MOORE December 14, 1941, daughter of MING MOORE and LESSIE HUBBARD. She was born June 30, 1917.

Children of JAMES CRAIG and DORABEL MOORE are:

92. i. MARY ELIZABETH¹⁰ CRAIG, b. August 17, 1946.
93. ii. ANNIE LAURIE CRAIG, b. October 20, 1947, Jackson, MS/Jackson Co., MS.
- iii. JOHN MOORE CRAIG, b. May 11, 1957, Jackson, MS/Jackson Co., MS.

65. JAMES RANDALL⁹ ROBERTS (*JAMES⁸, GRACE A.⁷ SWEARENGEN, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born February 08, 1928 in Memphis, TN. He married JANET MITCHELL AHLBORN October 24, 1965 in Wilkes-Barre, PA.

Children of JAMES ROBERTS and JANET AHLBORN are:

- i. LOUISE MINER¹⁰ ROBERTS, b. December 26, 1968, Neuilly-sur-Seine, France.
- ii. JAMES WINGFIELD ROBERTS, b. July 07, 1970, Neuilly-sur-Seine, France.

66. WINGFIELD⁹ ROBERTS (*JAMES⁸, GRACE A.⁷ SWEARENGEN, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 06, 1934 in Memphis, TN. He married FRANCESCA STANDARD DE SANTIS November 09, 1968 in Alexandria, VA. She was born in Long Beach, Nassau, NY.

Child of WINGFIELD ROBERTS and FRANCESCA DE SANTIS is:

- i. FRANCESCA (KATIE) RAFIEL¹⁰ ROBERTS, b. March 19, 1965.

67. MARVIN WILSON⁹ LAWSON (*JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born April 04, 1905. He married EMMA ELIZABETH ROST June 1931 in St. Louis, MO. She was born in Drake, Missouri.

Notes for MARVIN WILSON LAWSON:

Raised by Homer and Lena (Sheley) Hall after the death of his mother and father.

Children of MARVIN LAWSON and EMMA ROST are:

94. i. KENNETH GENE¹⁰ LAWSON, b. St. Louis, MO.
- ii. NOLAN LAWSON.

68. LUTHER CURTIS⁹ LAWSON (*JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 08, 1911 in Mississippi, and died September 23, 1944 in U.S.S. Montpelier. He married WILLEBY B. EPPS December 28, 1927 in Charlestown, Tallahatchie Co., daughter of WILLIAM EPPS and NATTIE HENDON. She was born November 18, 1910 in Enid, Tallahatchie Co., MS, and died December 22, 1932 in St. Louis, MO.

Children of LUTHER LAWSON and WILLEBY EPPS are:

95. i. ROSE¹⁰ LAWSON.
96. ii. MARY LOUISE LAWSON.
- iii. CURTIS RAY DAME LAWSON, b. December 22, 1932, St. Louis, MO; d. December 13, 1952, Missouri, buried at Bethel Cemetary-Enid Teasdale, MS; m. HOPE HAVENS, December 28, 1949, Charleston Ms, Charleston, Tallahatchie Co..

Notes for CURTIS RAY DAME LAWSON:

His mother passed away due to childbirth complications and was raised by Thomas Elliott Dame and Bessie Gertrude Sheley-Dame. His father died in WWII on the U.S.S. Montpelier. Curtis was killed in an automobile accident in Missouri while working construction.

More About CURTIS RAY DAME LAWSON:

Cause of Death: Automobile Accident in Missouri while working construction

69. MARY⁹ MASSEY (*SARAH A.⁸ FROST, MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1889, and died 1974. She married RICHARD L. MATTHEWS. He was born 1884, and died 1944.

More About MARY MASSEY:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

More About RICHARD L. MATTHEWS:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

Child of MARY MASSEY and RICHARD MATTHEWS is:

- i. MARGARET¹⁰ MATTHEWS, m. DURRETT MEADERS BAILEY.

70. ESTHER⁹ FROST (*WILLIAM NEWTON⁸, MARY JANE⁷ DUKE, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born June 17, 1900 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS. She married WILLIAM ERWIN SWEARENGEN, son of WILEY SWEARENGEN and FRANCES SAYLE. He was born August 10, 1901 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS, and died October 13, 1959 in Oakland, Yalobusha Co., MS.

More About WILLIAM ERWIN SWEARENGEN:

Burial: Oakland Cemetery

Children are listed above under (40) William Erwin Swearengen.

Generation No. 10

71. AMY ELIZABETH¹⁰ ROWLETT (*VIRGINIA DORIS⁹ SWEARENGEN, HERBERT NEWBURGER⁸, JASPER N.⁷, GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born February 29, 1956 in Blytheville, AR. She married MICHAEL DAVID WINANS May 29, 1987. He was born April 14, 1952 in Fort Benning, GA.

Child of AMY ROWLETT and MICHAEL WINANS is:

- i. KATY VIRGINIA¹¹ WINANS, b. July 07, 1988, Baytown, Texas.

72. THURMAN E.¹⁰ ROWLETT III (*VIRGINIA DORIS⁹ SWEARENGEN, HERBERT NEWBURGER⁸, JASPER N.⁷, GEORGE S.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 18, 1965. He married VICKI JANE FRUGE 1991.

Children of THURMAN ROWLETT and VICKI FRUGE are:

- i. ZACHARY TAYLOR SWEARENGEN¹¹ ROWLETT, b. March 24, 1993, Houston, Texas.
- ii. MICHAEL ALEXANDER ROWLETT, b. June 18, 1994, Houston, Texas.
- iii. THEODORE ROWLETT, b. October 15, 1996, Houston, Texas.

73. RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES (*MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born February 16, 1928 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died October 15, 1981 in Tomball Hospital, Tomball, Texas. She married JOHN DAVID DAME September 14, 1946 in Charleston, Mississippi, son of THOMAS DAME and BESSIE SHELEY. He was born October 20, 1925 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died July 09, 2005 in Tomball Hospital, Tomball, Texas.

More About RACHEL ELIZABETH JONES:

Baptism: Methodist Church

Burial: October 17, 1981, Klein Memorial Cemetary, Tomball, Texas

Medical Information: Lung Cancer

Occupation: Bookkeeper, Homemaker

Residence: Magnolia, Texas

Notes for JOHN DAVID DAME:

Graduated from Oakland High School, Oakland, Miss. In April 1943 at the age of 18 years, he was drafted into U.S. Army November of 1943. He was assigned to the 1061st Engineers Port Construction and Repair Group at Camp Gordon Johnston, Florida Dec. 15th 1943. His outfit was trained to be combat engineers for the time period January 1, 1944 to early April 1944 and upon being pronounced "combat ready", this outfit began its technical training and was made ready to repair ocean and river ports anywhere in the world where the Nazi or Japanese forces had rendered through the most deadly measures known to man those ports unfit and unable to receive or send men, munitions, supplies, or other implements of warfare. Having served with distinction in the French ports of LeHavre and Rouen, the 1061st was sent from the European theater of war to the Phillipine Islands in July 1944 with company headquarters in Manila. They again served their country in the Asian- Pacific Theater by repairing the ports of Cavite, Corregidor. and Manila. The Watchword of the 1061st was "The 1061st never comes up short in simple terms this meant to us, if we need something we find it and confiscate it if they won't give it to us we take it, if we can't find it we make it our slogan 'the DIFFICULT WE DO IMMEDIATELY, THE IMPOSSIBLE TAKES A LITTLE longer. This enabled us to deliver the Port of Lehavre ready to receive shipping within seven days after our own sparse and uncomfortable living quarters was secured.

Alene, here is what I have done so far.

Love, Dad

JOHN DAVID DAME

A LETTER TO MY FAMILY

My Military History

January 11, 2002

My Dearest Ones;

This narrative is my attempt to recount and record all that I remember of the time-frame Nov. 17, 1943 through to April 19, 1946. The 1943 date is the day on which I was inducted into the United States Army in Water Valley, Mississippi and the 1946 date marks the time I was honorably discharged at Camp Shelby, Mississippi. I will also add to this historical account the anecdotal information that I picked up from my buddies during the time we were on active duty and at reunions across the years. (Anecdotal is only a fancy word for scuttlebutt.)

My outfit, The 1061st Engineer Port Construction and Repair Group, was activated on December 15 1943 at Camp Gordon Johnston, Fl. I was one of its 1st members and likely the youngest. My 18th birthday on Oct. 20, 1943 made me draft eligible so being sworn into the U. S. Army by November 17 was a swift transition from civilian to soldier. Another source besides my memory that I have drawn upon is a Unit History document, some 200 mimeographed pages written by various members of the 1061st who lived it'S rich and various experiences and who were charged by our commanding officer to "keep a record of everything".

The job of the 1061st was to follow close behind the evacuation of the enemy from a given port and to make thing ready for the port to receive shipments of crucial war materials, men, and machines. You can well imagine that the disposition of enemy troops forced to evacuate a port that they had used against us did not cause them to leave the place in apple pie order for us, HIS enemy. That's just a long way around to say that EVERY place that we were called upon to rebuild was a hellish mess. We were even greeted at times with a generous sprinkling of mines and booby traps.

The 1061st was one of several E.P.C.& R. Groups that were created at the suggestion of President Franklin D. Roosevelt himself. The story goes like this. Sometime around mid-year of 1943, the President was at his retreat at now famous Warm Springs, Ga. The war was being heavily waged on several fronts and the news on too many days was bad for our allies and us. President Roosevelt called in for a conference several C.C.C. commanders from neighboring Southern states. The President's challenge went something like this. "Wouldn't it be good for the prosecution of the war if we created from the U. S. ARMY several engineering outfits whose sole job would be to clean up the ports as soon as they are evacuated by the enemy, repair the damage he has caused in leaving and then turn that port into a tool to use against him. The Navy has its C.B's so why shouldn't the Army have its Special Forces of engineers." Thus the idea for the 1061st Engineer P.C.& R.Group was born. I'm told that the President's original idea was for ten such units to be created, five for the European Theater of war and five for the Asiatic-Pacific Theater. My personal knowledge is of only two other. They were the 1058th, (served in The Philippines) and the 1062nd (served in Europe.)

Camp Gordon Johnston Florida was the base chosen for these units to receive both basic and technical training because it was the army's only amphibious training center. Camp G.J. had the ocean, the swamps, the river, the weather and the terrain to recreate just about any hostile environment in which amphibious troops might be called upon to occupy. Throw in millions of mosquitoes, uncounted numbers of snakes and sand sand sand everywhere (even in your bed and your shoes and your mouth.) and you pretty much have it. They were training us for the hardships of war after all so camp G.J. was just the place.

We didn't know it then but the 1061st was to serve in France at the ocean port of LeHavre and the Seine River port of Rouen. After the Germans surrendered in May 1945 signaling the end of the war in Europe, we were sent to The Philippine Island of Luzon where we worked on the ports of Manila and Cavite and on the Peninsula of Bataan. We also had some work details to go over to Corrigedor by boat for the day but I never was assigned that detail. Corrigedor is an Island at the entrance to Manila Bay

On Christmas day 1945 our work party on Corregidor was startled to see a group of Japanese soldiers come walking toward them with their hands up in surrender. They had been hiding in a cave and didn't realize that Japan had surrendered some four months before until they read one of our newspapers left the day before. When asked by our sergeant in charge why they were in such good physical shape, the reply, "We have been stealing food from you each time you come to the island to work."

One matter-of-fact entry made in the unit history log reads "12 October, 1945- Clearance of Malinta tunnel on Corregidor, removing dead bodies, bombs, shells, debris, etc.--12in. to 14in. projectiles removed from east

entrance. This entry alone pretty clearly defines some of the work an E.P.C.& R. group had to do. The bodies were dead but not the bombs, shells, and projectiles. The work was sometimes grisly and dangerous!

Another entry very personal to me reads "4 September 45 T/5 John D. Dame, 34877110, was assigned and joined from the 21st Evacuation Hospital." I had undergone an emergency appendectomy about two weeks before and was simply being rejoined to my outfit.

More About JOHN DAVID DAME:

Baptism: Church of Christ

Burial: Klein Memorial Cemetery, Tomball, Texas

Cause of Death: excessive bleeding

Degree: 1949, BS, Pharmacy, University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS

Medical Information: Melanoma, non-metastasized, 1977 Quadruple Coronary Bi-pass, 1986

Military service: United States Army, WWII

Occupation: Bet. 1952 - 1981, Eli Lilly and Company

Residence: Cypress, Texas

Children of RACHEL JONES and JOHN DAME are:

97. i. JEAN ELIZABETH¹¹ DAME, b. August 21, 1947, Oxford, Mississippi.
- ii. JOHN DAVID DAME, JR., b. September 01, 1950, Yazoo City, Mississippi; d. November 09, 2001, Austin, Texas.

More About JOHN DAVID DAME, JR.:

Burial: November 16, 2001, Klein Memorial Cemetery, Tomball, Texas

Cause of Death: Liver Failure

Occupation: Healthcare worker, Accounting

98. iii. BESSIE ALENE DAME, b. August 17, 1952, Schumpert Hospital, Shreveport, LA.

74. JOHN WILLIAM¹⁰ JONES (*MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 27, 1930 in Tillatoba, Mississippi, and died December 12, 1974 in Jackson, Mississippi. He married GERALDINE ADAMS ROBERTSON September 14, 1957. She died Deceased in Amory, Mississippi.

Notes for JOHN WILLIAM JONES:

Served in the Korean War. Was injured in a jeep accident and discharged. He served in the reserves for many years.

More About JOHN WILLIAM JONES:

Cause of Death: Cancer

Children of JOHN JONES and GERALDINE ROBERTSON are:

- i. ROBERT¹¹ JONES, b. 1962.
- ii. JERRY WAYNE, Stepchild.

75. EVERETT HAROLD¹⁰ JONES II (*MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born April 22, 1937 in Tillatoba, Mississippi. He married (1) MARTHA SUE MULLINS. He married (2) MARY LOU HARGROVE March 27, 1970.

More About EVERETT HAROLD JONES II:

Medical Information: Type II Diabetic

Child of EVERETT JONES and MARTHA MULLINS is:

- i. DAVID HAROLD¹¹ JONES, b. December 11, 1961.

Children of EVERETT JONES and MARY HARGROVE are:

- 99. ii. JENNIFER MARIE¹¹ JONES, b. December 12, 1971.
- 100. iii. ANGELA RENEE JONES, b. September 18, 1974.

76. JERRY CLANTON¹⁰ JONES (*MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 28, 1941 in Tillatoba, Mississippi. He married (1) DIANE HESTER. He married (2) MAGGIE DIANE STACY February 04, 1978.

Children of JERRY JONES and DIANE HESTER are:

- i. JERRY MICHAEL¹¹ JONES, b. June 27, 1963.
- 101. ii. SUZANNE CAMILLE JONES, b. December 03, 1969.

Children of JERRY JONES and MAGGIE STACY are:

- iii. CHRISTOPHER CALVERT¹¹ JONES, b. September 19, 1978.
- iv. ASHLEY DIANE JONES, b. August 21, 1984.

77. ROBERT EARL¹⁰ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1931. He married FLAVIA MAHER.

Children of ROBERT SWEARENGEN and FLAVIA MAHER are:

- 102. i. DEBRA JEAN¹¹ SWEARENGEN, b. 1954.
- ii. THERESEA SWEARENGEN, b. 1958.

78. GENORA¹⁰ SWEARENGEN (*THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1933. She married CHARLES ALVIN HOLLOWAY.

Children of GENORA SWEARENGEN and CHARLES HOLLOWAY are:

- 103. i. CHARLES ALVIN HOLLOWAY¹¹ JR., b. 1953.
- 104. ii. STEVEN FRANK HOLLOWAY, b. 1957.

79. THOMAS STEVENS¹⁰ SWEARENGEN II (*THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1936. He married BETTY RUTH MCCULLEY.

Children of THOMAS SWEARENGEN and BETTY MCCULLEY are:

- i. SHERRY LYNN¹¹ SWEARENGEN, b. 1957; m. LUDLOW.
- 105. ii. THOMAS STEVENS SWEARENGEN III, b. 1959.

80. EMILY JANE¹⁰ SHARP (*LULA JANE⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1938. She married JIMMIE EUGENE JOHNSON. He was born 1937.

Child of EMILY SHARP and JIMMIE JOHNSON is:

- i. JOSHUA EUGENE¹¹ JOHNSON, b. 1975.

81. PRENTISS¹⁰ SHARP (*LULA JANE⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1941. He married CAROLYN FAE LEE.

Children of PRENTISS SHARP and CAROLYN LEE are:

- 106. i. VICKI LYNN¹¹ SHARP, b. 1962.
- ii. STACY LEE SHARP, b. 1963.

82. MARILEE¹⁰ SHARP (*LULA JANE⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1947. She married (1) ANDY SHAW. She married (2) BILL DUNAWAY.

Child of MARILEE SHARP and ANDY SHAW is:

- i. KELLY¹¹ SHAW, b. 1966.

83. GRACE CAROLYN¹⁰ SYKES (*GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 14, 1939 in Columbus, Lowndes Co., MS. She married (1) JOHN SCHUYLER STOKES. She married (2) ROBERT F. BONOMI. He was born 1918.

Children of GRACE SYKES and JOHN STOKES are:

- i. DEBRA LYNN¹¹ STOKES, b. June 16, 1956, Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co., PA.
- ii. CHRISTOPHER SHAWN STOKES, b. February 26, 1959, Asmira, Ererea, Ethiopia; m. LINDA TUCK, November 19, 1989.
107. iii. KAREN ANNE STOKES, b. November 24, 1964, Huntsville, Madison Co., AL/Huntsville, Madison Co., AL.

84. MARTHA JEAN¹⁰ SYKES (*GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 01, 1942 in Columbus, Lowndes Co., MS. She married DONALD LYNN CATHEY September 27, 1962. He was born September 18, 1940 in Memphis, Shelby Co., TN.

Children of MARTHA SYKES and DONALD CATHEY are:

- i. DONALD LYNN CATHEY¹¹ JR., b. December 17, 1964, Memphis, Shelby Co., TN; m. ANGELA LOUISE MURPHY, March 09, 1996, Redwood City, CA; b. June 02, 1966, S. San Francisco, CA.
108. ii. MICHAEL GLENN CATHEY, b. August 27, 1968, Memphis, Shelby Co., TN.

85. EDWIN OLIVER¹⁰ SYKES II (*GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 10, 1947. He married SUSAN ELAINE DANIELS June 09, 1973. She was born 1950.

Children of EDWIN SYKES and SUSAN DANIELS are:

- i. JULIE ELAINE¹¹ SYKES, b. December 31, 1978.
- ii. JODIE LYNN SYKES, b. September 29, 1981.

86. WILLIAM DOUGLAS WATSON¹⁰ JR. (*MINNIE ANTOINETTE⁹ LOVEJOY, BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1942. He married PAULA DE SIMONE.

Children of WILLIAM JR. and PAULA DE SIMONE are:

- i. LUCIA ANN¹¹ WATSON, b. 1976.
- ii. ELIZABETH LOVEJOY WATSON, b. 1980.

87. JANE ELLEN¹⁰ WATSON (*MINNIE ANTOINETTE⁹ LOVEJOY, BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1947. She married GORDON TANNER.

Children of JANE WATSON and GORDON TANNER are:

- i. BROOKE ELIZABETH¹¹ TANNER, b. 1973.
- ii. LINDSEY FORD TANNER, b. 1976.
- iii. HAMPTON LOVEJOY TANNER, b. 1980.

88. SUE ELLEN¹⁰ LOVEJOY (*GEORGE SHANNON⁹, BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1944. She

married (1) DONALD CAMPION. She married (2) LAWRENCE L. HABERMEHL.

Children of SUE LOVEJOY and DONALD CAMPION are:

- i. SHANNON ELIZABETH LOVEJOY¹¹ CAMPION, b. 1976.
- ii. JOSEPH EGAN LOVEJOY CAMPION, b. 1978.

89. ANN MARILYN¹⁰ LOVEJOY (*GEORGE SHANNON⁹, BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1949. She married LOUIS AVON BROWNING JR.. He was born 1948.

Children of ANN LOVEJOY and LOUIS JR. are:

- i. LOUIS AVON¹¹ BROWNING III, b. 1974.
- ii. SHANNON MARIE BROWNING, b. 1976.
- iii. JOSEPH PRYOR BROWNING, b. 1981.

90. ALLEN LOVEJOY¹⁰ PORTER (*CAROLYN JOY⁹ LOVEJOY, BERNICE ELLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1957. He married RHONDA LYNN DAVIS. She was born 1956.

Children of ALLEN PORTER and RHONDA DAVIS are:

- i. JEFFREY ALLEN¹¹ PORTER, b. 1986.
- ii. MATTHEW GLENN PORTER, b. 1987.

91. PATRICE¹⁰ SWEARENGEN (*SAMUAL ALLEN SWEARENGEN⁹ JR., SAMUAL ALLEN⁸ SWEARENGEN, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) She married LAMAR O'BRIEN.

Children of PATRICE SWEARENGEN and LAMAR O'BRIEN are:

- i. BRADFORD L.¹¹ O'BRIEN.
- ii. KELLY M. O'BRIEN.

92. MARY ELIZABETH¹⁰ CRAIG (*JAMES WILLIAM⁹, ANNIE LAURA⁸, SARAH J.⁷ SWEARINGEN, THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 17, 1946. She married JAMES EARL KENNAMER August 26, 1967.

Children of MARY CRAIG and JAMES KENNAMER are:

- i. LEE FRANKLIN¹¹ KENNAMER, b. January 16, 1971.
- ii. LYNN ELIZABETH KENNAMER, b. June 18, 1974.

93. ANNIE LAURIE¹⁰ CRAIG (*JAMES WILLIAM⁹, ANNIE LAURA⁸, SARAH J.⁷ SWEARINGEN, THOMAS W.⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 20, 1947 in Jackson, MS/Jackson Co., MS. She married JOHN ROSS GWALTNEY. He was born October 31, 1947.

Child of ANNIE CRAIG and JOHN GWALTNEY is:

- i. MARY ELIZABETH¹¹ GWALTNEY, b. November 17, 1981, Flowood, MS.

94. KENNETH GENE¹⁰ LAWSON (*MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born in St. Louis, MO. He married NOVA LEE GRAHAM December 26, 1952.

Children of KENNETH LAWSON and NOVA GRAHAM are:

109. i. KENNETH GENE¹¹ LAWSON, b. October 31, 1953.
110. ii. SHERYL LEE LAWSON, b. March 14, 1957.
111. iii. JANICE FAY LAWSON, b. June 13, 1959.
112. iv. RHONDA LYNN LAWSON, b. November 12, 1964.

95. ROSE¹⁰ LAWSON (*LUTHER CURTIS⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) She married PHILLIP HOLLINGSWORTH.

Children of ROSE LAWSON and PHILLIP HOLLINGSWORTH are:

- i. BARBARA¹¹ HOLLINGSWORTH.
- ii. PHYLIS HOLLINGSWORTH.
- iii. JEFFRY HOLLINGSWORTH.

96. MARY LOUISE¹⁰ LAWSON (*LUTHER CURTIS⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) She married HAROLD EUGENE WILSON.

Children of MARY LAWSON and HAROLD WILSON are:

113. i. GERALD FRANCIS¹¹ WILSON.
114. ii. DARRELL WAYNE WILSON.

Generation No. 11

97. JEAN ELIZABETH¹¹ DAME (*RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 21, 1947 in Oxford, Mississippi. She married WILLIAM DONALD WINEBARGER 1970 in Houston Texas. He was born June 07, 1942 in Abington, Virginia.

More About JEAN ELIZABETH DAME:

Baptism: Memorial Church of Christ

Degree: Speech Pathology, MS, University of Houston

More About WILLIAM DONALD WINEBARGER:

Occupation: Real Estate

Children of JEAN DAME and WILLIAM WINEBARGER are:

115. i. TIMOTHY DONALD¹² WINEBARGER, b. October 05, 1972, Houston, Texas, Spring Branch Hospital.
116. ii. BRIAN PAUL WINEBARGER, b. May 20, 1976, Houston, Texas, Hermann Hospital.

98. BESSIE ALENE¹¹ DAME (*RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 17, 1952 in Schumpert Hospital, Shreveport, LA. She married THOMAS DRAKE WHITESIDES February 26, 1977 in St. Lukes Methodist Church, Houston Texas, son of MARION WHITESIDES and EVELYN DRAKE. He was born November 23, 1949 in Louisville, Ky.

More About BESSIE ALENE DAME:

Baptism: Church of Christ

Degree: May 20, 1997, North Harris Community College, ADN, Nursing

Children of BESSIE DAME and THOMAS WHITESIDES are:

- i. SEARGENT JAMES THOMAS¹² WHITESIDES, b. April 23, 1978, Hermann Hospital, Houston Texas.

Notes for SEARGENT JAMES THOMAS WHITESIDES:

The 115th Military Intelligence Group supports intelligence operations 24 hours a day, seven days a week in support of U.S. Pacific Command and its assigned forces. The 115th is the Army component of the Kunia Regional Security Operations (KRSOC) Center.

The Army Corps of Engineers began construction in 1942 of the Kunia facility for assembly of folding-wing aircraft. Completed in 1944, the Kunia facility was used for map production until after the end of World War II. The Navy later used the tunnel as an ammunition storage depot and later as the Pacific Fleet Operations Command Center before placing it in caretaker status in 1977.

The U.S. Army Intelligence and Security Command reactivated the facility in 1980. U.S. Army Field Station Kunia, a 436-soldier unit, became operational in October of 1980. Initially quartered on Fort Shafter, the unit grew rapidly, moving to Wheeler Air Force Base and then to its current location at A-Quad, Schofield Barracks in 1986. The 1st Operations Battalion with its three companies activated on 1 July 1983. "1st Ops" gained two additional companies and a Support Detachment on 1 July 1985. The Support Detachment became Support Battalion U.S Army Field Station Kunia on 1 August 1986.

Field Station Kunia was redesignated as the 703d Military Intelligence Brigade on 1 January 1988 with Support and 1st Operations redesignated as the 731st and 732d Military Intelligence Battalions, respectively. 733d Military Intelligence Battalion activated on 15 October 1993.

Consolidation of worldwide intelligence resources led to organization of the jointly-staffed Kunia RSOC in March 1993. As part of the consolidation, the 703d relinquished cryptologic host responsibilities for the tunnel operations to the Naval Security Group Activity-Kunia. This transition was initiated in March 1995 and completed by October 1996. Soldiers assigned to the 731st Military Intelligence Battalion who provided security, logistics, electronic maintenance, computer operations, and communications support for the Kunia RSOC were reassigned to other Army units. The 731st Military Intelligence Battalion colors were cased on 10 May 1996. The 733rd Military Intelligence Battalion colors were cased on 21 May 1998.

The 703d Military Intelligence Brigade has a proud history of intelligence production success, winning the National Security Agency's prestigious Travis Trophy in 1992 as the outstanding military cryptologic unit of the year. The brigade's colors fly streamers of two Army Superior Unit Awards.

On 16 June 2000 the 703d Military Intelligence Brigade was deactivated and the 115th Military Intelligence Group was activated at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, and assigned to the U.S. Army Intelligence and Security Command. The activation of the 115th marked the beginning of the new chapter in the life of the unit and the assignment of an important new mission.

More About SEARGENT JAMES THOMAS WHITESIDES:
Military service: June 2000, United States Army

- ii. JACOB DANIEL WHITESIDES, b. April 15, 1982, Spring Branch Memorial Hospital, Houston Texas.
- iii. JOSHUA DAVID WHITESIDES, b. April 15, 1986, Spring Branch Memorial Hospital, Houston Texas.

99. JENNIFER MARIE¹¹ JONES (*EVERETT HAROLD¹⁰, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born December 12, 1971. She married WILLIAM VINCE COOPER October 03, 1992. He was born March 08, 1971.

Child of JENNIFER JONES and WILLIAM COOPER is:

- i. WILLIAM BLAKE¹² COOPER, b. October 21, 1996.

100. ANGELA RENEE¹¹ JONES (*EVERETT HAROLD¹⁰, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born September 18, 1974. She married KEITH KENNEDY June 26, 1993. He was born February 28, 1973.

Child of ANGELA JONES and KEITH KENNEDY is:

- i. TIMOTHY AUSTIN¹² KENNEDY, b. December 05, 1994.

101. SUZANNE CAMILLE¹¹ JONES (*JERRY CLANTON¹⁰, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born December 03, 1969. She married GREGG SULLIVAN February 1990.

Child of SUZANNE JONES and GREGG SULLIVAN is:

- i. JOSHUA THOMAS¹² SULLIVAN, b. October 28, 1990.

102. DEBRA JEAN¹¹ SWEARENGEN (*ROBERT EARL¹⁰, THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1954. She married BUD PAYNE.

Children of DEBRA SWEARENGEN and BUD PAYNE are:

- i. JEFFREY¹² PAYNE, b. 1973.
- ii. ANDY PAYNE, b. 1974.

103. CHARLES ALVIN HOLLOWAY¹¹ JR. (*GENORA¹⁰ SWEARENGEN, THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1953. He married CHRIS HUGHES.

Child of CHARLES JR. and CHRIS HUGHES is:

- i. CHARLES THOMAS HOLLOWAY¹² JR., b. 1979.

104. STEVEN FRANK¹¹ HOLLOWAY (*GENORA¹⁰ SWEARENGEN, THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1957. He married DIXIE MARTIN.

Children of STEVEN HOLLOWAY and DIXIE MARTIN are:

- i. ASHLEY¹² HOLLOWAY, b. 1980.
- ii. RACHEL RENEE HOLLOWAY, b. 1987.

105. THOMAS STEVENS¹¹ SWEARENGEN III (*THOMAS STEVENS¹⁰, THOMAS STEVENS⁹, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1959. He married SHEILA CHURCHILL.

Child of THOMAS SWEARENGEN and SHEILA CHURCHILL is:

- i. JESSICA DAWN¹² SWEARENGEN, b. 1983.

106. VICKI LYNN¹¹ SHARP (*PRENTISS¹⁰, LULA JANE⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born 1962. She married JAMES MANNING THAYER III.

Child of VICKI SHARP and JAMES THAYER is:

- i. JAMES MANNING¹² THAYER IV, b. 1988.

107. KAREN ANNE¹¹ STOKES (*GRACE CAROLYN¹⁰ SYKES, GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 24, 1964 in Huntsville, Madison Co., Al/Huntsville, Madison Co., AL. She married RONALD PAGE.

Child of KAREN STOKES and RONALD PAGE is:

- i. HEATHER LYNN¹² PAGE, b. 1989.

108. MICHAEL GLENN¹¹ CATHEY (*MARTHA JEAN¹⁰ SYKES, GRACE ELLEN⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born August 27, 1968 in Memphis, Shelby Co., TN. He married NANCY LYNN JOHNSON May 26, 1994 in Memphis, TN. She was born March 24, 1962 in Memphis, TN.

Children of MICHAEL CATHEY and NANCY JOHNSON are:

- i. STEVEN ALLEN¹² MARTIN, b. March 18, 1982; Stepchild.
- ii. JOHN ANDREW MARTIN, b. January 24, 1984; Stepchild.
- iii. TIMOTHY BRANDON MARTIN, b. February 28, 1987; Stepchild.

109. KENNETH GENE¹¹ LAWSON (*KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 31, 1953. He married LORRAINE WOLFMAYER March 01, 1975.

Child of KENNETH LAWSON and LORRAINE WOLFMAYER is:

- i. GABRIEL ROBERT¹² LAWSON, b. May 19, 1976.

110. SHERYL LEE¹¹ LAWSON (*KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born March 14, 1957. She married (1) CRAWFORD. She married (2) RANDY TURNBOUGH.

Child of SHERYL LAWSON and CRAWFORD is:

- i. THOMAS AARON¹² CRAWFORD, b. October 19, 1975.

Children of SHERYL LAWSON and RANDY TURNBOUGH are:

- 117. ii. JUSTIN WAYNE¹² TURNBOUGH, b. January 26, 1975.
- 118. iii. RYAN PAUL TURNBOUGH, b. April 26, 1979.

111. JANICE FAY¹¹ LAWSON (*KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born June 13, 1959. She married (1) CLIFFORD SKIDMORE. She married (2) GRAYSON B. WOOLLARD. She married (3) DENNIS ELDER.

Child of JANICE LAWSON and CLIFFORD SKIDMORE is:

- i. FELISHIA SKIDMORE¹² WOLLARD, b. February 21, 1978; d. September 15, 1996.

112. RHONDA LYNN¹¹ LAWSON (*KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 12, 1964. She married ROBERT C. KENT II.

Children of RHONDA LAWSON and ROBERT KENT are:

- 119. i. BRADLEY ALAN¹² KENT, b. November 02, 1984.
- ii. JORDAN BLAIN KENT, b. December 10, 1987.

113. GERALD FRANCIS¹¹ WILSON (*MARY LOUISE¹⁰ LAWSON, LUTHER CURTIS⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) He married DONNA.

Children of GERALD WILSON and DONNA are:

- i. SHERRIE¹² WILSON.
- ii. TERRY WILSON.

114. DARRELL WAYNE¹¹ WILSON (*MARY LOUISE¹⁰ LAWSON, LUTHER CURTIS⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) He married JANET LEE TRENT.

Children of DARRELL WILSON and JANET TRENT are:

- i. JAMES MICHAEL¹² WILSON.
- ii. JOHN DAVID WILSON.
- iii. MICHAEL DAVID WILSON.

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115. TIMOTHY DONALD¹² WINEBARGER (*JEAN ELIZABETH¹¹ DAME, RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born October 05, 1972 in Houston, Texas, Spring Branch Hospital. He married MELLISSA STEWART in Tomball, Texas.

Children of TIMOTHY WINEBARGER and MELLISSA STEWART are:

- i. ADDISON¹³ WINEBARGER, b. February 09, 1999, Tyler, Texas/Tyler Co., TX.
- ii. EMMA GRACE WINEBARGER, b. December 06, 2000, Tyler, Texas/Tyler Co., TX.
- iii. ANDREW TIMOTHY WINEBARGER, b. September 28, 2004, Atlanta, Georgia.

116. BRIAN PAUL¹² WINEBARGER (*JEAN ELIZABETH¹¹ DAME, RACHEL ELIZABETH¹⁰ JONES, MARY ELIZABETH⁹ SWEARENGEN, JOHN ROBERT⁸, JOHN THOMAS⁷, THOMAS W.⁶, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born May 20, 1976 in Houston, Texas, Hermann Hospital.

Child of BRIAN PAUL WINEBARGER is:

- i. RIVER MADDOX¹³ WINEBARGER, b. December 28, 2004, Houston, Texas.

117. JUSTIN WAYNE¹² TURNBOUGH (*SHERYL LEE¹¹ LAWSON, KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born January 26, 1975. He married ANGELA HORN.

Children of JUSTIN TURNBOUGH and ANGELA HORN are:

- i. TREY ALDEN¹³ TURNBOUGH, b. February 06, 1994.
- ii. AUTUMN NICHOLE TURNBOUGH, b. July 16, 1997.

118. RYAN PAUL¹² TURNBOUGH (*SHERYL LEE¹¹ LAWSON, KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born April 26, 1979. He married AMY GARRIGUS.

Children of RYAN TURNBOUGH and AMY GARRIGUS are:

- i. SHI ANN¹³ TURNBOUGH, b. January 12, 1996.
- ii. BYRCE ANDREW TURNBOUGH, b. September 20, 1997.

119. BRADLEY ALAN¹² KENT (*RHONDA LYNN¹¹ LAWSON, KENNETH GENE¹⁰, MARVIN WILSON⁹, JOSEPH WILSON⁸, JOHN WILLIAM⁷, MARTHA ELIZABETH⁶ SWEARENGEN, JOHN S.⁵ SWEARINGEN, JOHN⁴, JOHN³, THOMAS² VAN SWEARINGEN, GERRETT¹ VANSWERINGEN*) was born November 02, 1984. He married NICHOLE LEE POUNDS.

Child of BRADLEY KENT and NICHOLE POUNDS is:

- i. KALEB¹³ KENT, b. February 28, 2005.

Endnotes

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2. Broderbund Family Archive #110, Vol. 2, Ed. 5, Social Security Death Index: U.S., Date of Import: Aug 9, 1998, Internal Ref. #1.112.5.90316.10