PREFACE

The following pages are a reprint of the July 1981 book "Our LATHEY Family" by Carmen Lathey Barron. The book outlines her research on the ancestors and descendants of George Wilman Lathey (1878-1945).

Carmen passed away on 2 Jun 1987 and the original book is now out of print. It is not the intent to update the book but to make it available to any family researcher that has a connection to the Lathey lines and related families.

Per Roger Barron, Carmen's son:

"Our LATHEY Family" is not copyrighted, so it can be reprinted, quoted, or used by others for research. As you know, this book was a labor of love straight from my mother's heart, and truth be told my father was a full time accomplice. People do not realize the time and effort he put into it, including the many hours driving to and from different courthouses, graveyards, and libraries.

The book should include all of her mistakes including spelling and punctuation. It should be presented as a collection of her research and findings concerning our family. ("Our LATHEY Family" is not a textbook.) It should be preserved for what it is. It is a work of love from my mother to all of us, and to all Latheys'. It belongs to all of us.

I originally bought a copy of this book back in the early 1980's because I am listed on page 99. I am a 1st cousin, 3 times removed of George Wilman Lathey. George's and my common ancestor is John Taylor Lathey, my Great Great Grandfather.

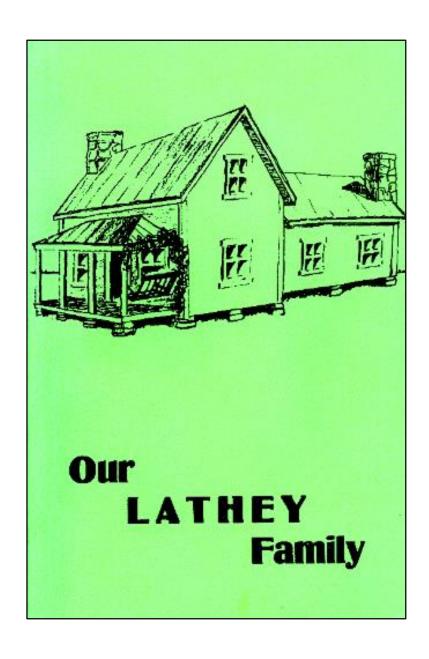
The following pages were first scanned and converted to an editable word processing format. The pages are set up approximately the same as is in the original book. The file was saved in a searchable PDF format to reduce the file size and to allow easy viewing by all. Automatic links were added to the Table of Contents to allow easy navigation to the book sections.

The pages are essentially like the book. Spelling and grammatical errors are included, and a typewriter font is used. The only family updates included are the ones sent out with the book on a separate paper updating 3 pages that Carmen found errors. I added an appendix with the typographical errors found so that the reader will know that the errors found are not errors of the digital conversion process.

However, in this conversion process, there may be some places that the scan-to-editable process did not convert correctly. I tried to find all these but there are no guarantees that I found them all. If you find something that does not look correct and is not part of the appendix, let me know and I can double check.

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The cover sketch by Ray Lyons was taken from a charcoal drawing of George W. and Cora (Casto) Lathey's home place near Rockcastle in Jackson County, West Virginia.

Rockcastle was named for a rock cliff, shaped somewhat like a castle, located in southwestern Ripley District near the Mason-Putnam line.

"He only deserves to be remembered by posterity who treasures up and preserves the history of his ancestors." - Edmund Burke

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INTRODUCTION

Most people have a basic curiosity about their origin. Ancestor hunting began for me as a leisurely pastime, and I have been nudged from one generation to the preceding one with an incessant zeal to determine the origin of our families.

We have to wonder what makes a person turn his eyes from his native country. I suppose the quest for excitement and adventure might be enough reason for some, but man's basic concern for his own personal welfare and economic stability with the hope of a better life for his family has been the goal for the most. No less a potent force is the person's appetite for religious freedom.

Please remember that no family history or genealogy has been written that has been free from error. I have used family legends, United States Census Records, existing County Court House Records, and background sources of history and emigration patterns of our known countries of origin. Remember also, a genealogy is never complete.

Court House Records and Census records at times are almost illegible, and at their best do not always agree with family records. Unless notified to the contrary, I have used Court House records for birth find death data. Marriage dates are mostly the date licenses were obtained, and may vary from the date the marriage actually occurred.

Where conflicting data was discovered, I attempted to use the most likely record my sincere apologies for any error or omissions. In many instances repeated efforts have been made to obtain information, but responses were not forthcoming. To all

who have helped in any way, I thank you!!

The name of each descendant of our family is preceded by a number which will be his identification number and will help distinguish him from all others who might have the same name. Raised letters following the name indicates the number of generations known to have resided in this country.

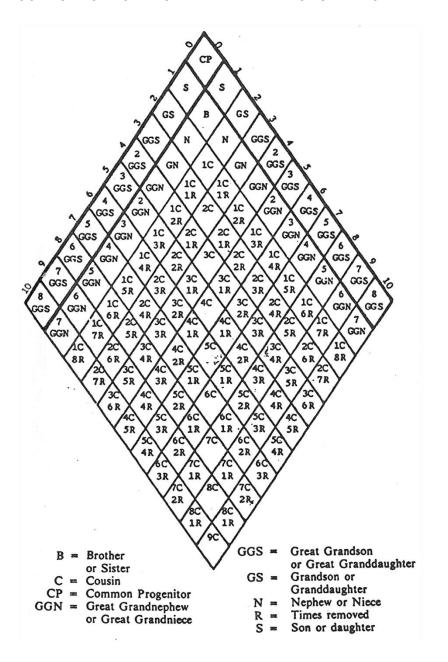
This is how to use this paper. Turn to the end of the family index and scan backward until you locate your own family. The index shows that this family will be found on a certain page. Turn to the page listed, and you will find the father of the above. Follow each generation in this manner and you will locate our common ancestor. The related families are indexed alphabetically.

It is my wish that information contained herein will stimulate others to dig their roots deeper. Please let me know if you have any questions, or would like information on the related families.

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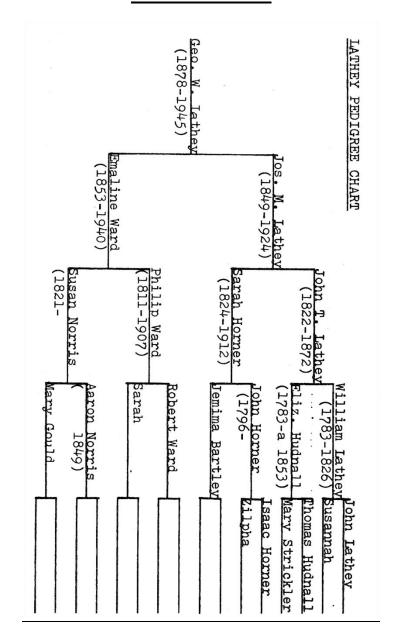
The Common or Canon Law method for figuring relationships is now in general use and gives an accurate description of "cousin relationships." The chart on the preceding page was prepared for the 7th Edition of "The How Book for Geneal-ogists."

You will see the two upper columns are outlined in heavy lines. These are the common progenitor (CP) and his descendants. All the diamonds inside these heavy lines show the relationship between his descendants. By following column "1" from both sides of the chart we see they cross on the "B" diamond, showing that the sons of the common progenitor are brothers. By following column "2" to the center we find they cross at the "1C" diamond which indicates that grandsons of the common progenitor are first cousins to each other. And so on down; his great grandsons are second cousins; his second great grandsons are third cousins, etc.

Now, consider the "cousinships" and "times removed." Say you want to figure your relationship to a distant cousin. You are the fourth generation from the common progenitor. Your cousin is the 3rd generation from the common progenitor. To figure your exact relationship, simple follow column "4" on one column and "3" on the other to where the diamonds cross and you will find "2C-1R" indicating you are second cousins once removed.

If you want to find the relationship to the son of your great grandfather follow column "1" and "3" which shows you are his grand nephew.

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FIRST GENERATION

1. JOHN LATHEY was the progenitor of our Lathey family in America. He left the shores of his native Ireland more than two hundred years ago to find a new home in the American Colonies. We know not the exact time of this event, nor do we know the exact place of his departure or arrival. It was most unusual in those days for a person to venture so far from his homeland alone, but such seems the case of this young man, as we find no reference to this family name in records prior to 1778 when John Lathey's name first appeared on the Fauquier County, Virginia Rent Rolls. If John Lathey came to the Colonies with other members of his family, they maybe settled elsewhere, or did not survive the hardships of the voyage. There were families by the name of Lathe and Laythe listed on the 1790 United States Census Records in some of the New England states, but no records have been found connecting them to our Lathey line.

Family legend from all sources claim the Lathey family were of Scotch-Irish or Irish origin, and many believe the name may have been McLatha or MacLatha in the Old Country. Legend also claims they were "Lace Curtin Irish," which describes Irish-American families who had made some progress on the social scale, as distinct from the "Shanty Irish" at the bottom of the ladder.

A Lathey clan in New York state claim descent from another John Lathey who was born before 1816 in Ulster, Ireland and emigrated to America during the 1800's. (I will give their lineage at the close of this section.) It would be my theory

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that our John Lathey¹ also came from the northern part of Ireland and that the families are connected, although there is a span of probably fifty or sixty years between emigrations.

The National Library in Dublin, Ireland has advised they have no records for Lathey or MacLathe, and the Chief Herald of Ireland has informed me they have no record of a Lathey family in Ireland. The family probably did not own property. However, I see no reason to dispute family legend, and this is being written on the assumption that our John Lathey was the first by this family name to arrive in America, and that he came from Ulster, Ireland during the latter half of the 18th Century.

Ulster was that part of Ireland now known as Northern Ireland. The people of Ireland now speak the English language, but both the original Gaelic tongue and English are urged to be taught in public schools. When you see the phrase "ERIN GO BRAUGH" used around St. Patrick's Day, this means "IRELAND FOREVER" in Gaelic.

Let's recall Ireland's history and the conditions in Ireland during the 18th Century. Perhaps we can find a clue as to why John Lathey turned his eyes from his native land to plant his roots on foreign soil.

The coastal regions of the island of Ireland was inhabinted before 6,000 BC by a race of hunters and fishermen who used weapons and tools of flint. According to anthropologists, they were tall, broadshouldered men with fair complexion and red hair, a characteristic clearly discernable today in various parts of Ireland. The first farmers reached Ireland

around 5,000 BC, bringing with them know-ledge of crop cultivation, animal husband-ry, pottery, spinning, and weaving. Metal workers reached Ireland some time around 2,000 BC, where they found rich deposits of copper and tin, the elements of bronze. They produced weapons, tools, and utensils which they used not only for domestic consumption, but also as the backbone of a rich export trade. These early Irish metal workers are best remembered for their gold ornaments of exquisite beauty now displayed in the Dublin National Museum. It is believed the Bronze Age Irish lived in comparative peace and prosperity.

The Celts, who originated in Southwest Germany, are believed to have first reached Ireland between 500-150 BC, bringing with them a life style destined to provide Ireland with its language, religion, and customs for many centuries.

St. Patrick is given credit for converting the Irish to Christianity during the 5th Century. Legend is that Patrick landed in County Down in 432 AD, and began a mission which took him the length and the breadth of Ireland preaching the Gospel and establishing churches.

Celtic Ireland was split into four provinces without an absolute ruler. There was a king for each of the provinces of Ireland, and out of these four kings a High King was chosen. Lack of unity among the provinces left her vulnerable to attack from without.

Ireland was the perfect target for the Norsemen because of its navigable inland lakes and disunited people. Sea raiders from Sweden, Denmark, and Norway established settlements on the east coast of Ireland in 795. The Vikings

first plundered Iona which had been the stepping-stone between Ireland and Scotland. They first raided along the Irish coast and colonized the small islands. From there they conducted raids against the headlands and coastal areas. The raids were followed by the establishment of permanent settlements which became Ireland's first cities. First was Dublin in 841 then Cork, Limerick, Wexford, Waterford and Wicklow. The Vikings, the most efficient shipbuilders in Europe, then sailed up the rivers in their swift high-prowed Ships and attacked deep into the heart of Ireland.

The Irish were powerless to resist the ceaseless onslaught because the rulers of the provinces were too busy squabbling amongst themselves to organize a united resistance.

By the beginning of the 9th Century, the Vikings were becoming more and more integrated into the Celtic way of life. They expanded their kingdoms, virtually unchallenged, and controlled all mid and south Ireland by the middle of the 10th Century. Although totally dominated by the Norsemen, this did not prevent the Irish kings from fighting amongst themselves for the title of High King.

In 1166, the King of Leinster was driven out of Ireland, and he appealed to the King of England for help. The English invaded Ireland and their connection lasted until 1920.

English rule over Ireland was nominal for some 400 years, but all Ireland was conquered under the reigns of the Tudor sovereigns of England from 1485 to 1603. The native landowners were deprived of their estates, and much of their land was

given to Englishmen. King James I of England decided to clear the whole of northern Ireland of its Irish inhabitants in 1609, and place settlers from Scotland and England in their place. The northern part of Ulster also became more and more Scottish during the 17th Century as streams of suffering Presbyterians came into that part of Ulster. These people became known as the Scotch-Irish, and this migration finally resulted in the separation of Ireland in 1920.

So, our ancestors who are apparently of Irish stock may have descended from the Celtic people of southern Germany or may have even been of ancient English descent.

The Irish people constantly demanded freedom from English rule during the 17th and 18th Centuries. The protestant settlements were the heaviest in northern Ulster, and these people opposed Irish independance because they knew that freedom for all Ireland would make them a minority group outnumbered by the large number of Roman Catholics in the southern part of Ireland.

The people outside of Northern Ireland became known as the Irish Free state in 1920, while Northern Ireland (Ulster) kept a separate government and remained a part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain. This separation has been a source of constant friction to this very day. Protestants in Northern Ireland want to remain in the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and the people of the Republic of Ireland and many Roman Catholics in Northern Ireland want the two countries united.

The religious and economic history of Ireland determined the Irish emigration into the American Colonies. Feeding the

roots of emigration from Ireland in the 18th Century was poverty and religious grievances. The manufacture of linen was originally believed to be Ireland's cure for its poverty. However, it brought about hardships on which the emigration trade was to thrive. The margin of security promised by an additional income from linen was nullified by increased rents. Non-linen workers had to compete for land with those who combined the linen manufacture with farming, and so the price of all rents rose in linen districts. Rents increased during the 18th Century in the north of Ireland at a pace which far outdistanced the growth of productivity and price obtained for farm produce. The linen manufacture became more firmly rooted in Northern Ireland, and that area produced more than 4/5 of the linen marketed in Ireland by 1770. This was mainly due to the settlement of the French Hugeunot weavers in that area.

Growth of the linen trade was a means of emigration for those who desired to go to America. Flaxseed used in the manufacture of linen came from America, and was by far the chief north Ireland import. As the flaxseed fleets from New York and Philadelphia anchored in the northern ports in the spring, there was ample room for emigrant passengers on the outgoing vessels as linen was substituted for flaxseed.

The arrival and departure of vessels carrying flaxseed and linen were advertised in Ireland's Newspapers (mostly in the Belfast News Letter). Very few passengers emigrated from the north Irish ports during the 18th Century other than those bound for the American Colonies. Some historians have concluded that the number of those who emigrated as servants

was equal to the number who paid their passage money. Others claim the 18th Century emigrants from the north of Ireland belonged to the paying passenger class carrying not only the implements of their trade, but capital as well.

Examination of the newspaper advertisements reveal that not all those who emigrated as servants were unskilled laborers or people of menial positions. From time to time advertisements asked for servants and redemptioners of specific trade. One ad appeared in 1768 for servants and redemptioners to go to Philadelphia having the following trades: carpenters, shoemakers, tailors, wheelwrights, millwrights, weavers, smiths, cabinet makers, plasterers, millers, coopers, barbers, turners, milliners, hatters, and tanners. Few emigrant vessels did not carry the man who had staked his passage money in the hope of winning a happier life, or the man to whom happiness was worth four years of servitude.

An imigrant coming into an American port as a free man was relatively small. The imigrant needed sufficient funds to transport him to the site of his intended settlement, to pay various fees to secure his grant, to purchase the necessary seed and implements to cultivate his land, and to subsist the first harvest. Because of these heavy expenses, many who were able to pay their own passage entered into service in America, thus gaining experience and the necessary additional funds while retaining their personal liberty.

Those who emigrated, but had' no means to pay, had two ways of securing passage. The method most commonly adopted was to sign an indenture agreeing to serve the master of a ship or his assigns for an

agreed period, usually four years. On landing in America, the indenture would be sold by the master to the highest bidder. Or, the emigrant could agree to pay the cost of passage within a short time after arrival, hoping to raise the necessary money from friends or by indenting himself on the best terms he could secure. If "the redemptioner" failed to raise the money within the specified time, the ship's master then sold his services to the highest bidder as in the case of an indendured servant.

Thousands were driven from the north of Ireland in the years before the American Revolution by excessive rents and breakdown of the linen trade. The decade before 1771 had been years of unprecedented prosperity in the linen trade, and the fruits of those few years of plenty enabled many to sail to the west in pursuit of a departed prosperity.

When leases expired in 1772-73, rents rose by at least 2/3 over what they had been twenty years before. Evidence given before the British House of Commons said that almost everyone of the 30,000 people who were said to have emigrated from Ireland in 1772-73 were linen workers. Reports to Parliament in 1774 from Belfast, Lisburn, and Newry pointed out that those who sailed were paying passengers in the middle class. This class saved what it could from the ruins, and invested part of the proceeds in the cost of passage to the land of hope.

We can hardly imagine the hardships endured by the emigrants during their journey to the Colonies during these times. Irish newspapers reported that the average voyage across the Atlantic between 1771-75 was seven weeks, four days. The shortest trip was

27 days and the longest 17 weeks, both from Londonderry to Philadelphia.

A speedy voyage was hoped for by all emigrants, and promised by all agents for the vessels. Conditions on the ship left much to be desired. Port holes for ventilation and light were non-existant until 1774-75 when advertisements boasted port holes for certain vessels. Shipowners felt under no obligation to provide for the safety of the passengers. Brutalities of the ship masters and misery from hunger, thirst, disease, and overcrowding reached its climax during the storms.

Hardly ever during this period did a vessel from Ireland land in Virginia. New York and Philadelphia seemed to be the desired ports of the imigrants. When they covered the lands in these areas were taken, they would work their way inward and in turn to the south by moving parallel to the Blue Ridge Mountains along the valleys into Virginia.

So, it appears our JOHN LATHEY arrived in America during the early 1770's. He probably entered the country as a free man since he was able to rent his own land as early as 1778. If, however, he came as an indentured servant, he would have had time by 1778 to work out his period of four years servitude, and able to rent his own farming land.

We do not know the birth date of John Lathey, but he must have been born about 1750 to have made the journey from Ireland and into Virginia by 1778. Nor, have we located the marriage record of John and Susannah Lathey. John may have married before his arrival in Virginia, or he may have been married in the neighboring county of Prince

William whose records were "burned-out during the Civil War.

Very few rent rolls prior to 1782 in Fauguier County are available, but we find John Lathey's name listed for 1778 and 1781. His name was listed on the Personal Property Tax Records for that county in 1782 when he was assessed for one poll (himself), one horse and four cattle. The 1796, 1798, and 1799 reports show John as the only tithable with no horses, etc. The 1797 list show John paying tax on himself and one Isaac Carter. He was listed for the years 1800, 1801, 1803, and 1804 as paying tithables on himself and his son, William Lathey, with no horses, etc. The early tax records are incomplete and some years John Lathey was not listed for one reason or another.

There is no record of John Lathey serving in the colonial malitia or the American Revolutionary War. However, the Public Service Claims of Fauquier County for October 6, 1780 states a certificate was given John Lathey for a bushel of rye furnished for use of the military. This may entitle him a place on the Patriot List for civil service during the Revolutionary War.

John Lathey's name is found twice in a published book giving abstracts of the Fauquier County wills, inventories, and accounts for 1759-1800. He is mentioned on John Hathaway's Administrators Account dated September 19, 1793, and his name appears on the receipt list on the account of Joseph Smith dated October 24, 1785, along with Joseph Hudnall.

The names of John and Susannah Lathey appear as witnesses to the marriage of

Isaac Carter and Lydia Newstead July 24, 1793 in Fauquier County. This couple may have been related in some way as they lived in the same household when taxes were paid for Isaac by John Lathey in 1797.

There is no further records available In Fauquier County after the 1806 taxes were assessed for that year. The assessments were made during the months between March and June and John was taxed for himself and one horse. He was not listed on the 1810 Virginia Census.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND SUSANNAH LATHEY

- 2. William Lathey marr. Elizabeth Hudnall
- 3. Betsey Lathey marr. John Sudduth

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GENEALOGY OF THE NEW YORK LATHEYS

JOHN LATHEY b. bef. 1816 Ulster, Ireland; marr. Elizabeth Taylor; settled Ontario County, New York.

- a. Isaac Lathey
- b. Howard Lathey

ISAAC LATHEY² (1837-1918) marr. Ellen Campbell; Ontario County, New York.

- a. Myron Alonzo Lathey
- b. Norman Lathey

MYRON ALONZO LATHEY³ (1865-1944) marr. Mary Hastings Knowlton.

- a. Clarence Campbell Lathey
- b. Knowlton Lathey

CLARENCE CAMPBELL LATHEY 4 (1902-); marr. Constance Lawrence. Now residing in Utica, New York.

- a. Clarence Lathey b. 1930; residing Albany, New York.
- b. Kent L. Lathey b. 1932; residing in Utica, New York.
- c. Robert K. Lathey b. 1933; residing Houston, Texas.
- d. Jonathan W. Lathey b. 1943; residing in Poughkeepsie, New York.

JONATHAN W. LATHEY⁵ marr. Carolyn Atkins

a. Anne Campbell Lathey b. 1975

NOTE: This information came to me by way of Clarence Lathey of Utica, New York from a clue given me by Eugene Lathey of Charleston, West Virginia. Clarence is a Civil Engineer in Utica, New York.

SECOND GENERATION

2. WILLIAM LATHEY2 was born in Fauquier County, Virginia to John and Susannah Lathey in late 1783 or early 1784. William was sixteen years old when the taxes were assessed in 1800 when his father began paying poll tax for him. The Episcopal Church was the Church of Virginia and taxes were assessed in the local parishes as early as 1662 when all male persons of age sixteen and up were considered tithable. This was true up until Virginia passed an Act in 1782 which specified "a tax of one shilling be paid on every free male person above the age of twenty-one years who shall be a citizen of the Commonwealth, also two shillings for each horse, mare, colt, mule, etc." Although it was the law not to tax a male person until he was twentyone years of age, some of the parishes continued the practice of taxing the sixteen year olds. Such was the case in Fauguier County when the assessments were made during the months from May until June.

William Lathey made application for a marriage bond on January 13, 1806 in Fauquier County to marry Elizabeth Hudnall. Elizabeth was the daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann (Strickler) Hudnall and was born circa 1783 in Fauquier County. A penalty of \$150.00 was required if the marriage did not take place within a certain period of time, and her father was the bondsman for the marriage bond.

William and Elizabeth immediately set up housekeeping and began to raise their family. They were listed on the Census of 1810 with one male child and one female child between the ages of 1-10 years.

They began their migration into Ohio sometime during the years 1815-16. The 1820 Athens County, Ohio Census records William Lathey with a family of five female children, four between 0-10 years and one between 10-16 years. The male child listed on the 1810 Census was not carried over to 1820, so we must assume he died before the Census was taken.

When the agent of the Ohio Company applied to Congress in 1787 for the purchase of land in Ohio, he followed the practice of the New England states and insisted that two townships of land be appropriated for the support of a university in order that all who might aspire to a higher education than that offered by the common schools should have the opportunity of acquiring same. Provisions were made for Townships 8 and 9 of the 14th Range of the Ohio River Survey as a perpetual endowment for a university. These embraced Alexander and Athens Townships of Athens County with each containing 36 square miles subdivided into "farm lots" of various sizes.

Two unsuccessful attempts to lease the land for maintenance of a university were made in 1802 and 1804. The leases were so unpopular that people did not wish to lease land when it could be purchased in some areas for \$1.00 per acre. The Ohio University was finally established February 18, 1804, and the legislature then authorized the trustees of the University to lease the land "for the term of ninety nine years, renewable forever, with a fixed annual rent of six percentum on the appraised valuation." These terms were satisfactory with the people and leases were readily made.

It was on these lands that William Lathey and his family settled. There is record of two parcels of land leased and/or owned by William Lathey in Alexander Township of said county. His original lease witnessed by Thomas Hudnall and William Thompson was for 152.23 acres of the Ohio University College Land located in Section 19, Lot #4. The lease was dated April 16, 1821 with an annual rent of \$11.42.

William leased the east half of this survey (76.11) to his brother-in-law, Thompson Hudnall, on November 8, 1822 at a yearly rent of \$9.71 to be paid the University. Thompson did not honor this lease, and the land went back to William Lathey. I have followed this lease thru 1883, and it was still listed as the lease of William Lathey and the rent was still \$11.42 yearly. The land had been divided and the rent was being paid as follows:

50.00 acres	E. Hamilton	\$5.71
30.00 acres	0. H. Woodyard	1.61
50.00 acres	M. J. Yancy	2.84
22.23 acres	Hugh Reeves	1.26

William Lathey died in May of 1826 in Athens County, Ohio. His will (B. 1, p. 80) reads as follows:

"In the name of God, Amen. I, William Lathey of Alexander Township, Athens County, Ohio, being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory, blessed be to Almighty God for the same, do make and publish this my last will and Testament, in manner and form following, that is to say. First, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Elizabeth Lathey, all my real and personal estate so long as she

remains my Widow, with this reserve only. I give and bequeath unto my only son, John Lathey, my rifle gun and a good horse out of my personal property to be delivered to him when he becomes twenty-one years of age. It is my furthur will that if my wife should during her lifetime marry another man, that all my estate, real and personal, be equally divided amongst my children, but if she does not marry, then an equal division at the time of her death. Elizabeth Lathey, my wife, I hereby appoint sole executrix of this my last will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this first day of April A.D. 1826."

S/ William (his mark) Lathey

The will was witnessed by Thomas Hudnall, Daniel Dudley, and Joseph (his mark) Hudnall. It was proved by the oaths of Joseph and Thomas Hudnall and admitted for probate June 1, 1826 when Elizabeth was appointed executrix.

The Auditor's Office in Athens County has record of Elizabeth (Betsey) Lathey paying taxes on one horse and two cows during 1827, 1830 and 1834. The horse was valued at \$40.00 and the cows \$16.00. In 1848 the heirs of William Lathey were assessed taxes on 102.23 acres of land valued at \$340.00 for a tax of \$4.88.7. Elizabeth was not able to pay the taxes for 1847 and 1848, and this property was sold at public auction by E. H. Moore, Auditor of Athens County 8 January 1848. The deed reads in part as follows:

"one hundred and two acres in the southwest part of Lot #4 in Section 17 for the sum of Four Dollars Eighty-eight cents and seven mills being the amount of the tax, penalty and interest charged and due for the year 1847 and tax of 1848, in the name of William Lathey heirs."

The property was paid for by Amos Thompson, but the deed was made to John Lathe and Richard Reeves, 2nd. Although the sale was made in 1849, it was not recorded until February 25, 1853 when a quit claim deed was made for "1/8 part of land whereon Elizabeth Lathey now resides to contain 100 acres more or less" to Richard Reeves, 2nd.

Elizabeth would have been seventy years of age when the above document was dated. She died between February, 1853 and the summer of 1860 as she was not listed on the 1860 Census. We do not know the burial sites of William or Elizabeth.

CHILDREN OF WM. AND ELIZABETH LATHEY

- 4. Janette Lathey marr. Anderson Hudnall
- 5. Male Child Lathey died in infancy
- 6. Susan Lathey marr. John D. Haley
- 7. Mary Lathey marr. Sidney Humphrey
- 8. Nancy Lathey marr. David Houghland 9. Elizabeth Lathey marr. James Bolin
- 10. Cynthia Lathey marr. Wm. C. Mitchell
- 11. John T. Lathey marr. Sarah Horner
- 12. Lydia Lathey marr. Samuel Davis
- 13. Male Child Lathey
- 14. Female Child Lathey
- 3. BETSEY LATHEY² was born to John and Susannah Lathey between 1785-1790 in Fauquier County, Virginia. Approval for her marriage to John Sudduth was given by her parents March 8, 1806 in Fauquier County.

William Allison was bondsman for the marriage bond. The document was also witnessed by George Comstock (?). Sometimes a marriage bond was witnessed by a grandparent. However, careful research has not revealed that either of the above were relatives of the family.

I have been unable to locate additional information on Betsey's family because of the variant spellings of the Sudduth (Suddoth, Suddarth, Suddith, etc.) surname. The name Suddoth appears in Meigs and Athens Counties in Ohio, but to this date, I find no connection.

THE HUDNALL FAMILY

The surname of HUDNALL had its origin in England. This information comes to me by way of a Mr. Richard Claude Hudnall of San Diego, California. He is now preparing a paper to be submitted to the library in Salt Lake City, Utah, and has sent me portions of same documenting descent from England. I have condensed his information considerably and added from my own research.

Let's go back in history to the Anglo-Saxon England, a nation created by the Germanic tribes of Angles, Saxons, and Jutes that settled in England during the 400's and 500's. The seven Anglo-Saxon kingdoms of Kent, Essex, Sussex, Wessex, Northumberland, East Anglia, and Mercia ruled England between 500-800 forming the so-called heptarchy, warring among themselves from about 600 to 825.

Raiders from Denmark began to attack England in the early 800's, and Wessex was the only kingdom that could resist the Vikings.

HUDA, a minister of the King of Wessex and Ealderman of Surrey, was killed in a battle fought on the Isle of Thanet in 853. Some 350 years later, record is found of a hamlet named after HUDA in the counties of Buckingham and Hertford.
HUDNALL was located in the hills called the Chilteras. In Lewis' "Typographical Dictionary of England of 1831," HUDNALL is given as being a hamlet in the Parish of Edlesborough, co. Buckingham, with a population of 91. Edlesborough was comprised of the chapelry of Dagnall and the hamlets of Hudnall and Northall. As of 1972, the hamlet seems to have completely

disappeared with only a few visible signs of Hudnall Park, Hudnall Cottage, etc. verifying that a village had once existed.

The custom of having two or more names was introduced in England by the Norman invaders (1066), and became common around 1200 when the Crusaders carried the custom of family names from Italy to the other countries of western Europe. Adopted first by the wealthy and noble people in England, the custom became the mark of a gentleman.

Later, the common people began to use family names, and the names have come to us in various ways. They have grown out of a person's characteristics, occupation, surroundings, etc.

A document translated from ancient Latin and dated 1200-0J lists the name of Roberto de Hudenhale. Translation of this would be Robert of Hudnall. Documents of England dated from about 1200 to 1500 show how the name evolved from Hudenhale, Hodenhale, Hudnale, Hudnoll.

It is apparent from the above that the HUDNALL family did not descend from HUDA, but that the family was named after the hamlet of HUDNALL.

The name of HUDNALL (or a similar version) began to appear in England in 1568 when a John Hudnoll paid tax in the co. of Hertford. The variant spellings discovered in my research of Hudnall, Hudnel, Hudnole, Hudlin, etc. indicates they are of the same family.

During the reign of Queen Elizabeth of England, a John Hudnole of North Berkhamsted, co. Hertford left a will dated 22nd April 1581 with Legatees of William, John,

Henry, Mary and Alice. The given names of these children have been used in the Hudnall families down through the many years.

Dick Hudnall's research indicates the Hudnall name was principally found at Berkhamsted, co. Hertford, which is only three miles from Hudnall. Marriages, baptisms, and wills of Hudnole, Hudnoll, Hudnell, and Hudnall are found in the records of St. Peter's parish in Berkhamsted, co. Hertford, from 1566 til 1800.

So, it is established that HUDNALL is an English name. But, what about the French connection?

James Hudnall of Imperial Beach, California claims "the name Hudnall means the neighbor on the other side of the hill, and the family came from a town in France near Germany. They left France because of religious persecution. The religious sect was the Hotentotz." This probably refers to the Hugeunot sect.

There is also reference made to the French origin in "Soldiers of the Revolution" (Vol. 2, p. 186) which states "Thomas Hudnall's family was driven from France in 1685." We certainly cannot contradict this as the information was given many years ago by a direct descendant of Thomas Hudnall.

It is probable that a branch of the family crossed the English Channel into France for one reason or another. The search for religious freedom was one of the reasons for moving from one country to another in those days. In reviewing the history of France, we find that 1685 was the year France lost half a million Hugeunot people because Louis XIV revoked

the Edit of Nantes which had granted tolerence and freedom of worship to the Hugeunot people.

The Hugeunot people were French protestants who held their first synod there in 1559. The new Hugeunot Church was accepted at first, but alternately experienced high favor and outrageous persecution. The Hugeunots were respected and highly accomplished workers realizing they must produce what they consumed. However, they began to leave France for other protestant countries with each recurring wave of persecution as early as 1598 - a movement that continued for over one hundred years. The Hugeunots imigrated into the American Colonies directly from France or indirectly from other Protestant countries of Europe.

France suffered a loss they could ill afford through the emigration of the intelligent and capable Hugeunots, while America reaped the rewards as the Hugeunot people gathered their experience and talents to help build a new nation. The Hugeunots supplied the colonies with excellent physicians and a large number of artisans and craftsmen; for instance, Irrene DuPont who had learned how to make gunpowder in France, and Apollos Revoire, the father of Paul Revere, who created unforgettable articles of silver and copper.

It is said the HUDNALL coat of arms itself is English, but with three fleurs de lis which is an emblem closely associated with the Kingdom of France.

We do not know exactly when the first Hudnall entered the American Colonies. It is evident that some of the family left their homeland before 1655. Records in Northumberland County, Virginia reveal that a John Hudnall of Isle of Wight County purchased 500 acres of land on November 20, 1655 from Thomas Saffall of New England. He had a brother named Henry. And left a minor male child (John born 1645) in the guardianship of William Downing. Young John registered his cattle brand X and X= at Northumberland County Court House January 20, 1666-67.

So, the early Hudnalls were landowners and lived in Northumberland County, Virginia. Many still live in the area. In fact, the land still remains in the Hudnall family with a two century-old house named WICOMICO VIEW still occupied by Hudnall descendants. Wicomico View acquired its name from its location in full view of the Great Wicomico River.

In 1727, a John Hudnall of Northumberland County obtained over 400 acres of land from the original proprietors in Pr. William County, Virginia. A few years later, some of the Northumberland Hudnall families held land in Fauquier County. And others appeared on the Rent Rolls in Prince 'William and Fauquier Counties.

The Hudnalls were a literate and religious family, serving on the Vestries of the Episcopal Church in their respective parishes. Until 1786, the Episcopal Church was the Church of Virginia. The parish was an administrative unit of the English Church supported by parochial taxation and governed by the local Vestry under laws enacted by the Assembly. The persons who were tithable (taxable) consisted of all male persons, sixteen years and up.

It was required that all births, marriages and deaths be recorded on the parish register of the assigned parishes. However, this was not always done. Many of the parish registers have been destroyed, thus making research impossible in many of the Virginia counties.

It is said the first Hamilton Parish register of Prince William County (where I am sure the Hudnall family attended) was placed in the County Clerk's office for safekeeping after being taken from the hands of the careless ministers. This register was "torn up, page by page, by the clerks and others for the purpose of lighting cigars and pipes."

Realizing it is dangerous to speculate on pedigrees, I will do so only to stimulate research. I have evidence to support my theory, but not enough to substantiate absolute lineage to the Hudnall family prior to that of Thomas Hudnall, the father of Elizabeth Hudnall who married William Lathey in 1806. Until further evidence is uncovered, I will not attempt to connect the family of Thomas Hudnall to the Northumberland line or to the English or French lines. The many Hudnalls by the given name of John Thomas, William, Richard and Joseph cannot be sorted into individual families at the present time. It seems each member of each generation held to the practice of using the same given names.

Now, let's become acquainted with my generation's 4th great grandfather Hudnall.

THOMAS HUDNALL, one of our Revolutionary fathers, was born in Fauquier County, Virginia during 1760. His early childhood days were spent in the newly formed county of Fauquier, which had been organized in 1759 from Prince William County. The new county was named for Francis Fauquier, the son of a Hugeunot doctor and Lt. Governor of Virginia. Thomas Jefferson describes Fauquier as the ablest man that ever held the office. Fauquier County is now claimed to be one of the wealthiest of all Virginia counties.

Thomas Hudnall enlisted in the Continental Army for service in the Revolutionary War at Fauquier County Court House in October of 1778 when just eighteen years of age. He served his country against the common enemy of England as a private soldier in the Company commanded by Capt. Elias Edmond in Colonel Thomas Marshall's Regiment for about a year, principally in Garrisons at Little York, Virginia at which time he was discharged by a written discharge for reason of sickness.

Sometime in the year 1779 or 1780, he enlisted at Richmond, Virginia for the duration of the War. He served faithfully in the Company commanded by Capt. Ambrose Bohannan in Colonel Charles Harrison's Regiment of Artillery, and was engaged in three major battles of the war. He was in the Battle at Camden, South Carolina (Aug. 16, 1780) commanded by General Horatio Gates and General Johann de Kalb against Britian's General George Cornwallis. Gates took command in North Carolina in July of 1780 to lead the attempt to contain the British in the South. His army numbered 4,000, including almost 2,000 Continentals from Washington. When he began a slow march against the British supply base at Camden. On the morning of August 16, Britian's Cornwallis with a force of only two thousand surprised the Americans just north of the town. After a series of incredible blunders by Gates, almost half

of the American army was killed or captured, while many of the survivors simply disappeared. Congress then relieved Gates and appointed Nathaniel Greene to command this effort, just as George Washington had suggested in the beginning. Realizing he was not strong enough to attack Cornwallis' main force, Greene quickly tried to rebuild the army that has been shattered at Camden.

Thomas was engaged in the desperate battle at Guilford Courthouse, North Carolina on March 15, 1781 when Greene with 4,000 men and reinforcements from Virginia clashed with Cornwallis. The Americans outnumbered the British almost two to one and almost won the battle until Cornwallis turned his artillary on both British and American troops engaged in hand-to-hand fighting. Greene withdrew and Cornwallis claimed a victory, although it cost him over 500 casualties, almost 25 per cent of his force of around 2,000.

He served in the Seige of Ninety-Six in South Carolina (May 22-June 19, 1781) again commanded by General Nathaniel Greene against Britian's Lt. Commander John Grugen. Although all three of the battles were considered victories by the British, by fall Greene had regained control of the area with the lone exception of Charleston, South Carolina. Cornwallis' army surrendered to George Washington at Yorktown October 19, 1781.

Thomas was discharged by Col. Wood at Winchester, Virginia in August of 1783, shortly before the United States and Great Britian signed the final peace treaty in Paris on September 3, 1783. His discharge was lodged by him in the Auditor's Office at Richmond where he obtained his

wages and Land Warrant. He was awarded 100acres of land located in Sharon Town-ship, Franklin County, Ohio. Thomas did. not claim this acreage, but assigned it to Eppa Hubbard October 29, 1784.

We can be proud of this ancestor who was devoted to the cause of gaining independence from the mother country of England.

We shall now consider him as husband and father. Thomas Hudnall married Mary Ann Strickler before his discharge from the service, or immediately thereafter. No record of their marriage has been found.

The couple took up residence in Fauquier County and resided there for over thirty years. Thomas Hudnall was listed on the Personal Property Tax Lists for that county from 1785 through 1816. At that time, it is believed he began his migration across Virginia to settle in Alexander Township of Athens County, Ohio. It may be they lived in Kanawha County for a while as two of their daughters were married there, and it appears many of the Hudnalls from Fauquier settled in Kanwha County.

Thomas was a family man witnessing to many important documents for his children. H1S love for the children is also evidenced in his will when he left his estate in trust for his daughter, Judah, appointing a guardian for her so as not to burden the other children.

Thomas was entitled to a pension for his service in the Revolutionary War, and he made application for same November 4 1820. The application reads as follows:

"I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen on the 18th day of March

1818, and that I have not since that time by gifts, sale, or in any manner, disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an Act of Congress entitled 'an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval services of the United states in the Revolutionary War' passed 18th March 1818, and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me, any property or securities, contracts or debts due to me, nor have I any income other than that is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

SCHEDULE

1 Cow and Calf 1 sm. Water Oak Can 1 Sow and 4 Pigs 2 Split Bottom Chairs 1 qt. Glass bottle 4 Shoats 1 Bed and Bedding 1 sm. Looking glass 1 4 Gal. Metal Pot 1 Shovel, plough gears 1 Small oven slide 2 Iron wedges 2 Pro Pot Hooks 1 Hand Saw 1 Churn 1 Drawing Knife 1 Water Bucket 2 Clippers 2 Gimlets 1 Tub 6 pewter plates 1 Hammer 4 Spoons 1 Small Trunk 3 Bowls (earthen 3 Tubs 6 knives and forks 1 half bushel measure 1 Teapot (earthen) 3 Keggs 1 Coffee Pot 1 Small cooler 6 cups and saucers 1 Blind Bridle 1 pint cup 1 small log chain 8 Iron Ladles 1 Iron fire shovel 1 small Grind Stone 3 Axes 2 Hoes A share in half a loom 2 Hoes A share in half a loom

Most of the wooden articles contained in the above was of my own manufacture and the principle part of the others are old and much worn and of little value.

My occupation is that of a laboring farmer. My age with decay of my bodily powers makes me incapable to perform much labor. My family consists of my wife of 56 years of age, infirm and incapable to discharge the domestic concerns of my house, and one daughter Judah of the age of thirty years whose misfortune has been never to be endowed with vision, and is therefore unable to perform much labor or to provide for herself in any manner, but is wholly dependent on me for the same. My other children are all of age and provide for themselves."

Sworn and subscribed in open Court.

S/ Thomas Hudnall

The Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Athens County certified to the above and estimated that total value of the property exhibited in the schedule (bed and bedding excepted) to be \$35.00. Thomas was awarded pension.

Following is Thomas Hudnall's will as found in Estate File #98 in Athens County Court House:

"Be it understood that I Thomas Hudnall of Alexander Township, Athens County, Ohio considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound and perfect mind and memory, blessed be Almighty God for the name, do make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following (that is to say). First, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary An Hudnall all of my estate real and personal goods and chattals, accepting as hereafter accepted. I do give and bequeath

unto my eldest daughter Elizabeth Lathey my large Bible and five dollars. I do also give and bequeath unto my son Joseph Hudnall and my son William Hudnall and my daughter Susan Spangler twenty-five cents each. I do also give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary An Bolin five dollars. do also give and bequeath unto my daughter, Drusilla Hensey (Kersey/Carsey) five dollars. I do also give and bequeath unto my son Thompson Hudnall one bed and bedding. Be it further remembered that all I have given my beloved wife more than she shall need in her life time is given in trust for my daughter Juda Hudnall who is noncomparmentis.

My beloved wife Mary An Hudnall I hereby appoint executrix of this my last will and testament with such other assistance as she shall choose. In witness thereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty-seventh day of September AD 1838."

S/ Thomas Hudnall

The will was witnessed by Edward Dudley and Daniel Dudley.

Mary Ann Hudnall expired sometime during the winter of 1841-42 as the following codicil was added to the will February 21, 1842.

"Whereas in my written will I gave unto my beloved wife Mary An Hudnall all my estate goods and chattals (except the legacies therein mentioned) in trust for my daughter Juda Hudnall who is noncomparmentis, and whereas my said wife has since deceased, now be it known that I give and bequeath unto Edward Dudley all that I gave to my said wife in trust for my daughter, Judy Hudnall, and also appoint him executor to my written will and guardian to my

daughter Juda Hudnall, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and date above mentioned."

S/ Thomas Hudnall

Attest: Robert D. Mitchell William C. Mitchell

The estate of Thomas Hudnall was appraised by Robert D. Mitchell, Daniel Dudley and Franklin Burnham at \$62.09. Following is a bill of the property sold by Adam Burtnett, administrator of Thomas Hudnall, deceased, at public vendue October 25, 1843.

William Hudnall	2 hoes	.25
Martin Lee	2 hoes	.18
Do	2 axes	.56
Do	1 Drawing Knife and Hammer	.31
Do	1 Chisel & Auger	.06
Robert Bolen	1 Hand Saw	.15
Martin Lee	1 Iron Wedge	.45
Saml. Camp	1 Bell	.27
Elizabeth Lathey	1 Shovel	.15
Martin Lee	1 Shovel	.15
John Haning	1 smoothing iron	.26
Martin Lee	5#	1.65
William Hudnall	1 Lot of	1.16
Benj. Bolen	1 Lot of Bacon	.76
Martin Lee	1 Lot Do	.84
William Hudnall	1 Lot Do	.45
A. Burtnet	1 Lot Do	.41
William Hudnall	1 Lot Do	.27
Isaac Stanley	1 stew kettle/lid	1.06
James Bolen	1 Big Pot	.75
Isaac Williams	1 Sugar kettle	2.00
Do	1 Walnut chest	.32
R.D. Mitchell	1 spider & lid	.35
Wm. Hudnall	1 spider & lid	.32

David Deedless	1	1 00			1 [1.
Danl. Dudley	1 cupboard	1.00	Elizabeth Lathey		.15 ¹ / ₄
Joseph Michael	1 wash tub	.17	Thornton Lee	10 bu. old corn	3.30
Wm. Hudnall	4 chares	.80	Benjm. Bolen	10 bu. old corn	3.30
A. Bartnett	1 chare	.06	Jno. Barnes	pot rack, hook	.19
John Haning	2 pair shears	.39		and chain	• = 3
Enos Mitchel	candle molds	.30	A. Burtnett	Bed & bedding	8.00
	1 Set cups and			1 1 /	
Eliz. Lathey	saucers	.08	Wm. Hudnall	1 straw bed w/	1.00
John Brooks		.12½	T M II-lalaaad	bedding	1 00
	five plates 1 dish	.12-2	J. M. Hibbard	4 hogs @ .49	1.96
Joseph Carsey Wm. Hudnall	3 bolls	.11	Sylvanus	3 hogs @ 1.55	4.65
Lewis Mitchel	1 Coffee Pot	.07	Westfall	4 1	0 40
Alfred Lee	1 Tin pan	.14	Isaac Stanley	4 shoats @ .60	2.40
Saml. Camp	1 Coffee mill	.42	William Hudnall	1 shovel plow	.51
James Bolen	Knives and forks	.38	Thomas Lee	1 silver watch	8.18
Enos Mitchell	1 Tin horn	.06½	J. M. Hibbard	5 sheep @ .54	0 70
David Steward	2 milk crocks	.10	- 1 D 1	1 bell	2.70
John Brooks	1 Tin bucket	.03	Joel Bolen	1 meal sieve	.37
Alfred Lee	1 bucket	.31	J. M. Hibbard	1 roan mare	11.00
A. Bartnett	1 bucket	.08	Isaac Stanley	1 cow and calf	10.40
R. D. Mitchell	1 jug	.19	Benjm. Bolen	white face cow	6.00
Do	1 pitcher	.064	J. W. Blackwood	1 calf	1.50
A. Bartnett	Salt cellar, pep-	.12½	Do	1 yearling heifer	
71. Darencee	per box, tea can	• 12 2	Henry Hamilton	1 sm. stack oats 1 stack oats	1.51 1.41
Joseph Carsey	1 little wheel	1.55	Isaac Haning		.37
Joel Bolen	1 large wheel	1.26	Alfred Lee	1 bunch oats	
Isaac Stanley	2 pr. pot bails	.25	-	1 stack fodder	
Joseph Carsey	1 cut reel	.51	Paul Wood	2 stacks fodder	1.87
David Stewart	1 saddle	.44	James, Bolen	1 field fodder 10 b. corn @ .25	.96
Saml. Camp	Single tree,	.27	Henry Hamilton Isaac Haning	10 b. corn @ .21	
	clevis, & lapring		Timothy Welch	15 b. corn @ .25	
David Stewart	1 set horse gears	.51	-	10 b. corn @ .25	2.50
Wm. Hudnall	1 half bushel	.27	James Bolen		
Joseph Michaels	1 barrel	.27	Paul Wood	10 b. corn @ .25	2.50
Do	5 barrels	.37	Saml. Logan	25 b. corn @ .25	5.70
Paul Wood	1 barrel	.25	Alfred Lee	15 b. corn @ .20	3.70
Joseph Michaels	1 pork barrel	.41	Joseph Carsey	10 b. corn @ .20	2.00
Wm. Hudnall	2 barrels	.14	Henry Hamilton	11 b. corn @ .19	2.09
Maryann Bolen	1 table	.51	R. D. Mitchell	1 lot sw. corn	2.00
R. D. Mitchell	1 candle stick	.13	Wm. Hudnall	2 fire dogs	.004
	and snuffer		William Bolen	1 meal bag	.16
	32			2.2	
	52			33	

A Burnett	10 doz. Yarn	needles and
A Bulliett	cotton	2.00
William Hudnall	2 books	.23
John HNING	1 BOOK	.121/2
Drusilla Carsey	3 geese	.25
		\$158.17½

Edward Dudley, Clerk, verified that this bill of sale was correct.

Thomas Hudnall's burial site is located in the Bolen Cemetery in Athens County, Ohio (Section I3, Range 14, Township 8), and marked with a Revolutionary Soldier marker. It is said he walked out his cabin door a short time before his death, measured off his grave and placed a stick in the ground not more than twenty feet from his cabin door. A short time afterwards his son found him dead in his cabin where he lived alone. His wife is probably buried on the same property.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND MARY ANN HUDNALL

- 1. Elizabeth Hudnall (1783-185?) marr. Wm. Lathey.
- 2. Joseph Hudnall marr. Nellie Taylor in Fauquier County; moved to Athens County; No further information.
- 3. William Hudnall (1798-1863) marr. Elizabeth Dulin Fauquier Co.; settled in Athens Co., Ohio. ISSUE,
 - a. Nathan (1822-1893 marr. Nancy Foster; d.Merrick Co., Nebraska.
 - b. Edward (1826-1874) marr. Sarah Ann Carsey; d. Athens County. ISSUE: Emily, Washington, John, Thomas, Josephine, William, Charles Edward*, Gibson, Thornton, Liberty, Hannah, Elizabeth, Isaac, Alice.

*Charles Edward Hudnall (1860-1956) marr. Louella DeMoss in Merrick Co., Nebraska. ISSUE:

- (a) Hattie Hudnall b. 1887
- (b) Roy Sumner Hudnall (189-1931)
- c. William Hudnall (1829-1907) marr. Susannah Cramer; d. Merrick Co., Nebraska. ISSUE: Ethel, Elizabeth, Mary, Harvey, William, Albert, Horace, Averall, Daniel.
- d. Joseph Hudnall (1835-1919) marr. Lucy Dixon; d. Athens County, O.

NOTE: The information on the descendants of William Hudnall (1798-1863) was sent to me by Mrs. Mark (Patricia) Hudnall of Waverly, Nebraska.

- 4. Drusilla Hudnall marr. (1) William Gibson in Kanawha Co., Va. July 25, 1818 (2) Joseph Carsey July 9, 1837 in Athens County. No other information.
- 5. Susannah Hudnall marr. John Spangler in Kanawha Co., Va. February 17, 1818. No further information.
- 6. Mary Ann Hudnall (1790-1875) marr. Samuel Bolin 1809 Fauquier Co., Va. died Athens County, Ohio. KNOWN ISSUE:
 - a. Matilda Bolin b. 1830
 - b. Thomas Bolin b. 1833
- 7. Judah Hudnall (1792-1864) Blind and unable to care for self; lived with Mary Ann and Samuel Bolin after father's death. Final account of her estate is dated July 23, 1864 (File 236) in Athens County, Ohio Court House.
- 8. Thompson Hudnall b. 1801; marr. Salvina or Sabrina; settled in Kanawha County, Va. ISSUE:

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- a. Martha Hudnall b. 1830
- b. John Hudnall b. 1831
- c. Mily Hudnall b. 1833
- d. Morris Hudnall b. 1834
- e. Male Child Hudnall b. 1840

Some claim Thomas Hudnall was the only son born into a family of girls belonging to Joseph Hudnall. The story is that Joseph Hudnall was born in 1740 in Prince William (now Fauquier) County, Virginia. He lived to be ninety-five years of age and is reportedly buried under a sycamore tree near the spot his son, Thomas, rests. It is told a riding whip was stuck at the head of Joseph's grave during the burial of his son.

There were at least four Joseph Hudnalls residing in Fauquier County during the years 1760-1800. Discrepancies arise in determining which Joseph was the father of our Thomas, thus there is a question about the mother of Thomas.

There is record of a Joseph Hudnall marrying Mary Taylor, daughter of Benjamin, on November 30, 1759 in Fauquier County. This certainly coincides with the birth date of our Thomas Hudnall. However, Revolutionary War records show this Joseph died in 1779.

One source gives two references to the marriage of Joseph Hudnall. The above marriage is given, also mentioned is the marriage of a Joseph Hudnall from Fauquier County to Sarah Taylor, daughter of Benjamin. However, in checking the family of Benjamin Taylor, there is mention of a daughter Mary and no Sarah in some sources, while others mention a daughter Sarah and no Mary. It would simplify matters if we could determine

Mary and Sarah were sisters and both daughters of Benjamin Taylor. Then we could account for the given name of Taylor being used in both our Hudnall and Lathey lines.

It is believed the following marriages from the Fauquier County, Virginia marriage records are the daughters of, Joseph Hudnall and sisters of our Thomas Hudnall. The signature of Joseph Hudnall, the father, appear to be the same. And the signature of Thomas Hudnall, bondsman for one of the marriages, matches the signature of our Thomas on other documents.

- 1. Elizabeth Hudnall marr. John Proctor December 21, 1786. John's name appears on a document verifying service of our Thomas in the War. Family setled in Kanawha County, Virginia as early as 1796.
- 2. Nancy Hudnall marr. John Day August 23, 1790.
- 3. Molly Hudnall marr. Richard Williams December 27, 1790.

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THE STRICTER FAMILY

The ancestry of Mary Ann Strickler (1763-1841/42) takes us back to the Palatinate countries of the Old German Empire and into 'the German settlements in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia.

The Palatinates were two countries located in the southern part of Germany; later known as Bavaria. The so-called Palatines left their homes by the thousands in the early 18th Century, swarming down the Rhine Rever to Rotterdam to await passage to England on their way to the American Colonies.

The passenger lists of the transportation of these German people into the port of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania have been preserved .and are most complete. It is here we find the import of the Strickler families

Henry Strickler (Henrich Strickeller) was among the first to arrive in 1727, and others by the, names of 'Johannes, Elias, Ulrich, and Abraham with their families came by 1754.

Germans had been imigrating to Pennsylvania since 1683 and settling first around Philadelphia. As the number of imigrants increased by the turn of the century, they began to filter onto the fertile soil of eastern Pennsylvania. Land speculators 'then began exploring for new land in the valley to the southwest" of the Blue Ridge mountains along the Shenandoah River.

Jacob "Stover (Stauber) was among the promotors instrumental in bringing many Germans into the Valley. He was issued his first land grants in June of 1734,

but not before he had already sold 4,000 acres to Mennonite families who had settled the Massanutten colony in 1727. The Massanutten colony, located between the Blue Ridge and the Massanutten range, was the first German settlement in the Shenandoah Valley for which there is documentation, and it comprised much of today's Page County.

Inhabitants of the Massanutten colony were mostly church people from Southern Germany; Lutherans and Reformed and partly Mennonites from Switzerland and the Palatinates. It was among these Germans in the Shenandoah Valley that the United Brethren Church in Christ had its beginning as the sole German denomination of American origin. This denomination organized by Philip Otterbein became the Evangelical United Brethren, and is now known as The United Methodist Church.

Up until this time, the migration of settlers east of the mountains was touched only by a German settlement in the northwestern section of Loudoun County as evidenced by land grants which refer to Dutchman's Creek. Some sixty families had crossed over from Maryland and took up residence from the Potomac on south in the Piedmont area.

The commonly applied term "Dutchmen" included both Hollanders and Germans. By and large the Germans did not seem to mind being called "Dutch," a term bearing close resemblance to their own word "deutsch." The informal term "Dutch" more and more supplanted the formal designation "German." Both have been interchangeable for a long time.

No sooner was it known in the Williams-

burg area that northerners were promoting settlements behind the mountains than the planters of eastern Virginia were alerted to the opportunities beckoning in the west. Included among the Virginians who tried to get in on the land grab were the Germans of the piedmont area. The sons of several Piedmont families settled in the Shenandoah Valley in subsequent years. Among them was Abraham Strickler of the Massanutten area who sold considerably to Germans coming into Virginia.

Following the coming of many additional families to the Massanutten tract, the migration to New Virginia assumed the proportion of a tide. Germans and Scotch-Irish where are now Lancaster, Berks, Chester, Philadelphia and Montgomery Counties in Pennsylvania sold their farmland, packed their belongings and drove stock and wagons south via Pack Horse Ford just above Harpers Ferry. Land prices were low in this area despite the fact Shenandoah land reached settlers only after original grantee and possibly a middle man.

Some had gone ahead and seen the land, but most just heard about it and followed One Morovian leader said of this movement into the Shenandoah Valley: "The migration of men are like movement of a flock of sheep. Where one goes, the flock follows without knowing why." However, some who ventured into the Valley knew precisely what they expected of the new country. They had heard the lands in the Colony of Virginia were rich and good, and they were "inclined to bear the burdens of danger a hardships in hopes to provide not only for themselves, but to prevent, as much as possible, the slavery of their posterity." The majority had previous experience in clearing virgin land in New York and Pennsylvania.

There was little choice for the new-comers but to engage in farming. The Germans were attracted to the limestone soil in western Virginia where the principal crops were rye, barley wheat oat, and hemp which had been produced in abundance on their fertile soil in the Palatinates in Germany.

The first permanent homes were one or two room log houses, preferable near a stream. The Germans made their dwellings weather-tight by using clay and wood chinking as a filler for the space between the squared-off logs joined at the corners by fitting a gable-cut log and under board-angled notches. The native 11mestone which was to provide material for many a stately home in the German settlement found its first use as building material for chimneys. Many of the two-room cabins had center chimneys, no doubt as substitute for the iron stoves to which the South German farmers were accustomed in Europe.

One of the first specialized trades developed in the Valley was milling. Numerous flour and grist mills were built on water courses. Many of the Germans had once learned a trade, and as neighborhoods developed, part-time work evolved for blacksmiths, wagonmaker, cabinet-maker, weaver, and shoemaker. Not all Germans in Eastern Virginia were imigrants. Some were contracted to perform highly skilled tasks Papermaker Conrad Sheets (Schutz) was hired by the Williamsburg printer William Parks, in 1742 to construct the first paper mill in Virginia. Sheets left Virginia after completion of the Mill and was a paper manufacturer in Philadelphia from 1748 until 1769.

Liquor was freely used in the German settlements and stills were to be found on all larger farms. It was not shocking in those days that the inventory of- the estate of Mennonite preacher ABRAHAM STRICKLER of Massanutten listed "two stills and proper implements" plus "60 gallons of liquor." Most of the imigrant generation could tolerably read and write. Abraham Strickler's earthly possessions in 1746 included "8 small Dutch books, a large Dutch Bible and some old books."

The Germans of the Shenandoah Valley were public minded citizens. When George Washington was elected into his. first elected office in Frederick, County July 24, 1758, forty-nine of his three hundred votes were cast by German freeholders, among them Jacob Strickler" Jacob Stover, and John Baumgartner.

It was difficult for members of the religious sects to support their own ministers and also contribute to the keeping of the English parish priests as required by the State. Also, they were affected by a decision of local officials to enforce fines for evading malitia service because of their religious dissent. The Virginia Malitia was first organized in 1611 and was made up of all white males between the ages of sixteen and sixty. In November of 1769 Jacob Strickler petitioned the Assembly to be exempted from such penalties because "they are forbidden by the Dictate of Conscience to bear Arms. "Strickler renewed his appeal in March of 1772, and it was judged "Reasonable" and a clause was included in the malitia bill for exempting the dissenting Protestants called Monists from performing military duty.

Although many were exempt from military

duties because of conscientious objections, the Germans provided many services throughout the Revolutionary War. They provided medical services to the troops, contributed a considerable share of supplies and services, and most came through voluntary contributions. During the years 1780-81 the Massanutten settlement provided 20,000 pounds of beef for the troops. John Shank, the blacksmith, made horseshoes for the mounted troops. Sebastian Strickler furnished the products of his distillery because the soldiers, too, needed a drink.

I have been unable to zero in on the parents of Mary Ann (Strickler) Hudnall. There is one entry in "Fauquier Wills, Administrations, and Inventories" relating to Strickler (no given name) April 25, 1774. Other Virginia entries of Census Records for 1790 list only Stricklers in Shenandoah County.

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THIRD GENERATION

4. JANETTE LATHEY, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey born circa 1808 in Fauquier County, Virginia; marr. Anderson Hudnall December 1, 1827 Athens County, Ohio; settled in Kanawha County, (W) Virginia.

Anderson was the son of William and Roseanna (Cockrell) Hudnall who were married in Fauquier County, Virginia February 14, 1793, and eventually settled in Kanawha County.

CHILDREN OF ANDERSON AND JANETTE HUDNALL

- 15. Elizabeth Hudnall
- 16. William Hudnall
- 17. John Hudnall
- 18. Martha F. Hudnall marr. Wm. Moles
- 19. Roseanna Hudnall
- 20. Shadrick Hudnall
- 21. Joseph Hudnall
- 22. Cynthia Hudnall
- 23. Nancy Hudnall

MALE CHILD LATHEY born in Fauquier County, Virginia to William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey before 1810; d. before 1820.

6. SUSAN LATHEY born about 1813 in Fauquier County, Virginia to William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey; marr. John D. Haley July 1, 1837 Athens County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF JOHN D. AND SUSAN HALEY

- 24. Mariah Haley
- 25. Elizabeth Haley
- 26. John Haley
- 27. William Haley
- 28. Thomas Haley
- 29. Margaret Haley

7. MARY LATHEY was born May 15, 1815 in Fauquier County, Virginia to William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey; married Sidney Humphrey November 15, 1839 Athens County, Ohio. Sidney was the son of Wm. and Anne (Bellows) Humphrey. Sidney's Grandparents arrived in Philadelphia on June 1, 1786 from southwest England near Wales.

Sidney and Mary purchased real estate in Meigs County from William Humphrey in 1846. Sidney died there October 10, 1878 and Mary died September 1, 1884 of diabetes at the age of 69 years.

CHILDREN OF SIDNEY AND MARY HUMPHREY

- 30. Sarah Humphrey
- 31. Ann Humphrey
- 32. George Humphrey
- 33. Asher Humphrey
- 34. Evaline Humphrey
- 8. NANCY TABITHA LATHEY of William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey marr. in Athens County, Ohio December 26, 1842 to David Houghland. No further information.
- 9. ELIZABETH LATHEY was born in Athens County, Ohio around 1820 to William and E-lizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey; married James Bolen June 1, 1842 in Athens County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND ELIZABETH BOLEN

- 35. Emily Bolen
- 36. Samuel Bolen
- 37..Charles Bolen
- 10. CYNTHIA LATHEY of William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey was born in Athens County, Ohio ca. 1821; marr. July 9, 1843 William C. Mitchell Meigs County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND CYNTHIA MITCHELL

- 38. Sarah Mitchell
- 39. Mary M. Mitchell
- 40. Pulaskie Mitchell
- 41. William Mitchell
- 42. Robert Mitchell
- 43. George Mitchell
- 44. Elizabeth Mitchell

11. JOHN TAYLOR LATHEY3 was born May 27 1822 in Alexander Township, Athens County, Ohio to William and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey.

He was raised in the area where he was born to a big man standing 6'1½" tall with light complexion, blue eyes and black hair. He was married in Meigs County, Ohio April 21, 1842 to Sarah Horner. Sarah was born July 27, 1824 in Tyler County, (W) Virginia to John and Jemima (Bartley) Horner.

John and Sarah set up housekeeping in Athens County near other members of John's family. The 1850 Census Records list his occupation as a farmer, and the 1860 Census shows his wealth comparative to that of his neighbors with real estate valued at \$1,000 and personal property worth \$250

Then Civil War began and John Lathey volunteered for service shortly after President Abraham Lincoln issued a call for Union Troops, leaving his wife and nine children to suffer civilian hardships greater than in any other American war. Sometimes called the War of the Rebellion or the War Between the States, the men who wore the gray uniforms of the Confederacy and the blue uniforms of the Union fought and died for what they thought was right. John volunteered in Company E of the 75th Regiment of the Ohio Infantry Novem-

ber 9, 1861. The 75th Regiment moved considerably, but nothing of importance occurred in the history of the 75th until the Battle of Chancellorsville May 1-5, 1863. The Union Army of the Potomac outnumbered the Confederate Army two to one, but Lee's army still held the Rappahannock line. General Joseph Hooker devised an excellent plan more daring than any Union commander had ever shown before, and if his plan had been executed agressively, it would have almost certainly quaranteed the destruction of Lee's Army of Northern Virginia. Hooker was perfectly confident of his success and the plan seemed about to succeed, when he hesitated and moved his troops to a defensive position at Chancellorsville. Lee was aware of Hooker's action and boldly moved to attack sending Andrew Jackson, his ablest general, to attack Hooker's right while he attacked the front. This attack on May 2, 1863 cut the Union army in half, and Hooker retreated four days later. It was in this battle that Andrew Jackson was fatally wounded, and our John T. Lathey taken prisoner by the Confederate Army and held until October of 1863.

After the fall of Savannah, the 75th was sent to Jacksonville, Florida where John was mustered-out with his company on January 15, 1865.

John Lathey returned home to his wife and family never again able to do a full days work. He removed his family to Meigs County (Scipio Township), Ohio where he purchased forty acres of land from Josiah Bice on September 25, 1865, and 95 acres

from Edward Samuels of Boston on December 26, 1867 for \$1,050.00. The 1870 Census valued his real estate at \$2,000. with personal property valued at \$600.00. Sixty acres of the above real estate was sold to Jeremiah Reeves September 26, 1870.

John T. Lathey died in Meigs County, Ohio May 9, 1872. His wife applied for her widow's pension for John's service during the Civil War on March 22, 1879. Her application was contested and her pension file holds some 140 pages of documents and depositions concerning the case. The following depositions tell the story of John Lathey as given to Special Examiner Amos L. Allen from the government Pension Office.

Sarah Lathey's inquisition was dated October 16, 1884 and reads as follows:

- Q. State your name, age, occupation, and residence.
- A. My name is Sarah Lathey, age 60 years; my occupation housekeeping; and residence and post office address is Harrisonville, Meigs County, Ohio.
- Q. Were you the wife of and now the widow of John T. Lathey late a Private in Company E 75th Ohio Volunteers.
- A. Yes sir.
- Q. State when and where your late husband, John T. Lathey died, the disease of which he died and the length of his last sickness.
- A. He died May 9, 1872 near Downington in Scipio Township, Meigs County, Ohio of a disease which the doctor called an aneurism, a disease contracted by him as he claimed in the U. S. service.

- The lump or tumor which he had on his side broke and he lived but a few days, not more than two or three days.
- Q. What was Mr. Lathey's employment for five years before his enlistment in the service?
- A. He was a shoemaker and had a farm and worked at both, and did some carpenter work.
- Q. Did he have any sickness of any kind prior to enlistment.
- A. I don't remember that he had and I remember of only two sick spells while I lived with him before enlistment.
- Q. What was Mr. Lathey's physical condition when he came home from the army after discharge?
- A. He was poorly when he came home and had quite a sick spell with the ague and wasn't able to do anything for a long time. He complained of his side from the first when he got home and talked a good deal about it and told us what the doctor said about it in Florida. He was in a hospital in Florida just before he got home, but I can't tell the place, but I think the doctor's name was Weed, who had charge of it.
- Q. What did this Dr. Weed tell him?
- A. He said he told him that he was liable to die at any time, and he better get discharged and go home.
- Q. Did you see and feel of his side where his trouble was when he first came home?
- A. I can't say as I remember a certain time. He complained of it and no

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- doubt I have felt his side a great many times.
- Q. What was the circumstances under which he claimed that he got the injury in his side?
- A. He called it building corduroy roads at Brooks Station (Centreville) or near there in Virginia. He was lugging a log and felt a kind of stinging sensation in his side.
- Q. Did he ever say he was treated for it in the service by a surgeon or in a hospital?
- A. Yes sir, but he said they all said they couldn't do anything for it only he must be careful.
- Q. Can you name any surgeon that he said treated him or the name of the Hospital he was in?
- A. He was in the hospital first after he got hurt at Georgetown, D. C. (Presbyterian Church USA General Hospital) but don't know that he was treated for his side. He was in a Hospital in Folly Island, South Carolina but don't know what for, and one in Florida just before his discharge. I only remember the name of Weed as surgeon that had charge of hospital in Florida.
- Q. What employment did Mr. Lathey follow after his return from the army?
- A. He worked a little on the farm and at some other kinds of work. Didn't do any shoemaking, but worked a little at carpentering. He would do a few days work and others he would do hardly anything.
- Q. Give the names and date of birth of

- your children by said John T. Lathey under sixteen years of age at the date of his death?
- A. Sarah Angeline Lathey was born March 26, 1857, Electa Jane Lathey was born April 14, 1860, Elva Alfetta Lathey born May 8, 1867, and Charles Clark Lathey born December 25, 1869.
- Q. State the women who were present at their births.
- A. Martha A. Reeves was working for me when Sarah was born and she is the only person living who was present then, and Lydia Davis was present at the birth of Electa Jane. Nancy R. Riggs and Susannah E. Graham were present when Elva was born.

S/ Sarah (her mark) Lathey Witnessed by Lennie Lathey and Louisa Norris.

A deposition dated August 28, 1886 was given by J. Alexander Westfall, son-in-law of John T. Lathey, and reads as follows:

My name is J. A. Westfall. My age is 44 years. My residence and post office address is Burlingham, Meigs County, Ohio. I was born in the County of Athens, principally raised in Meigs. I was well acquainted with John T. Lathey who was a private in the 75th Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry: and have known him ever since I can remember.

He got home a little before I did from the Army. We were intimate friends before I married his daughter. At the time I returned from the Army, John T. Lathey was complaining of his side and said he was unable to work at times. He was not able to work more than half of his time. My residence was within three hundred yards of his house from the time I got home until he died.

Two days before he died in the afternoon, I went past his place and asked him to go with me for company to a place I was going to do a job of work. While going to the place we went past a spring of water, and he lay down to drink. When he arose from the spring he complained of his side hurting more than common. He went to the place where I was to do the work and shortly after returned home. When I got through my work I went back past his house. When I arrived at his place I saw one of his daughters, a child 8 or 9 yrs. old, outside the house crying bitterly. I asked her what was the matter. She said her father was dying. I went into the house and asked Mr. Lathev what was the matter. He said his side was killing him. I went for Doctor Clark about midnight.

I heard the Doctor remark after the death of Mr. Lathey that the tumor had bursted in his side. I do not remember just the time of night. I was with him all the time but had lain down just a short time before he died, and cannot tell the precise time of his death. I have always called it about 48 hours from the time he was first taken bad until his death.

I helped to dress him and put him in the coffin. His side was black on the place where I have seen him lay his hand.

Very soon after he was laid out and dressed, the body became so. offensive that we were compelled to burn tar and other stuff, and we were compelled to bury him before the time set for the funeral.

From the time I got home from the Army, I have heard him complain of anything else but of his side. He never had any other ailment than that I know of.

The attending physician for John Lathey at the time of his death was Dr. J. O. Clark, and his deposition dated August 24, 1886 reads as follows:

- Q. Were you acquainted with John T. Lathey?
- A. I became personally acquainted with the family by reason of being called as a physician to some of the family. I commenced doing business as the physician for the family sometime in 1867 or 1868. John T. Lathey was at time suffering from what was considered an aneurism in the right iliac region. He had been treated for this disability by Doctors Weed and Airhart.
- Q. Where was the tumor located?
- A. I should say between the lower ribs and the crest of the ilium of the right side.
- Q. When did you first examine the tumor?
- A. Sometime in 1867 or 1868 I examined

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this tumor or as he called it a lump on his side. I found it to be a pulsating tumor or aneurism. I mean to say that it was a genuine aneurism. According to the history of the case as given by John T. Lathey, it had continued ever since he was working at making corduroy roads in West Virginia sometime in 1862 while in the service of the United States. From the first time I examined the aneurism I found its pulsations to be perfectly' regular, simultaneous with the action of the heart and the pulsations in other parts of his body.

- Q. What was the appearance of your patient at the time he was in his last sickness?
- A. When I arrived at his house he was apparently sinking from exhaustion and was in an unconcious condition. I examined the aneurism and found that it had disappeared entirely and I called the attention to some of the people present of this fact that the "lump" in his side had disappeared. And i think if you examine some of the persons who were present at that time, I am quite sure you will find someone or more who will remember the circumstance. The house was full of people and I cannot tell who all were there.

Sarah Lathey was finnally awarded a pension from the government of \$8.00 and \$2.00 for each child until the child reached sixteen years of age retroactive to May, 1872.

Sometime during the summer before John T. Lathey died, he entered into a verbal agreement for the sale of twenty acres of his property in Scipio Township to his sons John T., Jr. and Joseph M. Lathey for \$400.

The boys paid their father \$200.00 during his lifetime, and paid the administrator of the estate the remaining \$200.00 after his death. It was not until June of 1876 that provisions were made by a petition signed by the heirs of John T. Lathey that "authorized the administrator of the estate to make, execute and deliver on behalf of the heirs a deed to Joseph and John T., Jr. for said property."

John T. Lathey³ died intestate May 9, 1872 as recorded at the Meigs County Court House (Vol. I, pp. 58-59). J. W. Benson was appointed administrator of the estate July 17, 1873 with the appraisors Grafton French, Abram Alkire, and Nicholas Staveart appointed the same day. Estate File #1551 of the above county gives the inventory of his estate as follows:

1 Stove set up and kept in use by family

1 Family Bible kept for family

3 School Books kept for use by family

1 Stand 1 Desk 1 Bureau 1 Clock

6 Chairs 1 Side Saddle

1 Table and Tableware

3 Beds and Bedding

1 Cow	\$20.00
2 Hogs	5.00
1 Cane Mill	10.00
25 Bu. Wheat	25.00
1 Acker corn	30.00
	\$80.00

The estate was settled in August, 1875 and the final account presented by the administrator included debits totalling \$1,075.40 which included the sale of 20 acres of land to Leonard S. Townsend at public auction for \$765.00, notes due him,

etc. Expenses paid out of the estate included payment of various store bills, real estate taxes, court costs, and a distributive share to each of his heirs. Each of his children received a share with Sarah receiving the shares for the minor children.

One item of particular interest was a payment of \$21.30 to G. G. Webster for John's tombstone. It is said he was buried in the Downington (now Wells) Cemetery in Meigs County, Ohio, but we have been unable to locate the stone. The stone has probably deteriorated by this time.

Grandma Lathey was the name by which Sarah (Horner) Lathey was known in her later years. She was honored on her birthday a few years before her death, and a picture was taken of those attending the celebration. Attending were Pearl Lathey, Frank Lathey, Ed Romine, Mrs. Westfall, Sarah and Riley Lathey, Etta Romine, Nora, Charles and George Lathey, Rev. Wilson, Happy Wells, Sadie Petit, Mrs. Epley, and Mildred Young and daughters.

Sarah died January 10, 1912 in Meigs County, Ohio suffering from rheumatism complicated with bronical pneumonia.

In his application for reimbursement from the government for the last sickness and burial of his mother, Samuel Lathey states his mother "was nursed by her children who make no charge for same." The attending physician was H. C. Day and \$50.00 was paid to Biggs and Rappold of Pomeroy, Ohio for her coffin and burial.

Following is a copy of Sarah's obituary as written by her daughter, Elva Alfetta.

GRANDMA LATHEY'S OBITUARY

Sarah Horner was born in Tyler County, Virginia July 27, 1824, departed this life January 10, 1912, aged 87 years, 5 months, and 14 days.

With her parents she came to Ohio in 1834. At the age of 16 she was converted and united with the M. E. Church. She was united in marriage to John Lathey April 21, 1842. To this union were born 12 children, seven of whom are still living, five preceding her to a better land.

In 1872 Mrs. Lathey with her husband and children united with the Christian Church where she remained a tried and true Christain. Her husband departed this life May 9, 1872, leaving Grandma to care for her children and to fight the battle of life herself.

Grandma, as she is familiarly known, was a resident of Harrisonville for about 25 years. She was a great sufferer for about two months, but all the time had the patience of a true Christian and was never to have known to murmer or complain. A short time before she passed away she told her daughter that her life had been all ups and downs. Sometimes the burden would seem too heavy to bear and she would think she would give up. Then she would say "Oh no, that would not do," but now she says "I am so glad to know that all is well and I will soon go to reap my reward for being faithful."

Grandma was a dear good mother, a kind neighbor and a loving friend to all. She was loved by all who knew her, and although she was so old, it was hard to part with her, but she said her prayers had been answered and now she was ready

to go . . . all the time, except a very few days during her illness, she was in her right mind and all went well with her.

Mrs. Lathey was the mother of 12 children, five girls and seven boys, one boy dying in infancy. She had 44 grandchildren, 63 great grandchildren, and six great-great grandchildren. She has two boys living in Harrisonville, two in Virginia, one daughter in Marietta, one in Athens, and one at Sumner.

We feel that loving hands did all that could be done, but all to no avail. She selected her own text, her minister, and songs. Oh! how sad to say goodbye to a dear good mother, but we know she is safe in the arms of a loving Savior. So many times she has been heard to express her desire to exchange worlds and be with loved ones over there. Her remains were laid to rest in the Downington Cemetery by the side of her husband. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wilson.

CHILDREN OF JOHN T. AND SARAH LATHEY

- 45. Alexander Lathey marr. Margaretta Hovey
- 46. Elizabeth Lathey marr. Jeremiah Reeves
- 47. John T. Lathey, Jr. marr. Naoma Wilson
- 48. Joseph M. Lathey marr. Emaline Ward
- 49. Samuel G. Lathey marr. Malinda Norris
- 50. Asbury N. Lathey marr. Belle Cook
- 51. Mary C. Lathey marr. Andrew Nelson
- 52. Sarah A. Lathey marr. Alexander Westfall

- 53. Electa J. Lathey marr. Alexander Burleigh
- 54. Elva A. Lathey marr. (1) Oziah
 Romine (2) Beal, (3) Charles
 Brooks
- 55. Charles C. Lathey marr. Lenora Angel
- 56. Male Child Lathey
- 12. LYDIA LATHEY of William and E-lizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey was born ca. 1825 in Athens County, Ohio; married Samuel Davis May 27, 1843 in Athens County, Ohio. Lived in Athens County for several years and then in Scipio Township, Meigs County, Ohio. Samuel died October 9, 1882 and Lydia died January 15, 1899 at the age of 74 from paralysis.

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND LYDIA DAVIS

- 57. William M. (or H.) Davis
- 58. Caroline Davis
- 59. Alonzo Davis
- 60. Aaron Davis
- 61. Sarah C. Davis
- 13. MALE CHILD LATHEY born to Wm. and Elizabeth (Hudnall) Lathey was born shortly after William Lathey's death in 1826-27. He was carried over to the 1840 Census as being between 10-15 years, but there is no further record. He could have died before 1850, or he may have married and removed himself to another state.
- 14. FEMALE CHILD LATHEY also listed between 0-5 on the 1830 Census. No further record.

NOTE: There may have been other children born to the sisters of John Lathey.

THE HORNER FAMILY

"Isaac Horner was a bound boy in Scotland and stole away on a ship to America." That is the family legend of the Tyler/Wetzel County Horner decendants from across the United States. This may very well be true, as several of the New Jersey Horner families have been documented, and Isaac does not fit into any of these families.

The most authentic claim is that Isaac Horner descends from an Isaac Horner born April 17, 1678 in Tadcaster, England to John and Mary (Pearcy) Horner. This Isaac came to America in 1684, and married (1) Elizabeth Sykes and (2) Eleanor Bowen (or Brown). The second union brought forth Isaac Horner, Jr considered to be the father of our Isaac Horner. Isaac Horner, Jr. was married in 1757 to Mary Potts. And all information from the following document and the New Jersey Library claim Isaac Horner, the grandfather of Sarah (Horner) Lathey, was born in 1755.

The first clue as to the origin of the Horners in Tyler County was found in the Revolutionary War records filed under Isaac Horner from New Jersey. A letter of application for his widow's pension was contained therein and it reads as follows:

"On this 13th day of August, 1849, before me, James Wise, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Monongahela, Virginia, personally appeared on oath that she makes the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the provisions of the Acts of Congress passed June 17, 1832 on her

husband's account up to his death, February 4, 1849, aged 94, and Act of February 2, 1848 granting pension to widows of persons who served during the Revolutionary War, that she is the widow of Isaac Horner who served as drummer and blacksmith for the State of New Jersey; that he resided near New Market, New Jersey, that the said Isaac Horner served as a malitiaman under Capt. Phillip Snooks, a term of eighteen months at two different times, that he was in several skirmishes and at the Battles of Monmouth and Princeton, that she has no documentary evidence to substantiate her claim or any other evidence than her own knowledge and traditions together with what her husband has told her and others that knew him in the service, that she was married to the said Isaac Horner at Penny town (probably Pennington), N. J. in April, 1786, that she has had eleven (11) children, 9 now living, viz. Nathan, Charles, JOHN, Jacob, Eunice, Isaac, Jr., Zilpha, William, and Joseph, eldest aged 62 the voungest 40 (born between 1786/7-1809), that she lived with her husband about $63\frac{1}{2}$ yrs., that she resides near the line of Mononhalhela and Wetzel and that she is not able to attend court on account of the distance of 30 miles to (New) Martinsville, that it is more convenient for her to have the business done in Monongahela County, that she is carried in a chair 1/4 mile over the line to meet the Justice, that she desires her name to be entered on the pension rolls, that she has resided where she now resides about 39 years, and near the waters of Dunkard about 50 years, that she is now a widow as

it will appear by the annexed proof." S/ Zilpha (her mark) Horner

The letter of application was witnessed by Nehemiah Glover and William Cotton who signed affidavits stating they had known Isaac and Zilpha many years, and that the statements regarding his military service were true.

After the marriage of Isaac and Zilpha Horner, they migrated westward through Pennsylvania to finally settle in Tyler County, Virginia where Isaac located 200 acres of land on Fish Creek by virtue of a Treasury Warrant. This land grant listed on the Tyler County Entry Books and in Sim's Index to Land Grants was a grant made by Lord Fairfax prior to the creation of the Virginia Land Office by the Commonwealth of Virginia of lands now embracing the state of West Virginia under its first Constitution. The property was located in that part of Tyler County, which later became Wetzel County in 1846.

We do not know the exact date of Isaac's entry as that part of the page is torn off the Entry Book. It was recorded in Sim's Index as 1821. However it was earlier as he was listed on the 1820 Tyler County Census with eight of their children, one already married. Within several years of Isaac's entry of land, sons John, Charles, Isaac, Jr., William, and Nathan located on or near their father's property on Fish Creek.

Zilpha Horner was not awarded the pension for Isaac Horner's military service. She failed to return her original papers and could not substantiate her claim. She was living in 62

the household of Joseph Horner and his family when the 1850 Wetzel County Census was taken. Her age was listed as 84 which would make her birth date 1766. According to information in her pension file, she was still living in District 4 of Wetzel County in 1854. I find no record of her death and do not know the burial spots for Isaac or Zilpha.

CHILDREN OF ISAAC AND ZILPHA HORNER

(not necessarily in order of birth)

- 1. CHARLES HORNER marr. Mary____.
 ISSUE:
 - a. Isabella Horner b. 1825
 - b. Reason Horner b. 1829
 - c. Asentha Horner b. 1832
 - d. Mary Horner b. 1836
 - e. Charles Horner b. 1836
- 2. NATHAN HORNER marr. Sarah Bartley. ISSUE:
 - a. Charles Horner b. 1820; marr. Louisa Mahaney 1840 in Greene Co., Penn.
 - b. Permelia Horner b. 1832; marr. Alex.
 C. Ullum
 - c. Cornelius Horner b. 1828; marr. Hester
 - d. Clark Horner b. Oct. 1829; marr. Narcissus . Issue: Sarah, Moses, John, Morris, Clark, Mary, Leandora, Male? .
 - d. Susan Horner b. 1832
 - e. Mille Horner b. 1835
- 3. JACOB HORNER b. 1796; marr. Catherine Shriver; settled in Monongahela County. ISSUE:
 - a. Joseph Horner b. 1832
 - b. Abraham Horner marr. Sarah Henderson

- c. John W. Horner marr. Mary Evans
- d. Mary Horner marr. John Liming
- e. Margaret Horner marr. Jacob Liming
- f. Zilpha Horner marr. Benjamin Liming
- 4. JOHN HORNER marr. Jemima Bartley (See PP. 66-67)
- 5. EUNICE HORNER, No information available
- 6. ISAAC HORNER, JR. b. 1800; marr. Mary . ISSUE:
 - a. Jacob Horner b. 1827
 - b. Joseph Horner b. 1830
 - c. Peter Horner marr. Mary Ann Main
 - d. Isaac Horner b. 1836; marr. Frances
 O. White
 - e. Mary Horner b. 183B
 - f. Asa Horner b. 1842
 - g. Elizabeth Horner b. 1840
- 7. ZILPHA HORNER b. 1806; marr. Absalom Willey. ISSUE:
 - a. Isaac Willey b. 1829
 - b. James Willey; marr. Irene Odell.
 Issue: Acenas M., Absalom, Zilpha
 K., Margaret V., Massa Jane
 - c. Zilpha Willey b. 1832
 - d. Massy Willey b. 1834
 - e. Malissa Willey b. 1835
 - f. Jemima Willey b. 1836
 - g. Ardella Willey b. 1838
 - h. Phoebe Willey b. 1843
 - g. Sidney Willey b. 1845
- 8. WILLIAM HORNER b. 1803; marr. Eleanor Six. Issue:
 - a. Mahala Horner (1832-1904) marr. Elias Villers. Issue: James, Abraham, Mary Ann, Isaac Newton, Alva George, Ellen, Lindsey, William, Colonel Ellsworth,

Jesse, Solomon Harvey. The oldest son went to Iowa and Ellas and Mahala eventually followed. Note: Mary Skiver of Traer, Iowa sent me this information. She is a descendant of Mahala through James Villers. Mahala would have been a first cousin to Sarah Lathey.

- b. Isaac Horner b. 1834 marr. Nancy Crammer.
- c. Nancy Horner b. 1837
- d. Levi Horner b. 1838; marr. Christina
- e. Martha Eliza Horner b. 1841
- f. Zilpha Horner b. 1843
- g. Pleasant Horner b. 1845, d. 1899
- h. Isabella Horner b. 1848
- i. Hanna Horner b. 1849
- j. Perry Horner b. 1851
- k. Lydia Horner b. 1852, d. 1853
- 1. George W. Horner b. 1854
- m. John A. Horner b. 1857
- 9. JOSEPH HORNER b. 1806/7; marr. Martha Sole. Issue:
 - a. Elizabeth Horner b. 1832
 - b. Theophilas P. Horner b. 1833; marr. Mary J. Higgins. Issue: Emery C., Hester A., Martha E., Melissa C.
 - c. Samuel Horner b. 1836; married Susannah Horner, dau. of Daniel and Polly Horner. Issue: William S., John H., Elisha C., Wesley C., and others.
 - d. Asbury Horner b. 1839
 - e. Matilda Horner 1841
 - f. Christina (or Christian) Horner b. 1843

No information for other two children.

4. JOHN HORNER: Very little is known about the parents of Sarah (Horner) Lathey. Her father was John Horner born in 1796 to Isaac and Zilpha Horner. John Horner married Jemima Bartley in the early 1820's.

Sarah was the first child born to them on July 27, 1824 in Tyler County, (W) Virginia. John located fifty acres of land on Fish Creek in Tyler County ca. 1827-29 near his father's property.

John and Jemima were listed on the 1830 Tyler County Census Records with five children. One male and three female children between 0-5 years of age, and Sarah who was between 5-10 years.

They sold their property on Fish Creek March 25, 1833 to Mary Whistler for \$100.00, and the family removed in 1834. It was supposed they moved immediately to Meigs County, but there is no record of them on the 1840 Meigs County Census Report.

We have no knowledge of Sarah's brothers and sisters. Nor do we have information about Jemima Bartley's family.

Study of the 1850 Meigs County Census indicates the Bartley and Horner families may have gone there about the same time. Although I have made no connection at this point a William Horner age 27 b. in Virginia with wife Sarah and children Nancy, Russell, Malinda was living next door to a John Bartley age 35, with wife Sarah and children Asbury, Vanasia, John, and Jane. William Horner could have been a brother to Sarah as her brother was between 0-10 years in 1830.

The marriage of Achsa Horner to Elmore Pierce on January 1, 1844 in Meigs County suggests she may be the sister of Sarah. Peculiar names beginning with "A" were quite common in the Horner family.

It is probably that Jemima (Bartley) Horner died at an early age. We have no information on her following her mark on the real estate transfer in Tyler County in 1833.

John Horner was listed in Wetzel County on the 1850 Census Record residing with his brother Joseph and his family. His occupation was listed as that of a "pauper" and we can only guess that after his wife died and the children married, he came back home to live - a broken man. His death record is not recorded in Wetzel County or surrounding counties.

NOTE: Isaac Horner (1755-1849) served in the American Revolutionary War from Hunterdon County, New Jersey.

NOTE: The Fauquier County Horners descend from Isaac and Eleanor Horner and appeared to be quite affluent, compared to our Horner farmers and blacksmiths.

NOTE: To those who claim German descent through the Horner family, I find Hesse (Hessen) Homers in nearby Counties.

Let's hold to the Horner family legend: "Isaac Horner was a bound boy in Scotland and stole away on a ship to America."

FOURTH GENERATION

- 15. ELIZABETH HUDNALL of Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall was born in 1828 in Athens County, Ohio or Kanawha County, (W) Virginia.
- 16. WILLIAM HUDNALL, son of Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall, was born July 3, 1829 in Kanawha County, (W) Virginia; died May 18, 1855 in Kanawha County at the age of 26-2-15 by drowning.

Many of the Kanawha County Hudnalls were boatmen, and it is probably this was his occupation.

- 17. JOHN HUDNALL was born in 1833 to Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall in Kanawha county.
- 18. MARTHA FRANCES HUDNALL was born to Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall during 1834; marr. William Moles July 29, 1855 in. Kanawha County. ISSUE: William A., Martin B., Edward, Sally M., James A., John, Joseph M., Martha G.
- 19. ROSEANNA HUDNALL of Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall was born circa 1835; marr. George Poff in Kanawha County June 16, 1867. ISSUE: Anderson, Filmore, Jeanette, Rosa M.
- 20. SHADRICK HUDNALL, son of Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall, was born ca 1837 in Kanawha County; marr. Evaline___. ISSUE: John, William, Jane, Elizabeth, Dora.
- 21. JOSEPH HUDNALL was born around 1840 to Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall in Kanawha County.

- 22. CYNTHIA HUDNALL born in 1843 in Kanawha County, (W) Virginia to Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall.
- 23. NANCY HUDNALL was born in Kanawha County to Anderson and Janette (Lathey) Hudnall.
- 24. MARIAH HALEY was born in Meigs County, Ohio in 1839 to John D. and Susan (Lathey) Haley.
- 25. ELIZABETH HALEY was born 1842 in Meigs County, Ohio to John D. and Susan (Lathey) Haley.
- 26. JOHN HALEY was born during 1844 to John D. and Susan (Lathey) Haley.
- 27. WILLIAM HALEY was born to John and Susan (Lathey) Haley in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 28. THOMAS HALEY was born in 1849 to John D. and Susan (Lathey) Haley.
- 29. MARGARET HALEY of John D. and Susan (Lathey) Haley was born in Meigs County, Ohio during 1853.
- 30. SARAH HUMPHREY was born in 1841 to Sidney and Mary (Lathey) Humphrey in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 31. ANN HUMPHREY of Sidney and Mary (Lathey) Humphrey was born in Meigs County, Ohio during 1843.
- 32. GEORGE HUMPHREY was born in Meigs County, Ohio ca. 1845 to Sidney and Mary (Lathey) Humphrey.
 - 33. ASHER HUMPHREY, a boy child, was

born to Sidney and Mary (Lathey) Humphrey during 1847 in Meigs County.

- 34. EVALINE HUMPHREY of Sidney and Mary (Lathey) Humphrey was born in Meigs County, Ohio during the early part of 1850.
- 35. EMILY BOLEN was born to James and Elizabeth (Lathey) Bolen ca. 1843 in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 36. SAMUEL BOLEN was born ca. 1845 in Meigs County, Ohio to James and Elizabeth (Lathey) Bolen.
- 37. CHARLES BOLEN was born during 1848 in Meigs County, Ohio to James and Elizabeth (Lathey) Bolen.
- 38. SARAH MITCHELL was born in 1844 to William C. and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell in Athens County, Ohio.
- 39. MARY M. MITCHELL of William C. and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell was born ca. 1846 in Athens County, Ohio.
- 40. PULASKI MITCHELL was born during 1848 to William C. and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell in Athens County.
- 41. WILLIAM MITCHELL was born to William C. and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell in Athens County during 1850.
- 42. ROBERT MITCHELL was born ca. 1853 in Athens county, Ohio to William and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell.
- 43. GEORGE MITCHELL was born in 1854 to William C. and Cynthia (Lathey)

Mitchell in Athens County, Ohio.

- 44. ELIZABETH MITCHELL of William and Cynthia (Lathey) Mitchell was born in Athens County, Ohio ca. 1858.
- 45. ALEXANDER LATHEY was born March 10, 1843 in Athens County, Ohio to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey. He married Margaretta Hovey September 12, 1866 in Meigs County, Ohio. Margaretta was born February 6, 1846 in Meigs County, Ohio to James and Lucy Hovey.

Alexander and Margaretta resided in Meigs County, Ohio for several years where several of their children were born. They purchased real estate in Jackson County during 1885, finally establishing their permanent home in Mason County, West Virginia.

Alexander Lathey served in the Civil War enlisting in Company E, 188th Reg. Ohio Volunteer Infantry at Marietta, Washington County, Ohio on February 24, 1865 near the end of the War. He was discharged September 21, 1865.

Alexander Lathey died November 3, 1925 at Pt. Pleasant in Mason County, West Virginia, and is buried in the Live Oak Cemetery in Mason County. Margaretta passed away January 3, 1920 near Dixie in what was called the "Flats" in Mason County.

CHILDREN OF ALEXANDER AND MARGARETTA

LATHEY

- 62. Myrtle Lathey marr. Preston Barnett
- 63. Lucy Lathey marr. Layton Proffitt
- 64. Sumner Lathey marr. Sara Nebbergall
- 65. Zua M. Lathey marr. James Stewart
- 66. Mary Lathey marr. George Van Sickle

- 67. Teddie Edmond Lathey never married.
- 68. Raymond Lathey marr. Mary Hysell
- 69. Elzena Lathey marr. Robert Fadley
- 70. Norman Lathey marr. Ruby Ellen Reed

46 ELIZABETH LATHEY of John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey was born November 3, 1845 in Athens County, Ohio; marr1ed Jeremiah Reeves January 5, 1865 Athens County, Ohio. Family settled in Meigs County, Ohio where they purchased sixty acres of real estate Septemer 26, 1870 from Elizabeth's father for \$630.00.

CHILDREN OF JEREMIAH AND ELIZABETH REEVES

- 71. Wilbert Reeves
- 72. Winfield Reeves
- 73. W. N. Reeves
- 74. Ellen B. Reeves

47. JOHN TAYLOR LATHEY, JR. was born in Athens County, Ohio ca. 1847 to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; marr. Naoma Wilson May 1, 1869 in Meigs County, Ohlo.

The 1880 Meigs County, Ohio Census flnds this family in the same household with Sarah (Horner) Lathey and her three youngest children.

The family removed to Wagonner District in Mason County, West Virginia ca. 1883. John Lathey, Jr. was a farmer and some say he was a minister of the Gospel.

Naoma Lathey died in Mason County February 10, 1990. John T., Jr. was a resident of Jackson Furnace in Mason County when he died September 3, 1891 at the age of 43 years. He and Naoma are interred at Brown's Hill Cemetery in Mason County.

CHILDREN OF JOHN T. AND NAOMA LATHEY

75. Peona Maywood Lathey

- 76. Royal S. Lathey
- 77. Riley Sherman Lathey
- 78. Andrew Taylor Lathey
- 48. JOSEPH MARK LATHEY4 was born in Athens County, Ohio November 1, 1849 to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey. He married Emaline Ward in Meigs County, Ohio on April 30, 1871. Emaline was born November 8, 1852 in Meigs County to Philip and Susannah (Norris) Ward.

Joseph and Emaline set up housekeepin Meigs County, and made arrangements to purchase twenty acres of real estate in partnership with John T. Lathey, Jr. The two boys had made an agreement with their father to purchase the land just prior to the death of John T. Lathey. However, because of the sudden death of John T. Lathey in 1872, it was not until June 21, 1876 that a deed in "fee simple" was issued to them. This property was sold by Joseph and John T., Jr. June 3, 1881 to Margaretta Lathey (wife of Alexander) for \$300.00.

Joseph and Emaline had removed to Jackson County, W. Va. by this time, with a possible move to Noble County, Ohio in the meantime. The family is listed on the 1880 Census for Jackson County with three sons, the youngest being our George Wilman Lathey, who was barely two years old. Living in the same household with them were Emaline's parents and two sisters. Also, living nearby was Asbury Lathey and his family.

The first real estate transaction by them in Jackson County was dated December 11, 1884 to Emaline Lathey from Philip Ward and his wife, Susan, for six acres on Thirteen Mile Creek for



Joseph and Emaline (Ward) Lathey Grandson Valcie J. Lathey

the sum of \$100.00. \$57.00 was paid at the time of the sale and the remainder was to be paid during the next 3 years.

Joseph made a living for his family by farming and he and Emaline operated a general store on Foster Ridge for a time. The above pictured grandson remembers visiting them as a young lad. Joseph and Emaline Lathey did not live together for many years. Emaline went to Dunbar, West Virginia to care for the children of her son, Verde, when his wife passed away. She suffered a stroke while attending the children and was brought to the home of our George (Pete) and Cora Belle (Casto) Lathey. The stroke impaired her speech, and she was bedfast for seventeen years before her death.

Joseph Lathey lived among his relatives during the last years of his life. He would visit one relative until he felt he was not wanted, and then move on to another. Many was the time he visited his son, Pete, and helped in the blacksmith shop. He was a tall, slim man with dark hair, and is remembered by one niece as a "moody man subject to bouts of pouting."

However, his "sayings" are still remembered by one grandson, Harry E. Lathe~ Although not all are original, they do indicate a style of living suitable for all generations.

A neighbor is no good if you don't use him.

No one will interrupt a conversation by keeping quiet.

A man is not a man if he will not lend his saddle and ride in the same crowd bareback.

One boy is a boy, two boys half a boy, and three boys no boy at all.

Joseph Lathey was visiting with his youngest sister, Elva Alfetta in Middle-port, Ohio, when he passed away in his sleep suffering from Carcinoma of the 75

liver. He died June 1, 1924 and is buried in the Downington Cemetery in Meigs County, Ohio.

Great Grandma Emaline died January 13, 1940 and is buried in the Long Hollow Cemetery in Jackson County, W. Va.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND EMALINE LATHEY

- 79. Verde Lathey marr.(1) Florence Casto
 - (2) Myrtle Smith
 - (3) Savannah Hopkins
- 80. Odis Lathey marr. Clara Alma Casto
- 81. George Lathey marr. Cora Belle Casto
- 82. J Wesley Lathey marr.
 - (1) Ivy Blankenship
 - (2) Effie Stephenson
- 49. SAMUEL GIBSON LATHEY born October 29, 1852 in Athens County, Ohio to John and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; married (1) Caroline Dickenson August 19, 1871 Meigs County, Ohio and (2) Melinda Norris January 4, 1879 in Meigs County, Ohio

CHILD OF SAMUEL AND CAROLINE LATHEY

83. Ida Estelle Lathey

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND MELINDA LATHEY

- 84. Sarah Luella Lathey
- 85. Laura R. Lathey
- 86. Elva A. Lathey
- 87. Emerson C. Lathey
- 88. Nellie F. Lathey marr.____Clay
- 89. Esta Lathey married _____Graves
- 90. Charles Lathey (?)
- 50. ASBURY NEWTON LATHEY was born December 28, 1853 in Athens County, Ohio to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; married Lillian Maybelle (Belle) Cook August 5, 6 1876 Meigs County, Ohio; died November 16, 1904 in Springfield, Ohio.

Belle was the daughter of Britton and Harriet (Vining) Cook born June 9, 1860 in Meigs County, Ohio; died February 28, 1919 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio.

Asbury Lathey was a carpenter and builder of bridges.

CHILDREN OF ASBURY AND BELLE LATHEY

- 91. Nora Avalio Lathey marr. C. Grate
- 92. Sina O. Lathey
- 93. Leslie Lathey
- 94. Milton Lathey marr. Myrtle Poole
- 95. Blanche Lathey marr. Wm. Amos Reed
- 96. Frank Lathey marr. Cora E. Patton
- 97. Lois N. Lathey marr. John T. Lemon
- 51. MARY CATHERINE LATHEY was born October 21, 1856 in Athens County, Ohio to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; married Andrew Nelson June 4, 1883 in Meigs County, Ohio.

Andrew Nelson was some twenty-four years older than his wife, and had one son named James by his first wife, Lydia Page, whom he married October 29, 1863.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW AND MARY C. NELSON

- 98. Sarah C. Nelson
- 99. Maude Nelson
- 100. Wealthy M. Nelson marr.____Clark
- 101. Ethel Belle Nelson marr. Lori Gibson
- 52. SARAH ANGELINE LATHEY (Aunt Dutch) of John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey was born March 26, 1858 in Athens County. She married Alexander Westfall and they made their home in Meigs County, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF ALEX. AND SARAH WESTFALL

- 102. Hiram Taylor Westfall
- 103. Valsie Glenn Westfall
- 104. Sallie Dalena Westfall marr. Betzing
- 105. Alexander Campbell Westfall
- 106. Lula May Westfall
- 107. Ural V. Westfall
- 108. Cecil Westfall
- 109. Elsie Westfall
- 53. ELECTA JANE LATHEY was born April 14 1860 in Athens County, Ohio to John T. 'and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; married Alexander Burleigh. NO FURTHER INFORM.
- 54. ELVA ALFETTA LATHEY was born to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey May 8, 1867 in Meigs County, Ohio; married (1) Oziah H. Romine January 10, 1889, (2) Beal, and (3) Charles Brooks.

The Romines made their home in Meigs County and are listed on the 1900 Meigs County, Ohio Census as living in Rutland Township. Elva wrote poetry which was most always sad. This was probably due to the grief she suffered when her son, Birdie, was accidentally crushed between two railroad cars when he was a young lad.

- 110. Birdie Romine
- 111. Eddie Ernal Romine

Elva and her husband adopted Mary Lathey who later became the wife of Lester Lathey, the son of Verde. Lester and Mary reside near Middleport, and Mary has Elva's poetry in her possession.

55. CHARLES CLARK LATHEY of John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey was born December 25, 1869 in Meigs County, Ohio; married (1) Lenora Angel and (2) Marie

The 1900 Meigs County, Ohio Census shows Charles and Lenora as being married ten years, and living in the same household as his mother.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND LENORA LATHEY

- 112. Delia Lovra Lathey
- 113. Clarence Lathey
- 114. Frank W. Lathey
- 115. George Lathey
- 116. Charles Lathey (By 2nd wife)
- 117. Doris Lathey (By 2nd wife)
- 56. MALE CHILD LATHEY born to John T. and Sarah (Horner) Lathey; died in infancy.
- 57. WILLIAM H. DAVIS born to Samuel and Lydia (Lathey) Davis in Athens County, Ohio ca. 1845.
- 58. CAROLINE DAVIS, daughter of Samuel and Lydia (Lathey) Davis born ca. 1847 in Athens County, Ohio.
- 59. ALONZO DAVIS born in May of 1853 to Samuel and Lydia (Lathey) Davis in Athens County, Ohio; married Luretta in 1880. Alonzo and Luretta were residents of Meigs County with one child when the 1900 Census was taken.
- 118. Laurenna Davis
- 60. AARON DAVIS born 1851 to Samuel and Lydia (Lathey) Davis in Athens County, Ohio.
- 61. SARAH C. DAVIS of Samuel and Lydia (Lathey) Davis was born in 1858 in Athens County, Ohio.

THE WARD FAMILY

The many families from Pennsylvania moving into the eastern counties of Ohio during the early 1800's by the surname of Ward has made it impossible to search our line of this family any furthur than the grandparents of Emaline (Ward) Lathey.

ROBERT WARD was born between 1760-1770 in Pennsylvania. Robert's wife's name was Sarah and she was born between the years of 1770-1780 also in Pennsylvania. They were living in Carthage Township of Athens County in 1840 next door to their son, Philip. Records of their deaths have not been located, and since they do not appear on the 1850 Census, we can assume their deaths occurred before that date. They were quite elderly when the 1840 Census was taken.

PHILIP WARD, the son of Robert and Sarah Ward, was born in Ohio in May of 1811. This is according to the 1900 Census Records of Jackson County, W. Va. He was residing with his son, Philip, Jr., and his birthplace was listed Ohio, and that of his parents Pennsylvania.

Philip Ward married Susannah Norris, the daughter of Aaron and Mary (
Gould) Norris in Athens County, Ohio on June 20, 1839. They lived for some time in Carthage Township where Philip pursued his occupation as a cooper. A cooper was a skilled worker who made barrels and other containers from wood by hand. Although barrels are now manufactured by machinery, they were made by hand for many hundreds of years. The sides of the barrel were made of strips of wood called

staves bound together by metal or hoops. The staves were wider in middle than on the ends, causing bulge in the middle.

This family removed from Athens County, Ohio and were residing in Meigs County by the time the 1860 Census was taken. Their next move was to Jackson County, West Virginia where Philip Ward purchased real estate on Thirteen Mile Creek in 1883. 13-Mile Creek was a tributary of the Kanawha River in the Rockcastle area, supposedly the mouth of the stream was 13 miles up-river from the Ohio. He later sold part of this land to his daughter, Emaline Lathey, and a portion was deeded to his son, Philip Ward, Jr., in 1889. There is also a transaction from Obediah Woodall, etal. to Philip Ward in 1891 for 2 acres described as a church lot at Long Hollow. Long Hollow was located on the Jackson-Mason County lines and named either for the length of the hollow or for a member of the Long family.

We do not know the circumstances of Susannah Ward's death. Her name was on the real estate deeds of 1884 and 1889, so she must have died between 1889 and when the 1900 Census was taken as her name is not listed thereon.

Philip Ward lived to be quite elderly. There is some descrepancy regarding his birth date. His death was reported by Emaline Lathey to the Jackson County, W. Va. Court House, and he died February 14, 1907 from cancer at the age of 90 years, 5 months, 17 days which would make his birth date August 27, 1907. However, the 1900 Census Records give his birth date as May of 1911. I concur as his age was listed as 39, 49, 69, and 89

on the respective Census Records for 1850, 1860, 1880, and 1900.

The burial site of Philip and Susan (Norris) Ward is unknown, but it is believed they are interred in the Long Hollow Cemetery in Jackson County.

CHILDREN OF PHILIP AND SUSAN WARD

- 1. Aaron Ward b. 1840; marr. Lucetta Chase April 12, 1861 Meigs County.
- 2. George Ward b. 1842; marr. Eva Braley September 13, 1876 Meigs County, Ohio.
- 3. Robert Ward b. 1844; no further info.
- 4. Margaret Ward b. 1846; no other info.
- 5. Sarah Ward b. 1847; no further info.
- 6. Caroline Ward b. 1849; no other info.
- 7. EMALINE WARD b. 1852; marr. Joseph M. Lathey. (see pp. 73-76)
- 8. Philip Ward, Jr. b. February, 1859 in Meigs County, Ohio; marr. Sarah Hill November 19, 1879 in Jackson County. ISSUE:
 - a. Florence Ward b. 1885
 - b. Dora Ward b. 1888
 - c. Nellie Ward b. April 4, 1890
 - d. Edna Ward b. February 8, 1888
 - e. George Herbert Ward b. March 12, 1892
 - f. Walter Ward b. 1894
 - g. Thomas R. Ward b. 1897
- 9. Susan Ward b. 1862; marr. Andrew Peyton April 13, 1881 in Jackson County.
- 10. Samantha Ward b.1864

THE NORRIS FAMILY

The maternal grandparents of Emaline (Ward) Lathey were Aaron Norris and his second wife, the Widow Gould, who were married in Athens County, Ohio February 13, 1818. Like the Ward family, many by this surname migrated to Ohio during the early 1800's. They came from the northeastern section of the country across Pennsylvania and into Ohio.

Although study of the 1820 through 1840 Census Records for Athens County, Ohio indicate this union of Aaron and Mary Norris brought forth four children, we can only make positive identification to (1) Susannah and (2) Cornelius.

Aaron Norris died intestate in November of 1848, and his estate account (#204) is filed in the Athens County, Ohio Court House.

Mary Norris renounced her rights to administer the estate of her husband, and issued the following statement on April 24, 1849.

"I do hereby certify that I decline administering the estate of my deceased husband, Aaron Norris, late of Carthage Tp., Athens County, Ohio and I would say to the Court of said County that it is my wish and also the wish of my deceased husband while he was living that David Norris should administrate on his estate."

S/ Mary (her mark) Norris

A notice was given the next day in the newspaper that David Norris was appointed executor of Aaron Norris' estate.

Appraisers appointed for the estate were Moses Elliott, Benjamin Humphrey,

and Simon H. Lottridge. His property located in Range 12, Township 3, and Lot No.4 was valued at \$583.34 on the estate inventory dated August 3, 1849. \$200.00 was given to Mary Norris for her support for twelve months following Aaron's death. Moses Elliott was paid in November of 1848 for making the coffin in the amount of \$5.

Heirs to the estate received \$7.10 each with David and Cornelius an extra \$30.00. The heirs were all probably the children of Aaron Norris, but are not marked as such. They included Aaron Norris, Anna (Norris) Branch, Keziah (Norris) Green the wife of Owen Green, Abraham Norris, Aquilla Norris, George L. Norris, Christopher Norris, William Norris, David Norris, Cornelius Norris, and Susan (Norris) Ward. The receipt for her \$7.10 was also signed by Philip Ward.

Mary Norris was living yet in Athens County when the 1850 U. S. Census was taken. She was listed as 57 years of age, and her 22 year old son, Cornelius, was living with her. It is believed she expired between 1850 and 1860.

The 1880 Jackson County Census reveals that Cornelius Norris and his family had also migrated to Jackson County and were living near the Ward and Lathey residence. Cornelius Norris was born in 1828 to Aaron and Mary (Gould) Norris in Athens County, Ohio. He married Malinda ca. 1851 and lived in Meigs County, Ohio for some time before coming to Jackson County.

ISSUE OF CORNELIUS AND MALINDA NORRIS

1. Mary Norris b. 1852

- 2. Cinderella Norris b. 1853 Meigs Co.; marr. Wm. M. Pruden October 24, 1889 in Jackson County, West Virginia.
- 3. Abram Norris b. 1858 Meigs County; marr. Sarah A. Matlack April 39, 1883 in Jackson County.
- 4. Louisa Norris b. 1859 Meigs County; marr. Jeremiah Reeves November 2, 1884 in Jackson County. (Jeremiah was probably a son to Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lathey) Reeves.
- 5. Sinah Norris b. 1865 in Meigs County.
- 6. Floyd Norris b. 1860 Meigs County; marr. Geneva Doyle July 7, 1880 in Jackson County, West Virginia.
- 7. Female Child b. 1867
- 8. Riley M. Norris b. 1869
- 9. Bibra (?) Norris b. 1872

(This family would be first cousins to our Emaline (Ward) Lathey.)

FIFTH GENERATION

- 62. MYRTLE ESTELLA LATHEY born September 29, 1867 in Meigs County, Ohio to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey; married Preston F. (Bub) Barnett September 25, 1887 in Jackson County.
- 63. LUCY LEOLA LATHEY of Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey was born August 2, 1869 in Meigs County; marr. Layton (Leighton) Proffitt.
- 64. SUMNER SAYRE LATHEY born October 18, 1872 to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey in Meigs County, Ohio; marr. Sara Jane Nebbergall.
- 65. ZUA MAUDE LATHEY bor)n to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey Lathey in Meigs County, Ohio on November 25, 1873; marr. James Stewart.
- 66. MARY EVALULAH (MAYD) LATHEY was born to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey February 28, 1876 in Meigs County, Ohio; marr. George VanSickle.
- 67. TEDDIE EDMOND LATHEY was born Sept. 29, 1879 in Meigs County, Ohio to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey, never married.
- 68. RAYMOND A. LATHEY was born April 19 1885 in Meigs County, Ohio to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey; marr. Mary Hysell.
- 69. ELZENA SARA MINERVA LATHEY born November 8, 1888 to Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey in Jackson County; marr. Robert (M.H.) Fadley May 16, 1922.

- 70. NORMAN LEROY LATHEY of Alexander and Margaretta (Hovey) Lathey was born March 29, 1891; married Ruby Ellen Reed.
- 71. WILBERT REEVES of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lathey) Reeves was born ca. 1866 in Meigs or Athens County, Ohio.
- 72. WINFIELD REEVES was born in 1869 to Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lathey) Reeves.
- 73. W. N. REEVES, son of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lathey) Reeves, was born ca. 1874.
- 74. ELLEN BELLE REEVES' birth is recorded in Meigs County, Ohio as June 15, 1878, the daughter of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lathey) Reeves. The 1880 Census lists her as Effie B. Reeves.
- 75. PEONA MAYWOOD LATHEY, daughter born December 22, 1871 in Meigs County to John T., Jr. and Naoma (Wilson) Lathey.
- 76. ROYAL S. LATHEY born September 19, 1882 to John T., Jr. and Naoma (Wilson) Lathey in Meigs County, Ohio. He was living in the household of Andrew and Mary (Lathey) Nelson in 1900.
- 77. RILEY SHERMAN LATHEY of John T., Jr. and Naoma (Wilson) Lathey married (1) Sarah _____, (2) Alice Terzopoulos. His second marriage occurred in Mason County, West Virginia on April 19, 1932 when Riley was 49 years of age. NOTE: Royal S. and Riley Sherman could be the same person.

78. ANDREW TAYLOR LATHEY was born to John T., Jr. and Naoma (Wilson) Lathey in September of 1885; died January 17, 1889 in Mason County, West Virginia of whooping cough complicated by convulsions. He is buried in Brown's Hill Cemetery in Mason County with his parents.

79 VERDE VAIN LATHEY was the oldest son of Joseph and Emaline (Ward) Lathey born ca. 1874 in Meigs County, Ohio. He married (1) Florence Casto February J, 1895 in Jackson County, W. Va. Florence died January 31, 1896 and is burled in the Barnett Cemetery near Rockcastle, the daughter of M. and R. M. Casto. She was 16 years, 4 months, and 10 days of age.

His second wife was Myrtle Smith whom he married January 19, 1906 in Jackson County.

CHILDREN OF VERDE AND MYRTLE LATHEY

- 119. Joseph Alex (Alexander) Lathey
- 120. Lillian Leola Lathey
- 121. Lester Arthur (Jack) Lathey
- 122. Mary Fay Lathey
- 123. Marie Lathey

This family then moved to Dunbar, West Virginia where Myrtle passed away. Verde remarried the third time to Savannah Hopkins.

He died in Meigs County, Ohio when about eighty years old.

80. ODIS TAYLOR LATHEY was born in Meigs County to Joseph and Emaline (Ward) Lathey January 15, 1876 as recorded in the County Court House. He married Alma Clara Casto, the daughter born May 22, 1875 to Albert and Clara (Hayes) Casto, July 4, 1896 in Jackson County, W. Va.

Most of their lives were spent in Jackson County. They later removed to Ohio where Odis died May 8, 1944, and Clara passed away June 16, 1947. Both are buried at Breman (Fairfield County), Ohio.

CHILDREN OF ODIS AND CLARA LATHEY

- 124. Frankie Lathey marr. Latham Bass (2) Shorty Young
- 125. Claudia Lathey marr. Tennie Shamblin
- 126. Audra Lathey marr. Fred Cadle
- 127. Edra Lathey marr. Elmer Proffitt
- 128. Amanda Lathey marr. Paul Johnson (2) Charles Tucker
- 129. C. Albert Lathey marr.

Vera Groff

130. Vada Fay Lathey marr.

Russell Wolty

81. GEORGE WILMAN LATHEY was born May 7, 1878 in Meigs or Noble County, Ohio to Joseph Mark and Emaline (Ward) Lathey. He married Cora Belle Casto February 26, 1899 in Center Point School House in Jackson County. They were married by W. A. Cadia

Cora Belle was born November 2, 1879 in Mason County, West Virginia to George W. and Margaret Frances (Johnston) Casto.

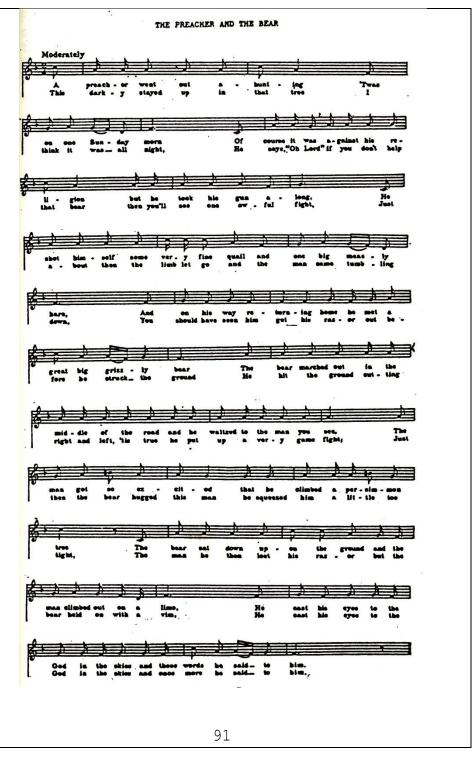
George W. was only two years old when his family moved to Jackson County, West Virginia. He grew to manhood on the property settled by his parents, and it was nearby that he brought his young wife to reside following their marriage.

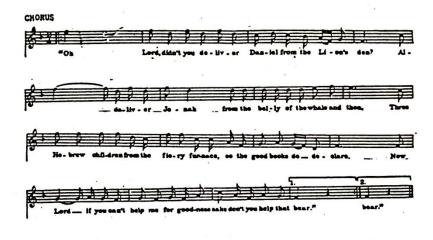
George Wilman Lathey was known as Pete to his friends and neighbors. Besides the usual farm work, he operated a blacksmith shop. Pete was a cooper (barrel maker) by profession, but besides putting barrels together, he put shoes on horses and oxen, made split bottom chairs and baskets, and repaired wagons. In fact, Pete Lathey was capable of doing almost anything with wood.

Times were hard during the years the children were being raised. There was work for everyone. The boys helped their father in the blacksmith shop, mended the rail fences, and tended to other chores on the farm. The girls helped with the housework and tended the younger children.

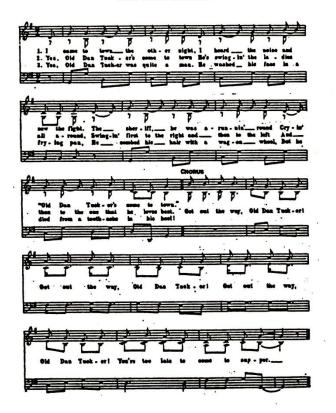
Theirs was a good-natured family with most of their entertainment coming from within the family. They "teased" and played pranks on one another endlessly. Pete Lathey would plague his children and grandchildren to the point of tears before he would back off. He always said he wouldn't give a nickle for a child that didn't have any spunk. Perhaps that was one of his ways of preparing the family to cope with the difficult situations he knew they would encounter from time to time. The children of Pete and Cora Belle Lathey display the traits of integrity and honesty as taught to them by their parents.

Pete Lathey sang a lot and taught his "silly song" to his family. In fact, the Latheys are somewhat gifted when it comes to music. Music seems to come natural to some arid they are able to play musical instruments without lessons. The words to many of his compositions have been forgoten, but two of his favorites composed by others and released again within the past few years follow. Perhaps you have forgotten the words, and this will bring back pleasant memories.





OLD DAN TUCKER



Following are other words for the tune of "Old Dan Tucker." I do not remember the verses and chorus being so lengthly, but you will find the extra verses below will fit the music in spots. These words were remembered by Uncle Harry.

Ole Dan Tucker went to town,
Two legs up and two legs down.
Ole Dan Tucker is big and fat,
He's black in the face as my old hat.
Ole Dan Tucker is a dirty ole hog.
He played 7-up with a nigger on a log.
Ole Dan Tucker went to town
On a load of switches.

He pulled and pulled and pulled and pulled, and off came his britches.

Ole Dan Tucker flew east and west.

Then he flew over the Coo-Coo's nest.

Old Dan Tucker went down the hill.

Hain't came back. He's down there still

Ole Dan Tucker lost his shoe.

If he finds it soon) he'll tag along, too.

Ole Dan Tucker went to town On a load of lumber.

Had forgot he had beans for dinner, And blowed it all to thunder.

Grandma Lathey was a quiet and patient wife and mother. She was acquainted with hard work and hard times, explaining to me that she began working outside the home as a mere child of eight or nine years of age. When Cora's mother-in-law suffered the stroke which left her bedfast, Grandma Cora nursed her for seventeen years.

We eagerly looked forward to our summer visits with Grandma and Grandpa. Grandma was a tolerant and kind grandmother, teach-

ing me to "milk" just enough to fill my blue cereal bowl, which had come in the Mother's Quaker Oats box, for the breakfast oatmeal. It was my chore to turn the cream separator, and to "help" with the laundry by cranking the wringer as she washed clothes on the board.

Pete and Cora left their home in Jackson County around 1942-43 and removed to Pleasants County, W. Va., where Grandpa died December 16, 1945. Just as the wives of the Lathey men before her, Grandma spent the remaining years among her children. She died April 27, 1956 at the home of her son, Oris, in Jackson County. Both are buried in the Foster Chapel Cemetery in Jackson County, West Virginia.

The following tracts of land owned by George and Cora Belle Lathey in' Jackson County were deeded to Royal Kessel and Hugh P. McLaughlin in January of 1960. The deed was signed by all the children and their spouses, bringing to a close the official records of this couple.

3 ac. from Odis and Clara Lathey
November 25, 1903

2 ac. from E. D. and Ella Kessel May 4, 1904

25 ac. from Verde Lathey

February 27, 1905

50 ac. from Emaline and Joseph Lathey
April 9, 1909

10 ac. from Emaline and Joseph Lathey October 5, 1914

The picture on the following page shows Pete and Cora Lathey and children, except Howard and Cleora.



CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND CORA B. LATHEY

- 131. Valcie Lathey marr. Ethel Taylor
- 132. Dela Lathey marr. Robert Rowley
- 133. Iva Lathey marr. Londes Parsons
- 134. Oris Lathey marr. Lucy Thornton
- 135. Corda Lathey marr. Johnson Rowley
- 136. Harry Lathey marr. Garnet Sheets
- 137. Clyde Lathey marr. Jane Kessel
- 137. Clara Lathey marr. Ray Welling
- 138. George Wilman Lathey
- 139. Cleora Lathey marr. Roy Sayre
- 140. Howard Lathey marr. Leona

Schoolcraft

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82. JOHN WESLEY LATHEY was born May 9, 1882 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Joseph and Emaline (Ward) Lathey. He was the youngest of the four sons and the only one born in West Virginia. He married Ivy Blankenship January 4, 1903 in Jackson County at the age of 20 years. She was 18 years of age, and the daughter of Preston and Eunice Blankenship. She was born in January of 1886.

John and Ivy moved from Jackson County in the 1920's to Flat Rock (Leon, W. Va.) in Mason County about twelve miles from Pt. Pleasant. John was known to our family as Uncle Wes. He was a big man weighing well over 200#.

CHILDREN OF JOHN W. AND IVY LATHEY

(not necessarily in order of birth)

142. Ottie Lathey marr. Lucy

143. Hermn Lathey

- 144. Delbert Lathey marr. Ruby Barnett
- 145. Dora Lathey marr. Ralph O'Nelll
- 146. Grada Lathey marr. Grubb
- 147. William (Bill) Lathey
- 148. Janie Lathey marr. Arthur DeWeese
- 149. Mary (Jackie) Lathey marr.

Gobel Mundy

- 150. Verdie Lathey marr. Hank Edwards
- 151. Pauline Lathey marr. Elmer Jones
- 152. Ted R. Lathey marr. Clara Bailes
- 153. John W. Lathey, Jr. marr. Doris Bailey
- 154. Verlie Lathey died in infancy
- 155. Void Lathey died in infancy
- 156. Bessie Lathey marr. Vic LeDuk

Ivy (Blankenship) Lathey died during the birth of Bessie in 1929, and is interred in Mt. Zion Cemetery in Mason County, West Virginia.

John Wesley remarried September 6, 1929 in Mason County to Effie N.

Stephenson. He died of a heart attack January 22, 1955 at his home in Leon, West Virginia, and is buried in Live Oak Cemetery in Mason County.

CHILDREN OF JOHN W. AND EFFIE LATHEY

- 157. Charles Lathey
- 158. Hattie Venola (Olie) Lathey marr.

 Everett Link
- 159. Maxine Lathey marr. Beardon (or Braden)
- 160. Barbara Jean Lathey
- 161. Shirley Ann Lathey
- 162. Louis Lathey
- 163. Elmer Lathey
- 164. Ronnie Lathey

Note: Information on the family of John Wesley Lathey came by way of M. Eugene Lathey, son of #152 Ted R. Lathey, who is associated with the Equitable Life Assurance Society in Charleston, W. Va.

- 83. IDA ESTELLE LATHEY was born September 19, 1872 in Meigs County, Ohio to Samuel G. and Caroline (Dickenson) Lathey.
- 84. SARAH LUELLA LATHEY of Samuel G. and Melinda (Norris) Lathey was born September 22, 1879 in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 85. LAURA R. LATHEY was born December 27, 1880 in Meigs County, Ohio to Samuel and Melinda (Norris) Lathey.
- 86. ELVA A. LATHEY was born in May of 1882 to Samuel G. and Melinda (Norris) Lathey in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 87. EMERSON C. LATHEY was born to Samuel G. and Melinda (Norris) Lathey in February of 1884 in Meigs County.

- 88. NELLIE F. LATHEY of Samuel G. and Melinda (Norris) Lathey was born June 2), 1890 in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 89. ESTA LATHEY of Samuel G. and Melinda (Norris) Lathey marr.
 Graves. (May be same as #83)
- 90. CHARLES LATHEY born to Samuel and Melinda (Norris) Lathey. No other information.
- 91. NORA AVALIO LATHEY born December 31, 1876 in Meigs County, Ohio to Asbury and Belle (Cook) Lathey; marr. Charley Grate. Issue:
 - a. Sina Grate
 - b. Harry Grate

Nora died December 24, 1901 at Kenova, West Virginia from surgery for a tumor of the stomach, only 24 years old.

- 92. SINA O. LATHEY of Asbury and Belle (Cook) Lathey was born August 18, 1878 in Meigs County, Ohio; never married; d. May 30, 1898 of tuberculos1S at Chillicothe, Ohio.
- 93. LESLIE E. LATHEY born to Asbury and Belle (Cook) Lathey was born March 25, 1881; died May 20, 1902. His father was a bridge building foreman and Leslie worked with him. He was accidentally hlt with a beam and killed when he was but 21 years old. His mother never forgave her husband, although it was not his fault.
- 94. MILTON C. LATHEY was born February 8, 1884; marr. Myrtle Pool; died 1951 in Springfield, Ohio from heart problems. No issue.

- 95. BLANCHE ALTHEA LATHEY was born June 5, 1885 at Zaleski, Ohio; marr. Wm. Amos Reed ca. 1903 in Springfield, Ohio; died February 5, 1959 at Sarasota, Florida of heart failure; bur. Sarasota Memorial Park. ISSUE.
 - a. Ernest Le Roy Reed b. May 1, 1904; marr. Frances Craiglow, Lancaster, Ohio. Issue:

Eileen marr. Neil Oatney; children Tom, Tim, Nan.

Marjory marr. Ivan Bennett, Lancaster, Ohio; children Charlotte and Charlene (Twins), Dennis, Roxanne, Verity Lee, Emma, LeRoy and Jenny. Ernest (Bud) marr. Jessie_____, Lancaster, Ohio; Children Ernest, Josie and Laura.

Eloise (Peachie), a twin to Ernest; marr. Al McIntosh, Lancaster, Ohio; Children Douglas and Peggy Jean. Family now lives in Tampa, Florida. Ernest LeRoy Reed is now marr. to Florence Harper and living in Seminole, Florida.

- b. Robert Emory Reed b. November 17, 1907, Springfield, Ohio; d. January 31, 1911 of Membranous Croup.
- c. Eva Althea (Pat) b. January 14, 1913; marr. Atelindo V. Lombardi and living 1n Sarasota, Flor1da. Pat was in show business as a dancer and show girl and a model; featured 1950-1956 with Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey Circus as a show girl; appeared in movie "Greatest Show on Earth" in 1951. No Issue.
- d. Joseph William b. June 25, 1910 in

- Springfield, Ohio; marr. Rosalie Snyder; d. October, 1944 with enlarged heart in Lancaster, Ohio; Owned his own sign painting business. No Issue.
- e. Elma Marcille b. January 14, 1916 Springfield; unmarried and living in Sarasota with sister Pat; also dancer and show girl for many years.
- f. Lawrence Eldon b. May 29, 1921 in Springfield, Ohio; marr. Thelma Reading. Larry is retired as Chief Warrant Officer in the Air Force from SAC Air Force Base in Bellevue, Nebraska. He is an artist and teacher and resides in Bellevue. Daughter Rosemary Elaine marr. Roger Fox and has daughter, Julia Ann Mariah Fox b. December 7, 1979.
- g. Alberta Marguerite b. January 29, 1926; marr. Gene Roy; lives in Miami, Florida and teaches organ, piano and guitar. Alberta was also a dancer and show girl traveling with musicals and the Ringling Bros., Barnum and Bailey Circus. Issue: Gordon Eugene Roy.
- h. Jack Lee b. December 13, 1929 in Lancaster, Ohio; d. May 10, 1973; never married.
- 96. FRANK C. LATHEY b. May 25, 1888 at Prattsburg, Ohio; marr. Cora Ethel Patton; d. 1953. Children Thelma and Richard.
- 97. LOIS NELL LATHEY was born June 2, 1890; married John T. Lemon; d. May 14, 1959 in Detroit, Michigan. John Lemon was a professional musician and they

resided in Detroit all their lives. ISSUE:

- a. Edythe Jewell, deceased
- b. Lois Lemon b. August 9, 1923 Queenstown County, Michigan; marr. Joseph Lamas. Resides in Dearborn Heights, Mighigan. Children Tara and Timothy.
- 98. SARAH C. NELSON was born in May of 1885.to Andrew and Mary C. (Lathey) Nelson In Meigs County, Ohio.
- 99. MAUDE NELSON was born May of 1887 to Andrew and Mary C. (Lathey) Nelson in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 100. WEALTHY M. NELSON was born August 25, 1889 to Andrew and Mary (Lathey) Nelson as per Court House Records in Meigs County, Ohio. The 1900 Census gives her birth date as July of 1889.
- 101. ETHEL BELLE NELSON of Andrew and Mary Lathey) Nelson was born May 25, 1893 in Columbia Township in Meigs County, Ohio. Marr. Lori Gibson.
- 102. HIRAM TAYLOR WESTFALL was born to J. Alexander and Sarah A. (Lathey) Westfall October 15, 1878 in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 103. VALSIE GLENN WESTFALL was born June 26, 1880 in Meigs County to Alexander and Sarah A. (Lathey) Westfall.
- 104. SALLIE DALENA WESTFALL was born January 9, 1886 in Meigs County, Ohio to Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall. marr. Betzing.

- 105. ALEXANDER CAMPBELL WESTFALL was born December 24, 1891 in Meigs 0, ounty, Ohio to Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall.
- 106. LULA MAY WESTFALL of J. Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall was born in Meigs County September 19, 1893.
- 107. URAL V. WESTFALL was born October 1, 1895 to J. Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall. He died in 1947 and is buried at Mt. Sterling, Ohio.
- 108. CECIL WESTFALL was born to Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall in Meigs County, Ohio. No other information.
- 109. ELSIE WESTFALL of Alexander and Sarah (Lathey) Westfall was born in Meigs County, Ohio. No other information.
- 110. BIRDIE M. ROMINE, son of Oziah H. and Etta (Lathey) Romine was born April of 1890 in Meigs County, Ohio. Accidentally killed as a child.
- 111. EDDIE ERNAL ROMINE was born to Oziah and Etta (Lathey) Romine September 4, 1901 in Meigs County, Ohio.
- 112. DELIA LOVRA LATHEY born October of 1893 in Meigs County, Ohio to Charles and Lenora (Angel) Lathey.
- 113. CLARENCE LATHEY born in June 1895 to Charles and Nora (Angel) Lathey.
- 114. FRANK W. LATHEY born September of 1897 to Charles and Nora (Angel) Lathey.
 - 115. GEORGE LATMEY, son of Charles and

- Nora (Angel) Lathey,. Pictured in arms of Charles Lathey in 1912 photo.
- 116. CHARLES LATHEY was born ca. 1920 to Charles Lathey. Probably by 2nd wife.
- 117. DORIS LATHEY was the daughter of Charles Lathey. Probably by 2nd wife.
- 118. LAURENNA DAVIS of Alonzo and Luretta Davis was born January of 1886 in Meigs County, Ohio

THE CASTO FAMILY

Recent data located on this family maintains that the Casto people belonged to one of the Celtic tribes dwelling in Germany before the beginning of the Christian Era. Julius Caesar (100?-44 BC) conquered Germany during his reign of the Roman Empire, and after his day Roman military settlements called "castra" or camps began along the valleys of the Danube and Rhine rivers, since these were considered the boundaries of the Roman Empire. (Some feel the surname "casto" probably came from the Latin word "castra.")

After the fall of the Roman Empire in 476 AD, one branch of this family removed to Italy and adopted the spelling of "Castoe." Another branch of the family settled in Spain where the name was spelled "Castro." These people established their homes in Castile and later went to live in the Province of Aragon. They later migrated to Wales, one of the British Isles, where they dropped the "r" and the name became "CASTO."

Many claim a French connection saying they descend from Alsace, France (then Alsace, Germany). Alsace is located in northwestern France on the French and German border, and has long been a prize in wars between France and Germany. Spelling of the name in French was "Casteaux," the "eaux" being pronounced "o." This branch of the family also migrated to Wales.

Information indicates the Casto people began to leave Germany during the Thirty Years' War (1618-1648). This war was the last of the great religious-wars of Europe, and began as a civil war between the Protestants and Roman Catholics 104

in the German states, but eventually involved most of the nations in Europe.

We are thinking in terms of hundreds of years, and it is indeed possible that members of the Casto family did live in some or all the areas mentioned. Also, please note the similarity of origin as reflected in the various family legends concerning the "roots" of the family.

- 1. Two boys on a Spanish ship were captured by the English; brought to America and sold as servants in New Jersey; one name was spelled Casto and the other Castro; descendants of the real Casto next heard of on the Buckhannon River in Va.
- 2. Two brothers came from France to Virginia in order to escape religious persecution and possible death.
- 3. Two brothers in England, sons of moderately wealthy parents, were stolen by gypsies and brought to America.
- 4. Two brothers shipwrecked off the Carolina coast landed finally, one in New Jersey and the other in Virginia.
- 5. Two brothers, ages five and seven, hid on a ship in a French port after their parents had been murdered and their home burned. At sea for three days without food, the children were forced to come out of hiding. They found themselves on the ship of the bucaneer, Captain William Kidd, who compelled them to work for him two years before he set them ashore, one in New Jersey, the other in Rhode Island. The legend of our Casto line comes by way of George Washington Casto (1846-1926) who told his children the name had originally been CASTRO, indicating his line did

come from Spain via England.

It is commonly accepted that all members of the Casto family in West Virginia stem from the same ancestry, coming from New Jersey through Pennsylvania and into the South Branch of the Potomac River to finally settle on the Buckhannon River in Harrison County, Virginia as early as 1770, with some of the family migrating into Mason County (now Jackson) County during and following the War of 1812.

AZARIAH CASTOI was one of the first by this family name to reach the American Colonies, coming from Wales to New Jersey in 1696. It is generally agreed that he is the progenitor of the Jackson County Casto families.

Azariah married a lady of Irish ancestry, and they established their home in Egg Harbor, New Jersey. Some of their known children were David, Azariah, William, and Martha.

The marriage of David Casto to Phebe Gandy is recorded in Cape May, New Jersey Baptist Church on August 17, 1752. It is believed Phebe was the daughter of Thomas Gandy (Gandee) as she was mentioned in his will of May 2, 1748 among his heirs. David was probably the son of the above Azariah, and the same David Casto listed on the 1790 United States Census of Virginia. We also find the Gandee family in the same area, and later on in Jackson County.

WILLIAM CASTO² was born March 10, 1717. Information from the Bible records of Wm. and Sarah Casto of Bridgeton (Deerfield County), New Jersey list the following entries:

William Casto b. March 10 1717 Purthenis Casto d. January 6, 1752 (William's 1st wife) Elizabeth Casto b. December 9,1746 Abel Casto b. July 24, 1748 Azariah Casto b. May 1, 1750 Sarah Casto b. April 18, 1736 (William's 2nd wife) JOHN CASTO b. September 24, 1759 Andrew Casto b. January 14 1761 David Casto b. May 16, 1762 Jonathan Casto b. May 23, 1764 Jeremiah Casto b. July 3, 1767 William Casto b. July 9, 1769 Jacob Casto b. February 1, 1772 Thomas Casto b. March 25 1776 Abijah Casto b. May 28, 1777

WILLIAM CASTO² served in the American Revolutionary War as a Private in Cumberland County Malitia attached to the New Jersey Continental Line for six weeks during the winter of 1777.

Abel, Azariah and David Casto also served in the New Jersey Malitia and saw active service during the Revolutionary War. David and Azariah were described as being 5'10" high, straight and well set with darkish or swarthy complexion.

The Will of William Casto² was dated July 22, 1777 and proved August 26, 1778. It reads in part as follows:

"William Casto of Deerfield, Cumberland Co., yoeman; Will of. 100 acres of land is to be divided off from the north side of my plantation, adjoining Jacob Joslin. Son, Abel, 50 acres of the said 100. Son, Azariah, the other 50. Daughter, Elizabeth Kille, 5 pounds. Wife, Sarah, my house and rest of lands, and she is to

educate my children. My other children JOHN, Andrew, David, Jonathan, Jeremiah, William, Jacob, Thomas and Abijah, the said house and lands left to my wife, after her term is ended. I have given a gun to my son JOHN, and one to my son Andrew, and 2 acres of flax to Andrew and David; and I request my good friend, Eleazer Smith, to take care of same for their use." Witnesses were Jacob Joslin, James Ewing, and Elizabeth Johnson.

NOTE: It would appear that our John Casto was the son of William Casto as evidenced by the foregoing will and records from the Bible belonging to William Casto. However, the New Jersey Malitia Census of 1793 (which included all eligible males between 18-45 years) lists the following Casto men - John, Jacob, Jeremiah, William. And research on our John Casto reveals that he had migrated into Virginia before the 1790 Census was taken for Virginia. The John Casto listed on the New Jersey Malitia Census may be a descendant of another Casto. Or, our ancestry may come through another William Casto since the Casto family, too, held to the family name idea.

JOHN CASTO³ was over forty-five years of age when the 1790 Virginia Census was taken for Harrison County. Descendants claim that he located near Buckhannon about 1789. It is known he had a brother named William, and John Casto said their father was from New Jersey and his name was William Casto.

The marriage record for John Casto has not been found, and we do not know the name of his wife. As with the other Casto families who migrated into Virginia, John came by way of Pennsylvania as the birth of their son, John J. Casto, took place there in 1787, just prior to their move into Virginia.

An outline of the Casto families in Jackson County show they descend from three men who came from the same place In Lewis or Upshur (then Harrison) Counties to Mason (now Jackson) County. The three Casto families were those of William, George, and John. John and William are said to be brothers of each 'other, and perhaps cousins of George Casto.

JOHN CASTO³ settled on Mill Creek not far above Ripley sometime around 1815-20. One record says he was the first settler "on a raised piece of ground directly across the mouth of Tug Fork, one of the most beautiful building sites in Jackson County." Across on the other side of the hill was the pioneer graveyard, the exact site is long since lost. This was known as the Windom farm in later years.

John was from the Buckhannon River settlement. His children were married when he came to Jackson County. They were:

- 1. John J. Casto (Big John) b. 1787 in Pennsylvania; married Gracie McDade.
- 2. Daniel Casto marr. Polly Shamblin
- 3. William Casto marr. Susannah Rollins

WILLIAM CASTO 4 was married to Susannah Rollins. They lived first up Tug Fork, and probably moved out to Mill Creek not long after 1816.

The story of William Casto as related in Dr. House's paper is that "William was found dead in the woods, having been shot.

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The body was lying by a log, and the supposition was that he had been sitting on the log imitating the call of the wild turkey to attract the attention of those birds, when some other hunter, hearing him and not fairly seeing him, mistook him for a turkey and shot him." This accident must have occurred around 1825-26. William Casto is presumedly buried in the pioneer cemetery along with others of the earliest settlers near the place his father settled.

Susannah (Rollins) Casto was born between 1780 and 1790, and is listed as the Head of the Household on the 18JO Mason County, Virginia Census. The parantage of the several brothers and sisters of the Rollins family who came from the Buckhannon settlement to Mill Creek about 1811 is not known. Susannah Rollins and William Casto were already married when they arrived in Jackson County. Some say Susannah was the daughter of Elijah Rollins; other resources claim she was a sister to Elijah. Age difference was such that she could very well have been a daughter. Elijah was fifty-six years of age in 1820, and Susannah was only between 16-26 years of age. The date of Susannah's death is not known.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND SUSANNAH CASTO

1. John Casto marr. Elizabeth Reynolds, and lived at the mouth of Bear Tree Run in 1839. He died leaving only one child. It is said he was killed by a handspike at a log rolling.

- 2. Elijah Casto born 1808; marr. Rachel Deweese July 29, 1830.
- 3. Barney Casto b. 1812; marr. Elizabeth
- 4. Grace Casto born 1820; marr. (1) John Elliott March 11, 1856, and (2) Joram Rhodes November 23, 1865 in Jackson County.
- 5. George R. Casto marr. Susannah Deweese

GEORGE R. CASTO⁵ was born in July of 1826 in Jackson County to William and Susannah (Roll1ns) Casto; married (1) Susannah Deweese April 12, 1845 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Susannah Deweese was born October 20, 1823 in Preston County, (W) Virginia to Samuel and Edith Deweese. Susannah and George R. made their home in Jackson County where Susannah died April 10, 1857. She is interred in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery near Given in Jackson County.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE R. AND SUSANNAH CASTO

- 1. Samuel E. Casto b. February 5, 1846; marr. Amanda Ruthe Ankrom December 6, 1877 in Jackson County; died March 16, 1923 in Jackson County.
- 2. George Washington Casto marr. (1) C. Barber, (2) Margaret F. Johnston.
- 3. Martha Jane Casto b. 1849; marr. Richard Ankrom March 12, 1868 Jackson County; d. February 22, 1933.
- 4. Lydia Casto b. 1850; no other info.
- 5. Margaret E. Casto b. 1855. no other information.
- 6. Edmund R. Casto b. 1857; no other information.

George R. Casto married (2) S. Winnie Woodyard on November 7, 1861 in Jackson. Winnie was born During January of 1838 in Meigs County, Ohio to John and Mary Woodyard. ISSUE:

- 1. Martin A. Casto b. 1862
- 2. Lewis A. Casto b. 1863
- 3. Electa A. Casto b. 1865
- 4. Allen Casto b. 1866
- 5. Eliza E. Casto b. 1869
- 6. Elijah Casto b. 1870
- 7. Charles Casto b. 1873
- 8. Hannah Casto b. February 1883

George R. Casto was a farmer and lived his entire life in Jackson County. One George R. Casto was active in the Pleasant Hill Church serving as a trustee and Sun-School Superintendent. I suspect it may be our George R. Casto since his first wife is buried in that cemetery. George died March 4, 1903, almost 77 years of age.

DEWEESE FAMILY

The parents of Susannah Deweese were living in Jackson County near George and Susannah Casto when the 1850 Census was taken. Samuel Deweese was born ca. 1785 in Pennsylvania and her mother, Edith, was born in 1788 in Virginia. There is no record of their marriage, but they probably married in the early 1820's as Susannah was one of their oldest children. The couple resided in Preston County, Virginia at one time and were residents of Jackson County by 1840. Following are the known children of Samuel and Edith Deweese. There were probably other children.

- 1. Edith Deweese b. 1822; marr. Christopher Hershman September 15, 1850 Jackson Co.
- 2. Susannah Deweese marr. George R. Casto 112

- 3. Benjamin C. Deweese b. 1828; marr. (1)
 Grace Casto November 5, 1848 in Jackson
 County (2) Nancy A. Hershman January 8,
 1857 Jackson County. (Question reg.
 first marriage.)
- 4. Wesley Deweese b. 1830 Preston Co.
- 5. Robert H. Deweese b. 1832; marr. (1) Lucinda Hatcher January 19, 1860 in Jackson County (2) America Hatcher (sister of Lucinda) June 12, 1862 in Jackson County.
- 6. Henry S. Deweese b. 1834; marr. Mary E. Barnhart April 12, 1863 in Jackson County; served in Civil War.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CASTO⁶ was born August 9, 1847 in Jackson County, (W) Virginal to George R. and Susannah (Deweese) Casto. He married (1) C. Barber in Jackson County September 29, 1870. She was the daughter of Sol. and C. Barber from Meigs County, Ohio, and was fifteen years old when she married George W. Casto. We know of two children by this marriage as listed on the 1880 Census for Mason Co.(a) Champ Casto b. 1873 and (b) Margaret Casto b. 1875; married

_____Myers; died in Franklin Co., Ohio;
bur. Logan, Ohio.

It seems Margaret was very temperamental and somewhat resentful of her new step-mother. Our grandmother told this story about her step-sister, Maggie Casto. Maggie was sent to return dishes her mother had borrowed from a neighbor when it was her turn to feed the threashers as they moved from farm to farm to harvest the wheat. After some time the neighbor inquired about her dishes, and it was discovered Maggie had broken the dishes and hid them in a log.



George W. and Margaret F. Casto Children Myrtle, Robert and Gertrude

GEORGE WASHINGTON CASTO was known as "Wash" Casto. He married (2) Margaret Frances Johnston in Mason County, W. Va. December IJ, 1878. Margaret (or Fannie) was born December 8, 1856 to Abraham and Susannah (McMillen) Johnston. The Bible records give her birthplace as Greenbrier County.

This couple resided in Cologne District in Mason County, West Virginia until 1891-92 when they removed to Jackson County. Wash farmed in Jackson County. The family moved to Ohio in 190J where he was employed by the railroad.

Maggie (Johnston) Casto was afflicted with a goiter. You will notice in her

photograph that she held her head at an angle to hide the goiter.

Wash Casto died November IJ, 1926 in Logan (Hocking County), Ohio. Margaret died December 29, 1928 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio. They are buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery in Logan, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE W. AND MARGARET CASTO

- 1. Cora Belle Casto marr. George Lathey (See pp. 91-97)
- 2. Rosa E. Casto b. August, 1881; marr. Kelly Kay.
- 3. Miranda Casto b. August, 1883; marr.
 (1) Alula Ruble (2) Exma____; died 1971 in Logan, Ohio.
- 4. Susan Ellen (Elphia) Casto b. May 27, 1886; marr. Darrell Cokeley.
- 5. Lucy Jane Casto b. 1888; died as a child.
- 6. Robert Casto b. March J, 1891 in Mason County; marr. Mamie Friend.
- 7. Myrtle Elizabeth (Elsie) Casto b. January 15, 1893 Jackson County; marr. Stewart.
- 8. Lesty Gertrude Casto b. August, 1896 in Jackson County; marr. Oscar Bolinger; resides in Logan, Ohio.

JOHNSTON FAMILY

Abraham Johnston, the father of Margaret Johnston was born ca. 1827 in Virginia. He died before the 1900 Census was taken for Mason County, W. Va. Margaret's mother, Susannah L. (McMillen) Johnston was born in Virginia, and her

parents were born in Kentucky. Susannah was born in September of 18J4. We are not certain of her parentage. A James McMillen (age 65 and a shoemaker) was living in the same household of Abraham and Susannah in 1850. He may have been her grandfather, or even her father. However, there were two McMillen families living nearby, and Susan could fit in either the family of Joseph and Susan McMillen or Samuel and Rebecca McMillen.

Susannah (McMillen) Johnston was yet living when the 1900 Census was taken. She was living with her son, John W., in Cologne District of Mason County. Information contained thereon shows she had given birth to twelve children and six were still living at that time.

CHILDREN OF ABRAHAM AND SUSAN JOHNSTON

- 1. Nancy Johnston b. 1850; no other info.
- 2. John W. Johnston b. May, 1852 in Ohio; never married; died in Logan, Ohio; Was known as "Uncle Jay."
- 3. James A. Johnston b. September 1854; marr. Mary ; Residing in Mason County in 1900. Issue: Josie M., John H., Wilbur R., Etta L., Iva E.
- 4. Margaret Frances Johnston b. 1856; marr. George W. Casto. (See pp. 114-115)
- 5. Mary Johnston b. 1862; no other info.
- 6. Hezekiah Johnston b. 1865; no other info.
- 7. Helen Johnston (Twin to Hezekiah) b. 1865. No other information.
- 8. Male child Johnston b. 1870; no other information.
- 9. Franklin Johnston b. 1871; no other info.

- 10. William Johnston b. 1873; no other info.
- 11. Clara Belle Johnston b. 1877; no other information.

Gertrude (Aunt Gertie) Bolinger remembers hearing about Uncle Jay (John), Uncle Hezle, Uncle Frank, Aunt Ellen, and Aunt Clara. Although I find no record of Ellen, she was probably the twelfth child born to Susan (McMillen) Johnston.

Susannah Johnston was marked with an abnormality of her mouth. Aunt Gertie said her mouth was shaped perfectly, except for two blister-like marks on either side of her upper lip.

We can claim descent from Ireland on both the McMillen and Johnston lines.

SIXTH GENERATION

- 119. JOSEPH ALEY (Or Alex) LATHEY born June 11, 1907 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Verde V. and Myrtle (Smith) Lathey. No further information.
- 120. LILLIAN LEOLA LATHEY of Verde V. and Myrtle (Smith) Lathey was born November 13, 1908 in Jackson County, W. Va.
- 121. LESTER ARTHUR (JACK) LATHEY born to Verde V. and Myrtle (Smith) Lathey December 22, 1910 in Jackson County, W. Va.; married Mary, the adopted daughter of Etta (Lathey) Romine Brooks November 18, 1931. Lester and Mary reside in Meigs County, Ohio just back of Middleport.
- 122. MARY FAY LATHEY born to Verde V. and Myrtle (Smith) Lathey; died as infant. 123. MARIE LATHEY of Verde V. and Myrtle (Smith) Lathey was struck and killed by an automobile when about twelve years of age.
- 124. FRANKIE LATHEY, daughter of Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey, was born January 14, 1898 in Jackson County, W. Va. Marr. (1) Latham Bass she died January 1, 1970.
 - a. Odel Bass b. June 1, 1916; d. November of 1949
 - b. Leo Bass b. February 28, 1918
 - c. Beulah Bass d. Odis Bass

Frankie's second marriage was to Shorty Young. ISSUE:

- a. Roy A. Young
- b. Lloyd Young b. February 26, 1927.
- 125. CLAUDIA D. LATHEY born December

- 21, 1899 to Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey; married Tennle Shamb11n; died November 5, 1974.
- 126. AUDRA LATHEY born August 16 1903 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey; marr. Fred Cadle; died May 31, 1973. ISSUE:
 - a. Thirza Alma Cadle b. March 25, 1925
 - b. Harry Edgar Cadle d. April 9, 1935
 - c. Harold Cadle
 - d. Betty Cadle
 - e. Oliver Cadle
- 127. EDRA EMMA LATHEY of Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey born September 30, 1907; marr. Elmer Proffitt August 6, 1925 Meigs County, Ohio. ISSUE:
 - a. Roy Leroy Proffitt b. May 8, 1926
 - b. Clarence G. Proffitt b. Nov. 8, 1929
 - c. Bertha E. Proffitt b. July 30, 1932
 - d. Elmer Proffitt, Jr. b. April 16, 1937
 - e. Janet Irene Proffitt b. Nov. 23, 1941
- 128. AMANDA LATHEY b. September 17, 1911 in Jackson County to Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey; marr. (1) Paul Johnson. ISSUE: Paula Karen Johnson b. July 24, 1945.

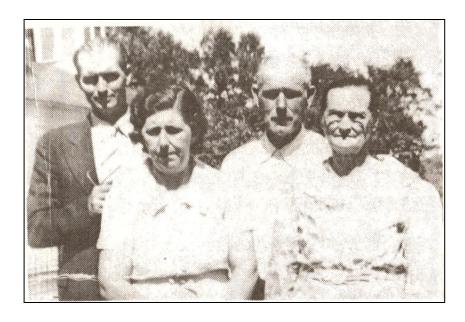
Amanda marr. (2) Charles Tucker. ISSUE: Karl Ray Tucker b. September 17, 1948.

- 129. C. ALBERT LATHEY b. December 25, 1914 to Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey; marr. Vera Groff February 27, 1936; d. October 22, 1976. ISSUE: Daniel b. Sept. 16, 1936.
- 130. VADA FAYE LATHEY of Odis and Alma (Casto) Lathey b. January 18, 1920; married Russell Wolty November 20, 1937. ISSUE:
 - a. Joyce Ann Woltz b. October 7, 1938
 - b. Jeanette Wolty b. April 24, 1941

- c. June Wolty b. June 27, 1943
- d. Judy Wolty b. November 17,1944
- e. Michael Wolty b. December 8,1948
- f. Jerri Wolty b. March 23, 1958.

131. VALCIE J. LATHEY was born October 1, 1899 in Jackson county, W. Va. to George (Pete) and Cora (Casto) Lathey. He married Sarah Ethel Taylor In Mason County, W. Va. October 17, 1920. She was born November 5, 1898; the daughter of Willis and Fannie (Board) Taylor, In Mason County, W. Va. Valcie died October 24 1963 at the University Hospital In Morgantown, and is buried in the Old Town (Board) Cemetery in Mason County.

The following snapshot of Valcie and Ethel Lathey and his parents, George and Cora Belle Lathey, was taken In the early 1940's in Mason County.



Valcie (sometimes called V. J. or Cap) and Ethel purchased 61 acres of real estate on Parchment Creek in Jackson County soon after their marriage, and it was there he received his call into the ministry. He was licensed to preach in the United Brethren Church of Christ in 1924 and granted his license to "celebrate the Rite of Matrimony" from the Jackson County Court June 27, 1924 under bond in the penalty of \$1,500.00 with his father as suretor. He was first assigned a charge in Wirt County near Elizabeth, W. Va.

V. J. received his high school education via a correspondence school out of Chicago, and completed his theological studies while pastoring the three churches in Wirt County (Bethel, Mt. Hope, and Gates Ridge). He was ordained into the ministry September 7, 1933 at Clarksburg, W. Va. by the officiating Bishop G. D. Batdorf of the United Brethren Church of Christ (now United Methodist).

He served six pastorates in the West Virginia Conference over a period of 26 years in Wirt, Tyler, Mason, Wood and Doddridge Counties. He then transferred to the Ohio Sandusky Coference in 1951 where failing health caused him to retire to Mason County in April of 1960.

At one time, chicken was the main fare for Sunday dinner and Valcie did not relish the dish. He always said he lacked that much of being a preacher •. Another remark remembered by his grandchildren was always repeated at meal time when there was company, "We have lots to eat and its been well prepared."

Ethel (Taylor) Lathey now resides in Parkersburg, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF VALCIE AND ETHEL LATHEY

- 165. Elva Lathey marr. R. A. Richardson
- 166. Ruth Lathey marr. R. T. Bumgarner
- 167. Adrian Lathey marr. (1) Maxine Brown
 - (2) Emma Master
- 168. Carmen Lathey marr. William Barron
- 132. DELA DORIS LATHEY of George and Cora (Casto) Lathey was born January.8, 1901 in Jackson County, W. Va.; married September 29, 1926 in Jackson County to Robert Rowley, son of Edgar B. and Martha (Dillon) Rowley; died April 18, 1929.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND DELA ROWLEY

- 169. Geraldine Rowley
- 170. Eugene Rowley marr. Macil Morrison
- 133. IVA GLADYS LATHEY, daughter of George and Cora (Casto) Lathey, was born September 13, 1902 in Jackson County, W. Va. She was married to Londes A. Parsons in Jackson County November 17, 1923. Londes was born February 1, 1900 in Jackson County to Okey and Emma () Parsons.

Londes and Iva lived in Jackson County for some years and then moved to Buffalo in Putnam County. Londes farmed and was also employed in various field of work. They purchased a 114 acre farm in Tyler County in the early 1940's, where Londes farmed and was employed at the Paden City Pottery Company. They later moved to Nitro West Virginia, and Londes retired from the Goodrich Company in 1965.

Londes passed away October 16, 1972 in Kanawha County, W. Va., and is buried in Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens at Teys Valley.

Iva resides at Nitro in Kanawha County, West Virginia.
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CHILDREN OF LONDES AND IVA PARSONS

- 171. Evelyn Parsons marr. Lee Warner
- 172. Lee Parsons marr. Nadine Flanagan
- 173. Thelma Parsons marr. Donald Smith
- 174. Ruth Parsons marr. T. Jack Bishop

134. ORIS RAY LATHEY born February 12, 1905 in Jackson County, W. Va. to George and Cora (Casto) Lathey; married Lucy Thornton December 25, 1924 in Jackson County. Lucy was born June 16, 1904 to Henry Calvin and Ida (Woodard) Thornton.

The Thornton family have been long residents of Jackson County, and descend from John Thornton (b. 1805) and Susannah (b. 1807). Lucy's father was born in March of 1864, the son of Charles and Elizabeth J. Thornton. Charles was born in 1839 to John and Susannah Thornton, and Henry Calvin Thornton and Ida Belle Woodard were married in Jackson County February 28, 1886.

Oris and Lucy lived in Sebring, Ohio for a short time after their marriage, and have lived in Jackson County since that time. Oris was a farmer, now retired and residing at Evans in Jackson County, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF ORIS AND LUCY LATHEY

- 175. Oris D. Lathey marr. Rose Stover
- 176. Genevieve Lathey marr. Basil Carney
- 170. Eugene Rowley marr. Macil Morrison
- 135. CORDA BEATRICE LATHEY born March 1, 1906 in Jackson County, W. Va. to George and Cora (Casto) Lathey; married Okey Johnson Rowley September 27, 1924, by her brother, Valcie. Johnson was the son of Edgar B. and Lydia A. Rowley born to them July 18, 1897 in Jackson

County, West Virginia.

Johnson was a farmer and was employed by the Ashby Construction Company before his death April 20, 1968. Corda then worked as a pastry expert in various restaurants in the Nitro area. Her residence is in Nitro, Kanawha County.

CHILDREN OF JOHNSON AND CORDA ROWLEY

177. Wilford Rowley marr. Jessie Ashby 178. Oris Rowley marr. Garnette R. Payne 179. Phyllis Rowley marr. Clifton Drake

136. HARRY CLARK LATHEY of George and Cora (Casto) Lathey was born June 21, 1908 in Jackson County, West Virginia; married November 26, 1931 to Garnet Sheets in Wirt county, West Virginia. Garnet was born June 23, 1911 in Wirt County to William and Docia (Bower) Sheets.

Harry was well known as a young man for his expertise on the soft ball fields of Jackson County. Harry and Garnet moved to Akron, Ohio during 1933 where Harry was employed by the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company detailed in the manufacture of tractor tires. The family returned to West Virginia in December of 1937 and settled on a 198 acre farm in Tyler County, West Virginia. They returned to Akron in March of 1941, and Harry continued working for Goodyear until May of 1942 when they returned to their home in Tyler County, where they now reside.

Harry is a real sportsman when it comes to fox hunting, and can usually be found every Saturday night listening to his dogs.

CHILDREN OF HARRY AND GARNET LATHEY

180. Shirley Lathey marr. James Brammer 181. Sandra Lathey marr. Eugene M. Cokeley

182. Clyde W. Lathey

183. Ronald Lathey marr. Elizabeth Grove

137. CLYDE HOMER LATHEY of George W and Cora (Casto) Lathey was born September 20, 1919 in Jackson County, West Virginia; married Jane Kessel December 30, 1934 In Jackson County. Jane was born June 14, 1910 in Jackson County, the daughter of Dennis and Ella (Corbin) Kessel.

Clyde is a full-fledged farmer in every sense of the word, farming not only his land, but acreage on other nearby rented farms. Clyde and Jane have always resided In Jackson County.

CHILDREN OF CLYDE AND JANE LATHEY

184. Stanley Lathey marr. Mary Warner 185. Ella Faith Lathey marr. Everett Johnson

138. CLARA MARIE LATHEY was born May 27, 1912 in Jackson County, West Virginia to George and Cora (Casto) Lathey; marr October 19, 1935 by her brother, Valcie, to Louis Ray Welling. Ray is the son of Charles L. and Alice Jane (Carney) Welllng, and was born July 26, 1914 in Jackson or Putnam County of West Virginia. Clara died May 22, 1974 and is buried in the Moss Chapel Cemetery in Putnam County.

Ray and Clara lived the most part of their married life in Jackson County, except for a time spent in Tyler County. Ray is now a retired farmer and cattleman.

Clara was a devout Christian and loving mother, always placing God and her children before her own needs. She was kind, considerate, and generous; a quiet person content with her lot. A quote from one of her daughters, "Mom had a

heart as big as all outdoors."

CHILDREN OF RAY AND CLARA WELLING

186. Karl Welling marr. Ida Whetzel

187. Caroline Welling marr. Bobby Chancey

188. Charles Wilman Welling.

189. Yvonne Welling marr. Gary Johnson

190. Donald Welling marr. Carole Minard

191. Maxine Welling marr. Gary Lee Eagle.

192. Larry Welling marr. Connie Jividen

193. Helen Welling marr. Gene Fisher

194. Dale Welling marr. Connie Atkins

195. Linda Welling marr. Dwight Warner

196. Troy Gay Welling

197. Debra Welling marr. David Brabham

139. GEORGE WILMAN LATHEY, JR. of George and Cora (Casto) Lathey was born July 21, 1914 and died October 7, 1914. He is pictured as the baby in the photo of the family. His burial spot is near the home place in Jackson County.

140. ARTIE CLEORA LATHEY was born May 30, 1916 in Jackson County to George and Cora (Casto) Lathey; marr. October 5, 1935 to Roy Madison (Kiffen) Sayre, son of Okey Kenneth and Effie Dell (Buckalew) Sayre, born to them October 1, 1917 at Given in Jackson County, West Virginia.

Kiffen and Cleora have farmed, operated a grocery store, and are now retired after Kiffen working some thirty years at the Union Carbide plant located at Institute, W. Va.

They have lived in Jackson, Tyler and Roane Counties, and are now residents of Charleston in Kanawha County, W. Va.

CHILDREN OF ROY AND CLEORA SAYRE

198. Sharleen Sayre marr. Otis W. Boswell 199. Shelba Jean Sayre marr. J. R. Kniceley 200. Kathleen Sayre marr. Lyle Slider

201. Keith Sayre marr. Joyce Eggleston

202. Nola Sayre marr. (1) R. F. McClanahan (2) R. K. Burford

203. James Sayre marr. Rita Applegate

204. Cheryl Sayre marr. T. K. Parker

141. HOWARD GLEN LATHEY was born June 21, 1920, the last child of George and Cora (Casto) Lathey. He was born In Jackson County and married Leona Schoolcraft November 30, 1940. Leona was born November 16, 1923 in Fayette County, West Virginia, the daughter of Rotchie and Grace (Henson) Schoolcraft.

Howard and Leona reside in Columbus Ohio. Howard is retired from Owens-Illinois Glass Company since 1975, and Leona is employed by Stokeley-Van Camp in that City.

CHILDREN OF HOWARD AND LEONA LATHEY

205. Zelma Lathey marr. Lawrence McDonald

206. Robert Lathey marr. Lueza Creech

207. Alan Lathey marr. Campbell

208. Teresa Lathey marr. Douglass Burtram

SEVENTH GENERATION

165. ELVA ETHEL LATHEY born December 5, 1921 to Valcie J. and Ethel (Taylor) Lathey in Jackson County, West Virginia; marr. Robert Arthur Richardson October 13, 1947 in Doddridge County, W. Va. Bob is the son of the late Nathaniel M. Richardson and Bertha (Little) Richardson, and was born to them August 2, 1921 in Wood County, W. Va.

Elva is a graduate of the Sistersville High School and the Perry Business School, and worked in secretarial positions before her marriage to Bob. She is an avid reader and collector of books. Bob and Elva have lived in the communities of Red Hill and Murphy town in Wood County, and now reside in the city of Parkersburg.

Bob is a sheet metal expert and is employed in the maintenance department of the E. I. DuPont de Nemours and Co., Inc. Washington Works.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND ELVA RICHARDSON

209. Max Richardson marr.

- (1) Barbara Pennybacker
- (2) Donna Kay Blake
- 210. Cathie Lynn Richardson
- 211. Zackery Matthew Richardson

166. MURL RUTH LATHEY, daughter of Valcie J. and Ethel (Taylor) Lathey, was born June 7, 1923 in Jackson County. She married Robert Taylor Bumgarner on October 14, 1940 in Meigs County, Ohio. Robert was born December 6, 1918 to John and Oma L. (Roush) Bumgarner at Richmond (Union County), Ohio.

Ruth is an accomplished seamstress, and a true "help meet" to her husband in 128

his profession as a Minister of the Gospel. Robert received his call to the ministry after the birth of their first two children, and pastored churches in Jackson and Wood Counties. He pursued his education and graduated from Findlay College at Findlay, Ohio while pastoring churches in that area.

The have resided in Toledo, Findlay, and Sidney, Ohio, and have just retired to their home in Sidney, Ohio.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND RUTH BUMGARNER

212. Robert Bumgarner marr.

- (1) Ellen McCorkle
- (2) Ada Rose Richardson
- 213. Barbara Bumgarner marr. David Geuy
- 214. Ruth Ann Bumgarner marr.

James Chrisman

215. Dallas Bumgarner marr.

Stephanie Sawade

167. VALCIE ADRIAN LATHEY, only son of Valcie J. and Ethel (Taylor) Lathey, was born in Jackson County, West Virginia, January 6, 1925; marr Maxine Mulford Brown June 14, 1945 in the Evangelical United Brethren parsonage at Red Hill in Wood County, West Virginia by Adrian's father, Valcie. Maxine was born February 4, 1927 in Mason County, the daughter of Walter and Nola (Roush) Brown. She died October 8, 1975 in Columbus, Ohio, and is buried in the Fry Cemetery in Mason County.

Adrian and Maxine purchased a 105 acre farm located in Mason County in 1951. He operated a dairy business until 1961, then was a dealer in Black Angus cattle until 1976 when he leased the farm until its sale in 1979. He is now semi-retired and drives a school bus for Mason County.

Adrian's second marriage was to Emma Lou Master. They were married in May Of 1976 and reside in a new home located on a portion of his original farm. Emma was born November 20, 1935 in Preston County, West Virginia, daughter of Clifford and Minnie (Taylor) Master.

CHILDREN OF ADRIAN AND MAXINE LATHEY

216. Linda Lathey marr. F. H. Capehart, III 217. Judith Lathey marr. Garey Cropper

168. CARMEN ILENE LATHEY was born October 26, 1928 in Wirt County, West Virginia to Valcie J. and Ethel (Taylor) Lathey; married William Arthur Barron July 3, 1949 in Doddridge County (West Union) by her father. Bill was born October 29, 1929 in Wood County, West Virginia to Talbott A. and Donna (Morrison) Barron.

Carmen and Bill have resided in the Red Hill area of Wood County, except for two years spent in Jacksonville, Florida while Bill was serving a 4-year term with the United States Navy.

Bill is employed by the E. I. Dupont de Nemours and Company, Inc. at their Washington Works plant.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND CARMEN BARRON

218. Reed Barron marr. Donna Jean Kiger 219. Rober Barron marr. Cindy Fryfogle 169. GERALDINE ROWLEY was born to Ro-bert and Dela (Lathey) Rowley in Jackson County West Virginia. No further information, except that she was raised by her father's sister, Mary, after her mother's death in 1929.

170. WENDELL EUGENE ROWLEY was born March 27, 1929. (See p. 133)

171. EVELYN L. PARSONS was born September 6, 1924 to Londes A. and Iva G. (Lathey) Parsons in Jackson County, W. Va. She married October 23, 1942 in Meigs County, Ohio Lee A. Warner, son of Hobert C. and Macy (Sayre) Warner. Lee was born September 12, 1922 at Elmwood in Mason County, West Virginia.

The family has resided in Kanawha County, West Virginia since Lee completed his service in the United States Army during World War II. Lee is employed as Maintenance Coordinator at the Union Carbide plant in Kanawha County. They reside at Hurricane, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF LEE AND EVELYN WARNER

220. Charles Warner marr. Jennifer Naylor 221. James Warner marr. Mary C. Powell

222. Jan Warner

172. HAROLD LEE PARSONS of Londes and Iva (Lathey) Parsons was born August 27, 1925 in Jackson County, W. Va.; married. Nadine Flanagan who was born July 23, 1927 in Tyler County, West Virginia.

Lee was an employee of the Union Carbide Company (Linde Air Division), and he and his family resided in Kanawha County, West Virginia. He died March 15, 1978, and his body is interred in the Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens at Teys Valley.

CHILDREN OF LEE AND NADINE PARSONS

223. Norma Parsons marr. Jerry Pauley

224. Marlene Parsons marr. Roger Kaiser

225. Harold L. Parsons marr.

Kathy Stamper

173. THELMA MAE PARSONS, daughter of Londes and Iva (Lathey) Parsons, was born 131

October 26, 1932 at Buffalo, Putnam County West Virginia. She married in Kanawha County April 22, 1955 Donald V. Smith. Donald was born July 29, 1932 in Kanawha County, the son of Guy G. and Della E. (Williams) Smith.

Donald's work as Division Claims Superintendent for the State Farm Insurance Company has taken the fam11Y into the states of Virginia, Ohio, Illinois, Tennessee, and Wild Wonderful West Virginia. They reside in Illinois at the present time.

CHILDREN OF DONALD AND THELMA SMITH

226. Deborah Smith marr.

Brennis Craddock

227. Michael David Smith

174. VIRGINIA RUTH PARSONS of Londes and Iva (Lathey) Parsons was born July 11, 1937 at Buffalo in Putnam. County, W Va. She married T. Jack Bishop February 10, 1956. Jack was born August 4, 1934 in Kanawha County, West Virginia to Theodore R. and Geraldine (Blake) Bishop.

Jack and Ruth live in South Charleston where Jack is employed by the Union Carbide plant.

CHILDREN OF JACK AND RUTH BISHOP

228. Jack Bishop, Jr. marr. Gayla Boyles

229. Gerald W. Bishop

230. Anthony Dale Bishop

175. ORIS DALE LATHEY was born March 5 1926 in Franklin County, Ohio, the son of Oris and Lucy (Thornton) Lathey; married Rose Stover December 21, 1943 in Jackson County. Rose was born December 1, 1930 in Mason County, W. Va. to Cline D. and

Edna (Sayre) Stover.

Oris Dale (known as Junior) and Rose live at Point Pleasant, West Virginia. He is employed by Kaiser Aluminum Company at Ravenswood, West Virginia.

CHILD OF ORIS D. AND ROSE LATHEY

231. Wilma Lathey marr. G. Neil Rife

176. GENEVIEVE MAR LENT LATHEY was born October 23, 1933 to Oris and Lucy (Thornton) Lathey in Jackson County, W. Va. She married James Basil Carney February 13, 1955, the son of Jesse and Linnie (Hill) Carney. Basil was born September 5, 1926 in Jackson County, West Virginia. They reside at Given in Jackson County.

232. Latritia Lyn Carney marr.

John D. Snyder

233. Pamela Hayden Carney

234. James Royal Carney

170. WENDELL EUGENE ROWLEY was born March 27, 1929 at Given in Jackson County, West Virginia to Robert and Dela (Lathey) Rowley. Eugene's mother died soon after his birth, and he was raised by Oris and Lucy Lathey.

Eugene married Macil Ruth Morrison by the Rev. Robert Bumgarner on July 31, 1948 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Macil was born July J, 1927 in Mason County, the daughter of J. V. Morrison. They reside in Kanawha County, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF EUGENE AND MACIL ROWLEY

235. Randall Rowley marr. Joretta Gatewood

236. Stephen Rowley marr. Bonnie Sue Jack

237. Kevin Edward Rowley

177. WILFORD LESTER ROWLEY was born to 133

Johnson and Corda (Lathey) Rowley on August 9, 1925 in Jackson County. He married Jessie Mae Ashby October 16, 1951 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Jessie was born September 19, 1936 to the Rev. Kenneth and Ruby (Reynolds) Ashby, at Montgomery in Fayette County, West Virginia.

Wilford and Jessie lived at St.
Albans, West Virginia until 1960 when
they moved to Ft. Lauderdale, Florida for
two years. They returned to Nitro for
approximately five years, then on to
Allen Park, Michigan where they now
reside. Wilford is employed by General
Motors Hydra-Matic Division, Ypsilanti,
after 21 years with Libbey Owens Glass
Company. Jessie is employed by Noc-Wood
Chemical Corporation in Detroit.

CHILD OF WILFORD AND JESSIE ROWLEY

238. Paul Lester Rowley

178. ROBERT ORIS ROWLEY, son of Johnson and Corda (Lathey) Rowley was born September 4, 1926 in Jackson County, West Virginia. He married Garnette Ruthie Payne November 24, 1948 in Jackson County. She was born March 12, 1932 in Roane County, the daughter of Wm. H.and Mollie (Harper) Payne.

Oris and Garnette reside in Kanawha County where Oris is District Superintendent of the st. Albans Water Company. They have resided in the neighboring counties of Jackson, Roane, Putnam, and Kanawha since their marriage.

CHILDREN OF ORIS AND RUTHIE ROWLEY

239. Karen Rowley marr. Donald Myers 240. Robert Rowley marr. Augusta Moses

179. PHYLLIS DELORES ROWLEY was born December 31, 1932 to Johnson and Corda (Lathey) Rowley. She married Clifford Howard Drake November 24, 1948. Clifton was born July 10, 1930. He works in the coal mines of West Virginia.

Phyllis died July 12, 1977 in her sleep, and is interred in the Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens at Teys Valley in Kanawha County, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF CLIFTON AND PHYLLIS DRAKE

241. Clifton G. Drake marr.

- (1) Frances A. King
- (2) Debbie Hoffman
- 242. Steven H. Drake marr. Carol Harmon

180. SHIRLEY ANN LATHEY, daughter of Harry and Garnet (Sheets) Lathey, was born May 29, 1936 at Rockport in Wood County, West Virginia; married James Franklin Brammer in Tyler County, W. Va. December 5, 1953. He is the son of Clyde and Eva (Wagner) Brammer, and was born to them October 5, 1935 in Pleasants County, W. Va.

Jim and Sally reside in Pleasants County just north of St. Marys, West Virginia. Shirley operates her own concrete business, and Jim is a building contractor as well as an employee of Union Carbide plant in Bens Run, W. Va.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND SHIRLEY BRAMMER

- 243. Mark Brammer marr. Cathy Cox 244. Jeffrey Allen Brammer
- 181. SANDRA LEE LATHEY of Harry and Garnet (Sheets) Lathey was born May 13, 1939 in Tyler County, W. Va.; married Eugene Monroe Cokeley in Pleasants County

on April 11, 1958 in the Willow Island Baptist Church. Gene was born July 16, 1937 to Clyde and Ethel (McClure) Cokeley.

Gene and Sandra farm 500 acres near Bull Creek in Pleasants County along with his parents. Gene is also a full-time employee of the E. I. DuPont de Nemours and Company Washington Works plant.

CHILDREN OF GENE AND SANDRA COKELEY

245. Debra Lee Cokeley

246. Michael Gene Cokeley

247. Diana Lynn Cokeley

182. CLYDE WILMAN LATHEY was born to Harry and Garnet (Sheets) Lathey in Akron (Summit County), Ohio on January 9, 1942.

He graduated from the Newport News Shipping Yards in Virginia in 1965, and has had his won business in Parkersburg since 1971, doing business as the Central Drafting.

183. RONALD LEE LATHEY was born March 3, 1951 to Harry and Garnet (Sheets) Lathey in Wood County, West Virginia; married at Middlebourne in Tyler County, West Virginia on June 5, 1971 to Elizabeth Grove, daughter of Olin and Thelma (Mosser) Grove, born in July of 1951.

Ronnie graduated from Fairmont State College in 1973 with a degree in Mathmatics. He excelled in basketball during his years attending Sistersville High School, and is now teacher of mathmatics and coach of baseball and basketball at Williamstown High School in Wood County.

CHILD OF RONNIE AND ELIZABETH LATHEY

248. Daniel Craig Lathey

184. STANLEY DENNIS LATHEY was born to Clyde and Jane (Kessel) Lathey February 22, 1936 in Jackson County, W. Va.; married Mary Warner December 27, 1957 in Jackson County, W. Va. Mary was born July 25, 1927 to Clarence and Grace (Allen) Warner.

Stanley and Mary live in Jackson County. Stanley is a full time employee of Kaiswer Aluminum Company at Ravenswood, and also farms. Mary's occupation outside the home in that of a bookkeeper.

CHILDREN OF STANLEY AND MARY LATHEY

249. Cendy Lathey

250. Richard Lathey marr. Nancy Ransom

185. ELLA FAITH LATHEY of Clyde and Jane (Kessel) Lathey was born May 9, 1940 In Jackson County, West Virginia; married Everett Johnson September 8, 1962. He is the son of Brady and Mary (Jones) Johnson born to them September 20, 1938 in Jackson County, West Virginia.

Everett and Ella Faith live in Jackson County in the home place of her grand-father, Denn1s Kessel. Everett is an employee of Kaiser Aluminum Company at Ravenswood, W. Va.

CHILDREN OF EVERETT AND ELLA FAITH JOHNSON

251. Annette Johnson

252. Michael Johnson

186. HARRY KARL WELLING was born December 4, 1936 in Tyler County, W. Va. to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling; married Ida Margaret Whetzel July 31, 1958 in Bergton, Rockingham County, Virginia. Ida 1S the daughter of Russel T. and Edith (Daniel) Whetzel, and was born in Rockingham County, Virgini2 April 3, 1938.

Karl and Ida reside at Given in Jackson County. This community was named for the first postmaster of the area. Karl is employed by the Kaiser Aluminum Company at Ravenswood, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF KARL AND IDA WELLING

253. Kimberly Welling marr. Blaine Southall

254. Katherine Hope Welling

187. CAROLYN MARIE WELLING of Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling was born May 8, 1938 in Jackson County, West Virginia; marr. Bobby Odell Chancey September 12, 1958 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Bob is the son of Odell and Bertha (Anderson) Chancey.

Bob and Carolyn live at Harrisville in Ritchie County, W. Va. where they operate a Dairy Queen Drive-in Restaurant. Bob is an antique collector and manages the Ritchie Telephone Company.

CHILDREN OF BOBBY AND CAROLYN CHANCEY

255. Leatha Lynn Chancey 256. Edward Eugene Chancey

188. CHARLES WILMAN WELLING was born to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling November 4, 1939 and died the same day.

189. CLARA YVONNE WELLING was born to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling Oct. 29, 1940 in Jackson County, W. Va.; marr. Garrett A. Johnson February 12, 1960 in Jackson County. Gary was born July 8, 1940 in Kanawha County, W. Va. to Brady G. and Mary (Jones) Johnson.

This Johnson family descends from a Perry Johnson born in 1867. The 1900

Census shows him with the following children: O. H. b. April, 1893, Everett b. December, 1894, Floyd H. b. April, 1897. You will note that his great-grandsons, Everett and Garrett, bot married into the seventh generation of the Lathey family.

Gary and Yvonne were married while Gary was in the U. S. Army (1959-1961); Yvonne worked as a secretary then. They now reside In Wood County and are independent distributors for the Amway Company. Gary's occupation is that of a mechanic for the Pleasant Plant of the Willow Island Power Company.

CHILDREN OF GARRETT AND YVONNE JOHNSON

257. Female Child b. December 23, 1962 d. Same Day

258. Teresa Johnson marr. Robert Kyer

259. Tina Louise Johnson

260. Tanya Johnson

261. Tara Johnson

190. DONALD RAY WELLING of Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling was born February 7, 1942 in Jackson County. He marr. Carole M. Minard June 29, 1963 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio. She was born to Robert C. and Alma L (Lindauer) Minard February 26, 1944.

CHILDREN OF DONALD AND CAROLE WELLING

262. Brenda Welling marr. Delton Huffman

263. Robert R. Welling

264. Troy L. Welling

265. Michael A. Welling

191. MAXINE ELAINE WELLING born May 20, 1943 to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling In Jackson County; marr. Gary Lee

Eagle April 14, 1961 in Jackson County. Gary is the son of Hubert and Ylua Eagle born to them April 15, 1939 at Fairplain in Jackson County.

Gary works at the Kaiser Aluminum Company in Ravenswood, and Maxine works parttime outside the home. They reside in Jackson County.

CHILD OF GARY AND MAXINE EAGLE

266. Gary Scot Eagle

192. LARRY EDWARD WELLING was born August 9, 1945 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling; marr. Connie Sue Jividen October 21, 1964 in Kanawha County, W. Va. Connie was born August 7, 1946 to Delvis and Phyllis (Harmon) Jividen.

Larry is a farmer and heavy equipment operator, and his work with the equipment takes him away from home wherever his expertise is needed. Their residence is located between Ripley and Charleston, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF LARRY AND CONNIE WELLING

267. Wayne Welling

268. Cathy Marie Welling

193. HELEN MARLENE WELLING of Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling was born March 28, 1947 in Jackson County. She marr. Carroll Gene Fisher in Jackson County June 29, 1973, the son of Howard and Dessie Fisher, born August 1, 1944 at Sissonville in Jackson County, West Virginia.

This couple resides in Ripley, West Virginia where Gene has the dealership for Massey Ferguson Farm and Garden Equipment, and also deals in recreational equipment.

CHILDREN OF GENE AND HELEN FISHER

269. Carroll David Fisher

270. Michael Eugene Fisher

271. Dennis Fisher

272. Dawna Jean Fisher

194. DALE BLAINE WELLING born August 25, 1949 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling; marr. Connie S. Atkins June 29, 1973 in Jackson County, West Virginia. She was born Mar. 17, 1956 to Franklin and Margaret (Hanger) Atkins in Kanawha County. Dale is an escavating contractor and they reside in Jackson County, W. Va.

CHILDREN OF DALE AND CONNIE WELLING

273. Monica Welling

274. Christina Welling

275. Dale W. Welling

195. LINDA SUE WELLING was born November 16, 1950 to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling in Jackson County; marr. Dwight D. Warner June 6, 1969. NO ISSUE. Linda resides at Eleanor, West Virginia, and is employed by the Bobby Brooks Garment factory at Nitro, West Virginia.

196. TROY GAY WELLING was born to Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling September 26, 1952; died the same day.

197. DEBRA LYNN WELLING, the youngest daughter of Ray and Clara (Lathey) Welling was born April 21, 1956 in Jackson County, West Virginia; married David Brabham February 14, 1976 in Jackson County. David is employed at Kaiser Aluminum at Ravenswood.

CHILD OF DAVID AND DEBRA BRABHAM

276. Angela Marie Brabham

198. CLEORA SHARLEEN SAYRE born to Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre July 24, 19J6 at Given in Jackson County; marr. Otis Warren Boswell December 22, 1956 at Cross Lanes in Kanawha County.

Otis is the son of Wiley A. and Mary Etta (Hanning) Boswell, and was born August 14, 1928 at Given in Jackson Co. Otis served with the U. S. Air Force (1950-53), and is a qualified mschine operator at the Kaiser Aluminum company in Ravenswood, W. Va. Sharleen is employed by Thomas and Wolfe Meats in Ripley, West Virginia.

Otis and Sharleen reside in Jackson County at Given which is located near the forks of Parchment Creek, and so named for the first postmaster, William B. Given.

CHILDREN OF OTIS AND SHARLEEN SAYRE

- 277. Sherry Boswell marr. Jearl Barnett
- 278. Mary Ānn Boswell
- 279. Warren Kent Boswell

199. SHELBA JEAN SAYRE of Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre was born January 27, 1938 in Tyler County, W. Va.; marr. Jackie Ray Kniceley February 22, 1969 in Sparta, North Carolina. He was born April 26, 19J9 at Sutton in Braxton County, W. Va., the son of Norman and Nellie Gray (Canfield) Kniceley.

Jackie and Shelba Jean now reside in Charleston, Kanawha County, W. Va. where Jackie is employed by the West

Virginia Department of Highways.
CHILD OF JACKIE AND SHELBA KNICELEY

280. Michelle Lynn Sayre Kniceley

200. JANE KATHLEEN (KATHY) SAYRE was born to Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre June 9, 19J9 at Given in Jackson County, W. Va.; marr. Lyle Adrian Slider February 29, 1956 in Nitro in Kanawha County. Lyle was born January 10, 19JJ at Mt. Zion in Calhoun County, the son of Thomas Helma and Lova Ann (Starcher) Slider. He died suddently June 9, 1980 in Wood County, West Virginia.

Lyle and Kathy owned and operated a grocery store on Limestone Hill near Rockport, West Virginia for five years (1964-69). Lyle's profession was that of a salesman. Kathy resides at their home in Rockport, and is now beginning a new career as Sales Representative with Advertising Dimensions in Parkersburg, after several years with the Internal Revenue Service.

CHILDREN OF LYLE AND KATHLEEN SLIDER

- 281. Shawn Slider marr. Delores Flanery
- 282. Kimberly Slider marr. David Flanery
- 283. Cathy Slider marr. Olaf Johnson
- 284. Kandy Slider marr. Michael Watson

201. ROY KEITH SAYRE was born June 9, 1947 in Roane County, West Virginia to Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre; marr. Joyce Ellen Eggleston July 17, 1965 at Rockport in. Wood. County, West Virginia. She is the daughter of Charles H. and Olive Macil (Page) Eggleston, and was born May 19, 1948 in Eagle Hole in Putnam County, West Virginia.

Keith is the Route Supervisor for the Valley Bell Dairy in Charleston, West Virginia, and Joyce is employed by the Kanawha Bank. They reside in Charleston.

CHILDREN OF KEITH AND JOYCE SAYRE

285. Tammy Ellen Sayre 286. Keith Madison Sayre

202. NOLA CAROL SAYRE of Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre was born July 6, 1949 in Roane County, W. Va.; marr. (1) Roger Franklin McClanahan, and (2) Robert Keith Burford March 17, 197J at Nitro in Kanawha County. Robert was born September 27, 1944 in Kanawha County to Freeman R. and Vivian (Painter) Burford.

Nola and Robert reside in Charleston where Robert is a qualified mechanic for a machine company.

CHILD OF ROGER AND NOLA MC CLANAHAN

287. Lisa Carol McClanahan

203. JAMES MADISON SAYRE was born to Roy and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre November 25, 1950 in Roane County, W. Va.,; marr. Rita Susan Applegate, daughter of Arlie Taylow and Doris (Houdashell) Applegate. Rita was born December 8, 1953 in Mc Dowell County, West Virginia.

They reside in Charleston, West Virginia where Jimmie is employed by the Monsanta Chemical plant in Nitro.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND RITA SAYRE

288. Christopher James Sayre 289. Tracy Lee Sayre

204. CHERYL LYNN SAYRE was born to

Roy M. and Cleora (Lathey) Sayre June 14, 1953 at Nitro in Kanawha County, West Virginia; marr. Thomas Keith Parker April 27, 1974 at Cross Lanes in Kanawha County. Keith was born July 7 1943 in Fayette County, son of Early, James and Maxine (Winfield) Parker.

Thomas and Cheryl reside in Oak Hill West Virginia where they deal in rental' property and he does construction work.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND CHERYL PARKER

290. John Keith Parker 291. Kara Lynn Parker

205. ZELMA LOU LATHEY was born September 9, 1942 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Howard and Leona (Schoolcraft) Lathey She is married to Lawrence McDonald and. they reside in Columbus, Ohio where Zelma is office manager for a local firm.

CHILDREN OF LAWRENCY AND ZELMA MC DONALD

292. Cindy McDonald

293. Rhonda McDonald

206. ROBERT EUGENE LATHEY of Howard and Leona (Schoolcraft) Lathey was born November 30, 1945 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Bobby is married to Lueza Creech who was born July 8, 1942 in Highland County, Kentucky.

They reside in Columbus, Ohio, where Bob is a member of the City of Columbus Police Department.

CHILD OF ROBERT AND LUEZA LATHEY

294. Michelle D. Kennedy

207. ALLEN GLEN LATHEY was born June 18, 1951 in Wood County, W. Va., the son of Howard and Leona (Schoolcraft) Lathey;

married Campbell who was born in Franklin County, Ohio to Otis S. and Mary Ann (Stevenson) Campbell. Allen is a machinist.

CHILD OF ALLEN AND

LATHEY

295. Colin Glan Lathey

208. TERESA LYNN LATHEY was born April 14, 1961 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio. She married Douglas Burtram August 1, 1974 in Columbus.

CHILD OF DOUGLAS AND TERESA BURTRAM

296. Amanda Gail Burtram

EIGHTH GENERATION

209. ALLEN MAX RICHARDSON of Robert and Elva (Lathey) Richardson was born July 17, 1948 in Wood County, W. Va.; married (1) Barbara Pennybacker October 14, 1972 in Wood County, West Virginia. Barbara is the daughter of Frank and Virginia (Maze) Pennybacker, Jr.

He married (2) Donna Kay Blake April 10, 1976 in Wood County. Donna was born May 22, 1949 in Cabell County, West Virginia, the daughter of Sidney, Sr. and Ramona (Spurlock) Blake. Donna has son, Craig Mount, by a previous marriage.

Max served with the U. S. Air Force 1967-71 in Okinawa, one time key strategic military base in the Far East, and Porto Rica. He has an Associate Business Degree from the Parkersburg Community College, and is following his career in business management with the J. C. Penney Company located in the Huntington Mall at Ona. They reside in Barboursville, West Virginia.

CHILD OF MAX AND BARBARA RICHARDSON

297. Juli Jo Richardson

- 210. CATHI LYNN RICHARDSON was born February 2J, 1952 in Parkersburg, W. Va. to Robert and Elva (Lathey) Richardson. She died June 15, 1964 when struck by an automobile in Elkins, West Virginia. She is buried in Arlington Memorial Gardens at Parkersburg, West Virginia.
- 211. ZACKERY MATTHEW RICHARDSON born March 13, 1967 to Robert and Elva (Lathey) Richardson in Wood County, West Virginia.
 - 212. ROBERT LEWIS BUMGARNER, eldest

son of Robert and Ruth (Lathey) Bumgarner, was born March 2, 1942 in Mason Co., West Virginia; marr. (1) Ellen McCorkle and (2) Ada Rose Richardson on May 6, 1971 in Lexington, Kentucky. Ada was born January 18, 1947 in London County, Kentucky, the daughter of J. B. and Anna (George) Richardson.

Bob and Ada live in Miamisburg, Ohio. Bob is a Sales Representative for a local firm in Dayton, Ohio and serves in the Ohio National Guard.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND ADA BUMGARNER

298. Robert Damion Bumgarner 299. Chad Ashley Bumgarner

213. BARBARA CAROL BUMGARNER of Robert and Ruth (Lathey) Bumgarner was born January 13, 1944 in Mason County, W. Va.; married December 2, 1962 in Pasco (Shelby County), Ohio by her grandfather Valcie Lathey, to Charles David Geuy who was born July 5, 1940 in Logan County, Ohio to Burton D. and Mary (Benz) Geuy.

Dave and Barbara reside in Shelby County, Ohio. Barbara is a licensed hair dresser and works in the local school system. Dave is a building contractor in business for himself.

CHILDREN OF DAVID AND BARBARA GEUY

300. Jon David Geuy

301. Jenna Lucretia Geuy

302. George Christian Geuy

303. Cari Ann Geuy

214. RUTH ANN BUMGARNER born February 25, 1948 in Wood County, West Virginia to Robert and Ruth (Lathey) Bumgarner; marr. James Joseph Chrisman on September 16, 1967 in Shelby County,

Ohio. Jim was born February 5, 1948 in Shelby County, Ohio to James Waldo and Martha (Anderson) Chrisman.

Jim and Ruth Ann reside in Shelby County, Ohlo where Jim is a practicing attorney in Shelby, Ohlo, following five years of active service in the Army serving 1n Arizona and the Panama Canal Zone.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND RUTH ANN CHRISMAN

304. Carmen Ann Chrisman

305. Sarah Ann Chrisman

306. David Clark Chrisman

307. Joseph Anderson Chrisman

215. DALLAS ADRIAN BUMGARNER, son of Robert and Ruth (Lathey) Bumgarner, was born October 31, 1949 1n Wood County, West Virginia; marr. Stephanie Jean Sawade July 31, 1971 in Toledo (Lucas County), Ohio, the daughter of Ronald C. and Mary Jean (Kane) Sawade born September 4, 1952.

Dallas spent time in the U. S. Marine Corps following his graduation from high school. He lives in Columbus, Ohio where h^{\sim} is in business for himself as a qualifled automobile mechanic.

CHILDREN OF DALLAS AND STEPHANIE BUMGARNER

308. Mason Taylor Bumgarner 309. Shannon Jean Bumgarner

216. LINDA ANDRIANNA LATHEY was born to Adrian and. Maxine (Brown) Lathey August 11, 1946 1n Mason County, West Virginia; marr. Frank Howard Capehart, III in Mason County October 21, 1967. Frank was born December 1, 1932 in Wood County West Virginia to Frank H., Jr. and Janett E. (Slater) Capehart.

Linda is a graduate of Glenville State 149

College with a Bachelor of Science degree, and is now teaching in the Putnam County School system in Winfield, West Virginia. Frank received his Master of Arts degree from West Virginia University and is engaged as an engineer of pipe design and drafting.

They are owners of Lindra Lamps located in Pt. Pleasant and Winfield, and owners of the Hidden Valley Country Club in Mason County, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF FRANK AND LINDA CAPEHART

310.Frank Howard Capehart, IV 311. Curtis Robert Adrian Capehart

217. JUDITH WILLENE LATHEY born May 15, 1950 in Mason County, West Virginia to Adrian and Maxine (Brown) Lathey; marr. August 15, 1971 in Mason County to Garey Wayne Cropper, son of John Samuel and Freda (Claypoole) Cropper. Garey was born February 9, 1947 in Maysville, Mason County, Kentucky.

Judy is a graduate of Glenville State College where she majored in Elementary Education. Garey has a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Science from Morehead State University in Kentucky. They reside in Seaford, Delaware where Judy teaches in the local school system, and Garey continues his association with Southern States Coop where he has been since his graduation from college in 1970.

CHILDREN OF GAREY AND JUDY CROPPER

312. Christen April Cropper

218. WILLIAM REED BARRON of William and Carmen (Lathey) Barron was born November 22, 1955 in Wood County, W. Va.; marr. Donna Jean Kiger February 14, 1976

in Wood County. Donna was born March 28, 1959 in New Brighton, Pennsylvania, the daughter of Ernest and Peggy (Pester) Kiger.

Reed attended Glenville State College, and is now serving in the U.S. Navy aboard the submarine USS Grayling in the Atlantic Ocean.

CHILD OF WILLIAM AND DONNA BARRON

313. William Robert Barron

219. ROGER JAY BARRON was born October 12, 1958 in Wood County, W. Va. to William and Carmen (Lathey) Barron. He married December 16, 1978 at Middleport in Meigs County, Ohio Cindy Jean Fryfogle, the daughter of David and Jane (Nordeck) Fryfogle. Cindy was born November 8, 1959 in Baltimore, Maryland.

Roger has a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Charleston School of Business in management and retail sales. He is associated with Wendy's International, Inc. They reside in Huntington, West Virginia.

CHILD OF ROGER AND CINDY BARRON

314. Baby Barron expected November, 1981

220. CHARLES LEE WARNER was born July 20, 1943 in Kanawha County, W.' Va. to Lee and Evelyn (Parsons) Warner; marr. Jennifer Dianne Naylor November 12, 1966 in Hurricane, West Virginia. Jennifer was born August 8, 1947 in Kanawha County, daughter of Paul and Margaret (Humphrey) Naylor.

Charles Lee was born during World War II while his father was in the service, and his mother spent the first years of 151

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his life with her parents on their farm in Tyler County. Charles and Jennifer now own and reside on the 114 acre farm that once belonged to his grandparents.

Charles Lee has a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from the West Virginia Institute of Technology, and is a member of the W. Va. Tau Beta Pi Honorary Engineering Fraternity. He is a registered professional engineer employed by Union Carbide at Sistersville, W. Va. as Project Engineer, and also holds the rank of Captain in the U.S. Air National Guard in Charleston, West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND JENNIFER WARNER

- 315. Samuel Bartlett Warner 316. Curtis Lee Warner
- 221. JAMES A. WARNER was born October 25, 1952 in Kanawha County, West Virginia to Lee and Evelyn (Parsons) Warner; marr. Mary C. Powell September 1, 1972 in Cabell county, West Virginia. Mary was born October 2, 1954 in Cabell County to Charles and Glenna Jean (Miller) Powell.

James attended Marshall University, and is employed at the FMC Corporation in South Charleston, W. Va. They reside at Hurricane.

CHILDREN OF JAMES AND MARY WARNER

- 317. Kimberly Warner
- 318. Jami Ann Warner
- 222. JAN WARNER was born to Lee and Evelyn (Parsons) Warner March 8, 1969 in Kanawha County, West Virginia.
- 223. NORMA L. PARSONS was born in Kanawha County, West Virginia September 22, 1948 to Harold Lee and Nadene 152

(Flanagan) Parsons. She is married to Jerry Pauley.

CHILDREN OF JERRY AND NORMA PAULEY

- 319. Erick Wayne Pauley
- 320. Stacy Jo Pauley
- 321. Rhonda Denise Pauley
- 224. MARLENE PARSONS of H. Lee and Nadine (Flanagan) Parsons was born January 23, 1950 in South Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia. She is married to Roger Kaiser.

CHILDREN OF ROGER AND MARLENE KAISER

- 322. Melissa Ann Kaiser
- 323. Amy Marie Kaiser
- 225. HAROLD LEE PARSONS, son of H. Lee and Nadene (Flanagan) Parsons was was born October 24, 1952 in Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia; marr. Kathy Stamper.

CHILDREN OF HAROLD L. AND KATHY PARSONS

- 324. Harold Lee Parsons, III 325. Todd Randolph Parsons
- 226. DEBRA SUE SMITH of Donald V. and Thelma (Parsons) Smith was born July 21, 1956 in Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia; marr. Brennis Craddock March 17, 197? in Lascassas (Rutherford County), Tennessee.
- 227. MICHAEL DAVID SMITH was born June 9, 1962 in South Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia to Donald V. and Thelma (Parsons) Smith.
- 228. THEODORE JACK BISHOP was born to Jack and Ruth (Parsons) Bishop July 31, 1957 in South Charleston (Kanawha County),

West Virginia; marr. Gayla Boyles June 4, 1977.

- 229. GERALD W. BISHOP was born to Jack and Ruth (Parsons) Bishop March 25, 1960 in South Charleston, W. Va.
- 230. ANTHONY DALE BISHOP of T. Jack and Ruth (Parsons) Bishop was born June 21, 1965 in South Charleston, W. Va.
- 231. WILMA JEAN LATHEY was born to Oris D. (Junior) and Rose (Stover) Lathey July 18, 1952 in Kanawha County, West Virginia; marr. Garnett Neil Rife June 9, 1974.

CHILD OF G. NEIL AND WILMA RIFE

326. Daniel Nathan Rife

- 232. LATRICIA LYNN CARNEY was born October 11, 1959 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Basil and Genevieve (Lathey) Carney; marr. John D. Snyder March 3, 1979. Resides in Ravenswood, W. Va. 327. Boy Child Snyder
- 233. PAMELA HAYDEN CARNEY of Basil and Genevieve (Lathey) Carney was born February 14, 1963 in Jackson County, West Virginia.
- 234. JAMES ROYAL CARNEY was born September 24, 1965 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Basil and Genevieve (Lathey) Carney.
- 235. RANDALL EUGENE ROWLEY was born to Eugene and Macil (Morrison) Rowley July 18, 1952; marr. Joretta Gatewood. 328. Cristy Susan Rowley

- 236. STEPHEN DWAYNE ROWLEY of Eugene and Macil (Morrison) Rowley was born July 23, 1955; marr. Bonnie Sue Jack. 237. KEVIN EDWARD ROWLEY, son of Eugene and Macil (Morrison) Rowley, was born September 13, 1966.
- 238. PAUL LESTER ROWLEY was born September 19, 1953 to Wilford and Jessie (Ashby) Rowley in South Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia. Unmarried at the present time, and employed by General Motors Hydramatic Division in Ypsilanti Michigan.
- 239. KAREN SUE ROWLEY was born to Oris and Garnette Ruthie (Payne) Rowley December 19, 1949; marr. Donald Edward Myers June 29, 1968 in Kanawha County. He was born August 16, 1949 in Kanawha County to Climith and Juanita (James) Myers.

CHILDREN OF DONALD AND KAREN SUE MYERS

Dale Edward Myers Carol Sue Myers

240. ROBERT LEE ROWLEY born October 19, 1952 to R. Oris and Garnette (Payne) Rowley; marr. Augusta (Guss) Moses December 4, 1971 in Putnam County, W. Va. She was born January 19, 1954 to Arnold M. and Mary J. (Shamblin) Moses of Kanawha County, West Virginia.

Robert Lee was educated in Kanawha and Putnam County schools. He is a machinist at the American Electric Power Company in South Charleston. No issue.

241. CLIFTON GENE DRAKE, son of Clifton H. and Phyllis (Rowley) Drake was born October 21, 1950; married (1) Frances Ann

King and (2) Debbie Hoffman. (Debbie has son named Chris.) Clifton works in the coal mines of West Virginia.

CHILDREN OF CLIFTON AND FRANCES DRAKE

- 331. Kevin Gene Drake 332. David Allen Drake
- 242. STEVEN HOWARD DRAKE was born May 28, 1955 to Clifton and Phyllis (Rowley) Drake, marr. Carol Harmon. He is a coal miner.
- 243. MARK EDWIN BRAMMER was born April 2, 1958 to James F. and Shirley (Lathey) Brammer; marr. Cathy Cox December 16, 1978.
- 244. JEFFREY ALLEN BRAMMER was born to James F. and Shirley (Lathey) Brammer July 16, 1960 in Wood County, W. Va. He is a student at Tampa University in Florida.
- 245. DEBRA LEE COKELEY born October 11, 1959 in Marietta (Washington County), Ohio to Gene and, Sandra (Lathey) Cokeley.
- 246. MICHAEL GENE COKELEY of Gene and Sandra (Lathey) Cokeley was born November 8, 1961 in Marietta (Washington County), Ohio.
- 247. DIANNA LYNN COKELEY was born to Gene and Sandra (Lathey) Coxeley July 26, 1963 in Wood County, West Virginia.
- 248. DANIEL CRAIG LATHEY of 'Ronald and Elizabeth (Grove) Lathey was born June 22, 1975 in Wood County, W. Va.
- 249. CINDY LATHEY of Stanley and Mary (Warner) Lathey was born October 10, 1958.

- 250. RICHARD DENNIS LATHEY was born September 3, 1961 to Stanley and Mary (Warner) Lathey; marr.

 November 29, 1980 in Jackson County, W.Va.
- 251. ANNETTE JOHNSON born March 30, 1964 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Everett and Ella Faith (Lathey) Johnson.
- 252. MICHAEL JOHNSON of Everette and Ella Faith (Lathey) Johnson was born November 27, 1973 in Jackson County, W. Va.
- 253. KIMBERLY DAWN WELLING born December 21, 1959 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Karl and Ida (Whetzel) Welling; marr. Blaine Durwin Southall June 24, 1978 in Jackson County, W. Va. Blaine was born October 28, 1958 in Kanawha County, son of Eathel W. and Helen (Emerson) Southall.
- 254. KATHERINE HOPE WELLING of Karl and Ida (Whetzel) Welling was born October 25, 1966 in Kanawha County, W. Va.
- 255. LEATHA LYNN CHANCEY was born April 12, 1959 in Jackson County, W. Va. to Bobby and Carolyn (Welling) Chancey. She is a student at Parkersburg Community College in Wood County, and an employee of the Ritchie County Court.
- 256. EDWARD EUGENE CHANCEY was born to Bobby and Carolyn (Welling) Chancey in Jackson County, West Virginia January 27, 1962. He is employed by the Ritchie Telephone Company.
- 257. FEMALE CHILD JOHNSON born to Gary and Yvonne (Welling) Johnson December 23, 1962. Lived just a few hours.

- 258. TERESA DIANE JOHNSON born November 19, 1963 in Kanawha County, West Virginia to Garrett and Yvonne (Welling) Johnson; marr. Robert Kyer June 6, 1981 in Wood County, West Virginia.
- 259. TINA LOUISE JOHNSON was born September 10, 1965 to Garrett and Yvonne (Welling) Johnson in Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia.
- 260. TANYA YVONNE JOHNSON of Garrett and Yvonne (Welling) Johnson was born September 13, 1970 in Wood County, W. Va.
- 261. TARA MARIE JOHNSON was born to Garrett and Yvonne (Welling) Johnson July 27, 1972 in Parkersburg, West Virginia.
- 262. BRENDA MARIE WELLING was born April 28, 1964 to Donald and Carole (Minard) Welling in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio; marr. Delton Huffman.

CHILD OF DELTON AND BRENDA HUFFMAN

- 333. Shayla Marie Huffman
- 263. ROBERT R. WELLING was born July 20, 1967 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio to Donald and Carole (Minard) Welling.
- 264. TROY L. WELLING of Donald and Carole (Minard) Welling was born December 31, 1968 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio.
- 265. MICHAEL A. WELLING, son of Donald and Carole (Minard) Welling was born July 1, 1970 in Franklin County, Ohio.
- 266. GARY SCOT EAGLE was born to Gary and Maxine (Welling) Eagle October 21, 1964 in Kanawha County, W. Va.

- 267. LARRY WAYNE WELLING was born to Larry and Connie (Jividen) Welling June 6, 1965 in Kanawha County, West Virginia.
- 268. CATHY LEIGH WELLING of Larry and Connie (Jividen) Welling was born March 4, 1969 in Kanawha County, West Virginia.
- 269. CARROLL DAVID FISHER was born February 27, 1968 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Gene and Helen (Welling) Fisher.
- 270. MICHAEL EUGENE FISHER of Gene and Helen (Welling) Fisher was born March 13, 1969 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Died in infancy.
- 271. Dennis Fisher was born May 29, 1979 in Kanawha County, West Virginia to Gene and Helen (Welling) Fisher.
- 272. DAWNA JEAN FISHER, daughter of Gene and Helen (Welling) Fisher, was born April 29, 1980 in Jackson County, W. Va.
- 273. MONICA WELLING was born May 20, 1974 to Dale and Connie (Atkins) Welling in Jackson County, West Virginia.
- 274. CHRISTINA WELLING of Dale and Connie (Atkins) Welling was born June 13, 1976 in Jackson County, W. Va.
- 275. DALE W. WELLING was born April 4, 1980 in Jackson County, West Virginia to Dale and Connie (Atkins) Welling.
- 276. ANGELA MARIE BRABHAM was born December 14, 1980 to David and Debra (Welling) Brabham.

- 277. SHERRY COLLEEN BOSWELL was born July 2, 1957 in Charleston (Kanawha County) West Virginia to Otis W. and Sharleen (Sayre) Boswell; married Jearl Duane Barnett in August of 1977 in Jackson County, West Virginia. Jearl was born June 14, 1954, son of Clyde O. and Cintilla (Carney) Barnett.
- 278. MARY ANN BOSWELL of Otis and Sharleen (Sayre) Boswell was born February 2, 1959 in Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia.
- 279. WARREN KENT BOSWELL, son of Otis and Sharleen (Sayre) Boswell, was born January 14, 1960 in South Charleston of Kanawha County, West Virginia.
- 280. MICHELLE LYNN SAYRE KNICELEY was born February 7, 1975 in South Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia to Jackie Ray and Shelba Jean (Sayre) Kniceley.
- 281. LYLE SHAWN SLIDER was born August 18, 1957 in Wood County, West Virginia, the only son of Lyle and Kathy (Sayre) Slider. He married Delores Kay Flanery June 6, 1980 at Mineral Wells in Wood County, West Virginia. She is the daughter of Jack J. and Virginia (Sprout) Flanery and was born in Wood County November 14, 1961.

Shawn and Delores reside in Grants-ville, West Virginia, and he is employed by Foodland, Inc. in Glenville, W. Va.

282. KIMBERLY DAWN SLIDER was born March 5, 1959 in Wood County, W. Va. to Lyle and Kathy (Sayre) Slider, married David Michael Flanery July 2, 1977 at Rockport in Wood County, West Virginia.

CHILD OF DAVID M. AND KIMBERLY FLANERY

334. David Isaac Flanery

283. CATHI ANN SLIDER of Lyle and Kathleen (Sayre) Slider was born October 16, 1960 in Wood County, West Virginia; married Olaf Renwick Johnson July 8, 1978. Olaf was born November 25, 1955 in West Hamlin, West Virginia, the son of Ishmael' J. and Wilma (Spencer) Johnson.

Olaf is affiliated with the Blenner-hassett Island Project employed by the West Virginia Department of Natural Resources. He and Cathi reside in Rockport (Wood County), West Virginia.

ISSUE OF OLAF AND CATHI JOHNSON

335. Nathaniel Seth Johnson

284. KANDY LAYNE SLIDER was born September 10, 1962 at Parkersburg, W. Va. to Lyle and Kathleen (Sayre) Slider; married Michael Howard Watson August 25, 1979 at Rockport (Wood County), West Virginia. He is the son of Ray H. and Beatrice (Stewart) Watson born to them August 4, 1960 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Michael and Kandy reside at Slate near Mineral Wells in Wood County, West Virginia. He is employed at the Willow Island Power Plant in Pleasants County, West Virginia.

ISSUE OF MICHAEL AND KANDY WATSON

336. Ericka Shae Watson

285. TAMMY ELLEN SAYRE was born to Keith and Joyce (Eggleston) Sayre November 24, 1966 in Parkersburg (Wood County), West Virginia.

- 286. KEITH MADISON SAYRE was born September 4, 1969 in Charleston (Kanawha County), West Virginia, the son of Keith and Joyce (Eggleston) Sayre.
- 287. LISA CAROL McCLANAHAN was born August 12, 1965 at Charleston, West Virginia to Roger and Nola (Sayre) McClanahan.
- 288. CHRISTOPHER JAMES SAYRE, son of James and Rita (Applegate) Sayre, was born October 25, 1971 at Charleston in Kanawha County, West Virginia.
- 289. TRACY LEE SAYRE of James and Rita (Applegate) Sayre was born November 1, 1972 at Charleston, W. Va.
- 290. JOHN KEITH PARKER was born October 2, 1972 in New Jersey and adopted by Thomas and Cheryl (Sayre) Parker in 1976.
- 291. KARA LYNN PARKER of Thomas and Cheryl (Sayre) Parker was born July 8, 1980 in Beckley (Raleigh County), West Virginia.
- 292. CINDY LATHEY McDONALD was born November 7, 1962 in Columbus, Ohio, daughter of Lawrence and Zelma (Lathey) McDonald.
- 293. RHONDA McDONALD was born August 28, 1970 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio to Lawrence and Zelma (Lathey) McDonald.
- 294. MICHELLE D. KENNEDY was born February 26, 1965, the daughter of Lueza (Creech) Lathey; adopted by Bobby Lathey.

- 295. COLIN GLEN LATHEY was born February 11, 1975 in Columbus, Ohio to Allen and (Campbell) Lathey.
- 296. AMANDA GAIL BURTRAM of Douglas and Teresa (Lathey) Burtram was born September 24, 1980 in Columbus, Ohio.

NINTH GENERATION

- 297. JULI JO RICHARDSON born April 12, 1974 in Marietta (Washington County), Ohio to Max and Barbara (Pennybacker) Richardson.
- 298. ROBERT DAMIAN BUMGARNER was born to Robert and Ada (Richardson) Bumgarner April 5, 1973 in Dayton, Ohio.
- 299. CHAD ASHLEY BUMGARNER was born January 16, 1976 in Lexington, Kentucky to Robert and Ada (Richardson) Bumgarner.
- 300. JON DAVID GEUY born July 5, 1963 in Shelby County, Ohio to David and Barbara (Bumgarner) Geuy. Jon graduated from high school this year and will enter Bluffton College in Ohio in the fall.
- 301. JENNA LUCRETIA GEUY of David and Barbara (Bumgarner) Geuy was born December 18, 1964 in Shelby County, Ohio.
- 302. GEORGE CHRISTIAN GEUY was born September 23, 1968 in Shelby County, Ohio to David and Barbara (Bumgarner) Geuy.
- 303. CARI ANN GEUY born September 29, 1970 in Sidney (Shelby County), Ohio to David and Barbara (Bumgarner) Geuy.
- 304. CARMEN ANN CHRISMAN born April 9, 1973 at Fort Huachuca in Cochise County, Arizona to James and Ruth Ann (Bumgarner) Chrisman.
- 305. SARAH ANN CHRISMAN of James and Ruth Ann (Bumgarner) Chrisman was born April 6, 1975 in Ancon located in the Panama Canal Zone giving her dual citizenship in Panama and the United States.

- 306. DAVID CLARK CHRISMAN was born August 6, 1977 in Columbus (Franklin County), Ohio to James and Ruth Ann (Bumgarner) Chrisman.
- 307. JOSEPH ANDERSON CHRISMAN was born March 12, 1980 in Sidney (Shelby County), Ohio to James and Ruth Ann (Bumgarner) Chrisman.
- 308. MASON TAYLOR BUMGARNER was born July 6, 1972 to Dallas and Stephanie (Sawade) Bumgarner in Toledo, Ohio.
- 309. SHANNON JEAN BUMGARNER of Dallas and Stephanie (Sawade) Bumgarner was born June 29, 1977 in Toledo (Lucas County), Ohlo.
- 310. FRANK HOWARD CAPEHART IV was born July 4, 1969 in Tyler County, West Virginia to Frank Howard, III and Linda (Lathey) Capehart.
- 311. CURTIS ROBERT ADRIAN CAPEHART of Frank Howard III and Linda (Lathey) Capehart was born January 11, 1975, in Gallia County, Ohio.
- 312. CRISTEN APRIL CROPPER was born September 8, 1976 in Gallia County Ohio to Garey and Judith (Lathey) Cropper.
- 313. WILLIAM ROBERT BARRON was born to William Reed and Donna (Kiger) Barron August 17, 1976 in Wood County, W. Va.
- 314. BABY BARRON expected in November, 1981 by Roger and Cindy (Fryfogle) Barron.
- 315. SAMUEL BARTLETT WARNER, son of Charles Lee and Jennifer (Naylor) Warner,

was born June 23, 1975 in Cabell County, West Virginia.

- 316. CURTIS LEE WARNER was born August 15, 1977 in Wood County, West Virginia to Charles Lee and Jennifer (Naylor) Warner.
- 317. KIMBERLY WARNER born December 16, 1973 in Cabell County, West Virginia to James A. and Mary (Powell) Warner.
- 318. JAMIE ANN WARNER of James A. and Mary (Powell) Warner was born October 9, 1976 at Huntington in Cabell County, West Virginia.
- 319. ERIC WAYNE PAULEY was born to Jerry and Norma (Parsons) Pauley April 29, 1970.
- 320. STACY JO PAULEY, daughter of Jerry and Norma (Parsons) Pauley, was born January 6, 1972.
- 321. RHONDA DENISE PAULEY of Jerry and Norma (Parsons) Pauley was born September 23, 1973.
- 322. MELISSA ANN KAISER, daughter of Roger and Marlene (Parsons) Kaiser, was born June 3, 1969.
- 323. AMY MARIE KAISER was born to Roger and Marlene (Parsons) Kaiser on September 11, 1971.
- 324. HAROLD LEE PARSONS, III was born to Harold Lee and Kathy (Stamper) Parsons December 23, 1975.
 - 325. TODD RANDOLPH PARSONS, son of

Harold Lee and Kathy (Stamper) Parsons, was born December 28, 1976.

- 326. DANIEL NATHAN RIFE of G. Neil and Wilma (Lathey) Rife was born April 23, 1976 in Point Pleasant (Mason County), West Virginia.
- 327. BOY CHILD SNYDER born to John n and Latricia (Carney) Snyder April 21 1981 in Jackson County, West Virginia:
- 328. CRISTY SUSAN ROWLEY was born in Wood County, West Virginia to Randall and Joretta (Gatewood) Rowley.
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- 332. DAVID ALLEN DRAKE of Clifton and Frances (King) Drake was born September 26, 1972.
- 332. SHAYLA MARIE HUFFMAN was born May 31, 1980 to Delton and Brenda (Welling) Huffman.
- 334. DAVID ISAAC FLANERY of David and Kimberly (Slider) Flanery was born May 31, 1980 ln Wood County, West Virginia.
- 335. NATHANIEL SETH JOHNSON was born November 25, 1979 in Wood County, West

Virginia to Olaf and Cathi (Slider) Johnson.

336. ERICKA SHAE WATSON was born April 12, 1980 in Wood County, West Virginia to Michael and Kandy (Slider) Watson.

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- p. 1 emigrated should be **immigrated**
- p. 2 inhabinted should be inhabited
- p. 4 high–prowed should be high–powered
- p. 5 independance should be **independence**
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- p. 9 non–existant should be non–existent; imigrants should be immigrants
- p. 10 malitia should be militia
- p. 16 furthur should be **further**
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- p. 47 agressively should be **aggressively**
- p. 53 ilium should be ileum
- p. 54 unconcious should be **unconscious**; finnally should be **finally**
- p. 55 appraisors should be **appraisers**; totalling should be **totaling**
- p. 56 bronical should be **bronchial**
- p. 57 Christain should be **Christian**; murmer should be **murmur**
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- p. 73 housekeepin should be housekeeping
- p. 80 furthur should be **further**
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- p. 90 nickle should be **nickel**; forgoten should be **forgotten**
- p. 93 lengthly should be **lengthy**
- p. 99 Eileen Reed should be Ilene Reed
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- p. 110 presumedly should be **presumably**; parantage should be **parentage**
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- p. 143 suddently should be suddenly
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