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GIFFEN
GENEALOGIC FAMILY HISTORY

OF DESCENDENTS OF

ROBERT GIFFEN and MARY BANE GIFFEN

Settlers at Big Spring, Pa., in 1777
Removed to Wheeling, Virginia, 1787

And here's a hand, my trusty frien',
And gie's a hand o' thine;
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,
For auld lang syne.

Written and Collaborated by
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PREFACE.

At a general reunion of the Giffens at Washington, Pennsylvania, in 1920 it was resolved to publish a history of the family, and the following committee was named to perform the task.

SAMUEL E. GIFFIN, Bridgeville, Pa., R. F. D.
JOSEPH H. DENHAM, St. Clairsville, O.
REV. J. W. GIFFIN, Cleveland, O.

After examination of available records, piecing together traditions, and a trip to Scotland by the third member of this committee, it became evident that relationship between the groups could not be established by documentary evidence. Consequently it has later been decided by the Washington county, Pennsylvania, group, and the Wheeling, W. Va., group, that each should publish its own history.

The task of collecting and arranging the data concerning the descendants of Robert and Mary Bane Giffen, who settled in 1787 at Wheeling, Virginia, has fallen to the undersigned.

The task has covered seven years and has been constantly in mind. To it has been given every spare moment of a busy pastor. Correspondence, travel and research has used up all the intervening vacations.

This kind of a task can never be finished. Men are dying and others are being born. We cut off the thread of the story conscious of its incompleteness. We thank all the friends who have spent time and money to help us. The results will be more highly appraised after this generation has passed off the stage of action.

We are proud of our ancestry. The family has a splendid background and a clean record. Not many rich or mighty among us but a sturdy, reliable, self-respecting, God fearing group of people who have helped make America great.

The writer regrets that he could not look into the face and know personally every living member of the family. That we may know and love each other, even to have fellowship with the unseen is the purpose of this book.

Most sincerely yours,

JOSEPH WILSON GIFFIN.
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Mrs. Elma Stout. Elizabeth Giffen-Downing family record.

EXPLANATIONS.

GIFFEN. Possibly abbreviation of Geoffrey’s Fen. A place name.


Roman I, II, III, IV, etc. preceding names signify the number of generations removed from the original settler.


Kintyre means headland. ‘Brechlate and Christlach,’ names of estates.

The Old Tent. Name of meeting house, later cemetery where first Giffen settlers are buried, six miles east of Wheeling, W. Va.


SCOTTISH ANCESTRY.

Giffen Station is on the Glasgow and Ardrossan railroad, about twenty miles southwest of Glasgow, Scotland. Around this Station lies what was known as the Giffen Estate consisting of 885 1/2 acres of land. Following the death of a recent owner, Mr. Patrick, it was being sold out in small farms during the year 1923.

About one mile east of the station is the site of the old Giffen Castle. Only a small piece of the original wall hanging on the edge of a precipice remains. The bold rock on which the castle stood for centuries is now being attacked by steel drill and dynamite. Its new name is Whinstone Quarry. That which originally was valued as a defense, and later in a sentimental way, is now considered only in a commercial sense. Messrs King and Company, limited, pay an annual rental of 100 pounds for quarry privileges to the estate. In the near future both the castle and the rock on which it stood will have entirely disappeared, and the place thereof shall know it no more.

Two miles west of Giffen Station is Giffen House. It is a handsome stone residence of thirty-five rooms, built in Scottish baronial style of architecture of fifty years ago, and still in excellent structural condition. In May, 1923, it was standing luxuriously furnished, waiting for a purchaser.

The writer visited three Giffen men in Glasgow, a wholesale seedsman, a retail jeweler and a minister of the United Free Church. They knew of each other, believed that they belonged to the same general family, had very little acquaintance in a social way, yet each one pointed to the old Giffen Castle as the source of his ancestry. A fourth Giffen business man was out of the city and was referred to as a Kintyre Giffin. This was the trail we were seeking. So our attention was directed to Kintyre, a long peninsula on the west coast of Scotland, forming a south extension of Argyll county. Our task of tracing the Giffens in Kintyre was extremely interesting. We found John Giffin, a retired steamship engineer, living at Campbelltown. He and his brother-in-law, John McEachran, are both members of the Campbelltown United Presbyterian, now United Free Church. They secured and testified to the truth of the following church record, from the printed Centennial History of the Campbelltown United Pres-
Scottish Ancestry. This church celebrated its One Hundredth Anniversary on July 16, 1867. Mr. Alexander Giffen was chairman of the Centenary Committee. The pastor, Rev. William Boyd, wrote the history. On pages 17 and 18 is found the following record. "After the restoration, and especially during the persecution that followed, under the reigns of Charles II and James II, a still larger influx of settlers seems to have entered the country. (Kintyre.) These people were chiefly Covenanters or those who sympathized with them. The Marquis of Argyll being one of the leaders of this party, gave them every encouragement to place themselves under his protection. They found in Kintyre an asylum from the oppression under which they had previously groaned. We accordingly find in the register, that, after the year 1660 and down to the year 1668, many names that are not noticed before, such as Greenlees, Templeton, McNair, Wylie, McNeil, Dunlop, Clark, Smith, Cordiner, Watson, Ferguson, Langwill, Findlay, Waterson, Shodden, Porter, Giffen, Morrison." This record answers the question as to why Giffens were in Kintyre. There is this remarkable thing to be considered. Many of this group moved on to America and are found as neighbors settled in the vicinity of Wheeling, W. Va. Messrs Giffen and McEachran also accompanied us by auto to the old ancestral Giffen home at a farm called Kildavee, in the extreme south end of Kintyre. Kildavee is thirteen miles south of Campbelltown. The guides on this trip also pointed out Brechlate, the birthplace of Daniel, and Christlach, the birthplace of John, both located in Conie Glenn.

We are indebted to Mr. James Breakenridge, a prominent citizen of Campbelltown, for the following letter which is self-explanatory.

Mansie of South End. 9 August, 1923.

Dear Mr. Breakenridge,—

I had your letter and I have made inquiries about the Giffens and searched Kiel Cemetery for the tombstone. I came across one tombstone with this inscription on it.

1819.

"Erected by John Giffen, weaver at Kildavee, and Janet Dunlop, his spouse, in memory of John and Janet, their children, who died in infancy." This stone is very much sunk in the ground. I had to get a spade to clear away the soil to make out the writing but I couldn't go deeper as I came across bits of a coffin. There is more on the stone but it is impossible to get at it. Close by this stone is another one, not in the same lot but near it, and the following inscription is on it. "In memory of Andrew Giffen, who died 18th Jan., 1785, aged 71 years, and of Agnes
Harvie, his spouse, who died 28th Feb., 1787, aged 75 years.” These are the only stones in Kiel Cemetery, that I could see, in connection with the Giffens.

Very sincerely,

ANGUS MACVICAR.

Kiel is the nearest cemetery, in the south end of Kintyre, to the Kildavee homestead.

Further records were sought in the General Registration Office at Edinburgh, Scotland. About fifty years ago all parish records of Scotland were assembled at this place. The Kintyre records begin with Book 532 South End Argyll. Most unfortunately for us the South End records for the hundred years preceding 1768 were burned. But most interesting and vital records are found in Book 532 as follows.


“Nov. 2, 1772. John, lawful son of Robert Giffen, in Christlach.”

This Robert Giffen is the settler at Wheeling, W. Va. This is the only record found of him and his family in Scotland. He with his family migrated to America, in 1777. The date is established by Dr. Wallace Taylor in his book, “Taylor Genealogy page 15. Margaret Giffen, daughter of Robert, was married to Thomas Taylor at Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 15, 1798. She used to tell her children and grandchildren that she was born at sea. She died at Cadiz, Ohio, Feb. 9, 1858, aged 81 years. Deducting her age from 1858 makes her birth to have been in 1777. Our tradition is that Robert and his family spent a period of time in eastern Pennsylvania in the vicinity of Big Spring, near Newville, then came to Wheeling, West Virginia, in 1787.
Walter de Mulcaster obtained the lands of Giffen from the De Morvilles, in the reign of William the Lion; and in turn gifted them to his sub-vassal, Alexander de Nenham, who “granted to the Monastery of Dryburgh,” says the New Statistical Account, “a half carucate, or fifty acres of land, in the lordship of Giffen, at which a chapel to St. Bridget had previously been founded by the Monastery of Kilwinning, the ruins of which still exist, situated on a hill [within the lordship of Trearne] which had been used as a burying-ground, with an uncommonly fine spring well, called Bridget’s Well, at the bottom.” This charter was confirmed by Allan, Lord of Galloway, who died in 1233, and, therefore, must have been executed prior to that year. A copy is preserved in the Cartulary of Dryburgh, now in the Advocates’ Library. The large possessions of the De Morvilles having passed, by marriage, into the hands of Robert Lord of Galloway, and by his daughters—for he had no male heirs—into those of John Baliol, De la Zouche, and one of the Comyns, all of whom were confiscated by Bruce after the contest for the throne, the lands of Giffen, amongst others, reverted to the crown. Sir Hugh de Eglintoun, who married Egidia,* sister of Robert II, obtained from that monarch a grant of
the lordship in 1370. John Montgomerie of Eaglesham having
married Elizabeth, heiress of Sir Hugh, the Giffen property re-
mained in the possession of the Montgomeries of Eglintoun for
several centuries. The barony seems to have been regarded as
the messuage of the Master or heir apparent of Eglintoun.
"John, first Lord Montgomerie, gave this estate to his second
son, Robert, who was succeeded in it by his descendants. As;
however, there appears a charter of date 1452, in which the
Laird of Giffen is distinctly called William Montgomerie, it
should seem that either the estate (as from its extent it well
might) was parcelled out among different branches of the fam-
ily, or, like to the titles in a German principality, all the
branches used them in common. However this may be, it is cer-
tain that the whole was resumed by their chief, Hugh first Earl
of Eglintoun, who, in 1505, had it all comprehended in a special
charter to himself, dated at Stirling on the 23d of April that
year. After this, it was at different times given off, as a portion
to younger branches of the Eglintoun family: as in the reign
of Queen Mary, when Hugh, the third Earl, gave Giffen to his
second son, Robert, who failing of male issue, it returned again
to the main house, where it remained till Alexander, the sixth
Earl, gave it to his second son, Sir Henry Montgomerie of Gif-
fen; and falling back again for want of issue male, it was finally
alienated by Hugh, the seventh Earl of Eglintoun.—History
of English Estates, National Library, Washington, D.C.

* She was at the time widow of Sir James Lindsay of Crawford.

March 8, 1774. Martha, lawful daughter of John Giffen, of Kildavee.

June 4, 1776. Daniel, lawful son of John Giffen, Kildavee.

July 15, 1785. Margaret, lawful daughter of John Giffen, Kildavee.


Feb. 1, 1788. James, lawful son of John Giffen, Kildavee.


July 29, 1800. Elizabeth, lawful daughter of John Giffen, Kildavee, and Jenny Dunlop, his spouse.

Sept. 8, 1802. Jenny, lawful daughter to John Giffen, weaver, Kildavee.

Feb. 15, 1804. John, lawful son to John Giffen, Kildavee.

Nov. 14, 1785. Jean, lawful daughter of James Giffen, in Dalbui.

Sept. 21, 1787. Agnes, lawful daughter of James Giffen, in Dalbui.

Nov. 21, 1789. Andrew, lawful son of James Giffen, in Dalbui.

April 23, 1792. Martha, lawful daughter of James Giffen, in Dalbui.

July 12, 1794. William, lawful son of James Giffen, in Dalbui.

April 19, 1799. Ann, lawful daughter of James Giffen, Newtown of Argyll.

Sept. 29, 1801. Alexn, lawful son of James Giffen, Newtown of Argyll.

Aug. 12, 1804. James, lawful son to James Giffen, Newtown, Argyll.

April 22, 1812. John, lawful son to James Giffen, Weaver, Kildavee.

Nov. 22, 1818. Betty, lawful daughter to James Giffen, Kildavee, and Flora Connell, his spouse.

April 6, 1814. Neil, lawful son to James Giffen, Kildavee.


We are further indebted to Mr. Breakenridge for a copy of the Call of the Relief Church, South End Argyll, for the pastoral services of the Rev. Alexander Laing. This document is dated Feb. 25, 1799, and is signed in a very legible hand by John Giffen and James Giffen. This gives light on the character of these men. The Relief churches of Scotland were an independent body demanding the right of congregations to choose their own pastors, instead of having them appointed by the Crown as political favors. This South End Relief church was located near the Kilvadee homestead. Many of the descendants, of the people of this church, are members of the Longrow United Free Church of Campbelltown. Mr. John Giffen is a member of its Board of Managers.

Robert Giffen died August 17, 1829, aged 86 years. Tombstone record Tent Cemetery, six miles east of Wheeling.

Daniel Giffen died January 13, 1852, in the 84th year of his age. Tombstone record Tent Cemetery. He was the oldest son of Robert mentioned above.

John Giffen, second son of Robert, married Elizabeth Morrison in West Virginia and moved to St. Clairsville, O., in 1825. Here he, with others of the family connection who came from Scotland, and his younger brother George, who came from West Virginia, founded the flourishing group resident in eastern Ohio.

Some Problems and Speculations.

The records at Edinburg are too brief to establish close relationship between the pioneer settlers of the Giffen family in the United States. We are especially anxious to establish the relationship between the three pioneers John, Andrew, Robert.
NAME

John Giffen.

Andrew Giffen, brother of John.

Robert Giffen.

BIRTH.

March 17, 1743, in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, near Newville and the Big Spring.

Born 1757 in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, near Newville and the Big Spring.

In 1743 Argyll County, Scotland. Father's name was John, a weaver of Kildavee.

SETTLEMENT.

Between 1769-1774 near Greensburg, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

In Chartiers valley, Washington County, Pennsylvania, in 1797.

In 1777 settled at Big Spring, near Newville, Pennsylvania.

In 1787 settled east of Wheeling, W. Va.

Is it simply an accident that Robert came to the same spot in America where John and Andrew were born, or, did he follow his friends as the custom was, and remains today, among immigrants?

In religion, occupation, ideals these families are one.

Other Giffen pioneer settlers came to America. Some from the mainland of Scotland, others migrated to Ireland and from there to the new world. They are found in New York, Nova Scotia and eastern Ohio and Illinois. The family characteristics are so similar that we unhesitatingly claim relationship with all.

Spelling of the Name.

In Scotland and among the early settlers it is always GIFFEN. In ancient records at Wheeling the name is spelled two ways, sometimes, in the same document. Robert and his sons Daniel and John spelled it as in Scotland. Andrew in Washington County, Pa., signed his will according to the Scottish spelling. Our opinion is that the Scottish spelling is correct. Like many others the name has been changed by some accident or by carelessness and later ripened into habit. It is today spelled GIFFIN by a large part of the family but this does not create any doubt as to kindred blood.

The Old Records at Edinburgh

are yellow with age, much worn by handling, ink faded and some were poorly written. The Kintyre records as printed in this history are correct. They were perfectly legible and were copied by the writer in the year 1923. The mainland Giffen records are voluminous and we did not undertake to copy them.

Few records were made in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, during the period of the Revolutionary war. This makes our problem more difficult.
It is our opinion that a longer search in the vicinity of Giffen Castle, in Kintyre, or in Cumberland County, Pa., will reward with interesting data. But as to establishing closer relationships to an absolute certainty we are very doubtful.

Rockford, Ill., Settlement.

Andrew Giffen and wife and six children settled in Rockford, Ill., in 1839, in company with others from Kintyre, Scotland. The first school in this colony was taught by Miss Janet Giffen, who had opened a private school in her father's house shortly after coming from Scotland. Mr. Daniel G. Harvey of Rockford, Ill., has written a history of the Kintyre Scotch settlers at that place. He makes frequent mention of the Giffens. His book was published in 1924. Here is an interesting quotation from page 4. "In the parish of South End, Argyll, there is a small district called Kildavie in which a colony of people lived who kept themselves apart and did not associate much with the rest of Kintyre people. They were Covenanters followers of Ralston who, with his people, fled from Renfrewshire at the time of the persecution to find shelter in Argyleshire. They were Lowlanders who spoke with a broad accent. The following story is told of their manner of courtship and love making. The lover said to his sweetheart, "Dae-ye-tak-me Jeanie?" She answered in bashful reply, "Aye-Some." "Will ye gie me a kiss, Jeanie?" was the next query. Her answer was, "Nae a'll nay gie-ye a kiss— but ye can tak it if ye lake."
ORIGIN AND EARLY HISTORY

ORIGIN AND EARLY HISTORY OF THE GIFFEN FAMILY

as written by Rev. John Giffen, who, with his parents
Andrew Giffen and Jane Howie, came to America
in 1839, settling at Rockford, Illinois.

The origin of the name is quite obscure. Tradition locates
it first in Ayreshire, Scotland, about the year 1625. During
the bloody persecutions waged against the Presbyterians and
Covenanters by Charles I in 1625 and by Charles II and his
successors, during 64 years, until the Toleration Act by Wil­
liam and Mary in A.D. 1689, this family of Giffens and many
others were driven from their homes to seek refuge in moun­
tains, secluded places and other countries.

The Marquis of Argyle in 1638 defended the Presbyteri­
ans in Parliament in Glasgow and offered the persecuted an
asylum in his province of Kintyre, to which many fled.

About the year 1638 there were three Giffen brothers in
Ayreshire, one of whom fled to Ireland, another to America,
and a third to Argyleshire, having accepted the protection of
the Marquis, and settled in Kintyre.

In 1873 the writer visited the Keil cemetery at South End
Kintyre, Scotland, in which is a tombstone with the following
inscription.

“In memory of Andrew Giffen, who died 18th June, 1785, aged 71
years. Also Agnes Harvey, his spouse, who died 28 Feb., 1797,
aged 75 years.”

“This Andrew Giffen was born in Kintyre just 25 years after
the persecution ceased in 1689. Following is the line of descent.

1st generation  John Giffen, 1648 in Kintyre.
2nd generation Andrew Giffen, and Agnes Harvey.
3rd generation James Giffen, and Annie Johnston.
4th generation Andrew Giffen and Jane Howie.
5th generation Rev. John Giffen of Rockford, Ill.”

Doubtless these were all large families. Out of this group
comes Robert Giffen, born in 1743, son of John Giffen of Kil­
davee near Keil cemetery, settling at Big Spring, Penna., in
1777, and later in 1787 migrating to Western Virginia, settling
six miles east of Wheeling. To our cousins in Illinois we send
greetings, assuring them of our kindest regards.
SIR ROBERT GIFFEN
1837-1910.

Sir Robert was the most illustrious of the Giffen family in Scotland. He was England’s most famous economist and statistician of the Gladstone period. When the great Premier made his speeches in Parliament, Sir Robert stood back of him furnishing the figures and statistics. His life story is told at length in the Dictionary of National Biography, which may be found in any first class library. The Cyclopedia Britannica also gives a short sketch of his life.

We are indebted to the Rev. Andrew Giffen, 44 Albert Drive, Glasgow, Scotland, for a brief family tree showing his connection with Sir Robert and a sidelight on his ancestry.


Second generation. Robert Giffen, a weaver’s agent. He had a brother who married and had a son named Robert, who became a grocer in Strathaven. He married a Miss Wiseman and their son became Sir Robert.

Third generation. Andrew Giffen, a schoolmaster at Cambusnethan, Lanarkshire.


The mother of Sir Robert was a Miss Wiseman, a shop girl who was very quick at making change and was nicknamed, “Ready Penny,” by her fellow townsmen. It was her son borne to a Robert Giffen mentioned above, who became the economist and statistician. Each generation above noted consisted of a large family. Prevailing first names are Robert, Andrew, Archibald, William, Mungo, Isabella, Jeannie. In occupation they were farmers, ministers, schoolmasters, weavers, masons, jewelers, merchants, journalists and lawyers. When we mentioned to Rev. Albert Giffen that our ancestor in Kintyre was a weaver, he replied, “Every family did its own weaving in those days.” He also informed me that the Giffnock street car line of Glasgow runs to a suburban point called Giffnock. This is an abbreviation of Giffen’s knoch (knob) or hill.
GIFFEN ESTATE.

As offered for sale in the year 1923.

Situation. The Estate lies in the Parishes of Beith and Dalry, and is situated 1 mile from Giffen Station, 3 miles from Dalry, 3 miles from Beith, and about 20 miles from Glasgow. Easy access is obtained by rail to all parts of the country, and the Estate is also served by good roads. The property is conveniently situated for hunting with the Ayrshire, Lanark, and Renfrewshire Hounds. It is within easy reach of Ayr Race Meetings, while First-class Golf Courses are situated at Troon, Gailes, and Prestwick.

Area. The whole Estate extends to about 885½ acres, chiefly arable and enclosed land. This area includes about 54½ acres of woodland and wooded policies.

The Residence. Giffen House is a handsome, substantial, and well-built residence in the Scottish Baronial style of Architecture, in excellent structural condition. It contains 4 public rooms, 6 family bedrooms, 3 dressing rooms, day and night nurseries, bathroom, 6 servants' bedrooms, and ample kitchen and domestic accommodation making 35 rooms in all. There is good water supply and drainage. The offices include excellent stabling, garage, lodge, and coachman's house. There are seven good dairy and other farms on the Estate let to thriving tenants. In addition 1 flour mill, 1 stone quarry (over which once stood the Castle), 1 smithy and house.


Giffen House with 26 acres was offered for $30,000 and the agent assured us that it could be bought for less.

The residence had been built for about 50 years. The owner, a Mr. Patrick, died in January, 1923, leaving the Estate to a nephew in Edinburgh. The nephew had thrown it on the market. Many other large Estates in Great Britain were being sold out in small parcels on account of the heavy taxes following the World War. You will note that the taxes on the Giffen Estate represent about 25% of the income. It would be very appropriate for some wealthy Giffen to buy this Estate and make a headquarters for the family.
ROBERT GIFFEN.

Robert Giffen was the pioneer settler and leader of the Kintyre group of Giffens who settled in the vicinity of Wheeling, W. Va. He was born at Kildavee, South End of Argyll County, Scotland. Kintyre means headland. It is the name applied to the narrow peninsula, forty-two miles in length, which forms the west shore of the river Clyde. This venturesome pioneer was born in 1743, migrated to America in 1777, locating at Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. After the close of the Revolutionary War he moved to Wheeling in 1787. Here he spent his life, became the father of a remarkable group of people, made his mark on the wilderness, and helped lay the foundations of the institutions peculiar to The United States of America. He was a farmer and his descendents for three generations were mostly farmers. Today they are found in every honorable profession and in almost every state in the Union.

ROBERT GIFFEN, died August 17, 1829, aged 86 years.
MARY GIFFEN, died August 4, 1821, aged 79 years.

The above is the tombstone record of two lives which were of vast importance to us. Had they not lived, or had they fallen victims to the savages of this western border, then many whose names appear on these pages would never have graced the stage of action in this world. These tombstones are of West Virginia sandstone and are in a perfect state of preservation in this year of 1923. They stand side by side in the Old Tent Cemetery, six miles east of Wheeling on the Bethany Pike and on the headwaters of Peter's Run.

The records of the Old Tent Congregation, connected with the Second Associate Reformed Presbytery of Pennsylvania, show that Robert Giffen was a charter member and an Elder of its first Session. This congregation received a deed for land dated June 9, 1796. It is presumed that the organization took place at least one year before this date. The Rev. Alexander McCoy was licensed to preach by the above named Presbytery in 1795, and became the first pastor of this congregation which worshipped in a tent in the wilderness. This denominational organization was brought about by the introduction of Watt's psalms and hymns into the worship of the Presbyterian church, instead of the Scottish version of the psalms, which had previously been the praise book of that church.

The Rev. R. G. Campbell, D.D., LL.D., who was pastor at
OF THE GIFFEN FAMILY

the Old Tent church in 1864, writes from memory as follows: "To my youthful mind, the people who attended that Old Tent church were lovely Christians. They were so simple in their habits, so kind, so generous and hospitable. For them an affection was created which still remains, and to this day calls up the sweetest of recollections. Among others, the writer became more or less intimate with the Waddells, the Terrills, the Giffens and the Stewarts. These were the pillars in the church. In their homes a generous hospitality was enjoyed, and a happy Christian communion which no man could forget."

Robert Giffen married Mary Bane before leaving Scotland. Two children at least were born in Scotland, Daniel, Feb. 9, 1769, and John, Nov. 2, 1772. These are the only names found in the Scottish Register. If others were born in Scotland there is no explanation except that their registration was neglected. So with his little family and accompanied by his sister Jane the trip was made to America. It was a slow sailing vessel. Seven weeks were spent on the ocean before New York was sighted. Before they could make the harbor a fearful storm arose and they were driven back out to sea and it was seven weeks more, fourteen in all, before a landing was effected. The date of this migration is established by Dr. Wallace Taylor in his book entitled The Taylor Genealogy. His grandmother was Margaret Giffen Taylor, daughter of Robert Giffen. She always claimed that she was born at sea on the way to America. The inscription on her gravestone at Cadiz, O., is "Margaret Taylor, Wife, died Feb. 9, 1858, aged 81." Subtracting her age from the date of her death we have 1777 as date of birth and date of the sea journey to America. The first settlement was made at Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania.

In the spring of 1787 Robert with his sons Daniel and John made a trip over the Allegheny mountains to a point known as Wheeling, in the state of Virginia. Here they built a cabin and put in a 'patch' of corn near what was later known as the Steenrod place, two miles east of Wheeling. This was then a wild and woody wilderness. The Zane brothers had settled in what is now Wheeling in 1769, and had built a fort and taken part in the Indian warfare of that period. West Liberty, twelve miles northeast of Wheeling, was then the county seat town of Ohio County, Virginia. The courthouse was built there in 1777 and removed to Wheeling in 1797. The first lots laid out in Wheeling, 112 in number, was in 1793, six years after Robert Giffen came to that vicinity. Wheeling was incorporated as a town in 1806 and as a city in 1836. Robert left his sons Daniel and John, 18 and 15 years of age, to occupy
the cabin and tend the corn while he returned to Cumberland, County, Pa., for the remainder of the family. These boys took care of themselves during the summer and explored the regions of Belmont County, Ohio, where John afterwards settled and lived the greater part of his life. They were thrifty and turned their explorations into cash by gathering ginseng, the only commodity that would then bring financial returns. Late in the fall of that year, 1787, Robert and his family reached the cabin in the wilderness. It must have been a happy reunion after a separation of more than six months. They spent the winter there but there is no record of their ever having a deed for land in that vicinity. Robert purchased 107 acres of land from John McLaughlin on Short Creek near the Major Sam. McCulloch fort, September 1, 1788, for the sum of 75 pounds. Our tradition is that Robert moved back from the Wheeling region to the vicinity of Fort McCulloch in order to secure better protection from the Indians who were still hostile and made frequent raids into western Pennsylvania. We like to think, too, that he had a religious reason. It was here that he found congenial spirits who helped him establish a church of Christ in the wilderness. The first worshiping place was in a tent, and the church when built was called the Tent and the congregation established was placed on the records of Presbytery as The Tent. Later generations referred to it as the Old Tent. This church stood until the close of the Civil War when it was merged with Buchanan Hill church and the new organization called Roney's Point. After the removal of the church the cemetery was neglected. It became overgrown and the burial place of our ancestors became a worse wilderness than that to which they came as settlers. After various attempts to clean it up and expenditure of money without lasting results, it was decided to deed this cemetery to the Commissioners of Ohio County, West Virginia. This was done November 19, 1923. In this deed the Commissioners agree, "To assume perpetual care of said property in its present state, and to keep and maintain the same in a neat and sightly condition, and not to disturb the graves now located on said property." Signed by the Trustees of the Roney's Point United Presbyterian church, viz., John M. Supler, M. H. Frazier, J. C. McCutcheon, Hugh I. Dodds, J. E. Bender.

There is another underlying reason why Robert Giffen came to Wheeling region and later moved six miles out to the Short Creek region. His brother-in-law, John Bane, had preceded him and settled at the mouth of Short Creek, twelve miles up the Ohio river from Wheeling. His patent deed,
signed by Patrick Henry, Governor of Virginia, was dated January 10, 1782, and it also recognized his settlement as having been made in 1776. These kinsmen lived close together in life and in death they were not divided. Side by side in the Tent Cemetery they are buried. We give here the tombstone record for the Banes.

John Bane, died April 19, 1819, in the 76th year of age.
Margaret Bane, died March 10, 1815, in the 68th year of age.

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January 19, 1928.

To whom it may concern:

I hereby certify that the name of ROBERT GIFFEN-GIFFIN appears as private, Third Class, on a return of the Second and Third Classes of Captain James Scott's Company of the Third Battalion of Washington County Militia, April 4, 1782, in the War of the Revolution.

The name of ROBERT GIFFEN-GIFFIN also appears as private, Third Class, on a return of the Third and Fourth Classes of Captain John Cotten's Company of the Third Battalion of Washington County Militia, September 4, 1782, in the War of the Revolution.

See pages 99 and 111 of Volume 11, Pennsylvania Archives, Sixth Series.

H. H. SHENK,
Archivist.

In testimony Whereof
I hereby affix the
Seal of this Department.

Historic Items gleaned from deeds on record at Wheeling.

1. Deed made by John McLaughlin to Robert Giffen for 107 acres of land on Short Creek, for 75 pounds, dated September 1, 1788.

2. Deed made by William Morrison to Robert Giffen for 298 acres, for 150 pounds, dated December 20, 1792.

3. Deed made by Robert Giffen and his wife Mary Giffen to their two sons Daniel and John Giffen for 298 acres, for 150 pounds current money of Pennsylvania, dated January 5, 1795.
4. Deed made by Daniel and John Giffen to George Roberts for 298 acres for 200 pounds current money of Pennsylvania, dated September 20, 1795.

5. Deed made by Kinsey Dickison to John Giffen for 100 acres on head waters of Peter’s Run, for 175 pounds, dated October 2, 1797.

6. Deed made to William and Archibald Giffen for 50 acres, for $300, dated April 1, 1799, situated on head waters of Short Creek. This tract was portion of a grant to Van Meters Brothers in 1786, near West Liberty, W. Va.

7. Deed made by Daniel Giffen and his wife Agnes to John Giffen, his share of 100 acres on Peter’s Run for $300, dated May 7, 1804.

8. Deed by Robert Bell to Daniel Giffen for 134 acres for $268, $2 per acre, situated on Rough and Ready Run, dated May 1, 1804.

9. Deed by Mose Shepherd to John Giffen for 46 acres for $184, situated on Wheeling Creek, dated April 1, 1805.

10. Deed by Phillip Witten to John Giffen for 251 acres for $1750, dated April 4, 1808. This was part of the original tract granted to David Shepherd containing 940 acres on Peter’s Run, March 8, 1784. This was therefore public land up until 1784, just 4 years before the first Giffen deed recorded.

Will of Robert Giffen.

We note the mixed spelling of the name in this document and that Robert signed it GIFFEN. Possibly the party who wrote the will made the mistakes in spelling.

In the name of God Amen, I Robert Giffin of the County of Ohio and State of Virginia being in a weakly State of body but sound Mind and Memory, calling to mind my mortality and that it is appointed for all men to die and come to Judgment, I do make and ordain this my last will and testament in way and manner following and first I resign my Soul to Almighty God who gave it me and my body to the earth from whence it was taken to be buried in a Christian and decent manner and that my funeral charges and just debts be fully settled and paid and also when it shall please God to take me away from this present life that my children and heirs bury me by my wife and that they put a head and foot stone to my grave as there is to hers and in disposing of my property and first I will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Downing one hundred dollars to be paid by my Executor out of my estate and secondly I will and bequeath fifty dollars to my son George Giffin and the remainder of my estate I will and bequeath to my three oldest children viz. Daniel Giffin, Jean Terrill and John Giffin, to be divided equally
among these three that is my real and personal estate and I also will
and appoint that my Son John Giffin to be my Sole Executor of this my
last will and testament renouncing and making void all former wills and
testaments and ordering this only to be my last will.

In witness thereof I set my hand and seal this fifth day of December one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

ROBERT GIFFEN [Seal]

Witness present
Test Samuel Frazier
     Alex M. Stewart

I do certify that the above is a true copy of the last will and testament of Robert Giffen deceased, which was produced in Court at the September Term, 1829, proven by the oath of Samuel Frazier, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to lie for further proof. And at the November Term, in the year 1829, was again produced in Court and fully proven by the oath of Alexander M. Stewart, another subscribing witness thereto, and ordered to be recorded.

Test
   WM. CHAPLINE, C. O. C.

A True Copy: Teste: JOHN H. WELLS, Clerk County Court,
Ohio County, State of West Virginia.

Descendents of
ROBERT AND MARY BANE GIFFEN.

I—1. Daniel. 1769-1852.
I—4. Margaret. 1777-1858.
I—5. George. 1779-1839.

Roman I, II, III, IV, etc., signify the order of generations
after Robert.

Numerals 1, 2, 3, etc., indicate order of birth in families.
DESCENDENTS OF DANIEL GIFFEN

I—1. Daniel Giffen, died January 13, 1852, in the 84th year of his age.
    Nancy Giffen, died May 10, 1851, in the 73rd year of her age.

So reads the record on two white marble tombstones found in the Old Tent Cemetery, six miles east of Wheeling, W. Va., on the Bethany pike. Both tombstones had fallen down and were lying on the ground previous to 1923. That of Nancy was broken in three pieces. The writer with others made a cement base over the graves and laid these stones, face upward, on this foundation. Nancy Agnes Bell became the wife of Daniel Giffen. No record can be found of the date or place of ceremony.

Daniel was the oldest son of Robert and Mary Bane Giffen and was born in Scotland February 9, 1769. He was therefore 18 years of age when the settlement was made at Wheeling. He regaled his grandchildren with thrilling stories of the early settlements. He told with vivid memory the story of Indian warfare, of the fort at Steenrod's Bottom east of Wheeling, and of Major Sam McCulloch's leap over Wheeling Hill and escape to the Steenrod fort.

On May 1, 1804, he purchased 134 acres of land from Robert Bell, for $268, situated on Rough and Ready Run, sometimes called Dixon's Run, near the present site of Rough and Ready school house. Here he lived and tilled his farm for the remainder of his life. He was identified with the Old Tent congregation and reared his family in the faith of his father. He died January 13, 1852 amidst the mutterings of the storm that was threatening to disrupt the Union, which resulted in the Civil War, and the birth of a new state called West Virginia. The children as follows.

II—1. Robert. 1809-1877.
II—3. Margaret.
II—4. Mary.
II—5. Sarah.
II—1. Robert Giffin was the son of Daniel, and grandson of Robert the pioneer settler at Wheeling. He was an elder in the Old Tent congregation and later in the Roney’s Point United Presbyterian congregation formed after the Civil War. He lived through the days of the Slavery agitation, the Civil War, and the reconstruction period. In the early days his was one of three votes cast for the Abolition ticket in the township. He helped to swing West Virginia for the Union, gave two sons to the Union army, and prophesied that the next great reform would be the destruction of the liquor traffic.

He was the first farmer in the vicinity to prohibit the use of liquor on his farm. His home was on the headwaters of Battle Run, Ohio County, W. Va. He was a pioneer who cleared most of the land he afterwards cultivated so diligently. Robert and Mary Jane Arthur, his wife, loved their children. They held firm to the Scottish clan idea and succeeded in settling four sons and three daughters on farms near enough to hear the dinner bell ring on the old homestead. Their home was the rallying point for more than a score of grandchildren. Their table was always set for visitors. Their home was a frequent preaching station in the summer months. The pastor was frequently instructed, at the morning service, that there would be preaching service at the home of Robert Giffin at four o’clock. The whole community was invited and the afternoon congregation usually filled the house, yard, and barnyard. After Robert’s death these services were continued for years by his faithful wife. She was a grand and heroic woman, worthy in every respect for the man she married.

On June 2, 1885, the remains of Robert Giffin and his children who died in infancy, Phoebe, Nancy, and Virginia, were removed from the Old Tent Cemetery to the chartered cemetery at West Alexander, Pa., and placed in a family lot where his wife and all the sons and daughters lie beside him or in nearby graves. The cemetery corporation has been paid a sum of money sufficient to insure perpetual care of the graves. Children as follows. Note. During the life of this Robert the name was always spelled Giffin.

III—6. Mary E. April, 1843—Oct. 27, 1885.

III—2. Margaret Giffin married Morrow Gibson. Their home was established about one mile from her childhood home on Battle Run. The Gibson family was reared in the fellowship of the Roney's Point U. P. church. Burial place West Alexander, Pa. Children as follows:


VI—2. Mary Virginia Johnson, New Concord, O.


VI—1. Geraldine Mae Johnson.
VI—2. Dorothy Lee Johnson.

IV—5. Celia Virginia Gibson, born 1863. Married John Frazier Atkinson, a greatgrand-son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen. Residence at Roney's Point, W. Va. Mr. Atkinson is an elder in the Roney's Point U. P. Church. Children as follows:


DESCENDENTS OF DANIEL GIFFEN


V—2. Robert Homer Gibson, Jr., 1912.


V—1. Margaret A. Gibson, 1902. Graduate of West Liberty State Normal School. Teacher, Garfield Heights School, Cleveland, O. (1927.)


V—5. Hilda L. Gibson, 1912. New Concord, O.


JOHN D. GIFFIN
Banker
Mahanoy City, Pa.

PLUMER D. GIFFIN
Banker
Cleveland, O.

BENJAMIN WADDELL
Philanthropist
Marion, O.

JAMES VINCENT GIFFIN
Educator
Wheeling, W. Va.
Descendents of Daniel Giffen


III–3. Daniel Arthur Giffin, March 29, 1836—September 7, 1908. Married to Sarah Ann Milligan, who was born January 30, 1841. He was the son of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin and great-grandson of Robert, the first settler at Wheeling, Virginia. A Civil War soldier of the 12th W. Va. Infantry Company D. Mustered in August 25, 1862 and served till close of war. After the war, married and settled down on a farm near his father’s homestead and lived there the remainder of his life. Patriotism and religion were the twin passions of his life. Very early he began to urge the temperance reform. His ballot was always cast for the Prohibition candidate and money contributed liberally toward temperance agitation. He was an elder in the Roney’s Point U. P. church for the greater part of his life. His farm has passed into the hands of strangers, and his widow lives with her son, Wm. A. Giffin, at 1 Prospect Ave., Elm Grove, W. Va. (1927.) His burial place is at West Alexander, Pa. Children as follows.


IV–2. William Arthur Giffin, July 11, 1869. Graduate of West Liberty Normal, West Virginia. He has been a
teacher, farmer and business man. Lives at 1 Prospect Ave., Elm Grove, W. Va., and is employed as Credit man and Notary Public by the Cecil Lumber Co. He was married to Miss Lottie McCutcheon, deceased. Children as follows.


IV—3. Robert Hugh Giffin, June 24, 1871. Retired blacksmith living in Los Angeles, California. His active life spent in Washington County, Pa., and at Missoula, Montana. He was married to Cora Burns, who died at Missoula, Montana, June 14, 1915. He was later married to Louise Cook Reinhardt. 3265 Drew St., Los Angeles, Cal. Children as follows.

V—1. Alva Hugh Giffin, September 10, 1899. Engaged in hardware business, Missoula, Montana. Enlisted as soldier in the World War, Battery D, 69th Heavy Artillery, April 19, 1917, at Fort Casey, Washington. Reached France September 1, 1918. Was stationed at Lebourne and Bordeaux. Was on the way to trenches when the Armistice was signed. Left in hospital when Company returned to the U. S. Later joined Battery D, 102nd Field Artillery, 26th Division. Honorably discharged April 24, 1919. Married to Gertie Kline. 721 Edith St., Missoula, Mont. Children as follows.

VI—1. Alva Hugh Giffin, Jr., Dec. 29, 1921.


VI—2. Robert Hugh Giffin, Jr., March 2, 1924.
VI—3. William Francis Giffin, March 27, 1925.


V—1. Helen Elizabeth Giffin, June 3, 1905. Student nurse at Columbia Hospital, Wilkinsburg, Pa. (1928).

V—2. Bertha Marie Giffin, April 8, 1910. Student Canonsburg High school.


V—3. Mary Sarah Giffin, August 1, 1918.


Robert M. was the son of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin. He was a soldier in the Civil War for a short time near its close. He was a farmer and lived his life on a portion of the farm once owned by his uncle John Giffin, on the headwaters of Short Creek, W. Va. He was a lifelong member of the Roney’s Point U. P. church. Burial place at West Alexander, Pa. Children of first wife as follows:


V—1. Eleanor Giffin, August 27, 1906.

IV—3. Annie Giffin, October 18, 1872. Married to Charlie Davis. Children as follows.


III—4. Sarah Elizabeth Giffin, Sept. 7, 1838–1893. Married to William Ray, who died 1894. She was a daughter of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin. Her married life was spent on a farm about one mile south of the parental home and her family reared in the Roney's Point U. P. church. Her burial place is at Elm Grove, W. Va. Children as follows.


III—6. Mary E. Giffin, April, 1843—Oct. 27, 1885. Married to Martin L. Connelley, who was born Sept. 2, 1842. She was the daughter of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin. Her life was spent on the farm formerly owned by John Giffin previous to his departure to the west, located on the headwaters of Short Creek, W. Va. Her family was reared in the Roney's Point U. P. church. In middle life she was afflicted with cancer and was the first of the adult members of her fathers' family to be called home. Her husband was a prominent farmer of West Virginia, Secretary-Treasurer of the Ohio County Farmers Insurance Co., and closely identified with Daniel Arthur Giffin in the early agitation for Prohibition, and still lives (1926) to see the realization of their early hopes. Her burial place is West Alexander, Pa. Children as follows.


V—1. Mary Elizabeth Connelley, born March 24, 1927.


V—1. Laura G. Connelley, born March 30, 1921.

III—8. Milton L. Giffin, Dec. 29, 1847–May 23, 1912. Married Elizabeth Milligan, who was born Feb. 22, 1849. Milton was a son of Robert and Mary Jane Giffin. He settled on the north end of the home farm known as the Hempfield place. Later sold this and bought the homestead, where he lived the remainder of his life. As his father he was a diligent farmer, closely attached to his home, and identified with the Roney's Point U. P. church. After his death the homestead passed out of the possession of the Giffin family. His widow lives in retirement at Elm Grove, W. Va. (1926). His burial place is West Alexander, Pa. Children as follows.


V—1. Donald Addison Rogers, May 18, 1915.
V—4. Glen Rudolph Rogers, June 20, 1919.

III—9. Sophia J. Giffin, Dec. 29, 1847—February 21, 1927. Daughter of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin. She was the abiding companion of her mother in declining years. She has been identified with the important events of three generations. She has nursed and spanked most of the grandchildren and set an example in faithful humble service worthy of their following. We are wishing that when the crowns are finally distributed, there may be one especially bright for Aunt Sophia.


III—11. Joseph B. Giffin, May 8, 1853—Oct. 9, 1918. Married Miss Annie A. Johnson of Wheeling, W. Va. He was the youngest child of Robert and Mary Jane Arthur Giffin. The greater part of his life was spent on the old homestead. He cared for the farm and his aged mother until her death. After this he moved to an adjoining farm which had been the childhood home of his mother, where he lived the remainder of his life. He was a diligent farmer, a home lover, and faithful as a member of the U. P. church of Roney's Point. Burial place, West Alexander, Pa. Since his death the farm has been sold and his widow and daughter live in retirement at 133 Gamble Ave., Elm Grove, W. Va. Children as follows.


II—2. John Giffin, June 5, 1815—Dec. 14, 1870. Married Margaret Jane Shaw, July 1, 1822—April 3, 1910. John was the second son of Daniel and Nancy Agnes Bell-Giffin, and grandson of the Pioneer Robert Giffin. His birth place was Ohio County, West Virginia. He
made a profession of faith in Christ and united with the Old Tent church in 1841. Ambitious to keep his large family together, he sold his farm in West Virginia and followed two sons who had preceded him to the west. These two sons, Daniel and John, had located at Warrensburg, Johnson County, Missouri, and at Lee's Summit, Jackson County, the family was united in the year 1869. He at once identified himself with a little band of United Presbyterians at that place and was made an elder. But the plan for a united family, like most human plans was a disappointment. After two years residence in Lee's Summit, the family was afflicted with a scourge of typhoid fever. The father and two sons, Edward C. and John W., died. Four others were sick almost unto death but survived. Then begins the heroic struggle of the little woman, known to the family connection as Aunt Margaret. She was left with five partially raised children and in great financial embarrassment. Heroically she struggled along and largely overcame these difficulties. In the year 1884 she disposed of the homestead at Lee's Summit and bought property in Linn county, Kansas, near Blue Mound, where she had her home till death. Shortly after moving to the Kansas home her house was burned and most of the contents, among them the family Bible with all the family records. She maintained her own home in Blue Mound until within 18 months of her death, when she was taken by her daughter, Mrs. Rosa Waddell, and tenderly cared for till the end. She was buried in the beautiful cemetery at Lee's Summit by the side of her husband and sons. She belonged to that illustrious army of settlers who made the West great in character as well as in dimensions. They changed prairie deserts to gardens that blossomed as the rose. They set up the banner of the Cross and laid deep the foundations of civil and religious institutions. Children as follows.

III—1. Daniel Giffin, Feb. 3, 1839. Married to Mary Waddell. The oldest son of John and Margaret Shaw Giffin. He was born in Ohio County, W. Va. Soon after marriage he migrated to Centerview, Johnson County, Mo., in the fall of 1868. Finding a small body of United Presbyterians at this place, he united at once with them, and the next year was elected an elder, and made teacher of a Bible class. After a residence of fifteen
years in Missouri he moved to Pawnee City, Nebraska, where for many years he continued his identity with the church of his fathers as an official and Bible teacher. He still lives in Pawnee City, both he and his wife having retired from active labor (1926). Daniel, being the oldest of this large family so early bereft of a father, was looked to for counsel and assistance in the many vicissitudes of the settlement in a new country. Providence left him childless that he might be a foster father to his brethren. Doubtless the widowed mother found his a strong arm to lean upon.

III—2. William Giffin, soldier in Co. D, 12th West Virginia Infantry of the Civil War, died in hospital at Cumberland, Md., Dec. 16, 1862. He was a student at the West Liberty Academy at the time of his enlistment. He is buried in the Old Tent cemetery and his tombstone carries the announcement of his Civil War service. He had planned to enter the ministry of the U. P. church.

III—3. Robert E. Giffin, 1842-1916. This third son of John and Margaret Shaw Giffin was born in Ohio County, W. Va., and migrated with his father's family to Lee's Summit, Mo., in 1869. In 1871 he married Sarah Elizabeth Keller at Cambridge, O., and at once established his home in Jackson County, Mo., where they lived until 1884. They then moved to Miami County, Kansas, where they resided on a farm a few miles east of Paola, until the year 1906. Mrs. Giffin died during a visit to her daughter at Lawton, Oklahoma, in 1906. After this time Mr. Giffin made his home alternately with his son J. C., at Centerville, Kansas, and his daughter at Lawton, Oklahoma. His death occurred while with his daughter in 1916. He was connected with the Presbyterian church at Paola, Kansas, and preserved the family record of diligence and faithfulness in religious duties. Children as follows.


V—1. Lawrence Loraine Jones.

V—2. Fern Jones.


V—1. Hazel.
V—2. Wilma.


V—1. Roscoe Raymond Giffin, Jr.
V—2. Gerald.


III—4. Barbara Jane Giffin, Sept. 6, 1843–June 25, 1910. Married to Joseph G. Cullen. May 31, 1842 — She was the daughter of John and Margaret Jane Shaw Giffin, born in Ohio County, W. Va., and married Nov. 4, 1868. She lived her life and reared her family near Mt. Hermon U. P. church, a few miles from Cambridge, O. She was a consistent member and regular attendant at this church for forty-one years. Children as follows.


VI—2. Eleanor C. Addy, Jan. 30, 1921.


V—1. Joseph Stewart Cullen, March 12, 1901.
V—2. Edith Margaret Cullen, July 4, 1903.


III—5. John W. Giffin, 1845-1871. Died at Lee's Summit, Mo.

III—6. James Hamilton Giffin, April 6, 1847–Nov. 4, 1915. Married Barbara Ramsay, Jan. 21, 1844–Jan. 14, 1920. James H. was the son of John and Margaret Shaw Giffin, and was born in Ohio County, W. Va., moving
with the family to Lee's Summit, Mo., in 1869. In early life he united with the church and continued this relationship till death. He was married March 18, 1873 and founded a Christian home blessed with sons and daughters. The first and third sons died in infancy. In 1876 the family moved to Mercer county, Illinois, and during the years lived at Joy, Viola, Sunbeam, and Aledo. Many moves were made but the church letter, never forgotten, was taken along and placed in the church of their choice. He was a farmer and maintained a reputation for honesty, industry, and a profound respect for the Bible, the Church and her ministry. Mrs. Giffin died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wilmer Dew, Monmouth, Ill., Jan. 14, 1920. Children as follows.


V—3. Ethel Giffin.


V—2. Leroy Dew.


DESCENDENTS OF DANIEL GIFFEN

V—1. Pearl Giffin.
V—3. Everett Giffin.


V—1. Lois Giffin.
V—5. Cora Giffin.


V—1. Richard Kelley.
V—3. Carroll Kelley.


V—1. Dora Lorene Patterson.
V—2. Twila Luceil Patterson.
V—3. Ina Mae Patterson.


III—8. Mary E. Giffin. Died April 15, 1855, aged 3 years. Tombstone record, Old Tent Cemetery.
III—9. Luther Giffin, Aug. 3, 1851. Married to Margaret Jane Hutcheson, who died Aug. 9, 1918. Luther was a son of John and Margaret Jane Shaw Giffin and was born in Ohio County, W. Va. Migrated with the family to Lee's Summit, Mo., in the year 1869. He was a farmer first in Missouri, then in Kansas, later in the vicinity of Cambridge, O. He has been identified with the United Presbyterian church all his life. After his wife's death he sold his property and moved to Cambridge, O., living in retirement. A second marriage was to Elizabeth Acheson, July 28, 1921, at Cambridge, O. Children as follows.


IV—3. Rev. William J. Giffin, Aug. 6, 1883. Graduate of Muskingum College, 1911, of Xenia Theological Seminary, 1915. Received Master's degree of Ph.M. at Princeton, 1924. Has held pastorates in the United Presbyterian church at Argyll, N. Y.; Frenchburg, Kentucky; and is at present pastor of the Sixth U. P. church of Cleveland, O. (1926). He is married to Elizabeth Marion Martin. Children as follows.


V—2. John Martin Giffin, July 31, 1925.


V—2. Thomas Irvine Kier, April 27, 1926.

IV—5. Laura G. Giffin, June 1, 1897. Cambridge, O.

III—10. Agnes Giffin, 1855-1880. Married to Tolliver Foulks, in 1874. Daughter of John and Margaret Jane Shaw Giffin, born in Ohio county, W. Va., migrated with the family to Lee's Summit, Mo., in 1869. Children as follows.


IV—2. Margaret Ellen Foulks. Married Mr. McGary, Lee's Summit, Mo.

IV—3. Moetta Agnes Foulks.
III-11. Rosanna Giffin, 1856. Married Hiram Waddell, 1880. Daughter of John and Margaret Jane Shaw Giffin, born in Ohio county, W. Va., and migrated with the family to Lee's Summit, Mo., in 1869. Her home for some years was in Missouri, but later at Burlingame, Kansas. Present church connection M. E.


V—1. Eleanor Georgine Moss.


III–16. Samuel Shaw Giffin, October 19, 1865. Married to Lenora Goodrich on January 4, 1889. He was son of John and Margaret Jane Shaw Giffin and was born in Ohio County, W. Va., migrating with the family to Lee’s Summit, Mo., in 1869. He is a farmer and his present church connection is M. E. at Oakwood, Linn County, Kansas. Address, Centerville, Kansas. Children as follows.


IV—2. Clyde G. Giffin, August 2, 1893. He was a soldier in the World War, serving in Co. A, 314th Engineers, 89th Division of the U. S. Army. He saw hard service at St. Mihiel and the Argonne, and was with the Army of Occupation in Germany. He was not injured. Present address, Centerville, Kansas. Occupation, farmer.


MARGARET JANE SHAW-GIFFIN
W. Va., Missouri, Kansas

DANIEL GIFFIN
Farmer
W. Va., Missouri, Nebraska

REV. WILLIAM JOHN GIFFIN
Cleveland, O.

CLYDE G. GIFFIN
U. S. Army, St. Mihiel,
Argonne, Germany
Kansas
Marriage License Court Record, Wheeling, Ohio County, Virginia. Book 1790 to 1827, page 186. Marriage Record.
John Waddle and Margaret Giffen, June 23rd, 1818.
JAMES HERVEY, V.D.M.

II—3. Margaret Giffin, Daughter of Daniel, and granddaughter of Robert, the original settler in West Virginia near Wheeling. She married John Waddell June 23, 1818, and later with two children migrated to Marion, Ohio, in the month of March, 1821. Here they reared a family of ten children. Their son Benjamin was the first male child in Marion county to receive baptism at the hands of a Presbyterian minister. Benjamin Waddell was a very successful business man, a devoted churchman and a philanthropist. He was the founder and donor to two institutions, Marion County Children’s Home and The Waddell Ladies’ Home Association. One daughter of Margaret Giffin Waddell named Mary became Mrs. Daniel Giffin of Pawnee City, Nebraska. She and her husband are still living at an advanced age, 1927. Children of John and Margaret Giffin Waddell as follows.

IV—4. Mary Luellen-Denham. Her son Robert S. Denham is a Consulting Engineer with offices in Cleveland.

IV—1. Margaret Waddell-Hawley. Deceased.
V—1. Stella E. Waddell-Smart.
V—2. Homer R. Waddell.
III—3. Daniel Waddell. Married (a) Celia Richardson; (b) Lizzie Pennell. Children as follows.

IV—1. Lucinda Waddell.—Clark.
IV—2. Mary Waddell.—Clark.

III—4. John Waddell. Married (a) Jane Smith; (b) —— Children as follows.

IV—1. Mary Waddell-Smith.
IV—2. Elizabeth Waddell-Clark.
IV—5. Isaac Waddell.
IV—6. Allie Waddell-Hoover.


V—1. George Earl Waddell, Marion, O.
   Second marriage (b) Annetta A. Redd. Children as follows.

V—1. Roy H. Waddell.
V—2. Helen Catherine Waddell-Grigsby. Marion, O.
V—3. Donn Lucile Waddell-Harris, Detroit, Mich.


V—1. Lawrence J. Douce.
V—3. Emerson Douce.


V—1. Frank Waddell.
V—2. Rose Waddell-Burnett.
V—3. Daisy Pearl Waddell-Saunders.
V—5. Lee Waddell.

V—1. Florence Catherine Waddell.
V—2. May Elizabeth Waddell-Staney (Rev. J. W. Staney, Pittsburgh, Pa.)
V—5. Ross Waddell.

IV—7. Margaret Waddell. Married to John Schaffner.
V—1. Elwyn Schaffner.


V—2. Walter E. Waddell.

V—1. Ralph Cheney.
V—2. Rhu Cheney.
V—3. Catherine Cheney.

V—1. Myrtle Waddell.
Second wife of Samuel Waddell (b) Grace Zehner.


IV—1. George Waddell.
IV—3. Lee Waddell.
IV—4. Benjamin Waddell.
IV—5. William O. Waddell.
IV—6. Fant Waddell.
   IV—2. James Waddell.

III—8. Elizabeth Waddell. Married to (a) David Potter. (b) Jonas Rupp.
   IV—1. John Potter.
   IV—2. Lovina Potter-Bishop.
   IV—4. Ella Potter-Myers.

   IV—1. Nellie Strine.
   IV—5. Susan Strine-Rider.

III—10. Mary Waddell. Married to Daniel Giffin, son of John and Margaret Shaw Giffin. Residence, Pawnee City, Nebraska.

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II—4. Mary Giffin. Daughter of Daniel, and granddaughter of Robert, the original settler near Wheeling. She married a Mr. Murray. Some of her descendents are found in Ohio County, W. Va., but most of them have migrated westward. Indiana.

II—5. Sarah Giffin. Daughter of Daniel and granddaughter of Robert, the original settler near Wheeling. She married Samuel Mathers and settled near Cambridge, O. Many of her descendents are found in that region.

   Her son, James Frazier of Austin, Neosho County, Kansas, sends the following brief history of Nancy Giffin Frazier's family.


IV—5. Robin Frazier, November 27, 1873. Elco, Col. Four children and three grandchildren.


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Here ends the list of descendents of Daniel Giffen, the oldest son of Robert the pioneer. A multitude of others are unnamed. Time and space and march of settlements westward makes it impossible to keep up with all the connection. Following is a copy of Daniel’s will.
In the name of God Amen. I Daniel Giffen of the County of Ohio and State of Virginia, being in a weakly State of Body but of sound Mind and memory, Causing to mind my Mortality, and that it is appointed for all men to die and come to judgment, I do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in way and manner folloing and first I resign my soul to Almighty God who gave it me and secondly my body to the earth from whence it was taken to be buriad in a Christian and decent manner. And thirdly that my funeral charges and just debts be fully setled & paid, and in the first place it is my desire and wish to leave my dear and loving wife in a comfortable situation as possible if she should survive me. And first I bequeath to my wife Agness One third of the hole products of my home plantation And to ocapy the land of the house we now live in, with all the funaure and things in the house her natural life time the furniture and things in the house to be at her own disposel in her life or at her death, And secondly I bequeath to my second son John Giffin my home place which we now ocapy with the all the Stock and farming Utensuas Except Too Cows and one horse which is to be attended to by my son John Giffin And in the third place, I leave and bequeath to my oaledese son Robert Giffin, fifty Dollars to be paid by my son John Giffin at my deceas Fourth to my four daughters viz: Margaret Waddle, Mary Murry, Sarah, Meathers, and Agnes Frazier which I leave and bequeath One hundred Dollars eatch to be paid out of my astate by my son John Giffin after my and my wife’s deceas the two Cows and hors mentionod above is to be for said John Giffin’s Mother and my wife for her use and benefit while she lives and lastly I appoint my second son John Giffin whoal and soal Executor of this my last will and Testament renouncing and making void all former Wills and Testaments and Ordering this only to be my last Will. In witness thairoff I set my hand and seal this Twenty fourth day of March Eightee hundred and forty one.

DANIEL GIFFEN [Seal]

Attest
Robert Frazier
Jane Maccoy

Proved February term of Court 1852 by Jane McCoy.
Further proved September Term, Ohio County Court, by deposition of Robert Frazier of Knox County in State of Ohio.
It is therefore considered and ordered that the same be admitted to record.

Teste JNO MCCOLLOCH

Note the difference in spelling of Giffin in this document. All the descendents of Daniel spell the name Giffin. His signature to this Will and the inscription on his tombstone are both Giffen.
DESCENDENTS OF JEAN GIFFEN

I—2. Jean Giffen, second child of Robert and Mary Bane-Giffen, was born in Scotland. No record of registration was found, but Robert in his will mentions his three oldest children as Daniel Giffen, Jean Terrill, and John' Giffen. We know that she married Daniel Terrill and from her tombstone in the Tent Cemetery is derived this record. “Jane Terrill, wife of Daniel Terrill, died May 27, 1849, aged 79 years, 8 mo., 12 days.” Beside her tombstone is that of her husband with the following inscription, “Daniel Terrill died March 2, 1847, aged 78 years, 9 mo., 27 days.

Her father’s will carries her name as Jean. In her marriage license record it is spelled Jane. Another instance of mixed spelling.

Marriage License Records, Book No. 1, page 48, County Court, Ohio County, West Virginia.

Also that on the (18th) day of Novr. A. D. 1794
I have agreeably to the law of Virginia & by virtue of
A licence Directed to any authorized Minister of the Gospel in Ohio County Issued by the Clark
of Sd. County on the (15th) day of Novr. (1794) Solemnized the right of marriage between Daniel Terrill
and Jane Giffin both of the County aforesaid
Given under my hand this (1st) day of Decr. 1794.

JAMES HUGHES V D M.

A Copy test
Moses Chapline Ck


II—1. Mary.
II—2. Rebecca.
II—3. Elizabeth.
II—4. Jane
II—5. Margaret.
II—6. Ruth.
II—7. Adam.

II—10. Jeremiah Terril, born 1814, died July 2, 1903. He married Martha Hemphill, who was born 1813 and died Feb. 1, 1869. Their family was reared in Ohio County, W. Va., in fellowship of the Tent and later Roney’s Point U. P. Church. Children.


IV—1. Morton.
IV—2. Frank.
IV—4. Martha.
IV—5. Maude.
IV—6. Lewis.
IV—7. Alice.


I—3. John Giffen, son of Robert and Mary Bane-Giffen, was born at the estate of Christlach, in the region known as Kintyre, South End of Argyll County, Scotland, November 2, 1772. He came with his father to America in 1777, settling in the region of the Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. In the spring of 1787 he came with his father and brother Daniel to Wheeling as recorded before. Here he grew to manhood, sharing in the experiences incident to pioneer life in a rugged forest covered, hilly section of country, infested with American Indians. The clearings were cultivated by men, in groups, for mutual assistance and protection. A friendly Indian told the story of having skulked in the forest near the Giffen cornfields, in his unregenerate days. He had repeatedly drawn a bead on John, who was plowing the rows of corn, and could easily have killed him at the end of the row. But the group of men in the same field was so numerous and so near that he decided it was safer for him not to start any trouble. One cannot help but wonder what a difference it would have made in the history of the Giffen family, the United States, and the United Presbyterian mission fields and colleges, if that Indian had pulled the trigger. We are grateful to the divine Providence which watched over our fathers in the generations past.

The real estate records at Wheeling reveal that John Giffen was connected with various transactions involving lands on Short Creek and the Head waters of Peter's Run, in Ohio County, W. Va. The records show that in each transaction he made some money. To one familiar with the acreage handled there is the conviction that he was a good judge of land.

He was married to Elizabeth Morrison, October 11, 1796, who was then 17 years of age. He spent 38 years of his life in the vicinity of the Old Tent meeting house in West Virginia. The lure of the Ohio hills, contracted in boyhood journeys across the river, was in his veins and in 1825 he migrated to a farm two miles north of St. Clairsville, Belmont County, Ohio. This farm became known as the John Giffen home- stead. During his stay in West Virginia he had accumulated some property and a family of ten children.
During his remaining days in Ohio he watched with great pleasure the development of his family and the settlement of many others of the Giffen connection, in the same general community, some coming from West Virginia and others directly from Scotland. His wife Elizabeth died in 1842 at 63 years of age. John Giffen died in 1856 at age of 84 years.

In religion John Giffin was associated with his father’s family in the Old Tent congregation of the Associate Reformed Presbytery of Pennsylvania, located six miles east of Wheeling, until his removal to St. Clairsville, Ohio, in 1825. In Ohio he became a member of the High Ridge congregation, which was under the Reformed Dissenting Presbytery. Later this congregation was merged, with its controlling presbytery, into the Associate Reformed church. He kept his membership in the High Ridge congregation until the end of his life. Among his descendents are nine ministers of the United Presbyterian denomination, four foreign missionaries and one college president. He was all his life a farmer, but his children are found in every honorable trade and profession. In the following pages his descendents are briefly catalogued.

II—1. Mary Giffen.
II—2. Robert Giffen.
II—7. Elizabeth Giffen.
II—10. Sarah Ann Giffen.

II—1. Mary Giffen, daughter of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born June 17, 1799. She was married to David Coats and they lived and died in Belmont County, O.

III—1. Isabel Coats. Married to John Robson and later to Stewart Adams. Lived in Belmont County, O. Children of first marriage.

IV—1. Died in infancy.
IV—2. Thomas Robson. Deceased.

IV—3. Robert Robson.


V—1. Paul Robson Scott. Died at 18 years of age.

Second marriage to James Dewitte. Lived at Sentinel, Oklahoma.

IV—5. Margaret Jane Robson. Missoula, Mont.


Isabel Coats' second marriage, to David Stewart Adams. Lived in Belmont County, O. Children.


VI—1. Dwight Kennedy.


V—1. Dewayne Walker.


IV—3. Emma A. Grimes, born Jan. 6, 1856.

IV—4. Ella C. Grimes, born May 4, 1858.

IV—5. Evelina Grimes, born March 27, 1860.


IV—8. Elmer Grimes, born May 17, 1866.
III—3. Robert Coats. Married Alcova Grimsby. Lived on one farm in Colerain twp., Belmont County, O., for 43 years. Children as follows.


V—2. Clarence Calhoun. Married to Marie Middleton, 1133 Fulton Road, Canton, O.
V—3. George Calhoun.
V—5. John Calhoun.


V—3. Alberta Coats. Married to Allen Archibald, Canton, O.
V—5. Norman Coats.


V—1. Walter McConnell. Married to Adelle Steese. 412 Fourth Street, Southwest, Canton, O.
V—2. Ledra McConnell.


VI—1. Evaline Karrel.

V—2. Earl Coats.
V—3. Elbur Coats.
V—5. Ross Coats.
V—7. Wilma Coats.

IV—9. Kelly Coats. Married to Adda Barnes, St. Clairsville, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Elizabeth Coats.
V—2. Kathryn Coats.
V—4. Donald Coats.
V—5. Dorothy Coats.


V—1. Mary Coats.
V—2. June Coats.
V—3. Wilda Coats.
V—4. Isabel Coats.
V—5. Louise Coats.


VI—1. Genevieve Starkey.
VI—2. Margaret Starkey.


IV—2. Samuel C. Hardesty. Married to Lucy Theaker, Barton, O.

IV—3. Addie L. Hardesty, 35 West 9th Ave., Columbus, O.
IV—4. William Ross Hardesty, Barton, O.
IV—5. John G. Hardesty, Barton, O.


III—8. Adaline Giffen Coats. Married to David D. Stilwell at St. Clairsville, O. Mrs. Stilwell died Aug. 8, 1889 at the age of 49 years. Mr. Stilwell died Jan. 29, 1892, at the age of 52. Children.


V—1. Viola Stilwell.


V—1. Floyd Coulter, born 1902. Dealer in farm implements and auto shop repairs.


IV—4. Jessie L. Stilwell. Married to Mr. Boyd, Columbus, O.
IV—5. Lillian V. Stilwell. First marriage to Jay Moore, Adena, O.; second to Fred Burgbacher of Bellaire, O.; third to Fred Bailey, Mont Bello, Cal. R. R. Box 770.


II—2. Robert Giffen, son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born November 26, 1801. Not married. Died 1843.

II—3. William Giffen, son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born March 21, 1804. He was married to Ellen Graham. Their lives were lived in Belmont County, O. Children as follows.


IV—1. Son in Chicago, Sect. to Phil Armour.

III—2. John M. Giffen, born Feb. 10, 1830 in Belmont County, O. Graduate of Franklin College. United Presbyterian. Admitted to the practice of law in Ohio, Nov. 10, 1856. Married March 13, 1862 to Catherine Parker Whitcomb. He migrated to Kansas in 1856. In 1858 located in Olathe, and began the practice of law. He had the opportunity of helping organize the county and state government of Kansas. He held the positions of Secretary to the Governor, Prosecuting Attorney, Treasurer, City Engineer, Justice of the Peace, Police Judge. He collected the first dollar of tax paid in Johnson county. He was the founder and editor of the Olathe Herald in 1859, the office of which was destroyed by a Quantrill raid Sept. 6, 1862. He was the father of eight children, all dying in early childhood except two. Mr. Giffen suffered ill health, bleeding at the lungs for 31 years. At the age of fifty years a needle came out of his lungs and he lived until the age of 69, dying in 1899. He was master of five languages, teacher, Bible student and musician. Children.


III—4. Samuel Giffen. Born April 25, 1840, died Nov. 26, 1926. He was married to Sarah Jane Blakemore. A second marriage to Sarah J. Morgan. Mr. Giffen was engaged in the confectionery business at Harrisville, O. He was a member of the United Presbyterian church and for twenty years Mayor of Harrisville.

Children by first wife.

IV—2. James F. Giffen. Married to Anna Loeffler. He was born in 1863. Children as follows.


V—1. Robert Ball.
V—2. Beverly Ball.
V—3. Helen Ball.
V—4. Gussie Ball.
V—5. Grace Ball.


V—1. Leonard Burdick.

William Giffen was married a second time, to Mrs. Mary (Morrison) Miskimmons. Children as follows.


III—7. Mary Giffen. Married to O. Donner, Bannock, O.

III—8. Ella Giffen. Married to Mr. Barnes, Laferty, O.


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II—1. John Giffen, Jr., son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born Feb. 28, 1806. He was married to Jane Gordon and reared a large family in Belmont county, O. Died Aug. 28, 1881, at Cadiz, O. His wife died in 1891 aged 79 years. Children.


IV—1. Elizabeth J. Henderson, born 1856, died 1921. Married to Ban Dorrance. Children as follows.


VI—1. Paul Dorrance, born 1908.
VI—2. Ralph Dorrance, born 1919.

V—4. Zulu Dorrance, born (—), died 1891.


VI—1. Marjory Burriss, born 1919.
VI—2. Richard Burriss, born 1922.
Children as follows.

VI—1. Maurice Rose, born 1924.

III—2. Morrison Nichol Giffen, born April 5, 1839. Married
Lucinda Neff, 1874. Residence was near Cadiz, O. He
was a successful business man, and an elder in the
Cadiz United Presbyterian church. His death occurred
Oct. 4, 1919. Children as follows.

IV—1. Harry E. Giffen, born May 20, 1875 in Belmont County,
O. Married to Martha McNiece. Children as follows.


IV—2. J. Mae Giffen, born March 14, 1879 near Cadiz, O.
Married to J. Craig McFadden. Residence, 319 Grant
St., Cadiz, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Sarah Lucile McFadden, born August 14, 1908.
V—2. Infant, 1911-1911.

IV—3. Leslie D. Giffen, born June 8, 1882 at Cadiz, O. Mar-
ried to Bertha Scott. Residence, Cadiz, O. Children
as follows.


Married to Dr. M. C. Morgan, Akron, O. Children as
follows.


29, 1927, at Cadiz, O.


Farmer near Cadiz, O. Lived with his sisters.

III—6. Mary Giffen, born Feb. 23, 1850. Married to James
Hinkle at St. Clairsville, O. June 20, 1869. Deceased.
Children as follows.
IV—1. Ross Hinkle, born September 24, 1871.

IV—2. Earl Hinkle, born September 22, 1875. Married Anna Garner, who died April 8, 1921. Children as follows.

V—1. James Hinkle, born August 26, 1903.
V—2. Laura Hinkle, born July 14, 1906; died April 1, 1907.


Earl Hinkle’s second marriage was to Rose Eiclleberger, April 15, 1922.


V—5. Margaret F. Hedrick, 1924.

III—8. Emma Giffen, born 1855, died 1886.

II—5. Joseph Giffen, son of John and Elizabeth Morrison-Giffen, was born in West Virginia, March 1, 1808. He was a farmer in Belmont County, Ohio, and was twice married. His first wife was Mary Berry. Children.


Joseph Giffen’s second wife was Mary Jane Ault. Children.


V—2. Mary Elizabeth Tinstman, born March 5, 1910.


V—1. Mary Evaline Giffen, born 29, 1911.


V—1. Mary Eleanor Crozier.
V—2. William Bruce Crozier.


V—2. Donald Emerson Sutton.
V—5. Wilma Irene Sutton.
V—7. Roy Ellis Sutton.

IV—3. Cora Sutton, born 1885. Married 1908 to Earl Alexander Hawthorne, rural mail carrier, St. Clairsville, O. Children as follows.

V—2. Howard Wesley Hawthorne.
V—3. Helen Gertrude Hawthorne. Died at the age of nine.


V—1. Mary Jean Sutton.

III—7. Camby F. Giffen. Born, 1867. Married to Ida Kerr. He was a Belmont County farmer until 1922, when the farm was sold and the residence changed to St. Clairsville and is engaged in the lumber business, 1927. Member of the United Presbyterian church. Children as follows.


IV—10. Catherine Giffen, born 1912; at St. Clairsville, O.

II—6. Samuel Giffen, son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born June 6, 1810, near the Old Tent meeting house in Ohio County, Virginia. He married Margaret Kerr, Feb. 13, 1845. She was a native of Belmont County, her birthplace being near St. Clairsville, November 1, 1823. Samuel and his wife first established their home at Martin’s Ferry, O., at which place the first seven of their children were born. Later, they moved to the John Giffen homestead near St.
JOHN GIFFEN, D.D.
Cairo, Egypt
Clairsville. He was a general farmer by occupation, and died in October, 1884, at the age of 74 years. His wife, Margaret Kerr Giffen, died January 27, 1898, at the age of 74 years. They were prominently connected with the St. Clairsville U. P. church. Children as follows.

III—1. John Giffen, D.D., son of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born at Martin's Ferry, O., August 1, 1846. He graduated from Westminster College in June, 1871, and from Xenia Theological Seminary in 1874. He was licensed to preach by Wheeling Presbytery, of the United Presbyterian church, on the 14th of April, 1874, and ordained at St. Clairsville, O., by the same Presbytery on January 26, 1875. He received his D. D. from Westminster College in 1899.

He was appointed a missionary to Egypt and sailed on the 10th of February, 1875, for the field. Soon after reaching the mission field he married Miss Mary E. Galloway, missionary to Egypt under the Associate Reformed church. She died October 16, 1881. In 1883 married Elizabeth Newlin of Cadiz, O., who had entered the mission field in Egypt in 1880 as a missionary of the United Presbyterian Church. Dr. Giffin was located at Alexandria from March, 1875, to July, 1877; at Assiut from August, 1877 to March, 1888; at Cairo from September, 1889, until the time of his death April 5, 1922. Dr. Giffen was one of the pioneer missionaries to Egypt. The Egyptian Gazette, leading English newspaper of that land, speaks of him as follows.

"Dr. Giffen, during these forty-seven years, rendered unceasing service to this country. He was a man of broad vision and marvelous versatility, and for many years he carried heavy burdens in the educational, evangelistic, literary and financial work of the American Mission. Because of his keen judgment, unbiased by prejudice, he was able to give invaluable aid in various questions between the American Mission and the Egyptian Government. During the spring and summer of 1907 he was Vice and Deputy Consul General for America. His godliness and sympathetic kindliness, and his justice mingled with tenderness, won for him a place not only in the affection of the American and English community but also in the hearts of the Egyptian people for whom he gave his life. His work and influence will go on through the
ages. His widow lives with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Headley, at 3560 Rayman Drive, Hyde Park, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Children of Dr. John Giffen and his wife Mary E. Galloway.

IV—1. Bruce Johnston Giffen was born March 5, 1878 at the American Mission, Cairo, Egypt. Married Ruth Buchanan, 1906. He was a missionary in Egypt from 1903 to 1906. Returned to America on account of health. Later became University pastor at Eugene, Oregon, and at Cedar Falls, Iowa, in 1927. 1003 Main St., Cedar Falls, Iowa. Children as follows.


IV—2. Margaret Speer Giffen was born February 24, 1880, at The American Mission, Cairo, Egypt. Married to Dr. Fred Wood Phifer, a descendent of the family of John Knox, famous Scottish reformer, on June 24, 1903, at Due West, S. C. Dr. and Mrs. Phifer are at the head of the Wheatland General Hospital, at Wheatland, Wyoming. Children as follows.

V—1. Fred Wood Phifer, Jr., was born at Statesville, N. C., July 25, 1906.


IV—3. Marion Galloway Giffen was born October 9, 1881, in the American Mission, Cairo, Egypt. He married Ethel Marion Ritchie August 22, 1917. He was an assistant in the hospital at Wheatland, Wyoming. Died April 27, 1922.

Children of Dr. John Giffen and his second wife, Elizabeth Newlin Giffen.

IV—4. Mary Edith Giffen was born January 21, 1884, at Assiut, Egypt. Married Herrman W. Eavey April 26, 1911. Their home was at Xenia, O. She died April 10, 1920. Mr. Eavey is choir leader of the First U. P. church and was a delegate to the General Assembly, at Washington, D.C., 1927. Children as follows.

V—1. Wallace Wright Eavey was born June 6, 1912 and died in 1925.

V—2. Elizabeth Eavey was born January 2, 1914.
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V—1. James Giffen Headley.
V—2. Grant Headley.
V—3. Edna Jean Headley.


IV—7. Edna Jean Giffen was born November 9, 1891, at Assiut, Egypt. She is engaged in Y. W. C. A. work in Cincinnati, Ohio. (1927.)

III—2. Sarah Elizabeth Giffen, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born Jan. 28, 1848 and died in 1924. Married Dec. 25, 1878 to William Hinkle, deceased. Their lives were spent in Belmont County, O. Children as follows.

IV—1. Roy Christopher Hinkle, born Dec. 12, 1879. Married to Edna Horning. He is a tinner at Martin’s Ferry, Ohio. Children.

V—1. Eleanor Hinkle.
V—2. Margaret Hinkle.
V—5. Elizabeth Hinkle.


V—2. Lucile McCutcheon.


V—1. Robert Hinkle.


V—2. Dorothy Hinkle.
V—3. Frank Livingstone Hinkle.

IV—5. Mary Lorraine Hinkle. Married to James Shepherd. Residence, 2449 Weaver Stt., Columbus, O.
IV—6. Carl Paul Hinkle. Married to Mabel Graham. Graduate of Muskingum College and Ohio State University. Residence, 1497 Minnesota Ave., Columbus, O. Mr. Hinkle was in World War service in France and Italy. Children.


III—3. Robert Kerr Giffen, son of Samuel and Margaret Kerr-Giffen, was born Jan. 1, 1850. Married to Emma Brown Oct. 7, 1875. He was a farmer in Belmont County, O., and later engaged in hardware and farm implement business in Wheeling, W. Va. He was a member of the United Presbyterian church. Children as follows.


After Emma Brown Giffen’s death Feb. 17, 1883, Robert Kerr Giffen, senior, married Ella Brown, September 24, 1884. Children as follows.

IV—4. David Everett Giffen, June 5, 1887. Married Jane Johnson and lived for a time at Atlanta, Ga. He was later a soldier in France, during the World War, and reached the rank of Captain. Present address, Atlanta, Ga. (1927).


V—1. Phyllis Giffen.

V—2. Ralph Eugene Giffen.


V—1. Frank Willis Giffen, Oct. 18, 1918.

V—2. Clarence Everett Giffen, March 8, 1921.

IV—4. Clara Ella Giffen, born Jan. 27, 1885. Married to Albert Hall, Aug. 9, 1903. Residence, Alliance, O., 663 S. Arch St. Children as follows.


V—2. Margaret Hall, born May 2, 1907.

III—V. Jane Giffen, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born 1853. Died of diphtheria at about twenty months of age.

III—6. William Alexander Giffen, son of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born Sept. 15, 1855. Lived for many years on the John Giffen Homestead and homestead of his father, Samuel, with his sisters Laura Anissa and Margaret Burdella. They disposed of the farm in the year 1926 and removed to St. Clairsville, O. He is a graduate of Muskingum College, 1884. Died January 25, 1928.

III—7. Elliot Morrison Giffen, son of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born Jan. 25, 1858. He married Mary Frances Martin Aug. 31, 1886, at North Salem, O. He was graduated from the United Presbyterian Seminary at Pittsburgh, Pa., in 1889, and became a foreign missionary, under direction of the United Presbyterian church, at Assiut, Egypt. He retired from missionary work in 1908, and resides at New Concord, O. He is still engaged in ministerial work as occasion offers.


III—9. Mary Louise Giffen, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born Nov. 8, 1861. Married to Thomas A. Clark, a farmer living near St. Clairsville, O. Mr. Clark died in May, 1926. His wife moved to St. Clairsville, making her home with a brother and two sisters.

III—10. Laura Anissa Giffen, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born Feb. 25, 1864. She was housekeeper, at the John Giffen homestead, for her brother W. A. and sister Margaret Burdella for many years. Moved with the family to St. Clairsville in 1926.

III—11. James Peter Giffen, son of Samuel and Margaret Kerr Giffen, was born March 29, 1866. He graduated from Muskingum College in 1891, and from Xenia Theological Seminary, 1894. He was licensed to preach by Wheeling Presbytery of the United Presbyterian church, May 2, 1893. Ordained as pastor of Liberty
and Burchard, Neb., Oct., 1894 to 1899. Pastor at Edgerton, Kansas, 1900 to 1901. Later was pastor at Rix Mills, O. He died Nov. 11, 1919 following an attack of Flu. He married Miss Libia Sleeth, July 30, 1896. Mrs. Giffen resided at New Concord, O., during the education of her family. Children as follows.


IV—2. Horace Kerr Giffen, born March 5, 1899. Graduate of Muskingum College and of Western Reserve Medical School, Cleveland, O. He is under appointment as Medical Missionary to Foreign field, 1927. Married Helen Brown, Aug. 26, 1927, at New Concord, Ohio.


III—12. Margaret Burdella Giffen, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Kerr-Giffen, was born Dec. 9, 1868. Residence with her brother W. A. and sister Laura Anissa on the John Giffen homestead until removal to St. Clairsville, O., in 1926.

II—7. Elizabeth Giffen, daughter of John and Elizabeth Morrison-Giffen, was born in the vicinity of the Old Tent meeting house in West Virginia April 2, 1813. Removed with her father's family to Belmont County, O., in 1825. Married to Captain John Denham, a native of Belmont County, April 22, 1830. John Denham was a farmer near St. Clairsville, O. They were members of the U. P. church. John died July 7, 1885, and Elizabeth on July 15, 1893. They are buried at St. Clairsville, Union cemetery. Children.
III—1. Sophia Jane Denham, born July 29, 1831, died May 25, 1896. Not married. In her youth she committed the Shorter Catechism and all of the 150 Psalms. She was a great reader of religious books and died repeating psalms, even after unable to recognize friends. Died May 25, 1896.


IV—2. John Young Denham, born July 4, 1866, at Cambridge, Ohio. Married March 6, 1895, at New Concord, Ohio, to Laura E. McNees, who was born October 9, 1874. Salesman and farmer at Dover, Ohio, R. F. D. 1. Children.


VI—1. Robert Gene Bruce, born June 8, 1924.


VI—4. Ralph Denham Kettlewell, born Sept. 12, 1922.


V—4. Mary Eliza Denham, born Sept. 9, 1899. Married May 11, 1921, to Carl Marquis Stewart, who was born August 1897. Children.


V—6. Emerson Ferrell Denham, born Aug. 1, 1905. Married Sept. 11, 1926, to Anna Marie Conrath, who was born March 20, 1907.


V—8. John Francis Denham, born June 18, 1912.


V—2. Infant son, died Sept. 26, 1900.


VI—1. Phyllis, 1924.

VI—2. Ruth Lois, 1926.


VI—1. Harvey J. Wiley.


VI—1. Anna Louise Wiley, born March 26, 1919, Chattanooga, Tenn.


IV—3. Robert Scudder Denham, born at Willow Springs, Kansas, September 22, 1871. Served as printer and publisher in various capacities until 1906. Developed the science of Cost Engineering and published many books on the subject. Married Gertrude Mahlman at Toledo, O., Nov. 28, 1901. President and general man-


V—1. Alice Gertrude Denham, born at Toledo, O., June 11, 1904. Assistant treasurer of The Denham Costfinding Co. Residence, Cleveland, O.


Second marriage of Robert S. Denham to Lila Macdonald at Buffalo, N. Y., October 23, 1926.


III—5. Emily Denham, born Oct. 3, 1839, died July 5, 1925. She was married to Joseph A. Hall, who died April 16, 1920. No children.


DR. JOHN GIFFEN DENHAM
Spring Hill, Kansas

JOSEPH H. DENHAM
Farmer Merchant
St. Clairsville, O.

ROBERT S. DENHAM
Cost Estimating Engineer
Cleveland, O.

JOHN F. DENHAM
Accountant
San Francisco
V-12. Oliver David Trouten, born June 22, 1920, Lansing, O.


VI—1. Dorothy Mae Denham, born Sept. 7, 1925.


IV—7. Elizabeth Ann Denham, died in infancy.


V—I. Joseph Henry Slater, born April 11, 1913.


II—8. Jane Giffen, daughter of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born May 8, 1815, in Western Virginia, near the Old Tent meeting house. She removed with her father's family to Belmont County, O., in 1825. She married James Frazier in 1837. Their home was in Belmont County, O., near St. Clairsville. Jane Frazier died May 7, 1847. James Frazier died in 1888, aged 78 years. Children as follows.


IV—2. John Frazier Atkinson, born Nov. 25, 1865. Married to Celia Virginia Gibson, who was a great-great-granddaughter of Robert Giffen, the original settler. See page 36. Thus two strains of the family, the descendents of Daniel and John, were united. John Frazier Atkinson is an elder in the Roney's Point U. P. church, and has reared his family in the vicinity of his birth in West Virginia. Children as follows.


V—1. Letitia Atkinson.


V—2. Eliza Elizabeth DuBois.


V—1. Mary Margaret DuBois-Paul. Her husband is a physician in Portland, Oregon. 


*Richard F. Paul* 

* Died 4-8-92 *


IV—2. Edgar Wilson Taggert, born November 10, 1869, died October 13, 1891.

IV—3. William Frazier Taggart, born September 10, 1871, died November 9, 1882.

IV—4. Fannie Taggart, born December 11, 1872, died September 12, 1891.

IV—5. Daughter, died in infancy. 1874.

IV—6. Frank Taggart, born November 27, 1876, died February 22, 1877.

III—4. Samuel Robinson Frazier, D.D., born in Belmont County, O., Feb. 23, 1846. Graduated from Franklin College in 1862, attended Allegheny Seminary and was licensed to preach by the Presbytery of Wheeling, United Presbyterian, April 11, 1865. His pastorates were, Mt. Pleasant, Ohio, 1867-1871, Third Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1872-1879. His first marriage was to Lucy Bingham of Cadiz, O. He accompanied his father-in-law, the Hon. John A. Bingham, U. S. Minister to Japan, and was a Professor in the Imperial University of Yokohama, Japan, during the years 1879-1884. He
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later held the pastorate of the Tabernacle United Presbyterian church at Youngstown, O., from 1884 until his death in 1915. He received the following degrees: Ph.D., Curry U., '93; D.D., Westminster College '99, and Franklin College 1901. He was a delegate to the Pan Presbyterian Council in 1896. His second marriage was to Matilda Sands.

II—9. Morrison Giffen, son of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born Sept. 22, 1817 near the Old Tent meeting house in Ohio County, Virginia. He went with his father's family to Belmont County, Ohio, in 1825, and developed into manhood on the John Giffen homestead farm near St. Clairsville, O. He was married to Margaret Taggart in September, 1843. She was born in September, 1815, in Belmont County, and was the daughter of James Taggart and Catherine Stitt. Morrison Giffen was a farmer by occupation. He died Feb. 15, 1885, aged 68 years. His widow died Oct. 25, 1901, aged 86 years. They are both buried in the St. Clairsville cemetery. Children as follows.

III—1. Mary Catherine Giffen, born Sept. 13, 1844 and died Sept. 10, 1878. She was married to William M. Stillwell. Children as follows.


IV—2. Elizabeth Stillwell. Married Wilbur Boggs, Barton, O.

IV—3. John E. Stillwell, 66 N. 4th St., Martin's Ferry, O.


V—1. Edna Stillwell, 119 South 8th St., Martins Ferry, O.

V—2. Gladys Stillwell. Married to Mr. Heslop, 504 Va. St., Martin's Ferry, O.


III—3. Robert Emmet Giffen, born March 29, 1847. He grew to manhood on his father's farm near St. Clairsville, O. He married Margaret Bentley Oct. 8, 1873. They
established their home about two miles north of St. Clairsville. Here their family was reared and residence maintained until 1924, when the farm was sold and the family moved to St. Clairsville. In addition to the industry of the farm Mr. Giffen has found time for the intellectual and spiritual. He was the author of a brief history of the Giffen Family, read at the Giffen reunion at St. Clairsville, in 1895. He has been the inspiration of the author during the years of research in compiling this history. He has been a devoted church man, having held the office of ruling elder in the United Presbyterian church at St. Clairsville, from 1875 to 1927, and is still active after fifty two years of service. He has been a teacher of Bible class since 1869 and is still active. He has also been treasurer of the Session since 1882, and clerk of Session since 1898. During these years he has been diligent in the larger enterprises of the church as a member of Wheeling Presbytery, and of the General Assembly.

Children as follows.

IV—1. John Morrison Giffen, born Nov. 12, 1875. He is engaged in farming near St. Clairsville. He was married first, to Hazel Clark in September, 1902. To them was born one child.

V—1. Robert Clark Giffen, born Nov. 9, 1903. Graduate of Muskingum College in 1927.

John Morrison Giffen’s second marriage was to Edith Stewart, Oct. 19, 1913. Children as follows.


V—3. Anna Catherine Giffen.


IV—2. Bruce Bentley Giffen, born July 17, 1879. Me married Grace Livingston at Columbus, O., July 3, 1906. He was a practicing physician at St. Clairsville, O., until 1926, when he removed to Escondido, California. Children as follows.

V—1. Dorothy Giffen, born Dec., 1907.


V—2. Mary Helen Caldwell, born in Egypt, 1918.


V—4. James Kelley Giffen, died at age of three.

IV—7. Agnes Grace Giffen, born April 26, 1886. Married Glen A Ferguson June 1, 1911. Residence at Fairpoint, O. Children as follows.

V—1. James Ferguson, born June 29, 1912.
V—5. Donald Amos Ferguson, born Mar. 5, 1919, died 1921.
V—7. Eleanor Catherine Ferguson, born May 14, 1924.


V—1. Margaret Hastings.
V—2. Louise Hastings.


IV—1. Morrison Reid Giffen, 1880, died 1882.


IV—3. Jean Giffen. Married to Alfred Mitchell, Martin’s Ferry, O.


III—5. Sarah Susan Giffen was born April 18, 1851, and died Feb. 23, 1927, at the home of her brother Robert Emmet Giffen. Her entire life was spent in the vicinity of St. Clairsville. She was a devout member of the United Presbyterian church. Among a large circle of friends she was known as ‘Aunt Sue.’

III—6. John Kelly Giffen, D.D., was born June 3, 1853. He was graduated from Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio, in the class of 1879, and from Xenia Theological Seminary in 1881. He was licensed by Wheeling Presbytery of the United Presbyterian church, April 12, 1881, and ordained to the ministry, by the same Presbytery, on June 14, 1881. He was married to Grace Henderson of New Athens, O., in June, 1881, and they went in the autumn of 1881 to Egypt as missionaries under the Board of Foreign Missions of the United Presbyterian church. Their locations in Egypt are as follows.

1881 to 1890 at Assiut.
1891 to 1901 at Tanta.
1901 to 1903 at Doleib Hill (Egyptian) Sudan.
1904 to 1927 at Khartum (Egyptian) Sudan.
Dr. and Mrs. Giffen are still at work in the Sudan, 1927. Dr. Giffen received his degree of D.D. from Franklin College. He was honored by his denomination by being elected to the Moderatorship of the General Assembly of 1922, meeting at Cambridge, O. This highest honor, within the gift of the church, was carried with dignity and to the satisfaction of the whole church. During these years Dr. and Mrs. Giffen have made valuable contributions to the church literature, among which the most outstanding is 'The Egyptian Sudan,' a book published in 1905 telling the story of their work at Doleib Hill. Children as follows.


V—2. Margaret Rankin Giffen.

II–10. Sarah Ann Giffen, daughter of John and Elizabeth Morrison Giffen, was born in Ohio County, Virginia, Feb. 5, 1820. She went with her father's family to Belmont County, O., in 1825. Married William Grimes and lived and died in Belmont County. There were no children.
DESCENDENTS OF MARGARET GIFFEN

I—4. Margaret Giffen was born at sea while her parents, Robert and Mary Bane Giffen, were on the journey to America. She was married to Thomas Taylor, Feb. 15, 1798, at Wheeling, Virginia, as shown by the Clerk of Courts record. They lived at various points in western Virginia until October 1, 1807, when they bought a farm one mile north of Cadiz, O. There they reared a family of fifteen children, whose first names are as follows in order of their birth.

II—1. William.
II—4. John B.
II—5. David.
II—7. Rebecca.
II—8. Elizabeth.
II—9. Mary (Polly).
II—10. Thomas.
II—12. Margaret
II—15. Urijah.

Grave stone inscriptions. Lying flat, side by side, near their old home north of Cadiz are two stones which preserve the following inscriptions.

Thomas Taylor. Died Nov. 21, 1845, aged 78.
Margaret Taylor, wife. Died Feb. 9, 1858, aged 81.

Dr. Wallace Taylor, a grandson of Margaret Giffen Taylor, after retiring from his profession of medicine, wrote a book on the Taylor Genealogy which was published in 1920. Dr. Taylor has since died but copies of the book may be secured by writing his daughter, Harriet A. Taylor, Oberlin, O.

The following very interesting quotation is taken from this book. "The date of Robert Giffen's coming to America (1777) is determined by tradition given by Margaret Giffen Taylor's granddaughters. These granddaughters state their grandmother Margaret repeatedly said 'she was born at sea.'
And deducting her age at death from date of death gives 1777 as the date of her birth, and hence the date of her father's coming to America, as taken from the inscription from her tombstone where she was buried on the Taylor Hill farm near Cadiz, O. This is the most accurate statement we have of Robert's Giffen's coming to America, and may be reasonably taken as authentic." See page 102 Taylor Genealogy.

Dr. Taylor's book records many of the thousands of Margaret Giffen's descendents. It also gives a short history of the descendents of Robert Giffen and his brother-in-law John Bane. One cannot read this book without being impressed that there are a multitude of people in our country who carry some trace of the Giffen blood in their veins.
DESCENDENTS OF GEORGE GIFFEN

I—5. George Giffen, son of Robert and Mary Bane Giffen, was born near the Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pa., July 12, 1779, and died in Belmont County, Ohio, July 21, 1839. He came with his father's family, in 1787, to the settlement made near the Old Tent, six miles east of Wheeling, Va. About 1800 he married Nancy Milligan and migrated to Belmont County, O. They reared a family of eight children. High Ridge U. P. church. Children.

II—1. Robert Giffen, born April 18, 1803.
II—5. George Giffen, Jr., born 1813.
II—6. Mary Giffen, born 1814 or 1815.

At this point the descendents of George, like those of Daniel, changed the Spelling of the family name to Giffin. We follow the custom of the majority. Some insist on it being 'in' while others are neutral.

II—1. Robert Giffen, son of George and Nancy Milligan Giffen, was born in Belmont County, O., April 18, 1803. He was married to Sarah Hinkle April 7, 1825. United Presbyterian. Children as follows.

III—1. Mary Giffin, born Jan. 21, 1826, died 1831.


VI—1. Elizabeth Machin. Married.
VI—2. William Machin, Martin's Ferry, O.
VI—3. Marion Machin.


VI—1. Junior Idahl.

V—4. George Giffin, Kirkwood Hts., Bridgeport, O.

IV—5. Frank Giffin, deceased.


IV—1. Frank Giffin, deceased.


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VI—1. Dorothy Isabelle Berry.
VI—2. Finney Berry.
VI—4. John Webster Berry, deceased.
VI—5. Martha Allison Berry.


VI—1. Emeline Giffin.


VI—1. George Giffin Kerr.

VI—2. Ruth Kerr.


V—3. Leslie Giffin, deceased.


V—5. Lewis Giffin, architect at Baltimore, Md.


VI—1. James Austin Neal, born June 4, 1926.


VI—1. Mary Ellen Giffin, born September, 1926.


VI—1. Eugene Beall Jester, born April 17, 1924.


VI—1. Evalyn Cash, born Nov. 24, 1918, died Nov. 24, 1926.


VI—2. Thomas O'Brien.

V—4. Edna Giffin, married to Thomas Schell, who was drowned at Sandusky, O., August, 1926.

V—5. Eva Giffin.


VI—1. Shirley May Pierson, born Feb. 6, 1926.


V—2. Elsie Marie Wise, born Oct. 19, 1900, died Jan. 9, 1903.


III—7. Robert Giffin, born July 9, 1836, died May 2, 1904. Married Florence McConahey, April 25, 1861. He was a bricklayer by trade, served in Civil War, 1861 to 1865, and was honorably discharged. He was a Presbyterian in early life and after marriage a Methodist. His family are all Methodists. Children as follows.
IV—1. John Giffin of Bridgeport, O. Married to Ella Tomlinson. He is a painter by trade. One child.
V—1. Virginia Madeline Giffin. Married to Cecil Dye, Bridgeport, O.

V—2. Nora McMillan-McLane, Barnesville, O.
V—3. Walter E. McMillan, Bridgeport, O.

V—2. Robert Hugh Boyles, Bridgeport, O.
V—3. Gertrude Boyles-Bain, Bridgeport, O.

V—2. Irene Giffin-White, Warren, O.

IV—5. Ida Giffin. Married to Harry R. Bloom, Bridgeport, O.

V—1. Helen Giffin.

V—1. Neva Workman.
V—2. Edith Workman.


IV—4. Harvey B. Giffin, born 1872. Resides, Columbus Barracks. Enlisted in the U. S. Army, Jan. 7, 1896, at Wheeling, W. Va., and was sent to Battery E 1st Field Artillery, Fort Sheridan, Ill. Served full enlistment. Saw active service in Spanish American War at bat-
ties of El Caney, Saun Juan and two days before San­
tiago, Cuba.

Re-enlisted April 4, 1889 in Troop L, 1st U. S. Cav­
ality at Wheeling, W. Va., and was sent to Fort Robin­
son, Neb. Served three years in 1st Cavalry. Re-
enlisted in 1st Cavalry, Troop L, April, 1902.

Enlisted in the Machine Gun Co., 8th Ohio National
Guards; July, 1916, at Akron, O., and was sent to the
Mexican border for guard duty. Remained in this
Company till the War Department called all state
troops for service of the nation in the U. S. Army for
World War. Was then assigned to the 146th U. S.
Infantry Machine Gun Company in May, 1918, and
sent to France with the 37th Division Ohio Troops.

World War engagements.

Battle of Baccaret sector, Vosges Mountains.
Battle of the Meuse and off the Argonne.
Battle of St. Mihiel sector.
Battle of the Cruyshautein Ridge, Belgium.
Battle of the Escart River, Belgium.
Battle before Syngern, Belgium, Nov. 10, 1918.

After signing of the Armistice Nov. 11, 1918, he re­
turned home and was discharged.

Re-enlisted and was assigned to the Quartermas­
ter's Department, Ft. Hayes, Columbus, O., and has
served three consecutive enlistments at Ft. Hayes, and
is still in U. S. Army service Nov. 28, 1927.

IV—5. Dempsey D. Giffin, born 1874. Married to Isabelle
Steele. Children.


Second marriage to Bessie Workman Matthews.

IV—6. Ira V. Giffin, born 1876, died 1899.

Residence, Shadyside, O. Children.


V—1. Doloros Giffin.
V—3. Lawrence Giffin.  
V—4. Lewis Butler Giffin.

V—5. Debora Marie Giffin.


V—1. Cordeli Marlin.


Second marriage to Lewis Greenway.


V—2. Glenna Workman.


IV—1. Sarah Elizabeth Church. Deceased.


V—3. Anna Belle Schmidt. Married to E. R. Brooks, Martin's Ferry, O.


VI—2. Violet Paul.


V—1. Mae Church. Married to Embee Brant, Gate, Wash. Eight children.

IV—5. Ella D. Church. Deceased.


V—2. Williamena Brooks.


IV—10. Kate Church. Married to Frank Witchey, Klaber Wash.

V—2. Walter Witchey.
V—5. Amy Witchey.
V—6. Fred Witchey.

V—3. Margaret Church.
V—4. Cora Church.
V—5. William Church.
V—6. James Church.

III—10. John Giffin, born April 26, 1842, died November 7, 1911. He was married to Margaret McAllister, who was born June 1, 1847. All of the children of this family belong to the Rock Hill Presbyterian Church and all are farmers except Captain Calvin Giffin. Soldier in Civil War, Co. A, 170 Regiment O. V. I. Children.

IV—1. Chalmer Giffin, born November 11, 1867, died June 7, 1868.


VI—2. Elsie Givens.

VI—1. Lois May McCloy.

VI—1. Dorothy Nething.


VI—2. Esther Dunfee.

VI—1. Erwin Giffin.

VI—2. Gertrude Giffin.

V—3. Ralph Giffin.


IV—5. Elizabeth Giffin, born July 13, 1874.


V—1. Martha Giffin.

V—2. Wendell Giffin.


V—1. Lowell Giffin.

V—2. Isabella Giffin.


V—5. Jean Giffin.


IV—8. Calvin E. Giffin, born March 17, 1883, at Bellaire, O. Captain Giffin has spent his life in the service of the Government. From 1903 to April 1917 he was a Topographic Engineer of the U. S. Geological Survey, Department of the Interior. He served as such in Alaska from 1909 to 1917 in the investigation of the mineral resources of the Territory.

He entered the Military service April 16, 1917, as Captain of Engineers in which capacity he served to October, 1920, when he was transferred to the Aviation service of the Army. He took Pilot training at Arcadia, Florida, and Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, graduating from the Advanced Pilot's School and the School of Fire of the Artillery December, 1921. He served as an instructor in the Advanced Flying School of the Army at Kelly Field, where Col. Charles A. Lindberg, famous for his flight to Paris, received his training. Captain Giffin is now stationed at Rockwell Field, California (1927).

He was married February 19, 1912, to Mildred A. Allen, daughter of Charles I. and Sara Allen of Dan-
DESCENDENTS OF GEORGE GIFFEN

bury, Conn. Mildred Allen-Giffin was born Oct. 22, 1889. Children as follows.

V—1. Sara A. Giffin, born March 9, 1913.  


V—1. Vernon Fowkes.
V—2. Kenneth Fowkes.


VI—2. Bernice Kinder.


VI—1. Betty Jean Nelan.


VI—1. Glen Tripp.

V—4. Inez Nelan.


IV—4. William Nelan, married to Lotta Ault, June 17, 1896. Both deceased. There were no children.


IV—3. Charles Giffin.

IV—4. Earl Giffin.

James Giffin's second marriage was to Anna Maude Sutton Matthews. Eight children as follows.


V—1. Maude Thoburn.

V—2. Ethel Thoburn.


V—1. Walter Giffin, Jr.


V—3. Patricia Mae Giffin.


V—1. Elizabeth Louise Irwin.


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II—2. John Giffin, son of George and Nancy Milligan-Giffen, was born in 1806. Married Elizabeth Coulter, who was born 1812 and died 1887. Children.


IV—2. Julia A. Giffin, born Jan. 26, 1858, and died Oct. 28, 1902. She was married to Abraham Porter.

IV—1. Isaiah Dean, Bellaire, O., R. D. 3.
IV—2. Frank Dean, Bellaire, O., R. D. 2.

IV—2. Elizabeth Armina Giffin, born Feb. 21, 1865. Married Mr. Schramm.


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V—1. Stella Hinkle.
V—2. Elthea Hinkle.


V—1. Lon Kelley, Bethesda, O.
V—2. George Kelley, Belmont, O.
V—3. Mrs. O. A. Vancurean, Bethesda, O.
V—4. Mrs. Edgar Riley, Bethesda, O.
V—5. Mrs. Harley Bolen, Bethesda, O.


V—5. Lee Hinkle. Adopted by a Mr. Brooks at three years of age. Santa Ana, California.


VI—1. Ernest Hinkle.


V—2. Everett Vernon Kirkland, farmer at Key, O.

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V—2. Grace Hinkle-Bartman, Bozeman, Mont.
V—3. Lewis Hinkle, Chicago, Ill.


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II—5. George Giffen, born 1813. Married Miss Bellville. Went west to Illinois about 1830. Raised a large family. No trace of them.
III—1. Mary Jane Giffen.

III—5. Martha Emily Giffin, born 1861, died 1884.
III—6. George William Giffin, born 1864, died 1909. Daniel Giffin was the youngest son of George and Nancy Mil ligan Giffin. He received an inheritance of one-half of the farm his father had settled upon in 1800. The next older brother Hugh Giffin received the other half of the homestead farm.
LIEUT. GEORGE GIFFIN
Co. A, 170 Reg., O. V. I.
1827-1903

JAMES A. GIFFIN
Farmer
Bellaire, Ohio

CAPT. CALVIN E. GIFFIN
Engineer, Soldier, Aeronaut
Ohio, California

HARVEY B. GIFFIN
U. S. Army Service
from 1898 to 1923
REV. GEORGE COOK GIFFIN
Madison, O.
DESCENDENTS OF ELIZABETH GIFFEN

I—6. Elizabeth Giffen, daughter of Robert and Mary Bane Giffen, was born near the Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, in July, 1784, and died at Radnor, Delaware County, Ohio, on June 6, 1847. She was married to Samuel Downing in Belmont County, Ohio, and later moved to Ohio County, Virginia. When three years old she had been brought by her parents to the settlement at the Old Tent, six miles east of Wheeling in Virginia. A few years of her early married life were spent in Virginia. In the year 1816 the Downing family migrated to Delaware County, Ohio. There were nine children in this family, five of which were born in Ohio County, Virginia. Children as follows.

II—1. Samuel Downing.
II—2. Mary Downing.
II—3. David Downing.
II—4. Elizabeth Downing.
II—5. Jane Downing.
II—7. William Downing.
II—8. Nancy Downing.

II—1. Samuel Downing was born in Ohio County, Virginia, Sept. 17, 1805, and died at Troy, Delaware County, Ohio, Aug. 28, 1881. He married Margaret Willey, Oct. 11, 1832, spending the greater part of his life in Delaware County, Ohio. Children as follows.

III—1. Marie Downing, born Oct. 7, 1833, died May 4, 1898. She was married to Charles Curtiss Oct. 29, 1877. There were no children.

III—2. Henry Downing, born March 8, 1835, in Troy, O. Married. Wife died at the birth of their first child, and the child died also. Henry remained a widower living in Delaware County, O. Died April 9, 1898.


III—4. James Downing, born Nov. 3, 1838, died March 23, 1904. His whole life was lived in Delaware County, Ohio. He was married to Mary E. Long, Oct. 24, 1867. Children as follows.


VI—4. Bonnie Fay Riddle, born May 8, 1925.


V—7. Ruby Janet Downing, born March 1, 1921.


V—2. Leland Downing Main, born May 13, 1907.

III—5. Elizabeth Downing, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Willey Downing, was born in Troy, O., Dec. 25, 1840. Died in Delaware County, O., April 11, 1892. She married Samuel Deppen. Children as follows.


IV—2. Mattie A. Deppen, born July 16, 1863, in Delaware County, O. Married to Benjamin Dettlebach, 10736 Orville Ave., Cleveland, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Inez E. Dettlebach, born April 27, 1887.

III—6. Harriett Downing, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Willey Downing, was born in Delaware County, Ohio, Feb. 22, 1843, died Oct. 28, 1906. She was married to Jacob Reiner, April 19, 1864. Children.


VI—1. Harriet Dell Smith, born April 23, 1924.


V—1. Una Gae Thornburg, born Nov. 11, 1898, at Waldo, O. Married to George C. Bodey, Jan. 15, 1920, in Marion, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Erma Gae Bodey, born Nov. 12, 1921, in Marion, O.

VI—2. Norma E. Bodey, born June 16, 1924, in Bellevue, O.

VI—1. Charles Arthur Ulery, born Dec. 12, 1918, at Westfield, O.

VI—2. Carl William Ulery, born March 29, 1923, in Marion, O.

VI—3. Robert Eugene Ulery, born June 1, 1925, Marion, O.

V—3. Marian I. Thornburg, born Oct. 4, 1902, in Morrow County, O. Married to Guy Ganson, Jan. 12, 1922, at Marion, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Betty Jane Ganson, born May 10, 1924, Greencamp, O.

VI—2. Kenneth Oliver Ganson, born Feb. 22, 1927, at Green Camp, O.

III—7. Margaret Jane Downing, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Willey Downing, was born April 10, 1846, in Troy, Delaware County, O. Married Israel Darst, Aug. 16, 1870. Died Sept. 23, 1894, in the same county of her birth. Children as follows.


V—2. Anna Leona Darst, born July 18, 1918. Cheshire St., Delaware, O.


V—5. Pearl E. Decker, born June 12, 1903, in Delaware County, O. Married to Raymond A. Sheets Aug. 20, 1921, in Delaware, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Betty Sheets, born Sept. 6, 1922.

VI—2. Virginia May Sheets, born Aug. 21, 1925.

III—8. Esther Amelia Downing, daughter of Samuel and Margaret Willey Downing, was born Oct. 27, 1850, in Troy, Delaware County, O. Married Charles Ashbrook, June 1, 1881. Children as follows.


V—1. Benjamin Miller, born June 18, 1903.
V—2. Victor Miller, born July 4, 1905, in Troy, Delaware County, O.

II—2. Mary Downing, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing, born Nov. 15, 1806, in Ohio County, Virginia; died May 12, 1861, in Delaware County, O. She was married to Samuel Foust. Children as follows.

III—1. Cyrus Foust, died in infancy.
III—2. Henry Downing Foust, born July 23, 1826, in Morrow County, O. Died Aug. 9, 1877 in Morrow County, O. He was married to Martha Celinda Spaulding, December, 1852. Children as follows.

IV—1. Infant died at birth.
IV—2. Ellis Downing Foust, born Nov. 17, 1854. Died in Delaware County, O., Jan. 6, 1913. He was married to Elizabeth Morris, Sept. 3, 1879. Children as follows.


III—3. Samuel Foust, Jr., born Jan. 11, 1840, in Westfield township, Morrow County, O. Died at the same place July 19, 1878. He was married to Jennie Fisk, Oct. 1, 1865. Children as follows.

IV—1. Perry Lorenzo Foust, born Oct. 24, 1867, in Morrow County, O. Married to Carrie Russell, March 31, 1887, in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Kathryn Lenore Foust, born Aug. 21, 1913, in Ashley, Delaware County, O.

V—2. Harley Eben Foust, born May 2, 1892 in Fulton, O. Married to Carra Estella Worline, May 2, 1914, in Mt. Gilead, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Arnett Harley Foust, born Feb. 6, 1915, Westfield, O.
VI—3. Marjorie Elma Foust, born Jan. 16, 1920, Marion, O.
VI—4. Carl Richard Foust, born Jan. 31, 1922, Marion, O.


VI—2. Lois Evelyn McCracken, born May 7, 1919.
VI—3. Ward Eudell McCracken, born April 7, 1921.

V—4. Doris Foust, born March 5, 1901, in Westfield, O. Married to Frank N. Shoemaker, Feb. 3, 1923, at Delaware, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Joann LaFern Shoemaker, born April 1, 1927.

V—5. Claudia Fern Foust, born Feb. 26, 1904, in Westfield, O. Married to Alfred D. Ruggles June 30, 1925, in Delaware, O.


VI—1. Harry Howard, born July 31, 1911.
VI—2. Helen Howard, born July 17, 1913.
VI—5. Ruth Howard, born March 12, 1921.

Second marriage of Harry Leslie Foust to Edith Ellsworth Jan. 7, 1894 in North Lewisburg, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Lee Albert Foust, born March 19, 1917, Irwin, O.


VI—1. James Rowan, born April 14, 1918.


VI—1. Richard J. Hopkins, born Aug. 4, 1927, at Delaware, O.

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II—3. David Downing, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing, was born Sept. 25, 1808, in Ohio County, Virginia. He married Margaret Foust. He died Aug. 3, 1833, in Morrow County, O. Children as follows.


VII—2. Loretta Marie Morris, born Feb. 27, 1924.


V—2. Eunice Patterson, born April 28, 1881. Died in infancy.


VII—1. Doris Marie Dunavon, born 1923.

VII—2. Alice May Dunavon, born 1924.

VI—2. Thomas Lewis Erwin Sutton.

V—5. A son, died in infancy, April 1, 1885.

V—6. Elizabeth Patterson, born April 13, 1886, died April 20, 1886.

V—7. George Leroy Patterson, born March 30, 1887, died Feb. 27, 1904, in Mosherville, Mich.


VI—1. Flossie Marie Morgan, born Nov. 16, 1911.
VI—4. Earl Franklin Morgan, born Nov. 1, 1918.


Zella Halifax Jennings was married a second time to Wesley Jennings, Aug. 26, 1924. Children as follows.

VI—3. Robert Wesley Jennings, born April 14, 1925.


Bernard E. Thompson was married a second time, to Bessie M. June, April 22, 1916, at Hillsdale, Mich. Children as follows.


VI—5. Milburn Charles Thompson, born Nov. 24, 1921.


VI—7. Barbary Jean Thompson, born March 10, 1925.


VI—2. Leslie Bernard Collins, born July 8, 1912.


VI—1. Frances Arlene Mann, born May 18, 1917.


VI—4. Ruth Louise Mann, born Aug. 12, 1922.


VI—1. Phyllis Marie Gillespie, born May 6, 1927, died May 9, 1927.


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II—4. Elizabeth Downing, born in Ohio County, Virginia, March 22, 1811. Died in Delaware County, O. Married to Henry Cline, 1832, in Delaware County, O. Daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing. Children as follows:

III—1. Samuel Cline, born March 16, 1833, in Delaware County, O. Died Jan. 13, 1876, in same county. Married to Lucinda Jane Schultz, March 6, 1869. Children as follows.

IV—1. Wellington Cline, born April 22, 1860, in Delaware County, O. Married to Emma Hauck, Feb. 15, 1883. Children as follows.

V—1. Leota Cline, born Oct. 5, 1884, in Delaware County, O. Married to Earl Myers Oct. 18, 1917. Children as follows.

VI—1. Died in infancy.


V—2. Clois Cline, born Dec. 11, 1889 in Delaware County, O. Married to Lulu Long, March 11, 1916, Marion County, O. Children as follows.


IV—2. Corrington Cline, born March 17, 1866, in Delaware County, O. Married to Elizabeth Hauck, Feb. 22, 1888. Children as follows.


V—2. Orin Cline, born April 28, 1893, in Delaware County, Ohio. Married to Edith Fellenger, Oct. 31, 1925, in Morrow County, O.


V—5. Velva Cline, born Nov., 1897, died March 10, 1898.
V—7. Lelia Cline, born April 16, 1905.
V—8. Erma Cline, born Aug. 28, 1907.

IV—3. Arlington Cline, born Nov. 1, 1867, at Marlboro, O. Married to Ella Clark, May 10, 1899. Children as follows.
V—1. Clois Cline, born May 31, 1903, in Delaware County, O.

III—2. Margaret A. Cline, born April 29, 1834, in Delaware County, O. Died March 22, 1882. She was married to Jacob Foust, July 10, 1852. Children as follows.
IV—1. William C. Foust, born Feb. 3, 1859, in Morrow County, O. He was a farmer. Married to Martha E. Wiley, Nov. 25, 1883, in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.


VI—1. Edith M. Linsted, born Dec. 8, 1908. After death of Sherman Peck, Mary Magdalena Foust married G. W. Jenkins, Cardington, O.


V—2. Frank Schofield, born May 8, 1886, in Morrow County, O. Married Cleo Fleming, April 27, 1912. Children as follows.

VI—1. Margaret Schofield, born Nov. 21, 1914.


VI—1. Ilo Belle Herbert, born May 27, 1908.


VI—5. Georgia June Herbert, born June 24, 1924. Deceased.

VI—6. Jean Elizabeth Herbert, born April 28, 1926.


VI—1. Ralph Lloyd Shaw, born Nov. 21, 1913.


Following the death of Lehman E. Shaw on April 13, 1920, Edith Schofield married Charles Burggraf Nov. 25, 1926.


VI—1. Dorothy George.


VI—1. Mary Ellen Smith, born July 9, 1921.


V—5. Ethel Smith, born March 29, 1904, in Morrow County, O. Married to Harvey Gillet, Nov. 25, 1925.

V—6. Edith Smith, born Sept. 4, 1906, in Marion County, O. Married to Ivan Place, Sept. 27, 1925.


VI—2. Eugene Foust, born March 15, 1918.
VI—5. Lawrence Foust, born Dec. 19, 1925.


III—3. Elizabeth Giffen Cline, born Jan. 22, 1842, in Marlborough, O. Died Oct. 29, 1922, in Marlborough, O. She was married to Frank A. Wolff, Oct. 15, 1862, at Delaware, O. Children as follows.


VI—2. Louise E. Wickham, born Nov. 5, 1913.

IV—3. Frank O. Wolff, born Oct. 20, 1872, in Delaware, Ohio. Present residence, 13706 Sixth Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.


IV—1. Bessie Cline, married to Mr. Glaze. Children.

V—1. Frank Glaze.

V—2. Glenn Glaze.


IV—1. Brittiana Cline, born May 10, 1869, in Delaware County, Ohio. Married to Ed. Westbrook, Sept. 12, 1889, in Delaware County, Ohio. Children as follows.


V—1. Freda Elizabeth Shaw, born July 12, 1908, in Ostrander, O.

V—2. Given Almora Shaw, born June 17, 1919, in Oxford, Delaware County, O.


IV—1. Maude McGonigle, born Dec. 25, 1871, in Delaware County, O. Died July 5, 1910. She was married to C. H. Bell, June 30, 1895. Children as follows.

V—1. Walter M. Bell, born Jan. 8, 1897, in Delaware County, Ohio. Married to Gertrude Finlen at Streator, Ill., Nov. 1, 1924.

V—2. Rodney A. Bell, born Feb. 19, 1900, in Delaware County, O. Married to Gladys Fraser October 26, 1926, in New York City.


V—1. Loren A. Jeffrey, born Dec. 23, 1904, in Ashley, O.


IV—5. R. Mart McGonigle, born Dec. 24, 1880, in Delaware County, O. Married to Virginia Waldren June 6, 1908, in Delaware, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Helen McGonigle, born July 5, 1909, in Ashley, O.
V—2. Robert McGonigle, born May 10, 1916, in Ashley, O.


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III—1. Israel Darst, born Nov. 15, 1834, in Delaware County, O., died July 19, 1899, in Delaware, O. Married Margaret Jane Downing Aug. 16, 1870. Children as follows.

IV—1. Wesley W. Darst.
See record under (III—7) of Margaret Jane Downing and Israel Darst, who were cousins.
Israel Darst's mother, Jane Downing, was a sister to Samuel Downing, father of Margaret Downing.

III—2. William D. Darst, born April 5, 1836, in Delaware County, O., died Aug. 27, 1912, in Dade County, Mo. Married to Louisa Holt, Dec. 31, 1861. Children as follows.

IV—1. Oscar M. Darst, born Sept. 28, 1862, in Delaware County, O., died May 16, 1925, in Nevada, Vernon County, Mo. Unmarried.


IV—3. Rolvin H. Darst, born July 19, 1866, in Delaware County, O. Died Jan. 19, 1921, in Ash Grove, Mo. Married Margaret Hurst in 1885 in Green County, Mo. Children as follows.


VI—2. Lewell E. Darst, born Nov. 27, 1910, in Dade County, Missouri.


V—1. Myrtle B. Buyas, born Nov. 23, 1892, in Green County, Mo. Married William Clyde Wyscarver, April 17, 1915 at Zanesville, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Pearl A. Wyscarver, born Dec. 21, 1915 in Noble County, O.


V—2. Pearl A. Buyas, born June 7, 1895, in Green County, Mo. Married to Leo J. Graham, June 2, 1915, in Kansas City, Mo. Children as follows.

VI—1. Leo J. Graham, born Dec. 29, 1919, in Kansas City.


V—1. Phylis Marsh, born in 1900, died 1919, in Green County, Missouri.

V—2. Ralph Marsh.


VI—1. Audrey Marie Hurd, born Jan. 10, 1911, in Cuyahoga County, O.

VI—2. James Ralph Hurd, born March 21, 1926, in Cuyahoga County, O.


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II—6. Ann Downing, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing, born in Delaware County, O., June 27, 1816. Died Aug. 14, 1845 in Troy, Delaware County, O. She was married to Edward Jones at Troy, O. Children as follows.


III—3. David Downing Jones.

In the month of August, 1845, there was a scourge of cholera in Delaware County and Ann Downing Jones, her husband and two children John and Ann, all died within a period of ten days. The three small boys named above were left orphans. Samuel and
David went to live with their uncle John and aunt Margaret Downing. William lived with a family named Coonfare. Record of these boys follows.


IV—1. Clara M. Jones, born in Delaware County, O. Married to George Hall, Dec. 29, 1897.


V—1. Lillian Headington, born Sept. 26, 1907 in Cardington, O. Married Mr. Shell, June 18, 1926.


V—1. Ruth Jones-Vigar, 2154 Newton St., Akron, O.


V—3. Helen Jones-Deukewalter, 325 East 11th Ave., Columbus, O.


III—2. William Wallace Jones, born March 28, 1841, in Troy, O. Died Nov. 25, 1915 in Union County, O. He was married to Lydia Ann Williams, March 22, 1866 in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.

IV—1. Charles Edward Jones, born Feb. 18, 1867 in Delaware County, O. Married to Laura Hudson, Jan. 16, 1889 in Union County, O. Children as follows.


V—3. Dallas Jones, born Feb. 7, 1899, died Aug. 26, 1899. Charles Edward Jones' second marriage was to Amanda Belle Bumgartner, Nov. 23, 1916 in Union County, O.

IV—2. Cora Florence Jones, born March 28, 1869 in Delaware County; O. Married to William P. Hudson Jan. 7, 1891 in Union County, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Max Burdette Hudson, born May 26, 1892. Married to Lucille Lombard, May 2, 1914 in Madison County, O.


V—3. Helen Lyda Hudson, born July 2, 1898. Married to David E. Jones, June 4, 1925 in Franklin County, O.


IV—1. Rosa Della Jones, born Nov. 29, 1872 in Delaware County, O. Married to Alvah Green, Nov. 27, 1889 in Union County, O. Children as follows.


V—2. Charles Dean Green, born Oct. 1, 1892 in Union County, O. Married to Zulu Fogle Jan. 2, 1913 in Union County, O. Children as follows.


VI—1. Florence Juanita Green, born 1914.

VI—2. Willis Waldo Green, born July 7, 1915.


IV—5. Willie Thomas Jones, born May 18, 1876 in Delaware County, O. Married to Laverne McCombs March 18, 1898. Children as follows.


V—3. Wilma Frances Jones, born April 1, 1905. Married to Laurence E. Martin.

V—4. Doris Isabelle Jones, born March 24, 1907. Married to Orville E. Martin, June 10, 1925 in Union County, O.


Second marriage of William Wallace Jones, to Caroline Hoskins, Oct., 1885, his first wife, Lydia Ann Williams having died May 28, 1883. One child as follows.


IV—1. Ida May Jones, born March 17, 1877—May 3, 1877.


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II—7. William Downing, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing, was born April 13, 1818 in Troy, O. Died July, 1903, in Troy, O. He was married to Catharine Coonfare, March 12, 1840 in Delaware County, O. He was a carpenter for 30 years and a shoemaker for 12 years. Children as follows.


IV—2. Addie Luella Downing, born June 20, 1867 at Van Wert, O. Married to Francis Marion Nance, March 12, 1884. Children as follows.

VI—1. Evelyn Thelma Black, born Feb. 28, 1907 in Ft. Wayne, Ind. Married to Leonidas Granger, Aug. 17, 1925, in Lima, O.

VI—2. Donald Omar Black.

VI—3. Doyt Oliver Black.

VI—4. Ruth Edith Black.

VI—5. Mildred Ruby Black.


VI—1. Gloria May Shane, born May 29, 1924.


VI—1. Robert James Nance, born Aug. 19, 1914 in Columbus Grove, O.


VI—3. Dorothy May Nance, born April 12, 1920, at Lima, O.


IV—3. Ella Downing, born Feb. 9, 1869 in Van Wert, O. Married to Harvey Foster in Van Wert, O.


VI—1. Martin Luther Procise, born 1917.
VI—2. Peggy Mary Procise, born Nov. 30, 1921.
VI—5. Patricia Brent Procise, born March 18, 1927.


VI—1. Dolores Downing, born Nov. 18, 1926.
V—2. Gaylord Downing, born Feb. 18, 1907.

VI—1. Mary Margaret Davis, born Jan. 21, 1924.

V—1. Lucile Everett, born Feb. 8, 1905. Married to Everett Thomas, June 12, 1927.

III—2. Adaline Downing, daughter of William and Catharine Coonfare Downing, born April 30, 1843 in Troy, O. She was married to Thomas F. Schneck Sept. 20, 1860 in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.


VI—1. Elizabeth Ziegler, born Dec. 31, 1913, died 1922.

V—2. Carl Ziegler, born April 8, 1885 in Missouri.


VI—1. Peres D. Ziegler, born Nov. 11, 1911.
VI—2. Mary Etta Ziegler, born June 1, 1913.
VI—5. May Belle Ziegler, born May 6, 1919.


V—6. Clarabelle Ziegler, born Sept. 25, 1895 in Westfield, O.


V—8. Twins. Clifford and Curtis Ziegler, born Sept. 2, 1907 in Delaware County, O.

IV—2. Susan C. Schneck, born Dec. 3, 1864 in Delaware County, O. Married to Evan W. Lloyd, Sept. 18, 1884, who died Aug. 4, 1898. Mrs. Lloyd has been telephone operator at Radner, O., for several years. Children.


VI—1. Freda Jones, born Sept. 25, 1908.


VI—3. Esther Lloyd, born April 5, 1918.

VI—1. Margary Ann Coonfare, born April 7, 1925.

IV—3. Franklin G. Schneck, born Aug. 6, 1868 in Delaware County, O. Married Lillian M. Harris, Nov. 28, 1894. Children.

VI—1. Howard Schneck, Jr., born March 10, 1925.

VI—1. Robert M. Schneck, born Dec. 22, 1920 in Marion, O.

V—4. Paul E. Schneck, born Oct. 4, 1901 in Marion, O. Married to Louise McAdams, March 5, 1927, in Marion, O.

V—1. Ernest L. Richmond, born March 9, 1894 in Delaware County, O.


VI—1. Robert Lester Richmond, born May 19, 1923.

VI—2. Donald Barton Richmond, born July 23, 1926.


VI—1. Vivian M. Richmond, born April 19, 1921.

V—4. Irene M. Richmond, born May 30, 1910 in Delaware County, O. Address, Ashley, O.

   Second marriage of Dora Dell Schneck-Richmond, following death of her husband, Oct. 15, 1915, to Joseph W. Hakes, May 27, 1920, at Ashley, O.


VI—1. Richard Grice, born Aug. 7, 1918


V—2. Pauline Thomas, born Aug. 7, 1900 in Troy, O.

V—3. Clayton Thomas, born June 29, 1901 in Marion, O. Married to Gertrude Pletcher, Nov. 16, 1922, in Marion, O. Child.


V—1. Donald Clifford Main, born June 22, 1905.
V—2. Anna Beryl Main, born Nov. 16, 1912.

III—3. Oliver Crawford Downing, son of William and Catharine Coonfare Downing, born Oct. 1, 1846 in Troy, O. Spent his whole life on the farm and died May 4, 1922 at Troy, O. Married to Margaret J. Wallace, March 12, 1874, in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.

IV—1. Louie M. Downing, born May 13, 1875 in Troy, O. Married to Jacob M. Schaffner, March 19, 1896, in Delaware County, O. Farmers.


V—3. Mary Margaret Downing, born March 17, 1917.


VI—3. Dona J. Baker, born Nov. 18, 1924.


VI—1. Mervyn Kennedy, born April 23, 1926.


VI—5. Helen Wolf, born May 22, 1924.


VI—1. Billy, Jr., Cantwill, born Sept. 18, 1925.


V—5. Lela Pond, born June 8, 1907.


V—2. Carrie Downing, born May 10, 1911.


V—2. Elwin Downing, born May 22, 1908.


V—1. Maynard G. Downing, born June 18, 1907.

V—3. Leslie Downing, born Jan. 6, 1924.


III—5. Sarah Catharine Downing, daughter of William and Catharine Coonfare-Downing, was born Oct. 27, 1851 at Troy, O., and died June 21, 1885 in Delaware County, O. She married Thomas P. Cox, Nov. 9, 1870. Children.


V—2. Leo McKendree Cox, born June 6, 1899 in Union County, O.

III—6. Rufus William Downing, son of William and Catharine Coonfare Downing, was born in Troy, O., June 7, 1854 and died at Radnor, O., April 25, 1917. He was married to Ellen Blazer Dec. 29, 1875. Children.


V—2. Lester B. Downing, born April 1, 1904.


V—5. Myrtle Irene Downing, born Aug. 11, 1912.


V—8. Anna May Downing, born May 5, 1921.

III—7. Louisa Irene Downing, daughter of William and Catherine Coonfare Downing, was born Nov. 4, 1858 in Delaware County, O. Married to Joseph Alexander Fleming, April 5, 1877. Children.


II—8. Nancy Downing, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Giffen Downing, born Dec. 20, 1819, in Delaware County, O., died May 19, 1899, in Troy, Delaware County, O., having spent her whole life in the same county. Married Henry Darst, Dec. 21, 1835, in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.


V—2. Alfred Darst, born Sept. 27, 1892.


V—4. Ethel Darst, born Jan. 30; 1898, in Troy, O. Married to Pearl Bovey, May 20, 1916, in Delaware County, O. Residence, 18 Vernon Ave., Delaware, O. Children as follows.

VI—1. Mabel Irene Bovey, born Sept. 11, 1917 in Troy, O.

VI—2. Alfred James Bovey, born Oct. 19, 1920 in Delaware, O.


III—1. Sarah Elizabeth Darst, married William Hoyle, July 3, 1883 in Columbus, O. During the remainder of their lives they resided near Radnor, O.

III—2. Mary Jane Darst, born Feb. 8, 1840 in Troy, O., died Oct. 7, 1876 in the same county. She was married to William Jones of Waldo, O., Dec. 21, 1863. Children as follows.

IV—1. Angelisha Jones, born July 27, 1864 in Marion County, O. She was married to Chesley Darst, Nov. 12, 1888 in Delaware County, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Clara Darst, born Feb. 21, 1894 in Delaware, O. She was married to Ross Lea, May 29, 1921. Children as follows.


IV—2. Matilda Jones, born Dec. 6, 1865 in Delaware County, O. She was married to Charles Ploch, Oct. 22, 1891 in Columbus, O., where they resided until about the year 1912, when they removed to Ontario, California, their present address (1927).

IV—3. Nancy Jones, born May 2, 1868 at Radnor, O. She was married to Evan Roberts, Jan. 15, 1904 in Ashley, O. Address 1927. Children as follows.

V—1. Myrtle Roberts, born April 25, 1904 in Marion, O.

V—2. Olivia Roberts, born Feb. 7, 1907 in Radnor, O.

V—3. Carl Roberts, born Nov. 17, 1909 in Radnor, O.

IV—4. Ezra Jones, born Jan. 26, 1870 in Delaware County, O. Married to Jennette Towers, March 27, 1897 in Long Beach, Calif. Children as follows.


V—1. Wesley Eugene Darst, died in infancy, 1891.
V—2. Alfred Darst, born Sept. 27, 1892 in Troy, O.

VI—1. Mabel Irene Bovey, born Sept. 11, 1917.


IV—3. Frederick Louis Risher, born June 9, 1874 in Troy, O.
IV—4. Infant, deceased, 1876.
IV—5. Eva Risher, deceased, 1878.

IV—7. Abraham Wesley Risher, born Feb. 10, 1883 in Troy, O.


V—1. Dwight Jr. Frederick Clary, born Nov. 11, 1922.
V—2. Donald Dean Clary, born April 27, 1925.

III—4. David D. Darst, born Nov. 1, 1841 in Troy, O., died Nov. 11, 1888 near Stafford, Kansas. He was married to Mary Main, Nov. 3, 1867 in Delaware County, O., where they lived until 1887, when they moved to Stafford, Kansas. Both are buried at Stafford, Kansas. Children as follows.
IV—1. Oliver Cranford Darst, born Feb. 28, 1870 in Troy, O. He was married to Lina Hart, Sept. 14, 1892 in Stafford, Kansas. Children as follows.

V—1. Ray Albert and May Agnes Darst, twins.

VI—1. Rayburn Darst, born July 7, 1916 in Ford County, Kansas


VI—1. Evelyn E. Strobel, born April 1, 1917 in Pawnee County, Kansas.

VI—2. Vera E. Strobel, born June 10, 1925 in Ness County, Kansas.


VI—1. Elsie Laurene Darst, born March 26, 1925.


IV—5. Ella Darst, born Feb. 22, 1878, died May 18, 1878.


V—1. Byron Forest Woods, born April 15, 1898 in Stafford County, Kansas.


IV—7. Walter Main Darst, born Nov. 8, 1884 in Troy, O. Present residence at Hutchinson, Reno County, Kansas.

III—5. Lucetta Jerussa Darst, born Nov. 23, 1848 at Troy, O. Died at Jane M. Case Hospital, Delaware, O., June 25, 1917. She was married to Daniel Schultz, March 4, 1875 in Delaware County, O. One child was born but died at birth. They were very successful farmers and their whole lives were spent in Delaware County, O.

III—6. Ezra H. Darst, born April 17, 1853 in Troy, O., died July 9, 1915. He was unmarried and spent his whole life in Delaware County, O.


IV—1. Anna Trigg, born May 16, 1877 in Troy, O., died Dec. 13, 1918 in Delaware, O. She was married to Frank DeLong, July 27, 1897. Children.

V—1. Pearl DeLong, died in infancy.


V—3. Lester DeLong, died in infancy.
V—4. Margaret DeLong, born Nov. 6, 1900 in Delaware, O.


V—1. Floyd Sylvan Douglas, born Aug. 10, 1910 in Belmont County, O.


IV—4. Leo Trigg. No records.

III—8. Eva Catherine Darst, born Oct. 11, 1858 in Troy, O., died April 28, 1920 in Delaware, O. Married to Sylvester C. Case, May 18, 1879 in Troy, O. They lived in Troy until the death of Mr. Case. The remainder of her life was spent in Delaware, O. They are both buried at Radnor cemetery, Delaware County, O. Children as follows.

IV—1. William Francis Case, born March 30, 1880 in Delaware County, O. Married Clara Bell Schaffner, Feb. 5, 1910 in Delaware, O. Children as follows.

V—1. Lewis Francis Case, born Jan. 12, 1912 in Delaware, O. Died at birth.

V—2. Madeline Clare Case, born Aug. 16, 1915 in Delaware O. Family residence, 187 N. Union St., Delaware, O.

IV—2. Elma Collista Case, born Oct. 18, 1882 in Troy, O. Married to James M. Stout, Feb. 6, 1910 in Stratford, Delaware County, O. Mrs. Stout has rendered valuable assistance in securing the record of the descendent of Elizabeth Giffen Downing. Residence, 22 Estelle St., Delaware, O.


V—1. Mary Maxine Case, born Oct. 28, 1918 in Delaware, O.

V—2. Helen Lucele Case, born Nov. 1, 1921 in Delaware, O.

V—3. James Franklin Case, born May 12, 1924 in Delaware, O. Family residence, 98 N. Union St., Delaware, O.

Out of the focal and foremost fire,
Out of the hospital walls as dire,
Smitten of grapeshot and gangrene,
(Eighteenth battle, and he sixteen,)
Spectre of such as we seldom see,
Little Giffen of Tennessee.

"Take him and welcome," the surgeon said,
"Much your doctor can help the dead!"
And so we took him and brought him where
The balm was sweet on the native air,
And we laid him down on a wholesome bed,
Utter Lazarus, heel to head!

Weary war with the bated breath,
Skeleton boy against skeleton death,
Months of torture, how many such!
Weary weeks with the stick and crutch!
Still a glint in the steel blue eye
Spake of the spirit that would not die,

And didn't! nay, more! in death's despite
The crippled boy learned to write!
"Dear Mother" at first, of course: and then,
"Dear Captain" inquiring about "the men."
Captain's answer, "Of eighty and five,
Giffen and I are but alive."

"Johnston's pressed at the front, they say!"
Little Giffen was up and away,
A tear, his first as he bade goodbye,
Dimmed the glint of his steel blue eye,
"I'll write if spared." There was news of a fight,
But none of Giffen. He did not write.

I sometimes fancy that were I king
Of the princely knights of the Golden Ring,
With the song of the minstrel in mine ear,
And the tender legend that trembles here,
I'd give the best, on his bended knee,
The whitest soul of my chivalry
For little Giffen of Tennessee.

FRANCIS O. TICKNOR.
DESCENDENTS OF ROBERT AND MARY BANE GIFFIN

who are or have been engaged in the work of the Gospel Ministry.


John Giffen, D.D., United Presbyterian missionary in Egypt from 1875 to 1922. Died in service.

John Kelly Giffen, D.D., United Presbyterian missionary in Egypt from 1881 to present time. Residence, Khartum, the Sudan. (1928.)

Rev. Elliott Morrison Giffen, United Presbyterian missionary in Egypt from 1890 to 1906. Retired, New Concord, O.


Rev. George Cook Giffen, Pastor Methodist Episcopal church, Madison, O. (1927.)

Rev. William John Giffen, Pastor Sixth United Presbyterian church, Cleveland, O.


Joseph Wilson Giffen, D.D., Pastor First United Presbyterian church, Cleveland, O.


THE GIFFEN FORTUNE IN NEW YORK

Various indefinite traditions have from time to time disturbed and interested this family. Our riches have been in the shape of large families and great expectations. We are in a receptive mood and could use a fortune very conveniently.

Mr. Robert Emmet Giffen of St. Clarisville, O., tells the following story. "About 1870 the New York Tribune carried a series of articles on 'Old estates in New York,' among which was a story of a Scotchman named Bane who owned a tract of land in the heart of New York City. He had leased it for 99 years specifying that it should revert to heirs of Mary Bane who had married Robert Giffen." It was presumed that the 99 year lease had expired at the time of this story, 1870.

The following letters are of interest.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company
Capital Funds $28,000,000
Real Estate Title Insurance
Banking, Trusts
176 Broadway

New York, Nov. 19, 1927.

Rev. J. W. Giffin, D.D.,
7111 Carnegie Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

We have your favor of November 17th requesting copies of traditional leases of certain property in this City.

Our records disclose only one person named Giffin or Giffing as a grantee of some property on Wall Street, earlier than 1770, which later on was sold by one William Giffin, evidenced by deed recorded in the year 1826 in Liber 108 at page 332.

We do not find any one by the name of Bane as ever owning any property in this City in that period, and ninety-nine year leases were never common in New York.

Inquiries of this nature have come to us occasionally from different sources and are usually found to have no foundation. Our historian tells us that claims of this character are purely mythical and are not recognized by conveyancers as having any existence, and we have advised the people who have written us in connection with them that any money spent in an endeavor to establish such alleged claims, would be wasted.

We are sorry not to be able to comply with your request.

Very truly,

J. W. RAY CLEVELAND,
Vice-President.
Lawyers Title and Guaranty Company  
Edwin W. Coggeshall, Chairman of the Board  
160 Broadway  
New York, Nov 25, 1927.

Rev. J. W. Giffin,  
7111 Carnegie Avenue,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

My Dear Sir:—

Replying to your letter of the 23rd inst., with regard to transcript  
of a 99 year lease made about 1770 by Mr. —— Bane.

We have examined the records from the earliest period down to  
1856 and can find no such lease recorded by said party of the name of  
Bane.

Yours very truly,

T. R. PHILLIPS,  
Manager Search Dept.

MW

(Established 1898)  
(Incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York)  
Met. Life Ins. Co. Bldg.,  
New York, N. Y.

January 13th, 1926.

Mrs. Elma Stout,  
22 Estelle St.,  
Delaware, O.

Dear Madam:

Answering your letter of January 8th will say:

We do not have any record of a Bane estate in this city remaining  
unsettled and to make a search of the public records for an entry of such  
a lease as you describe would take two or three days' time of a man.

If you are a claimant to the Edwards estate please fill out the en­  
closed pedigree blank and return to us.

GEOR. D. WILLIS, President.
New York Herald Tribune

December 10, 1927.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Giffin,
7111 Carnegie Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of December 5th, we regret to say that we do not know whether or nor the New York Tribune published the article you are interested in. There is no index to the Tribune for 1870 or that period, and we have no one here who can make a search of the files to locate the article for you. We suggest that you write to the Newspaper Room of the New York Public Library, 476 Fifth Avenue New York City, for such help. If the article can be found, the library can make a photostat of it for you for a nominal charge.

Very truly yours,

E. I. Toms,
Secretary to the Editor.

(Copy)

Manhattan Island, June 1st, 1778.

Know all men by these presents:

That I, Robert Edwards, on this day, lease to John and George Cruger 77 acres, 3 rods and 33 perches, beginning at a stake set in the ground at high water mark, near Bestavers Kittlegie, and running East along Prince Street, 1000 feet, thence Northwesterly in a zig-zag course, along part of old Jan’s land to Christopher Street 2550 feet, thence West along Christopher Street, to High water mark, 547 feet, thence South along the Hudson River following the lines of High water mark 2276 feet to the point and place of beginning, said land leased for 99 years at 1000 pounds and a pepper corn yearly rental said land to be held by said John and George Cruger or their heirs so long as contract is fulfilled, otherwise it must revert to me or my living heirs and at the expiration of the 99 years lease, said land, together with all such improvements shall revert to my lawful living heirs, which shall be the descendants of my brothers and sisters, which are as follows: William Edwards, Jacob Edwards, Leonard Edwards, Joshua Edwards, John Edwards, Thomas Edwards and Martha Edwards.

Witness my hand and seal this June 1st, 1778.

Robert Edwards,
John Cruger,
George Cruger.

Witness:
Anthony Barclay
Nicholas Bayard
A SUPPLEMENT TO--

Giffen

Genealogical Family History

FOREWORD:-

FORTY YEARS HAVE PASSED SINCE THE REV. J. W. GIFFIN PUBLISHED THE GIFFEN FAMILY HISTORY. THIS PRESENT PAMPHLET IS AN ATTEMPT TO BRING UP TO DATE A PORTION OF THE HISTORY.

WE WISH WE COULD HAVE FOLLOWED THE HISTORY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL NAMED IN DR. GIFFIN'S BOOK BUT TIME AND CAPACITY FORBIDS SUCH AN ATTEMPT. PERHAPS THIS EFFORT WILL MOTIVATE SOME OF OUR "COUSINS" TO DO EVEN BETTER FOR THEIR BRANCHES OF THE "TREE".

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS MUST BE MADE TO MARGARET ATKINSON BRUDER, HAROLD GIBSON, LOIS GIFFEN RALSTON AND RODNEY GIFFIN WHOSE LABORS HAVE MADE THIS SMALL COMPILATION POSSIBLE.
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V-4 Bessie Blanche Giffin
married Clifford Eugene Sykes, a draftsman with
Belmont Iron Works, Eddystone, Pa., March 14,
1944

VI-1 Richard Sykes, Freshman at Rutgers Univ.,
1966-67
VI-2 Kathleen Sykes, High School Sophomore, Mt.
Holly, N.J.
VI-3 Jon Sykes, Seventh grade.

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III-5 Robert Mason Giffin
IV-2 Albert Grant Giffin died June 13, 1921;
made Frances Cook.

V-1 Frances Eleanor Giffin August 28, 1906;
made Julius Montandon
VI-1 June Ellen Montandon June 11, 1929 - June
2, 1961.
VI-2 Karen Sue Montandon June 28, 1942.

V-2 Florence Harriet Giffin October 30, 1909 -
February 4, 1967
married Arthur L. Brandau, retired and lives
at 11986 Eighty-third Ave., N., Seminole, Fla.

IV-3 Annie Giffin October 18, 1872 - 1907
married Charles Davis

V-1 Wilbur Davis died March 18, 1950
married Ruth Moss
VI-1 Robert H. Davis July 7, 1928
married Mary Jane Main
VII-1 Evelyn Lee Davis February 15, 1951
VII-2 Barbara Jane Davis June 28, 1953

VI-2 Marjorie C. Davis May 29, 1931
married George L. Anslow
VII-1 Charles Louis Anslow April 23, 1952.
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VI-2 Marjorie C. Davis May 29, 1931
married George L. Anslow
VII-2 Paul Lawrence Anslow August 20, 1955.

V-2 Gertrude Davis June 25, 1901
married Moss Rutan, 1896 - 1953
VI-1 Mary Ellen Rutan August 5, 1924
married Clarence Dale Rasmussen.
VII-1 Richard Curtis Rasmussen November 24, 1949.
VII-3 John Moss Rasmussen December 9, 1957.

VI-2 Moss Rutan, Jr. October 12, 1932 graduate of Waynesburg College and Western Theological Seminary; pastor of Mingo Junction, O. United Presbyterian Church;
married Barbara Allan Waid
VII-3 David Allan Rutan May 28, 1962.

V-3 Blanch Davis Stubbs July 6, 1905 - April 6, 1962.
IV-4 Robert Homer Giffin 1875 - 1896.
IV-5 Lula May Giffin May 13, 1878 - April 7, 1960; married to Percival Maxwell.
V-1 George Albert Maxwell April 29, 1896
married
VI-1 Evalyn Maxwell
married Ray Dixon, Licensed Director, Yuma Mortuary, Yuma, Ariz.
VII-1 Step-daughter Susan Carol Dixon November 18, 1948.
VII-2 Step-son Stephen Bruce Dixon July 8, 1950
VII-3 Peter Edwin Leidendeker September 26, 1951
VII-4 Paul Graham Leidendeker December 21, 1953
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IV-5 Lula May Giffin
V-2 Lucille Pareppa Maxwell February 19, 1899
married Nimrod M. McCoy.

IV-6 Sarah Blanch Giffin
IV-7 Arthur Lee Giffin
IV-8 Jennie Mabel Giffin May 15, 1889 - September 27, 1961;
moved Guy M. Pogue.

V-1 Ada Virginia Pogue January 10, 1914
Recorder at West Liberty State College;
moved William F. Frantz.

VI-1 William F. Frantz, Jr. December 20, 1937
Principal, W. S. Bennett Elementary School,
San Jose, Calif.;
moved

VII-2 Keith Andrew Frantz December 21, 1962.

VI-2 Nancy Jean Frantz November 7, 1944
Assistant Teaching Supervisor, Psychiatric Nursing, Ohio Valley General Hospital, Wheeling, W. Va.;
moved Bernard Mulroy.

VI-3 Dorathy Anne Frantz February 21, 1949
No response from the Rays or the Connelleys.

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III-8 Milton L. Giffin
IV-1 James Vincent Giffin
V-1 Kenneth Vincent Giffin December 8, 1907
Executive Vice President and Cashier, Citizen’s Bank and Trust Co., Wadsworth, O.
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8, 1930; lives in Zelienople, Pa.

VI-1 Earl Giffin Fishburn November 6, 1931
graduate Pharmacist, Univ. Pittsburgh, Pa.,
1956;
active duty in Naval Reserve December 8, 1951
to October 3, 1953;
moved August 29, 1959 to Faye C. Painter.

VI-2 Tozia Jean Fishburn August 7, 1935
Interior Decorator, Pittsburgh, Pa.

VI-3 John Fishburn March 11, 1937

VI-4 Marjorie June Fishburn August 8, 1939
married Alexander DeCiancio, Jr. August 22,
1964
VII-1 Georgiann DeCiancio November 19, 1965

V-2 Bertha Marie Giffin April 8, 1910
Personnel Director in Washington, Pa.

IV-6 Mary Elizabeth Giffin 1878-1891

IV-7 Daniel Stewart Giffin died June 3, 1967.
A street leading to one of the schools in North
Strabane Township was named Giffin Drive in
memory of his service to the schools of the town-
ship.
moved Bessie Hamilton.

V-1 Hamilton Daniel Stewart Giffin
V-2 Donald Aikin Giffin
V-3 Mary Sarah Giffin August 1, 1918 graduated,
Geneva College, teaches, Memorial Junior High
School, Vineland, N.J.;
moved to Joe Carl Bearden November 19, 1949

V-4 Bessie Blanche Giffin January 16, 1923 com-
mercial bank teller, Union National Bank, Mt.
Holly, N.J.

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V-2 Ruth Elizabeth Rogers February 22, 1917;  
married Judson Emler  
VI-1 Patricia Lou Emler May 20, 1938;  
married Byron Phillips  

VI-2 Ronald Judson Emler December 30, 1940.

VI-3 Karan Ann Emler January 22, 1943  
moved Norman George Benzo.

VI-4 Carla Mae Emler November 1, 1945  
moved James Ballard.

V-3 Dorothy May Rogers February 23, 1918  
moved Robert E. Jamison  
VI-1 Robert Emile Jamison August 7, 1946.  
VI-3 William Grant Jamison December 17, 1955.

V-4 Glenn Rudolph Rogers June 20, 1919  
moved Virginia James  
VI-1 Sandra Jo Rogers January 1, 1945.  
VI-2 David Glenn Rogers May 1, 1955.

III-11 Joseph B. Giffin 1853 - 1918  
moved Annie A. Johnson died March, 1931.  
IV- Flora Seaton Giffin October 23, 1881;  
retired and lives at 133 Gamble Ave., Elm  
Grove, Wheeling, W. Va.  

IV-2 Joseph Harland Giffin February 22, 1886  
May 5, 1944.

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V-1 William Rodney Giffin
married Sara Rankin September 5, 1938
VI-1 William James Giffin May 20, 1942, Assistant District Manager, Albany Products Co., Cleveland, Ohio.;
made Stella Papaleo April 4, 1964
VII-1 Diane Lynn Giffin June 13, 1966

V-2 Arch Kenneth Giffin June 23, 1906
A.B., Muskingum College; M.S. in Social Administration, Western Reserve University.
Chief, Social Work Service, Veteran's Administration, Cleveland, O., 1946-54; Los Angeles, 1954-.
made Jeanne Eggleton October 19, 1944
VI-1 Margaret Ethel Giffin August 27, 1949, Senior, North Hollywood High School, 1966; accepted as student at University of the Pacific, Stockton, Calif., with honors, Fall of 1967.

V-1 Alva Hugh Giffin September 10, 1899.
VI-1 Alva Hugh Giffen, Jr. December 29, 1921.
VI-2 Virginia Mae Giffin January 26, 1928.
VI-3 Robert Melvin Johnson, petroleum engineer in California, married Marie LeFever
VII-1 Kim Eileen Johnson December 30, 1956

V-3 Cecil Melvin Johnson 1898, Faculty, Indiana State University, of Pennsylvania. Retired, married Norah Taylor - died September 2, 1961
VI-1 Mary Kathleen Johnson November 13, 1925, married Harold R. Leming, engineer, Westinghouse, Pittsburgh, Pa.
VII-1 Harold R. Leming, Jr. 1947
VII-2 Dorothy Leming 1951
VII-3 Charles Leming 1952
VII-4 Cynthia Jean Leming 1953

VII-1 Larry Allison September, 1952
VII-2 Jean Allison May, 1956

VI-3 Jean Uarda Johnson March 18, 1928, graduated Indiana State University, Pennsylvania, married R. M. Strawcutter, chemistry department, Indiana Univ., Indiana, Pa.
VII-1 Mark Johnson Strawcutter 1954
VII-2 Karen Louise Strawcutter 1956
VII-3 Kelly Ann Strawcutter 1958
VII-4 Laura Kathleen Strawcutter 1962

VI-4 Jess Yvonne Johnson March 18, 1928, graduated Indiana State University, Pennsylvania, married Braden Shoupe, New Castle, Delaware.
VII-1 Becky Shoupe 1962
VII-2 Mary Alice Shoupe 1954

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Correction: Fourth page of Supplement-
V-3 James Atkinson
VI-2 Ruthe Atkinson
VII-3 Mary Gertrude Isenberg - only.

Correction: Same page of Supplement-
V-3 Margaret Elizabeth Atkinson
should be listed V-4.

Add: eighth page of Supplement-
III-3 Daniel Arthur Giffin
IV-1 Rev. Joseph Wilson Giffin
V-1 Mary Elizabeth Giffin;
    Visiting Professor, Cleveland State University, 1967 - 68.

Add: fourteenth page Supplement-
III-8 Milton L. Giffin
IV-1 James Vincent Giffin, died January 19, 1956.

Add: eighteenth page of Supplement-
III-11 James Peter Giffen married
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V-2 Janet Giffin;  
married U.P. missionary to Brazil.
VI-2 John 15 years old.
VI-3 Margaret, 10 years old.
VI-4 David 6 years old.

V-3 John Willard Giffin, Jr. Mech. Eng. with Aerodynamics, of Upland, Calif.;  
moved, two sons.

V-4 George Giffin, Radio Announcer, Wilmington, Del.

IV-3 Martin William Giffin December 21, 1904;  
lawyer, retired to Hollywood, Fla.;  
mixed Martha McConnell (Muskingum College, 1927).
V-1 Martha Ann Giffin;  
mixed, and children.

V-2 William Giffin, chemist;  
mixed.

III-11 James Peter Giffen 1866 - 1919
IV-1 Harold Sleeth Giffen, born May 27, 1897 (date in Giffen Book is incorrect).  
Pastor of United Presbyterian Churches, 1925 - 1967, in Ryegate, Vt., Shushan, N.Y., Lange- 
loth, Harmarville and West Lebanon, Pa., and Davenport and Groveland, N.Y.  
Retired October 1, 1967 at RD #3, Geneva, N.Y.  
Married Alice Louise Nelson in 1927.
V-1 Lois Anita Giffen born at Cambridge, N.Y.,  
July 28, 1930;  

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V-5 Hilda Gibson
Seminary. Resides in Mt. Lebanon, Pittsburgh, Pa.

VI-1 Emerson Reid Ray born May 4, 1945; graduated, Mellon-Carnegie University, Pgh., Pa.

IV-8 George Luther Gibson 1870 - 1940

IV-9 Francis Newton Gibson 1873 - September 2, 1935
married Maude McCutcheon 1873 - October 10, 1949

V-1 F. Harold Gibson
married Estella Magill, (March 22, 1908) organist, First U. P. Church, N. Side, Pittsburgh.

VI-1 Ellen Frances Gibson born October 25, 1935

VII-1 Patrick Gibson Kirk April 7, 1958
VII-2 Nancy Louise Kirk October 11, 1960
married James R. Doran, Paton, Iowa

VII-3 Thomas Alexander Doran December 1, 1965

VI-2 James Harold Gibson October 8, 1941 graduated, Sterling College; Lt. jg. USNR, Iceland.

VI-3 William Magill Gibson June 25, 1944, salesman, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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IV-10 Morrow Ross Gibson 1876-1959
married Ida Ninness 1871-1956

III-3 Daniel Arthur Giffin

IV-1 Rev. Joseph Wilson Giffin, author of Giffen Book, died August, 1938 at Cleveland, Ohio
Mrs. Joseph Giffin died May 1940 at Cleveland, Ohio.

V-1 Mary Elizabeth Giffin, 1897. graduate of Western Reserve University, 1919, M.A. 1923, resident student for research, Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford University 1922-23, 1927-28, Ph. D. University of Chicago, 1939.
V-2  Arthur DuBois Atkinson
VI-1  Laura Virginia Atkinson
       married Philip Fasulo, postman, reside in Portland, Maine.
VII-1  Michael Fasulo entered college, 1965
VII-2  David Fasulo 10th grade, 1965
VII-3  Thomas Fasulo 9th grade, 1965
VII-4  Linda Fasulo Junior Hi, 1965
VII-5  Raymond Fasulo 5th grade, 1965
VII-6  Kenneth Fasulo 3rd grade, 1965
VII-7  Danny Fasulo started Kindergarten, 1965
VII-8  Martha Grace Fasulo born, August 28, 1965

V-3  James Frazier Atkinson died 1960
       married Mary Settell died 1963
VI-1  Clara Beryl Atkinson
       married Louis Ryan died 1962
VII-1  Clara Lou Ryan February 13, 1952
VII-2  James Louis Ryan October 17, 1953
VII-3  Mary Ruth Ryan October 27, 1954
VII-4  Willa Mae Ryan October 27, 1954

VI-2  Ruthe Atkinson October 21, 1929
       married Paul Isenberg, Reg. Pharmacist, manager, Griest's Pharmacy, Elm Grove, West Va.
VII-1  Richard Allen Isenberg June 23, 1952
VII-2  John William Isenberg October 18, 1954
VII-3  Mary Gertrude Isenberg Isenberg

V-3  Margaret Elizabeth Atkinson
       married Herman Andrew Bruder, minister, United Presbyterian Church.
VI-1  James Robert Bruder November 11, 1930; graduate, Muskingum College, 1952; Master's Degree, Brown Univ., 1961; active in Navy Res., Lcdr. teacher, Akron School System;
       (continued next page)
V-1 Arthur Smith December 29, 1933; married Barbara W. November 20, 1958.
VI-1 Scott Alan Smith October 2, 1961.
VI-2 Victoria Beth Smith December 24, 1963.

VI-2 David Paul November 9, 1961.
VI-3 Robert Paul December 14, 1963.

V-2 Sandra Lee Giffen April 7, 1940, private secretary, Evansville, Ill.
V-3 Christina Giffen married Mike Lorenz, electrical engineer, Chicago, Ill., 1964.
VI-1 Heidi Ann Lorenz November 29, 1966.

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IV-2 John Frazier Atkinson died September 1, 1956

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IV-4 David Giffen Atkinson died March 14, 1958.
married Beulah Roney, died 1962.
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V-3 Wallace Cameron Giffen
Westminster College (Pa.), 1958;
teacher, Gordon College, Rawalpindi, West Pakistan, 1958 - 1961;
M.S. in Physics, Syracuse Univ., 1964;
Ph.D. in progress at Syracuse Univ. in atomic physics;
assistant professor, physics department, Wittenberg University (Ohio), 1966 -.

IV-2 Horace Kerr Giffen
married Helen Brown.

VI-1 Richard K. Giffen March 1, 1930 graduate,
Muskingum College and Pittsburgh Theological Seminary;
pastor, United Presbyterian Church, Tyrone, Pa.;
made Virginia Donaldson June 21, 1952.

VI-1 Christine Lee Giffen September 29, 1955.
VI-3 Carol Ann Giffen June 23, 1961.

IV-3 Lois Giffen
married Howard Ralston, director of music,
Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, Pgh., Pa.

V-1 Anne Ralston February 3, 1930, church music director, Hebron U. P. Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.

V-2 Howard Lamont Ralston, Jr. September 1, 1931 high school teacher, Millville, N.J.;

VI-1 Kimberly M. Ralston May 4, 1967.

IV-4 Evangeline Giffen
married G. Walter Smith, lawyer, practicing in Pittsburgh, Pa., August 1, 1930.

V-1 Arthur Smith December 29, 1938;
Professor, Chatham College, Pittsburgh, Pa.;
made Barbara W. November 20, 1953.
VI-1 James Robert Bruder
married Edana Claire Leach, graduate, Muskingum College, August 16, 1952. Members of Allenside U. P. Church, Akron, O.

VII-1 Mark Andrew Bruder February 10, 1954
VII-2 Jana Lee Bruder July 17, 1956
VII-3 John Robert Bruder January 7, 1964

V-5 Celia Virginia Atkinson
attended Muskingum College;
moved Wendell R. Wineman who also attended Muskingum College, now in food dispensing business; members of Northwood U. P. Church, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

VI-1 Patricia Ann Wineman born July 6, 1935
business education;
moved Ross Edgar Frahm, of Gladbrook, Iowa, August 6, 1960 Graduate of Tarkio College;
presently Music Supervisor in Corning, Mo. School System.

VII-1 Beverly Ann Frahm, born March 23, 1964

VI-2 John Russell Wineman born March 16, 1937;
graduate of Tarkio College and Pittsburgh Theological Seminary; now serving second pastorate in Minden, Nebraska;
moved Donna Preston, Pawnee City, Nebraska, also graduate of Tarkio College.

VII-1 John Christopher Wineman October 26, 1960
VII-2 Joel Preston Wineman September 30, 1961
VII-3 Neal Andrew Wineman April 11, 1965

IV-6 Robert Homer Gibson died 1958
Nannie Knox Gibson died 1942

V-1 James Knox Gibson
Psychiatry, Cambridge State Hospital, Cambridge, Ohio.
V-2 Robert Homer Gibson, Jr. graduated, Muskingum College; wholesale confectioner; married Mildred Lemmon, also Muskingum graduate, June 12, 1935

VI-1 Robilyn Jeannette Gibson born July 17, 1937 graduated Muskingum College; married August 15, 1959, Jack Lyttle, also Muskingum graduate, Master Degree, Ohio State Univ., teacher - Principal, Elementary School, Columbus, O.

VII-1 Eric William Lyttle May 25, 1960


VI-2 James Knox Gibson January 9, 1941 graduate of Muskingum College; Masters Degree, Bowling Green; teacher, Wheeling, West Va. married Linda Joan Wilson, also Muskingum graduate, and teacher in Wheeling, July 24, 1965.

IV-7 William Elmer Gibson died December 28, 1940 married Nancy Johnson, died September, 1958

V-1 Margaret A. Gibson married J. C. Davies, Taft, California.

V-2 Mable Virginia Gibson 1904-1905

V-3 Mary Jeannette Gibson 1906-1918

V-4 Martha C. Gibson graduated Muskingum College married John Moore, also Muskingum graduate and Ph. D. (Pitt.) (died 1966) - both teachers.

VI-1 John G. Moore, 1939, graduate, Oberlin College, attorney-at-law, Santa Barbara, California.

VI-2 Nancy Moore November, 1943, graduated, Muskingum College; Peace Corps, Philippines.

V-5 Hilda Gibson graduated Muskingum College married Emerson R. Ray, D. D., graduate of Muskingum College and Pittsburgh Theological (continued next page)
V-1 Lois Anita Giffen born at Cambridge, N.Y.,
July 28, 1930;
gradiuate R.N. at Youngstown, Ohio, Hospital Association, 1952;
nurse in American Mission Hospital, Asyut, Egypt, 1953 - 1956;
B.A. in History, summa cum laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Syracuse Univ., 1960;
Ph.D. in Arabic language and literature, Arab history, Turkish history and Islamic civilization at Columbia Univ., 1967;
assistant Professor in New York University, department of Near Eastern languages and literatures, September, 1967.

V-2 Lynette Louise Giffen born in Cambridge, N.Y.
October 24, 1932 graduate, Westminster College (Pa.), B.A., summa cum laude, 1954;
M.A. in English, Syracuse Univ., 1956;
teacher, Mt. Lebanon High School, Pgh., Pa. 1956-59;
made Richard S. McConnell, of Mt. Lebanon, Pa., August 24, 1957, who graduated from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, B.D., with Jamison Scholarship for graduate study abroad, 1960. Went to the University of Basle, Switzerland, where he received Ph.D. in Theology, 1964. He is teacher and department head, Bible and Philosophy, Pikeville College, Pikeville, Ky., 1964 -.

VI-1 Peter Nelson McConnell born in Pittsburgh
April 19, 1960.
VI-2 Christina Louise McConnell born in Basle,
Switzerland, February 28, 1964.

V-3 Wallace Cameron Giffen born at Washington,
Pa., April 24, 1936 graduated, B.S. in Physics, Continued on next page.
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IV-5 Mary Eleanor Atkinson died December 4, 1938; married William Anderson died January 30, 1936

V-1 Anna Eleanor Anderson December 28, 1906 graduate, Muskingum College, M.A. in Music Education, Ohio State Univ.; teacher, vocal music, Mingo Junction, Ohio, public schools; married Franklin Schaub, machinist, June, 1939; reside in Toronto, Ohio.

VI-1 William Anderson Schaub September 23, 1940 graduate, B.S., College of Steubenville, Ohio; teacher in Orwell, Ohio school system.

IV-7 James Blayney Atkinson died in 1931; married Jessie Davis died February 1, 1964.

V-1 Letitia Atkinson 1914 - 1938.

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VII-3 Richard Melvin Shoupe 1955-1959
VII-4 Braden Allen Shoupe 1957
VII-5 Yvonne Shoupe 1959
VII-6 Harold Scott Shoupe 1962

IV-5 Celia Virginia Gibson, died May 20, 1949
married John Frazier Atkinson, died September 1, 1956

V-1 Clarence Giffin Atkinson, retired farmer,
Roney's Point, West Va.

VI-1 Roberta Lucille Atkinson
married Joseph Whiteman, Police Chief, Valley
Grove, West Va.

VII-1 David April 26, 1951
VII-2 Kathy July 26, 1955

VI-2 Lois Virginia Atkinson, June 30, 1928, graduated, West Liberty State Teachers College,
teaching Valley Grove Elementary School.
marrined Harold Orth, contract painter.
VII-1 Donna Lee Orth January 18, 1957
VII-2 Raymond Paul Orth January 30, 1958
VII-3 Robert Douglas Orth June 23, 1964

VI-3 Dorothy Mae Atkinson April 22, 1930 business education, organist, Roney's Point U. P.
Church. married Alfred Howard, foreman, Valley Camp Coal Co.

VII-1 Alfred Bruce Howard January 31, 1955
VII-2 Jeffrey Giffin Howard October 21, 1963
VII-3 Beth Ann Howard April 4, 1965

V-2 Arthur DuBois Atkinson (correction) died April 24, 1923
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V-1 Mary Elizabeth Giffin
Chairman, Department of English, Cedar Crest College, Allentown, Pa., 1923-27; 1928-32;
Chairman, Division of Humanities, Monticello College, Alton, Ill., 1933-38;
Professor of English, Adelphi College, L. I., 1938-40;
Academic Dean and Professor of English, Lake Erie College, Painesville, O., 1940-45;
Professor of English, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., 1945-62; Professor Emeritus 1962;
Visiting Professor of English, University of Teheran, Iran, 1962-63;
Visiting Professor of English, Brandeis University, N.Y.C., 1963-65;
Director of Liberal Studies, Pierce College, Athens, Greece, 1965-66;
Visiting Professor, University of the Pacific, Stockton, Calif., second semester, 1966-67.

V-2 Plumer D. Giffin
Engaged in real estate in Cleveland, Ohio, after 1932;
made Esther Clark Bailey August 29, 1931.

VI-1 Mary Jo Giffin born April 20, 1948, student, Mt Holyoke College 1966.

IV-2 William Arthur Giffin
married Adda McCutcheon July 16, 1930, moved to New Concord, Ohio. Died May 1, 1943.

V-1 William Rodney Giffin August 23, 1903
Ordained to United Presbyterian ministry, May 20, 1930;
pastorates at Bloomfield, O., Ryegate and East Ryegate, Vt., South Kortright, N.Y., Ottawa, O., Ipava, Ill.

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IV-5 Bessie Newlin Giffin 1886 - 1966

III-2 Sarah Elizabeth Giffin
married William Hinkle.

IV-2 Margaret Hinkle died 1967
married J. M. McCutcheon.

V-1 Gladys A. McCutcheon graduate of Muskingum College, 1928;
married Lawrence Ault;
adopted two children.

V-2 Lucile McCutcheon graduate of Muskingum College, 1932;
teacher in Cadiz, Ohio School System.

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III-7 Elliot Morrison Giffin died circum 1928 - 1930

IV-1 Dora Eunice Giffin taught near Akron, Ohio;
now retired to Hollywood, Fla.

IV-2 John Willard Giffin resides in Atlanta, Ga.
V-1 Elliot Giffin, Pharmacist, Charlotte, N.C.
V-2 Janet Giffin;
marrined U.P.missionary to Brazil.

VI-1 Blake, 17 years old.
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IV-3 Clarence Lee Gibson died May 6, 1946
   Married Katherine
V-1 Leland
V-2 Kenneth

IV-4 Mary Ellen Gibson died December 22, 1926
V-1 Gibson Reid Johnson
VI-1 Miriam Frances Johnson married Norman Leonard
VII-1 Lloyd Johnson Leonard August 29, 1950
VII-2 Katherine Reid Leonard May 17, 1954

VI-2 Mary Virginia Johnson married Phillip Johnson
VII-1 Douglas Mann Johnson March 1, 1958
VII-2 Cynthia Teener Johnson September 6, 1961

VI-3 William Johnson married Norma Owen
VII-1 Janice Marie Johnson January 30, 1960

V-2 James Earl Johnson
VI-1 Geraldine Mae Johnson married Charles Richard Wilson, New Concord, O.
   VII-1 Stephen Earl Wilson May 19, 1948
   VII-2 James Richard Wilson September 8, 1950

VI-2 Dorothy Lee Johnson married Duane C. Shearer, New Concord, O.
   VII-1 William Duane Shearer January 14, 1955
   VII-2 Elaine K. Shearer February 9, 1956
   VII-3 Nancy Ann Shearer May 8, 1957
V-2 Arthur Warren Giffin  March 23, 1902  
VI-1 Arthur Warren Giffen, Jr. December 23, 1922  
VI-2 Robert Hugh Giffin  March 2, 1924  
VI-3 William Francis Giffin  March 27, 1926  
VI-4 Carol Giffin  
VI-5 Melva Giffin  
VI-6 John Giffin  
VI-7 Joseph Giffin  

V-3 Robert Homer Giffin  October 13, 1904.  
VI-1 Richard Giffin  
VI-2 William Giffin  
VI-3 Robert Giffin  

(These families were contacted but there were no replies at press time.)  

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IV-4 John David Giffin  May 10, 1873 - November 29, 1951  
V-1 John Stewart Giffin  September 21, 1912 - October 8, 1968.  
married Louise Ouelette.  

V-2 Margaret Sarah Giffin  August 22, 1914  
Spanish teacher at Pottsville, Pa. High School;  
made William E. Aschman, agent for Prudential Insurance Co.  
VI-1 Margaret Ann Aschman  June 19, 1944 studying for M.A. in Psychology in Bryn Mawr College;  
made Charles George Diefenderfer, electrical engineer, employed at Univac, Norristown, Pa. 

IV-5 Dwight Luther Giffin  March 12, 1876 - January 1954  
V-1 Helen Elizabeth Giffin  June 3, 1805  
made George A. Fishburn, Pharmacist, April  
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V-1 Kenneth Vincent Giffin December 8, 1907; married Mary Printz

VI-1 James Wilson Giffin November 14, 1942
M.S. from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1965; at Harvard Graduate School of Business, 1966; will be located in Leesburg, Va. working in Research Division of Westinghouse; married Jacqueline Lois Cook July 9, 1966.

IV-2 Clarence Arthur Giffin 1880 - 1908.
IV-3 Roy Milton Giffin October 22, 1888 - March 16, 1946;
married Anna Smith.

V-1 Harold Lester Giffin September 13, 1915;
moved Hazel Mae Robinson, deceased;
moved Dorothy F. Adams;
lives at 3587 Eighth St., Riverside, Calif.
Children of first wife:
VI-1 Sandra Lee Giffin November 18, 1940.
VI-2 Robert Harold Giffin September 23, 1942.
VI-3 Michael Lester Giffin April 29, 1945.

IV-4 Elsie Sophia Giffin September 30, 1890;
moved Rudolph Rogers.

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V-1 Donald Addison Rogers May 19, 1915;
moved Evelyn Spiker.
VI-1 Donald Kay Rogers August 25, 1940;
moved Sheila Rahrig
VII-1 Michele Marie Rogers June 27, 1966.

VI-2 Sally Sue Rogers October 14, 1945.
VI-3 Joyce Anne Rogers May 6, 1951.

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The following was given by Sara Ticknor, a granddaughter of Dr. Ticknor at Fort Washington, Maryland, December 1942, to Arch K. Giffin:

Dr. Francis O. Ticknor, the author, was a country doctor near Columbus, Georgia. Among his duties was administering to wounded Confederate soldiers. He found "Little Giffen" in a very serious condition and not expected to live. He was taken to the home of Dr. Ticknor and nursed back to life by Mrs. Ticknor and her sister. They also taught him to read and write. After he had regained his health he went back to rejoin the army. Dr. Ticknor took him part way and while fording a stream the wagon in which they were riding upset. Dr. Ticknor swam out on the side next his home and Giffen swam out on the other side. After waving goodbye he was never seen or heard of again by the Ticknors who concluded he was soon afterwards killed in action or he would have gotten in touch with them.