GENEALOGY COLLECTION
Family Tree of Jacob Garber of Augusta County, Virginia and his descendants
Introduction

In gathering the material for this booklet I was assisted by Peter Garber, Saloma R. Cline, Ruth E. Williams, Christina S. Garber and Ira L. Garber.

We have spent much time and pains-taking in arranging it. Should there be any errors I shall appreciate the information.

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EXPLANATION

The first number indicates the generation to which the person belongs, the second number refers to the place in that generation.

Example: 1—1. Jacob Garber, signifies that he is first of the first generation.

2—3. Levi Garber, signifies that he is of the second generation and third in this generation.

3—5. William Allen Garber, denotes that he is in the third generation and fifth in this generation.

Husbands and wives have the same numbers with each other.

S. W. GARBER,

March 1, 1919.

Ottumwa, Iowa.
Birthplace of Jacob Garber. Removed a short time ago.
JOHN GARBER moved from York County Pennsylvania, to Shenandoah County, Virginia, about the year 1775 or 1776. He was the first minister of the Church of the Brethren in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. He died in 1787.

Barbara Garber, his wife, survived him about twenty-one years, being seventy-five years old at the time of her death. They were the parents of seven sons and three daughters, viz., John, Samuel, Martin, Anna, Abraham, Jacob, Daniel, Catherine, Joseph, and Magdalene. Six of these sons and two sons-in-law were distinguished ministers of the Church of the Brethren. One son was a deacon.

Abraham Garber, his son, married Elizabeth Humbert of Augusta County, and settled on the farm known as the Garber Farm near New Hope, Augusta County, about 1790 or 1792. This farm ever since has been occupied by his descendents. First occupied by his son Samuel Garber, then by Samuel’s son William Garber, also by William’s son Charles Garber.

Abraham Garber was born November 10, 1760, and died February 16, 1848. He was the Founder and Elder of the Middle River Congregation. He donated and built the first house of worship, of the Church of the Brethren in Augusta County. This was a commodious brick building erected in the year 1824, on a beautiful and convenient location on his farm. This has been the scene of many sacred events, and other noted scenes. The cemetery near by reveals a history. Here the Annual Conference was held in 1851.

On Sunday, June 5, 1864, an engagement of the Civil War strife, known as the Piedmont Battle, took place near by. This church house was occupied by car-
ing for wounded soldiers of the Southern troops during
the battle. Its use as an hospital was continued for
near a month afterward.

(See Note under record of Frederick Kline.)
This building having served its purpose, it was re-
moved in 1884, and the present house was then built.
Abraham Garber's wife, Elizabeth, died in 1838.
To them were born four sons and three daughters, viz.:

1. John Garber, oldest son of Abraham and Elizabeth
Garber, was born July 14, 1792. He served in
the ministry 30 years. He was the only son of
this family who served in the ministry.
Elder B. B. Garber, of the Middle River Congre-
gation is a grandson of his.
2. Daniel Garber, born October 23, 1793.
3. Jacob Garber, born October 28, 1797.
4. Samuel Garber, born September 22, 1806. He was
the youngest member of the family. The daugh-
ters were:
1. Mary Garber, married ———— Arion.
2. Sallie Garber, married ———— Whitmore.
3. Esther Garber, married ———— Stoner. She
was the youngest daughter. In the early part
of the 1870's she moved with her son Levi
Stoner to Preble County, Ohio.

(NOTE—The original purpose of these pages was
to give a brief record of the descendants of Jacob Gar-
ber, the third son of the above mentioned Abraham
Garber. In the efforts of securing information the
above very incomplete record was also obtained. It is
very much appreciated as a bit of history of our ances-
tral fathers and kindred.)
1—1. Jacob Garber, third son of Abraham and Elizabeth Garber, was born October 28, 1797; died September 25, 1876. Age 78 years, 10 months, 27 days. Married March 10, 1823, to

Now remodeled and occupied by Benjamin J. Garber and family.

Home of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber.
Family of Jacob W. Garber shown in cut.

1—1. Nancy Arnold, daughter of Samuel Arnold of Hampshire County, West Virginia. She was
born April 12, 1805; died February 29, 1868.
Age 62 years, 10 months, 17 days.

Their farm home being about two miles from Mt. Sidney, and about three and a half miles from New Hope, Augusta County, Virginia. To them were born four sons and one daughter. Fortunately, at the marriage of each of them, they were located on farm homes near by, where they reared their families and spent their lives.

SECOND GENERATION

One Daughter and Four Sons.

2—1. Rebekah Garber.
2—5. Jacob W. Garber.

2—1. Rebekah Garber, daughter of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber, was born December 27, 1823; died July 24, 1886. Age 62 years, 6 months, 27 days. Married September 21, 1846, to

2—1. Daniel Miller, son of Elder Peter and Barbara Miller. He was born April 19, 1816; died January 23, 1901. Age 84 years, 8 months, 4 days.

He was a farmer and a deacon in the Church of the Brethren. Their farm home being one mile east of Mt. Sidney, Virginia. Pleasant Valley Congregation being their church home.

THIRD GENERATION

Two Daughters.

3—1. Nancy Miller.
3—2. Barbara Miller.
3—1. Nancy Miller, daughter of Daniel and Rebekah Garber Miller, was born July 21, 1847. Married August 7, 1864, to
3—1. Frederick Kline, son of Christian and Rebecca Myers Kline. He was born June 16, 1839; died March 9, 1915. Age 65 years, 8 months, 23 days.

Their farm home being about two miles north of New Hope, Augusta County, Virginia, within the bounds of the Middle River Church. He was a deacon of the Church of the Brethren.

FOURTH GENERATION
One Son and Five Daughters.

4—1. Daniel Christian Cline.
4—2. Saloma Rebecca Cline.
4—3. Ida Barbara Cline.
4—5. Virtie Nancy Jane Cline.

4—1. Daniel Christian Cline, son of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born August 29, 1865. Married December 24, 1893, to
4—1. Ida Frances Long, daughter of Conrad and Fannie Long, of Mill Creek, Rockingham County, Virginia.

They are members of the Church of the Brethren. Are engaged in farming.

FIFTH GENERATION
Three Sons and One Daughter.

5—1. Daniel Arlie Cline, son of Daniel C. and Ida F. Cline, was born April 23, 1895. Married December 1916, to
5—1. Mary Borden, daughter of James and Cora Garber Borden.
They are members of the Church of the Brethren
and are engaged in farming.

SIXTH GENERATION
One Son.

6—1. Oliver Weldon Cline, born October, 1917.

5—2. Arlene Frances Cline, born April 3, 1898; died June 7, 1909. Age 11 years, 2 months, 4 days.
5—3. Rufus Robert Cline, born August 17, 1902.

4—2. Saloma Cline, daughter of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born March 10, 1867; baptized October, 1884.
She resides at home with her mother.

4—3. Ida Barbara Cline, daughter of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born March 5, 1869. Married December 27, 1893, to
4—3. Isaac Diehl, son of Josiah and Mary Diehl, of Rockingham County, Virginia.
They are members of the Church of the Brethren. They reside near North River, Rockingham County, Virginia, where they are engaged in farming.

FIFTH GENERATION
Four Children.

5—1. Earl Cline Diehl, born December 25, 1894. Married July 22, 1915, to
5—1. Icie Huff, daughter of John and Martha Huff.

SIXTH GENERATION
One Daughter.

6—1. Evylyn Fern Diehl, born April 24, 1917.
5—2. Nina Arlene Diehl, born December 27, 1897. Married December 19, 1917, to

5—2. Guy Trobaugh, son of Charles and Annie Trobaugh.

They are engaged in farming in the North River District.

5—3. Ellis Trostle Diehl, was born October 5, 1900.

5—4. Mary Nancy Diehl, was born June 27, 1906.

4—4. Martha Ann Cline, daughter of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born January 28, 1873.

She resides at home with her mother and Saloma.

4—5. Virtie Nancy Jane Cline, daughter of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born September 8, 1877. Married December 24, 1911, to

4—5. T. Kennie Koontz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Koonts, of Rockingham County.

He is engaged in farming. Their home is at Weyers Cave, Virginia.

Annie Lee, (an orphan girl) has been given a home with them.

All are members of the Church of the Brethren.

4—6. Lottie Viola Cline, daughter of Frederick and Nancy Kline, was born March 9, 1883; died October 26, 1916. Age 33 years, 7 months, 17 days. She was married October 14, 1907, to


Both members of the Church of the Brethren. He is a farmer. They lived on the Frederick Kline farm until the death of Lottie Viola, the wife and mother. Since then, Walter R. with his three children live with his mother, Catherine Flory.
FIFTH GENERATION

Two Daughters and One Son.

5—1. Nancy Catherine Flory, born February 13, 1909.
5—2. Lois Virginia Flory, born October 17, 1911.

Frederick Kline, a number of years after the Civil War, purchased a farm about two miles north of New Hope, and quite near the Middle River Church. On this farm was the principal scene of the Piedmont Battle, which took place on Sunday, June 5, 1864. The engagement began about 8 A. M. and continued until near 3 P. M. The Northern troops were commanded by General David Hunter, the Southern commanded by General William E. Jones. General Jones was killed, and the Southern troops retired. About 400 lives were lost on the Southern side, and 800 on the Northern. The Northern troops remained on the field until next morning.

Several fine homes have been made upon this historic ground. Nancy Kline with her daughters Saloma R. and Martha Ann reside at the home-stead. The home of her son, Daniel C. Cline, is also a part of this tract.

(See Historical Sketch of Abraham Garber for fuller account.)

3—2. Barbara Miller, daughter of Daniel and Rebekah Garber Miller, was born January 3, 1849. Married October 26, 1871, to


They reside at the Daniel Miller home-stead, one mile east of Mt. Sidney, Virginia. They are members of the Church of the Brethren. Milton is a deacon, serving in the Pleasant Valley congregation, their home church.
FOURTH GENERATION

Four Daughters and One Son.

4—1. Laura Rebecca Shaver.
4—2. Nannie Catherine Shaver.
4—5. Oda Alice Shaver.

4—1. Laura Rebecca Shaver, was born November 2, 1872. Married in 1895, to

He was a farmer. Home and address Mt. Sidney, Virginia.

FIFTH GENERATION

Three Sons and Three Daughters.

5—1. Olga Barbara Whitmer, born February 24, 1896.

Married December 26, 1918, to
5—2. Rosa F. Cline, of Staunton, Virginia.
5—3. Ermie Rebecca Whitmer, born July 9, 1900; died October 25, 1900. Age 3 months, 16 days.

The family are members of the Church of the Brethren.

4—2. Nannie Catherine Shaver, was born July 12, 1874. Married February 11, 1892, to
4—2. John D. Western.

He is a farmer. Home address, Ft. Defiance, Va.
FIFTH GENERATION
Two daughters and Three Sons.
5—1. Rena Barbara Western, born December 15, 1892. Married May 29, 1912, to
5—1. Minor W. Garber.
He is a miller in his occupation. Home address, Ft. Defiance, Virginia.

SIXTH GENERATION
One Child.
6—1. Catherine Louise Garber, born March 11, 1913.
(Catherine Louise Garber, is in the sixth generation by considering her mother's ancestors. Considering her father's ancestors she is in the fifth generation.)
5—2. Shirley Wayman Western, born September 6, 1896.
5—3. Milton Lyle Western, born July 18, 1900; died October 1, 1900. Age 2 months, 13 days.
5—4. Letcher Ryan Western, born April 22, 1903.
5—5. Ruth Rebecca Western, born November 14, 1911.
Family members of the Church of the Brethren.

4—3. Ruth Emma Shaver, born September 25, 1882. Married October 18, 1906, to
He is a farmer. Home address, Mt. Sidney, Virginia. They are members of the Church of the Brethren. Pleasant Valley congregation being their home church.

FIFTH GENERATION
Six Children.
5—1. Howard Miller Williams, born September 9, 1907.
5—2. Daughter Child, born and died April 30, 1911.
5—5. Frank Alden Williams, born March 12, 1917.
5—6. Glenn Shaver Williams, born April 1, 1918.

4—4. Minor Monroe Shaver, born August 3, 1885; died September 23, 1885. Age 1 month, 20 days.

4—5. Oda Alice Shaver, was born November 8, 1887. Married December 24, 1907, to

He is employed in the U. S. Mail Department, in Washington City. Home address, 808 C. St., S. E., Washington, D. C. They are members of the Church of the Brethren. He is a deacon, serves in the City Church, where they have their membership.

FIFTH GENERATION

Four Children.


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SECOND GENERATION

2—2. Abraham D. Garber, oldest son of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber, was born December 19, 1824; died December 1, 1911. Age 86 years, 11 months, 12 days. He was twice married. First marriage May 9, 1848, to

2—2. Magdalene Wine, daughter of Michael and Catherine Wine, near Ottobine, Rockingham County, Virginia. She was born October 17, 1827; died May 9, 1868. Age 40 years, 6 months, 23 days.
He united with the church in 1847, and was chosen to the ministry March 31, 1855. He was devoted to his ministerial duties; residing and laboring within the bounds of the Pleasant Valley Congregation. Also did a great amount of mission work in other districts. At the time of his death he was the oldest minister in the Second District of Virginia, possibly the oldest in the state. He served in the ministry 56 years. He was one of the horse-back riders in his work. During the Civil War when various diseases were raging, he was called to preach a great many funerals. He lived 63 years at the same home where he died two miles east of Mt. Sidney.

THIRD GENERATION

Five Sons and Four Daughters.

3—1. Solomon W. Garber.
3—2. Nancy Catherine Garber.
3—4. Rebecca Ann Garber.
3—5. Melissa Magdalene Garber.
3—6. Priscilla Elizabeth Garber.
3—7. Jacob Michael Garber.
3—8. Samuel Abraham Garber.

2—2. Abraham D. Garber, second marriage October 5, 1869, to

2—2. Sophia Byrd Hays, widow of James Hays, and daughter of Wm. and Hannah Showalter Byrd, of Rockingham County. She was born July 30, 1833. United with the Church of the Brethren Easter Sunday, 1854. Died March 3, 1905. Age 72 years, 7 months, 3 days.
THIRD GENERATION

One Daughter.


3—1. Solomon W. Garber, eldest son of Abraham D. and Magdalene Garber, was born April 25, 1849. Baptized September 14, 1866. Married September 21, 1876, to
3—1. Catherine Susan Harnsberger, daughter of George and Rebecca Harnsberger, near Waynesboro, Augusta County, Virginia. She was born December 10, 1849; died December 24, 1916. Age 67 years, 14 days. She was baptized by Elder James R. Gish, about the age of twenty.

SOLOMON W. GARBER

The first 18 years of their married life was spent in Virginia. In 1894 moving to Allison Prairie Church, Lawrence County, Illinois. In 1902 moving to the city of Decatur, Illinois. 29 years of S. W. Garber's life was given to teaching. He was chosen to the deacon office May 14, 1879; to the ministry August 20, 1881. Advanced August 6, 1884. Ordained to the Eldership January 16, 1897. He gave much of his time to ministerial duties in the different churches where located.
He represented the Southern District of Illinois on the Standing Committee at three different Annual Conferences. Now having charge of South Ottumwa Church, Iowa.

FOURTH GENERATION
Three Sons and Two Daughters.

4—1. Howard Miller Garber.
4—2. Nina Rebecca Garber.
4—5. Mary Sophia Garber.

4—1. Howard M. Garber, was born August 21, 1877. Baptized March 19, 1892. Married December 11, 1904, to

4—1. Gertrude M. Stoner, daughter of Elder Jesse and Mary Stoner, of Lamotte Prairie Church, Crawford County, Illinois. She was born January 16, 1878. Baptized March, 1890.

H. M. Garber is an optician and optometrist. Parlor and manufacturing room East Court Street, Paris, Ill. Residence, 1106 S. Main St.

FIFTH GENERATION
One Son and Two Daughters.

5—1. Glen Miller Garber, born October 31, 1905.
5—2. Mary Katherine Garber, born March 12, 1907.
5—3. Lois Mildred Garber, born September 21, 1901.

4—2. Nina Rebecca Garber, was born November 17, 1878. Baptized March 19, 1892. Married July 23, 1901, to

They reside at 724 West Division Street, Decatur, Illinois. C. W. Ashenfelter is a carpenter and building contractor. He was baptized in 1902. He is a deacon in the Decatur Church.

FIFTH GENERATION

Three Daughters and One Son.


5—2. Mary Elizabeth Ashenfelter, born December 21, 1904; died May 3, 1911. Age 6 years, 4 months, 12 days.


4—3. —William Arnold Garber, was born September 5, 1881; died December 9, 1917. Age 36 years, 3 months, 4 days. He was married August 10, 1904, to


William A. Garber was baptized in November, 1894, chosen to the deacon office in 1913. The greater part of their married life they lived in Decatur, Illinois. They were faithful workers with the Church at that place. He was a carpenter, being associated with C. W. Ashenfelter, as contractors. In 1916 they moved to Dudley, Missouri, where he died. Edna and children live with her father in Lawrence County, Illinois.
FIFTH GENERATION

One Son and Two Daughters.


5—3. Eunice Hart Garber, born February 14, 1912.

4—4. George Abraham Garber, was born November 14, 1887. Baptized in fall of 1904. Married June 20, 1912, to


George is a farmer. They live on the Leonard A. Wagner home-stead, nine miles east of Decatur, Illinois, and one-half mile south of Oakley. Church membership in the Oakley Church.

4—5. Mary Sophia Garber, was born August 15, 1889; died May 27, 1890. Age 9 months, 12 days.

3—2. Nancy Catherine Garber, oldest daughter of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born December 30, 1850. Baptized September 14, 1866. Married February 15, 1876, to

3—2. Ananias Jocephus Moomaw, born August 20, 1845; died September 28, 1911. Age 66 years, 1 month, 8 days.

His home being near Versailles, Morgan County, Missouri. Soon after their marriage he returned with her to his farm home in Missouri, where they lived until February, 1911, then moving to Lordsburg, (Now called La Verne), California.
FOURTH GENERATION

Seven Sons and One Daughter.

4—1. Edward Octor Moomaw.
4—2. Sophia Magdalene Catherine Moomaw.
4—5. Omega Franklin Moomaw.

4—1. Edward Octor Moomaw, born July 11, 1878; died August 18, 1884. Age 6 years, 1 month, 7 days.


4—3. Oda E. Garvey, born May 7, 1881.
He is a rancher. They live at McFarland, California.

FIFTH GENERATION

Four Children.

5—1. Ethel Lavera Moomaw, born April 2, 1909.
5—2. Veda May Moomaw, born October 18, 1912.

4—4. L. Susie England, daughter of Elder W. F. England. She was born April 10, 1884. He is a carpenter. Residence La Verne, California.

FIFTH GENERATION

One Child.

5—1. Margaret Maurine Moomaw, born October 5, 1915.


4—6. Mae E. Rexroad, born November 22, 1887. He is a rancher. They live at McFarland, California.

FIFTH GENERATION

Three Daughters.

5—1. Madena Opal Moomaw, born November 17, 1911.
5—2. Elva Louise Moomaw, born December 11, 1914.
5—3. Harriet Catherine Moomaw, born March 2, 1918.


Note:—Ananias Jocephus Moomaw, had been previously married. In 1869 he was married to Rebecca Bowman, daughter of Daniel Bowman of Dayton, Rockingham County, Virginia. They were baptized at the same time in 1870. Made their home in Morgan County, Missouri. Of this family there are
Three Daughters.

1. Ida Gertrude Virginia Moomaw, born August 7, 1870. Baptized 1887.
2. Hiram L. Holsopple, born May 21, 1869.

They reside on a farm near Versailles, Missouri. He is Elder of the Prairie View church at that place. Of their family there is

One Son.


He is also in the ministry in the Church of the Brethren.

3. Rebecca Elizabeth Moomaw, born November 3, 1873. Baptized 1892. Married in 1901, to
3. James W. Pobst, born February 23, 1875.

He is a farmer. They reside at Fairfax, Virginia. In their family there are

Four Sons and One Daughter.

1. Frederick Bowman Pobst, born February 18, 1902.
2. Rufus Moomaw Pobst, born August 27, 1904.
3. Sarah Elizabeth Pobst, born April 13, 1907.
5. Frank A. Pobst, born August 5, 1912.

The two sisters and three brothers who reside at the home in McFarland, California, are:

1. Ida Gertrude Virginia Moomaw.
4—2. Sophia Magdalene Catherine Moomaw.
4—5. Omega Franklin Moomaw.
3—3. Daniel Arnold Garber, second son of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, born November 23, 1852. United with the Church of the Brethren in the Autumn of 1870. Married September 1, 1883, to

3—3. Willma A. Hutchens, of Roanoke, Virginia. She died in 1890.

D. Arnold Garber has lived in Roanoke City, Virginia for more than 35 years, where he is engaged in the real estate business.

FOURTH GENERATION
One Daughter and One Son.

4—1. Annie Iona Garber, born August 1, 1884. United with Presbyterian Church in youth. She is a graduate nurse. Her field of work is Washington, D. C.

4—2. Stanley M. Garber, born September 29, 1887. In youth united with the Presbyterian Church. Married June 1, 1912, to

4—2. Grace Whaling, of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Stanley M. Garber is office man for R. R. Construction Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

FIFTH GENERATION
One Son.

5—1. Stanley M. Garber, Jr., born October 27, 1918.

3—4. Rebecca A. Garber, daughter of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born August 16, 1854. Baptized in 1870. Married December 24, 1910, to


They live on a farm home near Mount Pleasant, Michigan. P. O. Address, R. F. D. No. 4, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.
Melissa Margaret Garber, daughter of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born July 17, 1856. Married October 16, 1879, to

John Newton Hale, born August 18, 1853; died July 22, 1917. Age 63 years, 11 months, 4 days.

They lived at the home-stead of his parents, near Dayton, Virginia. He was a farmer. They early in life united with the Church of the Brethren. Their home was within the bounds of the Bridgewater Church.

FOURTH GENERATION
Two Sons and Two Daughters.

4—2. Delfie Susan Hale.
4—3. Effie Sophia Hale.

4—1. Charles Arnold Hale, was born March 15, 1882. Married October 18, 1905, to


Her former home was in Highland County, West Virginia. He is a mechanic. They live in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

FIFTH GENERATION
Two Children.

5—1. Erma Rebecca Hale, born December 4, 1908.
5—2. Warren Newton Hale, born October 8, 1911; died November 25, 1917. Age 6 years, 1 month, 17 days.

4—2. Delfie Susan Hale, born May 13, 1886. Married September 29, 1907, to


He is a farmer. They live near Pleasant Valley, Virginia.
FIFTH GENERATION

Seven Children.

5—1. Alda May Wampler, born May 13, 1908.
5—3. William Dee Wampler, born April 10, 1911.
5—4. Effie Virginia Wampler, born December 2, 1912.

4—3. Effie Sophia Hale, born May 13, 1886. Married May 12, 1914, to
He is a merchant. They live at Nokesville, Virginia.

FIFTH GENERATION

One Daughter.

5—1. Margaret Elizabeth West, born December 14, 1915.

4—4. Wilber Garber Hale, born November 16, 1889. Married June 4, 1913, to
4—4. Anna Stickley, born December 6, 1890.
He is a mechanic. They live in Washington, D. C.

FIFTH GENERATION

One Daughter.


3—6. Priscilla Elizabeth Garber, daughter of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, born May 1, 1858. Married September 4, 1890, to
3—6. Charles L. Shumake, son of Abner Shumake, of Mt. Sidney, Virginia. He was born March 31, 1856.

They reside at Trevilian, Louisa County, Virginia. They as zealous members of the Church of the Brethren were the pioneers in organizing and building up the church at that place.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Sons and One Daughter.

4—1. Lawrence A. Shumake.
4—3. Charles Miller Shumake.
4—4. Austin Wine Shumake.

4—1. Lawrence A. Shumake, born June 2, 1891. Baptized at the age of fourteen. Married February 25, 1914, to

She is a member of the Church of the Brethren. They live on a farm home near Trevilian, Virginia.

FIFTH GENERATION

Two Children.

5—2. Lawrence Aluin Shumake, born April 13, 1918.


She is a trained nurse. Her home or place of work is Paris, Kentucky.

4—3. Charles Miller Shumake, born December 27, 1897. Baptized at the age of twelve years. Married June 14, 1916, to
4—3. Ora Bennette, of Broadway, Rockingham County, Virginia.

She is a member of the Church of the Brethren. He is a farmer. They live at Trevilian, Virginia.

4—4. Austin Wine Shumake, born January 22, 1900. Baptized at the age of ten years.

He is at home with his parents.

3—7. Jacob Michael Garber, son of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born November 24, 1860. Baptized September, 1880.

His home is with Brother and Sister James and Sophia Byrd Manuel, Nokesville, Virginia.

3—8. Samuel Abraham Garber, son of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born July 1, 1863. Baptized October 1, 1880. Married November 8, 1905, to

3—8. Hettie Elizabeth Showalter, daughter of Henry and Bettie Showalter. She was born March 12, 1874. Baptized about the age of thirteen.

They reside at the Abraham D. Garber farm homestead, about two miles east of Mt. Sidney, Augusta County, Virginia, which is P. O. Address.

FOURTH GENERATION

Five Children.


4—2. Welty Abraham Garber, born February 5, 1908.


George F. Garber, son of A. D. and Magdalene Garber, was born January 30, 1866. Baptized in youth. Married September 4, 1890, to

Ida V. Clem, daughter of ———— and———Clem, of Edinburg, Shenandoah County, Virginia. She was born November 30, 1867.

Member of Lutheran Church. They reside at 226 Eighth Street, Lorain, Ohio.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Daughters and Two Sons.

4—1. Annie Laurie Garber, born March ———, 1896; died April 3, 1900.
4—2. Cletis O. Dewey Garber, born April 25, 1898.
4—5. Martha Rebecca Garber, born October 2, 1902.

3—10. Sophia Magdalene Byrd Garber, daughter of A. D. and Sophia Byrd Hayes Garber, was born March 30, 1871. United with the Church of the Brethren November 25, 1883. Married February 13, 1895, to

James Robert Manuel, was born June 5, 1868. United with Methodist Church, November, 1890.

He is a farmer. They reside at Nokesville, Virginia.

FOURTH GENERATION

Two Sons and Two Daughters.

4—1. Whitson Garber Manuel, born April 20, 1897; died April 7, 1898. Age 11 months, 18 days.
4—3. Rebecca Elizabeth Manuel born May 12, 1908.
SECOND GENERATION

2—3. Levi Garber, son of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber, born August 21, 1828; died November 10, 1914. Age 86 years, 2 months, 19 days. Married February 21, 1850, to
2—3. Barbara Miller, born February 25, 1825; died August 1, 1875. She was the daughter of Elder Peter and Barbara Miller.

Levi Garber was elected to the deacon office in 1855, to the ministry in 1860, and ordained to the Eldership in 1875. His entire ministerial life of more than 55 years was devoted to serving the Middle River Congregation. Also doing a great amount of Mission work in the mountainous district, and in Eastern Virginia. Generally traveling on horse-back. One riding-horse had carried him over thirty thousand miles. The farm home being one and three fourth miles east of Mt. Sidney.

THIRD GENERATION
Three Sons and Five Daughters.

3—1. Peter Garber.
3—2. Jacob A. Garber.
3—3. Daniel S. Garber.
3—4. Lydia C. Garber.
3—5. Nancy J. Garber.
3—8. Fannie V. Garber.

3—1. Peter Garber, born December 9, 1850. Married October 29, 1878, to

Peter Garber united with the church in his sixteenth year. Elected to the deacon office August, 1877. He was chosen to the ministry August, 1881, and ordained to the Eldership August, 1897. His home is within the bounds of the Pleasant Valley congregation. He is Senior Elder of the Pleasant Valley and Summit congregations. He was a member of the Standing Com-
mittee, representing the Second District of Virginia at the Annual Conference, Hershey, Pa., June, 1918.

**FOURTH GENERATION.**

One Daughter and Three Sons.

4—1. Mary Elizabeth Garber.
4—2. John Cline Garber.
4—3. Benjamin Frederick Garber.

4—1. Mary Elizabeth Garber, born September 28, 1878. Baptized in her sixteenth year. Married November 24, 1905, to

4—1. Luther D. Wampler, born October 14, 1877.

**FIFTH GENERATION**

Three Daughters and Two Sons.

5—1. Ruth Emma Wampler, born August 14, 1907.
5—2. Peter Franklin Wampler, born May 27, 1909; died September 30, 1911. Age 2 years, 4 months, 3 days.
5—5. Eva Rebecca Wampler, born September 26, 1917.


4—2. S. Estella Houff, born February 4, 1886.

He was elected to the deacon office March, 1905, to the ministry April, 1908, advanced to the second degree of the ministry March, 1909. He served, as pastor, the Buena Vista congregation, Rockbridge County, Virginia four years, 1914-1918.
FIFTH GENERATION
Two Sons and One Daughter.

5—1. Casper W. Garber, born August 2, 1908.
5—2. Merlin E. Garber, born March 26, 1912.

4—3. Benjamin Frederick Garber, born January 20, 1885. Baptized when sixteen. Married May 10, 1910, to
4—3. Florence Cline Wampler, born September 19, 1887.

FIFTH GENERATION
One Daughter and One Son.


    He was baptized at the age of sixteen. Chosen to the Deacon office August, 1914.

FIFTH GENERATION
One Daughter.


3—2. Jacob A. Garber, born October 8, 1853; died October 11, 1915. Age 62 years, 3 days. Married November 20, 1873, to
3—2. Mary Elizabeth Myers, born April 16, 1853.
    Their home was made at the Myers homestead Rockingham County, Virginia, at the Big Spring, fountain source of Linville Creek. This being within the bounds
of the Green Mount congregation, and quite near the church, he became active in the affairs of the church. He was elected to the deacon office March, 1874, to the ministry in 1877, and ordained to the Eldership in 1902. He served the Green Mount church until the time of his death. He also did a great amount of mission work in the mountainous sections of West Virginia. This territory at one time had been worked jointly by the Linville Creek and Green Mount churches, later organized into two congregations, known as North Mill Creek and South Fork congregations with Jacob A. Garber Elder in charge. He made many extensive trips through these mountainous sections, and from his general mode of travel he was known as the horse-back evangelist. He preached 760 funerals, officiated at 160 marriages and held a good many series of meetings.
FOURTH GENERATION

Five Sons.

4—1. Samuel L. Garber.
4—2. Peter I. Garber.
4—5. W. Frank Garber.

4—1. Samuel L. Garber, born November 16, 1875. Baptized December, 1887. Married December 23, 1897, to
4—1. Maggie A. Wampler, daughter of Elder Frederick Wampler. She was born November 14, 1875.

Samuel L. Garber was chosen to the ministry June 13, 1912, advanced to the second degree of the ministry in 1914. Besides his ministerial activities at home, he also has conducted series of meetings and assisted in the West Virginia mission work.

FIFTH GENERATION

Seven Children.

5—1. Mary E. Garber, born April 21, 1900. Baptized September, 1908.
5—4. Frances W. Garber, born September 7, 1908.
5—4. A twin son born and died on same date.

4—2. Lillian F. Cline, daughter of Martin and Susanna Cline. She was born February 2, 1877.

Peter I. Garber was chosen to the deacon office April 13, 1901, to the ministry March 25, 1910, advanced to the second degree of the ministry June 13, 1912. He has been faithful in the discharge of his ministerial duties at home and abroad.

FIFTH GENERATION

Six Children.


5—5. Ernest Cline Garber, born August 27, 1909.


4—3. Daniel B. Garber, son of Jacob A. Garber, born March 2, 1879. Baptized first Sunday of April, 1894. Married December 22, 1902, to Annie Catherine Wampler, daughter of D. W. and Bettie E. Wampler. She was born June 4, 1879.

Daniel B. Garber was chosen to the deacon office March 28, 1907, to the ministry June 13, 1912, advanced May, 1915. In June, 1915 he completed a college course at Bridgewater, Virginia. He then moved to Highland County, West Virginia, where he is engaged in mission work. He was ordained to the Eldership July, 1917.
FIFTH GENERATION

Five Children.

5—1. Infant born March 17, 1904; died 24th of the same month.


5—5. Anna Elizabeth Garber, born February 20, 1918.

4—4. John Dav'd Garber, son of Jacob A. Garber, born April 15, 1881. Baptized February 20, 1897. Married April 24, 1904, to

4—4. Nina E. Thomas, daughter of Elder P. S. Thomas of Harrisonburg, Virginia. She was born August 8, 1883.

John David Garber was chosen to the deacon office in the Harrisonburg congregation February, 1909, his home congregation. He is engaged in the plumbing and heating business.

FIFTH GENERATION

Eight Children


5—3. Charles M. Garber, born May 8, 1908.


5—5. Robert F. Garber, born May 2, 1911.


5—7. Ellis J. Garber, born October 12, 1914.

4—5. W. Frank Garber, was born February 14, 1883. Baptized February 20, 1897. Elected to the deacon office June 13, 1912. Married May 11, 1905, to

4—5. Isa D. Miller, daughter of S. M. and Virginia Miller. She was born May 5, 1886.

**FIFTH GENERATION**

Four Children.


5—2. Edna V. Garber, born February 5, 1909.

5—3. Rebecca E. Garber, born February 12, 1914

5—4. Ralph W. Garber, born March 19, 1918.

3—3. Daniel S. Garber, son of Levi Garber was born August 22, 1855. Baptized in 1870. Elected deacon in 1880. Married March 9, 1879, to

3—3. Elizabeth M. Click, daughter of Samuel and Rebecca Click. She was born August 26, 1860.

This family resides on the Levi Garber home-stead, one and three-fourths miles east of Mt. Sidney.

**FOURTH GENERATION**

Three Sons and Three Daughters.

4—1. Anthony A. Garber.


4—3. Homer F. Garber.


4—5. Minor W. Garber.

4—6. Cora V. Garber.

4—1. Anthony A. Garber, was born May 20, 1880. Baptized in 1902. Married February 17, 1904, to

4—1. Ada Early, daughter of J. S. and Alice Early. She was born February 22, 1885.
FIFTH GENERATION

Five Children.

5—1. Noah L. Garber, born May 1, 1906.
5—2. James Garber, born 1907.
5—3. Clarence A. Garber, born September 3, 1908.
5—5. Pauline A. Garber, born January 29, 1911.

4—2. Ada R. Garber, was born October 29, 1881. Baptized in 1894. Married October 5, 1902, to
4—2. David Reed, born December 24, 1877; died February 10, 1903. Age 25 years, 1 month, 16 days.

4—3. Sallie Reed, she was born September 23, 1877.

FIFTH GENERATION

Four Children.

5—1. Cletis F. Garber, born April 19, 1911.
5—2. Harold L. Garber, born March 10, 1912.


Martha D. Slonaker died September 25, 1914. Age 26 years, 26 days.

4—5. Rene Western, born December 15, 1893.
FIFTH GENERATION

One Child.

5—1. Catherine Louise Garber, born March 11, 1913.
    (She is in the fifth generation considering her father.
    Considering her mother she is in the sixth generation.
    See her mother's genealogy.)

    Baptized 1911.

3—4. Lydia C. Garber, daughter of Levi Garber, was
    May 13, 1880, to


Their home is near Dayton, Rockingham County,
Virginia. He is a deacon in the Church of the Brethren
at that place.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Sons and Three Daughters.

4—1. Ernest Garber Flory.
4—2. Ida Elizabeth Flory.
4—3. Luella V. Flory.
4—5. Walter Earl Flory.

4—1. Ernest Garber Flory, was born June 19, 1884.

4—2. Ida. Elizabeth Flory, was born December 7, 1885.

4—3. Luella V. Flory, was born August 14, 1888.
    Married January 15, 1913, to

4—3. Thurston J. Miller.
FIFTH GENERATION

One Child.

5—1. Mildred Virginia Miller, born September 26, 1915.

4—4. William Franklin Flory, was born June 5, 1891. Married June 1, 1916, to
4—4. Linnie Rosamond Driver.

4—5. Walter Earl Flory, was born December 2, 1893.

4—6. Olive May Flory, was born August 3, 1895.

3—5. Nancy J. Garber, was born May 1, 1859. Baptized while in her youth. Died July 9, 1890. Age 31 years, 2 months, 8 days.

3—6. Annie Rebecca Garber, was born June 9, 1861. Baptized October, 1876.
Her home had been with her father until his death. Since then her home has been with her sister Barbara Norford.

3—7. Barbara Elizabeth Garber, daughter of Levi Garber, was born November 16, 1863. Baptized May 8, 1881. Married October 17, 1889, to
3—7. Joseph Samuel Norford. He was born October 12, 1870.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Children.

4—2. Infant born and died September 26, 1890.
4—3. Infant born and died July 30, 1900.
3—8. Fannie V. Garber, daughter of Levi Garber, was born March 15, 1866. Married March 15, 1900, to

3—8. Jacob I. Huffman, born August 14, 1862.

FOURTH GENERATION

Four Children.

4—1. Oscar Huffman, born and died January 25, 1902.
4—2. Lester W. Huffman, born November 23, 1903.
4—3. Ethel V. Huffman, born March 26, 1905.

SECOND GENERATION

2—4. Reuben Arnold Garber, third son of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber, was born January 26, 1836; died January 10, 1884. Age 47 years, 11 months, 15 days. Married March 19, 1857, to

2—4. Mary Flory, daughter of Daniel and Christina Sniteman Flory. She was born January 5, 1836; died July 24, 1898. Age 62 years, 6 months, 19 days.

Reuben and Mary were baptized in 1857. He was chosen to the deacon office in 1867, serving in the Middle River Church, their home congregation.

THIRD GENERATION

Four Daughters and Three Sons.

3—1. Christina Susan Garber.
3—2. Nancy Rebecca Garber.
3—3. Sarah Catherine Garber.
3—5. Henry Jacob Garber.
3—7. Mary Ann Garber.

3—2. Nancy Rebecca Garber, born November 5, 1859. Baptized in 1876. Died June 23, 1894. Age 34 years 7 months, 18 days.


3—4. Levi Joseph Garber, born January 6, 1864; died November 6, 1864. Age 10 months.

3—5. Henry Jacob Garber, born July 9, 1866; died November 1, 1872. Age 6 years, 3 months, 22 days.


FOURTH GENERATION

Four Daughters and Three Sons.


He was born January 6, 1886. Baptized in 1907, in Indiana. Chosen to the deacon office in 1915, in Louisa County, Virginia.
FIFTH GENERATION

Two Daughters.

5—1. Dorothy Lenora Snyder, born April 30, 1916.
5—2. Alda Christine Snyder, born September 25, 1918.

4—3. Mary Julia Garber, born February 14, 1896; Baptized in 1907.
4—6. John Lawrence Garber, born April 17, 1908.

3—7. Mary Ann Garber, youngest daughter of Reuben A. and Mary Garber, was born May 18, 1871. Baptized in 1884. Married April 30, 1893, to

3—7. Isaac Alexander Reed, son of Andrew and Elizabeth Reed. He was born July 28, 1851.

He is a member of the Church of the Brethren.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Children.

4—1. Infant son born and died October 24, 1902.
SECOND GENERATION

2—5. Jacob W. Garber, youngest son of Jacob and Nancy Garber, was born September 11, 1842;
died August 28, 1908. Age 65 years, 11 months, 17 days. Married May 18, 1865, to
2—5. Susan A. Ham, daughter of Robert and Mary Douglas Ham, of Greene County, Virginia.
Marriage near New Hope, Augusta County, Virginia. Their home was made at the Jacob Garber home-stead.

THIRD GENERATION
Ten Children.

3—1. Robert Isaac Garber.
3—2. Benjamin Jacob Garber.
3—4. Mary Ada Garber.

3—1. Robert Isaac Garber, born April 9, 1866. Married February 15, 1900, to
3—1. Daisy L. Pfoutz, daughter of John and Eliza Jane Myers Pouftz, of Pipe Creek, Maryland. Married in Washington, D. C. Their residence is at 25—8th St., S. E. Washington, D. C. Robert I. is a bookkeeper and accountant.

FOURTH GENERATION
Two Sons and Two Daughters.

4—1. Robert Parsons Garber, born April 23, 1903.

Robert I., Daisy L., and Robert Parsons, are members of the Brethren Church.

3—2. Benjamin Jacob Garber, born January 6, 1868. Married March 19, 1902, to
3—2. Nettie C. Curd, daughter of Albert and Mary M. Patterson Curd.
Married at their home near Fisherville, Virginia. This family resides at the old home-stead, formerly occupied by his father Jacob W., and formerly the home of Jacob and Nancy Arnold Garber. The brick residence was built in 1818, a century ago. Benjamin J. owns and operates the farm. P. O. Address, Mt. Sidney, Virginia. R. F. D. No. 2.

FOURTH GENERATION

Three Children.

4—1. Cornelia Curd Garber, born February 3, 1903; died February 11, 1903. Age 8 days.


4—3. Mary Margaret Garber, born October 8, 1908.

Benjamin J. and William A. are members of the Church of the Brethren. Nettie C. is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

3—3. Ira Levi Garber, born August 21, 1869. Married December 21, 1893, to


Married at the M. E. Parsonage, Harrisonburg, Virginia. He is a farmer, and resides near the old home-stead. P. O. Address, Mt. Sidney, Virginia. R. F. D. No. 2. Box 8. They have no children. Both are members of the Church of the Brethren.

3—4. Mary Ada Garber, born January 19, 1873. Married March 1, 1894, to


They were married at the M. E. Church, New Hope, Virginia. They moved from Virginia to Illinois in 1896, from there to Kansas in 1904. They are engaged in farming at Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas. R. F. D. No. 10.
FOURTH GENERATION

Three Children


All of the family are members of the First Presbyterian Church, Emporia, Kansas.

WILLIAM ALLEN GARBER

3—5. William Allen Garber, born April 9, 1874; died January 7, 1914. Age 39 years, 8 months, 29 days.
As a lawyer he was brilliant and tactful in his profession, and later, successful as an evangelist in the Brethren Church.

She is a trained nurse.


3—8. Oscar J. R. Garber, born October 3, 1882; died March 22, 1884. Age 1 year, 5 months, 19 days.

3—9. John Adam Garber, born May 1, 1884. Married September 22, 1909, to
3—9. Iva Leslie, daughter of Guilford and Sarah Early Leslie, of Crowsville, Louisiana.
They were married at Ashland, Ohio, where they now reside. He is conducting the Department of Religious Instruction in Ashland College. He is also Elder in the Brethren Church.

FOURTH GENERATION
Two Children.

4—1. Paul Leslie Garber, born April 27, 1911.


He resides with his mother.

Susan A. Garber, the mother and grand-mother of the Jacob W. Garber family, lives at Dayton, Virginia. Moving there from the home farm in the Spring of 1909. Ida Nancy Jane Garber, the nurse, and Arthur Daniel Garber live with her. Mother, daughter and son, all members of the Brethren Church.