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HARLESS GENEALOGY

JOHN PHILIP AND ANNA MARGARETHA (PREISS) HARLESS

PIONEERS IN WESTERN VIRGINIA

AND

SOME OF THEIR DESCENDANTS

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Dedicated to the Memory of my Grandmother

AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS

who was born on Harless Creek,

Pike County, Kentucky.
HARLESS COAT OF ARMS.

In Siebmacher's Wappenbach Vol. II, Sec. 3, Part 2, page 95 is the following reference:

"HARLESS, Prussian Noble. A member of this Noble Family was active in military service, first in 1805 as a Lieutenant in a battalion of Infantry under Count Wedel, and again in 1826 as a Captain in the 13th Regiment of Infantry." The main characteristic of the shield is a set of Buffalo Horns. Only men who have achieved greatness in Civil or Military affairs are granted the Buffalo Horns".

Due to the fact that this Coat of Arms was granted to a member of the Harless Noble Family for services after John Philip Harless had left Germany, his descendants would not be entitled to claim it as the family Coat of Arms. However, the reference to the Harless Noble Family is important. It would be interesting to do some research in Germany in order to learn more about this Noble Family.
FOREWORD

In the year 1949 I published a small book entitled: A LINEAGE OF JOHN PHILIP AND ANNA MARGARETHA (PREISS) HARLESS. In 1957 I published a manuscript entitled: DESCENDANTS OF HENRY HARLESS SR., who was the fourth son of John Philip. Since 1949 I have acquired considerable genealogical material, consisting principally of Harless and related Family Lines, so I have decided to publish this book which will contain the history and genealogy included in the two publications mentioned, and in addition all other pertinent material in my possession at this time.

Most of the Harless families in the United States are descendants of John Philip and Anna Margaretha (Priess) Harless. However, about 1812 three Harless brothers came to this Country. One settled in Chicago (then Fort Dearborn), one is believed to have settled in Tennessee and the other one in Nebraska Territory.

It is now 224 years since John Philip and Anna Margaretha (Priess) Harless landed at Philadelphia. I have endeavored to write in chronological order the record of their descendants, including some history of their times. In order to do this I have had to search thru written records in many places, such as the National Archives in Washington, D.C. where the Census and Soldiers records are kept. Also, I have obtained brief family lines from many Harless descendants. These records I have endeavored to place in the family lines to which they belong.

There have been a very few persons who have sent to me family lines of considerable length which they have collected over many years. I wish to mention especially: Mrs. Joe Evans, of Hale Center, Texas; Mrs. Howard C. Jones, of New Market, Ala.; Mr. Will F. Franke, of Birmingham, Ala.; Mrs. Ruby (West) Armstrong, of Great Neck, N. Y.; Mrs. Mazie (Clemens) Insel, of Woodland, Wash.; Mrs. Louise (Price) Moffatt, of Baltimore, Maryland. To these especially and to all other who have contributed material, I am deeply grateful.

The task which now lies ahead for all of us is to get this book into the hands of every Harless descendant we can contact. I know that we do not have the names of all of them at this time. Also I know from my experience over the past twenty years that many Harless descendants do not know their ancestry beyond a few generations. I have had many inquiries from such persons. However, I hope that this book will be of some help and some inspiration to every descendant of John Philip and Anna Margaretha (Priess) Harless.

J. L. Pritchard, M. D.

"Both the lineage and the certain Sire
From whom I sprung, from me are hidden yet".

Spenser.
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The compilation of a Genealogy is necessarily a co-operative enterprise. Family records must be obtained from many sources and many individuals must be contacted. The most reliable sources are genealogical magazines, historical societies, public libraries, genealogical libraries, bureau of the Census, soldiers records in the National Archives, County and State records, family bibles and that rare individual who has made some effort to write a record of the ancestry of his family.

The individuals who have sent me data and helped in getting family lines correct are really too numerous to mention, but to all of them I am deeply grateful. The following named persons have contributed above and beyond the call of duty.

The Rev. U. S. A. Heavener DD, now deceased, was the author of a book entitled: THE GERMAN NEW RIVER SETTLEMENT. Rev. Heavener had the foresight and the ambition to collect the material and publish that book many years ago. Much of the history was obtained from people then living. The first edition of that book is now out of print, but a second edition has recently been re-printed. It contains a short biography and a picture of the Rev. Heavener. Copies may be had from his daughter, Miss Mabel Haevener, 3802 Washington St., Kensington, Maryland.

Dean Harvey L. Price, now deceased, a member of the faculty of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, gave me his Harless Family Records.

Mrs. Lena Leota (Harless) Hirschle, now deceased, gave me her lineage and considerable material on the Harless Families of West Virginia. She was a member of the D.A.R.

Mrs. Jennie (Walker) Harless sent me all the data collected by General Needham Bryant Harless, a descendant of Henry Harless Sr.

Miss Elsie Allen, of Oakland, Calif., sent me her Williams (Wilhelm) ancestry which originated with George and Margaret (Harless) Wilhelm.

Mrs. Howard C. Jones, of New Market, Alabama, contributed a vast amount of history and genealogical data on the Henry Harless Sr. Line, which consisted principally of records of families in Alabama. It may be of interest to know that neither Mrs. Jones (nee Kathleen Paul) nor her husband are Harless descendants. Their daughter, Edith Gay Jones M.D., married John Riley Ledbetter M.D. who is a descendant of Sarah (Harless) Wall, a daughter of Henry Harless Sr.

Mrs. Joe Evans, of Hale Center, Texas, has been a most valuable contributor of material on the Harless Families of Texas.

Mrs. Ruby (West) Armstrong, Great Neck, N. Y., has supplied with records of the Joshua West families in Alabama.

Mr. Will F. Franke, Birmingham, Ala., has been collecting data on descendants of Henry Harless Sr. for many years and he has generously made his records available to me.

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Mrs. Albert A. Insel, Woodland, Wash., contributed the Lineage of William and Harriett (Price) Clemens. She was assisted in collecting this material by Miss Leeta Clemens, Beckley, W. Va.; Mrs. Ennis (Clemens) Bowen, Miami, Fla.; and Mrs. Almita (Clemens) Johnston, Roanoke, Va.

Mrs. Effie Elaine (Hardin) Harless is given credit for the discovery of a Line of Harless Families who trace their ancestry to David Harless, 2nd son of John Philip Harless (1).

Mr. Harry Robert Harless, Proprietor of the Harless Outdoor Store, Coos Bay, Ore., is given credit for establishing his ancestry as a descendant of Patrick Harless, 4th son of Martin (2).

Mrs. Louise (Price) Moffatt contributed considerable material to the First Edition of the Harless Lineage and in addition to that she has been of valuable assistance in supplying records for this Second Edition.

We all who have contributed to this book know full well that there are many descendants of John Philip and Anna Margaretha (Priess) Harless that have not been contacted and whose names do not appear in this book. In order to get in touch with as many Harless descendants as possible, the following persons will welcome the receipt of the Lines of Harless descendants unknown at this time.

Mrs. Mazie (Clemens) Insel, Box 341, Woodland, Wash. wants Clemens data.
Mrs. Joe Evans, R-2, Hale Center, Texas, wants data on all Evans-Harless families in Texas.
Mrs. Louise (Price) Moffatt, 4655 Briarcliff Road, Baltimore, Maryland, wants information on all descendants of John Philip Harless, Jr.
Mrs. Ruby (West) Armstrong, 128 Baker Hill Road, Great Neck, N. Y. will be glad to receive records on descendants of Rev. Joshua West, M.D. of Alabama.

One occasion stands out when I thoroughly enjoyed ancestor hunting was when Dr. William Frank Harless M.D., a physician of Madison, W. Va. had me as a house guest while we searched for Harless Families in Boone County, Charleston and other places in West Virginia.

Another bright spot was my association with Congressman Richard F. Harless, who gave me valuable assistance while searching the records at the National Archives and the Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.

Suggested Motto for an amateur Genealogist: "The Will to strive, to seek, to find and not to yield".

Tennyson.
THE PALATINATES

The name Palatinate (German-Pfalz) was originally given to the Imperial castles of the German Empire. These castles were strategically located, and the German Emperors resided in them alternately, aiming to maintain order by their presence and to administer justice impartially in all the provinces of the Empire. The Palatine or Count Palatine was the highest civil and judicial officer in these castles. Finally, the title was retained by only two of the territorial magnates of the Empire, whose States were distinguished as the Upper and Lower Palatinate, or as the Palatinates of Bavaria and the Rhine. The Counts Palatine of the Rhine whose original castle was at Aix-la-Chapelle were already in possession of the office and the lands pertaining to it in the 11th Century, and they were probably the most powerful princes in the German Empire. After the 12th Century there were many changes in rulers and in the territory of the Rhine Palatinate. At one time France controlled all of the territory West of the Rhine. It has always been one of the richest areas of the German Empire. During the many wars, especially during the Thirty Years War, the people suffered great privations, and, as a result, in the early 18th century many of them emigrated to other countries. In the year 1708 there were many thousands in the vicinity of London. The English sent them as Colonists to America and to Ireland. More than 3000 Protestant Palatinates were sent to County Limerick, Ireland, to replace displaced Catholic Irish; and many Protestant Palatinates were sent to the American Colonies, principally to Pennsylvania, Maryland and New York. More than 3000 Catholic Palatinates who refused to give up their religion were returned to Germany.

The earliest known Palatinate who came to this country was Deitrich Tyrker, the German teacher of Leif Erickson. He was with the first expedition made by Leif Erickson in the year 1001 and wintered in Vineland. By 1003 a village had been founded, and in 1006 they had a town. The Catholic Bishop Erich visited the colony in 1121. For 300 years the colony prospered; then the plague (black death) and Indian troubles caused abandonment.

From 1720 to 1740 was a period when great numbers of Palatinates came to the American Colonies. Between the years 1730 and 1740 they were encouraged to settle in the western part of the Colony of Virginia. In 1714, Governor Alexander Spottswood founded German Settlement, changed in 1720 to Spottsylvania. In 1735 Johan Kasper Stauffer founded a Church at Germanna, on Robinson River, a tributary of the Shenandoah, where he had been granted a tract of 5000 acres. Adam Harper established the ferry on the Potomac, now known as Harper's Ferry. Justus Heidt brought ten families from York, Pa., to the Shenandoah and settled them near where the town of Winchester now stands.

One of the Palatinates who landed at Philadelphia in 1738 was JOHAN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772, who reached these Colonies on the ship "The Winter Galley". He took the prescribed Oath of Allegiance on 5 September 1738. With him was his wife Anna Margaretha (Preiss) 1718-1784, daughter of J. Hendrick and Agness Preiss; his sister, Margaretta, the wife of Johan Michael Preiss; also Daniel, Augustine, and Henry Preiss (Price) brothers of Johan Michael Preiss. In the next record we have of these families, they are located in Orange County, Virginia, on the Shenandoah River. They were there for some eight or ten years, and then we find them in the German New River Settlement, southwest of the present city of Roanoke. There Philip Harless acquired considerable land, raised a family of five sons and two daughters, and was among those who in 1750 built the first Lutheran Church west of the Blue Ridge Mountains.
John Philip Harless and his sons, in addition to their main occupation of farming and stock-raising, were engaged in building roads for several years. At the time they moved from the Shenandoah to New River (first called Wood's River), there were no roads worthy of the name. Very shortly it became necessary to build suitable military roads. At first the Indians were peaceful, but in 1749 the home of Adam Harmon on New River was attacked by marauding Indians who did considerable damage to his property, besides carrying off many valuable skins. This is said to be the first case of depredation by Indians west of the Blue Ridge. But from then on until after the Revolutionary War, the settlers in that region were never safe from Indian attacks. In 1755 Vause's Fort, which was located on the headwaters of the James River, was attacked and destroyed by the Indians. Twenty-four persons were either killed or captured and most of Vause's livestock was slaughtered. Forts, stockades, and military roads then became a necessity. Numerous records of those years show that Philip Harless and his sons were appointed Overseers for the construction of military roads.

The Colony of Virginia organized its territory into Counties as the western advance of settlements took place. Prior to 1738 all of Virginia west of the Blue Ridge was included in Orange County. In 1745 Augusta County was established. It was bounded on the east by the Blue Ridge, on the north by Pennsylvania and Maryland, on the south by Carolina, and on the west by the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers. Botetourt County was formed from a part of Augusta in 1770. In 1772 Fincastle County was cut off from Augusta, and in 1776 Fincastle was divided into Montgomery, Washington and Kentucky Counties. Kentucky County had practically the same boundaries as the State of Kentucky has today. Out of the original territory within Montgomery County there has been established 66 counties in whole or in part, and there is still considerable area within the present County of Montgomery.

From 1740 to the beginning of the Revolutionary War was a period of great activity in settling the lands of Western Virginia. In 1748, Peter Jefferson, father of Thomas, was granted 10,000 acres on New River. George Washington had begun surveying lands in 1748 at the age of 16. In 1755 he was present at Braddock's defeat, and in 1756 was Commander-in-Chief of the Virginia Militia, engaged in building forts, stockades and military roads for the protection of the settlers. Patrick Henry was a member of the Virginia General Assembly. Daniel Boone was living with his family on the Yadkin River in North Carolina, when he was not away on hunting expeditions in Kentucky. Thomas Jefferson was a member of the Virginia General Assembly and was buying the land where now stands Monticello. Jefferson was the first owner of the Natural Bridge of Virginia. He acquired title to an area of 157 acres surrounding the bridge from King George III in 1774, after Washington had made a preliminary-survey.

In spite of the danger from Indians and the dangers of pioneer living, Philip Harless with some other settlers on New River organized St. Peter's Lutheran Church in 1750, the first Church west of the Blue Ridge. In 1946 a suitable monument was dedicated to mark the site of the original Church. The following names are inscribed on that monument: Richard Heaven, Philip Harless, Adam Harman, Jacob Harman, Valentine Harman, Jacob Harnberger, Isreal Laurton, Samuel Pepper, Augustine Price, Daniel Price, Henry Price, Michael Price, Jacob Shell, and Adam Wall.

John Philip Harless and his wife are buried in the Harless Cemetery at Long Shop, Va. A new monument for their grave was unveiled on Memorial Day, 30 June 1948, with appropriate ceremonies. The Hon. Julius Goodman, Commonwealth Attorney for Montgomery Co., Va., read the following "Tribute" as a part of his address:
A TRIBUTE TO JOHN PHILIP AND ANNA MARGARETHA (PRIESS) HARLESS
written by J. L. Pritchard, M.D., Mayor of the City of Santa Clara, California, 1948-1950.

In my mind's eye I can see the vine clad hills, the waving grain fields, and the apple trees in the German Palatinate on the Rhine of many years ago. The castled crags of Drachenfels towered above a pleasant countryside, with its fertile farms and thriving villages. A pleasing picture of a happy and contented people.

Then came wars and tyrannical rulers. Great political and religious disturbances swept the country. No longer could the people worship as they pleased. They had to change their religion to conform to the wishes of the current ruling Prince. The times were truly "out of joint." Peace and plenty were no longer to be found in the land, and the hearts of the people were sorely troubled.

But "God moves in mysterious ways, His wonders to perform." They heard of a country beyond the seas, "Where a man was a man, if willing to toil; and the humblest could gather the fruits of the soil." And what was more important—people could worship God according to the dictates of their conscience.

It took brave hearts and trusting Souls to bid goodbye to home and loved ones. Crossing the ocean was hazardous and the voyage took many days. The country to which they proposed going was strange to them. The people spoke another language, had different laws and customs.

But Philip and Anna Margaretha Harless, with trust in God, bade farewell to their native land, their parents, and all the dear scenes of their childhood. They landed in Philadelphia in 1738 from the ship, THE WINTER GALLEY. But who knows why they did not settle there? Perhaps they heard of a more pleasing country, more like their homeland on the Rhine. So they went south to the Shenandoah, remained there a few years, and then moved on to this fair country. Here among these fertile valleys and pleasant hills they lived out their allotted span of years.

They and their neighbors who were the first to settle here had to withstand all the vicissitudes of a pioneer people. They hewed their farms from the wilderness, built their houses, raised their crops, built Churches, and brought up their families. They were law-abiding and God-fearing people.

But in addition to all the other hardships, they lived in continuous danger from Indian attacks for more than 50 years. During the French and Indian Wars their situation became extremely dangerous. Forts and stockades and roads had to be built for their protection. But the Indians continued their depredations, murdering the settlers, killing their stock, burning their dwellings, destroying their crops, and carrying off prisoners.

These settlements were the outposts, the first line of defense on the frontier of civilization. In order to establish forts and stockades and organize the militia, the Commander-in-Chief of the Virginia Militia made an inspection trip through this area, and then wrote a report on the situation to Governor Dinwiddie. The date of that report was 22 April 1756, and the writer, Colonel George Washington. I quote from that report: "Your Honor may see to what unhappy straits the distracted inhabitants and myself are reduced. I am too little acquainted, Sir, with pathetic language to attempt a description of the people's distresses; tho I have a generous soul, sensible of wrongs, and swelling for redress. But what can I do? If bleeding, dying, would glut their insatiate revenge, I would be a willing offering to Savage fury and die by inches, to save these people. I see their situation, know their danger and participate their suffering, without having it in my power to give them further relief than uncertain promises. In short,
I see inevitable destruction in so clear a light, that, unless vigorous measures are taken by the Assembly, and speedy assistance sent from below, the poor inhabitants who are now in forts must unavoidably fall. The supplicating tears of the women and moving petitions from the men melt me into such deadly sorrow that I solemnly declare, if I know my own mind, I could offer myself a willing sacrifice to the butchering enemy, provided that would contribute to the people's ease."

No further words of mine are needed to describe the danger of living on the frontier under constant threat of attack by the Indians. You may wonder why they were willing to undergo these perils. Why did they come to the mountains of Virginia?

"Not as the conqueror comes, they the true hearted came;
Not with the roll of stirring drums and the trumpet that sings of fame.
There was woman's fearless eye, lit by her deep love's truth;
There was manhood's brow serenely high and the fiery heart of youth.
What sought they thus afar? Bright jewels of the mines?
The wealth of seas? The spoils of war?
No! They sought a Faith's pure shrine.
Ay, call it Holy Ground, the soil where they have trod.
They left unstained, where here they found,
Freedom to Worship God".

NOTES
HARLESS MEN IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR

The sons of John Philip and Anna Margaretha (Preiss) Harless were Martin, David, Philip Jr., Henry and Edmund. All of them served in the Virginia Militia in the Western part of Virginia against the British and Indians. In addition to the sons of John Philip, three of Martin's sons also served in the Virginia Militia. They were Ferdinand, Daniel and Philip. These three made claims for pensions on the same day in 1834. The Federal Government had just passed a bill which allowed the payment of Pensions to Soldiers of the Revolution. The war had been over for fifty years, but is interesting to read these applications:

"CLAIM NO. 4612. On 22 March 1834 before Robert M. Hutchinson, Justice of the Peace for Giles County, Va., appeared FERDINAND HARLESS, age 79 years, and made claim to obtain benefits under an Act of Congress dated 7 June 1832, submitting the following: 'That in the Spring of 1777, in the County of Bottetourt, he volunteered to serve against the Indians, and that he served under the Command of the following named Officers. That on account of the depredations of the Indians, the people were compelled to erect Forts and station men in them. That for this purpose, in the Spring of 1777 he volunteered under Captain Floyd and served in garrison in the County of Bottetourt at a place called Smithfield. That he served in that garrison from 1 April to 1 October 1777: that there was a regularly embodied corps stationed in garrison with him under the Command of Captain Floyd, and Colonel Preston was there. That the nature of his services was to remain in the Fort for its defense in case it were attacked by the Indians, and to hold himself in readiness to go to the assistance of any other Fort that might be attacked. That again in the Spring of 1778 he again volunteered and served under the same officers above-named and in the same garrison at Smithfield from 1 April to 1 October 1778. That in the Spring of 1779 he again volunteered and served from 1 April to 1 October under Captain Lucas, and was stationed in garrison on Sinking Creek. That he again volunteered in the Spring of 1780 and again in the Spring of 1781, serving each year from 1 April to 1 October under Captain Lucas in the last-named garrison.

"That the nature of his services was to remain in garrison for its defense and to range and reconnoitre in spying parties on watch for the approach of Indians. Part of the garrison served at the mouth of Sinking Creek, and part at the mouth of Stony Creek.

"That he was one of the early settlers of Western Virginia and had to endure much of the hardships of Indian warfare. That he recollects when a party of Indians gave chase to Martin Harless (his father) who barely escaped, arriving in the Fort after a race of three or four miles. That he recollects the murders and taking into captivity of many of his neighbors, amongst whom were the families of Lybrook, Chapman, McKinsey, and a number of others. A daughter of Lybrook was beat on the head with a war club and then skelped. She was found the next morning alive. She begged for a drink of water, but she expired very soon. In scenes like these he passed through the Revolutionary War. That the time he served was with an embodied corps and that during that time he followed no civilian pursuit.

"Witnesses: Philip Harless, Parker Lucas, Daniel Harless, all of whom served with him. He was born in Shenandoah County, Va., 1755. He has no record of his age and never received a written discharge. Rev. Isaac Scott and Robert W. Dennis, character witnesses, testify that they have known Ferdinand Harless
for many years, that they believe the statements as set forth to be true. Daniel Harless and Philip Harless make an affidavit that they verved with Ferdinand Harless, as set forth above."

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CLAIM FOR REVOLUTIONARY PENSION NO. 4613, made by Philip Harless 1757-1849.
SERVICE: Virginia. State of Virginia, Giles County:

"On the 22 day of March 1834, Philip Harless, age 73 years, a resident of Giles County, Virginia, made the following declaration in order to obtain a pension:

"That, in the County of Bottetourt in the Spring of 1777, he entered the service of the United States to serve against the Indians. The nature of his service and the authority by which he was called out is as herein stated:

"That, in the County of Bottetourt, Virginia - in the part that is now Montgomery County - he volunteered under the Command of Captain Floyd and served from the Spring of 1777 until the first part of October of the same year. That he was stationed at the garrison at Smithfield. That again in the Spring of 1778, he volunteered and served in the same garrison from the first of April until the first of October of the same year, under the same Captain Floyd. That, in the Spring of 1779 he volunteered under the Command of Captain John Lucas and served from April 1st to October 1st. That, he took the Oath of Fidelity as an Indian spy, and was so engaged against the Indians. That, in 1780 and 1781 he volunteered to serve from early in the Spring to late in the Fall of each year. That he had to endure the perils of Indian warfare during all of the Revolutionary War. That he was born in Bottetourt County in 1760, and lived in Bottetourt County in the part now Montgomery County until 1779, and since then has lived in that part of Bottetourt County that is now Giles County."

The usual affidavits of witnesses and character witnesses are affixed, the same names as appear in the Claim of Ferdinand Harless. The application of Daniel Harless is very similar to the foregoing. Daniel says that he was born in 1758, that his birth is recorded in the family bible, which he has not seen in years.

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THE FIRST HARLESS BORN IN AMERICA

JOHN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772, our immigrant ancestor, was born in southern Germany. He married Anna Margaretha Preiss in Offenbach, Germany, 17 Feb. 1738. Their Honeymoon was a voyage to America on the Ship, THE WINTER GALLEY. They landed at Philadelphia on 5 Sept. 1738 and their first home was in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. There was born their first child, Martin, the first Harless born in America. MARTIN HARLESS 1739-1820 m Catharine Lingel, the daughter of another Immigrant, Johan Jacob Lingel. They had five sons and four daughters.

The other sons of John Philip Sr. were David, Philip Jr., Henry and Edmund. John Philip Sr. soon moved his family farther up the Valley of Virginia where he acquired a tract of land on Cow Pasture River near Lexington and four miles from Natural Bridge. It is likely that all of his other children were born there. The names of the Counties were changed several times within a very few years. When they were in the Shenandoah Valley they were in Orange County; at Lexington they were in Augusta County, then in Bottetourt, then Greenbrier, and now the old home place is in Rockbridge Co.

The birth dates and the names of the wives and husbands of the children were all written in German Script in the Lutheran Family Bible. This Bible was handed down from father to son until it came into the possession of a Harless Family who lent it to a person who promised to get a translation of the family records from German to English. The translation was not made and the bible disappeared. This was a great loss. Some names, dates and places of great interest to us are not available. Will some one please find that Bible?

John Philip Harless Sr. and his brother-in-law, Michael I. Preiss (Price) before 1750 purchased large tracts of land in what is now known as THE GERMAN SETTLEMENT ON NEW RIVER, now in Montgomery Co., Va. They moved their families there as soon as it was thought to be safe from Indian attacks.

When John Philip Sr. died he left a will which is on record. His sons Martin, David, John Philip Jr. and Edmund were devised farms, while Henry was given his share in money.

MARTIN HARLESS established his home in Clover Bottoms which is now in Giles Co., Virginia. His sons were Ferdinand, Daniel, Philip, Michael and Patrick. All of them established their homes on Sinking Creek on lands adjoining their father's farm. All of them lived and died there, except Philip who moved to Boone Co., now in W. Va. in 1835. West Virginia did not become a State until 1863.

FERDINAND HARLESS 1755-1853 married Frances Duncan. They established their home in Clover Bottoms where they continued to live until Ferdinand died at the age of 98. He left a Will which is recorded in Will book No. 3, page 245 at Pearisburg, Va. The following is a copy:

WILL OF FERDINAND HARLESS.

'I, Ferdinand Harless of the County of Giles and State of Virginia, being very weak in body but in perfect mind and memory, calling unto mind the mortality of my body, knowing it is appointed for all men to die, do make this my last will and testament.

'Principally, and first of all, I recommend my Soul unto the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian burial. And as touching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give and dispose of in manner and form following:

'First, I desire all my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid out of my estate by my Executors, who I do herein-after appoint, also, my grave yard to be paled in by my Executors.
"Secondly, I give and bequeath unto my nephew, Lewis Duncan, one horse, saddle and bridle not to exceed fifty dollars in value. Thirdly, I give and devise unto my grand-daughter, Nancy Criner, one bedstead and comfortable bedclothing such as my Executors shall set apart for the said Nancy Criner, after my decease.

"Fourthly, I desire that my Executors, after my decease, do sell the balance of all my personal property, the money arising therefrom to be equally divided amongst my eleven children, namely, my sons Isaac, Joseph, Anthony, Paul and Elias, and daughters Elizabeth, Sarah, Nancy, Susan, Delilah, and Franky. I, also, desire and do hereby empower my Executor or Executors to sell all my lands to the highest bidder at a twelve months credit for one-half of the purchase money, and credit of two years for the other half of the purchase for the aforesaid lands. When the purchase money be all paid, the money arising therefrom with the money arising from the sale of the balance of my other property which is not devised, is to be divided amongst my eleven children beforenamed, equally, with what they have already got and are charged with in a book which I have kept for that purpose. I, also, do will and ordain my trusty friend, Isaac Epling, and Michael Surface, as my Executors, to do and act according to this my last will and testament, hereby made and acknowledged in the presence of the undersigned witnesses. This the 10th day of March 1846."

Witnesses: Richard A. Dos Signed Ferdinand Harless
Thompson Chandler
John Lucas

"State of Virginia, in the County Court of Giles, February 14, 1853.
"This last will and testament of Ferdinand Harless which has been proved by John Lucas, one of the subscribing witnesses, at the January Court last passed, was this day again presented in Court and further proved by Thompson Chandler, another subscribing witness, and admitted to record. On motion of William H. Snidow, Isaac Epling one of the Executors being dead and Michael Surface, the other, refusing to act, made Oath thereto, and together with John McClaugherty and Absalom Fry, his security, signed and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars. Conditioned according to law, Administration of the estate of the said Ferdinand Harless, with the Will annexed, is granted him in due form.

Attest: R. A. French, C. G."

FERDINAND AND FRANCES (DUNCAN) HARLESS had five sons and five daughters. Their second son was named Joseph.

JOSEPH HARLESS 1788-1836 married Agnes Adkins, dau. of Stephen Adkins, who was to become prominent as one of the men who established Pikeville, Ky. In 1811 Joseph moved his family to Floyd Co., Ky. where he established his home on Russell Fork of the Big Sandy river. Where he lived was later included in Pike Couty, with Pikeville as the County Seat. Near his home was a small creek, which is now known as Harless Creek. There they raised their family of two sons and five daughters, and on the banks of Harless Creek Joseph Harless was buried.

Joseph and Agnes at one time owned more than 1500 acres of land; which later was found to be rich coal land. After Joseph's death the land was sold and Agnes moved the family to Van Buren Co., near Harrisonville, Mo. There Aaron, the oldest son, became a prosperous farmer. Myles, the other son, married Margaret Gann about 1857 and they moved to California in 1858.

The daughters of Joseph and Agnes were Almeda, Susan, Elizabeth and Agnes Clarissa. All were married at Harrisonville, Mo. Agnes Clarissa married (1) James Noland in 1846 who was killed by lightening; (2) Louis LaPlaunte in 1852; and (3) Jacob Decker 1818-1906, who was a Palatinate born in Lancaster, Penn. Jacob and Agnes
Clarissa (Harless) Decker were married in St. Joseph, Mo. and lived there until they moved to DeKalb Co., Mo. They had one son, Jacob Jr. and one daughter, Jennie Prentice.


NOTES
ADDITIONAL HISTORICAL DATA

A hundred years ago it would have been easier to write with much more accuracy the history of our early ancestors in America. However, we do have some authentic records in County and State official papers and in the Census records. The first Census was taken in 1790. Jamestown, Virginia, was settled in 1607, so for 183 years there was no Census. However, the Counties did keep certain records, especially land records, and Court records. Some kept marriage records, but Ministers of the Gospel also kept marriage records as a general rule. Then some of the people kept what are known as "Bible Records". Some of the early records are difficult to read; many County Records have been destroyed by fire and some by neglect. The following notations are gathered from various sources. Some of them may be of interest.

When John Philip Harless and the Price brothers arrived in Virginia in 1738, all of the area west of the Blue Ridge Mountains was included in Orange County. The western boundary was the Mississippi River. Augusta County was formed in 1745, Bottetourt 1770, Fincastle 1772, Montgomery 1776, Washington 1776, Kentucky 1776, Russell 1786 and Giles 1806.

According to Waddell's Annals of Augusta County: "Justus Heydt (Joist Hite) obtained title to 40,000 acres in the lower Shenandoah Valley and proceeded to settle it with German families from Pennsylvania. He moved his family there in 1732. Lord Fairfax questioned Hite's title and brought a suit which was not settled until both were dead, but Hite's title was upheld. Meanwhile many German settlers became alarmed about the uncertainty of their titles and moved farther up the Valley. John Philip Harless settled on a tract of land on Cow Pasture River about four miles from Natural Bridge. It is now known just how long he lived there. He was given a patent to the land in 1762. However, prior to that date, between 1745 and 1750, John Philip Harless and Michael Price had bought a tract of land on Tom's Creek, a branch of New River, now in Montgomery Co. It is not likely that they moved their families there at that time because of Indian attacks, such as the murder of the two Harman brothers, the massacre at Draper's Meadows in 1755, the attack on Vause's Fort, the murder of Balzer Librock's children, etc. This area known as The German New River Settlements suffered from Indian attacks for 50 years, until after the Revolutionary War.

The Land Records of The German New River Settlements were still being kept in Harrisonburg, Augusta County on 20 June 1769. In Book 15, p. 445, it is recorded that J. Philip Harless sold to Michael Price 365 acres on Tom's Creek, it being part of a tract patented to J. Philip Harless on 31 Oct. 1765.

From 1750 to 1800 John Philip Harless and his sons bought and sold a great many tracts of land in Augusta, Bottetourt, Fincastle and Montgomery Counties. When Giles County was formed in 1806, Martin Harless and his sons already owned land in that County.

Notwithstanding the Indian depredations, the settlers continued to move up the Valley of Virginia. After the Revolutionary War they began to settle in Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee. Roads began to be built and all the Harless men were engaged in road building at one time or another. The Court was the law and the Court appointed the Road Overseers and the Road Overseers called upon the settlers to do their share. The Court of Fincastle County appointed Philip, Emanuel and David Harless to survey a road on 17 Mar. 1775. John Philip and his sons, Martin, David, Philip Jr., Henry and Emanuel all served as Road Overseers, and when not serving as Overseers they were doing the work required to construct roads and bridges.
In the City of Heidelberg, Germany, there is an ancient Hotel on the bank of the River Neckar, named HAARLASS. Frank and Agatha Harless, of San Francisco, were guests at that Hotel in November 1958.

In the Will of John Philip Harless he devised to his son, DAVID HARLESS, 300 acres of land in Botetourt Co. Apparently that part of Botetourt Co. was later included in Greenbrier Co. There is a tradition in the David Harless descendants that David Harless Jr. was born in Greenbrier Co.

DAVID HARLESS, 2nd son of John Philip Harless, owned considerable land and was principally engaged in farming and stock raising. In addition there are numerous records that he was appointed by the Court as an Overseer and builder of roads. It is interesting to note that one of his descendants, P. S. Harless, of San Rafael, Calif., is now and has been for many years engaged in building roads.

Among the many records of land transfers made by Harless owners is one of interest made by Martin Harless, 1st son of John Philip. It is a Giles Co. record and reads as follows: "Martin Harless sold to Philip Harless on 3 July 1807 46 acres of land that was granted to Martin Harless by Gov. Patrick Henry". Patrick Henry served four terms as Governor of Virginia, 1776 to 1786.

Pike County, Kentucky, Records: "On 17 May 1830 Joseph Harless bought 1100 acres lying between Russell Fork and LeVisa of the Big Sandy.

During the Revolution all of the sons of John Philip Harless served in the Virginia Militia. Martin served in Capt. Looney's Co. Martin's sons, Ferdinand, Daniel and Philip also served. All three applied for pensions in 1834. Alfred P. Harless and Wm. A. Harless, then residing in Washington Co., served in Capt. Wm. White's Co. 1777-1780. David, Philip, Henry and Edmund, all sons of John Philip Harless, served in Capt. John Taylor's Co., according to Kegley's Frontier.

In a Signet Book, published in The New American Library of World Literature, July 1955, entitled "David Crockett's Own Story", Davy relates that at the age of 12 years he was employed by an old German by the name of Jacob Siler to help with driving a herd of cattle from Davy's home on the Nolachucky River in Tenn. to Baltimore, Maryland. Jacob Siler's wife was Mary Harless, daughter of John Philip Harless. This was about 1798, so John Philip Harless was dead (1772), but his son David was living on the Harless Homestead at that time. Davy says that he visited a "Mr. Hartley," who lived about four miles from Natural Bridge, Va., and who was the father-in-law of Jacob Siler. This "Mr. Hartley" was Mr. Harless, a brother-in-law of Jacob Siler. Davy lived with Mr. Siler and his wife for quite some time, a few months at least.

HISTORICAL DOCUMENT CONCERNING THE HARLESS FAMILY

This document is known as the ELIZABETH (HARLESS) SMITH CHURCH CERTIFICATE. It was originally written in the German language and was translated into English by Prof. A. G. Williams of William and Mary College. The certificate follows:

"In the year of grace after the victorious birth of our beloved Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, 1768, the second day of July, there was born in virtuous wedlock, Elizabeth Harless. Her father, John Philip Harless, a son of the deceased JOHN PHILIP HARLESS and his wife, ANNA MARGARETHA, whose maiden name was PREISS. Her father was Hendrick Preiss and her mother was Agnes Preiss.

"The above-mentioned ELIZABETH HARLESS'S mother was Johanna, whose maiden name was Boscher. Her father was George Boscher and her mother was Elenora"
Charlatta. Her Godfather and Godmother were the deceased George Wilhelm and his wife, Margaretha.

"According to the testimony of her above-mentioned parents, Elizabeth was baptised in her childhood. She was instructed by me in the doctrines of Christianity and thereupon was confirmed. She pledged herself to lead a life of virtue and piety, and thereupon was permitted, for the first time, to receive the Lord's Supper and was then received and recognized as a member of the Sacred Lutheran Congregation by me in open meeting.

"Signed: Peter M. Brugell, D. D. W.

"Virginia, in Montgomery County, on the first day of June 1788."

In most of the records and references concerning JOHAN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772, the immigrant ancestor who landed at Philadelphia, 5 September 1738, the name Philip Harless was used. The above document seems to be incontestible evidence that his name was JOHAN PHILIP HARLESS.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JOHN PHILIP AND ANNA MARGARETHA (PREISS) HARLESS

1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772, first immigrant, a native of the German upper Rhine Palatinate, arrived in Philadelphia 5 Sept. 1738 with his wife on the WINTER GALLEY from Rotterdam. They had been married in Offenbach, 17 Feb. 1738 but were residents of Germersheim, Bavaria, Germany. The parents of Anna Margaretha were Johan Heinrich and Agnes (______) Priess. Anna Margaretha was born 1718 and died near Christiansburg. Augustine and Daniel Preiss, brothers of Anna Margaretha.

John Philip Harless and the Preiss brothers first settled on the Shenandoah River, near what is now McGaheysville, Va. and in the vicinity of Peaked Mountain Church. Martin, the first son of Philip and Margaretha, was born there. Later Philip moved his family to land which he entered on Cow Pasture River, 4 miles from Natural Bridge. He was given a patent to this land in 1762. However, prior to this date, perhaps as early as 1750, Philip Harless and Michael Preiss had taken up land in the area of what is now known as the German New River Settlement.

Children of Philip and Anna Margaretha (Preiss) Harless:

Sons: Martin, David, Philip, Henry and Edmund Emanuel. Daus: Margaretha and Mary.

2. MARTIN HARLESS 1739-1820 m Catharine Lingel — —, dau. of Johan Jacob and (______) Lingel, an Immigrant family from the Upper Rhine Palatinate who arrived at Philadelphia 26 Sept. 1737. Martin established his family on a large acreage lying in Clover Hollow, on Sinking Creek, near what is now Newport, Va. He served in Capt. Looney's Co., Virginia Militia, during the Revolution.

Sons: Ferdinand, Daniel, Philip, Patrick, Michael Dau: Anna, Margaret, Martha, Catharine

2. DAVID HARLESS 1746-1817 m Catharine — — —. David owned various tracts of land on Tom's Creek. He was buried in the David Harless Cemetery on his home Ranch. Isreal Lorton Sr. had been buried in that Cemetery in 1752. David left a Will

Sons: Philip, David Jr., Jacob and John. Daus: Rebecca, Elizabeth, Johanna, Mary and Catharine.

2. PHILIP HARLESS JR. 1748-1822 m Hannah Boscher 1749-1823, 7 Dec. 1767. Philip left a will.

Sons: Philip, Samuel and Daniel. Daus: Sarah, Margaret, Elizabeth, Mary

2. HENRY HARLESS SR. 1752-1815 m (1) Charity — — — (2) Elizabeth Province.

Henry was born in Augusta Co., Va. He owned various tracts of land in the vicinity of his father's holdings on Tom's Creek in the German New River Settlement. He was engaged in farming and road building. He served in Capt. James Byrne's Co. during the Revolution. In 1801 Henry was in Anderson Co., Tenn. and in 1815 he was in Huntsville, Ala., where he died in that year. His Will is on record in Huntsville, Ala.,


2. EDMUND EMANUEL HARLESS 176 -1796 m Elizabeth Siler — — —, Dau. of Jacob and Dorothy (______) Siler. At the time of his death he was in Fluvanna Co., Va. He left a Will.

Sons: Philip

Dau. Eve and Elizabeth

2. MARGARETHA HARLESS 1750-1822 m George Henry Wilhelm (Williams) 1747-1820, son of Henrich and Anna Elizabeth (______) Wilhelm, immigrants from the Upper Rhine Palatinate, who came over in the ship Queen Elizabeth, landing at Philadelphia, 18 Sept. 1738.

Sons: Frederick, George, Michael. Dau: Elizabeth, Margaret, Polly, Susan, Catharine.
2. MARY HARLESS _____ - _____ m Jacob Siler. This is the Jacob Siler who was engaged at one time in trading with the early settlers in Tennessee. When returning from one of these trips to Knox Co., Tenn. he employed a young lad named Davy Crockett to help with driving a herd of cattle to Baltimore, Md. Davy was born on Limestone Creek where it joins the Nolachucky River, in East Tenn.

MARTIN HARLESS, 1st son of John Philip Harless (1).

2. MARTIN HARLESS 1739-1820 was the first child by the name of HARLESS born in what is now the United States of America. He was born on the Shenandoah River, in the Valley of Virginia, near Peaked Mountain, where his parents then lived. A few years later the family moved up the Valley of Virginia to a tract of land on Cow Pasture River which was located a few miles Southwest of what is now Lexington, Va. in Rockbridge County and about four miles from Natural Bridge, which at that time was owned by Thomas Jefferson. In 1762 a patent was issued to John Philip for that land. However, prior to 1762, John Philip had acquired by purchase a large tract of land on Tom's Creek which was located in the area now known as the German Settlement on New River.

When Martin reached the age of 21 he became the owner of a large farm in Clover Hollow, on Sinking Creek, in what is now Giles Co., Va. There he engaged in farming and stock raising, in buying and selling land, and in building roads which were authorized by the General Court. There he lived out his span of years and was buried on his Home Place.

As his five sons reached the age of 21 they acquired farms adjoining that of their father, or in the near vicinity. At the time of the Revolution, Martin and his sons served in the Virginia Militia. Beginning in 1755 and continuing until after the Revolution, the settlements were in continual danger from attacks by Indians. Many settlers lost their lives, their property, or were taken prisoners. Martin served in Captain Looney's Company, mainly in a Garrison on Sinking Creek or at Smithfield, in Draper's Meadows.

Martin married Catharine Lingel, dau. of Johan Jacob Lingel, a German Immigrant family from the upper Rhine Palatinate, who landed at Philadelphia 26 Sept. 1737.

Sons: Ferdinand, Daniel, Philip, Patrick and Michael.
Dau: Anna, Margaret, Martha, and Catharine.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF FERDINAND HARLESS, first son of MARTIN (2)

1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772.

2. MARTIN HARLESS 1739-1820.

3. FERDINAND HARLESS 1755-1853 m Frances Duncan — , Dau. of — and — (——-) Duncan, on — in Augusta Co., Virginia. They established their home in Clover Hollow, now in Giles Co., Va. Ferdinand served during the Revolution in the Virginia Militia. The first two years under Capt. Floyd at Smithfield, then for two years under Capt. Lucas in a Garrison on Sinking Creek. These forces were engaged in protecting the inhabitants of Virginia against Indians. Sons: Isaac, Joseph, Anthony, Paul, Elias. Daus: Elizabeth, Sarah, Nancy, Susan, Delilah, Frances.

4. ISAAC HARLESS 1786-—— m
   Sons: —
   Dau: Elizabeth

4. JOSEPH HARLESS 1788-1836 m Agnes Adkins 1790-——, dau. of Stephen and — (——-) Adkins, in Giles Co., Va. 24 April, 1810. They first lived in Giles Co., Va. and after 1812 in Floyd Co., Ky., in that part which later became Pike Co. Their home was on Harless Creek near its junction with Russell Fork of the Big Sandy. There Joseph died. He was buried in the Harless Cemetery on the bank of Russell Fork. In 1837 the family moved to Cass Co., Mo. and settled near Harrisonville. Sons: Aaron and Myles. Daus: Almeda, Susan, Elizabeth, and Agnes Clarissa.


4. PAUL HARLESS ———

4. ELIAS HARLESS 1797-1881 m Naomi LaFon 1796-1886, 11 Aug. 1818 in Giles Co., Va. There are LaFon families still living in Clover Hollow where both Elias and Naomi were born. Elias and Naomi first settled in Miami Co., Ohio. Two years later they moved to Darke Co., Ohio and settled in Washington Township. There Elias and Naomi took up a tract of land in the wilderness country which they cleared of timber and established a comfortable home. Sons: Elias L., Marion, John, Paul, Jake. Dau: Naomi, Elizabeth, Jane, Sarah

4. ELIZABETH HARLESS 1783-—— m John Harless son of Daniel, 29 Sept. 1828

4. SARAH HARLESS ——— m John Nida, 23 Oct. 1818

4. NANCY HARLESS ——— m John Kissinger, 4 Sept. 1809

4. SUSAN HARLESS ——— m John Criner, 23 Sept. 1816

4. DELILAH HARLESS ——— m

DESCENDANTS OF JOSEPH HARLESS, second son of Ferdinand (3)

1. JOHN PHILIP 2. MARTIN 3. FERDINAND

4. JOSEPH HARLESS 1788-1836, born in Giles Co., Va., died at his home on Russell Fork of the Big Sandy River at the mouth of Harless Creek, in Pike County, Ky., m Agness Adkins 1790-18_, dau. of Spencer and (_____) Adkins, of Giles Co., Va., 24 April 1810. Shortly thereafter they moved to Floyd Co., Ky., and settled on Russell Fork of Big Sandy, in the area which later became part of Pike Co. Sons: Aaron and Myles Dau: Almeda, Susan, Elizabeth and Agnes Clarissa.

5. AARON HARLESS 1811-____ m Elizabeth Huston ______-, dau. of Preston Huston, 23 July 1830 in Pikeville, Ky. In 1836 his father died. In 1837 he took his family, his mother, brother Myles, and his sisters to Van Buren Co., Mo. (later Cass Co.) where they bought land near what is now Harrissonville, Cass Co., Mo. Sons: Sylvester, Sibransus, Drisom, Joseph Dau: Levines, Elizabeth and Missouri

5. MYLES HARLESS 1826-1891 m Margaret Gann (1830-1919). (See Descendants of Myles Harless)

5. ALMEDA HARLESS _______ m David Powell _______, in Pike Co., Ky. 21 April 1836, by Adrian Runyon, J. P., ancestor of Pearl Runyon who is prominent in Democratic politics in Kentucky, having served as Asst. Secy. and as Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

5. SUSAN HARLESS _______ m Clayborn Cockerell at Harrissonville, Mo., 19 March 1840.

5. ELIZABETH HARLESS 1820-____ m L. W. Ranals 1820-____. Elizabeth was born on Harless Creek, Pike Co., Ky. From Cass Co., Mo. they moved to Buchanan Co., Mo., and settled near Agency Ford. Sons: John, Levi, James, Matthew

6. JOHN RANALS _______ m Mary Vestal _______, dau. of David and Jane (Coyle) Vestal.

5. AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS 1822-1907 (see Descendants of Agnes Clarissa Harless).

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF MYLES WASHINGTON HARLESS 1826-1891, son of Joseph Harless (4)

1. JOHN PHILIP 2. MARTIN 3. FERDINAND 4. JOSEPH HARLESS.

5. MYLES WASHINGTON HARLESS 1826-1891 was born on Russell Fork of the Big Sandy River at the mouth of Harless Creek, Pike Co., Kentucky. He married Margaret Gann 1830-1919, dau. of _______ and _______ (______) Gann, probably in Buchanan Co., Mo., as his family was living in that County at that time. In 1858 they came overland to California, through Ebbett’s Pass and settled near Valley Springs in Calaveras County, later moving to Cathay Valley in Mariposa County. Their first son, Leonard Jackson, was born on the overland trip, probably in Nebraska.

Sons: Leonard, Charles, George, Robert  Dau: Anne, Olive, Frances, Nancy, Margaret


Sons: Leonard, Francis, George  Dau: None

7. LEONARD WILLIAM HARLESS 1890-1957 m Hessie McNamara 1890-____, dau. of Williams and Hester (Hemphill) McNamara, of Eureka, Calif., at Oakland, Calif., 2 July 1911.

Sons: Leonard Jackson  Dau. Jean Alice

8. LEONARD JACKSON HARLESS 1917-____, a Major in the U. S. Air Force at this time, m Betty Gray Bolling 1917-____, dau. of _______ and _______ (______) Bolling, in Italy.

Sons: George Bolling  Dau:


Sons: Richard  Dau: Patricia

9. RICHARD GREENE _____-____ b 7 Oct. 1941.

9. PATRICIA GREENE 1939-____ m Philip Coke 1936-____, son of Philip and Emily (LaLoge) Coke at S. F. on 7 June 1959

Sons:  Dau:

7. FRANCIS MILES HARLESS 1892-____ m Mary Agatha Kelly 1892-____, dau. of Peter and Esther (McLean) Kelly at San Francisco, Calif., 27 Feb. 1916.

Sons: Robert, Raymond, Paul  Dau: None


Sons: (1) Robert Vincent, Devlin Myles  Dau: (1) Carol Ann.

8. RAYMOND FRANCIS HARLESS 1919-____ m Helen McCastline 1923-____, dau. of Edward and Sigrid (Swanson) McCastline of Pasadena, Calif., 22 Feb. 1944 at San Francisco.

Sons: John McCastline  Dau: Susan Louise, Judith Marie

8. PAUL VINCENT HARLESS 1921-____ m Dorothy Jean Scharetg 1924-____, dau. of Otto and Ella (Sullivan) Scharetg, at San Francisco, Calif., 22 Feb. 1944.

Sons: Paul Edward, Roger Vincent  Dau:
7. GEORGE WALTER HARLESS 1894-____ m Olive Leonard 1894-____ , dau. of Thomas and Martha (Beavers) Leonard of Raymond, Calif., at Redwood City, Calif., 8 Oct. 1917. 
Sons: 
Dau: Barbara.

8. BARBARA JUNE HARLESS 1920-____ m Colonel Glenn Bailey 1912-____ son of James H. and Laura (Glessner) Bailey at Denver, Colo., 7 March 1943. 
Sons: Glen George b 1944 
Dau: Donna Lee, Dinah Sue 14 Jan. 1951

6. ANNE HARLESS ____-1899 m Monroe Eubanks ____-1925. 
Sons: Isaac and Louis 
Dau: Cora and May

7. ISAAC EUBANKS (deceased). 
7. LOUIS EUBANKS 
7. MAY EUBANKS m Victor Palm

6. OLIVE HARLESS d age 16, bur. Guadaloupe mountain.

6. FRANCES ELIZABETH HARLESS 1863-1960 m James Wills Rowland 1860-1950, son of James Harris and Susan Mary (Hammond) Rowland at Cathey Valley, Calif., 17 Dec. 1881. James Harris Rowland was b in N. Car., 27 Jan. 1828, the son of Harris Rowland who was b in N. Car. 1805. Susan Mary Hammond, b in Lawrence Co., Ark. was the dau. of John B. and Frances (Grisham) Hammond. James Harris and Susan Mary (Hammond) Rowland departed from Arkansaw 16 Mar. 1852 in a Wagon Train under the command of Colonel ______ Cathey. They travelled the Santa Fe Trail to Santa Fe, NM and thence thru Arizona Territory to Los Angeles, Calif. There they stayed overnight at the home of Senor ______ Rowland, who was m to a Spanish Lady. They continued on to the Carson Mines in Mariposa Co., Calif. where they arrived 23 Oct. 1852. 
Sons: Lee, Harris, Philip 
Dau: Alice

7. LEE IRVING ROWLAND, b 22 Aug. 1883 at Cathey Valley, m Olive N. Gaunce, dau. of Ross and Helen Gaunce, at Oakland, Calif. 3 April 1905. 
Sons: None 
Dau: Helen, Merle

8. HELEN NOVELLE ROWLAND, b 3 Jan. 1906 at Statington, Calif. m (1) Granville Vandeventer and (2) Claude H. Lowery 
Sons: Rowland 
Dau: Lynette

9. ROWLAND VANDEVENTER, b 19 Nov. 1929 
9. LYNETTE VANDEVENTER, b 31 Jan. 1933.

8. MERLE ISABEL ROWLAND, b 19 Apr. 1908 at Oakland, Calif. m Leslie O. Kelly. 
Sons: Stephen 
Dau: Patricia

9. STEPHEN KELLY, b 25 Aug. 1942 
9. PATRICIA KELLY, b 2 May 1945

7. HARRIS GILBERT ROWLAND, b 22 Feb. 1885, m Gertrude Rosine Hayes, b 24 Mar. 1885 at North Towanda, NY, dau. of James Richie and Rose (Roof) Hayes, at North Towanda, NY. 
Sons: Victor H. 
Dau: Avis.

8. VICTOR HARRIS ROWLAND, b 11 May 1912 m Eleanor 
Dau: Gertrude b 21 July 1944.

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8. AVIS ROWLAND, b 13 Apr. 1911, m Henry Hickman.
   Sons: Dau: Barbara, Margaret


7. PHILIP JAMES ROWLAND, b 6 Jan. 1887 m Olivia Christine Fristrom 1888-_____,
   dau. of Edward Claus and Margaret (______) Fristrom, 10 Nov. 1917.
   Sons: Philip
   Dau: Margaret

8. PHILIP EDWARD ROWLAND 1923-____ m Jean Elizabeth Graham 1930-_____, dau.
   of John and Elizabeth (______) Graham, 12 Jan. 1959.
   Sons: Dau: Pamela, Marsha, Michele.

8. MARGARET PHYLLIS ROWLAND 1918-____ m George David Callahan 1917-_____,
   son of Roy and Georgia (______) Callahan, 2 July 1945.
   Sons: Dau: Christine Ellen.

7. ALICE ROWLAND, b 19 Feb. 1893, m (1) Andrew Rankin, b 3 July 1889, son of James
   and Agnes (Armour) Rankin at Oakland, Calif., 28 June 1911. Divorced 1936, m (2)
   Mack Orris Holloway, b 16 Oct. 1881, son of Charles and Allison (Brownlow) Holloway,
   at Los Molinos, Calif., 17 Feb. 1942.
   Sons: Dau: Frances

8. FRANCES AGNES RANKIN, b 22 July 1912 m Harry Clark, b 6 Dec. 1901, son of
   Sons: Dau:

6. NANCY ROSE HARLESS 1895-1927 m (1) _______Loft (2) _______ Steele (3)
   Charles Ray.
   Sons: None Dau: (1) Hattie Loft.

7. HATTIE LOFT 1895-1938 m (1) _______Steele and (2) Joseph Gates.
   Sons: Dau: (1) Myrle (2) Grace.

8. MYRLE GATES m (1) _______ Hazlett and (2) _______ Ferris.
8. GRACE STEELE m _______ Schmidt.

6. MARGARET HARLESS _______ m John Tatum
   Sons: James (desc) Dau: Ellen and Violet who dy.

7. ELLEN TATUM 1860-1960 m (1) _______ Gardener and (2) _______ Bunch.
   Sons: None Dau: Ernestine

8. ERNESTINE GARDENER m Guy Knupp Jr. They live in Porterville, Calif.

Notes
5. AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS 1822-1907 was born on Harless Creek, Pike County, Kentucky. In 1837 she came with her mother and other members of her family to Van Buren Co., Mo. Her father, Joseph, had died the previous year. He was buried in the Joseph Harless Cemetery which is situated on Russell Fork of the Big Sandy at its junction with Harless Creek.

Agnes Clarissa Harless m (1) James Noland, 12 March 1840, at Harrissonville, Mo. He was struck by lightning and killed in 1846. She married (2) Louis LaPlaunte, at Harrissonville, Mo. on 3 Oct. 1847. No issue. In 1859 she married (3) Jacob Decker 1818-1906 at St. Joseph, Mo. Jacob Decker was born in Lancaster, Pa., and his ancestors were from the German Palatinate of the Upper Rhine. Jacob and Clarissa Decker lived for a few years in St. Joseph, Mo. and then moved to Dekalb, Co., Mo., near Maysville, Mo.

Sons: (1) Leonard, Columbus, Dow (3) Jacob Jr. Dau: (3) Jennie Prentice

5. AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS 1822-1907 m (1) James Noland _____-1846 at Harrissonville, Mo. 12 March 1840.
Sons: Leonard, Madison Columbus and Lorenzo Dow. Dau: None

6. LEONARD NOLAND _____-_____ m Jane McClure _____-

6. MADISON COLUMBUS NOLAND _____-_____ m __________. Lived at Bolkow, Mo.

6. LORENZO DOW NOLAND 1843-1938 m Harriett Vestal 1851-1932, dau. of David and Jane (Coyle) Vestal, who lived at Agency Ford which is 12 miles south of St. Joseph, Mo. They were married at Arnoldsville, near St. Joseph, 28 Jan. 1865. Lorenzo Dow served during the Civil War as a Bugler in Co. I, 15th Kansas Cavalry. He was a farmer and lived near Osborne, Mo.

Sons: Louis Dau: Annie, Clara, Mary and Ollie.

7. LOUIS NOLAND 1868-_____ m Polly __________
Sons: Garland, Ermond Dau: Ruth, Velma, Harriett

7. CLARA NOLAND 1873-1959 m William Sloan _____-
Sons: James Ralph, Buford (deceased) Dau: Ruby

8. RUBY SLOAN _____-_____ m Clarence Heintz _____-

7. ANNIE NOLAND 1872-_____ m Eli Rogers 1868-1949, son of Daniel and Emma (Wilcox) Rogers at Osborne, Mo., 23 Sept. 1896. They lived in Osborne and later in Monterey Park, Calif.

Sons: Forrest and Dow Dau: Rowena

8. FORREST ROGERS 1900-1959 m Esther Groebe 1901-_____, dau. of August and Kate (______) Groebe, 15 June 1921
Sons: Wayne, Vernon, Robert, Wiley, Neal Dau: Virginia, Esther, Caroline, Joyce

9. WAYNE ROGERS 1922-_____

9. VERNON ELI ROGERS 1924-_____ m Ellen _________

9. ROBERT ROGERS _____-_____

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DESCENDANTS OF AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS, dau.of Joseph Harless (4) (Continued)

9. WILEY ROGERS _____-____

9. NEAL ROGERS _____-____

9. VIRGINIA ROGERS 1923-1955 m. Leo Cook.

9. MARY CAROLINE ROGERS _____-____ m Tom Williams

9. ESTHER MAY ROGERS _____-____ m ___________ Richardson

9. JOYCE ROGERS _____-____

Sons: Gary (July 6, 1937) Dau: Heather (July 13, 1945)

Sons: Gary (July 6, 1937) Dau: Heather (July 13, 1945)

8. ROWENA ROGERS 1898-____ m Herman Loos _____-____ son of _________
and __________(________) Loos, 24 Dec. 1918
Sons: __________ Dau: Margery, Dorothy, Mollie Anna

9. MARGERY LOOS _____-____ m John Veeh

9. DOROTHY LOOS _____-____ m Ward Fuller

9. MOLLIE ANN LOOS _____-____ m Thomas Groebe

7. MARY NOLAND 1876-____ m Charles Roberts _____-____
Sons: Dau: Daisy

7. OLLIE NOLAND 1876-____ m Oscar Ytell _____-____
Sons: Dau: Cleota

8. CLEOTA YTELL _____-____ m Walter Marsh _____-____
Sons: Milton

9. MILTON MARSH _____-____ m Alice Linville _____-____

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JACOB AND AGNES CLARISSA (HARLESS) DECKER
Line of Jacob Decker Jr. and Bertha (Russell) Decker

5. AGNES CLARISSA HARLESS 1822-1907 m JACOB DECKER 1818-1906 at St. Joseph, Mo.
   Sons: Jacob, Jr.  Dau: Jennie Prentice

6. JACOB DECKER JR. 1863-1933 m Bertha Russell 1876-____, dau. of Lewis and Mary
   (Sheppard) Russell, at Maysville, Mo., 2 July 1898.
   Sons: John, Cecil, Loren  Dau: Clara, Elva, Ruby, Mary, Susie, Annabelle, Lucille


7. CECIL DECKER b 29 Dec. 1902-____ m (1) Maida Wyland 1905-1923, dau. of
   William and Myrtle (Stephens) Wyland, at Monte Vista, Colo. on 29 Jan. 1923,
   m (2) Margaret Capo 1905-1943, dau. of Fred and Lottie (_______) Capo at St. Augustine,
   Fla., on 10 Aug. 1928, m (3) Faye Wyland _______ (first cousin of 1st wife) dau.
   of _______ and _______ (_______) Wyland, on _______ 1933.
   Sons: (1) Cecil Keith (2) Hubert  Dau: (2) Barbara Ann


8. HUBERT F. DECKER, b 29 April 1932.

8. BARBARA ANN DECKER, 1929-____

7. LOREN L. DECKER b 10 Sept. 1904 m Ann Staed _______, dau. of John and
   Anne (_______) Staed, at _______, Calif. on 28 Jan. 1933
   Sons: Robert Loren  Dau: Mary Ann, Margaret Clara

8. ROBERT LOREN DECKER 1935-____

8. MARY ANN DECKER 1934-1934.

8. MARGARET CLARA DECKER 1939-____ m Thomas Boyette. Dau: Marilyn.

7. CLARA DECKER 1910-____ m Loren Eden 1907-____, son of August and Marie
   (Kaiser) Eden, at Oakland, California on 1 Jan. 1933.
   Sons: None  Dau: Jeannette, Clarice, Francine b. 6 Sept. 1945
   b. 21 July 1938

8. JEANNETTE EDEN 1937-____ m Robert Thompson 1937-____, son of Robert
   and Carrie (Bennett) Thompson, at Hayward, Calif., 2 Aug. 1959.
   Son: Loel Lorin b. 1960

7. ELVA DECKER b 15 Nov. 1896 m Joseph Chisham 1888-1943, son of Thomas and
   Sons: None  Dau: None


7. MARY ETHEL DECKER b 23 Oct. 1900 d 27 Mar. 1961 m Leon Slingerland 1883-____,
   son of John Walter and Lucy (Bacon) Slingerland at Monte Vista, Colo.,

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DESCENDANTS OF JACOB AND AGNES CLARISSA (HARLESS) DECKER
Line of Jacob Decker Jr. and Bertha (Russell) Decker (continued)

8. EARL SLINGERLAND 1921-___ m Meta (Clem) Waggoner __-____, dau. of
    T_________ V________ and Marie (Watson) Clem, at Austin, Texas, 9 Nov. 1954.
    Son: Glen Dean b 1957

8. ERNEST LYLE SLINGERLAND 1923-1923.

8. CARL LEROY SLINGERLAND 1925-____ m Wanita May Belian b 15 June 1927,
    dau. of Charles P. and Ena May (Johnson) Belian, 8 July 1946 at Taos, New
    Mexico.
    Sons: Earl Jr., Reed Leon       Dau: Nita, Jo Lynn

8. MARILYN SLINGERLAND 1928-____ m Charles Gail Ousley 1923-____, son of
    1948
    Sons: Charles Gail II, William Mark       Dau: Barbara Faye, Sue Ann

7. SUSIE DECKER b 23 July 1907 m Leon Baker 1905-1959, son of Guy and Eva (Overton)
    Baker, at Fredonia, Kansas, 23 July 1932
    Sons: Larry Leon, Russell Loren       Dau: None

7. ANNABELLE DECKER b 12 Aug. 1912 m James Adgar ___-____, at Grand Junction,
    Colo.
    Sons: James, Kenneth       Dau: None

8. JAMES RANDALL ADGAR 1930-____ m Annamie Erlen __-____ dau. of John
    and Marie (______) Erlen,       1953 at __________, Germany.

8. KENNETH ADGAR 1932-____

7. SHELLIA LUCILLE DECKER b 12 Oct. 1914 m Samuel Mays Collins 1895-____, son
    of Thomas and Margaret (Fields) Collins at Delta, Colo., __________ 1939.
    Sons: Richard Jerome b 1939       Dau: Aida Louise b 1936.

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DESCENDANTS OF JENNIE PRENTICE (DECKER) PRITCHARD, dau. of Jacob and
Agnes Clarissa (Harless) Decker (5)

6. JENNIE PRENTICE DECKER b 1 Jan. 1862 at St. Joseph, Mo., d 11 April 1932 at
Kansas City, Kans., m Nelson Fremont Pritchard, b 18 Dec. 1856 at Kenosha, Wis.,
d 2 Feb. 1931 in Colorado Springs, Colo. Nelson Pritchard was the son of Lorenzo
Horace and Orilla (Hunt) Pritchard, who were married in St. Lawrence Co., New York.
Jennie Decker and Nelson Pritchard were married in Maysville, DeKalb Co., Mo.,
27 Feb. 1883. They first lived on a farm near Maysville then lived in Fairport Mo.,
then in Calhan, Colo., and later in Colorado Springs, Colo. Both are buried at
Colorado Springs.

7. LOUIS PRITCHARD 1884-1884.

7. JACOB LEROY PRITCHARD 1885- m Isabel Bernadine McGinnis 1889-,
dau. of Bernard Joseph and Emma (Rudd) McGinnis, at Springerville, Ariz.,
24 May 1911. They lived at Nutrioso, Ariz., Washington, D. C., and San Jose,
California.
Sons: Bernard, Basil, Paul, Joseph, Vincent, Richard, Francis. Dau: Joan, Marie,
Dorothy

8. BERNARD LEROY PRITCHARD 1912- m Rita Otto 1919-,
dau. of Joseph
and Margaret (Hermier) Otto, at San Francisco, Calif., 6 April 1942.
Sons: Joseph and Andrew Dau: Paulanne and Jeanne

8. BASIL AIDEN PRITCHARD 1917- m (1) Agnes Feutsch 1938-,
dau. of
Sebastian and Freda (____) Feutsch, at San Francisco, Calif., 19 June 1938,
and m (2) Diana Evelyn Beckwith 1944-,
dau. of Allan and Nina (Grimes)
Beckwith, at Virginia City, Nev., 6 June 1944.
Sons: (2) Paul, Bruce, Donald Dau: (1) Penelope

8. PAUL PRITCHARD 1915-1927.

8. REV. FATHER JOSEPH THEODORE PRITCHARD 1922- (A Catholic Priest)

8. VINCENT PRITCHARD 1923-1923.

8. RICHARD JEROME PRITCHARD 1925- (Unmarried).

8. FRANCIS XAVIER PRITCHARD, MD 1927- m (1) Sally Crockett 1929-
dau. of David and Grace (Wilson) Crockett, 4 Oct. 1952 at St. Brendan's Church,
San Francisco, Calif. m (2) Judith Ann Schreiber 1937-,
dau. of Edmund A.
and Doris C. (Boeger) Schreiber, at the Carmel Presbyterian Church, Carmel,
Sons: (1) Michael (2) John Edmund Dau: (1) Kathleen Clare

8. JOAN MARIE PRITCHARD 1921- m Thurlow Ross Walker 1913-1961, son
of Columbus and Drusilla (Cooper) Walker, at the Carmel Mission Church,
Carmel, Calif., 26 June 1948.
Son: Robert Ross Dau: Mary Joan

8. MARIE THERESE PRITCHARD 1929- m Norman Pugh 1930-,
son of Frederick and Lucile (Whitlock) Pugh, at St. Leo's Church, San Jose, Calif.,
29 Dec. 1956.
Sons: David b 9 Nov. 1957, Daniel b 29 Sept. 1959. Dau: Rita

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DESCENDANTS OF JENNIE PRENTICE (DECKER) PRITCHARD, dau. of Jacob and
Agnes Clarissa (Harless) Decker (5) (continued)

8. DOROTHY BERNADETTE PRITCHARD 1931-____ m Arkley Jackson Wright 1918-
____, son of Arkley _________ and Anna Mae (Greene) Wright, at Winnemucca,
Nev.
Son: Goeffrey.

7. ERNEST CECIL PRITCHARD b 6 Feb. 1887 m Clara Wheeler b 1 Jan. 1890, dau. of
William Henry and Tillie Belle (_______) Wheeler, at Kansas City, Mo., 27 Nov.
1908, and m (2) Myrtle Edith Gibbs, dau. of Clayton and Emma (_______) Gibbs,
at Liberty, Mo., 27 Sept. 1919.
Sons: (2) Ernest Dau: (1) Pansymae

8. ERNEST PRITCHARD b 5 Nov. 1922, m Loraine Sussex b 18 Jan. 1923, dau. of
Sons: Robert Neil Dau: Laura

8. PANSYMAE PRITCHARD b 7 March 1910 m Homer L. Wood b 3 Jan. 1908 at
Livingston, Texas, son of F________ W_________ and Lizzie (Lambert) Wood,
at _________ 1928.
Sons: None Dau: None

7. LEONARD HARRISON PRITCHARD 1891-1946 m Sophia Irene Roskos, dau. of Joseph
Sons: Guilbert

7. HOMER DOW PRITCHARD 1895-1948 m Mary McConkey b 15 May 1905, dau. of
Isreal and Mary (McGee) McConkey, at Phoenix, Ariz., 23 May 1925. Homer was
a Navy Veteran of World War I.
Sons: Keith Dau: None

8. KEITH FREMONT PRITCHARD b 4 June 1926, served in the Marine Corps during
World War II and in the Korean War. Receiving Flight Training as a Naval Cadet
and was commissioned a 2nd Lieut. in the Marine Corps where he attained the rank
of Major. He married Jane Lois Servente, dau. of J. Louis and Ruth Nell (Janes)

7. WILLIAM McKINLEY PRITCHARD 1897-____ m (1) _________ (2) May Burks
1896-1958, on 10 Sept. 1919.
Sons: William Jr.

7. LEO LANDIS PRITCHARD 1899-____ m Alvina Shultz 1902-____ dau. of August and
Julia (Schneider) Shultz, at St. Paul, Minn., 21 Oct. 1922.
Sons: None Dau: Bernice and Lucile

8. BERNICE PRITCHARD 1928-____ m Robert Dahlberg 1925-____ son of Lawrence
Sons: Kristopher Keith b 1956 Dau: Lisa Lynne b 1953, Jennie Jean b 1960

8. LUCILE PRITCHARD 1921-____ (Unmarried)

7. PANSY MAY PRITCHARD 1889-____ m Charles Victor Ragan 1889-____, son of
Sons: Leon Dau: Gladys Lucile, Violet Marie, Lola Winifred, Mildred Mae
DESCENDANTS OF JENNIE PRENTICE (DECKER) PRITCHARD, dau. of Jacob and Agnes Clarissa (Harless) Decker (5) (continued)

8. LEON CARLISLE RAGAN, b 27 Aug. 1922. Unmarried.

   Sons: Charles, Stuart, William       Dau: None


9. STUART PATRICK STOCKDALE 1938-____ m

9. WILLIAM ALLEN STOCKDALE 1945-____

8. VIOLET MARIE RAGAN 17 June. 1914 m (1) William Reynolds (2) Thomas J. Hudiburgh and (3) John Byrd 1909-____, son of Nathan and Annie (Williams) Byrd, of Brownwood, Texas.
   Sons: (1) Homer Dene

9. HOMER DENE REYNOLDS, b 1933 m Harriett Louis Witcher, b 1934, dau. of ________ and ________ (______) Witcher, at Berthoud, Colo., 19 July 1958.
   Sons:

8. LOLA WINNIFRED RAGAN, b 7 Nov. 1916 m Edmund Bitterman b 1 Sept. 1912, son of Frederich and Elizabeth (Nicklaus) Bitterman, at Ft. Morgan, Colo., 8 Aug. 1937.
   Sons: Delmar Leon, Russell Dene       Dau: Julia Marie.

   Sons: John Calvin b 2 Aug. 1946, Ernest Edward b 19 May 1953

Notes
4. ANTHONY HARLESS 1791-- m Rosanna Williams, 21 Mar. 1814. 

5. ANTHONY HARLESS JR. 1820-- m Judith _______ 1824--

4. PAUL HARLESS

4. ELIAS HARLESS 1797-1881 m Naomi LaFon 1796-1886, 11 Aug. 1818, in Giles Co., Va. It appears that they lived near Bristol, Va.-Tenn. until about 1840 when they moved to Indiana.
   Sons: Elias L, Marion, John, Paul, Jacob.  Dau: Naomi, Elizabeth, Jane, Sarah.

5. ELIAS LAFON HARLESS 1834-1913 m Martha Ellen Myers 1842-1924, dau. of Elijah and Mary (Covington) Myers, 24 Jan. 1861 in Logan Co., Ill.
   Sons: Alvah  Dau: Josephine and Zeni.

6. ALVAH HARLESS 1933-- m Edith Allen, dau. of Tartus and Anna (Mounts) Allen, at Rantoul, Ill. __________ 1903.  They lived in Shelby Co., Ill.
   Sons: Aubrey  Dau: None

   Sons:  Dau:

6. JOSEPHINE HARLESS 1862-1946 m Marshall White ___-1885.  They lived Shelbyville, Ill.
   Sons: Frank  Dau: None

6. ZENI HARLESS 1871-- m Clarence Lindsay 1863-1925, son of F. G. and Mildred (Robinson) Lindsay, at Rantoul, Ill., __________ 1895.
   Sons: None  Dau: Helen.

7. HELEN LINDSAY 1901-- m Gayle Lichtenwalter 1905-- , son of Elmer and Amalin (_______) Lichtenwalter, at St. Louis, Mo., __________ 1929.

5. MARION HARLESS
5. JOHN HARLESS
5. PAUL HARLESS

5. JACOB HARLESS 1838-____ ,b near Bristol, Va.-Tenn. There is a tradition in the family that Jacob while on his way to Indiana stopped to work at a sawmill owned by John Studebaker. There he married Barbara Studebaker, dau. of the owner of the mill. They lived in Indiana from about 1857 until about 1883 when he and most of his family moved to Hastings, Nebr.
   Sons: John S., Sylvester, George, Charles, David.  Dau: Rachel.

6. JOHN S. HARLESS 1859-1945 m Jennie May Axtel. They moved to Hastings, Nebr. in 1883.

7. CLEVELAND HARLESS
7. JOHN CASE HARLESS 1891- m Ida M. Smith, 5 Oct. 1926. John C. and his family went to Hastings, Nebr. about 1883, but shortly thereafter returned to Indiana.
Sons: Allan J. Dau: Caroline.

8. ALAN J HARLESS, b 3 June 1928, m Janice Stafford, 8 Oct. 1951.
Sons: Mark Dau: Marsha, Elaine

8. CAROLINE E HARLESS, b 30 May 1928, m Ernest G. Creswell, 30 June 1946.
Sons: Dau: Kristy, Kathy, Kim, and Kacy.

7. ROLAND E. HARLESS, b 15 May 1901-
7. LEONA HARLESS 1887-
7. ESTELLA HARLESS 1889-1912 m Wilbur Ireland.

5. JACOB HARLESS 1838- (cont)

6. SYLVESTER HARLESS, GEORGE HARLESS, CHARLES HARLESS, DAVID HARLESS.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF DANIEL HARLESS, 2nd son of MARTIN (2).

1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS. 2. MARTIN HARLESS.

3. DANIEL HARLESS 1758-____ m Elizabeth _________. Daniel is listed in the 1810, 1820 and 1830 Census Records for Giles County. He was a farmer and stock raiser, bought and sold land on Sinking Creek. During the Revolution he served in the Virginia Militia in Captain Floyd's Company with Smithfield Garrison as his headquarters. His service consisted mainly in protecting the Western Frontier settlers against Indian and British attacks. He applied for a pension on the 22 day of March 1834 at the age of 76. In his affidavit he states: "My birth is recorded in the family Bible which I have not seen in years". This is the Family Bible that remained in the possession of the family until about 1945 when it disappeared. Daniel left no Will. The names of all his children are not available at this time.

Sons: Peter, Abraham, John Dau: ________ m Thomas Lucas Jr.

4. PETER HARLESS 1777-____ m Mary Harless, dau. of David, 12 Sept. 1797.

5. WILLIAM HARLESS 1800-____ m Elizabeth ________ 1802-____. Lived in Surgionsville, Hawkins Co., Tenn.


6. ARTHUR HARLESS 1828-____ m Elizabeth _________. Son: William.

5. HOWARD HARLESS 1805-____ m Jennie Christian, of Hawkins Co., Tenn. They lived at Sweetwater, Monroe Co., Tenn.

Sons: James, Robert, William, Andrew, David, Russell. Dau: Nancy, Louis, Martha, Annie.

6. JAMES MONROE HARLESS

6. ROBERT SNEED HARLESS 1845-1909 m Ella ________ 1855-1894.


7. CHARLES W. HARLESS 1873-____ m Bertha R. ________ 1885-____, 12 March 1917. They lived at Great Falls, Montana.

5. JOHN HARLESS 1798-____ m Elizabeth ________ 1814-____. They lived in Robertsville Tws., Anderson Co., Tenn.


4. ABRAHAM HARLESS 1790-1877 m Lucinda Davenport, 5 May 1816. This family lived in Russell and Washington Counties, Va. Abraham served in the War of 1812. He was awarded a Bounty Warrant for land which he did not use. After his death the Warrant was stolen and was used by a William Hawks, 10 Feb. 1857 to obtain land near Plattsburg, Mo.

Sons: William, Abraham Jr., Dau:

5. WILLIAM PHILIP HARLESS 1818-____ m Mary _________. Lived at Bristol Ch, Sullivan Co., Tenn.

6. ALFRED P. HARLESS _____-1863. Enlisted in Co. K, 40th Ky., 27 Aug. 1863 at Grayson, Ky., was wounded and captured at the Battle of Mt. Sterling, Ky. He died on the day he was admitted to Andersonville Prison.

4. HARLESS was probably another son of Daniel Harless (4). He m Polly, who was born in Virginia 1797.

5. ANDERSON HARLESS 1822- m Susanna Stringer 1829-, dau. of Moses and Sarah (______) Stringer, in Ashe Co., N. Car. 

6. WILLIAM HARLESS m Nancy Brown.
   Sons: Thomas, Hamp. Dau: Belle, Callie, Ollie.

6. RICHARD HARLESS m Jane.

6. JAMES MATHIAS HARLESS 1867- m Letitia Hall.

7. WILEY CONRAD HARLESS, a Minister of the Gospel, m Katharine Grist, 6 Mar. 1892.
   Sons: James, Max, Frederick, Thomas, Eugene. Dau: Dorothy, Patricia, Irma, Mary, Carolyn.

8. JAMES HARLESS
8. MAX HARLESS
8. FREDERICK HARLESS, b 26 May 1935 m Delia Ware.

8. THOMAS HARLESS
8. EUGENE HARLESS
8. DOROTHY WRAY HARLESS
8. PATRICIA HARLESS m William L. Hoffman, son of Jasper and Vera (______).
   Hoffman, 7 June 1939.
   Sons: Dau: Mary Jacqueline, Anna Karen

8. IRMA CATHARINE HARLESS m Gordon Finley Ogilvie, 12 July 1953.
   Sons: Gordon Jr. Dau: Angela

8. MARY HARLESS
8. CAROLYN LOUISE HARLESS m Bobby McCall Pettyjohn, 12 July 1953.
   Sons: Robert C. Max S.

7. CHARLES FREDERICK HARLESS 1896- m Mayme Yarborough.
7. ANDREW J. HARLESS 1898- m Estelle Thornburg.
7. JAMES VERNON HARLESS 1902- m Pearl Lovey.
   Sons: Jack Vernon, Charles W. Dau: Melanie Dee.

7. EULA MAY HARLESS 1900- m Henry Fletcher Croker 1892-1957, son of Albert and Abigail (Murphy) Croker who were a Pioneer Quaker Family of Guilford Co., N. Car.
   Sons: Dau: Barbara

8. BARBARA DAWN CROKER, b 27 Feb. 1919 m Jack Bryan Spainhour, b 20 June 1918, son of Joseph and Lois (Fletcher) Spainhour, a descendant of Wm. J. Bryan.
   Sons: Jack, Randolph. Dau: Jane, Barbara, Daphne, Deborah.

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7. VERA INEZ HARLESS 1916-____ m James Gilliam.  
   Sons:  
   Dau: Margaret Juliana

7. MARGARET HARLESS 1916-____ m Mac A. Huntley.  
   Sons: James Wallace  
   Dau: Katharine Letitia

6. ELLEN HARLES 1847-____ m John Robinson. No children.

6. SAPHRONA HARLESS m Simeon Baumgartner.  
   Sons:  
   Dau: Tessie.

6. ELIZABETH HARLESS m-_______ Houck. No children.

6. JENNIE HARLESS m James Ray.  
   Sons: James, Robert, Wade.  
   Dau: Sally and Rose.

6. THOMAS HARLESS m Mattie Brown.  
   Dau: Lucy.

6. RILEY HARLESS m Georgie Showman.  
   Sons: Vance  
   Dau: Ida, Callie.

6. BAKER HARLESS m Mary Elizabeth Spaulding.  
   Dau: Esther, Etta, Elizabeth.

Notes
1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1772

2. MARTIN HARLESS 1738-1820

3. MICHAEL HARLESS 1768-1832 m Jane Adkins, dau. of Parker Adkins, 11 April 1797. Michael lived on Sinking Creek and was buried in the Michael Harless Cemetery. He left a Will.
   Sons: Alexander, Jacob, Aaron
   Dau: Lovey, Clara, Polly, Sarah

4. ALEXANDER HARLESS 1798- m (1) Elizabeth Link , dau. of and (2) Judy Lurkin, 24 July 1854.
   Sons:
   Dau:

4. JACOB HARLESS 1805- m Martha 1808-.
   Jacob lived in Monroe Co., Tenn. in 1850, prior to that he lived in Giles Co., Va. and moved to Monroe Co., Sweetwater, Tenn. in 1827.
   Sons: William, John
   Dau: Mary, Ann, Emaline

5. WILLIAM HARLESS 1825- m Matilda 1830-. They lived at Sweetwater, Monroe Co., Tenn. in 1860.
   Sons: Thomas 1854, Albert 1856
   Dau:

5. JOHN HARLESS 1835-____

5. MARY ANN HARLESS 1826-____

5. EMALINE HARLESS 1829-____

4. AARON HARLESS 1816-____ m Margaret 1818-____ dau. of _______ in 1831.

4. LOVEY HARLESS -____ m _______ Toney.

4. CLARA HARLESS -____ m _______ Wall.

4. SARAH HARLESS -____ m William Nida _____-____, 27 Oct. 1828
   Sons:
   Dau:

Notes
3. PATRICK HARLESS 1761-____ m Frankie______. Patrick was born on Cow Pasture River near Lexington, Va. He established his home on Sinking Creek, now Giles Co., Va., on land adjoining the holdings of his father, Martin. He bought and sold various tracts of land in that area and was engaged in farming and stock raising. He left no Will and we have no record of the names of his children, except John. 
Sons: John

4. JOHN HARLESS 1781-____ m Polly Wilson, dau. of Thomas Wilson, 8 Feb. 1800. 
Sons: William A.

5. WILLIAM A. HARLESS 1808-____ m Amelia (Milly) Adams 1809-____ in Giles Co., Va., 24 April 1831. William was living in Washington Co., Va., in 1834. He moved to Boone Co., W. Va., in 1855 according to Census Records of 1850-60. 
Sons: Abraham, James, John, Leroy 
Dau: Elizabeth, Nancy, Dicy, Mary

6. ABRAHAM HARLESS 1832-____ born in Giles Co., Va., m Vanila Linville 1835-____, dau. of Preston P. and Hannah (Pauley) Linville. 
Sons: Clemon J., Henry, Robert, William 
Dau: One (name unknown)

7. CLEMON J. HARLESS 1858-____ m  
7. HENRY HARLESS 1870-____ m  
7. ROBERT HARLESS _______ m  
7. WILLIAM HARLESS _______ m  
7. _________ _____-___ m McCormick.

8. OSCAR A. HARLESS 1893-1957 m Mollie Pridmore ______-____
Sons:
8. VIRGIL EUGENE HARLESS _______ m Kathleen Keffer _______. Live at Racine, W. Va.  
Sons: Dau: Mary Ruth, Betty Jo

9. MARY RUTH HARLESS _______ m Earl Workman _______.  
9. BETTY JO HARLESS _______ m Herman Meadows _______.

8. EVERETT ALFONSO HARLESS 1899-____ m (1) Clara Perry _______ (2) Carrie Fibbins _______.  
Sons: Gene Dau:

8. LLOYD WILLIAM HARLESS 1905-____ m (1) Mildred Atkins _______ (2) Sarah E. Griffin _______.  
Sons: Lloyd W. Jr., Kenneth D. Dau: Reba Kay, Sarah Agnes (d. young)

8. LEONARD I. HARLESS 1911-1956 m Beatrice McGuire _______  
Sons: __________ __________, Philip Michael Dau:

8. IDA MAY HARLESS 1892-____ m __________ Pringle _______.  
Sons: Dau:

8. ADAH ETHEL HARLESS _______ m __________ Williams _______.  
Sons: Dau: Mary Ann

9. MARY ANN WILLIAMS _______ m Dan Delaney _______.  
Sons: Danny, John, Kerwin Dau: Antonia, Mary

8. SARAH HAZEL HARLESS 1902-____ m (1) Brandburgh (2) Hamilton (3) George Bennett

8. ROY LOYD HARLESS 1908-____ m (1) Dorothy Goodman _______ (2) Helen Larson _______.  
Sons: (1) Floyd (2) Larry Dau: (1) Dorothy, Phyliss (2) Betty

9. FLOYD ERNEST HARLESS 1931-____ m Bertie Jameson 1930-____  
Sons: Dwayne Roy Dau: Rosemary

9. LEE WILL HARLESS 1934-____ m Darlene Jamison 1936-____  
Sons: Randall LeRoy Dau: Vickie Lee

9. DOROTHY JEAN HARLESS 1929-____ m Dean Gore _______.  
Sons: Dell, John, Jerry, Scott Dean Dau: Pam R., Twyla

9. PHYLISS HARLESS 1937-____ m James Salem _______.  
Sons: Dau: Shelley Jean, Dana Darlene, 19 Mar. 1960

8. RALPH MASON HARLESS 1909-____ m Doris Evans _______.  
Sons: Ronald, Tommy Dau: Lenore, Doris Ann

8. HALLEY HARLESS 1912-____ m (1) _______ -- (2) _______ -- (3) _______.  
Sons: Dau:

8. JOHN WESLEY HARLESS 1917-____ m Frances McAnnich _______.  
Sons: Ronald, Robert, John, James, Paul, Timothy. Dau: Francia, Janice, Ruth
8. EDITH ELENNA HARLESS 1913-____ m Alvin Warner ______
   Sons: John Alvin, Hal David Dau: Louann Gertrude, Joleen Edith

8. ANNABELLE HARLESS 1914-____ m Aloid Homan ______
   Sons: Harley, Jerry Dau: Lyn Della, Gail Ann

8. EFFIE HELEN HARLESS 1916-____ m Roy Williams ______
   Sons: Steven Dau: Stephanie, Lynn, Trudy Gwen

8. DELLA MADELINE HARLESS 1921-____ m Vern Hurlburt ______
   Sons: Dau: Verna Dee, Roxie Lee

7. WILLIAM HARLESS ______-, son of Leroy Harless (6).

7. GEORGE WASHINGTON HARLESS 1875-1947 m Nira B. Thompson 1879-1948, dau. of William and Mary (Hunter) Thompson, at Foster, W. Va., 2 Feb. 1898. They moved from West Virginia to South Dakota about 1899 where George owned a general grocery store and also engaged in farming. In 1947 they moved to Oregon. Sons: Clyde, Herschell, Harry W., J. Rupert, Dau: Elena Elizabeth

8. CLYDE HARLESS 1900-1900.

8. HERSCHELL HARLESS 1901-1901.

8. HARRY WILLIAM HARLESS 1902-____ m Eula Cain 1904-____, dau. of Fred and Grace (Davis) Cain, at White River, South Dakota, 9 Aug. 1923
   Sons: William L., Harry Robert Dau: Mary, Betty Lou

9. WILLIAM LEE HARLESS 1927-____ m Kay McDaniels 1938-____, dau. of James C. and Gertrude E. (Chalmers) McDaniels, on 12 March 1960 at Coos Bay, Ore. Wm. Lee Harless is the proprietor of Harless Sport Shop, North Bend, Ore.
   Sons: John Philip b 8 Mar. 1961 Dau:

9. HARRY ROBERT HARLESS 1929-____ m Charlotte Anna Watson b 20 Dec. 1929, dau. of Frank and Charlotte (Schwing) Watson, 7 May 1949 at ________.
   Harry Robert Harless is the proprietor of Harless Outdoor Store, 230 S. Broadway, Coos Bay, Ore.
   Sons: Steven Robert 1954 Dau: Nancy Lee 1951

   Sons: (1) Frederick 1947 Dau: (1) Shirley 1944, Betty 1948 (2) Marsha 1952, Linda 1953

9. BETTY LOU HARLESS 1931-____ m Elmer Yardley ______-____ son of Russell and ________ (______) Yardley, at Coos Bay, Ore. on 4 June 1949
   Sons: Elmer Harless, David Ronald 1961 Dau: Anne, Cheryl, Carol

8. JAY RUPERT HARLESS 1909-____ m Stella Gorman ______-____ dau of ________ and ________ (______) Gorman at ________ on ________ 1949. J. Rupert served in WW II. They now live at Empire, Oregon.
8. ELENA ELIZABETH HARLESS 1914- m Nathan Olsen ______ son of 
and _________(_______) Olsen, at _________ on _________
Sons: Bob Russell, Byron Dau:

9. BOB RUSSELL OLSEN 1942-____

9. BYRON OLSEN 1934-____ m Pamela Reed ______ dau. of _________
and _________(_______) Reed, at _________ on 20 Dec. 1959.

7. EMMA L__________ HARLESS 1868-____ m ______ Miller ______-

7. CLARA ANNA HARLESS 1872-____ m __________ Canterberry ______-

7. SARAH A__________ HARLESS 1874-1953 m (1) _________ Brown ______-
(2) _________ Miller ______-

7. MARY OLIVE HARLESS 1878-____ m __________ Dolin ______-
Sons: Herman, Alton, Kenneth, Delmer Dau: Essie, Fanny, David, Ruby, Mary 
Frances

7. FAIRLENA HARLESS 1887-____ m __________ Mullins ______-

7. AMELIA FRANCES HARLESS 1881-____ m Montie Jerrill ______-

6. ELIZABETH HARLESS 1838-____ dau. of Wm. A. Harless (5)

6. NANCY HARLESS 1844-____ m Jasper B. Harless 1845-____ son of William R. and 
Nancy Harless.

6. DICY HARLESS 1847-____ m Thomas Benton Stollings 1846-____, son of Nelson and 
Lurana (Workman) Stollings. 
Sons: William D. Dau: Mary A., Milly A.

Notes
3. PHILIP HARLESS 1757-1849 m (1) Molly Stanley 1772-1818, dau. of _________ and _______ Stanley, in Montgomery Co., Va., 28 June 1790. He m (2) Catharine Hager, 1797-____, 16 Sept. 1819, in Giles Co., Va. In 1835 Philip moved his family from Giles Co., Va., to what is now Boone Co., W. Va., and settled near Peytona on Big Coal River. He was killed by a falling tree when he was 89 years of age. The story is that he was taking a turn of corn to a water mill at Racine, riding a horse. On the return trip when about one-half mile below the mill where the road along Big Coal River is between high, rocky cliffs, a falling tree killed him and his horse. Some men on the cliff were cutting a tree, as the tree was about to fall they began to "hollar". Philip had already passed, but because of his deafness he became confused, wheeled his horse and rode back, but was caught under the tree as it fell.

Sons: (1) Philip, Leroy, James H., William R.
Sons: (2) Harrison, Floyd Dau: (2) Mahala, Mary, Lucinda, Eleanor, Mariah

4. PHILIP HENRY HARLESS 1798-18_ m (1) Elizabeth Barker 1805-1855, dau. of Isaac and Spicy (Scott) Barker of Buckingham Co., Va., m (2) Mary (Gore) Woodrum, dau. of Robert Gore. Philip H. was born in Giles Co., Va., and moved to (now Boone) W. Va. in 1821.

Sons: Isaac, William A., John D., Philip H., Benjamin, James, Joseph
Dau: Spicy, Eliza, Nancy


Sons: Edward, John L., Cumberland, Leroy, William
Dau: Emilia, Delilah, Nancy, Jane and Sarah

4. JAMES HOWARD HARLESS 1814-1882 m Spicy Barker 1818-____, dau of Isaac and Spicy (Scott) Barker, 13 Sept. 1835 in Cabell Co., W. Va.

Sons: Silas E., James B., Leroy, William H.
Dau: Martha, Rachel, Mary, Nancy, Spicy, Virginia

4. WILLIAM R______ HARLESS 1816-____ m Nancy 1815-____, dau. of _______ and _______ (______). William R. Harless first lived in the Peytona District of now Boone Co., W. Va. He moved to Cabell Co. about 1840 in the part that was cut off in 1867 to form a part of Lincoln Co., W. Va.

Sons: James H., J. M., John A., George W., Joseph
Dau: Polly. Census of 1850 Cabell Co. also lists Elizabeth Douglas 32.

4. HARRISON FLOYD HARLESS 1826 ____ m Elizabeth Frys.
Sons: Preston Floyd
Dau: Cynthia, Sarah

4. MAHALA HARLESS 1824-____ m (1) Thomas Douglas 1813-1855 m (2) John Lavender 1810-1861, who was a Confederate soldier, taken prisoner, and died in Camp Chase, Ohio.

Sons: George, William, Lewis, Sanford. Dau: Arminta, Mary, Elizabeth, Sarah

4. MARY ANN HARLESS 1831-____ m Lewis Kirk 1827-____, son of Isaac.

4. LUCINDA HARLESS 1838-1898 m John L. Meadows 1835-____, son of William and Margaret (Kinder) Meadows. Sons: John, Charles Dau: Louemma, Parlana

4. ELEANOR HARLESS
4. MARIAH HARLESS

1. JOHN PHILIP  2. MARTIN  3. PHILIP

4. PHILIP HENRY HARLESS 1798-18-- m (1) Elizabeth Barker, (2) Mary (Gore) Woodrum
Sons: Isaac, William, John, Philip Jr., Benjamin, James, Joseph
Dau: Spicy, Elizabeth, Nancy

5. ISAAC N. HARLESS 1829-186- m Judith Gibson

5. WILLIAM ABSOLOM HARLESS 1830-_____ m (1) Margaret Bradshaw, (2) ________ Means.
Sons: John, Joseph, Francis, Columbus, Lewis
Dau: Mary, Frances, Louisa, Sarah, Emeretta, Virginia

6. JOHN W. HARLESS 1858-____ m Margaret Dunlap
6. JOSEPH M. HARLESS 1860-_____ m Evaline McCormick ________, dau. of Charles.
Sons: William Thomas, Charles R., Joseph T., Elmer
Dau: Lula E., Carrie L., Sarah A.

6. COLUMBUS HARLESS 18-____ m Jennie Barker 18-______, dau. of Isaac and
Elizabeth (Bradley) Barker.
Son: Okey

6. LEWIS HARLESS ________
6. MARY JANE HARLESS 1853-1934 m Leland Totten 1858-_____, son of Rufus and
Mary (Yost) Totten.
6. FRANCES G. HARLESS 1855-_____ m _________ Bailey
6. LOUISA HARLESS 1856-____ m Jackson Ferrell 1858-______, son of Archibald
and Hulda Ferrell
6. SARAH B. HARLESS 187-_____ m Asheville Barker 1869, son of Isaac Jr. and
Elizabeth (Bradley) Barker

5. JOHN D. HARLESS 1832-186-________ m Sarah Smith 1835-1891. Served in Co.
B., 7th West Va., Cavalry
Sons: Alfred and John B. Dau: Nancy, Eliza, Luvena

6. ALFRED HARLESS 1856-____ m Julia Estep, dau. of Enoch and Savina (Farley)
Estep.
6. JOHN B. HARLESS 1862-____ m Esther Asbury 1867-_____ dau. of Joel and
Son: Elwood
6. NANCY HARLESS ________
6. ELIZA HARLESS 1858-____ m James McCormick 1852-1929, son of Owen and
Elmira (Byrneside) McCormick
Sons: None Dau: Frances

7. FRANCES MCCORMICK 18-____ m Gordon Nelson 18-______

5. PHILIP HENRY HARLESS JR. 1838-1923 m Agnes C. Shearer 1841-1873.
Sons: Philip H.(III), James C. Dau: Elizabeth, Eliza, Rachel

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6. PHILIP HENRY HARLESS III 1858-1936 m Emma Jane Estes 1870-1948, dau. of John and Caroline (Beckstead) Estes, 18 March 1888
Sons: Clifford E. Dau: Lena, Leota, Mildred, Emma.

7. CLIFFORD ESTES HARLESS 1890- m Nelsie McKinney 1890- dau. of Henry and Mary (Cosler) McKinney.

Sons: John Henry

8. JOHN HENRY HIRSCHLE 1919-195 m Ann Gilmour 1920- , dau. of John and Martha (Stilson) Gilmour, at St. Peters Episcopal Church, Chicago, Ill., 15 June 1940.
Sons: Dau: Martha Joan 1942

6. JAMES CRAWFORD HARLESS 1870- m Martha Ardena Estes 1870-1945, dau. of John and Caroline (Beckstead) Estes.
Sons: Ralph, Reed, Ray Dau: Zuola Ferue

6. ELIZABETH HARLESS 1861- m Harmon (Tobe) Barker, son of Jacob and Caroline (Kinder) Barker
6. ELIZA HARLESS 1868- m John Stalnaker 18- 
Son: Homer

7. HOMER HARLESS STALNAKER —— m Bertha Ballen. Lived at Little Rock, Ark.
Sons: Homer H. Jr., Clifford, Royce, Wallace

8. HOMER HARLESS STALNAKER JR. 1907-1949 (d in Anchorage, Alaska) m Martha

5. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN HARLESS 184- m Martha Ann Allen 1843- 
Sons: John D. 1864, William L. 1869 Dau: Sarah, Virginia B.

5. JAMES M. HARLESS 184- m Victoria Woodrum 1850- 

5. JOSEPH M. HARLESS 1847-1916 m Mary Ann Pauley 1845- 

5. SPICY HARLESS 1826-1858 m Silas Watts 1820-
Sons: William J., Samuel C., Silas Dau: Henrietta, Eliza

6. WILLIAM J. WATTS 1849- m Martha Vickers 1849- dau. of Elias and Chloe Vickers
Sons: None Dau: Etta 1869

Sons: William, Ellis, John

7. WILLIAM E. JAVINS 1870- m Electra Keeney, dau of Samuel
7. JOHN JAVINS 1870- Elkins

6. SAMUEL C. WATTS
6. SILAS WATTS
DESCENDANTS OF LEROY HARLESS, 2nd son of PHILIP (3)

1. JOHN PHILIP  2. MARTIN  3. PHILIP

4. LEROY HARLESS 1800-1895 m Sarah Douglass 1800-18_
   Sons: Edward, John, Cumberland, Leroy Jr., William
   Dau: Emilia, Delilah, Nancy, Jane, Sarah

5. EDWARD HARLESS 1828-_____ m (1) Jane Stone, (2) Nancy Curry 1826-_____.
   Sons: Geo. W., Samuel, Elmer, William, Silas, Ulysses
   Dau: Elizabeth, Rachel, Theodosia

6. GEORGE WASHINGTON HARLESS 1853-19__ m Louisa Humphrey. Lived Lincoln
   Co., W. Va.
   Sons: Floyd H. (Attorney, Charleston, W. Va.  Dau:
6. SAMUEL C. HARLESS 1859-_____ m Lydia White, dau. of Samuel and Emma
   (Rader) White
   Sons: 
   6. ELIZABETH C. HARLESS 1849-_____ m Jackon Myers
   Sons: 
   6. MARY JANE HARLESS 1858-_____ m William G. Wills
   Sons: 
   6. RACHEL HARLESS 18-____ m John Perdue
   Sons: 
   6. THEODOSIA HARLESS 18-_____ m James Henry Stone 1868-1941, son of John
      and Elizabeth (Barker) Stone
   Sons: 

5. JOHN LEWIS HARLESS 1831-1916 m (1) Cynthia Elkins 1838-_____ dau of Edley and
   Frances (Toney) Elkins, m (2) Lydia Sawyers _______ in Boone Co., V. Va.,
   1879. Lived at Peytona.
   Sons: James, Charles, Edward, Gideon  Dau: Sarah F.; N, P
6. JAMES A HARLESS 1859
6. CHARLES F_______ HARLESS 1866-1893 m (1) Mary F. Meadows 1868-_____,
   dau. of John and Artie (Estep) Meadows and (2) Virginia Barker.
6. EDWARD HARLESS
6. GIDEON HARLESS
6. N_______ P_________ HARLESS, b 1880. Unmarried. Lived Cleveland, Webster
   Co., W. Va.
6. SARAH FRANCES HARLESS 1863-1945 m _______ Morrison, lived Boone Co.,
   W. Va.

5. CUMBERLAND HARLESS 1834-1883 m Sarah E. Barker 1840-______ dau. of James
   B. and Mary (Barker) Barker 30 June 1847. Served in Co. B, 7th W. Va., Cav.
   rank of Captain.
   Sons: Thomas J., Peter C.  Dau: Nancy, Mary Isabel
6. THOMAS JOSEPH HARLESS 1858-______ m (1) Mary A. Adkins 1855-18__ dau of
   Isom and Virginia (______) Adkins, m (2) Mary McNeal
   Sons: James G., Thomas D., Cumberland Jr., Hiram, William  Dau: Virginia Lee
6. PETER COLUMBUS HARLESS 1860-______ m Malinda Gillespie
   Sons: 
6. MARY ISABELLA HARLESS 1868-______ m Craig Kinder 1853-______, son of Henry
   and Aretta (Parsons) Kinder
   Sons: Hiram,  Dau: Vanilla, Mary, Lena, Vallie, Olive
5. LEROY HARLESS JR. 1840-____ m Ellen Ann Williams 1847-____, dau of Henry and Clarissa (Kirk) Williams.
Sons: Elmer
Dau:

5. WILLIAM W. HARLESS 1844-1928 m Margaret Javins 1848-1928
Sons:
Dau: Angenora, Mary K.

5. DELILAH HARLESS 1822-____ m Henry Keffer 1825-____, son of Jacob and Rebecca (Snodgrass)
Sons: Andrew, John, James, Henry. Dau: Rhoda, Sarah, Frances, Mary

6. ANDREW KEFFER ______-____ m

6. JOHN KEFFER ______-____ m

6. HENRY KEFFER ______-____

6. RHODA KEFFER ______-____

6. SARAH R. KEFFER 1851-____ m Bryson Adkins 1849-____ son of Jackson and Matilda Adkins
Sons:
Dau:

6. FRANCES F. KEFFER 1853-1927 m William Henry Harless 1852-1928, son of James Howard and Spicy (Barker) Harless
Sons:
Dau:

5. AMELIA HARLESS 1823-____ m Anthony Epling 1824-1866, son of ______
Sons: Lewis, William, Miles
Dau: Louisa, Nancy, Sarah

6. LEWIS E. EPLING 1854-1930 m Roxanna Gillespie 1856-____, dau. of Samuel and Mary (Curtis) Gillespie.
Sons:
Dau:

6. WILLIAM LEROY EPLING 1859-____ m Mary S. Payne _____-____ dau. of _____
Sons:
Dau:

6. MILES EPLING ______-____

6. NANCY EPLING 1853-____ m Frederick Kirk 1848-____ son of Isaac and Cynthia (Williams) Kirk
Sons: Leroy
Dau:

7. LEROY ISAAC KIRK 1870-____ m Mary A. Barker _____-____ dau. of Joshua and Martha (Smith) Barker.
Sons:
Dau:

6. SARAH M. EPLING 1856-____ m Thornton Payne 1829-____, son of Thomas and Eleanor Payne
Sons:
Dau:

5. NANCY HARLESS 1833-1865-m Daniel Barker 1831-____ son of Isaac and Spicy (Scott) Barker
Sons: Albert, James, Daniel
Dau: Sarah, Emmazetta

6. ALBERT C. BARKER 1855-____ m Hannah A. Barker _____-____
Sons:
Dau:

6. JAMES BARKER ______-____

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6. DANIEL BARKER

6. SARAH SUSAN BARKER 1857-1894 m Francis M. Kinder 1853- son of James and Ann (Atkins) Kinder


Sons:

Dau:

5. JANE HARLESS 1837- m (1) Joseph S. P. Barker (2) Isaac W. Kirk.

Sons: Wilburn, John Barker and Isaac W. Kirk

Dau: Almona Barker and Cynthia Kirk.

6. WILBURN BARKER 1861- m Ora Snodgrass dau. of Hugh and Sara Snodgrass.

Sons:

Dau:

6. JOHN BARKER

6. ALMONA BARKER 1859- m Oliver P. Kirk, son of Isaac and Cynthia (Williams) Kirk.

Sons: John, Wilburn, Edgar, Benjamin. Dau: Angelina, Lucy, Oliva, Valeria.

5. SARAH HARLESS 1844-1888 m Daniel Barker 1831- son of Isaac and Spicy (Scott) Barker

Sons: John L.

Dau: Nancy, Frances

6. JOHN L. BARKER 1867- m McCallister Dau:

Sons:

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JAMES HOWARD HARLESS, 3rd son of PHILIP (3)

4. JAMES HOWARD HARLESS 1814-1882 m Spicey Barker 1818-
   Sons: Silas, James, Leroy, William    Dau: Martha, Rachel, Mary, Nancy, Spicy, Virginia

5. SILAS E. HARLESS 1836-1867 m. Letha Holstein 1845-
   Sons: Burwell                Dau: Anna Laura

6. BURWELL M. HARLESS 1862- m

6. ANNA LAURA HARLESS 1864- m James P. Lacy

5. JAMES BURWELL HARLESS 1840-1909 m Mary Ellen Barker 1848-1912.
   Sons: Wyatt, Watson, Cumberland    Dau: Flora Belle

6. WYATT HARLESS 1867-

6. WATSON HARLESS 1868- m Sarah Ellen Price

6. CUMBERLAND (Commodore) HARLESS 1873- m Alma Gross 1881-,
   of George and Mary Jane (McDorman) Gross, at Gallipolis, Ohio, 1 Oct. 1903.
   Sons: Reba and Marella

7. REBA HARLESS 1906- b Marmet, m Charles O. Weise 1905-,
   son of Harry and Lola (Cotton) Weise, at Huntington, W. Va., 3 Dec. 1927
   Sons: Charles and Henry

8. CHARLES C. WEISE MD 1929- b Marmet m Elaine McCauley,
   Dau: Mary Lou


7. MARELLA HARLESS 1912- m Fred Sidney Updike 1903-,
   son of Abner and Eva (Watson) Updike, at Marmet, 27 Nov. 1935.
   Sons: Fred

6. FLORA BELLE HARLESS _____- m

5. LEROY HARLESS 1842-1922 m (1) Letha Keeny (2) Rufina (Foster) McLane.
   Sons: Wesley, Elmer E.          Dau: Elena, Cora, Carrie, Gertrude

6. ELMER E. HARLESS 1869- m Cora 1871-

6. WESLEY HAGER HARLESS, b 28 Mar. 1880

6. ELENA HARLESS

6. CORA HARNESS

6. CARRIE HARNESS

6. GERTRUDE HARNESS

5. WILLIAM HENRY HARLESS 1852-1928 m Frances F. Keffer 1851-1927, dau. of Henry and Delilah (Harless) Keffer at Danville, W. Va., 22 June 1874. They moved from Boone Co., to Roane Co., W. Va. in 1874, and engaged in stock raising.
   Sons: Emmett, Leonidas, Delaware, William F., Okey. Roland, Garrett,
   Dau: Spicey, Ola.
6. EMMETT BLACKBURN HARLESS 1875-1906 m Fanny Pursley, Dau. of William.  
Sons: None  
Dau: Frances Nell

6. LEONIDAS RYAN HARLESS MD 1877-1951 b Roane Co., D. Gauley Bridge, W. Va.,  
m Lucretia McMillan 1879-195 dau. of James and ________ (Brannan) McMillan,  
23 Nov. 1904.  
Sons: William, James, Walter  
Dau: Hellen

7. WILLIAM VICTOR HARLESS 1908-1943 m Mary Hurley, 29 Dec. 1935  
Sons: None  
Dau: Barbara Ann b 1936

7. JAMES VIRGIL HARLESS 1909-____ m Marian Rebecca Border, 26 Aug. 1937  
Sons: Roger b 1938  
Dau: Carolyn Sue

7. WALTER EUGENE HARLESS 1911-____ m Catharine Louise Clark _______  
da. of Rankin and Elizabeth Clark, 27 May 1931.  
Sons: Rankin b 1932, Robert b 1934, Thomas b 1939, Stephen b 1950

8. RANKIN LEONIDAS HARLESS 1932-____ m Mary Brown  
Sons: Rankin

7. HELEN FOSTINE HARLESS 1905-____ m Robert H. Miller Jr.  
Sons: Robert, James  
Dau: Jane Carolyn

8. JAMES BERRY MILLER 1935-____ m Nancy Thomas  
Son: James

6. DELAWARE HOWARD HARLESS 1879-____ m Mary Fox, dau. of Augustus and  
Lilly Fox.  
Sons: Elmer O., Sherrell  
Dau: Hazel, Dola, Frankie, Ruth, Margaret, Frances

7. ELMER O HARRESS _______  
7. A SHERRELL HARLESS _______  

6. WILLIAM FRANK HARLESS MD 1881-____ m Lucetta Kay 1894-____ dau. of John  
and Elsie (Ewart) Kay, 10 June 1914. They live at Madison, W. Va.  
Sons: None  
Dau: Eleanor Kay

7. ELEANOR KAY HARLESS 1915-____ m Clyde Lowell Haner, 31 Dec. 1936.  
Sons: John William Frank and Philip Harless.

8. JOHN WILLIAM FRANK HANER 1938-____ m Charlotte Burns 1941-____


6. OKEY BLAINE HARLESS 1886-1951 m Alice Virginia Carpenter, dau. of Marcellus  
and Sarah  
Sons: None  
Dau: None

6. ROLAND CECIL HARLESS 1892-____ m (1) Dora Estap, (2) Gladys Brown 1895-____

dau. of Dr. Philip and Matilda (Dorsey) Brown, of Nicholas, W. Va., 29 Mar. 1919.  
Son: Eugene  
Dau: Virginia Lee, Imogene

7. EUGENE HARLESS 1923-____ m  
7. VIRGINIA LEE HARLESS 1920-  
7. IMOGENE BROWN HARLESS 1922-____ m Wayland Francis Covert, 30 April 1940

6. GARRETT SILMAN HARLESS 1897-____ m Ethel Mae Webb, dau. of Lorenzo and  
Amy Webb  
Sons: Boyd Vernon  
Dau: Mildred Maxine
7. BOYD VERNON HARLESS 1924- m
7. MILDRED MAXINE HARLESS 1920- m Jacob Mixon
   Sons: Michael                        Dau: Madeline b 1945

6. SPICEY DELILAH HARLESS 1884-1950 m Lewis Lee Lowry ____-1949, son of
   Sons: Raymond                      Dau: Byrnce, Frances, Madelina

7. RAYMOND BLACKBURN LOWRY 1906-____ m Freda Hickman
   Sons: None                          Dau: Marian Sue.
7. BYRNECE LOWRY 1907-1939
7. FRANCES LOWRY ____-____ m George O'Connor ____-1945
   Sons: James                         Dau: Jane (deceased), Sharon Lynn
7. MADELINE LOWRY 1921-____ m Bert Hendricks
   Sons: Lewis                         Dau: Marceline

6. OLA MAE HARLESS 1889-____ m William Henry Lowry 1870-1945, son of Robert
   and Margaret.

7. WILLIAM CARL LOWRY 1916-____ m Rita Celestia Janson 1916-____ dau. of
   Otto and Elizabeth (__________) Janson of Canton, Ohio.
   Sons: William Harlan                   Dau:
7. MABEL FERN LOWRY 1914-____ m Bur H. Wells, son of George and ________
   Wells, Marietta, O.

5. MARTHA HARLESS 1836-1860 m Wilson Keffer 1831-____ son of Jacob and Rebecca
   (Snodgrass) Keffer, at _______ on
   Sons: Strawder, James B.                  Dau: Margie and Loretta

6. STRAWDER KEEFER 1856-____ m Lucy Keeney 1851-____ dau. of Foster and
   Eliza Keeney
6. JAMES BURWELL KEEFER 1860-____ m Lucinda Smith 1859-____ dau. of
   Harrington and Sarah (Mullins) Smith at _______ on _________
6. MARGIE ANN KEEFER 1854-____ m William P. Carr 1855-____, son of William
   and Mahala (Crawford) Carr, at _______ on _________

5. RACHEL HARLESS 1845-1914 m Marion S. Snodgrass, son of Thomas and Eliza (Price)
   Snodgrass.
   Sons: James, Thomas, William          Dau: Blanche, Effie, Mary Alice

6. JAMES SNODGRASS ______-
6. THOMAS SNODGRASS ______-
6. WILLIAM SNODGRASS ______-
6. BLANCE SNODGRASS ______-
6. EFFIE SNODGRASS ______-
6. MARY ALICE SNODGRASS b 11 Dec. 1882-____ m Benjamin Washington Wilshire
   1887-
   Sons: William, Benjamin, Kenneth       Dau: Mabel, Virginia

7. WILLIAM LYLE WILSHIRE 1905-____ m Mary Virginia Kittinger 1900-____,
   13 June 1928
   Sons: William Lyle Jr. 1943-____       Dau: Barbara Ann
8. WILLIAM LYLE WILSHIRE JR. 1943-
8. BARBARA ANN WILSHIRE 1934- m William McDonald Barnett 1933-
Sons: Dau: Cynthia Gail b 1956

Sons: John Kent, Robert Marion, Gerald Lee, James Alan. Dau: Gail Elizabeth

7. BENJAMIN WASHINGTON WILSHIRE JR. 1921- m Mary Elizabeth Stump
Sons: Larry Brent Dau: Deborah Lynne

7. MAYBELLE AUDREY WILSHIRE 1903- m Paul Eugene Bryant 1903- 20 July 1923
Sons: Paul E. Jr. Dau:

8. PAUL EUGENE BRYANT JR., 1926- m Delsa E. Loving 1924- 20 Aug. 1947
Sons: Paul Joseph, James F., John R. Dau:

7. VIRGINIA HOWE WILSHIRE 1908- m James Wilson 1908- 17 Aug. 1933
Sons: Dau: Jane Ann

5. MARY HARLESS ——

5. NANCY HARLESS ——

5. SPICEY HARLESS 1856- m Albert Herold

5. VIRGINIA HARLESS 1861- m Lorenzo Dow Perry

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM R_________ HARLESS 1816-_____, 4th son of Philip Harless (3)

4. WILLIAM R_________ HARLESS 1816-____ m Nancy Jane Douglas _____-_____ dau. of ______ and ______

William R. Harless first lived in the Peytona District of what is now Boone County. He moved to Cabell County about 1840 and settled in that part that was cut off in 1867 to form a part of Lincoln County, W. Va. These records of his family are taken from the 1850 Census of Cabell Co., W. Va.

5. JAMES H_________ HARLESS 1835-____

5. JOHN A_________ HARLESS 1841-____

5. GEORGE WASHINGTON HARLESS 1842-________

5. JOSEPH _________ HARLESS 1848-____

5. POLLY HARLESS 1838-________

5. JOSEPHA HARLESS 1844-________

Notes
4. HARRISON FLOYD HARLESS 1826-1907, son of Philip and Catharine (Hager) Harless, was b in Giles Co., Va., moved with his father to Boone Co., W. Va. 1835; m Elizabeth Frye ______-, dau. of _______ and _______ (______) Frye in Boone Co. They moved to Roane Co., W. Va. just prior to the Civil War. Sons: Preston Dau: Cynthia and Sarah.

5. PRESTON SUMMERS HARLESS 1860-1932 m Clarissa Sleeth ______-, dau. of John and Louisa (______) Sleeth, at _______ on _______. Sons: Orville, Howard, Addison, Jasper, Lewis, Preston, Russell, Harry, Richard. Dau:


7. WALLACE REED HARLESS ______-____ m
   Sons: Timothy Evan Dau: Cynthia Ann

7. PAUL SUMMERS HARLESS

6. ADDISON SUMMERS HARLESS 1891-____ m Dacie Hudson Sons: Harley, Arthur, Darrell Dau: Melba, Shirley


6. LEWIS CLAYTON HARLESS 1896-____ m Mamie Collison. Sons: Clayton Dau:

6. PRESTON SLEETH HARLESS 1898-____ m Thelma Clouse ______-, dau. of George and Mollie (______) Clouse, 1 June 1924. Sons: T. Duane, Martin Wayne (Twins), Jay. Dau: Corinne, Rita, Audrey, Cherie.

7. TEDDY DUANE HARLESS
7. MARTIN WAYNE HARLESS
7. JAY HARLESS
7. CORINNE HARLESS
7. RITA HARLESS
7. AUDREY HARLESS
7. CHERIE HARLESS

6. RUSSELL HARLESS 1900-1954 m Lillian Iron. Sons: Richard Dau:

6. HARRY FRYE HARLESS 1906-____ m Boanie Sons: Dau: Alice Faye, Elaine

6. RICHARD HARLESS 1903-1903.

Notes
1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS 1716-1722 m Anna Margaretha Preiss.
   Sons: Martin, David, John Philip Jr., Henry, Edmund.

2. DAVID HARLESS 1746-1817 m Catharine _______. David Harless was born in what
   is now Rockbridge Co., Va., on Cow Pasture River about 4 miles from Natural Bridge,
   Va. He owned land in that area and, also, in what is now Greenbrier Co., W. Va.
   About 1770 he bought land adjoining his father in what is now Montgomery Co., Va.
   He was buried on his own farm in Montgomery Co. in what is now known as the
   David Harless Cemetery. His will is on record in Christiansburg, Montgomery Co., Va.
   Sons: Philip, David Jr., Jacob and John. Dau: Rebecca, Elizabeth, Hannah, Mary, Catharine.

3. PHILIP HARLESS 1778-____ m Mary Harless, dau. of Henry and Charity Harless,
   10 Sept. 1797. Philip sold the property on Tom's Creek, left him in his father's will,
   to Strother Heavener in 1855 and moved to Logan Co., W. Va.
   Sons: Ballard, Dau: Mary, Elizabeth, Catharine, Arminda, Armeda, and Fanny.

3. JACOB HARLESS 1792-1879 m Elizabeth Hornbarger 1794-1872, dau. of Peter Hornbarger,
   3 Mar. 1814. Jacob was buried in the David Harless Cemetery. He inherited the David
   Harless 'Home Place'.
   Sons: Richard Dau: Mary, Ann, Nancy, Ellen and Mandony.

4. RICHARD HARLESS m _______ Saville.
4. MARY HARLESS m Harvey Gilmore
4. ANN HARLESS m George Broce
4. NANCY HARLESS 1829-____ m Oscar Keister.
4. ELLEN HARLESS m Frank Kinzer
4. MANDONY HARLESS m _______ Davis.

3. JOHN HARLESS m Polly Burton, 25 May 1820.
3. REBECCA HARLESS m Philip Layton
3. ELIZABETH HARLESS m Andrew Surface.
3. HANNAH HARLESS m Abraham Cromer.
3. MARY HARLESS 1779-____ m Philip Harless, son of ________, 12 Sept. 1797.
3. CATHARINE HARLESS

3. DAVID HARLESS JR. ____-____ m Polly Hill, dau. of John Hill, in Giles Co., Va.,
   7 Jan. 1800. There is a tradition in the family that David Jr. was born in Greenbrier
   Co., Va. This tradition is substantiated by the fact that his father, David Sr. inherited
   a large farm in that area, according to the Will of David Sr's father, John Philip
   Harless.
   Sons: James Dau:
4. JAMES HARLESS 1804-1881 m (1) Elizabeth Surface 1812-1872, dau. of _ and (_____ ) Surface, in _, _ 1933. They emigrated to Madison Co., Ind.; m (2) Belle Franklin, ________ 1874. James was born in Miami Co., Ohio
Sons: (1) Jacob, Adam, Samuel, John, Wesley. Dau: (1) Minerva, Sarah. (2) Blanche.

5. JACOB HARLESS 1834-1920 m (1) Nancy Eleanor Males, b 31 Oct. 1842, d 16 Feb. 1886, dau. of Joseph and Frances (_____ ) Males, at ________ on ________
m (2) Barbara Franklin 1868-1869; m (3) Lena Sanks, d 1877 in Salem, Ore.
Sons: (1) Valingham, Joseph (2) August B, Branch Dau: (2) Vora A.

6. VALINGHAM HARLESS, b 6 July 1863

6. JOSEPH VINTON HARLESS, b 10 May 1864, d 1 Aug. 1936 in Madison Co., Ind.,
m Etta Elva Adams, b 20 Apr. 1873 at Molalla, Ore., d 3 June 1944 at Grants Pass, Ore., they were m at Molalla, Ore., 10 July 1892.
Sons: Ralph, Val Marlin Dau: Golda

7. RALPH WILLIAM HARLESS, b 24 April, d 21 Nov. 1899.

7. VAL MARLIN HARLESS, b 10 Jan. 1904 at Molalla, Ore., d 19 Aug. 1951 at Nehalem, Ore.; m Ena Wooster.
Sons: Fenton, Lyle Dau: Letha, Joan

8. LETHA MAE HARLESS, b 4 Sept. 1930 at Salem, Ore.; m Fritz Anderson at Nehalem, Ore., ________ March 1948.

8. FENTON HICKS HARLESS, b 19 June 1908 m Mildred Mae Henninger, b 14 Nov. 1910, on At Molalla, Ore., 21 Feb. 1932.
Sons: Dau: Lona


8. LYLE ELBERT HARLESS, b 28 Feb. 1911 at Molalla, Ore., d 25 Jan. 1960 at Portland, Ore., m Elda Mimer at Marshfield, Ore., ________ July ________
Sons: Ronald, b 3 Nov. 1944 at Portland, Ore.

8. JOAN FRANCES HARLESS, 8 Feb. at Salem, Ore., m Giles A. Bailey Jr. in __________ Idaho, 20 June 1949.
Sons: Jack, Val Marlin, Jimmy Joe, Allen Dau: Aldana, Carol

9. JIMMY JOE BAILEY, b 2 Apr. 1956.

7. GOLDA FRANCES HARLESS, b 6 May 1896 at Molalla, Ore., m Norman R. Edmundson, 29 Dec. 1915 at Albany, Ore.
No children.
5. JOHN HARLESS — m Nancy Cunningham. They lived in Molalla, Ore. Sons: Benjamin F., Lee (desc), Devens (desc). Dau: Blanche, Louella.


7. PERLE SAMUEL HARLESS, b 13 Mar. 1900, m Margaret Deringer, b 12 May 1907, dau. of DeWitt Clinton and Nona (Robinson) Deringer, at Glendale, Calif., 28 Dec. 1927. Perle Samuel is recognized as a 'Great Road Builder', now known as Highway and Freeway Construction Engineer. Evidently he has inherited this ability and disposition from his Great, Great, Great, Great Grandfather, David Harless Sr., who built Military Roads in Western Virginia under the supervision of Col. Geo. Washington, who at that time was Commander in Chief of the Virginia Militia. Sons: Clinton Edward (Adopted) Dau: Guendolyn

8. CLINTON EDWARD HARLESS, b 29 July 1925, m Virginia Brunton, who was b 21 April 1925, dau. of William and Lesta (______) Brunton, at Ross, Calif., 27 Dec. 1947. Sons: Clinton Deringer Dau: Guendolyn

8. GUENDOLYN HARLESS, b 31 May 1929 m Walter Fred Cozad, who was b 13 Oct. 1924, son of William Earl and K_______(Wolf) Cozad, at Santa Rosa, Calif., 2 June 1923. Sons: Christopher Fred, Stephen Harless Dau:


7. VESTA HARLESS, b 21 July 1892 m Ernest Mallett 1891-_____, son of Joshua and Lydia (Miller) Mallatt. Sons: None Dau: None


7. BERNITA HARLESS, b 26 March 1906, d 19 April 1926. Unmarried.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JOHN PHILIP HARLESS Jr., 3rd son of John Philip Harless (1).

2. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS Jr. 1748-1822 was born on Cow Pasture River about 4 miles from Natural Bridge, now Rockbridge Co., Va. He came with his father to the German New River Settlements and owned land on Tom's Creek, in addition to that he received 113 acres in 1772 which was willed to him by his father. He married Johanna Boscher 1749-1823, dau. of George and Elnore (Charlatta) Boscher, 7 Dec. 1767.

Sons: Philip III, Samuel and Daniel. Dau: Margaret, Johanna, Elizabeth and Mary.

3. PHILIP HARLESS III 1770-1814 m Mary Price, dau. of Henry D. and Mary Price. Philip III was drowned accidentally in Tom's Creek.

Sons: Bennett Dau: Sarah, Margaret, Elizabeth, Mary.

4. BENNETT HARLESS
4. SARAH HARLESS m William Taber, 25 Mar. 1830.
4. MARGARET HARLESS m Michael Surface, 25 Sept. 1830.
4. ELIZABETH HARLESS m William Long, 25 July 1832.
4. MARY HARLESS m James Long, 10 Aug. 1831.

3. SAMUEL HARLESS 1776-1840 m Elizabeth Price 1783-1853, dau. of Henry D. and Mary Price, 19 June 1799.


4. ISRAEL HARLESS 1801-____ m Mary Broce, 4 Mar. 1830.
Sons: Andrew Dau: Liona

5. ANDREW HARLESS 1832-1880 m 1) Margaret Shell 1823. (2) Elizabeth Price
Sons: (1) Eugene Dau: (1) Catharine Lavine and Mary.

6. EUGENE HARLESS m Mary George Hurt.
6. CATHARINE LAVINA HARLESS 1856-1913 m Henry Thomas Einstein, 18 June 1874.

Sons: Joseph, Gilbert, John, Frederick, Charles and William.
Dau: Sarah, Mary, Emma and Susan.


Sons: Harvey L., Russell W., Dau: Margaret and Ida Catharine.


Sons: (1) Phlegar, Samuel, Martin, James. Dau: (1) Talitha, Zippora, and Almeda.
Sons: (2) Floyd, Allen Jr., John, Bittle, Hubbert. Dau: (2) Mary, Margaret and Martha.

5. PHLEGAR JACKSON HARLESS 1845-____ m 1) Ellen Long, dau. of Ephraim, (2) Jane Dillon.
Sons: (1) Richard Dau: (1) Sarah, Mary, Lora, and Bessie.

6. RICHARD JACKSON HARLESS m Roxie West.

6. SARAH ETTA HARLESS 1870-1948 m James Madison Grubb.

Sons: Roy, Victor, Howard, James, Houston, Jesse, Clifton, Robert and Lloyd.
Dau: Lucy Catharine and Virgie Cleo.

7. WILLIAM JENNINGS CROMER 1897- m Andra Whiting Dawley, 12 Aug. 1925.
Sons: Richard Paul 1927-1934. Dau:

Sons: David, Harlan, Norman, Samuel, Robert, Allen, Richard, James, Richard
Dau: Eva, Wala, Sharon, Veronica, Mary, Rebecca.

8. DAVID OLIVER CROMER 1921-
8. HARLAN BASIL CROMER 1924-1944 (Killed in action in Italy)
8. NORMAN EVAN CROMER 1926-
8. SAMUEL VIRIS CROMER 1928- m Joan Wilson
Sons: Samuel Edward, Harlan Basil. Dau:

8. ROBERT LEON CROMER 1935-

7. VIRIS WALTER CROMER 1901- m Coyner, 10 June 1932.
Sons: Viris Walter Jr. Dau:

7. SAMUEL ELLIOTT CROMER 1907- m Phyllis Boner, 4 Dec. 1935.
Sons: Thomas.

8. THOMAS JENNINGS CROMER 1937- m Twila May Myers, 7 Sept. 1957.

7. MARY CLEO CROMER 1895- m (1) Seymour Conrad Vincent 1918; m (2) James Howard COLEMAN 1956, 23 Aug. 1937.

6. LORA ANNA HARLESS 1872-1925 m Joseph Odell 1869-1904, son of Jacob and Matilda Odell.
Sons: Orville and George Dau: Maude and Gertrude.

7. ORVILLE W. ODELL m Martha Floyde.
7. GEORGE HARLESS ODELL m Blanche Kemper. Sons: Larry and Joseph.
7. MAUDE MAE ODELL m Charles Lewis Akers, 14 Aug. 1909.
Sons: Lewis, Joseph, Charles, Orville, Eugene, Jack, Donald, Edgar. Dau:

7. VIRGINIA GERTRUDE ODELL m James Drummonds, Oct. 1906.
Sons: Lewis Dau: Lillian, Mary, Kathryn, Elsie.

7. LADEEN NORRIS 1904- m Virginia Moore.
   Sons: Donald                   Dau: Linda, Sandra, and Jane.

5. SAMUEL TAYLOR HARLESS 1851-1920 m Amanda McCoy 1855-1911, Lived at Long Shop, Va.
   Sons: None                    Dau: Lula and Grace.

   Sons: Aubrey, Chas. C.         Dau: Fleetwood, Katharine, Virginia, Louise, Ruth, Julia, Marie

   Sons: Aubrey and Michael      Dau: Melba

8. AUBREY JONES
8. MICHAEL JONES
8. MELBA JONES 1929- m Floyd Royal. They live at Christiansburg, Va.

5. MARTIN LUTHER HARLESS 1855-1936 m Ella Brown 1866-1946, dau. of Henry and Rachel (Henderson) Brown, June 1886. They lived on the North Fork Roanoke R.

6. BYRON W HARLESS 1887-1959 m Laura Belle Brittingham 1887- m, dau. of James and Laura (Driscoll) Brittingham, 21 Oct. 1914. Lived at Victoria, Va. and DeLand, Fla.
   Sons: Byron                     Dau: Elizabeth, Isabel, Rachel.

7. BYRON BRITTINGHAM HARLESS 1916- m Betty Cabler Keefe 1921- m, dau. of Jack Jr. and Rosalie (Lederer) Keefe, 8 July 1944. Live Tampa, Fla.
   Sons:                           Dau: Bettina

7. ELIZABETH DRISCOLL HARLESS 1917- m Edwin B. Turlington 1914- m, son of Dr. J. E. and Mae (Baldwin) Turlington, 4 Jan. 1936, Live Gainsville, Fla.
   Sons:                           Dau: Sylvia, Betty Gail

7. ISABEL BROWN HARLESS 1919- m James Kelly Hope Jr. 1913- m, son of (_________) and (_________) (_________) Hope, 26 July 1946. Live Orlando, Fla.
   Sons:                           Dau:

7. RACHEL HARLESS 1923- is a teacher and now living in DeLand, Fla.

   Sons: None                     Dau: None

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6. KENNETH HARLESS 1908-1942 m Helen Scheidt, 1933. Live Cincinnati, Ohio. Sons: None Dau: Joyce and Judith.


7. LOUISE PRICE 1908- m Aubrey Barber 1909- Sons: Russell Dau:


6. NEVA HARLESS 1893- m (1) Charlie Hutchinson 1913- (2) Chester Baldwin 1935- Sons: (1) Harold Dau:

7. HAROLD HUTCHINSON 1914- m Mary Lou Rodgers 1941- Sons:


7. JOSEPH OVERTON PORTER JR. 1934- Unmarried.


7. JUANITA ALICE PORTER 1924- m Ernie Elam 1925- , in 1949. Sons: Michael, Martin Dau:


7. CHARLES LUTHER DEHART 1924- m Meryle Agnes Greenall 1922- , dau. of Thomas and Bertha (Wiper) Greenall, at Radford, Va., 12 Nov. 1946. Sons: Charles L. Jr. Dau:


7. MILDRED ELOISE DEHART 1922- m (1) Carroll Eugene McCoy 1917- , son of Whitt and Pleasant (Long) McCoy, 23 Dec. 1938. They lived at Radford, Va. m (2) Bob F. Weems 1920- , son of E. Luther and Lucie (Lovett) Weems, 3 Apr. 1953. Sons: (1) Terry Darnell Dau:
7. EDITH MARIE DEHART 1928-_____ m Delmar Vernon Collier 1924-____, son of Hubert and Mary (Linton) Collier, at Elizabeth City, N. C., 18 April 1948.
Sons: Michael Delmar


5. JAMES WADE HARLESS 1858-_____ m Alice Carrico.

5. ALLEN ISRAEL HARLESS JR. 1866-1930, 6th son of Allen Israel Harless Sr. (4);
m Robertine Chevallie' Watkins 1869-______, 22 Dec. 1892 at "Neva Sink", Chesterfield
Co., Va. Mr. Harless was a prominent attorney at law in Montgomery Co., Va. At
the time of his death he was a member of the Virginia Legislature. Soon after his
marriage he built a mansion near Long Shop, Va., known as 'Shilo', which is still
standing.
Sons: William and John  Dau: Kathleen and Anna.

6. WILLIAM SPOTTSWOOD HARLESS 1904-______.

6. JOHN CARRINGTON HARLESS 1893-1895.

6. KATHLEEN CHEVALLIE HARLESS 1905-______ m James Alfred Beasley 1890-______,
son of William and Mary (Rivers) Beasley, at Christiansburg, Va., 12 June 1920.
Sons: James A. Jr., and Robert R.  Dau: None

7. JAMES ALFRED BEASLEY JR. 1921-______ m Esther Lee Harris 1920-______,
Sons:  Dau: Esther Kathleen

7. ROBERT RIVERS BEASLEY 1927-______ m Ann Elmore Williamson 1930-______,
dau. of Allen and Mary Manley (Elmore) Williamson, at Asheville, N. Car.,
29 June 1951.
Sons: Robert Jr., Allen  Dau: Katharine, Mary Ann.

6. ANNA TEMPLE HARLESS 1897-______ m Julius Goodman 1893-______, an attorney at
law, son of Dr. Temple Goodman, 21 Feb. 1920. Lawyer Goodman has been Common¬
wealth Attorney of Montgomery Co., Va. for several years.
Sons: Allen and Temple  Dau: None

7. ALLEN HARLESS GOODMAN 1926-______ m Lois Reed 1925-______, dau. of W.
and Irene (Ashworth) Reed, 23 Mar. 1945.

7. JULIUS TEMPLE GOODMAN MD 1929-______ m Pauline Johnson, dau. of Pickett

5. JOHN REPASS HARLESS 1868-1929 m Bessie Burgess, 8 Sept. 1897.
Sons: John R. Jr., Richard  Dau:

5. ISAAC RICHARD BITTLE HARLESS 1871-1961 m Mary Etta Boyd 1873-______, dau. of
Sons: Allen, Richard, Quinn.  Dau: None.

6. ALLEN BOYD HARLESS 1903-______ m Agnes Cordelia White, 20 May 1931.

Sons:  Dau: Kathleen Bolling, b 3 July 1961.

7. AGNES ANN HARLESS 1932-______ m Capt. Richard Jones, 27 Nov. 1959.
Sons: Richard Fraser, b 18 Nov. 1960.

Sons: Lawrence  Dau:
   Sons: Dau:

6. QUINN MARSHALL HARLESS 1910- m Rebecca Seymour Mahan 1910-,

5. TALITHA HARLESS 1824-1924, dau. of Allen Israel and Elizabeth (Roberts) Harless,
   m John Heavener 1835-1910, son of Strother and Fanny (Price) Heavener, 5 Nov. 1863.

6. JOHN HEAVENER JR. 1864- m Lucy Price _______, dau. of Hugh and Mary
   (Stanger) Price, 20 Sept. 1891.
   Sons: John, James Dau: Aline, Helen, Alice.

7. JOHN HAVEN HEAVENER m Myrtle Large. Sons: Jon, and Jere.
7. JAMES NUMAN HEAVENER m Betty Watson. No issue.
7. ALINE REBECCA HEAVENER m Frederick Reisenger. Dau: Lois Ann.
7. HELEN VIRGINIA HEAVENER m William S. Rhodes. No issue.

6. FLOYD ALVAH HEAVENER 1867-1937 m Louisa Frances Long 1869-1918, dau. of Floyd
   and Mandon (Snider) Long, 20 Nov. 1892.

7. ROBERT CECIL HEAVENER 1898- m Edna Shelor, 24 Aug. 1924.
   Sons: None Dau: Elizabeth, Margaret


8. MARGARET VIRGINIA HEAVENER m Cecil Miles Massie, 10 June 1950.
   Sons: Miles b 1951, Grant b 1953.

7. MASON RONALD HEAVENER 1900- m Ann Louise Wallace, at St. Petersburg, Va.
   6 Apr. 1932.
   Sons: None Dau: Joyce Lynn, b 21 Apr. 1935.

8. JOYCE LYNN HEAVENER m LeRoy Alton Beach, 16 Dec. 1953.

7. CHARLES EDWARD HEAVENER 1902- m Dorothy Ridinger, at Roanoke, Va.,
   6 July 1929.
   Sons: Thomas, David Dau: Dorothy, Emily Sue

8. THOMAS EDWARD HEAVENER, b 11 Sept. 1933 m
8. DAVID CURTIS HEAVENER, b 18 Dec. 1938 m Helen Mae Kanode.
8. DOROTHY LEE HEAVENER, b 27 July 1931 m Donald Nelson Bodell.
   Sons: Stephen Worth, Arthur Philip, Lee Hugh. Dau:

7. SIDNEY BISHOP HEAVENER 1903- m Irene Belle Allen, at Price's Fork, Va.,
   24 Nov. 1955.
   Sons: Sydney Nelson, James Alvin

7. ALLEN LEE HEAVENER 1912- m Ruth Graham 1915- , at Roanoke, Va.,
   7 Mar. 1936
   Sons: Michael Graham, Gary Lee
7. BEULAH ESTHER HEAVENER 1894-_____ m Luther Wesley Slusher 1892-_____, at Cambria, Va., 11 Apr. 1925. 
    Sons: Robert Wesley (d), Maurice Lee (d) Dau: Elizabeth Marian, b 23 Jan. 1926.

7. NANNIE MAY HEAVENER 1895-______ m Henry Clarence Hypes, 3 Apr. 1920. 

8. WILLIAM HENRY HYPES, b 18 Jan. 1925
8. ALVA VIRGIL HYPES, b 30 May 1927 m Charlzie Kanode
    Sons: Allen V, William E. Dau: Kathy, Lisa Jean

8. KELLY EDWARD HYPES, b 16 June 1933 m(1) Loraine Rasnake (d) m(2) Lois Barnett.
8. MARY FRANCES HYPES, b 8 June 1921.
    Sons:

    Sons:

8. DOROTHY JEAN HYPES, b 28 Apr. 1930

    Sons: Richard, Kenneth, Allen Dau: Frances Lenora

8. RICHARD HARLESS PRICE, b 13 May 1929 m Doris Moore


8. FRANCES LENORA PRICE, b 23 Mar. 1937 m Victor King, 2 Apr. 1961. 
    Sons:

7. ANNIE HARLESS HEAVENER 1907-______ m Madison M. Duncan, 19 Jan. 1933. 
    Sons: Maurice, Lane, Douglas, Donnie (d) Dau:

8. MAURICE DUNCAN 1933-
8. DOUGLAS EUGENE DUNCAN 1936-______ m Joan Feathers Sons: Donald 1957, David 1959.

7. NETTIE FLORENCE HEAVENER 1897-______
7. MARY VIRGINIA HEAVENER 1910-______ (dau. of George and Mary (Cullum) Wanless

6. JAMES GRANT HEAVENER 1869-1905;

6. ULYSSES S. A. HEAVENER 1866-1951 m (1) Virginia Wanless 1864-1888, (2) Anna Johnon ________ and (3) Mary Wilcox 1874-1947. Sons: None Dau:(1) Mabel Langford

Rev. U. S. A. Heavener was a Methodist Minister for many years and reached high office in that Church. After his retirement he spent several years doing research on the families who were the original settlers in and around the Great Horse Shoe Bend of New River. Rev. Heavener's ancestors were one of those families. Then he wrote a book entitled: GERMAN NEW RIVER SETTLEMENT. This book is a
treasure of historical interest. In no other place can such a record of those families be found. This book has long been out of print. However, recently a reprint has been made and copies may be obtained from his daughter, Miss Mabel Heavener, 3802 Washington St., Kensington, Maryland. The price is three dollars.

6. EUGENE TAYLOR HEAVENER 1873-____ m Rosa S. Roberts, dau. of Taylor Roberts, 23 Oct. 1901
Sons: Dau: Della, Zeffie.

7. DELLA MAE HEAVENER 1904-____ m Robert Harmon, son of Lycurgus and Nettie (______) Harm
7. ZEFFIE LEE HEAVENER 1906-____ m (1) Harry Roberts (2) Mason Janney.
   Sons: (1) Jack Wilson Roberts (2) James T. Janney, b 4 Mar. 1940.

5. ZIPPORA HARLESS 1843-1898 m Patterson Snider 1830-1920, son of 9 Nov. 1865.
Sons: Grant, Cecil, William, Gilbert, Dau: Nancy, Sarah.

6. GRANT LAFAYETTE SNIDER 1872-1945 m Victoria Long ____-1913, dau. of 1896.
   Sons: Elmer, Russell, Grant Dau: Neva, Helen, Juliette

7. ELMER HOGE SNIDER 1897-1943 m Mary Burgess Cromer
7. RUSSELL LOWELL SNIDER 1902-1943 m Fanny Boldin Helvey
   Sons: Dau: Dana Frances

8. DANA FRANCES SNIDER ____-____ m Thomas Steele Wallis Jr.
   Sons: Thomas Jr., James, David, Jeffrey. Dau:

7. GRANT THEODORE SNIDER 1904-____ m Edna Larson 1903-____, dau. of Anton and Olive (Nelson) Larson.
   Sons: Dau: Virginia Victoria

8. VIRGINIA VICTORIA SNIDER 1928-____ m (1) Charles M Bennett 1928-____, son of Theo and Oottie Lee (Gavin) Bennett; m (2) Lloyd Francis Chisholm 1928-1959, son of Top and Lillie (Thur) Chisholm.
   Sons: (2) Lance Lloyd. Dau: (1) Connie, Victoria, Judith (2) Lorelei Francine.

7. MELVA DALE SNIDER 1901-____ m John Dober, b 24 Oct. 1894, son of Johan and Barbara (_______) Dober, at ________ on 28 May 1927.
   Sons: Dau: Virginia Darlene

7. HELEN EDITH SNIDER 1906-____ m (1) John Dudley and (2) Frank Olinger, b 12 Apr. 1891, son of Hugh Otey and Susan (Price) Olinger.
   Sons: Harold Eugene Dau: Pricilla and Susanne.

8. HUGH EUGENE DUDLEY 1925-____ m Lena Mangione 1926-____, dau. of John and Josephine (Caudo) Mangione, 10 Aug. 1946.
   Sons: None Dau: Linda, Dorea, Angela

8. PRICILLA DUDLEY 1922-____ m Evans Gwynn, son of Sidney and Effie (Shores) Gwynn, at Blacksburg, Va., 6 June 1942.
   Sons: Dwight Evans Dau: Donna Annette.
   Sons: Dau: Sheila Renee, Risse LaVonne
7. JULIETTE ZANE SNIDER 1911-____ m Ray Cornett, son of Summit and Myrtle (Thompson) Cornett.
   Sons: Roger Harless Dau: Patricia Anne, Nancy Raye.

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6. CECIL SNIDER 1874-1944 m Florence Shaver 1892-____, dau. of Daniel and Laura (Hamlin) Shaver, at Bristol, Tenn., 10 July 1907.
   Sons: Fay Templeton Dau: Juanita, Elrica (deceased).
   Sons: (1) Vivian Lee Dau: (1) Vivian Lee
8. VIVIAN LEE WILLETT 1935-____ m Lawrence G. Williams 1935-____
   Sons: Roger Templeton, b 1960

   Sons: Juanita, Elrica (deceased) Dau: Juanita, Elrica (deceased).
7. JUANITA SNIDER ______-____

   Sons: William, George Dau: Virginia, Elizabeth
7. GEORGE EVERETT SNIDER MD 1911-____ m Angie May Morgan, 19 Aug. 1932 at Floyd, Va.
   Sons: George Jr., Robert M. (dy)
8. GEORGE EVERETT SNIDER JR.
   Sons: Dau: Virginia Ellen, b 1945.
7. ELIZABETH ANN SNIDER

   They lived at Salem, Va.
7. ALLEN T. OVERSTREET 1895-____ m Lethie Lytton 1918 at Pulaski, Va., 8 Feb. 1938.
   Sons: Dau: Phyllis

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7. ARNOLD ALBERT OVERSTREET 1897-____ m Bertha Goldie Grice, dau. of George and Ella (Sherrard) Grice, at Bristol, Tenn., 19 May 1928. 
Sons: Arnold, Cameron, Boyd, David.  
Dau: 

8. CAMERON EUGENE OVERSTREET 1933-1933. 
8. BOYD JACK OVERSTREET 1934-____ 
Sons:  
Dau: Donna Lynn 

7. CLARK LEWIS OVERSTREET 1903-____ 
Sons: Michael  
Dau: Letty 

Sons:  

8. LETTY DIANE OVERSTREET 1933-____ m William F. Ferrara, son of W. and Caroline (______) Ferrara, 1 Sept. 1956. 

7. EDWIN LAWRENCE OVERSTREET 1907-1936 
7. CORNELIUS OVERSTREET 1910-____ m Daisy Snell 1908-____, dau. of Amzi Elbert and Naomi (Lucas) Snell (Natives of Indiana), at Alexandria, Va., 1 Jan. 1941. 
Sons: Brian Albert, b _____ Aug. 1948.  
Dau: Rose Ann, b _____ Dec. 1942. 

7. MATTIE RUTH OVERSTREET 1901-____ m William J. Price, son of Hampton and Nancy Catharine (Duncan) Price, at Bristol, Tenn., 6 Nov. 1926. 
Sons: Donald Leon, b 10 Nov. 1927  
Dau: Jean Lorraine, b 1 Sept. 1929 

Sons: Gilbert, Patrick  
Dau: Robertine and Louise. 

Sons:  
Dau: Sarah and Alma 

Sons:  
Dau: Phyllis Elizabeth 

7. ROBERTINE EVANGELINE PRICE 1901-____ m Daniel Howard 1914-____, son of Edward and Beulah (Knott) Howard, _____ Dec. 1948 at Hyattsville, Maryland. 
Sons: None  
Dau: None 

7. LOUISE ALEXANDRA PRICE 1902-____ m James Erskine Moffatt 1906-____, son of Ralph Erskine (MD) and Van Lew (Roberts) Moffatt, at Front Royal, Va., 25 Nov. 1939. 
Sons: James Price, b 21 Feb. 1942.  
Dau: 


5. MARY ELLEN HARLESS 1870-1932 m William Allen Myers 1872-1946, son of A. L. and (Shaffer) Myers of Maxmeadows, Va., They lived at New River, Va. 
Sons: William  
Dau: Bessie, Daphne, Ruth, Mary Edmonia
6. WILLIAM ALLEN LINCOLN MYERS.

Sons: None Dau: Margaret, Bessie, Kathleen.

Sons: John Dau: Eugene Guy

8. JOHN SAMUEL UMBERGER, b 13 Mar. 1946.

Sons: Eugene Guy Dau: Teresa Cherryl

Sons: None. Dau: Dana Loretta, Joan Carrol

Sons: James Dau: None

7. JAMES MCDANIEL MODE, b 10 Nov. 1930 m Alzie Lee Barnett, dau. of Rufus and Alzie (Linkous) Barnett, of Radford, Va., on _______. They live at Radford, Va.

6. RUTH ALLENE MYERS 1905-____ m Riner David Duncan 1904-____, son of James and Georgia (Martin) Duncan of Radford, Va. on _______. They live at Radford, Va.
Sons: Riner, Robert Dau: None

Sons: Dau: Melinda Kate, Victoria Lucile

7. ROBERT CARLTON DUNCAN, b 30 Nov. 1932 m Joann Benson 1931-____, dau. of Eddie and Margaret (______) Benson, at _______ on _______. Live Radford, Va.
Sons: Carlton, Benson Dau: Leslie Renee

Sons: James Dau: Betty Jo, Jean Frances

7. JAMES ROBERT DUDLEY, b 19 Apr. 1937.

Sons: Dau: Debbie Ann, Betty Elaine, Kathy Sue.

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7. JEAN FRANCES DUDLEY 1930- m William A. Davies ————, son of ———— and Nina (Myers) Davies ————, at ———— on ————.
Live Miami, Fla.
Sons: Philip Dudley, b 6 Aug. 1953. Dau:

Sons: Waldo Dau:

7. WALDO CURTIS WRIGHT 1930- m Louise Amelia Peterson, dau. of Elmer G. and Vera (Beam) Peterson, at Arlington, Va., ———— 1955.
Sons: Ronald Curtis Dau: Kathleen Amelia

Sons: John, James, Isaac.

6. JOHN CARROLL MILLER, b 28 May 1911. Unm.
6. JAMES HARLESS MILLER 1913-1942 Unm.

6. ISAAC BITTLE MILLER 1917-—— m Mabel Marie Kregger 1920-——, dau. of E. C. and ————(———) Kregger, at ———— on ————.
Sons: William b 1948 Dau: Nancy Carroll b 1952

5. MARTHA EDMONIA HARLESS 1873-—— m John C. Dillon 1867-1908, son of John W. and Docia (Evans) Dillon, 30 June 1892.
Sons: John Dau: Thelma, Edith and Mamie


6. THELMA HARLESS DILLON 1898-—— m Mosby Lawrence 1893-——, son of Frank and Eugenia (———) Lawrence, 27 March 1918. Mr. Lawrence is a partner in the Lawrence-Shelton Pharmacy, Christiansburg, Va.
Sons: Frank and Charles Dau: None.

7. FRANK D. LAWRENCE 1919-—— m Evelyn David ————, dau. of Samuel and Ethel (———) Davis.

7. CHARLES W. LAWRENCE 1925-—— m Charlotte Craig 1924-——, dau. of Brainard and Thelma (———) Craig, 24 June 1945.
Sons: Charles Jr., and Steve Dau: Martha Anne and Cathy Lynn

Sons: Robert Dau: None

7. DR. ROBERT A. CRAWFORD JR. 1919-—— m Dotty Getz 1921-——, dau. of Herbert and Helen Eileen (Armstrong) Getz, 16 Mar. 1946.
Sons: Robert III, Samuel, Michael Dau: Carolyn, Molly Ann

8. ROBERT ALEXANDER CRAWFORD III 1946-——
8. SAMUEL DAVID CRAWFORD 1955-——
8. MICHAEL DILLON CRAWFORD 1955-——
8. CAROLYN LOUISE CRAWFORD 1949-——
8. MOLLY ANN CRAWFORD 1958-——

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8. CAROLYN LOUISE CRAWFORD 1949-____
8. MOLLY ANN CRAWFORD 1958-____

6. MAMIE DILLON 1905-____ m Mark Sullivan 1898-____, 16 Nov. 1928. 
Sons: Patrick

7. PATRICK S. SULLIVAN ____-____ m Ellen Goheen ____-____

Notes
4. ABRAHAM HARLESS 1821-1842 m Mary Keister 1817-1897, dau: of Lived Whitethorn, Va.
Sons: William Dau: Sarah, Anna dy.

5. WILLIAM CROCKETT HARLESS m Florence Ann Burton dau. of 16 June 1866.
Sons: James, William, Robert, Charles, John. Dau: Florence, Annie, Nellie

6. JAMES RICHARD HARLESS m Jean (Rafferty) Bucknam, 18 June 1912.
Sons: William Dau: Eleanor and Florence

7. WILLIAM HENSEL HARLESS m Catharine Sept. 1947
Sons: None Dau: Jean

8. JEAN HARLESS m Tyson Dominy Sept. 1947
Sons: None Dau:

7. ELENORE HARLESS m Ordway Ballinger
Sons: None Dau:

7. FLORENCE HARLESS

6. 6. WILLIAM BLACK HARLESS m Isabella (Abercrombie) Pape, dau. of Alexander and Susan (Hunter) Abercrombie, 1898. Lived in New York City.
Sons: Reginald Dau: None

7. REGINALD FRANCISCO HARLESS m Cecelia Julia Gazzolo, dau. of Anthony and Catharine (Biggio) Bazzolo, 27 Dec. 1939. They live in Tarrytown, N.Y.
Sons: None Dau: None

6. ROBERT ESTIAL HARLESS
6. CHARLES CROCKETT HARLESS m Amelia (Tillman) Schmidt.
6. JOHN FRANKLIN HARLESS Lived at Dublin, Va.
6. FLORENCE MARIE HARLESS m Wilmer Morgan.
6. ANNIE ELAINE HARLESS m William Kinzie
6. NELLIE GERTRUDE HARLESS m Arthur Wilsnack.

5. SARAH HARLESS 1843-1917 m Radford Price, son of Adam and Nancy (Collins) Price. They lived at Long Shop, Va.
Sons: AEF, Robert H. Dau:

6. AEF never married.

Sons: Waldo, Robert, Claude Dau: Vivian, Winnifred, Lucile

Sons: Waldo Hunter Dau: Mary Ann, Sarah and Charlotte (Twins).

7. VIVIAN ELIZABETH PRICE 1898-____ m Edwin Wallace Lohr, b 1897, 20 June 1930.
   Sons: Marshall                                      Dau: Eloise

7. WINNIFRED L. PRICE 1902-____ m Adelbert J. Hopkins, 1902-1959, 9 June 1926.
   Sons:                                                 Dau: Barbara Jean, Virginia Lee.

7. LUCILE LUMPKIN PRICE 1904-____ m (1) Howard Payne Hale 1903-1940,
   11 April 1926: and (2) Barack Graves.
   Sons: Howard Jr.                                      Dau: Anita Louise

7. CLAUDE SWANSON PRICE 1907-____ m Aline Cadogan, b 1914, 24 Dec. 1946.
   Live at Pulaski, Va.

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DANIEL HARLESS, 3rd son of John Philip Harless Jr.

3. DANIEL HARLESS 1777-18- m Elizabeth Nash, 7 Dec. 1797.
   Sons: Henry, John                                      Dau:

4. HENRY HARLESS 1798-18__ m
   Sons: James and Daniel Jr.                             Dau: Mrs. Pearis Albert, Mrs. Geo. Albert, and
                                                        Mrs. Hulda Graves.

4. JOHN HARLESS 1800-18__ m Elizabeth Harless 1803-____, dau. of Isaac, 28 Sept. 1828.
   Sons: William I, Napoleon                             Dau: Mary, Martha, Sarah.

3. MARGARET HARLESS m Lewis Price, son of Michael and Esther (_______) Price,
   8 June 1799. They lived near Mt. Tabor Church.

4. LEWIS PRICE II ____-____ m

4. ABRAHAM PRICE ____-____ m
   Sons: John, Floyd, Jacob, Ballard.                     Dau: Elizabeth, Virginia.

3. ELIZABETH HARLESS m Jacob Smith (Schmidt) ____-1852, in the year 1791.

3. MARY HARLESS m John Wintrow.

3. JOHANNA HARLESS m Jacob Price, son of Michael I and Margaret (Harless) Price,
   10 Sept. 1794.

4. WILLIAM S. PRICE 1793-____ m Elizabeth __________
   Sons: Isaac Charles                                     Dau:

4. JACOB PRICE Jr. 1795 m Nancy Price, dau. of Alexander and Philipini (_______)
   Price.

5. THOMAS PRICE
5. CHAPMAN PRICE
5. CHARLES PRICE
5. JOHANNA PRICE _____-_____ m Harrison Snider
5. MARY PRICE
5. HARRIETT PRICE 1820-1904 m William Clemens 1817-1903. (For Clemens Family see page 69.

4. SAMUEL PRICE
4. HIRAM PRICE
4. ISAAC PRICE
4. RHODA PRICE
4. ELIZABETH PRICE
4. LETTY PRICE.

3. DAUGHTERS OF SAMUEL HARLESS (Son of John Philip Harless Jr.)

4. POLLY HARLESS m James Hall, 13 Aug. 1819.
4. JOHANNA HARLESS 1789-_____ m Peter Broce, 21 Feb. 1833.
4. MAHALA HARLESS m Thomas Lucas
4. ELIZABETH HARLESS m John Harless
4. SARAH HARLESS m George Key
4. NANCY HARLESS m Samuel Smith, 21 Sept. 1841.
4. JULIA HARLESS m Allen McCoy.

Notes
LINEAGE OF THE WILLIAM CLEMENS FAMILY

1. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS Sr. 1716-1772 m Anna Margaretha Preiss, 17 Feb. 1738.
2. JOHN PHILIP HARLESS Jr. 1748-1822 m Johanna Boscher, 7 Dec. 1767.
3. JOHANNA HARLESS m Jacob Price, son of Michael I. and Margaret (Harless) Price, 10 Sept. 1794.
5. HARRIETT PRICE 1820-1904 m William Clemens 1817-1903.

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1. JOHN CLEMMONS (CLEMENS)
2. JOSHUA CLEMENS m Peggy Cromer in Rockingham Co., Va., 21 Feb. 1809
3. WILLIAM CLEMENS m Harriett Ellen Price, 30 Jan. 1843.
4. JOHN W. CLEMENS m Harriett Linkus, 25 May 1844.
5. CATHARINE CLEMENS m Jabez Hale, 25 Nov. 1831
6. MARY CLEMENS m Tobias Smith, 24 Aug. 1833.
7. NANCY CLEMENS m Jacob Worley, 20 Mar. 1846.
8. SARAH CLEMENS m Fielding J. Faulkner, 1850.

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5. HARRIETT ELLEN PRICE, b 15 Oct. 1820 at Prices Fork, Montgomery Co., Va. d 19 Oct. 1904 at Bolt, W. Va., b in Worley Cemetery. She m William Clemens (Clemmons), b 25 Oct. 1817 at Francis Fork, Mont. Co., Va., d 23 Aug. 1903 at Bolt, W. Va., b in Worley Cemetery. They were m 30 Jan. 1843 and lived near Blacksburg, Va. until 1877 when they moved to Raleigh Co., W. Va. where they bought a farm near Harvey (now Bolt). Some of their descendants have owned and continue to live on that farm.
   Sons: John, William, James, Charles, Hank, Rice   Dau: Mary, Harriett, Paries, Nancy.

6. JOHN HARVEY GREEN CLEMENS, b 11 Nov. 1843 in Mont. Co., Va. m Jennie
   Sons: Dave, George, Crockett.   Dau: Roxie and Mary. All b Bolt, W. Va.
7. DAVE CLEMENS m Minnie
8. GEORGE CLEMENS m
9. CROCKETT CLEMENS dy
10. ROXIE CLEMENS m Canterbury.
11. MARY CLEMENS m John Roseate

6. WILLIAM THOMAS CLEMENS, b 17 Mar. 1845 near Blacksburg, Va., d 20 Feb. 1905 at Promise, Ore. He m Frances Cook, b Giles Co., Va., dau. of Noah Cook, 30 Sept. 1915 at Wallowa, Ore. William Thomas Clemens m Frances Cook, 10 Sept. 1867 in Montgomery Co., Va. He served as a teamster in the Confederate Army against his wishes. When the War was over he did not take his team, as he was entitled to, nor any other compensation. In 1901 he brought his family from Bolt, W. Va. to Wallowa County, Ore. where he homesteaded.
   Sons: John, Jacob, Frank, Wade, Emmett, James, Lacy and Dola Nusom.
   Dau: Harriett, Mary.

7. JOHN WESLEY CLEMENS, b near Blacksburg, Va., 27 July 1868.
8. JACOB THOMAS CLEMENS, b Blacksburg, Va., 3 Aug. 1870, d 4 Apr. 1943 at Portola, Calif., m (1) May V. Deniels in Raleigh Co., W. Va., 2 Nov. 1893; m (2)
Dorothy Pugh, in Wallowa Co., Ore.
Sons: (1) William Dau: Rissie Mary Jane.

8. WILLIAM CORNET CLEMENS, b 4 Apr. 1896 at Bolt, W. Va., m Lillie Bankhead.
Sons: Ross Thurman Dau: Rosella Lee
8. RISSIE MARY JANE CLEMENS, b 11 Oct. 1895 at Bolt, W. Va., m Henry Lytle.
Sons: Bill Dau: Juanita and Mary.

7. FRANK ROY CLEMENS, b 15 Aug. 1881 at Bolt, W. Va., now living in College Place, Wash., m Beulah Wray, b 29 June 1890 at New Concord, Ky., dau. of John Graham and Mary Ellen (Elkins) Wray, 5 Jan. 1908 at Promise, Ore. Mrs. Clemens is a member of the DAR, Paternal line John Mallory of Virginia.
Sons: Richard, Ross, Keith Dau: Mazie, Ival, and Amy.

Sons: None Dau: Martha Eva

Sons: Jerry, Richard Dau:

10. JERRY D. MONTGOMERY, b 31 July 1949, at Vancouver, Wash.
10. RICHARD LEE MONTGOMERY, b 14 Nov. 1956, at Vancouver, Wash.

8. ROSS WRAY CLEMENS, b 25 Mar. 1916 at Wallowa, Ore., m Margaret May Jackson, b 9 Oct. 1917 at Denver, Colo., dau. of R.J.B. and Blossom (Childs) Jackson at Woodland, Wash., 29 Mar. 1942. Mrs. Clemens is a member of the DAR, maternal line George Irish. She is also a Bowler descendant.


8. MAZIE LUCILE CLEMENS, b 1 Jan. 1909 at Promise, Ore., m Albert Alexander Insel, b 2 July 1903 in St. Petersburg, Russia, son of Carl Edward and Julie (_____) Insel, at Kelso, Wash., 23 June 1928. Mrs. Insel is a meber of the DAR, John Mallory line.
Sons: Albert F. Dau: Mary Ann.

9. ALBERT FRANK INSEL, b 15 Sept. 1929 at Woodland, Wash., m Elizabeth Colleen Blankenship, b 9 July 1931 at McFall, Mo., dau. of Ezra D. and Stelle Day (Stapleton) Blankenship, at Woodland, Wash., 11 Aug. 1950.
Sons:
Dau: Mary Kathlee, b 6 June 1952, at Vancouver, Wash.
Susan Elizabeth, b 1 May 1954, Vancouver, Wash.

9. MARY ANN INSEL, b 14 Jan. 1934 at Woodland, Wash., m Guy Franklin Lane, b 18 June 1925 at Kellyville, Okla., son of Roy E. and Lady Beatrice (Williams) Lane at Woodland, Wash., 17 Aug. 1951. Mrs. Lane is a member of the DAR.
Sons: Roy, David Dau: Mara

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10. ROY ALEXANDER LANE, b 20 Dec. 1954

Sons: Leroy, Francis Dau:

Sons: Scott David, b 3 May 1959 in Minneapolis, Minn.

9. FRANCIS CROWE TRENHOLM, b 1 Jan. 1937 at Grand Coulee, Wash., m Mavis Berge, b 18 Sept. 1939 at Finley, N. Dak., dau. of Obert and Adeline Lucile (Hanson) Berge, in Minneapolis, Minn., 4 Feb. 1959.

8. AMY C. CLEMENS, b 14 Mar. 1918 at Woodland, Wash., m Robert Byron Turner, 17 June 1939 at Kelso, Wash. Mrs. Turner is a member of the DAR.

7. WADE HAMPTON CLEMENS, 6 Jan. 1884 at Bolt, W. Va., m (1) Ina E. Inman, 8 Aug. 1910 and (2) Jessie J. Peck, b 5 May 1894 at Hilgard, Ore., dau. of Jesse J. and Jennie (Ripley) Peck, at La Grande, Ore.


8. WILLIAM STANLEY CLEMENS, b 12 Apr. 1922 at Portland, Ore., m (1) Alice Ruth Ervosti and (2) Helen Virginia Powelson, b 27 June 1924 at Vesper, Ore., dau. of Roy and Caroline (Nystrom) Powelson at Vancouver, Wash., 30 Mar. 1959.

Dau: Marsha Rosilyn, b 9 Feb. 1948 at Klamath Falls, Ore.

8. DAVID CLEMENS d infant at Portland, Ore.


Sons: Brian G. b 21 Nov. 1960. Dau:
Sons: Steven b 29 Jan. 1952.
All in Medford, Ore.

7. EMMETT HURST CLEMENS, b 12 Dec. 1886 at Bolt, W. Va., d 5 Apr. 1958 at Klamath Falls, Ore; m Sadie Jane Hammock, b 30 Aug. 1893 at Lostine, Ore., dau. of John Lindsay and Mary Jane (Cook) Hammock at Enterprise, Ore., 4 Oct. 1911.
Sons: Gerald
Dau: Pauline

8. GERALD RAYMOND CLEMENS, b 14 May 1914 at Lostine, Ore., m Henrietta Sophia Ekern, b 22 June 1914 at Lake Park, Minn., dau. of Christian K. and Dorothea (Norby) Ekern, at Spokane, Wash., 25 May 1941.

7. JAMES CLINTON CLEMENS, b 6 Feb. 1889 at Bolt, W. Va., m Pearl Williams, b 9 Apr. 1892 at Cherokee, Okla. Pearl was left an orphan while still a small child and was raised by a sister in Eastern Oregon. She died 21 Nov. 1957 at Wallowa, Ore. They were m 30 June 1911 at Wallowa, Ore.
Sons: James, William
Dau: Hattie, Frances.


8. WILLIAM ROLAND CLEMENS, b 9 Sept. 1917 at Promise, Ore., m Mella Grant, 18 Dec. 1945 at Vallejo, Calif.

8. FRANCES MARIE CLEMENS, b 14 Nov. 1924 in Wallowa, Ore., m (1) Ray Cooper, 17 Mar. 1946 in Portland, Ore.; m (2) Clyde A. Bellamy, son of Clyde and Hazel (Burpee) Bellamy, at Portland, Ore., 1 Jan. 1949.
All in Portland, Ore.


7. DOLA NUSON CLEMENS, b 12 Apr. 1895 at Bolt, W. Va., m Eva Lucile Hanks, b 30 Sept. 1894 at Klamath Falls, Ore., dau. of Marion and Amelia (Heidrich) Hanks, at Klamath Falls, Ore., 18 Dec. 1921.
No Issue.

Sons: Otway (3 children d in infancy, b Worley Cem.)
Sons: Randolph, Eugene. Dau: Janice

9. RANDOLPH FREDERICK COOK, b 23 May 1921 at Beckley, W. Va., m Madge Berry, b 13 Apr. 1919 at Coalburg, W. Va., dau. of Charles and Cecile (Stanley) Berry, at Beckley, W. Va., _____ Nov. 1946.
Sons: Randolph, Michael, Charles. Dau: Pamela


7. MAURY HAMPTON CLEMENS who is now about 80 years of age, therefore b c1880, lives in Cambria, Va.; m Maude Helvey.
Sons: Dau:

7. CLAUDE SIMEON CLEMENS, b _____ May 1883 at Prices Fork, Va., d _____ June 1926 at Prices Fork, Va., m Mary E. Porterfield, b _____ Feb. 1882 in Giles Co., Va., dau. of John B. and Josephine (Williams) Porterfield, at Bristol, Tenn. on _____ 1908. Mary d _____ Apr. 1939. Both are b at Snider Cem., Prices Fork, Va.
Sons: Maury. Dau:

8. MAURY H. (JACK) CLEMENS, b _____ July 1910 at Prices Fork, Va.; m Clairmont Snider, b _____, dau. of
Sons: Gerald O., Frederick W. Dau:

7. LACY H. CLEMENS, b 2 July 1890 at Prices Fork, Va., d 21 Apr. 1947 at Roanoke, Va.; m (1) Celistra Ardella Caldwell, b 29 Aug. 1890 at Catawba, Va., dau. of Edwin and Margaret Ann (Jones) Caldwell; d 2 Jan. 1941, b at Troutville, Va.; M (2) S ______ Bailey.
Sons: (1) Lacy Dau: (1) Mary, Louise.

Sons: Dau:

Sons: Dau: Barbara, Peggy, Betty

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Sons: Eric David, b 29 Dec. 1960 at Washington, D. C.

9. BETTY JOHNSTON, b 29 May 1937 at Roanoke, Va., m Kenneth W. Blount, b 30 July 1933 at Roanoke, Va., son of Carey and Bertha (Light) Blount, at Roanoke, Va., ______ Sept. 1955. 

Sons: Richard Dau:

Sons: Dau:

7. GUY R. CLEMENS, b 26 Sept. 1893 at Prices Fork, Va., m Mary Lee Olinger, b 18 Dec. 1892, d 7 Nov. 1958 at Prices Fork, Va., dau. of R. L. and Mary (Dudley) Olinger, at Christiansburg, Va., on ________. 
No children.

7. ADA CLEMENS, b 3 Apr. 1882 in Mont. Co., Va., m Hayes Shepherd, b ________ in Mont. Co., Va., d 5 Aug. 1952 at Prices Fork, b Snider Cem., son of Ballard and Susan (Surface) Shepherd. 
Sons: James, Willie, Robert, Heith. Dau: Lena, Bettie.

8. JAMES HAMPTON SHEPHERD, b 15 Aug. 1902 in Mont Co., Va., m Julia Long, b ________ 1903, dau. of James R. and Nannie Lou (Surface) Long.

8. WILLIE HOBERT SHEPHERD, b 25 Mar. 1904 in Mont Co., Va., m ________ Snider, b 16 Jan. 1909 in Mont Co., Va. 
Sons: Dau: Pauline

9. PAULINE SHEPHERD, b 19 Apr. 1926 in Mont Co., Va., m Warren McNew. 

8. ROBERT ZOBERT SHEPHERD, b 8 Sept. 1906 in Mont Co., Va.; m Margretta Linkous, b 25 Dec. 1917, dau. of Cecil Houston and Sissy (_______) Linkous. 
Sons: James, Charles Dau: Mary

9. JAMES DOUGLAS SHEPHERD, b 28 Apr. 1952
9. MARY ELIZABETH SHEPHERD, b 1 Sept. 1949.

8. HEITH CONRAD SHEPHERD, b 19 Jan. 1911 in Mont Co., Va. m ________ 
Sons: Jackie, b 12 Jan. 1938, d Sept. 1948. Dau: Mary

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9. MARY CLAUDINE ALLEN SHEPHERD, b 25 Dec. 1936 m [Blank]
   Sons: [Blank] Dau: Paula Gaynell

   Sons: James, William Dau:


9. WILLIAM CARLINE RATCLIFFE, b 5 Dec. 1925 in Mont. Co., Va., d [Blank], accident. m (1) Lois Frances McDaniel, dau. of David and Jollity (Sisk) McDaniel; and (2) Violet Carrol.

8. BETTIE SHEPHERD, b 22 July 1906 in Mont. Co., Va., m James William Harrison, b 4 May 1904.
   Sons: James, Charles, Carl. Dau: Margaret, Ruby, Virginia.


9. MARGARET HARRISON, b 12 Apr. 1927 in Mont. Co., Va., m Raymond Willard Whitlock, b 8 July 1926.

9. RUBY HARRISON, b 28 Oct. 1932 in Pulaski Co., Va., m George Andrew Austin, b 2 Oct. 1925
   Sons:
   Dau: Barbara, b 8 Jan. 1950, Gladys, b 17 July 1948.

9. VIRGINIA GAIL HARRISON, b 19 June 1943 at Radford, Va., m James Edward Sallee, b 7 Sept. 1939 at Louisville, Ky.
   Sons:

6. CHARLES PARIS CLEMENS, b 23 Dec. 1856 at Blacksburg, Va., d [Blank] 1938 at Gary, W. Va., b Gary No. 10 Cem. He was employed by U. S. Coal and Coke Co. from 1902 until he retired 1 Jan. 1929. He was well known thruout the Coal Mining Industry and was highly respected.
   Sons: Charles, Dale Dau: Mrs. C. W. Larry, Mrs. Maggie Walls, Mrs. J. P. Gilbert, Mrs. Joe Spriggs, Mrs. Jarmie Holloway, and Mrs. Fred Dalton. NB. The above information was from an obituary Notice. Further information desired.


7. LEETA THELMA CLEMENS, b 23 May 1902 at Bolt, W. Va., Unmarried.


7. JESSE CLEMENS, b 1 Jan. 1897 at Saxon, W. Va., m Nancy Acord, b 9 Dec. 1910 at Ellison, W. Va., dau. of John J. and Annie (Suttle) Acord, at Ravenscliff, W. Va., 4 Nov. 1950. Jessie has been a school teacher in that area for the past 36 years. No children.


7. NOAH CLEMENS, b 22 June 1900 at Saxon, W. Va., Unmarried.


7. EDD SMITH m _________ One son
7. FRANK SMITH
7. EMERY SMITH Unmarried
7. CARRIE SMITH Unmarried.

6. HARRIETT ELLEN ELIZABETH CLEMENS, b 29 Apr. 1852 at Blacksburg, Va.; m (1) __________ and (2) Charlie Meadows.
     (2) Dewey  Dau: Ollie, Blanch, Edna.

7. CHARLES ROBERT CLEMENS, b 8 Feb. 1876 at Blacksburg, Va., d 1938 at Glen
   White, W. Va., m Elsie Maud __________.
   Sons: Cecil  Dau: Mrs. Chas. Claypool, Mrs. Charles Shepherd,
         Mrs. Audrey Nuckols, and Mrs. Tommy Thomas.

7. OLLIE MEADOWS m Lee Daniels.  Sons: Charles, Clifford, Harry.  Dau Arlene,
    Margaret.


6. NANCY MARGARET CLEMENS, b 24 Nov. 1857 at Blacksburg, Va., d 2 Dec. 1949 at
   Pax, W. Va.; m John Griffith Brunk b 27 April 1852, d _________ 1933 at Blacksburg,
   Sons: Thomas, James, John, Sydney, Dau: Hannah, Lille, Daisy, Maggie, Harriett, Clara,
         Flossie, Bessie.

7. THOMAS PALMER BRUNK, b 28 Feb. 1881 in Mont. Co., Va. m Mary Calmer.
7. JAMES ROYAL BRUNK b 3 June 1893 in Fayette Co., W. Va. m Maysell Pittman.
7. HANNAH FRANCES BRUNK, b 10 Apr. 1876 in Mont. Co., Va., m Jim Dunkley.
   Live in Beckley, W. Va.
7. LILLIE M. BRUNK, b 14 Dec. 1877 in Mont. Co., Va., m George Cole.
7. MAGGIE ANN BRUNK, b 23 May 1884 in Raleigh Co., W. Va.; m Paris Shepherd.
7. CLYDE CLARA BRUNK, b 3 May 1889 in Fayette Co., W. Va., m Charles Blake.
7. FLOSSIE ALICE BRUNK, b 3 Oct. 1881 in Fayette Co., W. Va., m David Reed
   Sons: Tracy, Virgil, Ralph, Carl, Philip, John, James.  Dau: Nelly, Virginia, Dorothy,
   Doris.
8. TRACY ALBERT MORGAN, b 10 Apr. 1910 in Raleigh Co., W. Va., m (1) Mildred
   Stroud and (2) Doris Holcomb.
   Sons: (2) David Albert  Dau: (1) Betty Doris.

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8. VIRGIL RILEY MORGAN, b 5 Sept. 1913 at Wallowa, Ore.
8. JOHN DAVID MORGAN, b 19 Sept. 1922 at Wallowa, Ore.
8. GLEN LEROY MORGAN, b 10 Aug. at Grants Pass, Ore.
8. JAMES PATRICK MORGAN, b 14 Apr. 1929 at Grants Pass, Ore.
8. NELLY CLARA MORGAN, b 28 Dec. 1911 in Fayette Co., W. Va., m Nate Johnson.
   Sons: Teddy
   Dau:

8. VIRGINIA DOROTHY MORGAN, b 4 May 1926 at Grants Pass, Ore.

7. HARRIETT WILLIAM BRUNK, b 10 Jan. 1887 in Raleigh Co., W. Va. m Granville Tyree.
7. BESSIE BEE BRUNK, b 11 Nov. 1899 in Fayette Co., W. Va. d age 9 months.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF HENRY HARLESS SR.,
4th son of John Philip and Anna (Preiss) HARLESS.

2. HENRY HARLESS SR. 1752-1815 was born near Lexington, Va. He married (1) Charity and (2) Elizabeth Province. When his father moved to the German New River Settlement the records show that he bought and sold various tracts of land in that vicinity. Court records, also, indicate that he was appointed Road Overseer for the construction of numerous roads. During the Revolutionary War he served in three different Militia Companies, namely that of Capt. James Byrne, Capt. John Taylor, and Capt. John Preston.

Before 1801 Henry had moved his family to Anderson Co., Tenn. where he lived for more than 10 years. The records of Anderson Co. indicate that he owned land and live stock and that he served on the Grand Jury at several different sessions. Just prior to 1815 he moved to Huntsville, Ala., then Mississippi Territory, where he died in 1815. He left a Will which is on record at Huntsville.


3. DAVID HARLESS 1775-1815, died in Huntsville, Ala., m Elizabeth


4. HENRY HARLESS m Mary M. Hamner 1792-____, dau. of John and Mary (Moore) (Bullock) Hamner, on 26 May 1824 in Madison Co., Ala. by Grant Taylor, J. P.

4. ADAM HARLESS
4. CHARLES HARLESS
4. HIRAM HARLESS m (1) Jane Dowdy, ____ Aug. 1826, and (2) Mary Jones, 25 Nov. 1840.
4. CHARITY HARLESS
4. ELIZABETH HARLESS 1810-____ m John E. Fowler, 1 Oct. 1831 by Thos. Bailey, J.P.

3. HENRY HARLESS JR. 1777-1858 m Margaret Basore (originally LaBesseir) 1789-1862, dau. of Bernard Basore, 20 Aug. 1803. Bernard La Bessier was a Huguenot, born in France, first went to Switzerland and then to Virginia. He settled in Berkeley Co. where he gave considerable financial aid to the Revolutionary Cause. In his Will which is on record in Berkeley Co., dated 27 Oct. 1799, he names among others his daughter, Margaret, who was then 10 years of age.

In 1959 Henry Jr. had an inventory made of the slaves he owned at that time. The value of the slaves was more than $50,000.00. This inventory is on file in the office of Mr. Will F. Franke, Birmingham, Ala.

Sons: Benjamin, John, George, Henry. Dau: Catharine, Polly, Margaret, Susanna, Rhoda.

4. BENJAMIN HARLESS 1806-1849 m ______. Lived in Noxubee Co., Miss. in 1866.

Sons: Charles C, Henry, Dau: Elizabeth, Margaret, Mary

4. JOHN H. HARLESS 1808-1879 m (1) Sarah Nabors, b 1810 in S. Car., d 1875 in Shelby Co., Ala., dau. of Rev. Abraham Nabors, a Methodist Minister, 20 June 1830, by Rev. Joshua West. He m (2) Martha Gassaway 1837-____.

Sons: Charles C., Henry Dau: Margaret, Nancy Eliz, Sarah Rebecca.

5. CHARLES C. HARLESS 1836-1912 m Sarah Moore 1832-____, 14 Jan. 1858.
5. HENRY HARLESS 1839-1888 m Frances Allen 1842-1914, 27 Jan. 1862. They lived at Cahaba Valley.
5. MARGARET C. HARLESS 1832-1867 m Thomas Frost Johnson 1832-____, son of Moses and Hannah (Frost) Johnson. After Margaret died Mr. Johnson m her sister, Nancy Eliz.
Sons: John, Moses, Joseph. Dau: Sarah H.

5. NANCY ELIZABETH HARLESS 1845-1818, b in Donley Co., Tex., m Thomas Frost Johnson 1832-____, his 2nd wife, 6 Oct. 186__ Thomas b in Bessemer, Ala.
Sons: Charles, Thomas, Albert. Dau: Margaret, Marilla, Della, Nancy.

Sons: Thomas, Theodore, Lawrence, Charles Y Jr.
Dau: Sallie, Maudie, Edith, Zelma.

7. THOMAS EUGENE JOHNSON
7. THEODORE JOHNSON
7. LAWRENCE JOHNSON
7. CHARLES YOUNG JOHNSON JR.
7. SALLIE JOHNSON
7. MAUDIE JOHNSON

Sons: Francis Dau:

5. 8. FRANCIS ROLAND SCHENCK JR., b 14 Mar. 1942 in Midland, Texas.

5. SARAH REBECCA HARLESS 1846-1940 m Louis C. Strachner 1849-1941, son of Hiram M. and Selah (______) Strachner.
Sons: None Dau: None

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4. GEORGE RICHARD CROWSON HARLESS, b 19 May 1813, d 9 Oct. 1871 m (1) Clarissa M. Dickenson, b 15 Dec. 1815, d 21 Sept. 1840; m (2) Piety Butler, b 8 July 1820, d 18 Nov. 1887.
Sons: Charles, James Dau: Clarissa

5. CHARLES J. HARLESS 1834-____
5. JAMES F. HARLESS 1840-____
5. CLARISSA HARLESS 1836-____

4. HENRY DAVID THOMPSON HARLESS, b 7 May 18____, d 14 Jan. 1898; m (1) Malinda M. Faust 1822-____, 10 Oct. 1841; m (2) Frances A. Wisdom 1821-____, 19 Aug. 1851; and (3) Mary Ann McClinton, 6 Dec. 1870.
Sons: Dau: Sarah, Charlotte, Louisa.

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Sons: Joshua, Thomas, Benjamin, John, Jesse, Charles.
Dau: Margaret, Hannah, Matilda, Rachel, Arrena, Susan C., Martha, Thesa, Mary, Lucretia.

JOSHUA HENRY FROST, b 9 Apr. 1832, d 23 Nov. 1911 m

THOMAS WASHINGTON FROST, b 26 Jan. 1839, d 27 June 1862. Killed at Battle of Richmond.

JOHN HARLESS FROST, b 14 Oct. 1847, d

JESSE GEORGE FROST, b 11 Sept. 1850, d 29 Apr. 1930 m

CHARLES STRIDER FROST, b 20 Sept. 1854, d _______

MARGARET FROST, b 7 Sept. 1833.
HANNAH C. FROST, b 2 Sept. 1834.
MATILDA C. FROST, b 18 Sept. 1835.
RACHEL E. FROST, b 26 Apr. 1837.
ARENNA S. FROST, b 18 Feb. 1840.
SUSAN CHARLOTTE FROST*, b 15 July 1841

MARTHA JANE FROST, b 30 Oct. 1842.
THESA LOU FROST, b 26 Jan. 1844
MARY Z. FROST, b 13 May 1849.

LUCRETIA FROST, b 13 April 1850.


Sons: Dau: Allena F., Mollie, Charlotte, Bird.


Sons: Frank L., John T., Louis E., George S.
Dau: Bessie (dy), Ruby, Lottie, Alabama, and Elsie.

FRANK LESLIE WEST, b 23 Mar. 1885, d _______ 1924, m Elizabeth E. Silliman 1859-1907.

Sons: Frank L. Jr., Robert Dau: Elizabeth


Sons: Benjamin, John T. Jr. Dau: Katharine, Frances

BEN ALLEN WEST, b 27 July 1911, d 2 June 1956; m Gloria Waldrop.

Sons: Dau: Wanda Allene, Juanita Arlene.

JOHN TAUL WEST JR., b 6 Jan. 1923 m Anna Jean Palmer.


KATHARINE ADELAIDE WEST, b 18 April 1913, m Joseph Curry Varner.

Sons: Joseph Curry Jr. b 22 Nov. 1940, d 29 Nov. 1940. Dau: Joan West.

FRANCES LAMOYNE WEST, b 28 Oct. 1915 m Adrian Thomas McKinsey.

Sons: Adrian Thomas Jr., Joel Arnold Dau: Jane Claire, b 7 Jan. 1946.
Sons: None Dau: Anna and Jean.

8. ANNA FRANCES WEST, b 24 July 1921 in Birmingham, Ala.; m Edward Joseph Simmons, b 9 Sept. 1922 in New York City, son of Edward William and Lillian V. (Murphey) Simmons, in Birmingham, Ala., 16 Jan. 1943.
Sons: Edward J. Jr. Dau: Dyane and Gale

9. EDWARD JOSEPH SIMMONS Jr., b 19 Sept. 1944.
9. DYANE FRANCES SIMMONS, b 13 July 1949


9. RODNEY DEAN KNUDSEN, b 19 Nov. 1951 in Ogden, Utah.
9. NICK CHARLES KNUDSEN, b 4 June 1954 in Ogden, Utah.

7. GEORGE SLAUGHTER WEST, b 9 June 1898 m Maibelle Elizabeth O'Reilley, b 8 Nov. 1900, 20 Aug. 1918.
Sons: Miles, Orland Dau: Martha, Gertrude, Patricia, Kaye.

8. MILES GILMER WEST, b 28 July 1922 m (1) __________. (2) Charlotte Lucile Arnold, b 1 Mar. 1929, 31 July 1953.
Sons: Dau: (1) Ginger, b 2 May 1947.

8. ORLAND GEORGE WEST, b 24 Jan. 1937.

8. MARTHA YVONNE WEST, b 1 Mar. 1921, m Dr. Clarence Richard Hill, b 15 Apr. 1921, 20 June 1942.

Sons: Dau: (1) Sharron, b 17 Nov. 1946, Paula Jean, b 9 Mar. 1952.

8. KAYE SHARRON WEST, b 10 April 1940 m Douglas Perkins, b 23 Aug. 1939, 2 July 1959.
Sons: Dau:

Sons: William Dau: Joanne, Marsha

9. WILLIAM S. GESSAS, b 13 July 1953.
9. JOANNE GESSAS, b 29 May 1948.
7. RUBY ELIZABETH WEST, b 5 Jan. 1889, m Levi Borden Armstrong, b 13 Feb. 1885
   at Lauderdale, Miss., son of Asbury McKendree and Jettie Lucretia (Borden) Armstrong,
   9 Sept. 1914, in Birmingham, Ala.
   Sons: Carl Dau: Elizabeth

8. CARL ARMSTRONG, b 14 July 1923, m (1) Gertrude Martha Mallan, 16 July 1944;
   (2) Mary Stierer Stubel, b 19 Mar. 1921, 28 Nov. 1959.
   Sons: Dau: Anne Marie, b 2 April 1961

8. ELIZABETH ARMSTRONG, b 13 July 1921 m (1) Alexander Earl Burleigh, b 29 June
   1915, d 25 Mar. 1955, 24 Aug. 1941; m (2) David James Esson, b 10 June 1927,
   1 July 1951.
   Sons: (1) Borden C 1942-1944, Alexander Dau: (2) Rebecca, Victoria.

   9. ALEXANDER BURLEIGH, b 24 Feb. 1944.
   9. REBECCA ESSON, b 13 Apr. 1952.

7. LOTTIE LULA WEST, b 2 Feb. 1891, m William Simmons Sanford, b 16 Apr. 1890, 8 Oct. 1913.
   Sons: Dau: Cary

   Sons: William Dau: Rachel

   9. RACHEL MERRIGAN CREEL, b 13 Aug. 1939.

7. ALABAMA WEST, b 2 Apr. 1893, m (1) Walter F. Boswell; m (2) Merritt L. Tice.
   Sons: William Dau:

8. WILLIAM F. BOSWELL, b _____ 1941, m Pearl Josephine Jackson.
   Sons: William Jr. Dau: Chrissie

7. ELSIE SHURBET WEST, b 23 June 1902, m (1) Clarence Jones, b 25 July 1900, m (2) George L. Reiss, b
   2 March 1901.
   Sons: (2) Richard Dau: (1)

8. GAYLE JONES, b 7 Aug. 1922 in Birmingham, Ala., m Billie Burke White, b 26 Apr.
   1921 in Shelby Co., Ala., son of Walter and Barbara Dessell (Faulkner) White, in
   Birmingham, Ala., 14 Feb. 1942.
   Sons: Dau: Linda, Marsha, Gina

9. LINDA REISS WHITE, b 33 March 1943 in Birmingham, Ala.
9. GINA BURKE WHITE, b 24 Sept. 1948 in Birmingham, Ala.

8. RICHARD EMIL RIESS, b 21 Apr. 1933 in Birmingham, Ala., m Martha Rebecca
   Phillips, b 21 Feb. 1935, dau. of Albert Sawyer and Ruth Elsie (Sheehy) Phillips,
   Sons: Richard Dau:

9. RICHARD EMIL REISS JR., b 7 Oct. 1958 in Panama C. Z.
OTHER DAUGHTERS OF HENRY HARLESS JR.

4. POLLY H. HARLESS, b 19 May 1813, m Paul Hampton Nabors, son of Rev. Abraham Nabors, by Rev. Joshua West MD.
   Sons: Dau:

   Sons: Dau:


Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JOHN HARLESS, 3rd son of Henry Harless Sr. (2).


7. MARVIN LOVELL Dead in 1951
7. PAUL LOVELL Dead in 1951
7. MINNIE LOVELL _____-_____ m Labe D. McIntyre. They lived in Abilene, Texas.
7. MATTIE LOVELL _____-_____ m Joseph Smith. They lived in Abilene, Texas.
7. PEARL LOVELL Dead in 1951
7. WURA LOVELL _____-____ Lived in Alaska in 1951.
7. RUTH LOVELL _____-____ Dead in 1951
7. EMMIE LOVELL _____-____ Lived near Clyde, Texas in 1951.
7. WINNIE LOVELL _____-____ d c1948.

5. WILLIAM THOMAS HARLESS, Confederate Soldier, b 28 June 1837 in Madison Co., Ala., d Grice, Texas, 9 Nov. 1909; m (1) Elizabeth Peet 1843-1884, b in Mo., d Collins Co., Texas from measles at childbirth; dau. of Isaac Peet (a school teacher) and _________ (Hunter) Peet, at McKinney, Texas, 18 July 1860; m (2) Drucilla (Baker) McClure. Sons: (1) Henry L, William C., John W., Dau: Sarah, Mary, Margaret, Martha, Ermine, Roxie, Etouye.

6. HENRY LUTHER HARLESS, b 29 June 1861 Nevada, Texas, d 16 Sept. 1934 near Springerville, Ariz. (accident). He left home at age 23 and travelled in Texas, Mexico, N. M. and Ariz. He was a miner, cowboy, construction worker, railroad engineer and rancher. He was the engineer on the first locomotive pulled into Holbrook, Ariz. on the Santa Fe Railroad. He is buried at St. Johns, Ariz. He m (1) Rittie Harris, b 23 July 1874, d 1 Jan. 1892 in childbirth at Pecos, Texas, dau. of N. A. and Malinda (_______) Harris, at Pecos, Texas, 29 Dec. 1890; m (2) Mrs. Sadie Thompson at Eager Ariz. Sons: Dau: Rittie (d at birth).

7. JAMES EDWARD HARLESS, b 18 Oct. 1892 at Royce City, Texas; m Annie May Cope, b 18 May 1897 at Royce City, Texas; dau. of Henry Thomas and Mary Ellen (Bailey) Cope, at Marlow, Okla., 21 Nov. 1916. They live in Phoenix, Ariz.

8. LEROY EVERT HARLESS, b 7 Nov. 1917, d 11 Nov. 1917, at Thatcher, Ariz.

Sons: Grant, Glen  Dau: Janell, Linda

9. GRANT EDWARD HARLESS, b 27 Nov. 1947 at Phoenix, Ariz.
9. LINDA HARLESS, b 3 Sept. 1954 at Mesa, Ariz.

Sons: Steven, James, and Terry.  Dau:

8. JESSIE PEARL HARLESS, b 21 Dec. 1923 at Thatcher, Ariz.; m Scott Eart Hooten, 3 June 1947.
Sons:  Dau:

8. LEONA HARLESS
8. VELDA HARLESS

7. WILLIAM HENRY HARLESS, b 14 Feb. 1902, at Kelsey, Upshur Co., Texas; m Thora Allen, b 27 Nov. 1905, at Mesa, Ariz., dau. of Elijah and Emma (Neilson) Allen, at Mesa, Ariz., 1 June 1928. William Henry Harless is now Director of Instruction at El Camino College, Calif. He was granted an AB degree at Univ. of Ariz., 2 June 1926, an MA degree, Stanford Univ., 18 June 1939, and a Ph. D. degree at Stanford Univ., 9 Jan. 1948. He was President of Eastern Arizona Junior College, 1 July 1944 to 30 June 1951. Mrs. Harless was a student at the Univ. of Utah, 1924 to 1926.

8. WILLIAM HENRY HARLESS JR., b 18 Sept. 1929, at Mesa, Ariz., m Carol Jean Obert, b 20 Mar. 1934, dau. of Carl and Hazel (Lewis) Obert, 21 June 1957, at Los Angeles, Calif. Wm. H. Harless Jr. is now a Research Physicist at Douglas Aircraft Corp. He was granted an AB degree by the University of California at Los Angeles in 1954, and attend Stanford Univ. 1956-1957 and 1961-1962.
Sons:  Dau: Shawnette, b 20 Feb. 1959.

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(Jay Bruce Harless MD was in Germany from Dec. 1953 until May 1956, and while there engaged a genealogist who located the marriage record of John Philip Harless (1) and Anna Margaretha Preiss in the Lutheran Marriage Register, at Germersheim, Germany)


Notes
7. **RICHARD FIELDING HARLESS**, born 6 Aug. 1905 in Kelsey, Texas, where he lived to the age of ten when the family moved to Marlow, Okla. where his father died on 16 Apr. 1916. In Sept. of 1917 his mother brought the family to Thatcher, Ariz. where they lived until Sept. 1919 when they moved to Eager, Ariz. where they lived for almost one year at the home of Henry Luther Harless, an uncle of Richard's, who had moved to Arizona in the early 1880's.

In 1920 the family returned to Thatcher, Ariz. where Richard was in grade and high school. In 1924 he enrolled at the University of Arizona where he received a pre-med certificate in June 1928. He then taught and coached athletics in the Marana Ariz. high school (1928-30) and then entered the University of Arizona Law School where he was granted a Juris Doctor's Degree in June 1933. He began the practice of Law in Phoenix, Ariz. In 1935 he was appointed Assistant City Attorney of Phoenix and in 1936 he was appointed Assistant Attorney General of Arizona.

At this time he began a distinguished political career when he was elected County Attorney of Maricopa County in 1938. He served in that office for four years and then was elected to the United States Congress, representing Arizona at large. He was re-elected twice, serving the people of Arizona in Washington for six years.

In 1948, at the request of the incumbent Governor Sidney P. Osborn, who was ill, Richard entered the race as Candidate of the Democrat Party for Governor, but lost by a small margin. In 1950 he was again a candidate for the nomination and again lost by a small margin. Richard then returned to Washington, D.C. where he was appointed Legislative Counsel for the Atlantic Union Committee whose President was former Supreme Court Justice, Owen J. Roberts. When this assignment was completed he returned to Arizona. He was then prevailed upon to run again for Congressman, but he had been absent from Arizona too long, so was not re-elected.

Since 1954 he has had a general law practice in Phoenix. He is particularly interested in Indian Affairs and devotes considerable time as Counsellor for our first Americans.

RICHARD FIELDING HARLESS m Margaret Leone Harris, b 12 Aug. 1908 in Auburn, Washington, dau. of Thomas Fredrick and Margaret (Tanner) Harris, 8 June 1934. Margaret (Tanner) Harless passed away in Phoenix, Ariz., on 9 July 1939. Richard then m Meredith Howard, of Tulsa, Okla. and Washington, D.C., in Alexandria, Va., 29 Nov. 1948.

Sons: (1) Fredrick, Glen

Dau: None.

8. **FREDRICK CROUSIN HARLESS**, b 8 Nov. 1936, d 29 June 1959. He was accidentally killed while mountain climbing near Berchtesgarten, Germany. He was born in Phoenix, Ariz.


7. **CHARLES LEROY HARLESS**, b ___ Aug. 1908 at Mayfield, Okla., m Lavon Bonnie Thornton.

Sons: Dau: Bonnie


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7. CLAUDE EARL HARLESS, b 12 Feb. 1912 at Joyce, Texas.

Sons: Cecil, Alma, Lawson, Derral, Harold and Herman. Dau: Geneva

Sons: Donald, Larry, Gerald
Dau:

9. GERALD LEE COPE, b 13 June 1956 at Phoenix.

8. ALMA RUSSELL COPE, b 2 Sept. 1920 at Thatcher, Ariz.; m (1) Betty Mae Thompson, b 1 May 1926 at Jerome, Ariz. at Wickenburg, Ariz., 5 Mar. 1942 and (2) Daisy Montgomery.
Sons:
Dau: Bonnie


Sons: Dewayne
Dau: Karen, Yvonne, De Anna, Jan

9. DE ANNA COPE, b 27 Nov. 1956 at Mesa, Ariz.
9. JAN COPE, b 28 July 1959 at Mesa, Ariz.

Sons: Dennis, Brent
Dau: Jody, Karie

9. KARIE LYNN COPE, b 2 May 1961 at Anaheim, Calif.

8. GENEVA COPE, b 7 Mar. 1918 at Lonestar, Ariz., m Charles Edward Lee, b 27 Nov. 1913 at Ancon, Canal Zone, Panama, son of Benson Eugene and Anna Teresa (Angulo) Lee, at Phoenix, Ariz., 17 April 1936.
Sons: Norman
Dau: Shirley

9. NORMAN KENT LEE, b 27 May 1937 at Pima, Ariz. m Inez Bailey, b 21 Nov. 1939, dau. of William Marion and Mary L. E. (Rushing) Bailey, at San Diego, Calif., 14 July 1956.
Sons: Norman Kent Jr.
Dau: Lorrie Lynne

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10. NORMAN KENT LEE JR., b 1 July 1958 at San Diego, Calif.

9. SHIRLEY ANN LEE, b 3 Feb. 1939 at Prescott, Ariz.

7. MAUDIE JEWEL HARLESS, b 8 Oct. 1897 at Royce City, Tex.; m Orrin Waldo Berry, 3 June 1920.

7. SUSAN ELIZABETH HARLESS, b 24 Jan. 1900 at Royce City, Texas, d 7 July 1900.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JOHN HARLESS, 3rd son of Henry Harless Sr.

6. JOHN WESLEY HARLESS, 3rd son of William Thomas Harless, b 4 Nov. 1872, Nevada, Texas, d 4 July 1939 in Pinal Co., Ariz., buried in Casa Grande Cemetery. He m Mary Eula Evans, b 7 Aug. 1880 in Nevada, Texas, d 10 Dec. 1936 at Coolidge, Ariz., dau. of Emanuel Henry and Mary J. (Robinson) Evans, in Nevada, Texas, 3 Sept. 1899. Both were Methodists, he was a farmer lost his eyesight before he died.
Sons: John, Emanuel.
Dau: Mary, Minnie, Rittie, Laura, Lou, Edith.

7. JOHN ROBERT HARLESS, b 1 Oct. 1900 at Nevada, Texas; m Caroline Minerva Beckham, b 24 Dec. 1900 at Seaton, Texas, dau. of John Perkins and Mary Missouri (Bolles) Beckham, at Haskell, Texas, 21 Jan. 1923.
Sons: Robert
Dau: Mary


8. MARY ELIZABETH HARLESS, b 13 April 1902 at Nevada, Texas, d 2 Jan. 1946 at San Bardon, Calif.; m William Henry Anglin, b 1 Dec. 1890. They were m at Lockney, Texas, 21 (31) Oct. 1920. W. H. Anglin (m (2) Mrs. Mazel Gaynor, 4 June 1946 at Tempe, Ariz. He d 30 Sept. 1950 at Tempe, Ariz.
Sons: J. W., J. H, William
Dau: Mary

9. ROBERT LLOYD ANGLIN, b 11 Jan. 1924, Haskell, Tex., m Lila Lee Hahn, b 14 May 1929. They were m at Los Angeles, Calif., 10 Aug. 1946.
Sons: Elizabeth, Penny
Dau: Elizabeth, Penny

10. WILLIAM GARY ANGLIN, b 11 June 1952 at San Bardino, Calif.
10. WALTER DAVID ANGLIN, b 31 Dec. 1953 at San Bardino, Calif.
10. KAREN KRISTINE ANGLIN, b 31 Jan. 1947 at San Bardino, Calif.
10. CAROL COLLEEN ANGLIN, b 20 June 1949 at San Bardino, Calif.

9. ROBERT LLOYD ANGLIN, b 11 Jan. 1924, Haskell, Tex., m Lila Lee Hahn, b 14 May 1929. They were m at Los Angeles, Calif., 10 Aug. 1946.
Sons: Elizabeth, Penny
Dau: Elizabeth, Penny

10. ELIZABETH MARY ANGLIN, b 13 Aug. 1947 at Redlands, Calif.
10. PENNY LEE ANGLIN, b 7 Oct. 1950 at Mesa, Ariz.

9. LUTHER VERNON ANGLIN, b 30 July 1926 at Haskell, Tex., m Colleen Flowers.
Sons: Catharine, Suzanne
Dau: Catharine, Suzanne

10. CATHERINE LEATHA ANGLIN, b 18 Jan. 1949 at San Bernardino, Calif.
10. SUZANNE BEATRICE ANGLIN, b 1 Dec. 1953.

Sons: Edward, b 4 Sept. 1948 at Tempe, Ariz.

7. MINNIE ELIZA HARLESS, b 20 Apr. 1904 at Nevada, Tex., m Frank James Dodson, b 8 June 1899, son of Robert and Minnie (Williams) Dodson, at Haskell, Tex., 21 Dec. 1924.
Sons: F. W., Davis, Albert, Frank, John       Dau: Opal


8. DAVIS ODELL DODSON, b 11 Aug. 1927 at Haskell, Tex., m Wanda Jean Lankford, b 27 Dec. 1927.

8. ALBERT LAVOY DODSON, b 11 July 1929 at Haskell, Tex. m Audrey Ruth Stahalecker, b 16 June 1934, 11 Oct. 1948.
Sons:                        Dau: Jeanette Marie, b 20 May 1950.

8. FRANK DODSON
8. JOHN DODSON

8. OPAL DODSON, b 3 July 1931 at Haskell, Tex., m Frank Edward Mendenhall, b 9 Dec. 1930, (Second m for Frank Mendenhall.) They were m 4 July 1949.

7. RITTIE HARLESS

7. LAURA ANN HARLESS, b 7 July 1907 at Nevada, Tex., d 6 May 1942 at Tucson, Ariz.,
m (1) Marlin Davis Dodson, b 3 Oct. 1904, son of Robert and Minnie (Williams) Dodson, 30 Aug. 1924. Marlin was injured in a tornado and d 10 May 1927 at Nevada, Tex.
Sons: (2) John       Dau: (1) Eula (2) Katharine, Laura, Reba

8. KATHARINE INEZ GLEN, b 10 Dec. 1929 at Plainview, Tex.; a Registered Nurse;
m Ivan H. Fowler, 3 Dec. 1950 at Tucson, Ariz.

8. LAURA JUANITA GLEN, b 7 July 1931 at Lubbock, Tex., m (1) Harold Joe Baker and (2) John L. Rice, 4 July 1954.

8. JOHN HENRY GLEN, b 17 Apr. 1938 at Coolidge, Ariz. m Lettie E. Wills, b 24 Aug. 1939 at Bakersfield, Calif., dau. of Theodore Dewey and Claudie May(Griffith) Wills, at Bakersfield, Calif. 18 May 1956.
Sons: John, Matthew        Dau: Anna, Lettie

9. LETTIE YVONNE GLEN, b 18 June 1960 at Wasco, Calif.

Sons: Robert Dean Jr.       Dau:

Sons: Ralph, Robert         Dau: Mildred.

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   Sons: Raymond, Randall
   Dau:

9. RANDALL ALFORD VEASEY, b 9 Nov. 1960 at Coolidge, Ariz.

8. ROBERT CALVIN VEASEY, b 3 Sept. 1932 at Coolidge, Ariz., m Dolores Myrtle A _______ 15 Nov. 1958 at A _________, Calif.
   Sons:                   Dau: Deborah Leigh, b 6 Aug. 1959.

8. MILDRED JUNE VEASEY, 11 June 1934 at Coolidge, Ariz., (Registered Nurse); m David H. Davis, 23 Nov. 1956 at Albuquerque, N.M.
   Sons: David Ralph b 10 June 1959. Dau: Catharine Louise, b 16 Nov. 1957.

8. WANDA LOUISE VEASEY, b 26 July 1937 at Coolidge, Ariz., (Registered Nurse); m Forrest Eugene Edge, 6 June 1959 at Coolidge, Ariz.
   Sons: Paul David, b 28 Mar. 1960 at Florence, Ariz. Dau:

   Sons: Justin Dau: Mary, Edith

8. JUSTIN IRVIN WARD JR., 31 Aug. 1933 at Coolidge, Ariz., m ______
   Sons: Ivan, Justin Dau: Darla, Karen

8. EDITH LOUISE WARD, b 20 July 1939, d 20 Oct. 1941.

7. EMANUEL BENTON HARLESS, 2nd son of John Wesley (6), b 20 May 1916 at Denton, Tex., 26 May 1916.

Notes
6. SARAH ELIZA HARLESS, b 19 Feb. 1863 at Nevada, Tex., dau. of William Thomas Harless, d 26 July 1939 at Clyde, Texas; m William E. Manahan, 17 Nov. 1883. 
Sons: William Heard Dau: Mary

7. WILLIAM HEARD MANAHAN, b 29 Jan. 1887 in Collins Co., Texas, d 24 Feb. 1941 at Abilene, Texas; m Stella Todd, dau. of Benjamin and Bettie (Dakan) Todd, in Canton, Texas, 27 Dec. 1908
Sons: Wilburn, Roy Dau: Lexie Lee, Mary

8. WILBURN HEARD MANAHAN, b 1 Nov. 1914 at Greenville, Tex.; m Mary Jo Alterson at Abilene, Tex., 15 Oct. 1940.
Sons: Dau: Mary Ann, b Oct. 1942.

8. ROY WILLIAM MANAHAN, b 22 July 1920 at Abilene, Texas; m Doris Antiley, 5 Feb. '42.
Sons: Dau:

8. LEXIE LEE MANAHAN, b 10 Sept. 1911 at Greenville, Texas; m Garvin Cathy, 13 Aug. 1933.
Sons: Dau: Sondra Kay

8. MARY MINNIE MANAHAN, m James W. Ray.
Sons: Dau: Sylvia.

9. SYLVIA RAY m Victor Cox, b in Plainview, Tex. From a Plainview paper dated 23 June 1939; "The Victor Cox family, father, mother and two sons are working in pictures at Hollywood, Calif".

6. MARY CATHRAN HARLESS, b 14 Mar. 1866 in Nevada, Texas, d 24 Mar. 1931; m William D. Bryant, 1 Dec. 1883. They Lived at Port Lavaca, Texas.
Sons: William, Henry Dau: Alice, Blanche

6. MARGARET BELLE ZORA HARLESS, b 16 Jan. 1870 at Nevada, Texas, d 17 Sept. 1947 at Post, Texas; m Jesse Calvin (Doc) Williams, b 29 Nov. 1859 at Salisbury, N. C., son of William and Martha (Bailey) Williams, d 17 June 1918 at Royce City, Texas.
Sons: William, Jesse, Worthie, Lee, Harvie, James, Naubie.
Dau: Ollie, Bonnie, Jewel.

7. WILLIAM ELZIE WILLIAMS, b 22 Aug. 1892, d 23 Jan. 1948, a Commercial Chauffeur, m Macile Jackson.
Sons: Dau:

7. JESSE LUTHER WILLIAMS, b 12 Aug. 1894 at Royce City, Texas, d 22 April 1960; m Velvie Maybell Hutton, b 26 Aug. 1899 at Alvarado, Texas, 14 April 1917 at Caddo Mills, Texas.
Sons: Jesse Dau: Wanda, Lois, Sammie

8. JESSE OZELL WILLIAMS, b 15 April 1922 at Caddo Mills, Tex.; m Margaret Marie Justice. Jesse has been County Commissioner of Garza County for many years.
Sons: Ronnie Joe Dau: Maralyn Lee
8. WANDA LEE WILLIAMS, b 26 June 1925 at Caddo Mills, Texas, operates a Beauty Salon at Post, Texas, m Reese Edgar Carter, 20 Jan. 1946.

8. LOIS JUANITA WILLIAMS, b 10 May 1933, Garza Co., Texas; m Billy Ray Case, at Post, Texas, 24 May 1952.
Sons: Dau: Rhonda

8. SAMMIE LADELL WILLIAMS, b 27 Aug. 1936 at Post, Texas, m Allan W. Maddox

7. LEE MONROE WILLIAMS, b 10 Sept. 1897 at Royce City, Tex., m Dovie Lee Hutton, 24 July 1926. No children.

7. HARVIE GOBLE WILLIAMS, b 17 Jan. 1900 at Fate, Texas (Mortician); m Ola May Kurfees, b 27 April 1905 at Caddo Mills, dau. of Robert and Lucy Ann (Byers) Kurfees, at Caddo Mills, 3 July 1920.
Sons: Dau: Evelyn, Iva, Margaret, Joyce.

No children.

Sons: Dau: Sandra Gayle, b 13 Oct. 1948 at Dallas, Texas.

8. MARGARET OLETA WILLIAMS, b 10 May 1925 at Caddo Mills; d 7 Jan. 1953; m Doya Allen McAbee, b 3 Mar. 1920 at Alba, Texas, son of Thomas and Ida (Taylor) McAbee, at Caddo Mills, 8 Aug. 1941.
No children.

8. JOHN HARLESS MCCASLAND, b 20 Mar. 1932 at Post, Texas; m Shirley Ruth Hanson, dau. of W. P. Hanson, a Baptist Minister, at Fort Worth, 9 Dec. 1953. Sons: John, Jimmy David, Jackie William Dau: Jerry Ruth


7. BONNIE ELIZA WILLIAMS, b 20 Aug. 1902 at Royce City, d 16 July 1906.


8. JOSEPH HENRY BAILEY, b 21 Mar. 1917 at Refugio, Tex., m Frances Martha Helen Prochasta, b 3 Apr. 1919 at Robstown, Tex., dau. of Frank and Barbara (Vesek) Prochasta, at Refugio, Tex., 1 Jan. 1946. Dau: Marilyn Genevieve, Carol Ann

8. JESSE JAMES BAILEY, b 14 Mar. 1918 m Mollie Bess Davis, 27 Aug. 1949. Dau:

8. ROBERT EDWARD BAILEY, b 6 Nov. 1924 at Refugio, Tex., m Carrol Joan Newport, b 28 Apr. 1925, at Chicago, Ill., dau. of John Joseph and Helen (Courtney) Newport, 25 Nov. 1948. Sons: Joe Dau: Kathy

8. JOHN FILLMORE BAILEY, b 15 Sept. 1903 at Refugio, Tex., m Jewel St. John, 23 Nov. 1927. Dau:

8. CLAUDE FRANKLIN BAILEY, b 20 Dec. 1908 at Refugio, Tex., m Bertha O. Neese, 5 July 1941. Dau:

7. ROXIE ELLEN BAILEY, b 16 July 1891 at Canton, Tex., d 12 Feb. 1952, m Ollie W. Gilbert.


8. CHARLES ALVIN RILEY, b 20 Sept. 1919 at Refugio, Tex., m Maxine E. Derrough, 27 June 1940.

8. PATRICK WILSON RILEY, b 5 Nov. 1930
8. FANNIE MAY RILEY, b 27 Nov. 1916 at Bloomington, Tex., m
8. SARAH ALICE RILEY, b 12 Dec. 1923 m James W. Dixon
8. MURTY JOSEPHINE RILEY, b 26 Feb. 1926, m John A. Moehr, 21 Nov. 1946.

Sons: Richard, Dau: Lenora, Beatrice.

8. RICHARD EUGENE DUELBERG, b 8 July 1937
8. LENORA AUGUSTA DUELBERG, b 21 Nov. 1924, m Odell W. Kerr, 14 Feb. 1942.
8. BEATRICE IRENE DUELBERG, b 13 Jan. 1927
8. FRANCES EUDORA DUELBERG, b 16 Jan. 1929.

7. COMIE DORA SCHLEY BAILEY, b 24 Jan. 1902, d 5 April 1902.
7. THELMA GLADYS BAILEY, b 7 Nov. 1907, d 1 Mar. 1908.
Sons: (1) Daniel Dau: (1) Betty, Peggy.

8. DANIEL ERNEST OAKES JR., b 5 Mar. 1933 at Lyford, Tex.
8. BETTY MAY OAKES, b 26 July 1930, d 26 July 1930.
8. PEGGY JEAN OAKES, b 1 Sept. 1935 at Harlingen, Tex.

Sons: James, Harvey Dau: Ellie, Zeffie, Virgie

7. JAMES BRURY BAILEY, b 25 June 1896 at Canton, Tex., d 25 June 1897.
7. HARVEY PATEN BAILEY, b 11 Nov. 1899 at Canton, Tex., m Tennie Fisher, 22 Sept. 1918.
7. ELLIE IDA BAILEY, b 11 May 1898, m Alvin Campbell, 22 Nov. 1914.

Sons: Roy, Keiffer, Cecil, James, Herschel, Lewis, Thomas
Dau: Louise, Agatha, Alice, Nancy, Jerry.

8. ROY EUGENE MCCASLAND, b 20 Jan. 1924, m Wanda J. Hughes
Sons: James Milton, Kenneth Wayne Dau:

8. KEIFFER OZELL MCCASLAND, b 18 May 1926 m Betty Hughes
Sons: Dau: Linda

8. CECIL BAILEY MCCASLAND, b 5 Mar. 1929, d 26 Mar. 1929.
8. JAMES DONALD MCCASLAND, b 2 Apr. 1930, m Jowanda M ________.
8. HERSCHEL DELONE MCCASLAND, b 29 Dec. 1932
8. LEWIS NOLAN MCCASLAND, b 29 Mar. 1936

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8. THOMAS REGAN MCCASLAND, b 19 July 1940.
8. LOUISE DURELLE MCCASLAND, b 2 Apr. 1930, m David Heath,
   Sons: Larry
   Dau: Sharon, Sandra Kay
8. AGATHA JOYCE MCCASLAND, b 25 June 1935, m R. B. James
8. ALICE LEVERN MCCASLAND, b 21 Mar. 1943, d 2 Apr. 1943.
8. NANCY CAROLYN MCCASLAND, b 20 July 1945.
8. JERRY LYNN MCCASLAND, b 4 July 1947.

7. BESSIE LEE BAILEY, b 21 Feb. 1906 m Charles Pearce, 17 Dec. 1929.
7. LULA NEOMA BAILEY, b 17 Nov. 1907, m Homer Franklin Fincher, b 6 May 1903,
   son of Franklin and Nancy (Gage) Fincher, 11 Jan. 1931 at Canton, Tex.
7. RUTHIE ESTELL BAILEY, b 30 Jan. 1913, d 27 Dec. 1960, m Homer Thompson,
   16 Jan. 1937.

Notes
6. ROXIE ELIZABETH HARLESS, dau. of William Thomas Harless) b 19 Nov. 1878 at Nevada, Texas, d 26 July 1932 at Mineral Wells, Tex., m Joseph Emanuel Evans, b 12 April 1877 at El Dorado, Ark., son of Richard Caswell and Sarah Elizabeth (Howard) Evans, 14 April 1901. Roxie was baptised into the Mormon Church 11 May 1878. Her husband was a farmer and a Baptist. He died 10 Feb. 1941 at Plainview, Texas.

Sons: Joseph, William, Henry, Elven, Bennie, George, Albert
Dau: Sallie, Willie, Mary, Allene, Viola.

7. JOSEPH ALLEN EVANS, b 17 July 1904 at Nevada, Tex., Baptist and Farmer; m Velma May Beckham, b 8 June 1924, at Santa Ana, Tex., dau. of John Perkins and Mary Missouri (Bolles) Beckham, 8 June 1924 at Haskell, Tex.

Sons: Allen, Billy
Dau: Helen, Winnie, Betty Jo.


Sons:
Dau: Edna, Deborah

9. EDNA ARLENE EVANS, b 11 Jan. 1958 at Hale Center, Tex.
9. DEBORAH JEAN EVANS, b 26 Aug. 1959 at Hale Center, Tex.


Sons:
Dau: Suzanne, Winnie

8. JOE HARRISON CAUDLE, b 9 Feb. 1948 at Lubbock, Tex.


8. WINNIE FAY EVANS, b 19 Aug. 1930 at Kress, Tex. (Registered Nurse) m Elmer Dwayne Fleming, b 9 July 1929 at Tahoka, Tex., son of Pierce Kilgore and Elizabeth Ann (liles) Fleming at Snyder, Tex., 26 Nov. 1952.

Son:
Dau:


7. WILLIAM BAILEY EVANS, 29 Sept. 1906 at Nevada, Tex. Baptist, (Deacon), Farmer, Rancher; m Blanche Frierson, b 6 Dec. 1904 at Rockdale, Tex., dau. of Alimont Alexander and Eva Clarice (Jones) Frierson, at Stamford, Tex., 24 Nov. 1937.

Sons:
Dau: Eva Roxie, b 8 Mar. 1947 at Pecos, Texas.

7. HENRY LUTHER EVANS, b 19 Mar. 1908 at Nevada, Tex., Baptist and Farmer, m Lola Eavenson Wells, b 15 June 1912 at Teleque, Okla., dau. of ________, at Clovis, N. M., 22 Nov. 1954.


Sons:
Dau: Eve Roxanne, b 1 July 1943 at Elko, Nev.

7. GEORGE ARTHUR EVANS, b 12 Feb. 1914 at Nevada, Tex., m Vera Maybelle Wilson, b 21 July 1920 at Buffalo Gap, Tex., dau. of Oliver Haynes and Jewel Almeta (Brockerson) Wilson, at Kress, Tex., 21 July 1938.
Sons: Dau: Carolyn


8. NORMAN WILSON EVANS, b 15 Oct. 1944 at Waco, Texas.


Sons: Louie Dau: (Foster daughter) Zelma

8. LOUIE BARTON DENDY, 12 Sept. 1923 at Haskell, Tex., a Baptist Minister, m Wanitah Clydell Mc Leroy, b 13 Dec. 1921 at Brownfield, Tex., dau. of Charles Jefferson and Annie Eugenia (Keeling) Mc Leroy, in Columbia, S. Car., 4 June 1944.
Sons: Charles, John Dau: Dannah, Rebecca

9. JOHN MCLEROY DENDY, b 2 Feb. 1953 at Richland, Wash.
9. DANNAH ANN DENDY, b 30 Apr. 1948 at Brownwood, Tex.

8. ZELMA NANNIE ELKINS, b 7 Feb. 1935 at Tulia, Tex., dau. of Coy Leroy and Virgie Christine (Brock) Elkins. She was raised by Robert and Sallie Dendy from the time when she was 6 mos. and 4 days of age. She m Jack Roger Beckham, b 5 May 1929, son of Clyde Clifford and Mary A. (Reed) Beckham, at Plainview, Tex., 25 Dec. 1954.
Sons: John Beckham, b 30 Sept. 1960 at Lubbock, Tex.

7. WILLIE ESTELLE EVANS, b 15 April 1903 at Nevada, Tex., Unmarried.

7. MARY ALICE EVANS, b 12 Feb. 1914 at Nevada, Tex., m Dennis Orville Jackson, b 16 Sept., 1908, son of Albert Sidney and Amanda Jane (Dennis) Jackson at Kress, Tex., 3 Aug. 1934.

7. ALLENE ELIZABETH EVANS, b 28 Nov. 1916 at Nevada, Tex., Baptist and School Teacher; m Clyde Mancil Saul, b 4 April 1916 at Salesville, Tex., son of Andrew Mancil and Willie Dean (Granham) Saul, at Silverton, Tex., 8 June 1940.
Sons: Robert, Jimmy Dau:

8. ROBERT MANCIL SAUL, b 27 Dec. 1943 at Plainview, Tex.
8. JIMMY CLYDE SAUL, b 11 April 1946 at Tulia, Tex.
7. VIOLA PEARL EVANS, b 5 Mar. 1923 at Haskell, Tex. m (1) Lyndell McClure, b 20 May 1920 at Crosbyton, Tex., son of Charles Clifton and Florence Irene (Barnes) McClure, 3 Aug. 1942 at Rockford, Ill. Lydell McClure was killed 4 Mar. 1945 while serving with the 53 Division in Germany. Viola m (2) John David McCormack, 7 June 1946.

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6. ETOYLE HARLESS (Youngest dau. of William Thomas Harless), b c 1881-dc1885.
6. BOAZ HARLESS 1892-1896.

Sons: Alvin, John, Thomas, Jesse   Dau: Gladys, Willie, Lois, Bertie, Mary.

7. ALVIN WILLIAMS ALLSBROOKS, b 23 Dec. 1914 at Perryville, Tex., d 30 April 1937.

7. JOHN ALBERT ALLSBROOKS, b 22 July 1917 at Farmersville, Tex., m Mertie Lee Hudson,

7. THOMAS URON ALLSBROOKS, b 21 Nov. 1919 at Farmersville, Tex., m Leona Mason, 26 Dec. 1942.
Sons: Thomas, Charles

7. JESSE MORTON ALLSBROOKS, b 28 Feb. 1928 at Farmersville, Tex.

7. GLADYS DEALIA ALLSBROOKS, b 22 May 1913 at Grice, Tex., m (1) John L. Ward, 12 May 1932; m (2) Sam Lott, 12 July 1935.
Sons:   Dau: (1) Flossie

8. FLOSSIE MAY WARD, b 7 Mar. 1933 at Lindale, Tex., m

7. WILLIE FAY ALLSBROOKS, b 21 Nov. 1919 at Farmersville, Tex., m James E. Prather, 27 May 1939.
Sons: Kenneth   Dau: Cora, Dorothy, Martha, Sarah.

8. KENNETH CARROL PRATHER, b 6 Feb. 1946 at Farmersville, Tex.
8. CORA LILLIE PRATHER, b 5 Mar. 1940 at Farmersville, Texas.
8. DOROTHY LOUISE PRATHER, b 13 June 1943 at Farmersville, Tex.
8. MARTHA FAY PRATHER, b 9 Jan. 1948 at New Mexico.
8. SARAH MARIE PRATHER, b 11 May 1951 at Farmersville, Tex.

7. LOIS MAY ALLSBROOKS, b 13 Jan. 1922 at Farmersville, Tex., m William Floyd Curry, 31 Jan. 1942.
Sons: William   Dau: Mary

8. WILLIAM THOMAS CURRY, b 25 May 1943 at Lindale, Tex.
8. MARY ELIZABETH CURRY, b 6 Aug. 1945 at Lindale, Tex.

7. BERTIE LILLIAN ALLSBROOKS, b 19 Oct. 1924 at Farmersville, Tex., m Lonnie Dickerson, 19 Sept. 1942.
Sons: Steven, Jesse   Dau: Mary Ann

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8. STEVEN ANDREW DICKERSON, b 12 Oct. 1946 at Wichita Falls, Tex.
8. JESSE MORTON ALLSBROOKS

7. MARY ANN ALLSBROOKS, b 3 Nov. 1932 at Farmersville, Tex.


5. JOHN BYRON HARLESS 1833-1887 m Sarah Elizabeth Graves 1846-1917, 3 Jan. 1869. Sons: Dudley W. Dau: Drucilla, Della, Martha, Cassie, Julia D.

5. MILDRED CATHERINE HARLESS 1839-_____ m John C. Welbourn
5. MARY ELIZABETH HARLESS 1842-_____ m Robert Hannah.
5. SARAH EMMA HARLESS 1846-1889 m Wiley M. Graves 1832-1884, 18 Oct. 1865. Sons: Wiley F. Dau: Mary
5. MARGARET J. HARLESS 1847-1873 m William P. (Dick) Harris, 16 Nov. 1872.
5. MARTHA S. HARLESS 1851-_____ m James K. McBee, 27 Dec. 1870.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JOHN HARLESS, 3rd son of Henry Harless Sr. (2).
Line of Thomas Samuel Harless, 2nd son of John Harless.

4. THOMAS SAMUEL HARLESS 1818- ___ m (1) Elizabeth (Allison) Richards 1820-1866, dau. of William and Sadie (Kirby) Allison, (widow of John Richards), 9 May 1843; m (2) Ellen May Sharp, 28 April 1868.
   Sons: John W., Needham Bryant. Dau: Martha, Susan, Eliza, Mary, Catharine, Ida.

5. JOHN WILLIAM HARLESS 1848- ___ m Melzina Moon, 3 June 1867.
   Sons: John, Claude M. Dau: Millie, Lena, May, Anna, Maggie.


6. JOSEPH MARVIN HARLESS 1874-1942 m Cassie Clark
   Sons: Robert W.

7. ROBERT WALKER HARLESS 1915- ___ m Olivia Glover.
   Sons: Betty Jean, Ida Lee.

5. MARTHA E. HARLESS 1846- ___ m William P. Lusk, 7 Aug. 1860.
   Sons: Jonas, Charles Dau:

5. SUSAN HARLESS ___-___ m John Dickey
   Sons: Dau: Jipper

5. ELIZA HARLESS ___-___ m Jesse Radford
5. MARY HARLESS 1849-___ m Jefferson F. Cruse
5. CATHARINE HARLESS ___-___ m Thomas Sullivan, 24 March 1875.
5. IDA HARLESS ___-___ m Thomas Cruse.

4. JOHN WESLEY HARLESS (3rd son of John Harless) m Elizabeth A. Terry, dau. of George and Elizabeth (______) Terry, 7 Nov. 1850.
   Sons: John, George, Leroy. Dau: Emma, Alice, Louisa, Ellen J.


5. GEORGE WALTER HARLESS m Mary Susan Nickles, dau. of James and Mary (Dilworth) Nickles, 24 Nov. 1875, by Elder John Brown, at New Hope, Ala.
   Sons: James, Elmer, Lee, Edwin, William O. Dau: Pearl and Anna.

5. LEROY TERRY HARLESS m Drucilla

5. EMMA J. HARLESS m William Wesley Selvidge, 6 Jan 1876, by Rev. J. H. Drake.
5. ALICE S. HARLESS m William P. Nickles, 15 Sept. 1881, by Elder J. W. Brown.

4. CHARLES D. HARLESS m Elizabeth Sears
   Sons: Christopher Mayhew, Isom Dau: Elizabeth, Mollie.

6. CHRISTOPHER MAYHEW HARLESS JR.

6. EULA MAYHEW HARLESS m Richard L. Porter, Jr.

5. ISOM HARLESS m Fannie Allison Sons: Marvin, Charles Wesley. Dau:

5. ELIZABETH HARLESS m Jefferson Lovell Sons: Thomas J. Dau: Delia May, Myrtle, Thurzia.

5. MOLLIE HARLESS m Morgan Phillips Sons: Dau: Catharine.

4. DAVID D. (T) HARLESS _-_ m (1) Nancy W. Lawler, dau. of Jesse and Julia C. Lawler, 15 April 1851; m (2) Mrs. Elvira Prosser, 11 Mar. 1875.


4. CATHARINE REBECCA HARLESS 1815-_ m Andrew Jackson Middleton 1814-____, son of John and Jane (Dowdle) Middleton, 27 July 1834. They lived in Jackson Co., Ala. Sons: Joel A. Dau: Louisa, Rebecca, Martha, Margaret, Rhoda, Harriett.

4. RACHEL MATILDA HARLESS 1824-____ m William T. Allison 1818-____, 18 Jan. 1844. Sons: John Dau: Cornelia, Sarah, Ann

4. ELIZABETH HARLESS m Buford Milam, 16 Nov. 1831. Moved to Anderson Co., Texas.


Notes
DESCENDANTS OF DANIEL HARLESS, 4th son of Henry Harless Sr.

3. DANIEL HARLESS 1788-184_ m (1) Mary _________ 1792-_____, (2) Mary Owen.
   Sons: David Dau: Charlotte, Rebecca, Caroline, Nancy, Jane, Mary.

4. DAVID HARLESS 1831-____ m (1) Nancy Lawler, dau. of Jesse, (2) Mrs. Elvira Prosser.

4. CHARLOTTE HARLESS, b 1816 in Indiana, m Robert Owens, b 1814 in Tenn.

4. REBECCA HARLESS 1818-____ m John Crenshaw 1812-_____, 4 Feb. 1835.
   Sons: William, John D. Dau: Mary, Nancy, Susan, Charlotte, Martha, Eliza L.

4. CAROLINE HARLESS _____-____ m (1) Laton Golden, son of William and Eliza,
   13 June 1838.m (2) Thomas Combs.
   Sons: Richard H. Dau:

4. NANCY HARLESS 1825-____ m Robert Esslinger 1802-_____, 2 Feb. 1842.

4. JANE HARLESS, b in Indiana, m George F. Owens 1830-_____, 6 Dec. 1848.
   Dau:

4. MARY HARLESS 1822-____ m Nathan Crenshaw, son of John, 24 July 1842.
   Sons: John W.

DESCENDANTS OF PHILIP HARLESS, 5th son of Henry Harless Sr.

3. PHILIP HARLESS. We have no record of Philip Harless in Alabama, so we believe
   that he remained in Tennessee. In the 1830 Census record for Hawkins Co., Tenn.
   we find listed:

   3. PHILIP HARLESS, b between 1770 and 1780; his wife the same age. They had
      one son listed as born between 1800 and 1810. In the same County in the
      1840 Census record for William Harless and wife, both b between 1800 and 1810.
      Then in the 1860 Census record for Hawkins Co., Tenn. there is listed:

   4. WILLIAM HARLESS, b 1800 in Tenn., wife Elizabeth age 58, b in Tenn.
      They lived in Surgionsville, Tenn.

   4. SUSANNA HARLESS, b 1803 in Tenn. m Joseph James. Later they lived in Ozark
      Co., Mo. We believe that this SUSANNA was a daughter of Philip Harless (3),
      and a sister of WILLIAM HARLESS (4). If that is found to be correct, Susanna
      is the great great grandmother of Mrs. C.C. Harrison, of 308 West St. Paul St.,
      Stafford, Kansas.

The following record is of a family who claim that their ancestors lived in Georgia.

6. LAFAITE (Lafayette) HARLESS, b c 1850 in Georgia, m Mary Allen Ledbetter. They
   were married in Georgia.
   Sons: Hugh, Coney, Plumer, Decklar, Cary, Robert, Rudy Lee, and John William.

7. CARY BROWN HARLESS 1889-____ m Katy Balter.
   Sons: Herbert Young, and Harold B.
DAUGHTERS OF HENRY HARLESS SR.

3. MARY HARLESS was born in Virginia, m John Ritenour Jr. in Montgomery Co., Va., 8 Aug. 1791. NB The Tillman Family by Genevieve Peters. They were with Henry Harless Sr. in Anderson Co., Tenn. in 1801 and in Madison Co., Miss. Territory in 1809. Thereafter, there is no record.

3. SUSANNA HARLESS WAS BORN IN Virginia. There is evidence that she m A. J. Middleton first and then Philip Medlin. However, the names are confusing. In 1831 a Susan Medlin m Robert Wright, the Rev. War Soldier. This may have been Susanna (Harless) Medlin or 'Middleton'. If so it was her second and the third marriage of Robert Wright. Susan Medlin is listed in the 1830 Census of Madison Co., Ala. She had 6 sons and 3 dau. at that time.

3. HANNAH HARLESS 1783-1833 m Benjamin Wilson Sr. Their record follows.

3. NANCY HARLESS, b 10 Sept. 1790 in Montgomery Co., Va., d 1 Oct. 1863 in Ohio; m John Tillman, b 17 April 1783, d 24 Feb. 1850 in Ohio, son of Tobias and Catharine (Sharp) Tillman, in Anderson Co., Tenn. 3 Sept. 1805. See TILLMAN FAMILY by Genevieve Peters.

3. SARAH HARLESS m Daniel Wall. Their record follows;

3. ELIZABETH HARLESS. No record.

3. There is some evidence that Henry Harless Sr. had another daughter who married Samuel Wall, a brother of Daniel Wall, who married Sarah Harless. When in Anderson Co., Tenn. Henry Harless Sr. gave power of attorney to "my son Samuel Wall". This could have been an error in copying. If a dau. did m Samuel Wall, she had died before 1815 because Henry did not mention her in his Will.

Notes
3. HANNAH HARLESS 1783-1833, dau. of Henry Harless Sr., was born in Augusta Co., Va., died in Shelby Co., Ala.; m Benjamin Wilson Sr. 1773-1852, in Anderson Co., Tenn., 7 April 1801. Both are bur. in the Harless Cemetery which is six miles northeast of Montevallo, Ala. on the Plantation originally owned by Hannah's Brother, Henry Harless Jr.

HISTORY OF THE WILSON AND HARLESS FAMILIES IN TENN. AND ALABAMA.

Over a period of several years Mr. Will F. Franke, of Birmingham, Ala., has been doing research and collecting historical records of the first settlers in East Tenn. and Northern Alabama. He has sent me his unpublished manuscript from which I have abstracted this brief history of our ancestors. We acknowledge that we owe Mr. Franke a deep debt of gratitude.

The English settlers, mostly from Virginia but some from the Carolinas, entered the regions of eastern Kentucky and Tennessee as early as 1748 but no permanent settlements were made before 1769. At that time settlers began entering the valleys of the Holston, Watage, French Broad and Nolachucky rivers. At that time the area was claimed by both the Colonies of Virginia and the Carolinas.

The records of east Tennessee contain many references to the ancestors of Benjamin Wilson Sr. William and Zacheus Wilson Sr. were members of the Mechlenburg Convention. Their signatures appear on the MECHLENBURG RESOLUTIONS which were adopted 20 May 1775, more than one year before the Declaration of Independence of 4 July 1776. Samuel Wilson 171C-1778 was a member of the Committee of Public Safety, of Mechlenburg Co., North Carolina.

In 1776 the settlers in what they called 'The Washington District' which included the settlements in the river valleys mentioned above, petitioned THE HONORABLE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF NORTH CAROLINA to be annexed to North Carolina. Isaac Wilson was one of the signers of this petition. In November of 1777 in compliance with this petition, the General Assembly of North Carolina established the County of Washington. This County of Washington, North Carolina, included the Washington District mentioned above, and in addition all of the present State of Tennessee.

On 23 Feb. 1778 a General Court was convened for the County of Washington. Among those present were men who later became prominent, especially in Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama. Among those present were: John Carter, Chairman, John Sevier, Jacob Womack, Robert Lucas, Andrew Greer, John Shelby, George Russell, Wm. Bean, Zachariah Isbell, John McNabb, Thomas Houghton, William Clark, John McMahan, Benjamin Gist, John Chisholm, JOSEPH WILSON, William Cabb, James Stewart, Michael Woods, Richard White, BENJAMIN WILSON, James Robertson, and Valentine Esquires.

The object of this Court was to organize the County of Washington. The following County Officials were duly appointed and installed in office: Clerk of the County, John Sevier, Valentine, Sheriff; James Stewart, Surveyor, John Carter, Entry Taker; John McMahan, Register; Jacob Womack, Stray Master; John McNabb, Coroner; Joseph and Benjamin WILSON, Justices of the Peace.

In 1780 JOSEPH WILSON was Captain of Militia for Washington Co. In that year Gen. Rutherford, of the Colony of N. Car. called a meeting to 'embold the Militia of Washington Co. The meeting was held 19 Mar. 1780. Present: Colonel John Sevier, Major Jonathon Tipton, Captains: JOSEPH WILSON, John McNabb, Godfrey Isbell, Wm. Trimble, James Stinson, and Robert Sevier. Gen. Ruther requested the enlistment of 100 men from Washington Co. to go to the aid of South Carolina. The officers agreed that
each Company in the County would furnish eight men "well equipped for War" except Samuel William Company which would supply "four men."

During the entire time of the Revolutionary War Tennessee settlers rendered valiant service for the American Cause, under the leadership of John Sevier. They were at the famous engagement at King's Mountain when the settlers from Kentucky and Tennessee defeated the British Regulars on 7 Oct. 1780. This was one of the most brilliant victories of the War as it precipitated the downfall of British power in the South.

Immediately after the Revolution the area of the present State of Tennessee was organized and named The State of Franklin, but the administration was not recognized by the Federal Government. In 1796 a state constitution was drawn up and the territory was admitted to the Union, as the State of Tennessee.

JAMES WILSON was Sheriff of Washington Co. in 1783. JOSEPH WILSON was chosen as a deputy to attend a convention at Jonesboro to deal with certain phases of State policy. SAMUEL WILSON was a deputy from Sullivan County. The formation of new Counties followed within a few years. In the organization of Sumner Co., DAVID WILSON is mentioned as one of the delegates. Before 1820 fifty counties had been organized and settlers were coming in at a rapid rate.

INDIAN TROUBLES

From 1748 when the first settlers began entering the valleys of the Watauga, Nolachucky, Holston and French Broad rivers until some years after the Revolution the settlers were in constant danger from Indian attacks. The Cherokees were in the Appalachian mountains, the Shawnees in Ohio and Kentucky, the Creeks in Alabama. Some instances in which the WILSON families were involved will be mentioned.

On 2 June 1791 a man was killed on the public road within 150 yards of Major David Wilson's house. Major George Winchester was killed and scalped by Indians near Major David Wilson's house a little later. On 26 June 1792 a large body of Creek Indians attacked Zeigler's Station. The Station was defended by 13 men, one of them being Archy WILSON, son of JOSEPH WILSON. A Miss Wilson and four negroes were carried away as captives. Four men were killed, four wounded, three escaped unhurt. This occurred in Sumner Co. near the home of Major David Wilson.

On 31st day of August 1792 an attack was made by the Indians on John Birkley and his son near Bledsoe's Lick. Birkley was wounded but continued to fire and killed an Indian in the act of scalping his son. On the 27th of August 1792 a war party of 17 Creeks set fire to Captain Morgan's house. On the preceding night the same party had stolen the horses of James Douglas. The next day SAMUEL WILSON found the Indians,
wounded one of them, put them to flight and regained the horses, a gun and a bloody blanket. There were many other Indian attacks in which the WILSONS were involved.

THE WILSONS IN THE AFFAIRS OF STATE

On the second Monday in April 1787 Major David Wilson, then a Justice of the Peace, was one of the organizers of Sumner County. David Wilson, Esq. was elected Speaker of the Territorial Assembly at Knoxville, 23 Dec. 1793. On 26 Oct. 1799 a new County was established and named WILSON COUNTY, in honor of Major David Wilson. He was an active and valuable officer during the Revolution. The Legislature of the State of N. Car. by a Special Act allotted him a valuable tract of land within the limits of the County of Sumner. JOSEPH WILSON was appointed by the Court as one of the commissioneers to locate the Court House in the new County of Sevier. Joseph Wilson and Adam Wilson were appointed Justices by the first session of the County of Sevier Court after Tennessee was admitted to the Union. In May 1796 James Wilson was appointed Justice for the new County of Jefferson. William Wilson was a member of the Greene County Court in 1791. On 19 Mar. 1780 Capt. John Wilson was attached to Col. John Sevier's Regiment of Washington Co. Militia. George Wilson edited a paper known as WILSON'S GAZETTE at Knoxville in 1804. In "The King's Mountain Men" by White, the names of Benjamin Wilson, George Wilson, James Wilson, Adam Wilson, Isaac Wilson and Joseph Wilson appear. Jesse and Benjamin Wilson were in Washington Co. 1794 to 1798. The part where they lived was then cut off to form Sevier County. Some of Benjamin's children were born in Sevier County.

In 1809 Jesse and Benjamin Wilson purchased land in Madison County, Alabama, HENRY HARLESS SR., father-in-law of Benjamin Wilson entered land nearby. Very soon after Gen. Andrew Jackson with his Tennessee troops had defeated the Creek Nation in 1814, Benjamin Wilson, his brother, Jesse, and his sisters, Mrs. Hannah Frost and Mrs. Nancy Baker with all their families and all of their transportable property moved to Shelby Co., Alabama. Jesse Wilson established his plantation in the vicinity of what is now Montevallo. He was the most wealthy and most prominent man in that area until his death in 1820. He was a member of the Territorial Legislature when he died.

THE FROST FAMILY

3. HANNAH WILSON - 1839 was a sister of Benjamin Wilson Sr., Jesse Wilson and Mrs. Nancy (Wilson) Baker. In Tenn. she had married a man named FROST. Mr. Frost must have died in Tenn. or in Madison Co., Ala. When the Wilson, Frost and Baker families moved to Shelby Co., Ala. in 1814, Mrs. Hannah (Wilson) Frost was a widow with several children. She established a plantation adjoining those of her brothers, Benjamin Sr. and Jesse Wilson and very near the plantation of Henry Harless, Jr.

4. CATHARINE HARLESS 1809-1898, dau. of Henry Harless Jr. m Jesse Frost 1804-1880, son of _________ and Hannah (Wilson) Frost, in Montevallo, Ala. 27 Jan. 1831. They had sixteen children. Their names and dates of birth are listed under descendants of Henry Harless, Jr.

5. SUSAN CHARLOTTE FROST 1841-1895 m John LaVert Foust 1843-1893
   Sons: Dau: Allena, Mollie, Charlotte, Bird.

6. ALLENA FRANCES FOUST 1861-1955 m Henry Franklin West 1846-1902, son of John Porter and Maria Louisa (Mills) West. JOHN PORTER WEST was the son of Rev. Joshua West.

More on the descendants of Henry Franklin and Allena (Foust) West is recorded under descendants of Henry Harless Jr.
3. HANNAH HARLESS 1783-1833, b in Virginia, d in Shelby Co., Ala.; m Benjamin Wilson Sr. 1773-1852, probably in Anderson Co., Tenn., 7 April 1801.

Benjamin Wilson Sr. was born in East Tenn. where he m Hannah Harless, dau. of Henry Harless Sr. They lived there for about ten years, then moved to Madison Co., Ala. where they lived for about 5 years and then moved to Shelby Co., Ala. There Benjamin acquired a large plantation, built a two story hewn log house on the top of a small hill which overlooked the entire plantation.

It would take a book to properly describe the life and times of Benjamin Wilson Sr., his wife, and their 16 children. For further information the reader is referred to a manuscript written by Mr. Will F. Franke, 414 Farley Bldg., Birmingham, Ala. There is not time to include more in this book which I regret, but I suggest that each descendant of Benjamin and Jesse Wilson obtain a copy of that manuscript.

These are the children of Benjamin and Hannah (Harless) Wilson:
Sons: Henry, Jesse, Thomas, James, Benjamin Jr., John, George, Jehu.
Dau: Mary, Susanna, Nancy, Lucretia, Margaret, Eliza Jane, Sarah Ann.

4. HENRY HARLESS WILSON 1803-1841, b in Sevier Co., Tenn., d Shelby Co., Ala.; m Jane Nelson, dau. of Daniel Nelson. Henry was Clerk of the Circuit Court for many years.
Sons: None
Dau: Martha

5. MARTHA J. WILSON 1840-1881 m Joseph W. Harris, 21 Dec. 1861.
Sons: Rollin, Ernest, Reginald.
Dau: May

6. ROLLIN HARRIS
6. ERNEST HARRIS
6. REGINALD HARRIS
6. MAY HARRIS m Walter J. Knowles

4. JESSE WILSON 1804-1852, b in East Tenn., d in Hempstead Co., Ark.; m Sarah McNair of Talledaga Co., Ala. It is believed that they had eleven children, names of other unknown.
Sons: McNair, Thomas etc.
Dau: Susan, Hannah Caroline, etc.

Sons: (1) Andrew
Dau: (1) Margaret and Ada.

After the death of his first wife, Thomas F. Wilson decided to move to Arkansas. He planned to marry Mary Ash and take her with him, but Mary’s father would not give his consent, because he did not want his daughter to go to Arkansas. Thomas and Mary attempted an elopement but were overtaken by Mary’s father who returned his daughter to her home. Shortly thereafter Thomas moved his family to Hempstead Co., Ark, where he established a large plantation and engaged in business for a period of ten years. He then sold his property in Arkansas and returned to his father’s plantation in Shelby Co., Ala. and then married Mary Ash. They bought a plantation consisting of more than 1000 acres of land and several slaves. They prospered, bought more land and more slaves. Then came the Civil War which almost caused their financial ruin.

5. ANDREW NESBIT WILSON 1847-1903, b at Montevallo, Ala., d at Tuscaloosa, Ala.; m Lucy Louisa Acton 1852-1928, dau. of Col. John and Martha (Boothe) Acton, 25 Mar. 1883. Prior to his marriage, Andrew was engaged in farming his father’s
planted, but after his marriage he managed the Acton plantation until he was seriously injured in an accident at a cotton gin.

Sons: None Dau: Sarah, Margie, and Velma.

6. SARAH TURNER WILSON 1884-1911 m Charles Lavender Pool 1887- , son of John Thomas and Henrietta (Liddell) Pool, 26 Dec. 1901 in Canterbury Methodist Church, Birmingham, Ala.
Sons: John, Charlie, Paul Dau: Naomi Irene.

7. JOHN ANDREW POOL 1905-1949 Unm.

7. CHARLES ACTON POOL 1908- Unm.

7. PAUL ABERNATHY POOL 1910- m Clarice May Robbins 1917- , dau. of Grady H. and Frances Mary (Dollar) Robbins, 1 April 1934 by Rev. Claude C. Keathley.

8. PAUL ROBBINS POOL 1939-

8. JOHN DOUGLAS POOL 1941-

8. ROBERT WOODROW POOL 1945-

Dau: Mary, Janet, Sallie.

8. JANET CLARICE POOL 1940- m Samuel Benson
Sons: Dau: Michelle Benson

8. SALLIE EILEEN POOL 1947-

Sons: James, Charles, John Dau: Sarah, Carolyn.

8. JAMES POOL REGAN 1928-

8. CHARLES WILSON REGAN
8. JOHN THOMAS REGAN

6. MARGIE ALMA WILSON


7. WILLIAM FREDERICK FRANKE JR. 1928-

7. MARY LOUCENIA FRANKE 1912- m Samuel Frank Jackson Hughes 1905-, 27 June 1934.
Sons: Dau: Mary Patricia

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Sons: Dau: (2) Frances, Rebecca.

7. JEAN FRANKE 1926-____ m Thomas Blair Cox 1922-____.

4. JAMES HANCOCK WILSON JR., b 10 Nov. 1808 near Huntsville, Ala., d 27 Nov. 1892 in Shelby Co., Ala., m Agnes Farley, b Sevier Co., Tenn., 12 June 1812, d 13 Nov. 1890.
Sons: Dau:

Sons: Dau:

4. JOHN B. WILSON MD, b Madison Co., Ala., 27 Apr. 1811, d 1881 in Shelby Co., Ala.; m (1) Mrs. Margaret Watrous, b 30 Dec. 1812, d 26 Apr. 1844; m (2) Mary Amanda Bandy.
Sons: Dau:

Sons: Dau:

4. JEHU L. WILSON MD 1819-____ m Jane Brasher, dau. of Jack Brasher, 2 Aug. 1845. After Dr. Wilson's death the family is said to have moved to Panola Co., Texas.
Sons: Henry, Benjamin, John B. Dau:

Sons: Dau:

Sons: Benjamin W., Joshua, Thomas. Dau: Jane, Mary, Frances, Nancy, Lucinda.

5. BENJAMIN W. WEST ______-_____
5. JOSHUA WEST ______-_____
5. THOMAS WEST ______-_____

5. NANCY E. WEST 1839-1877 m Nathaniel Hutson Cross 1837-1903, son of Andrew Jackson Cross, 28 April 1857.

6. WALTER EUGENE CROSS 1858-1943 m (1) Jackie A. Bailey 1868-1892, 4 Feb. 1883; m (2) Ruth A. Hall 1865-1910, 11 Aug. 1892; and (3) Mrs. S. R. Reser, 30 Nov.1911.

7. ALBERT E. CROSS 1886-1952 m Effie Ware

6. THOMAS JEFFERSON CROSS 1874-1941 m Nannie Page Johnson 1879-____, 10 Nov. 1897.
   Sons: (Adopted, George Edgar. Dau: None (Adopted, Ida Mae).


6. CHARLES ROWLEY CROSS 1876-____ m (1) Rosa Ellison and (2) Effie Patrick.

6. ALICE CAREY CROSS 1861-1908 m Thomas J. Bishop.
   Sons: Clyde, Kergil, Willie Dau: Velma

7. CLYDE BISHOP _____-____ m Ruby Cox.
7. KERGIL BISHOP _____-____ m Adrienne Fatime (Russell) Johnson, 23 Dec. 1895.
7. VELMA BISHOP _____-____ m Fred Carmack.

6. MOLLIE J. CROSS 1865-____ m Walter M. Coats, son of Leroy Coats, 26 Dec. 1895.


7. FRANK LEONARD JOHNSON 1898-1923.
7. WALDO SIDNEY JOHNSON 1900-1922.
7. ROBERT N. JOHNSON 1906-1913.

7. ROLLIN LEE JOHNSON Jr. 1913-____ m Haynie Elizabeth McCoy 1912-____, 22 Dec. 1935.
   Sons: Rollin Lee III, James Thomas. Dau:

7. MATTIE LYNDAL JOHNSON 1903-____ m Luther Eugene Cline 1897-____, 24 Dec. 1924.
   Dau: Mary Lee, Betty Jean.

8. MARY LEE CLINE 1927-____ m Adolphus Martin 1927-____, July 1952.
   Dau:

8. BETTY JEAN CLINE 1931-____ m Bert Pryor, 26 Oct. ____.
   Dau:

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6. THOMAS JEFFERSON CROSS
7. GEORGE EDWARD CROSS 1881-1939 m Jessie Etiolee Johnson.
   Sons: Milton, Robert, George, Otis. Dau: Ida Mae

8. MILTON BURKE CROSS 1904-____ m Mary Esther Newkirk,
   Sons: Dau:
8. ROBERT SHELLY CROSS 1906-1912.
8. GEORGE DEWITT CROSS 1909-____
8. OTIS CROSS 1913-____
8. Ida Mae Cross 1916-____ m William Mason Cumberland 1914-____, son of Willis S. and Murrell (Taylor) Cumberland.
   Sons: William Mason Jr. Dau: Jane Etiolee, Nancy S.
4. NANCY HANNAH WILSON 1814-1873 m Benjamin F. Randall 1806-1860.

4. LUCRETIA G. WILSON 1816-1866 m Joseph Cunningham 1793-1857.


4. SARAH ANN WILSON 1828-1864. Unm.

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF HENRY HARLESS SR.
Family of Sarah Harless, 5th daughter of Henry.

3. SARAH HARLESS, b about 1790 in Virginia, d in Madison Co., Ala. shortly after 1850; m Daniel Walls, b in Montgomery Co., Va., son of John Wall, d before May 1814, possibly in the War of 1812 as he enlisted in the Militia of Mississippi Territory and served as a Private. They were probably m in Anderson Co., Tenn. about 1809 and shortly thereafter moved to Madison Co., Ala. The application for appointment of Administrators of his estate is dated 16 May 1814. The name is 'Wall' in Va., but 'Walls' in Ala.

Sons: Henry and Jacob

Dau: None.

4. HENRY WALLS, b 23 April 1810, probably in Anderson Co., Tenn., d between 1840 and 1850 in Madison Co., Ala.; m Dicy Carpenter, b c1821, d after 1858, dau. of Willis and Betsy (Ross) Carpenter, 2 June 1836.

Sons: John W. William

Dau: Sarah, Louisa.

5. JOHN W. WALLS, b 21 Mar. 1838, d 3 Mar. 1904; m Mary A. C. Selvidge, b 10 Feb. 1837, d 8 Jan. 1919, dau. of Michael and Nancy (______) Selvidge, in Madison Co., Ala., 7 Aug. 1856. They moved to Marshall Co., Ala. where most of their records are located.

Sons: Henry D., William T., Clement John, James C.

Dau: Elizabeth


Sons:

Dau: Eliza, Sarah, Fannie, Minnie, Maggie, Dea, Tisha, Estelle.

7. ELIZA WALLS m __________ Chandler
7. SARAH WALLS m __________ Beard
7. FANNIE WALLS m Erwin Whittaker, 2 Sept. 1903.
7. MINNIE J. WALLS m J. Robert Taylor, 18 Sept. 1901.
7. MAGGIE WALLS m Abe Kennamer, 2 Nov. 1902.
7. DEA WALLS m __________ Manning.
7. TISHA WALLS m __________ Perkins.

6. WILLIAM THOMAS WALLS m (1) Mary Davis (2) Rebecca Wilson, 2 Oct. 1902.

Sons: Clem, John, Mitch, Jack, Jim, Bud.

Dau: Ida, Maggie.

7. CLEM WALLS m __________ Sutton
7. JOHN WALLS
7. MITCH WALLS
7. JACK WALLS
7. JIM WALLS
7. BUD WALLS
7. IDA WALLS m Robert Kee, 3 Jan. 1900.
7. MAGGIE WALLS

6. CLEMENT C. WALLS, b 26 Feb. 1865, d 28 Feb. 1911; m Daisy (Dicie) (Pruitt) Parker, 17 June 1883.

Sons: Will, Robert

Dau: Sallie, Nannie, Virgie, Myrtle

7. WILLIAM 'WILL' WALLS MD.
7. ROBERT WALLS m __________ Ledbetter

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7. SALLIE WALLS m _________ Wright
7. NANNIE WALLS m _________ Troup
7. VIRGIE WALLS m _________ Perkins
7. MYRTLE WALLS m _________ Kennamer.

6. JOHN W. WALLS JR., b 4 July 1861, d 23 Mar. 1925; m Sarah A. Hill, b 21 Dec. 1859, d 23 Nov. 1930, dau. of John and Sarah (_______) Hill who came from Georgia, 26 July 1877.
Sons: John H., James, Wheeler, McKinley. Dau: Annie, Julia, Elizabeth

7. JOHN H. WALLS m Claudie
   Sons: John H. Jr., Luther, George, Samuel
   Dau: Lilah, Polly, Margaret, Grace, Jane.

8. JOHN H. WALLS JR.
8. LUTHER WALLS m _________ Simmons
8. GEORGE WALLS m _________ Winsor
8. SAMUEL WALLS m _________ Johnson
8. LILAH WALLS m _________ Smith
8. POLLY WALLS m _________ Murray
8. MARGARET WALLS (deceased)
8. GRACE WALLS m _________ Houston
8. JANE WALLS m _________ Shaub.

7. JAMES C. WALLS m Minnie A. Stearns, 9 Aug. 1901.

8. EDWARD WALLS m _________ Cooper
8. LEONARD WALLS m _________ Seator
8. GROVER WALLS m _________ Alexander
8. L. D. WALLS m _________ Ledbetter
8. CORA WALLS m _________ Davis
8. THELMA WALLS (deceased)
8. EDNA WALLS m _________ Cooper
8. FLORENCE WALLS

7. WHEELER WALLS m Ora Roden
   Sons: J. T., Herman, "Beer", "Buck" Dau: Louella.

7. MCKINLEY WALLS (Unmarried)

7. ANNIE WALLS m John R. Whittaker
   Sons: Luther, Burton, Clyde Dau: Kathleen m_______ Rooks.

7. JULIA WALLS —-1956 m John Troup.
   Sons: Gordon (dy), Woodie Dau: Mabel (dy), Lorene

8. WOODIE TROUP m _________ Campbell
8. LORENE TROUP m _________ Troup

7. ELIZABETH WALLS, b _________, d _________; m John Riley Ledbetter Sr.
   b _________, d _________.
   Sons: John Riley Jr., Rayford Dau: Elizabeth

8. RAYFORD LEDBETTER m Mary Jean Townson

8. ELIZABETH LEDBETTER m Dr. Robert Haden (graduate of Alabama Med. College) now practicing at Guntersville, Ala.
Sons: Robert Haden Jr.

7. DELLA WALLS m Samuel Jobe
Sons: Milton, Sammie
Dau: Florence, Lola May

7. DICIE WALLS m J. Leslie Clay
Sons:
Dau: Olivia, Louise

8. OLIVIA CLAY m ________ Free
8. LOUISE CLAY m ________ Walker

7. PLUMA WALLS m Jesse Mardis
Sons:
Dau: Jessie

8. JESSIE MAY MARDIS m (1) ________ Sterling, b ________, d ________,
(2) ________ Wright.

7. BEULAH WALLS m Paul Stockton
Sons: Willis H.
Dau: Pauline

8. WILLIS H. STOCKTON
8. PAULINE STOCKTON m ________ Walker

6. J. VIRGIL WALLS, son of John W. and Mary (Selvidge) Walls, b 22 Feb. 1870, d 21 Jan. 1912; m Palmyra Troup, b 8 Apr. 1877, d 6 Nov. 1912.
Sons: Robert, Herbert
Dau:

7. ROBERT WALLS dy
7. HERBERT WALLS m ________ Smith.

6. DAVE WALLS m Ina Rice
Sons: Grady
Dau: Flora m Johnson.

Sons: J. William, Oliver
Dau: Lucy, Eudora, Infant d 1908.

7. J. WILLIAM WALLS, b 3 Oct. 1892 m ________ Chandler
7. OLIVER JACKSON WALLS, 5 Sept. 1895 m Mary Cornelius
7. LUCY ANN WALLS 1901-1903.
7. EUDORA WALLS, b 2 Aug. 1904 m ________ Frith.
6. FRANCES WALLS m (1) John J. Bryant, 24 Jan. 1883, (2) Jack Whittaker
   Sons: (1) Bud (2) Ernest, Dave, Gilbert, Willie.
   Dau: (1) Mollie (2) Mattie, Ural, Nettie

7. BUD BRYANT
7. ERNEST WHITTAKER m _______ Seger
7. DAVE WHITTAKER m _______ Smith
7. GILBERT WHITTAKER m _______ Kennamer
7. WILLIE WHITTAKER m _______
7. MOLLIE BRYANT
7. MATTIE WHITTAKER m _______ Province
7. URAL WHITTAKER m _______ Campbell
7. NETTIE WHITTAKER m _______ Isbell

6. SARAH WALLS m Jack Mayhall
   Sons: John, Mack, Marvin
   Dau: Lula, Beulah

7. JOHN MAYHALL m _______ Parker
7. BEULAH MAYHALL m _______ Horn
7. LULA MAYHALL m _______ Walker

6. ADDIE WALLS m Will Romans
   Sons: Irvin, O. L.
   Dau: Beulah, Ulas, Dea, Mollie

7. BEULAH ROMANS m _______ Whittaker
7. ULAS ROMANS m _______ Clay
7. MOLLIE ROMANS m _______ Miller

6. DICIE WALLS m Wayne Campbell
   Sons: Carter
   Dau: Birtie, Nannie, Infant.

7. CARTER CAMPBELL m _______ Chandler
7. BIRTIE CAMPBELL m _______ Burks
7. NANNIE B. CAMPBELL m _______ Click.

5. WILLIAM WILLIS WALLS, (2nd son) b c1843, d Jan. 1929, served in the Confederate
   Army for which he drew a pension. He was m 4 times.; m (1) Mary E. Cooper,
   3 Sept. 1862.
   Sons: Thomas
   m (2) Nancy E. Miller, 22 July 1872
   Sons: Henry (dy),
   Dau: Haley (dy)
   m (3) Mrs. Martha (Owen) Ellett, c Jan. 1881.
   Sons: Robert
   m (4) Mary Eliza Cobb, 6 May 1883.
   Sons: Walker, John, James, Joe.
   Dau: Eliza, Nancy, Dice, Myrtle, Katie.

6. (1) THOMAS WALLS, b _____ 1863. Lived Santos, Texas.
6. (1) MARY J. C. WALLS, b 8 Dec. 1864, d _____ Apr. 1957 in Ark. m (1) Marion
   Ben Vann, 8 Sept. 1881, (2) _______ Kendrick.
   Sons:
   Dau: Minnie Vann m Hunter Kyser.

6. (3rd marriage)
6. ROBERT WESLEY WALLS, b 30 Sept. 1881, d 26 May 1956; m Mary E. Mordah,
   15 Nov. 1903.
   Sons: Odell, Jesse
   Dau:
7. JESSE G. WALLS, b 6 Nov. 1907 m Fay Schrimsher, 1 Dec. 1931
   Sons: Rex.
   Dau: Betty Jo.
6. (4th marriage)
6. JOHN W. WALLS m Janie Helton
   Sons: Robert
   Dau: Willie May
6. JAMES ARTHUR WALLS m Julia Maples, 16 June 1907.
   Sons: Willie, AC
   Dau: Mamie, Annie, Lillie
7. WILLIAM WILLIS WALLS m Bertha Lawson
7. A. C. WALLS m Emelyn Jacks
7. MAMIE ELIZA WALLS, b d Jan. 1917; m Brad Hunter
7. ANNIE LEE WALLS, b 11 Aug. 1916; m James Hunter, 8 June 1932
7. LILLIE ANN WALLS m Leonard Clinton Armstrong, 1 Dec. 1928.
6. JOSEPH 'JOE' WALLS
6. ELIZA JANE WALLS, b 25 Sept. 1885; m (1) J. R. Honea (2) Harvey C. Moon, 30 June 1915.
   Sons: (1) John, (2) Harvey, Clemmons, Dewey. Dau: (1) Mary, Dicie, (2) Sadie
7. JOHN RICHARD HONEA, b 1912; m Elizabeth Thompson, 7 Apr. 1936.
7. HARVEY MOON, b 9 Feb. 1916 m Lorene Thompson, 13 Dec. 1937.
7. DEWEY MOON (dy)
7. MARY ISABELL HONEA, 1908 m John Hindman, 3 July 1924.
7. DICIE HONEA, b 1909 m Earl Campbell, 27 Dec. 1931.
7. SADIE MOON, b 11 Mar. 1919 m (1) Herbert Sheneyfelt, 3 Nov. 1939, (2) Frank Hutchens.
   Sons: Ed, Willie, Daniel, Alvy, Ellis, James
   Dau: Minnie
7. EDD SMITH, b 1905 m Bettie Maples, 8 Dec. 1927.
7. WILLIE SMITH, b 1906 m Stella Kennamer, 27 Dec. 1928.
7. ELLIS SMITH m Cora Lee Stephens
7. JAMES WILEY SMITH, b 5 Apr. 1923 m Geraldine Chandler, 2 June 1944.
   Sons: Zedra, Wilbourn, J. T., Carlton
   Dau: Lorene, Margie.
7. WILBOURN WOODY, b 8 Mar. 1917 m Lucile Brand, 1 Dec. 1945.
7. J T WOODY m Frances Glover
7. CARLTON O. WOODY m Ida
7. LORENE WOODY, b 1 Sept. 1918 m Clayton Hodges, 9 Jan. 1937.
7. MARGIE WOODY
6. MYRTLE MARY WALLS, b 4 Mar. 1891, d 1919; m John W. Cowan, 6 Sept. 1907.
   Sons: Howard
   Dau: Cora, Katie, Elma, Willie.

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7. HOWARD COWAN
7. CORA LEE COWAN, b __________ m Jodie Meeks, 27 Aug. 1927.
7. KATIE COWAN, b __________ m Lawrence White
7. ELMA COWAN, b __________ m Curtis Stephenson, 26 May 1928.
7. WILLIE B. COWAN, b __________ m Sam Dudley, 5 Apr. 1930.

6. KATIE PICKENS WALLS, b __________ m Emmett Neely Drake (his second wife),
13 Sept. 1915.
Sons: David, Gilbert
Dau: Era, Esther, Naomi, Rachel, Katie.

7. DAVID D. DRAKE, b 9 July 1918 m Laura Geneva Hall, 10 Oct. 1942.
7. GILBERT DRAKE, b 23 Jan. 1920 m Dorothy Helen Gentle, 24 Dec. 1941.
7. ERA DRAKE, b 28 Nov. 1916 m Walter Hill, 1 Jan. 1935.
7. NAOMI DRAKE, b 24 Sept. 1924 m Joe Anderson Owens, 21 Feb. 1942.
7. RACHEL DRAKE, b 28 Nov. 1927 m John Elbert Kent,
7. KATIE BESSIE DRAKE, b 8 Mar. 1930 m Johnnie Lawson Henshaw.

Sons: Emmett, Paul, Troy, Roy
Dau: Daisy, Mabel, Flora, Virginia, Opal, Billie.

7. EMMETT WILLIS WALLS, b 24 June 1917 m Betty Jo Wade, 18 Sept. 1943.
7. PAUL WALLS, b 13 Oct. 1918 m Ailean Moore, 16 Mar. 1940.
7. TROY WALLS, b __________ m Nancy Jones,
7. ROY WALLS m (1) Joyce Lovern, (2) Fay Lawson
7. DAISY WALLS, b __________ 1916 m James Henry Simmons, 18 June 1936.
7. MABEL LOUISE WALLS, b 7 June 1922 m Orval David Jacks, 30 June 1941.
7. FLORA WALLS, b 1 Feb. 1925 m Bill McDaniels, 27 June 1945.
7. VIRGINIA WALLS, b 18 Mr. 1927 m David Lee Pinkerton, 22 Dec. 1946.
7. OPAL NELL WALLS, b _____ Nov. 1939 m Herman Loyd Coffey, 15 Oct. 1954.
7. BILLIE RAYE WALLS

Notes
DESCENDANTS OF JACOB WALLS, 2nd son of Daniel and Sarah (Harless) Walls.

4. JACOB WALLS, b 19 Jan. 1812 in Montgomery Co., Va. (Census Records), d in Marshall Co., Ala. where his will was filed on 18 Dec. 1889. He m (1) Matilda Branam in Madison Co., Ala. 19 July 1832. She was b in 1816 (Census Record 1850) and died before 1860. Jacob m (2) in Marshall Co., Ala. but the name on the license is illegible. 
Sons: (1) Daniel, James, John, Littleberry, Greenville, Davis. Dau: (1) Mary.

5. DANIEL WALLS, b 1834, d before 1889; m Nancy Neely, b __________, d 18 Jan. 1894, 9 Aug. 1853.
Sons: John Dau: Mollie

△ 6. JOHN BERRY WALLS, b 1867 (approx), d 18 Aug. 1936; m __________
Sons: Dau: Lizzie, Geneva

6. MOLLIE WALLS,

5. JAMES WALLS, prob. dy.
5. JOHN WALLS, prob. dy.
5. LITTLEBERRY WALLS, b cl840; m his stepmother's daughter and they moved to Arkansas.
5. GREENVILLE WALLS, b 1844, d.1898 m Mahulda Clinton, b __________, d 19 Dec. 1933, dau. of Wm. H. and Martha (Smith) Clinton, in Madison Co., Ala., 26 Mar. 1868. Mrs. Wall's pension record shows that Green Walls was a Pvt. Co. D., Capt. Eugene Griffin's Co., of Roddy's Scout. CSA.
Sons: Willie, Lee, John Dau: Myrtle, Gertrude

6. WILLIE WALLS 1874-1898. Unmarried.
6. LEE DAVIS WALLS 1878-1924 m Lizzie Crowson in Madison Co., Ala. 21 Apr. 1901.
This family dropped the "s" (which never did belong to the name).
Sons: Roy, Earl, Lee, Lester Dau: Alice, Mary, Evelyn, Juanita

7. ROY C. WALL, b 7 Apr. 1902 m Clara Wilburn in Hamilton Co., Tenn., 5 Nov. 1925.
Sons: Dau: Mary Wauhilla, b 5 July 1929.

7. EARL WALL __________, d unmarried.
Sons: Dau: Barbara, Betty, Linda

8. BARBARA DEAN WALL, b 28 Sept. 1939.
8. BETTY JEAN WALL, b 27 Sept. 1943

7. IRA WALL 1914-1917.
7. LESTER COLLINS WALL, b _____ July 1916 m Catharine Hall, b __________, 1940.
7. ALICE WALL, b __________ m Marvin Nimmo Nance, 26 Sept. 1942.
7. MARY DEAN WALL, b __________ m (1) Laymon D. Blackburn, _________ 1928. He died in 1939, Mary m (2) Charles Clifford Lawler, _________ 1940.
Sons: (2) Charles, Robert Dau: (1) Sarah, Bettie, (2) Lucy Karan

8. CHARLES CLIFFORD LAWLER JR., b 30 Nov. 1941.
8. ROBERT COLE LAWLER, b 9 Apr 1944.
8. SARAH KATE BLACKBURN, 
8. BETTY JO BLACKBURN, b ________ m Robert B. Penney, 6 Apr. 1951. 
Sons: Robert, Thomas Dau:
8. LUCY KARAN LAWLER, b 22 July 1948.

7. EVELYN WALL 1919-1919.

7. JUANITA WALL, b ________ 1921 m Philip Laughinghouse, 30 Nov. 1941. 
Sons: John, Lee, Pat, Philip Dau: Carol
8. JOHN LAUGHINGHOUSE, b 28 Sept. 1942, Roswell, NM.
8. PAT LAUGHINGHOUSE, b 30 June 1951, Chicago, Ill.
8. PHILIP LAUGHINGHOUSE JR., b 18 July 1956, Chicago, Ill.
8. CAROL LAUGHINGHOUSE, b 5 Feb. 1955, Chicago, Ill.

6. JOHN HICKMOND WALLS, 1882-1944 m (1) Mamie Spooner, 4 May 1905 and (2) Annie M. Pyne, 18 Oct. 1911. 
Sons: Dau: Glancye, Marjorie, Katie.

7. GLANCYE SHERMAN WALLS, b ________ m William Howard Gray, 30 Sept. 1934. 
8. WILLIAM HOWARD GRAY JR., b 20 July 1935.
8. SANDRA JEAN GRAY, b 7 June 1941.

7. MARJORIE ANN WALLS, b 9 Sept. 1921 m Earl Shoffner Weaver, of Marengo Co., Ala. 16 Apr. 1947. 
Sons: John, William Dau:
8. JOHN EARL WEAVER, 22 Dec. 1951.

Sons: Charles, Rhea Dau: Lauranne, Jane
8. CHARLES HOMER LAWS, b 3 Sept. 1953.
8. LAURANNE LAWS, b 18 Jan. 1952.
8. JANE LAWS, b ________

6. MYRTLE WALLS, b ________, dau. of Greenville and Mahulda (Clinton) Walls.
6. GERTRUDE WALLS 1891-1900.

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2. EDMUND EMANUEL HARLESS 17-1796 m Elizabeth Seyler (Siler), dau. of Jacob. Upon his father's death Edmund inherited the Harless Home Place, on Tom's Creek which consisted of 600 acres. Edmund was in Fluvanna Co., Va. at the time of his death. He left a Will.
   Sons: Philip                        Dau: Eve and Elizabeth

3. PHILIP HARLESS m Sally Johnson, dau. of Jacob Johnson, 26 May 1800.
   Sons: William (Perhaps others).  Dau:

4. WILLIAM HARLESS 1801-1862 (Known as "Uncle Billy") m Susan Price 1799-1902. He is buried at Long Shop, Va.
   Sons: Philip J.                        Dau:

5. PHILIP JACKSON HARLESS 1842-1927 m (1) Virginia Stafford, dau. of William and (Burten) Stafford. Virginia died in 1890; m (2) Lucy Rickmond -1930.
   Sons: William                        Dau: Sally and Molly.

   Sons: Jesse, Ernest, James, Charles, Everett.  Dau: Cora, Sussie, Zella.

   6. SALLY HARLESS m Gott.
   6. MOLLY HARLESS -1930 m Farmer.

7. JESSE LANE HARLESS, b 19 Sept. 1903, m Eunice Strouth, b 15 Jan. 1907, dau. of Pearl and Minnie (White)Strouth, at Pembroke, Va., 16 Apr. 1924.

8. WILLIAM PHILIP HARLESS, b 24 Dec. 1937, m Charlotte Johnston 1936-______, dau. of William and Constance (Kelley) Johnston, at Pearisburg, Va., ________. 
   Sons: Terry Lee, Richard             Dau: Karen

8. GLADYS HARLESS m Hull.
8. RUTH HARLESS m M. J. Fleshman.


8. JAMES MUNSEY HARLESS 1906-1957 m Hazel Bond.
   Sons: James E., Emory D.            Dau: Helen and Ella.

   Sons: Charles, Henry, Harry         Dau: Betty and Bobby

8. CHARLES WILLIAM (Billy) HARLESS 1939-______ m Peggy Meadows, at Pearisburg, Va.
   Sons: Mack b 1960.                  Dau:

8. HENRY LAFAYETTE HARLESS 1941-______
8. HARRY VANCE HARLESS 1945-______
8. BETTY HARLESS 1943-______
8. BOBBY HARNESS 1944-______
7. EVERETT WILLIAM HARLESS, b 20 June 1907, m Ida Rebecca Harris, b 13 Feb. 1910, dau. of Joseph and Hattie (Lindsey) Harris, 22 June 1929, at Pearisburg, Va.
Sons: Everett, Clarence Dau: Thelma, Lucy, Zella, Beulah.

8. EVERETT WILLIAM HARLESS JR. 1942-
8. CLARENCE JACKSON HARLESS 1944-
8. LUCY HARLESS ----- m James Paul Giles, 5 June 1955.

7. CORA HARLESS, b 10 Dec. 1910, m [Blank] Chewning, son of Scott Chewning.
Sons: Dau: Edith, Jane, Evelyn.

7. SUSSIE HARLESS 1912- [Blank] m Clair Pender

Sons: Dau: (1) Charlotte Sue Leslie.

3. EVE HARLESS [Blank] m George Fulzer.

3. ELIZABETH HARLESS [Blank] - [Blank] m George Scheppert (Shepard) (Shepherd) [Blank] 1797.

4. JOHN SHEPHERD 1799-[Blank] m
4. WASHINGTON SHEPHERD [Blank] - [Blank] m Polly Long
   Sons: Preston, Crockett Dau: Mary, Ella, Priscilla and Fanny.

5. PRESTON SHEPHERD m Susan Broce

6. WILLIAM SHEPHERD m Eva Rose.
   Sons: Dau: Martha, Donia, Bess, Laura

5. CROCKETT SHEPHERD m Jane Hoge
   Sons: Robert, Emmett, Whitt (dy) Dau: Lou

6. ROBERT SHEPHERD m Lou Hamlin
6. EMMETT SHEPHERD m Mary Bond.
6. LOU SHEPHERD m James Stanger

5. MARY SHEPHERD m Ben Elliott
   Sons: John Will,
5. ELLA SHEPHERD m William Smith
   Sons: George, Thomas, Frank, Harvey. Dau: Rena, Lonie, Mollie, Annie.

6. GEORGE SMITH m Nora Stanger
6. THOMAS SMITH m [Blank] Hughes.
6. FRANK SMITH m [Blank] Hughes.
6. HARVEY SMITH m Lucy Surface
6. RENA SMITH m [Blank]
6. MOLLIE SMITH m Joe Linkous.
6. ANNIE SMITH m John Taylor Sibold.
5. PRICILLA SHEPHERD m Floyd Hodge
   Sons: William, George, Miles. Dau: Ida

5. FANNY SHEPHERD m Walter Linkous
   Sons: Robert, Guy, Clarence, Jesse. Dau: Laura and Mary

6. ROBERT LINKOUS m Rose Albert

6. GUY LINKOUS m Della Linkous
   Sons: Harold, Junior, Wakeman

6. CLARENCE LINKOUS m __________ Linkous.

6. JESSE LINKOUS m Florence Elliott

6. LAURA LINKOUS m (1) Edward Jones (2) Charles Shepherd

6. MARY LINKOUS m Buck Rucker

4. ADDISON SHEPHERD m __________ Collins.
   Sons: Taylor, Bealy, Lewis, Riley. Dau:

5. TAYLOR SHEPHERD m Etta Linkous
   Sons: Luther, Willie Dau: __________, Bertha

6. LUTHER SHEPHERD m Emeline Peters.

6. WILLIE SHEPHERD m Cora Linkous

6. _______ SHEPHERD m James Linkous, son of Lizzie Linkous.

6. BERTHA SHEPHERD m Tosh Barnett

5. BEALY SHEPHERD

5. RILEY SHEPHERD m Tone Surface
   Sons: Dau: Florence, Bessie, Evelyn

6. FLORENCE SHEPHERD m George Virely
   Sons: Wise, Stephen Dau: Ruby, Virginia

6. BESSIE SHEPHERD m __________

6. EVELYN SHEPHERD m Will Shepherd.

4. PHILIP CHRISTIAN SHEPHERD 1819-1901 m (1) Savannah Snider (2) ________
   Sons: George and Ballard Dau: Perlina

5. GEORGE SHEPHERD 1855-1901 m

5. BALLARD SHEPHERD m Susan Surface
   Sons: Zack, Hayes Dau: Virgie, Nannie, Ada

6. ZACK SHEPHERD m Pearl Price
   Sons: Dau: Ethel, Clara, Belle, Willie Mae.

6. HAYES SHEPHERD m __________
   Sons: Rob, Heth Dau: Lena and Betty

6. VIRGIE SHEPHERD m Lute Brown

6. NANNIE SHEPHERD m Cordin

6. ADA CLEMENS SHEPHERD m __________

5. HENRY SHEPHERD m Louvina Bradford
   Sons: Harve, Will, Frank, Cohs Dau: Mollie, Viola, Josie

6. HARVE SHEPHERD m Ida Hodge
   Sons: Edward, Carl, Oakley, Lincoln, Harry, James, Hobard, Aaron, Miner.
   Dau: Louvina, Neta Belle, Alva.

6. WILL SHEPHERD m (1) Mary Bond (2) Evelin Shepherd
   Sons: (1) Conway, Dana Dau: (1) Roberta

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6. FRANK SHEPHERD m Katie Barker
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6. COHS SHEPHERD m Annie Albert
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6. MOLLIE SHEPHERD m William Bryant
   Sons: Walter, Robert, Maury, Frank Dau: Lou and Tootsie

6. VIOLA SHEPHERD m Walter Caldwell
6. JOSIE SHEPHERD m Ezra Wheeling

4. NANCY SHEPHERD m Henry Stanger
   Sons: Henry

5. HENRY SHEPHERD STANGER m _________ Lytton.
   Sons: Sylvester, Haden, James Dau:
6. SYLVESTER STANGER -1942 m _________ Linkous
   Sons: Guy, Billy, Evan, Leo, Delmar, Harry. Dau: Etney, Gay, May.
6. HADEN STANGER m
6. JAMES STANGER m Lou Shepherd, dau. of Crockett Shepherd
   Sons: Miles Dau: Carrie
6. CORA STANGER m Robert Hodge, son of Ballard Hodge
6. NORA STANGER m George Smith
6. ALETHA STANGER m John Keister
6. TENIA STANGER m John Linkous, son of Taylor Linkous.
2. MARGARETHA HARLESS 1750-1822 m George Henry Wilhelm (Williams) 1747-1820, son of Heinrick and Anna Elizabeth (Wilhelm), Immigrants from the upper German Palatinate, who came over in the Ship, The Queen Elizabeth, landing at Philadelphia 16 Sept. 1738. George and Margaretha (Harless) Williams established their home on Sinking Creek, now in Giles Co., Virginia. George Williams left a Will which is recorded in Book A, pp310-314 in Giles Co. Court House.

Sons: Frederick, George, Michael. Dau: Elizabeth, Margaret, Polly, Susanna, Catharine.

3. FREDERICK WILLIAMS 1785-1858 m Jane Stafford 1784-1860, an Immigrant from Ireland, dau. of James Stafford, 8 Feb. 1805.

Sons: John, James, George, Frederick

Dau: Nancy, Sally, Susan.

4. JOHN WILLIAMS 1814-1899 m Sarah Lumpkin 1818-1903, dau. of Robert and Sarah Louise (Hutchinson) Lumpkin, at Eggleston, Va., 15 Nov. 1838.


Sons: Frank, Lester

Dau: Texana, Etta, Willie

5. ROBERT S. WILLIAMS 1858-1932 m Allie Bradley, dau. of K. J. Bradley, at Maybrook, Va.

Sons: Claude

Dau: Margie

5. WILLIAM ELBERT STAFFORD WILLIAMS 1846-1898 m Belle Victoria Kessinger 1856-1909, dau. of John and Kate (Dure) Kessinger, 20 May 1874.

Sons: John, William F., Lloyd

Dau: Essie, Hettie, Lucy, Gladys.


Sons: Milton

Dau:

7. MILTON SHUMATE 1914- m Glenna Gott 1918-, dau. of Edward and Hattie Gott, 2 Jan. 1946.

Sons:

Dau: Susan Olivia

4. JAMES S. WILLIAMS 1812-1879 m Bicy Johnson 1821-1895.

Sons: John H., Andrew, Isaac, George F. Dau: Hester, Nancy, Sally, Susan, Margaret.

5. GEORGE F. WILLIAMS 1848-1930 m Anne Carbaugh 1850-1923.

Sons: James B., Earl, John, Stewart, Reeve, Charles, Alvin. Dau: Elizabeth

6. JAMES B. WILLIAMS 1876-1857 m Amanda E. Vaught 1877-1946.

Sons: Guy, Minor Dau: Georgia, Clara

7. W. GUY WILLIAMS, b 31 Mar. 1900 at Berton, Va., m Margie E. Williams, dau. of Robert S. and Allie (Bradley) Williams, at Eggleston, Va., 2 June 1928.

Sons: W. Guy Jr. Dau:

7. WILLIAM MINOR WILLIAMS, b 11 Nov. 1906 m Leta Pearl Williams, b 14 Feb. 1908 on 3 May 1929.

   Sons: Aubrey, Glenn   Dau:

   Sons: Glenn Theodore, b 5 April 1956.

3. GEORGE LUTHER WILHELM —— m Nancy Burke.
   Sons:                             Dau: Mary Burke

4. MARY BURKE WILHELM 1807-1882 m George Alexander Porterfield 1815-1855.
   Sons: George W.

5. GEORGE WILLIAMS PORTERFIELD 1841-1873 m Elmira Mary Fisher 1838-1922.
   Sons: George A.

6. GEORGE AMMON PORTERFIELD 1869-1939 m Emma Belle Thompson.
   Sons: Burke

7. BURKE PORTERFIELD.

2. MARY HARLESS —— m Jacob Siler. They established their plantation on Cow Pasture River, near Natural Bridge, Va. Mr. Siler was a farmer and trader. On one of his trips to East Tennessee, he hired a boy named, Davy Crockett, to help drive a herd of cattle from the Nolachucky River Valley to Baltimore. Davy Crockett was born on Nolachucky River and at that time he was twelve years of age.

   No further research has been done on the Jacob Siler Sr. family. It is known that he had one son, Jacob Jr. who m Dorothy ________.

   Edmund Harless, 5th son of John Philip (1) m Elizabeth Seyler (Siler) but there is some question as to the name of her parents.
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